## **PortaMonitor X-Serie**

# Digital and Analog 2 to 4-Channel Audio Vectorscope with Surround-Display

For monitoring paek level, loudness, correlation, volume and balance of analog and digital signals in mobile or stationary audio applications or other tasks.

- For monitoring levels, phase correlation and spectrum of analog and digital audio signals
- · Analog and AES/EBU inputs, digital outputs
- · 2-channel or 4-channel Peak Program Meter
- · Supports current metering standards, including VU
- Peak value memory, peak hold, loudness indicator and Over detector for all channels
- 2-ch. resp. 4-ch. Audio Vectorscope with phase correlation meters and 2/0 and 3/1 surround display



- · Numeric level display
- · AES/EBU status monitor
- · 31-band real-time analyzer (RTA) with additional PPM
- · Color TFT display with brightness control

For direction, outside broadcast units, production or dubbing, for video, audio or other applications, mobile or stationary: the proven X-series PortaMonitor is the ideal instrument for monitoring the level, the loudness, the frequency response and the phase of analog and digital signals. The PortaMonitor supports you to evaluate the main technical aspects of your program that might otherwise not be audible.

#### **Features**

All the units of the X-series PortaMonitor have analog and digital inputs, level displays with peak hold indicators and peak level memory, an audio vectorscope, phase correlation meter and the AES/EBU status monitor.

The numeric dB value display allows precise level adjustment, and you can also meter sum and difference levels. A standard feature of the PortaMonitor always was and still is the loudness

display which is generated by analyzing the two predominant audio signal parameters, frequency and impulse, by applying physiological aspects like taken place in the human ear. Several weighting filters like linear, A, C, CCIR and RTW mode are availble.

#### **Design and Connections**

All the units of the PortaMonitor are available as table-top unit or as half-19" plug-in modules for standard 19" rack mount cabinets for waveform monitors. The 2-channel versions have XLR socket connectors for analog and digital signals; the 4-channel models have a 25-pin sub-D connector. An adapter cable for conversion to XLR-F plug connectors is available as an accessory. The units are powered by an external 24 V PSU, which is also available as an accessory.



### **Specifications:**

| Functions                                 |   |  |  |
|---|---|--|--|
|   | 2 or 4 chanels, analog and digital peakmeter, audio vectorscope, AES/EBU status display, numeric display, Digital Over and Mute detection. Real time analyzer (RTA), surround monitor (only available with certain versions, see tables below |  |  |
| Analog Inputs                             |   |  |  |
| Quantity                                  | 2 channels (1 x Stereo) or 4 channels (2 x Stereo), electronically balanced   |  |  |
| Maximum input level                       | +24 dBu   |  |  |
| Adjustable range for reading reference    | +1 dBu to +16 dBu   |  |  |
| CMRR                                      | > 60 dB   |  |  |
| Input impedance (30 Hz to 20 kHz)         | > 10 kΩ   |  |  |
| Digital Inputs                            |   |  |  |
| Quantity                                  | 1 (Stereo) or 2 (Stereo), AES/EBU, transformer balanced,110 or High-Z $$  |  |  |
| Sampling frequenzy range                  | 32 kHz - 96 kHz   |  |  |
| Digital Outputs                           |   |  |  |
| Quantity                                  | 1 (Stereo) or 2 (Stereo), AES/EBU, input signal looped throug unbluffered   |  |  |
| Peakmeter general                         |   |  |  |
| Level display                             | Up to 4 channels, Peak Hold indicator selectable, vertical display  |  |  |
| Length of bargraph                        | 78 mm   |  |  |
| Display modes                             | 2-channel Stereo analog or digital, 2 x 2-channel Stereo analog, digital or mixed, 3.1 Surround, (availability depending on the model, see below)   |  |  |
| OP-Field                                  | Operation field below reference: 0 dB to 15 dB in steps of 1  |  |  |
| Peak value memory                         | Peak Memory, Peak Hold  |  |  |
| Gain                                      | Digital: +40 dB; quasi analog and analog: DIN, Zoom 2,<br>Zoom 20: +20 dB / British, Nordic: +40 dB   |  |  |
| Fall back time                            | According to selected standard (1,5 s/20 dB for DIN)  |  |  |
| Numeric level display                     | Selectable, shown on the left side of the display   |  |  |
| Correlator spot indicator  Loudness meter | Switchable  Additional spot indicator display on the bargraphs of the level   |  |  |
| No. alemanda a constant                   | display, RTW mode or A-, C-, CCIR-2k weighting, RMS   |  |  |
| Peakmeter analog<br>Scales                | Analog: DIN+5 (-50 to +5 dB), DIN+10 (-50 to +10dB),  |  |  |
| States                                    | Nordic (42 to +12 dB), British IIa ("1" to "7"), IIb (-12 to +12 dB) VU (-21 to +3 dB), Zoom ±1 dB, Zoom ±10 dB, smpte20rel (-40 to + 20 dB), smpte40abs (-35 to +24 dB)  |  |  |
| Reference levels                          | +6 dBu (DIN+5, DIN+10, Nordic and VU with lead 0 to 10 dB in steps of 1 dB), +8 dBu (British IIa, IIb)  |  |  |
| Integration time                          | according to standard or selectable values 1 ms or 0.1 ms   |  |  |
| eakmeter digital                          |   |  |  |
| Scales                                    | 0 dB FS to -60 dB FS, 0 dB FS to -20 dB FS, 0 dB to +19 d-18 dB to +18 dB, +20 dB to -40 dB, +9 dB to 0 dB to -60dB, quasi analog: DIN -5, DIN-10, Nordic, British IIa, Ilb, Zoom 2, Zoom 20  |  |  |
| Headroom                                  | Adjustable from -5 dB to -20 dB, selectable in steps of 1 dB  |  |  |
| Integration time (Attack)                 | Digital: Sample, 0.1 ms, 1 ms, 10 ms quasi analog: Norm, Sample, 0.1 ms, 1 ms   |  |  |
| DC filter                                 | Off, 5 Hz, 10 Hz, 20 Hz   |  |  |
| Peak hold indicator                       | Integration time same as level display or 1 sample (selectable  |  |  |
| Digital Over indicator<br>Threshold       | Red spot indicators above each bargraph Full Scale, Full Scale-1LSB, Full Scale-2LSB, -0.1 dB FS, -0.5  |  |  |
| All and a firm                            | dB FS, -1 dB FS, -2 dB FS, -3 dB FS   |  |  |
| Attack time                               | 1 - 15 samples  |  |  |
| Word length                               | 16 - 24 bit   |  |  |
| Mute indicator                            | Red spot indicators below each bargraph   |  |  |
| Threehold                                 |   |  |  |
| Threshold Attack time                     | All bits digital "0" 50, 100, 200, 300 ms   |  |  |

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|               | Inputs | In/Out      | RTA     | Surround |  |  |  |  |
| 1061X         | 2-CH   | XLR-F/XLR-M | 1 Opt — |          |  |  |  |  |
| 1061X-PLUS    | 2-CH   | XLR-F/XLR-M | Opt     | _        |  |  |  |  |
| 10611X-VID    | 2-CH   | XLR-F/XLR-M | Opt     | _        |  |  |  |  |
| 1062X         | 2-CH   | XLR-F/XLR-M | •       | _        |  |  |  |  |
| 1062X-PLUS    | 2-CH   | XLR-F/XLR-M | •       | _        |  |  |  |  |
| 10621X-VID    | 2-CH   | XLR-F/XLR-M | •       | _        |  |  |  |  |
| 1063X         | 4-CH   | Sub-D-F     | Opt     | Opt      |  |  |  |  |
| 1063X-PLUS    | 4-CH   | Sub-D-F     | Opt     | Opt      |  |  |  |  |
| 10631X-VID    | 4-CH   | Sub-D-F     | Opt     | Opt      |  |  |  |  |
| 1064X         | 4-CH   | Sub-D-F     | •       | •        |  |  |  |  |
| 1064X-PLUS    | 4-CH   | Sub-D-F     | •       | •        |  |  |  |  |
| 10641X-VID    | 4-CH   | Sub-D-F     | •       | •        |  |  |  |  |

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|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| Threshold  | 5-80 samples (selectable in steps of 5 samples)  |  |  |  |  |
| Audio Vectorscope  | VA/ 14/0   |  |  |  |  |
| Modes  | X/Y or M/S   |  |  |  |  |
| Visible area   | 70 x 70 mm   |  |  |  |  |
| AGC  | Auto or manual   |  |  |  |  |
| Presistence  | Fast, medium, slow   |  |  |  |  |
| Surround display   |  |  |  |  |  |
| VSC surround modes   | 3/1, 3/0 or 2/1, display of LF channel in peakmeters only  |  |  |  |  |
| AGC  | Fast, slow   |  |  |  |  |
| Vectorscope refresh rate   | Fast, slow   |  |  |  |  |
| Indicators   | Display of Lt/Rt signals, internal calculated or external input  |  |  |  |  |
| Phase Meter  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Display mode   | Bargraph (horizontal, -1 r to +1 r)  |  |  |  |  |
| Attack time  | Fast: 1 s, Slow: 2,5 s   |  |  |  |  |
| Memory   | negative peak correlation, included in Peak Memory   |  |  |  |  |
| Memory accuracy  | better 0.1 r   |  |  |  |  |
| Real Time Analyzer   | 5000   |  |  |  |  |
| Bands/frequency range  | 31, 1/3-octave, 20 Hz to 20 kHz (IEC-225 ANSI class 2)   |  |  |  |  |
| Measuring/display range  | selectable: 15 dB, 30 dB, 45 dB  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Integration time Peak hold indicator   | Fast, Medium, Slow, Average or Peak  |  |  |  |  |
|  | switchable, reset after 2.5 s, 4.0 s or manual   |  |  |  |  |
| Memory   | 8 plus peak hold   |  |  |  |  |
| Level meter  | 2-channel, selectable  |  |  |  |  |
| AES/EBU Status Monitor   |  |  |  |  |  |
| Status information   | locked, decoded AES/EBU status   |  |  |  |  |
| Display  | hex, binary, acitve bits, audio bits   |  |  |  |  |
| General  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Supply voltage   | 24 V DC (21 V - 30 V DC)   |  |  |  |  |
| Current consumption  | 260 mA (24 V DC) nominal, switch-on current is considerably higher   |  |  |  |  |
| Temperature ranges   | Operating: 0° to 45° C, storage: -30° C to +85° C  |  |  |  |  |
| Display  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Туре   | 1 color TFT display, 5.7", 320 x 240 pixel, 111 x 83 mm  |  |  |  |  |
| Connectors   |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2-channel units  | 3 x XLR-F and 1 x XLR-M sockets, 1 x 15-pin Sub-D-F (Remote)   |  |  |  |  |
| 4-channel units  | 2 x 25-pin Sub-D-F sockets, 1 x 15-pin Sub-D-F (Remote)  |  |  |  |  |
| DC connector   | Type "Binder 710" locking 4-pin low voltage connector  |  |  |  |  |
| Design, Dimensions   | 71 0 1   |  |  |  |  |
| Table-top units 106nX/106nX-PLUS   | Case: graphite grey semi gloss RAL 7024<br>scale: front: silver, labelling: black  |  |  |  |  |
| Dimensions   | 176,5 x 125,5 x 61,5 mm (W x H x D without table-stand)  |  |  |  |  |
| Weight   | approx. 750 g without table-stand, approx. 1050 g with table-stand   |  |  |  |  |
| Rack-mount modules 106n1X-VID  | Case: graphite grey semi gloss RAL 7024 scale/labelling: grey white  |  |  |  |  |
| Dimensions   |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 213,8 x 132,6 x 242,5 mm (W x H x D without mounting adapter)  |  |  |  |  |
| Waight   | adapter)   |  |  |  |  |
| Weight   |  |  |  |  |  |
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|                    | 1171-R | 13719 | 1186 | 13711 | 13713 |
| 1061X              | •      | •     | _    | •     | •     |
| 1061X-PLUS         | PoD    | PoD   | _    |       |       |
| 10611X-VID         | •      | _     | _    |       | _     |
| 1062X              | •      | •     | _    | •     | •     |
| 1062X-PLUS         | PoD    | PoD   | _    |       |       |
| 10621X-VID         | •      | _     | _    |       | _     |
| 1063X              | •      | •     | •    | •     | •     |
| 1063X-PLUS         | PoD    | PoD   | •    |       |       |
| 10631X-VID         | •      | _     | •    |       | _     |
| 1064X              | •      | •     | •    | •     | •     |
| 1064X-PLUS         | PoD    | PoD   | •    |       |       |
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