

BC Series Modular Fibre Optic Interface System



BC363 Multi-format Interface

The BC363 is a compact rack-based multi-format converter for use with a wide range of broadcast video and audio signals.

The BC363 provides a base unit that comprises an input and output SFP cage. By using different SFP converter modules the functionality of the unit can be adapted to suit different applications.

The signal input and output formats are defined by the selection of appropriate standard SFPs. This can be both in the form of an optical and/or electrical format conversion. A wide range of functionality can be achieved and allows the BC363 to act as a "toolkit" for Systems Engineers as well as a high quality stand alone converter for a fixed installation.

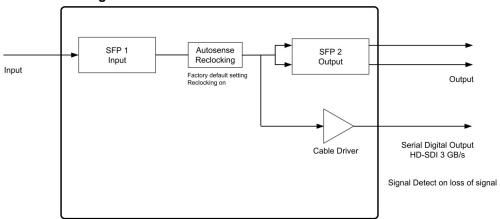
Multi format SFPs include conversion to and from composite, HDMI, DVI, optical and HD-SDI. Units can also be used for regenerating optical signals from multimode to singlemode or re-mapping wavelengths within existing fibre systems.

See separate SFP documentation for the options available.

The BC363 occupies a single slot in the BC100 3RU 19" rack-mounting frame which can hold up to 15 single slot cards. The compact BC160 1RU is available for up to six cards. Signal and card monitoring is achieved through SNMP monitoring in the BM102 network card.

For stand-alone applications the BC363 can be housed in an individual rugged enclosure.

Schematic Diagram BC363



Specifications

General card specifications

Depth 86 mm (including connectors)

. Width 20 mm (4HP) 129 mm (3RU) Height Weight 100 g -30 to +70 °C **Operating Temp**

Power 3.7 W

Signal detect LED red for signal loss

Conformance

EMI/RFI Complies with 89/336/EEC Complies with EN 61000-6-1, Electrical

EN61000-6-2

Laser Safety Complies with Class 1 laser product 24 CFR 1040.10 & 1040.11

Complies with Directive 2002/95/EC RoHS 5 years on BC363 base unit Warranty

Electrical Output

SMPTE 424M, SMPTE 292M, Standards

SMPTE 259M,

1 x 75 Ohm BNC per Connector IEC 60169-8 Amendment 2

> 15 dB @ 1.485 Gb/s Return Loss Signal Level 800 mV +/- 10%

0 +/- 0.5 V DC Offset Jitter < 0.15 UI line equalised

Format Reclocked

(With bypass selectable via jumper link.)

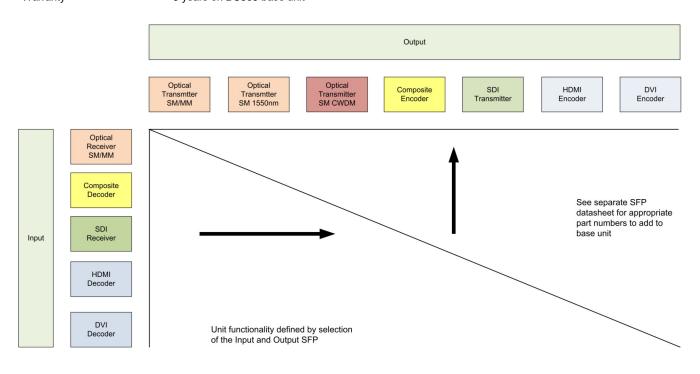
Rear Panel

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Unit functionality is defined by the SFP modules fitted.

See chart below for currently available combinations.



Ordering Information

See separate SFP sheet for full SFP part numbers and details

BC363 Multi-format Single Channel Interface.

Base unit only - No SFP fitted. Requires an input and output MSA/non-MSA SFP from recommended list.

Factory default reclocking on, please specify at time of order if non reclocking required.

NB: If a dual channel SFP is used in the input position only one channel is active.