

# Head-End, SFN TX & SFN Reception DTTV Monitoring: RF, ASI, IP

THE IDEAL TOOL FOR ACCURATE & COST-EFFECTIVE MONITORING OF THE QUALITY ACTUALLY DELIVERED TO ALL POINTS OF DVB-T AND DVB-T2 NETWORKS.



Combined with a Network Monitoring System or not, EdgeProbe Advanced provides a powerful network alert & diagnosis tool allowing DTV network operators to monitor global trends and anticipate potential failures. EdgeProbe Advanced provides monitoring of the signal at different levels:

• RF transmission: measures key RF signal parameters (Level, MER, SNR, BER), the Frequency Offset, the SFN Drift and indicates the modulation parameters as well as the Channel Impulse Response (CIR).

• T2-MI: checks the distribution link at L1 pre & post signaling level.

Transport Stream: checks the ETSI TR 101 290 (Priority 1, 2 & 3) conformance and provides optional Quality of Service indicators (Service Availability, Service Degradation).

### **APPLICATIONS**

- 24/7 Monitoring and Maintenance of both Head-End and TX sites (SFN/MFN, RF/Baseband)
- Generation of Service Availability reports for Service Level Agreements
- Rebroadcasting receiver: RF to ASI or IP Live transmission recorder

#### Accurate DVB-T/T2 RF signal quality monitor

Signal Level, MER, SNR, BER

Modulation parameters, L1 signaling in DVB-T2, TPS in DVB-T

RF Spectrum & Constellation display

DVB-T, DVB-T2 (1.1.1, 1.2.1, 1.3.1) & T2 Lite support

DVB-T2 Single/Multi-PLP reception support

#### TS monitor and forward over ASI/IP interfaces

Monitor TS & T2-MI baseband distribution links at Head-End output and TX site input through the ASI and IP inputs (up to 4 in 1RU)

Forward the analyzed TS/T2-MI over ASI or IP output

VLAN support on the IP Data link

#### Complete T2-MI monitoring

Single/Multi-PLP support ETSI TR 101 290 T2-MI packet T2 L1 pre/post signaling Network Delay PLP extraction and TS PLP analysis

#### Internal GNSS receiver (Hardware option)

Generates an internal 1PPS reference signal for SFN synchronization measurements (SFN Drift, Frequency Offset) GPS & GLONASS support

## User-friendly interface

Easy-to-use HTML5 interface compatible with most recent browsers (Google Chrome, Mozilla Firefox...) 15 minutes only for a first configuration

#### BENEFITS

- Standalone, easy to use and configure, fast deployment, SNMP compatible
- Increase customer satisfaction by detecting & preventing DTV network degradations before your customers do
- Reduce TX sites maintenance cost by anticipating and identifying issues
- Plan and improve the network configuration by identifying global trends
- Remotely accessible, compatible with low bandwidth control networks (GPRS/3G)
- Low power consumption

#### Complete SFN synchronisation monitor

Transmission site SFN monitor: quick identification of which TX site is causing SFN issues!

- RF Frame Delay & Drift
- Carrier Frequency Offset & Drift
- Before modulator: Network Delay of TS (MIP packet) or T2-MI streams

SFN overlapping Reception Area monitor: Channel Impulse Response (Echo Delay and Level alarming thresholds) - with TestTree's Unique Echo Pattern monitor

#### Complete TS monitoring

ETSI TR 101 290 Priority 1, 2, 3

QoS indicators (optional): Service Availability Error & Service Degradation Error

Verify Regionalization: Service Plan view, PID/Service presence, Scrambling

Service & components hitrates

### 32 GB of internal storage (up to 4 in 1RU)

Alarm logs up to 6 months

RF parameter trends up to 6 months

TS/T2-MI recording (trigger: manual or automatic by SNMP)

#### Dual Power Supply (Hardware option)

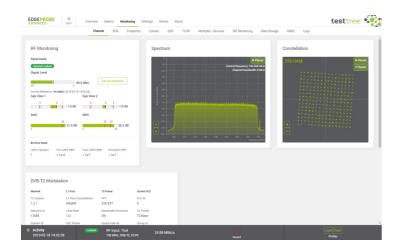
Additional Power Supply can be installed on the equipment in order to ensure the power redundancy

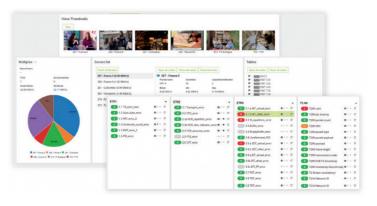












## PHYSICAL

Height (1 or 2 monitoring units)	) : 45 mm / 1.7 in, Width: 440 mm / 17.3 in, Depth: 145 mm / 5.7 in
Height (4 monitoring units) : 45	mm / 1.7 in, Width: 440 mm / 17.3 in, Depth: 300 mm / 11.8 in
Format: 1 RU, width 19", Powe	r supply: 100-240 VAC +/-10%
Power consumption: 10 W per	active monitoring unit
Redundant Power Supply (HW	option)
NVIRONMENT	
Operating temperature	-20 to 55°C / -4 to 131 °F
Storage temperature	-20 to 70°C / -4 to 158°F

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Humidity	0 to 95%, non condensing

## INTERFACES

Control	Up to 2x Gigabit Ethernet for: HTTP Web GUI (management), SNMP v2/v2c/INFORM (alarm traps and OID command SET/GET), FTP (firmware update, log file download, profile update)
RF	Up to 4x RF inputs (N-type female – 50 $\Omega$ )
Standards	DVB-T – ETSI EN 300 744 DVB-T2 & T2 Lite – ETSI EN 302 755 v1.3.1, ETSI TS 102 831 T2-MI – ETSI TS 102 773
Frequency range	40 to 1000 MHz
Sensitivity	-80 to -5 dBm; RF lock down to -80dBm
Channel bandwidth	1.7, 5, 6, 7, 8 MHz
TS/T2-MI	Up to 4x ASI in/out (BNC-type female – 75 Ω)
TS/T2-MI	Up to 4x Gigabit Ethernet for Data in/out (VLAN support)
GNSS & Time Reference	1x GNSS antenna input (SMA-type – 50 Ω) (GPS/GLONASS) HW option, 3.3V antenna power up 1x 1PPS input (BNC-type female – 50 Ω) 1x 10MHz input (BNC-type female – 50 Ω)
Web UI	HTML5 User Interface, compatible with up-to-date browsers (Google Chrome, Mozilla Firefox)



## **MONITORING FEATURES**

RF Monitor	Dawar Circal Lavel CND MED DED
	Power – Signal Level, SNR, MER, BER
Demodulation status	Lock / Unlock
Signal Level	Measure from -90 to -5 dBm ±1 dBm, typically ±0.5 dBm, resolution 0.2 dBm
	Unit: dBm or dBµV
Constellation, Spectrum display	
MER	0 to 40 dB (0 to 36 dB: ±1 dB, 36 to 40 dB: ±2 dB)
SNR	0 to 40 dB (±1 dB)
BER (DVB-T)	Pre/Post-Viterbi, Post-RS
BER (DVB-T2)	Pre/Post-LDPC, Post-BCH
Modulation parameters	L1 signaling in DVB-T2, TPS in DVB-T
SFN Monitor at RX site (SFN	Channel Impulse Response (CIR) monitoring in the SFN overlapping
overlapping area)	reception area: Echoes Delay and Power Level alarming masks With <b>TestTree's unique Echo Pattern</b> monitor: more reliable echo in
	error identification even if the main (strongest) echo suffers changes!
SFN Monitor at TX site	Quick identification of which TX site is causing SFN issues !
	Time Synchronization: RF Frame Drift Frequency Synchronization: Carrier Frequency Offset (±1 Hz, resolution
	0.1 Hz)
Distribution Network Delay	Delay for the TS (with MIP packet) / T2-MI stream between the
	Broadcast Gateway and the Remote Transmission Site. Measured before the modulator.
	before the modulator.
IP Link Monitor	UDP/RTP supported Network Jitter, RTP packet errors, FEC
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T2-MI Monitor	Single/Multi-PLP support ETSI TR 101 290 T2-MI packet, L1 pre/post signaling
	T2-MI Network Delay
	PLP extraction and TS PLP analysis (ETR 101 290)
OneBeam/Single Illumination Monitor	Specific PID from the DTH stream used to recover the T2-MI distribution on TX site
ETSI TR 101 290 Monitor	MPEG-2 TS Monitor, ETSI TR 101 290 Priority 1, 2, 3
	TS (with MIP packet) Network Delay
QoS	SAE (Service Availability Error), SDE (Service Degradation Error) based on ETR 101 290
Service Plan	Verify regional services, Service & PID bitrates, Scrambling, Service & PID
	presence Thumbnails for unencrypted video services (refresh rate might vary
	upon encoding)
	PSI/SI tables decoding
Round-Robin	Monitor sequentially several channels or PLPs, in a Round-Robin mode
	within one single Monitoring Unit. Monitoring context (measurement alarms) are kept between successive rounds.
Internal Storage	Up to 4x 32 GB: event logs up to 6 months, trends up to 6 months,
internal storage	analyzed TS/T2-MI recording

# ORDERING\_CODES

EdgeProbe Advanced DVB-T/T2	DVB-T/T2 Advanced Monitoring Probe
options	SW PACK ACCESS : RF Monitoring, Round-Robin, ETSI TR 101 290 Monitoring (Priorities 1, 2, 3) SW PACK PERFORMANCE : RF Monitoring, Round-Robin, ETSI TR 101 290 Monitoring (Priorities 1, 2, 3), Service Plan & Multiplex View SW PACK ULTIMATE : RF Monitoring, Round-Robin, ETSI TR 101 290 Monitoring (Priorities 1, 2, 3), Service Plan & Multiplex View, IP Monitoring (Jittering, RTP FEC), T2-MI Monitoring, OneBeam Monitoring EPA3-In220VRedundant : Add 1x redundant 220V AC input in the EPA3 chassis (hardware) EPA3-GMSS : Add GNSS support on the module (hardware)

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