

The optocamSWITCH (CASW) allows MxN routing of both fiber optic signal and power for cameras within broadcast studios, outside broadcast vehicles and location facilities. The unit accommodates M camera inputs and offers N cross-point outputs. It eliminates the need for high cost and bulky matrix patch fields using SMPTE patch cables. The OCSW offer switching of unlimited camera positions, across several studios or locations and control rooms. In addition to sealed front panel routing switches the supplied LAN-based remote control software shows switching and reports camera status and is designed to be integrated into existing broadcast production automation systems to allow realtime control of complex wiring structures. The optical switch is based on MEMS technology designed to reliably operate over 20 years. By avoiding the need to expose and reconnect fiber faces and power conductors during patching, the optioamSWITCH eliminates mechanical wear, costly maintenance, and possible mechanical failure. The matching adaptor provides constant power to the cameras avoiding long camera power cable transitionally associated with studios. When switched off the optocamSWITCH saves the router settings which are restored on reboot, a valuable feature when preconfiguring outside broadcast events. Fiber connections are via standard LC duplex fiber connectors. Units are powered by 12V DC plug power adaptor and 110-220 ACV. An auxiliary 12V redundant power supply inlet socket and earth terminal are also rear mounted. LAN Ethernet connection is via a standard RJ45 cat5e patch cord. A user friendly GUI is provided with a memory disk packaged inside the box. Front panel push button with LED is an option for manual override to directly connect the broadcasting to a specific camera.

The order table includes a list of standard control interfaces. Additionally, we provide a list of commands to assist customer engineers in coding. For those who require it, we offer a code-writing service for customer interfaces at an additional charge.



#### **Features**

- Vibration Resist
- Dual Power
- Pluggable
- High Speed
- Easy to Use
- Low Cost
- Reliable

## Applications

Network

Shipboard

### Specifications <sup>[1]</sup>

Parameters		Min	Typical	Max	Unit	
Operating Wavelength		1260		1620	nm	
Insertion Loss <sup>[1], [2]</sup>	2x16		1.0	1.3	dB	
Insertion Loss Uniformity				0.5	dB	
Return Loss			45		dB	
Cross Talk			55	70 [3]	dB	
PDL				0.05	dB	
Optical Switching Time			10	100	ms	
Repeatability				±0.05	dB	
Durability		10 <sup>8</sup>		10 <sup>13</sup>	cycle	
Operating Temperature		-10		65	°C	
Storage Temperature		-40		85	°C	
Interface	RJ45, Console, SFP, CLI, SSH, Telnet, SNMP					
Power Supply	DC: 12~48V; AC: 110~220V (50/60 Hz), 50W, Dual and Hot Swappable					
Fiber Type	SMF-28 or equivalent					
Chassis Type	19" Rack, 1U Supports 4 pluggable with Dimension 44.5x482.6x300mm					
Internal Cooling Fan	Included					
Relative Humidity	5-95%					

#### Notes:

[1]. Excluding connectors.

[2]. Multimode IL measure @ Light Source CPR<14 dB.

[3]. Special order for 70dB

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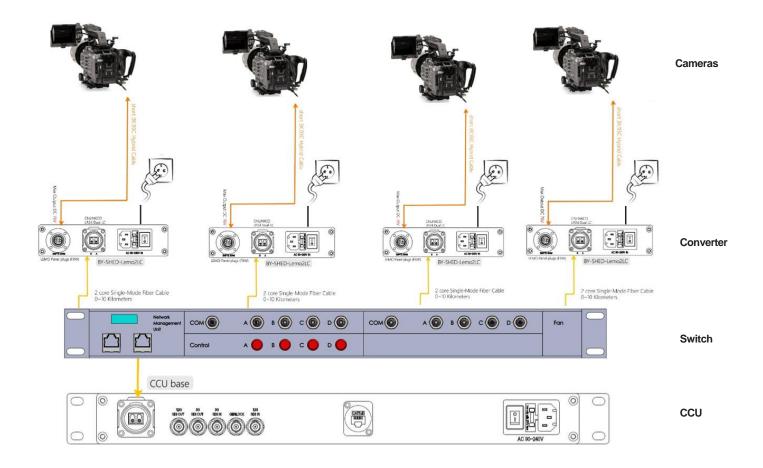
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### **Camera Connection Diagram**



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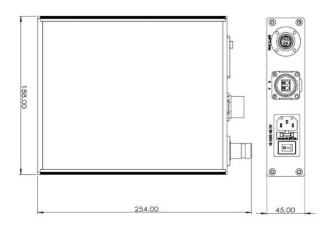
### **Dimensions (mm)**

DIMENSIONSWITHOUTEARS: 16.75"Wx1.75"Hx 10.63"D.(42.5x4.4x27.1 cm)

DIMENSIONSWITHEARS: 19.0"Wx1.75"Hx10.63"D. (48.3x4.4x27.1cm)

WEIGHT: Approximately 4.7 lbs. (2.2 kg)





Converter



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### **Electrical/Computer Connection**

DISPLAY: (4) Frontpanel LED's displays witch position and power status.

**REMOTE:** (1) RJ45 female connector on rear panel accepts 10/100 Base-TLAN access Ethernet for Remote Control.

POWER SUPPLY: 110VAC-220VAC, 50Hz/60Hz receptacle.

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## **Ordering Information**

#### Switch and Converter

Prefix	Туре	Channel *	Wavelength	Fiber Type	# of Converter	Front Pushbutton	Connector
CASW-	Standard = 1 Special = 0	2 = 02 4 = 04 6 = 06 12 = 12  NM = NM	1270-1620nm = 1 850nm = 2 1310nm = 3 850/1310 = 4	SMF28 = 1 MM50/125 = 5 MM62.5/125 = 6 Special = 0	1 = 01 2 = 02 3 = 03 10 = 10 12 = 12  MN = MN	Yes = 1 No = 0	Duplex LC=1 FC/PC = 2 FC/APC = 3 SC/PC = 4 SC/APC = 5

#### **Cable From Camera to Converter**

			1	1	11	1	1
Prefix	Туре	Length *					
CACV-	Standard = 1 Special = 0	Standard = 1 Special = 0					

\* Standard cable length is 6 meters

#### Cable From Converter to Switch

			1	1	1	1
Prefix	Туре	Length *				
CVSW-	Indoor = 1 Outdoor = 2	10m = 010 50m = 050 100m = 100 150m = 150 200m = 200 300m = 300 Special = 000				

#### Cable From Switch to CCU

			1	1	11	1	1
Prefix	Туре	Length *					
SWCU-	Standard = 1 Special = 0	Standard = 1 Special = 0					

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### **Questions and Answers**

**Q:** If the device were to fail, would the switch continue to pass the fiber light through the switch as configured before failure? When power is restored, does the IN/OUT configuration before failure remain in place?

**A:** This depends, if one mirror fails, it only affects the light go through that mirror. Yes, when power back up it will go to the previous points

**Q:** When power is restored, does the IN/OUT configuration before failure remain in place? **A:** Yes, when power back up it will go to the previous flightpath

**Q:** If power to the device were shutoff, would the device continue to pass the fiber light as configured before failure?

A: This function is call latching. We uniquely offer MEMS latching switch but cost more.

**Q:** With the Ethernet Control Option, does the switch support SNMPv3 **A:** Yes. This internet standard protocol allows user to write their own control code

**Q:** With the Ethernet Control Option, what type of encryption does the SNMPv3 use? **A:** MD5/DES

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Q: With the Ethernet Control Option, does the user need to install any software on their computer other than a web browser? A: No

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