

Overview

The N3X32 Video over IP Series extends the reach of your Networked AV solution to the WAN for streaming, video to desktop, digital signage, set-top boxes, cloud, or mobile device applications. Fully integrated with existing Networked AV control options, the N3X32 Series delivers the highest quality HD video content at the lowest bandwidth for the most demanding applications. This quick start guide will familiarize you with your new device and step you through initial setup.

N3132 Encoder Front



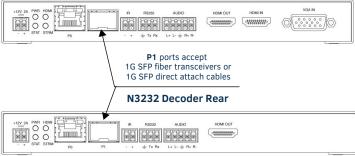


FIG. 1 N3X32 ENCODER AND DECODER CONNECTORS

NOTE: The SFP port supports 1000BASE-X or 1000BASE-T connections only.

Basic Installation Guidelines

Connections	Options
Power:	PoE: Connect the unit's PO port to an active, PoE-enabled network switch
	External power supply: If not using PoE for power, connect a 12V regulated power supply (part number N9312) to the unit's two-pin terminal block plug connector labeled +12V 2A
Network:	PoE units: If using PoE to power the unit, you should already have a network connection.
	Externally powered units: If not using PoE, connect the PO port to the network using an Ethernet cable, or connect the P1 port to the network with the appropriate cable (fiber transceiver or direct attach cable is required as explained in FIG. 1).
	Daisy-chain configuration: Once network connection is established to one unit, you can daisy chain additional units by connecting Ethernet cables between devices using their PC and/or P1 ports. Keep in mind that the number of units supported in this configuration is limited by bandwidth (total aggregate streams must be less than 1 Gb/s). NOTE: POE power is only supplied to the unit connected directly to the network. All other units in the daisy-chain must have an external power supply.
Video:	N3132 Encoders For video encoding of a digital source, connect the source to the Encoder's HDMI IN port using a video cable with an HDMI connector (or adapter). For video encoding of an analog source, connect the source to the Encoder's VGA IN port using a video cable with a VGA connector (or component adapter).
	N3232 Decoders • For video decoding, connect a digital display to the Decoder's HDMI OUT port using a video cable with an HDMI connector (or adapter).

Basic Installation Guidelines (Continued)

Connections	Options
Audio:	N3132 Encoders For audio encoding, connect a line level analog audio source to the Audio input terminal block plug connector, or Use the embedded audio from the video source.
	N3232 Decoders For analog audio decoding, connect a line level analog audio device to the Audio output terminal block plug connector, or Send embedded digital audio (embedded in the HDMI connection) to a monitor's speakers.

Product Specifications		
Power Requirements:	PoE: Can be powered via a PoE switch or other equipment with a PoE source. Conforms to IEEE 802.3af Class 3 (802.3at Type 1). External power supply: 2.0 Amp @ 12 Volts DC; 100-240 Volts AC power supply with country-specific power cord; Part number N9312 (sold separately).	
Dimensions (HWD):	1.05" x 7.888" x 5.5" (2.67cm x 20.04cm x 13.8cm)	
Weight:	1.55 lbs (0.7kg)	
Certifications:	FCC, CE, and NTRL	
Environmental:	Temperature: 32° to 104°F (0° to 40°C) Humidity: 10% to 90% RH (non-condensing)	
Mounting Options:	Stand alone, surface mount, wall mount, or rack mount.*	

NOTE: *Mounting wings (part number N9101) required for surface and wall mounting. Rack shelf (part number N9102) or card cage (part number N9206) required for rack mounting. Shelf accommodates two side-by-side N-Series Encoder and Decoder standalone units. Card cage accommodates up to six N-Series Encoder and Decoder cards (mix and match any series). Mounting accessories sold separately and are compatible with most N-Series devices.

Establishing Connection

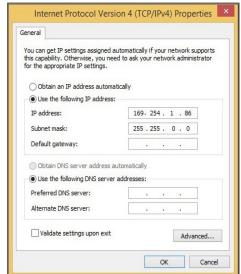
N3X32 devices are shipped with **DHCP** as their default IP mode. The IP address is assigned automatically based on the network DHCP server. If no DHCP server is found, the unit will use **Auto IP** mode instead (with a default IP address of 169.254.xxx.xxx).

Before using your N3X32 unit, it must be configured using the free N-Able device management software. However, you will not be able to configure units until they are in the same subnet as the host computer. The sample steps below show how the required changes (to the host computer's IP settings) are made in a Windows environment. See FIG. 2.

Steps for IP address configuration (for Windows 8):

- From the Control Panel > Network and Internet dialog box, select Network and Sharing Center.
- Select Change adapter settings.
- 3. Select the wired interface connected to your AV network.
- 4. Click the Properties button.
- Scroll down in the list to the Internet Protocol Version 4 (TCP/IPv4)
 option. Highlight it and click the Properties button.
- Enable the Use the following IP address option, and enter the static IP address provided to you by your network administrator.

NOTE: If the computer does not need Internet access, you can simply enter a unique 169.254.xxx.xxx IP address with a 255.255.0.0 Subnet mask. Please contact your network administrator if you are unsure of how to configure the existing interface. If the computer has a statically-assigned IP address, click on the Advanced button. Then click Add to enter a unique 169.254.xxx.xxx address with a subnet of 255.255.0.0.



F.G. 2 SETTING A STATIC IP ADDRESS

Steps for auto discovering devices on the network:

- Use the host computer to download and install the latest version of N-Able:
 - PC version http://www.amx.com/products/N-ABLE-PC.asp Mac version - http://www.amx.com/products/N-ABLE-MAC.asp
- 2. Attach your N3X32 unit(s) to the layer-3 network switch.
- Disable the wireless adapter on your computer (it must be hard-wired to the switch).
- 4. Connect the host computer to the layer-3 network switch.
- 5. Open the N-Able application.

If all devices do not appear automatically, click the **Auto Discover** button on the **Unit Management** tab. This issues a broadcast command that will discover all units even if they are not in the same IP subnet.

Logging in Using N-Able Software

Once the host IP address is configured properly, you can view all discovered units using N-Able. Access the N3X32 units from the following tabs:

- Unit Management tab Type field lists N3000 Encoder/Decoder.
- Video Matrix tab N3X32 units are found on the N3000 sub-tab of this screen (as shown below).

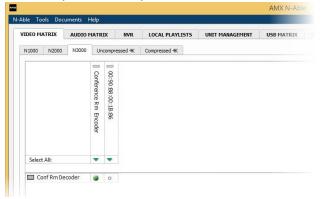


FIG. 3 VIDEO MATRIX

Double-click the unit's name (in one of the lists mentioned previously) to view its control pages. If prompted, enter **admin** and **password** for the default username and password. Once logged in, you can change the username and password (using the options on the unit's **Settings** page).

NOTE: If you would like for N-Able to support auto-login to your units, make sure N-Able's Device Auto-login settings match the unit's username and password (by selecting N-Able > Settings from the N-Able tool bar).

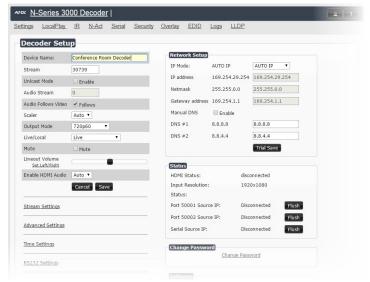


FIG. 4 N3000 SETTINGS PAGE

Troubleshooting Guidelines

Problem	Possible Solution
Video is not transmitting.	Verify that the Encoder TX Enable setting is turned on. (Encoders ship from the factory with their video output turned off by default.)
Local Play graphic is displayed.	Verify Decoder is assigned to view a valid stream in the N-Able matrix. Verify Decoder is currently in live play mode (black text on matrix view). Verify network is properly configured and set up. If needed, connect Encoder directly to Decoder to verify network issues.
Host Play graphic is displayed.	Verify Encoder is in live play mode (black text in matrix). Verify source is attached and is outputting a valid signal (HDMI LED on Encoder is on).
Unsupported Resolution graphic is displayed.	Change source resolution to a valid resolution (try 720p60). Verify cabling is correct.
Copy Protected Content screen is displayed.	Contact SVSI technical support.
Black screen/no graphic is displayed.	Set Decoder to local play. If the local play graphic does not appear, check the display input settings and cabling. If local play appears, set Decoder to live play and verify network is configured properly.
No audio is detected.	If there is no audio on <u>all</u> Decoders, verify audio settings are correct on Encoder. If there is no audio on a <u>single</u> Decoder, verify audio settings are correct on Decoder.

Contact SVSI technical support at svsisupport@harman.com or 256.461.7143 x9900 for any installation issues.



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