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How to establish an ST2110-30 and -31 compliant AoIP stream

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Introduction

This document is referring to and based on the document [How to establish an AES67 compliant AoIP-Stream with DirectOut's MONTONE.42 and RAV.IO](#) and only intends to describe the differences to the workflow described in the above mentioned document. It refers also to [AES67 / SMPTE ST 2110 COMMONALITIES AND CONSTRAINTS](#), a document published by AIMS, and intends to explain how to implement the definitions when using DirectOut's MONTONE.42 and RAV.IO

Support of the PTP profile defined in SMPTE ST 2059-2

There are a few differences between the AES67 Media profile and the SMPTE ST 2059-2 profile. The latter e.g. requires a faster Announce interval (4 per second) and a bigger range of sync message rates e.g. to speed up the sync recovery of a system after a power-down. More detailed information and proposed default values are set out in the AES Report "AES-R-16-2016: PTP parameters for AES67 and SMPTE ST 2059-2 interoperability".

Required option to force a device to operate in PTP slave-only mode

According to AES67 MONTONE.42 and RAV.IO may act as PTP Grandmaster. This functionality can be turned off and the units can be forced to "slave-only" mode, a feature which is mandatory when being a member of a ST2110 network.

The image shows a configuration interface for PTP settings. It is divided into two main sections: 'PTP SETTINGS' and 'PTP CURRENT SETTINGS'. In the 'PTP SETTINGS' section, the 'Mode' dropdown is set to 'slave only'. In the 'PTP CURRENT SETTINGS' section, the 'Slave only' dropdown is also set to 'yes'. Other settings include 'Clock domain PORT 1' set to 127, 'Clock domain PORT 2' set to 0, 'Announce' set to 1 s, 'Sync' set to 1 s, 'Min delay request' set to 125 ms, 'Min pdelay request' set to 8 s, 'Announce receipt timeout' set to 3, 'One step clock' set to no, and 'Delay mechanism' set to E2E.

PTP SETTINGS	
PTP Input:	PORT 1
IP mode:	Multicast
Mode:	slave only
Profile:	customized

PTP CURRENT SETTINGS	
Clock class:	248
Accuracy:	254
Clock domain PORT 1:	127
Clock domain PORT 2:	0
Priority 1:	128
Priority 2:	128
Announce:	1 s
Sync:	1 s
Min delay request:	125 ms
Min pdelay request:	8 s
Announce receipt timeout:	3
One step clock:	no
Slave only:	yes
Delay mechanism:	E2E

Figure 1: PTP Settings ST-2059

An offset value of zero between the media clock and the RTP stream clock

MONTONE.42 and RAV.IO do transmit all streams with an offset of 0 between media clock and RTP stream clock by default. At the receiving end set *Discovery protocol* to *Manual configuration* on the Input stream settings window, now you can enter all stream parameters manually, set the *Media offset* to "0"

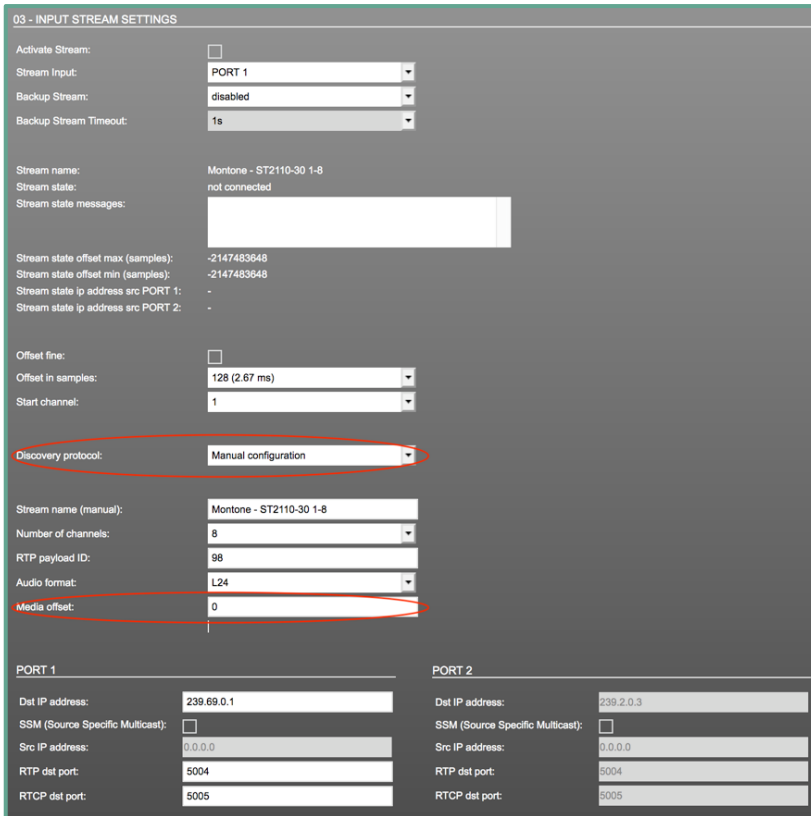


Figure 2: Manual stream discovery

Multicast

ST 2110 does not define the multicast IP range as that is done for AES67, it is allowed to use any multicast IP address outside the administratively scoped range 239.xxx.xxx.xxx. DirectOut's MONTONE.42 and RAV.IO do support the use of literally any multicast address.

IGMP

ST2110 requires the support of IGMPv3 (whilst AES67 requires IGMPv2), which includes the down-compatibility to v2. Whenever a network or partial network is downgraded to IGMPv2, the support of source specific multicast (SSM) will be affected.

Conformance Levels

In addition to the minimum requirements to be compliant to ST 2110-30 there are stream configuration parameters called Conformance Levels.

The following describes how to setup streams and corresponding receivers obeying those conformance levels:

Level A:

48 kHz, 1-8 channels, 1 ms packet time

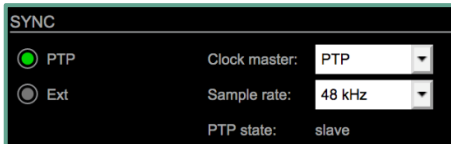


Figure 3: Clock settings Level A, B,C

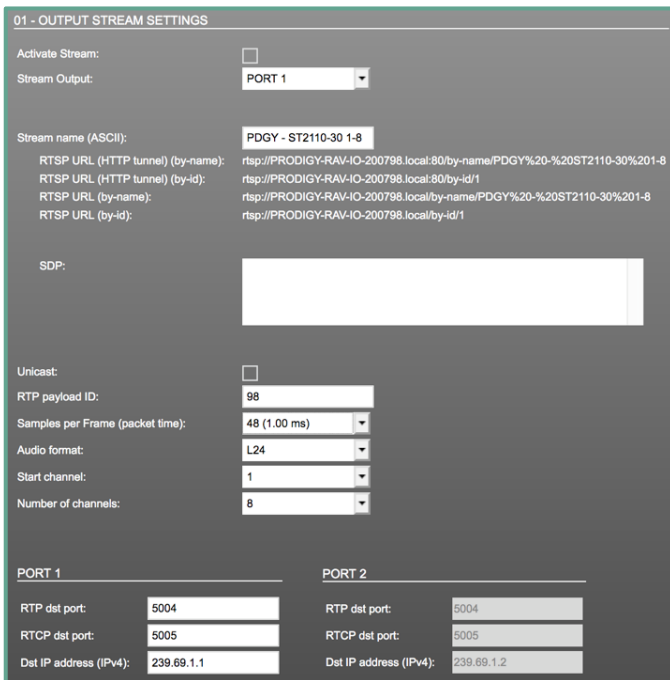


Figure 4: ST2110-30 Level A stream TX settings

The screenshot shows the configuration interface for Level A stream RX settings. It includes fields for 'Offset fine' (checkbox), 'Offset in samples' (128 (2.67 ms)), 'Start channel' (1), 'Discovery protocol' (Manual configuration), 'Stream name (manual)' (Montone ST2110-30 9-16), 'Number of channels' (8), 'RTP payload ID' (98), 'Audio format' (L24), and 'Media offset' (0). Below this is a section for 'PORT 1' with fields for 'Dst IP address' (239.69.1.3), 'SSM (Source Specific Multicast)' (checkbox), 'Src IP address' (0.0.0.0), 'RTP dst port' (5004), and 'RTCP dst port' (5005).

Figure 5: ST2110-30 Level A stream RX settings

Level B:

48 kHz, 1-8 channels, 125 μ s packet time

The screenshot shows the configuration interface for Level B TX stream settings. It includes fields for 'Unicast' (checkbox), 'RTP payload ID' (98), 'Samples per Frame (packet time)' (6 (0.13 ms)), 'Audio format' (L24), 'Start channel' (9), and 'Number of channels' (8). Below this are two sections: 'PORT 1' and 'PORT 2'. 'PORT 1' has fields for 'RTP dst port' (5004), 'RTCP dst port' (5005), 'Dst IP address (IPv4)' (239.69.1.3), 'Use SIP server' (checkbox), and 'SIP server URL'. 'PORT 2' has fields for 'RTP dst port' (5004), 'RTCP dst port' (5005), 'Dst IP address (IPv4)' (239.69.1.4), 'Use SIP server' (checkbox), and 'SIP server URL'.

Figure 6: ST2110-30 Level B TX stream settings

Offset fine:	<input type="checkbox"/>
Offset in samples:	16 (0.33 ms)
Start channel:	1
Discovery protocol:	Manual configuration
Stream name (manual):	Montone ST2110-30 9-16
Number of channels:	8
RTP payload ID:	98
Audio format:	L24
Media offset:	0
PORT 1	
Dst IP address:	239.69.1.3
SSM (Source Specific Multicast):	<input type="checkbox"/>
Src IP address:	0.0.0.0
RTP dst port:	5004
RTCP dst port:	5005

Figure 7: ST2110-30 Level B RX stream settings

Level C

48 kHz, 64 channels, 125 μ s packet time

Unicast:	<input type="checkbox"/>
RTP payload ID:	98
Samples per Frame (packet time):	6 (0.13 ms)
Audio format:	L24
Start channel:	1
Number of channels:	64
PORT 1	
RTP dst port:	5004
RTCP dst port:	5005
Dst IP address (IPv4):	239.69.1.1
PORT 2	
RTP dst port:	5004
RTCP dst port:	5005
Dst IP address (IPv4):	239.69.1.2

Figure 8: ST2110-30 Level C stream TX settings

Offset fine:

Offset in samples: 16 (0.33 ms)

Start channel: 1

Discovery protocol: Manual configuration

Stream name (manual): Montone ST2110-30 1-64

Number of channels: 64

RTP payload ID: 98

Audio format: L24

Media offset: 0

PORT 1

Dst IP address: 239.69.1.3

SSM (Source Specific Multicast):

Src IP address: 192.168.1.142

RTP dst port: 5004

RTCP dst port: 5005

Figure 9: ST2110-30 Level C stream RX settings

Level AX:

96 kHz, 1-4 channels, 1 ms packet time

SYNC

PTP Clock master: PTP

Ext Sample rate: 96 kHz

PTP state: slave

Figure 10: Clock settings Level AX, BX, CX

02 - OUTPUT STREAM SETTINGS

Activate Stream:

Stream Output: PORT 1

Stream name (ASCII): Montone ST2110-30 1-4

RTSP URL (HTTP tunnel) (by-name): rtsp://MONTONE-42-200065.local:80/by-name/Montone%20ST2110-30%201-4

RTSP URL (HTTP tunnel) (by-id): rtsp://MONTONE-42-200065.local:80/by-id/2

RTSP URL (by-name): rtsp://MONTONE-42-200065.local/by-name/Montone%20ST2110-30%201-4

RTSP URL (by-id): rtsp://MONTONE-42-200065.local/by-id/2

SIP URI: sip:Montone%20ST2110-30%201-4@MONTONE-42-200065.local

SDP:

Unicast:

RTP payload ID: 98

Samples per Frame (packet time): 96 (1.00 ms)

Audio format: L24

Start channel: 1

Number of channels: 4

PORT 1	PORT 2
RTP dst port: 5004	RTP dst port: 5004
RTCP dst port: 5005	RTCP dst port: 5005
Dst IP address (IPv4): 239.69.1.3	Dst IP address (IPv4): 239.69.1.4
Use SIP server: <input type="checkbox"/>	Use SIP server: <input type="checkbox"/>
SIP server URL: <input type="text"/>	SIP server URL: <input type="text"/>

Figure 11: ST2110-30 Level AX stream TX settings

Offset fine:

Offset in samples: 256 (2.67 ms)

Start channel: 1

Discovery protocol: Manual configuration

Stream name (manual): Montone ST2110-30 1-4

Number of channels: 4

RTP payload ID: 98

Audio format: L24

Media offset: 0

PORT 1

Dst IP address: 239.69.1.3

SSM (Source Specific Multicast):

Src IP address: 192.168.1.142

RTP dst port: 5004

RTCP dst port: 5005

Figure 12: ST2110-30 Level AX stream RX settings

Level BX:

96 kHz, 1-4 channels, 125 μ s packet time

Stream name (ASCII): Montone ST2110-30 1-4

RTSP URL (HTTP tunnel) (by-name): rtsp://MONTONE-42-200065.local:80/by-name/Montone%20ST2110-30%201-4

RTSP URL (HTTP tunnel) (by-id): rtsp://MONTONE-42-200065.local:80/by-id/2

RTSP URL (by-name): rtsp://MONTONE-42-200065.local/by-name/Montone%20ST2110-30%201-4

RTSP URL (by-id): rtsp://MONTONE-42-200065.local/by-id/2

SIP URI: sip:Montone%20ST2110-30%201-4@MONTONE-42-200065.local

SDP:

Unicast:

RTP payload ID: 98

Samples per Frame (packet time): 12 (0.13 ms)

Audio format: L24

Start channel: 1

Number of channels: 4

PORT 1		PORT 2	
RTP dst port:	5004	RTP dst port:	5004
RTCP dst port:	5005	RTCP dst port:	5005
Dst IP address (IPv4):	239.69.1.3	Dst IP address (IPv4):	239.69.1.4
Use SIP server:	<input type="checkbox"/>	Use SIP server:	<input type="checkbox"/>
SIP server URL:		SIP server URL:	

Figure 13: ST2110-30 Level BX stream TX settings

Offset fine:

Offset in samples: 32 (0.33 ms)

Start channel: 1

Discovery protocol: Manual configuration

Stream name (manual): Montone ST2110-30 1-4

Number of channels: 4

RTP payload ID: 98

Audio format: L24

Media offset: 0

PORT 1

Dst IP address: 239.69.1.3

SSM (Source Specific Multicast):

Src IP address: 192.168.1.142

RTP dst port: 5004

RTCP dst port: 5005

Figure 14: ST2110-30 Level BX Stream RX settings

Level CX:

96 kHz, 32 channels, 125 µs packet time

Stream name (ASCII): Montone ST2110-30 1-32

RTSP URL (HTTP tunnel) (by-name): rtsp://MONTONE-42-200065.local:80/by-name/Montone%20ST2110-30%201-32

RTSP URL (HTTP tunnel) (by-id): rtsp://MONTONE-42-200065.local:80/by-id/2

RTSP URL (by-name): rtsp://MONTONE-42-200065.local/by-name/Montone%20ST2110-30%201-32

RTSP URL (by-id): rtsp://MONTONE-42-200065.local/by-id/2

SIP URI: sip:Montone%20ST2110-30%201-32@MONTONE-42-200065.local

SDP:

Unicast:

RTP payload ID: 98

Samples per Frame (packet time): 12 (0.13 ms)

Audio format: L24

Start channel: 1

Number of channels: 32

PORT 1

RTP dst port: 5004

RTCP dst port: 5005

Dst IP address (IPv4): 239.69.1.3

Use SIP server:

SIP server URL:

PORT 2

RTP dst port: 5004

RTCP dst port: 5005

Dst IP address (IPv4): 239.69.1.4

Use SIP server:

SIP server URL:

Figure 15: ST2110-30 Level CX stream TX settings

Offset fine:	<input type="checkbox"/>
Offset in samples:	32 (0.33 ms) ▾
Start channel:	1 ▾
Discovery protocol:	Manual configuration ▾
Stream name (manual):	Montone ST2110-30 1-32
Number of channels:	32 ▾
RTP payload ID:	98
Audio format:	AM824 ▾
Media offset:	0
PORT 1	
Dst IP address:	239.69.1.3
SSM (Source Specific Multicast):	<input type="checkbox"/>
Src IP address:	192.168.1.142
RTP dst port:	5004
RTCP dst port:	5005

Figure 16: ST2110-30 Level CX stream RX settings

ST2110-31

The subset -31 of the standard ST2110 defines the bit transparent transport of 32bit AES3 signals over IP networks.

On the IP side all above mentioned parameters apply here as well, but the audio format changes from L16 or L24 for PCM audio to AM824. To accommodate all 32 bits the Conformance Levels are defined slightly different in -31 (Level A -> 6ch, Level B -> 8ch, Level C -> 60ch). AM824 is not part of AES67, but crucial for broadcast environments e.g. for intercom transport.

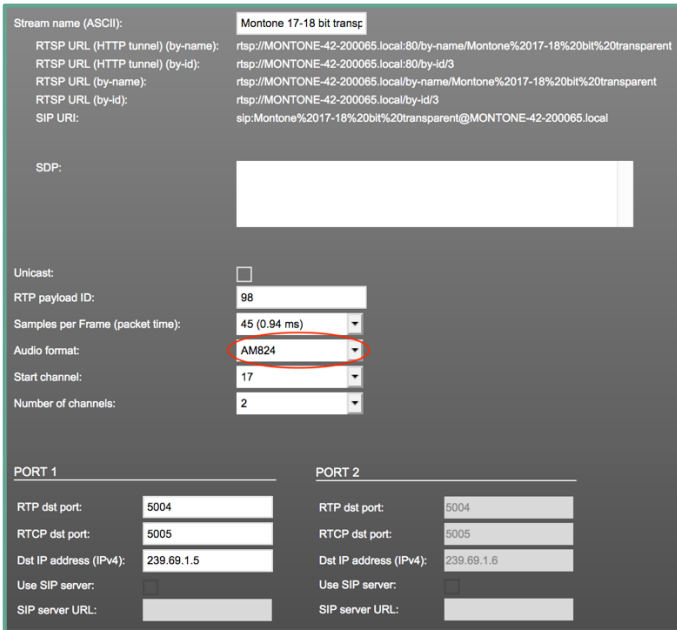


Figure 17: ST2110-31 stream TX settings

In MONTONE.42 you will have to define the transparency mode for the baseband MADI interfaces. You find the settings under MADI out settings. Select “on/off” in the drop down list *Subcode Transparency* and select “VUCP only” or “full” from the *Transparency Mode* drop down list. We do recommend to use VUCP only mode, it will transparently transport Validity bit, User bit, Channels status bit and Parity bit which is sufficient for most cases.

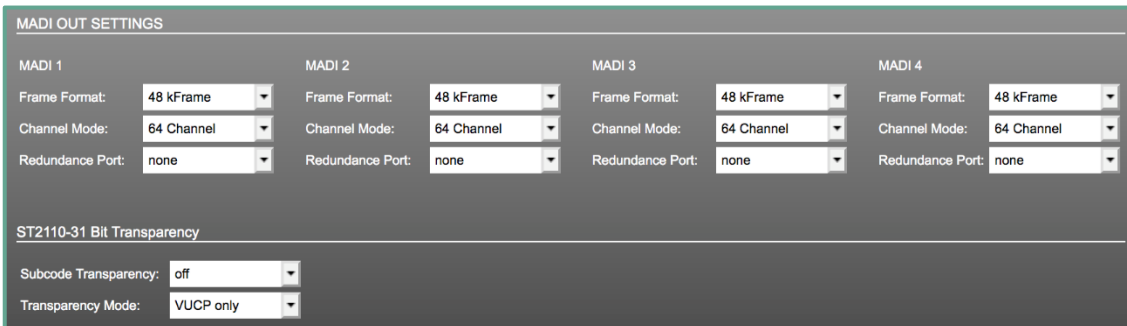


Figure 18: MONTONE.42 ST2110-31 Bit Transparency Settings

The same procedure applies for the PRODIGY.MC or PRODIGY.MP unit where RAV.IO is installed. You can find the settings in the globcon tab *Output Format* or *AES Output Format*.

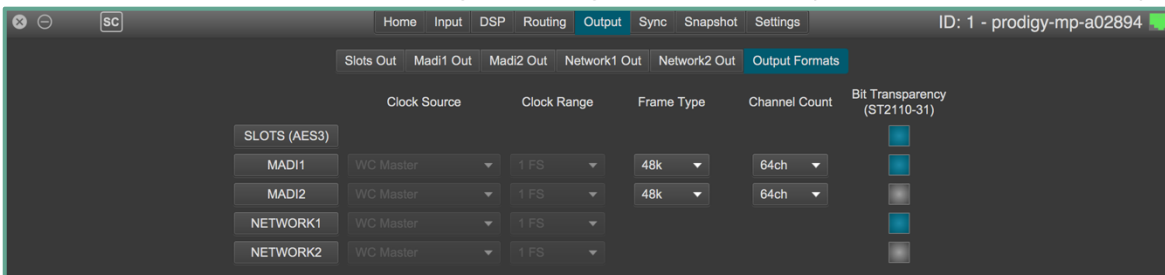


Figure 19: Prodigy ST2110-31 Bit Transparency Settings

Quality of Service (QoS)

Switches used in an AES67 capable infrastructure should support DiffServ to provide correct prioritising of PTP and RTP packets. A node supporting AES67 shall tag PTP and RTP packets with different values which support priority settings for the data transport.

AES67 default DSCP tags:

PTP (clock packets)	DSCP value: EF/46/0x2E
RTP (audio packets)	DSCP value: AF41/34/0x22

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