



CH-517RXHS

HDMI Scaler over CAT5e/6/7 Receiver with LAN/
RS-232/IR/Bidirectional PoE



Operation Manual



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SAFETY PRECAUTIONS

Please read all instructions before attempting to unpack, install or operate this equipment and before connecting the power supply.

Please keep the following in mind as you unpack and install this equipment:

- Always follow basic safety precautions to reduce the risk of fire, electrical shock and injury to persons.
- To prevent fire or shock hazard, do not expose the unit to rain, moisture or install this product near water.
- Never spill liquid of any kind on or into this product.
- Never push an object of any kind into this product through any openings or empty slots in the unit, as you may damage parts inside the unit.
- Do not attach the power supply cabling to building surfaces.
- Use only the supplied power supply unit (PSU). Do not use the PSU if it is damaged.
- Do not allow anything to rest on the power cabling or allow any weight to be placed upon it or any person walk on it.
- To protect the unit from overheating, do not block any vents or openings in the unit housing that provide ventilation and allow for sufficient space for air to circulate around the unit.

REVISION HISTORY

| VERSION NO. | DATE DD/MM/YY | SUMMARY OF CHANGE |
|-------------|---------------|-----------------------|
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1. INTRODUCTION

The CH-517RXHS is an HDBaseT™ Receiver Scaler designed to scale the incoming video signal first, before outputting to its HDMI port. There is an Optical port providing additional audio extraction feature. Besides video and audio from the Transmitter, it also takes in 2-way IR, RS-232 and bidirectional LAN serving, over a single run of CAT5e/6/7 cable at a distance up to 100 meters. Control is via on-panel buttons or IR remote control and there is an On-screen Display (OSD) providing selection and system information. The device provides a full range of output resolutions, up to 1080p and WUXGA (RB). The bidirectional Power over Ethernet (PoE) function provides greater flexibility in installations.

2. APPLICATIONS

- Up-scale HDMI output to HDTV/PC resolutions
- Up-scale standard definition video to High-Definition TVs/displays
- Extend the operating distance of an HDMI signal
- Lecture room/Showroom/Meeting room/Classroom display and control

3. PACKAGE CONTENTS

- CAT5e/6/7 to HDMI with LAN/IR/RS-232/Bidirectional PoE Receiver
- 1×IR Receiver
- 1×IR Blaster
- 24V/2.7A DC Power Adaptor
- Remote Control (CR-128)
- Operation Manual

4. SYSTEM REQUIREMENTS

HDBaseT compatible Transmitter (input) and output to display with an HDMI input connection.

5. FEATURES

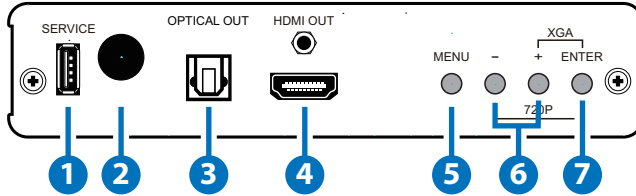
- Supports HDMI scaling to a wide range of HDTV or PC resolutions up to 1080p and WUXGA (RB)
- Reception of uncompressed data over a single CAT5e/6/7 cable up to 100m/328ft
- HDBaseT™ 5Play convergence: uncompressed high definition Video and Audio, LAN serving, Bidirectional Power over Ethernet (PoE) and controls (IR & RS-232 bypass)
- Supports IR, Remote control, RS-232 (bypass) and on-panel controls
- Provides bidirectional 24V DC power to or receive from compatible PoE Transmitter through CAT5e/6/7 cable
- Supports Ethernet transmission rates up to 100 Mbps
- Supports HDMI, Optical (S/PDIF) audio sampling rates up to 48kHz
- Supports HDMI and Optical (S/PDIF) audio up to LPCM 2CH

Note:

1. *This system was tested with CAT6/23AWG cables, results may vary with cables of a different specification.*
2. *The PoE function is designed for powering compatible Transmitter units only—non-PoE Transmitters will need their own power supply. Transmitters from other brands may not be compatible.*
3. *DO NOT connect the LAN connection to the CAT5e/6/7 port. Doing so may cause a power shutdown and may damage the device.*

6. OPERATION CONTROLS AND FUNCTIONS

6.1 Front Panel



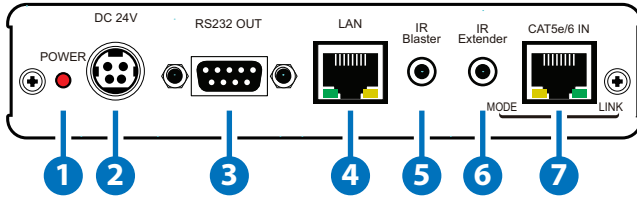
- 1 SERVICE:** Reserved for manufacturer use only.
- 2 IR RECEIVER WINDOW:** Receives only the IR signal from the supplied remote control.
- 3 OPTICAL OUT:** Connect to an amplifier or active speakers with an optical cable.
- 4 HDMI OUT:** Connect to an HDMI TV/Monitor
- 5 MENU:** Press this button to enter the On-Screen Display (OSD) menu.
- 6 -/+:** Use these buttons to navigate down and up in the on-screen menu.
- 7 ENTER:** Press this button to confirm the selection.

Note:

Pressing '-' (MINUS) and ENTER simultaneously will immediately switch the output resolution of the device to 720p60.

Pressing '+' (PLUS) and ENTER simultaneously will immediately switch the output resolution of the device to XGA (1024×768).

6.2 Rear Panel



- 1 **POWER LED:** This LED will illuminate when the device is connected to an active power supply.
- 2 **DC 24V:** Connect the 24V DC power supply to the unit and plug the adaptor into an AC outlet. Only one unit requires powering if both the Transmitter and Receiver are both PoE compatible.
- 3 **RS-232 OUT:** Connect to the device that is to be controlled (via D-Sub 9 pin female cable) by RS-232 commands.
- 4 **LAN:** Connect to an active network for LAN serving. When any compatible LAN equipped receivers are connected, this allows the network access (including internet access if available) to be shared between any connected LAN equipped receivers. Connect any Ethernet equipped device e.g. a Smart TV or games console to the LAN port of a receiver for that device to share the network/internet access.

Warning: DO NOT connect the LAN connection to the CAT5e/6/7 port. Doing so may cause a power shutdown and may damage the device.

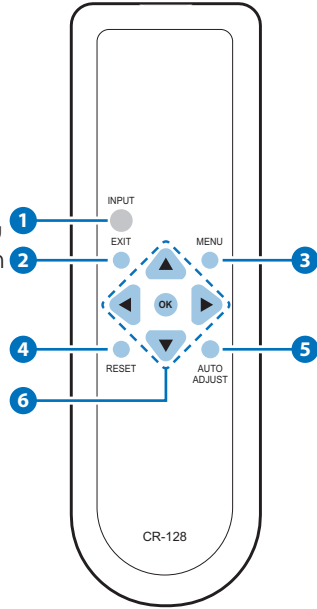
- 5 **IR Blaster:** Connect the supplied IR Blaster cable for IR signal transmission. Place the IR Blaster in direct line-of-sight of the equipment to be controlled.
- 6 **IR Extender:** Connect to the supplied IR Receiver cables for IR signal reception. Ensure that remote being used is within the direct line-of-sight of the IR Extender.
- 7 **CAT5e/6/7 IN:** Connect to the Transmitter unit with a Single CAT5e/6 cable for receiving all data signals.

MODE LED: This LED will illuminate when the power is connected.

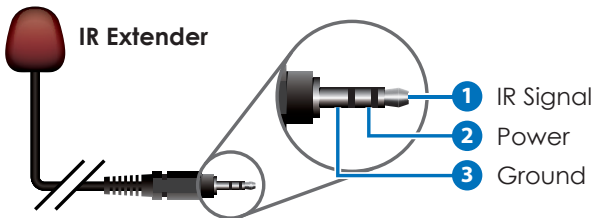
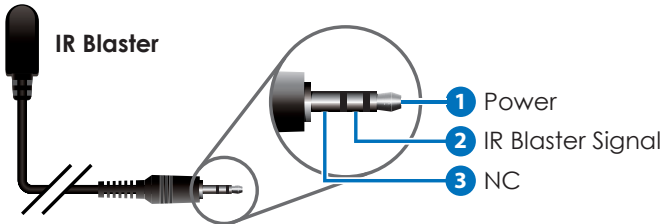
LINK LED: This LED will illuminate when connected to a Transmitter unit that is connected to a source that is outputting a signal.

6.3 Remote Control

- 1 **INPUT:** Not functional.
- 2 **EXIT:** Press this button to exit the menu or escape the current selection under OSD.
- 3 **MENU:** Press this button to exit the menu or the current selection in the on-screen menu.
- 4 **RESET:** Press this button to return the device to the factory default settings.
- 5 **AUTO ADJUST:** Not functional.
- 6 **OK & ▲▼◀▶:** Press 'OK' to confirm the selection or use the directional buttons to navigate the on-screen menus.



6.4 IR Cable Pin Assignment



6.5 RS-232 Pin Definitions

| PIN | DEFINE TX / RX |
|-----|----------------|
| 1 | N/C |
| 2 | TxD/RxD |
| 3 | RxD/TxD |
| 4 | NC |
| 5 | GND |
| 6 | NC |
| 7 | NC |
| 8 | NC |
| 9 | NC |

Baud Rate: 9600bps

Data bit: 8 bits

Parity: None

Flow Control: None

Stop Bit: 1

6.6 RS-232 Commands

| COMMAND | DESCRIPTION |
|--------------------------|---|
| S OUTPUT 0~25 | 0=Native 1=640×480 2=800×600 3=1024×768 5=1360×768 6=1280×720 7=1280×800 8=1280×1024 9=1440×900 10=1400×1050 11=1680×1050 12=1600×1200 13=1920×1080 16=1920×1200 17=480p 18=720p@60 19=1080p@60 20=1080i@60 22=576p 23=720p@50 24=1080p@50 25=1080i@50 |
| R OUTPUT | Reports the numerical equivalent for the OUTPUT setting (as listed above) |
| S SIZE 0~6 | 0=OVERSCAN 1=FULL 2=BEST FIT 3=PAN SCAN 4=LETTER BOX 5=UNDER 2 6=UNDER 1 |
| R SIZE | Reports the numerical equivalent for the SIZE setting (as listed above) |
| S CONTRAST 0~60 | Sets the numerical value for the CONTRAST setting (0-60) |
| R CONTRAST | Reports the numerical value for the CONTRAST setting (0-60) |
| S BRIGHTNESS 0~60 | Sets the numerical value for the BRIGHTNESS setting (0~60) |
| R BRIGHTNESS | Reports the numerical value for the BRIGHTNESS setting (0~60) |
| S HUE 0~60 | Sets the numerical value for the setting (0~60) |
| R HUE | Reports the numerical value for the setting (0~60) |



6.7 OSD Menu

| 1ST LAYER | 2ND LAYER | 3RD LAYER |
|---------------|-----------|---------------|
| DISPLAY | OUTPUT | Native |
| | | 640x480 60 |
| | | 800x600 60 |
| | | 1024x768 60 |
| | | 1360x768 60 |
| | | 1280x720 60 |
| | | 1280x800 60 |
| | | 1280x1024 60 |
| | | 1440x900 60 |
| | | 1400x1050 60 |
| | | 1680x1050 60 |
| | | 1600x1200 60 |
| | | 1920x1080 60 |
| | | 1920x1200 60 |
| | | 720x480P 60 |
| | | 1280x720P 60 |
| | | 1920x1080I 60 |
| | | 1920x1080P 60 |
| | | 720x576P 50 |
| | | 1280x720P 50 |
| 1920x1080I 50 | | |
| 1920x1080P 50 | | |

| 1ST LAYER | 2ND LAYER | 3RD LAYER |
|-----------|------------|--------------|
| SIZE | SIZE | OVER SCAN |
| | | FULL |
| | | ASPECT RATIO |
| | | PAN SCAN |
| | | LETTER BOX |
| | | UNDER 2 |
| | | UNDER 1 |
| | MODE INFO | INFO |
| | | ON |
| | | OFF |
| | COLOR | R |
| | | G |
| | | B |
| | | R OFFSET |
| | | G OFFSET |
| | | B OFFSET |
| | CONTRAST | 0~60 |
| | BRIGHTNESS | 0~60 |
| | HUE | 0~60 |
| | SATURATION | 0~60 |
| | SHARPNESS | 0~60 |
| NR | OFF | |
| | LOW | |
| | MIDDLE | |
| | HIGH | |
| AUDIO | VOLUME | 0~100 |
| | DELAY | OFF |
| | | 40mS |
| | | 110mS |
| | | 150mS |

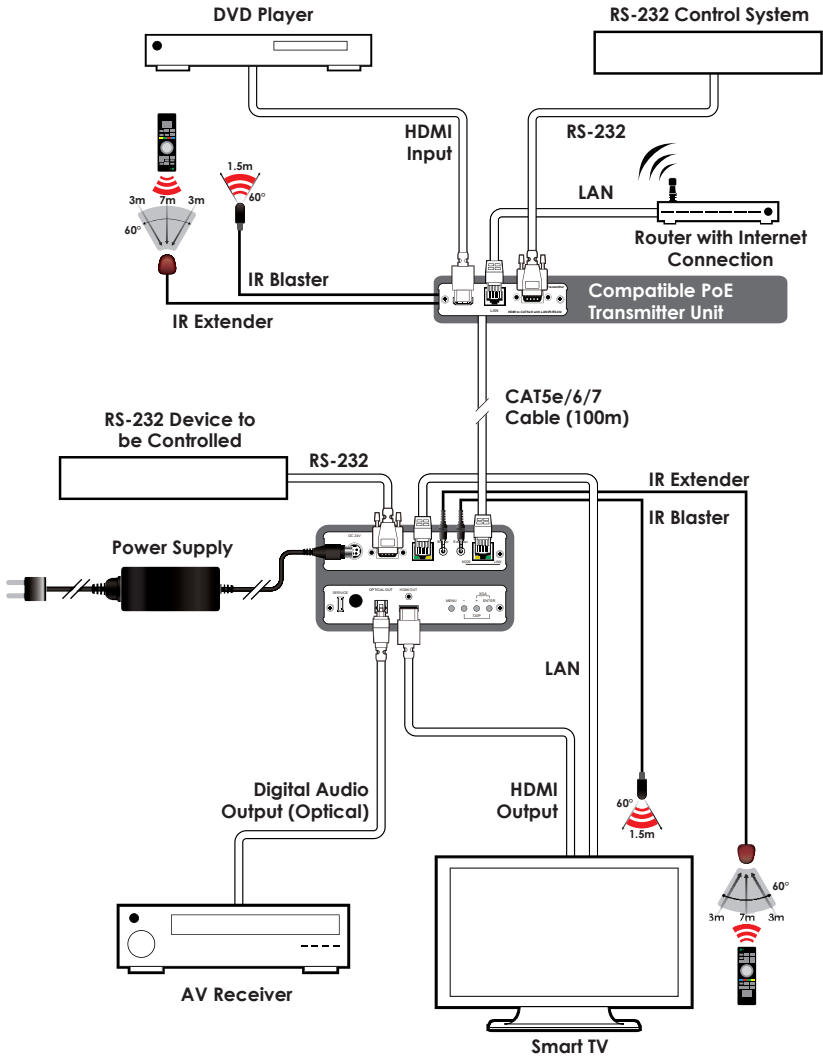
| 1ST LAYER | 2ND LAYER | 3RD LAYER |
|-------------|---------------|-----------|
| | SOUND | ON |
| | | MUTE |
| SETUP | FACTORY RESET | NO |
| | | YES |
| | KEY LOCK | OFF |
| | | ON |
| INFORMATION | INPUT | |
| | OUTPUT | |
| | REVISION | |

Note: Items in **Bold** are the default setting.

6.8 Input Resolutions Support

| INPUT RESOLUTION | HDMI |
|-----------------------------|------|
| 480i/576i | ✓ |
| 480p/576p | ✓ |
| 720p@50/60 Hz | ✓ |
| 1080i@50/60 Hz | ✓ |
| 1080p@50/60 Hz | ✓ |
| VGA@60/72/75 Hz | ✓ |
| SVGA@56/60/72/75 Hz | ✓ |
| XGA@60/70/75 Hz | ✓ |
| SXGA@60/75 Hz | ✓ |
| UXGA@60 Hz | ✓ |
| 1280×800@60 Hz | ✓ |
| 1680×1050@60 Hz (RB) | ✓ |
| 1920×1080@60 Hz | ✓ |

7. CONNECTION DIAGRAM





8. SPECIFICATIONS

8.1 Technical Specifications

| | |
|--|---|
| Ethernet Speed | 100 Mbps |
| Input Video Bandwidth | 300MHz / 10.2Gbps |
| Output Video Bandwidth | 165MHz / 1.65Gbps |
| Input Ports | 1×CAT5e/6/7, 1×IR Extender |
| Output Ports | 1×HDMI, 1×IR Blaster, 1×Optical, 1×RS-232, 1×LAN |
| CAT5e/6/7 Output Cable Distance | Up to 100 Meters |
| HDMI Resolutions Support | HD: Up to 1080p@60 Hz PC: Up to WUXGA (RB) |
| Audio Sampling Rate | Up to 48 kHz or LCPM 2CH |
| CAT5e/6/7 Resolutions Support | HD: Up to 1080p@60 Hz PC: Up to WUXGA (RB) |
| IR Frequency | 30~50 kHz |
| ESD Protection | Human body model: ±8kV (air-gap discharge) ±4kV (contact discharge) |
| Dimensions | 145 mm (W)×192 mm (D)×30 mm (H)/ Jacks Excluded 145 mm (W)×202.75 mm (D)×30 mm(H)/Jacks Included |
| Weight | 608 g |
| Chassis Material | Aluminum |
| Color | Black |
| Operating Temperature | 0 °C~40 °C / 32 °F~104 °F |
| Storage Temperature | -20 °C ~ 60 °C / -4 °F ~ 140 °F |
| Relative Humidity | 20 ~ 90 % RH (non-condensing) |
| Power Consumption | 14W |

8.2 CAT5e/6/7 Cable Specification

| Cable Type | Range | Pixel Clock Rate | Video Data Rate | Supported Video |
|------------|-------|------------------|-------------------------|---|
| CAT5e/6/7 | 100 m | ≤225 MHz | ≤5.3 Gbps (HD Video) | Up to 1080p, 60 Hz, 36 bits, 3D (data rates lower than 5.3 Gbps or below 225 MHz TMDS clock). |

9. ACRONYMS

| ACRONYM | COMPLETE TERM |
|-------------------|--|
| CAT5e | Category 5 Cable |
| CAT6 | Category 6 Cable |
| CAT7 | Category 7 Cable |
| HDMI | High-Definition Multimedia Interface |
| IR | Infrared |
| WUXGA (RB) | Widescreen Ultra Extended Graphics Array (Reduce blanking) |



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