



SOPRATEXT SURTITLE SOFTWARE – HDMI OUTPUT

Sopratext Surtitle Software allows you to switch feeds from the core Surtitle Software to an HDMI output and display content such as video or images.

It is possible to switch quickly between the two modes and add sections of video or image content between cues or you can use this function to output content via HDMI only.

The content for the HDMI feed needs to be prepared to fit the resolution of the display(s) you are outputting. This is 352 x 64 resolution for the standard Sopratext Venue Display.

It is possible to output to multiple Venue Displays by "spoking" from the output box which has 2 ethernet outputs, and/or by daisy-chaining displays together. Each Venue Display has 2 HDMI connections located in the back of the unit labelled "HDMI".

Using "straight-through" ethernet cables the maximum cable length between the output box and the Venue Display is up to 100m, subject to local conditions. This distance can be extended using signal boosters.

SET UP:

Set up and connect your lap-top, router and RGB Venue displays in the normal way.

Power up the output box and then connect the output box to the display using a "straight-through" ethernet cable.

Connect your lap-top with the prepared content for HDMI to the output box using the supplied HDMI to DVI cable (HDMI out of the lap-top and DVI into the output box)

To switch the feed from Sopratext Surtitle to HDMI output press the F12 function button on your surtitling laptop.

To switch back from HDMI output to Sopratext Surtitle press the F12 function button on your surtitling laptop.





Novastar MCTRL-300 Output Box.



Ethernet Out – Connect to Display

DVI In – Connect to laptop



Sopratext Surtitle Software





HDMI input can be selected using the inline codes so that it is automatically switched on and off between text based cues.

Go to Edit Mode. Right click in the cue you want to start HDMI output then select Insert Code, and then Select HDMI input.

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To end HDMI output follow the same process and Deselect HDMI input.

If you have any problems please email us at <u>info@digital-4.co.uk</u> or call us on 07949 124399.

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