

# HDBaseT Compact Extender Set 70m User Guide

Model HDBaseT-C.tx70 and HDBaseT-C.rx70





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#### FCC compliance

Class A: This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class A digital device, pursuant to part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference when the equipment is operated in a commercial environment. This equipment generates, uses, and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instruction manual, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. Operation of this equipment in a residential area is likely to cause harmful interference in which case the user will be required to correct the interference at his or her own expense.

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There is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation. If this equipment does cause harmful interference to radio or television reception, which can be determined by turning the equipment off and on, the user is encouraged to try to correct the interference by one or more of the following measures:

- Reorient or relocate the receiving antenna.
- Increase the separation between the equipment and receiver.
- Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected.
- Consult the dealer or an experienced radio/TV technician for help.

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# Safety precautions

Read all instructions carefully before using the device. Save this manual for future reference.

- Unpack the equipment carefully. Save the original box and packing material for future shipping.
- Follow basic safety precautions to reduce the risk of fire, electrical shock, and injury to persons.
- Do not open or modify the device; it may result in electrical shock or burn.
- Only use parts that meet the device's specifications. If you use parts that do not match, it may cause damage to the device.
- Only qualified professionals should service this product.
- Do not expose this device to rain, moisture, or any form of liquid to avoid fire or shock damage. If exposure occurs, unplug the device immediately.
- Do not use liquid or aerosol cleaners on this unit. Always unplug the power to the device before cleaning.
- Do not disrupt the cables or power source of the device.
- Install the device in a ventilated area to avoid overheating.
- Do not twist or use force to pull the optical cable, this can cause damage or malfunction in the device. .
- Do not leave this device plugged in unused for long periods.
- Do not burn or mix this device with general household waste.
   Treat the device as electrical waste

**Caution:** The HDBaseT-C.tx70 and HDBaseT-C.rx70 must be used as a pair. Do not use the HDBaseT-C.rx70 separately or in combination with HDBaseT switches, as using it may cause damage to the unit.

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## Introduction

The extender set (p/n CM-BT15-COMPACT70) consists of a transmitter and receiver pair. HDMI signals are input into the transmitter and HDBaseT technology is used to transmit the signals to the receiver up to 230 ft. (70 m) via a Cat5e/Cat6 cable. The receiver then outputs the HDMI signal.

Bi-directional IR is also transmitted across the Cat5e/Cat6 cable. The extender set supports CEC, and IR control, and PoC (Power Over Cable), which can be used to power the receiver via the Cat5e/Cat6 cable. This eliminates the need for power at the receiver end.

#### **Features**

- Supports full HD: Delivers high-resolution images (1080p at 60 Hz, 3D, 4K × 2K at 30 Hz)
- Maximum transmission distance is 230 ft. (70 m) over single a CAT5e/CAT6 cable, or 40 meters for 4Kx2K at 30 Hz
- High bandwidth: 10.2 Gbps
- HDTV compatible: Uses HDMI 1.4 and is HDCP-2.2 compliant
- Support PoC (Power Over Cable) and CEC
- Uses HDBaseT technology for extended capability and reliability
- Bi-directional IR 12 VDC
- LED indicators show working status to aid in troubleshooting
- Wall or table mount steel enclosure

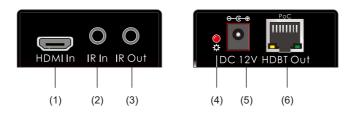
## Package contents

- 4 x detachable mounting brackets
- 8 x plastic cushions
- 4 x screws
- 1 x power supply (12 VDC)
- 4 x power plug adapters
- 1 x user manual
- 1 x IR emitter
- 1 x IR adapter cable

**Notes:** Ensure all the accessories are included. If not, contact your dealer.

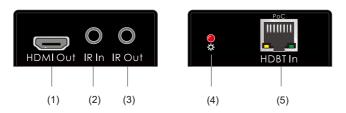
# **Product appearance**

Figure 1: The HDBaseT-C.tx70 transmitter



Connect to the HDMI source device.	
Connects to a 12v IR receiver, or the provided adapter cable. The IR signal received from this port will be transmitted via HDBaseT to the transmitter unit for use at the source location.	
<b>Note:</b> When using a control system, such as Clare Controls, the adapter cable (included) must be used. The male mono end connects to the control system; the male stereo end connects to the HDBaseT-C.tx70.	
IR signals received by receiver and sent via HDBaseT to the transmitter are available for emitter use from this port.	
Illuminates when the device is receiving power.	
Connects to the power supply	
Connects via a single Cat5e/Cat6 cable to the HDBaseT port on the receiver.	

Figure 2: The HDBaseT-C.rx70 receiver



(1) HDMI OUT:	Connect to the HDMI display device.
(2) IR IN:	Connects to a 12v IR receiver, or the provided adapter cable. The IR signal received from this port is transmitted via HDBaseT to the HDBaseT-C.tx70 unit for use at the source location.
(3) IR OUT:	IR signals received by the HDBaseT-C.tx70 and sent via HDBaseT to the HDBaseT-C.rx70 are available for emitter use from this port.
(4) Power LED:	Illuminates when the device is receiving power.
(5) HDBT IN	Connects via single Cat5e/Cat6 cable to the HDBaseT port in the HDBaseT-C.tx70.

# System connection

## Usage precautions

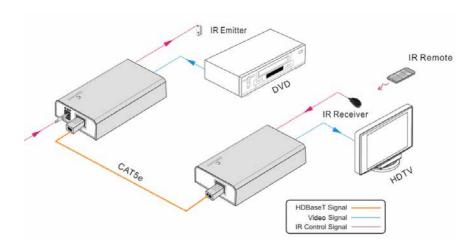
- The system should be installed in a clean environment and have proper temperature and humidity controls.
- All of the power switches, plugs, sockets, and power cords should be insulated for safety.
- All devices should be connected before powering on.
- The Cat5e/Cat6 terminations for HDBaseT devices should be a straight-thru TIA/EIA T568B standard.

# **Application examples**

The HDBaseT-C.rx70 receiver works in conjunction with the HDBaseT-C.tx70 transmitter. By transmitting signals across reliable Cat5e/Cat6 cables, the video signal can be used at far greater distances from the source device than would be capable with traditional HDMI cables. Additionally, control signals can be sent bi-directionally across the same Cat5e/Cat6 cable. The following figures show you some application examples for the HDBaseT-C.tx70 and HDBaseT-C.rx70.

**Note:** When using a control system, such as Clare Controls, Crestron, or URC, the 3.5 mm male mono to 3.5 mm male stereo adapter cable (included) must be used. The male mono end connects to the control system; the male stereo end connects to HDBaseT-C.tx70.

Figure 3: System connection



## **Connection procedure**

## To connect the HDBaseT Compact Extender Set 70m:

- Connect HDMI from the source (such as Blu-ray DVD) to the HDMI IN port of the transmitter using an HDMI cable.
- Connect the HDBT OUT port of the HDBaseT-C.tx70 to the HDBT IN port of the receiver with a single CAT5e/CAT6 cable using TIA/EIA T568B terminations at each end.
- 3. Connect the HDMI OUT port of the HDBaseT-C.rx70 to an HDMI in port on the display using an HDMI cable.
- 4. When using the bi-directional IR control, do the following.
  - a. Connect the IR emitter at either end to the IR TX port on either the HDBaseT-C.tx70 transmitter or the HDBaseT-C.rx70 receiver.
  - b. When using a powered IR receiver, connect via a 3.5 mm stereo plug to the IR RX on either the HDBaseT-C.tx70 transmitter or the HDBaseT-C.rx70 receiver.
  - c. When using a control system to send IR signals, you must use the included 3.5 mm male mono to 3.5 mm male stereo adapter cable. The male mono end connects to the control system; the male stereo end connects to HDBaseT-C.tx70.
- Connect the 12 VDC power adapter to the power port on the HDBaseT-C.tx70 transmitter. The HDBaseT-C.rx70 receiver is powered through PoC.]

## **Application**

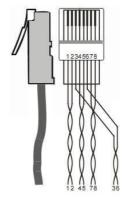
The HDBaseT-C.tx70 and HDBaseT-C.rx70 extender pair is useful in any scenario when an HDMI signal (along with control signals) must be transmitted reliably across greater distances than is practical using traditional HDMI cables. They may be used in both residential and commercial applications when centrally locating the source equipment and displaying HD video in remote locations.

## Twisted pair cable connection

The Cat5e/Cat6 terminations for HDBaseT devices should be a straight thru TIA/EIA T568B standard. TIA/EIA T568A standard is NOT recommended.

Table 1: T568B cable standards

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 2nd Ground
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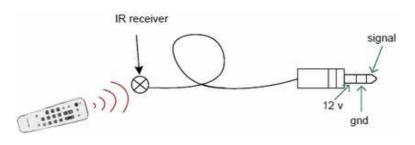
 4th Group
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Note: RJ45 EZ connectors should not be used at any time.

## IR IN pinout

The following figure displays the IR IN pinout for the CM-BT15-COMPACT70 RX and TX.

Figure 4: CM-BT15-COMPACT70 RX and TX IR IN pinout



# **Specifications**

	HDBaseT-C.tx70 transmitter	HDBaseT-C.rx70 receiver	
Input			
Input signal	1 HDMI and 1 IR	1 RJ45 and 1 IR	
Input connector	HDMI female and 3.5 mm mini jack	3.5 mm mini jack and RJ-45	
Video signal	HDMI1.4	HDMI1.4	
Audio	Digital audio, transmit through HDMI audio	Digital audio, transmit through HDMI audio	
Output			
Output	1 RJ45 and 1 IR	1 HDMI and 1 IR	
Output connector	3.5 mm mini jack and RJ45	HDMI female and 3.5 mm mini jack	
Video signal	HDMI 1.4	HDMI 1.4	
Transmission mode	HDBaseT HDBaseT		
General			
Resolution range	600 x 480 at 60 Hz to 4Kx2K at 30 Hz		
Transmission distance	Maximum distance 230 ft. (70 m), 1080p 60 Hz, 4Kx2K at 30 Hz (40 m)		
Gain	>70 dB at 100 MHz to 100 M		
Bandwidth	10.2 Gbps		
THD	< 0.005% at 1 KHz		
HDMI standard	Support HDMI 1.4 and HDCP		
Impedance	75 Ω		
Temperature	14 to 104°F (-10 to +40°C)		
Humidity	10% to 90%		
Power supply	12 VDC 1A		
Power consumption	9.6 W		
Case dimension (W × H × D)	4.7 × 1.0 × 2.4 in. (120 × 26 × 61 mm)	4.7 × 1.0 × 2.4 in. (120 × 26 × 61 mm)	
Net weight	.61 lb. (0.28 Kg)	.61 lb. (0.28 Kg)	

Note: All nominal levels are at ±10%.

# **Supported resolution**

Display Ration	Resolution	HDMI	DVI
4K x 2K	4096 × 2160 at 30 Hz	Yes	
	3840 × 2160 at 24 Hz	Yes	
	3840 × 2160 at 25 Hz	Yes	
	3840 × 2160 at 30 Hz	Yes	
16:9	1920 × 1080 at 60 Hz	Yes	No
	1600 × 900 at 60 Hz	Yes	
	1366 × 768 at 60 Hz	Yes	
	1280 × 720 at 60 Hz	Yes	No
	1024 × 576 at 60 Hz	Yes	
16:10	1920 × 1200 at 60 Hz	Yes	No
	1680 × 1050 at 60 Hz	Yes	
	1440 × 900 at 60 Hz	Yes	
	1360 × 768 at 60 Hz	Yes	
	1280 × 800 at 60 Hz	Yes	
4:3	1600 × 1200 at 60 Hz	Yes	No
	1400 × 1050 at 60 Hz	Yes	
	1280 × 1024 at 60 Hz	Yes	No
	1024 × 768 at 60 Hz	Yes	No
	800 × 600 at 60 Hz	Yes	No
	640 × 480 at 60 Hz	Yes	No

**Note:** The HDBaseT-C.tx70 and HDBaseT-C.rx70 supports 4K and1080p 3D HDMI signal. Use HDMI cables compliant with HDMI1.4.

# **Panel drawings**

Figure 5: HDBaseT-C.tx70 transmitter

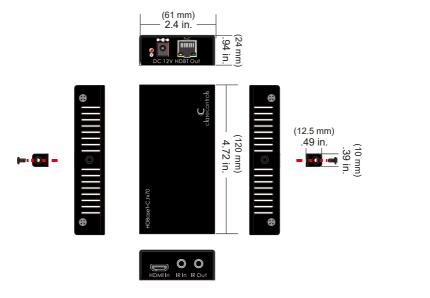
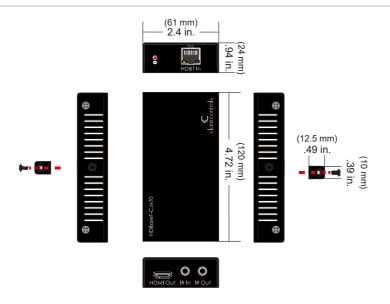


Figure 6: HDBaseT-C.rx70 receiver



# **Troubleshooting and maintenance**

- No image on display:
  - Ensure that the display device has been set to the correct input.
  - Ensure that the HDMI cables used for both the source/transmitter and the receiver/display are properly connected and are working. Test the HDMI cables directly from a source to display and ensure their operation.
  - Ensure that the Cat5e/Cat6 cable has not been damaged and that it has been terminated correctly with T568B on both ends. A temporary length of Cat5e/Cat6 can be used for testing to ensure that the devices are all compatible and working properly.
- Color loss or poor picture quality:
  - Ensure that the HDMI cables used for both the source and transmitter and the
    receiver and display are properly connected and are of good quality. Test the
    HDMI cables directly from a source to display and ensure their picture quality.
  - If the static becomes stronger or picture quality becomes worse when connecting the video connectors, this may be due to improper external grounding. Check the rack's grounding.
  - IR signal problems:
    - When using a control system such as Clare Controls, the 3.5 mm male mono to 3.5 mm male stereo adapter cable (included) must be used. The male mono end connects to the control system; the male stereo end connects to HDBaseT-C tx70.

# Safety operation

To guarantee the reliable operation of the equipment and personal safety, please follow the procedures listed below.

- The system/rack must be grounded properly. Do not use two blades plugs. Ensure the supply voltage is in the correct range of 100 to 240 VAC, 50/60 Hz.
- Do not place the device in a place that is abnormally hot or cold or does not have proper temperature control and ventilation.
- The HDBaseT-C.tx70 and HDBaseT-C.rx70 generate heat when operating. The environment should be well ventilated to prevent damage caused by overheating.
- Disconnect power in humid weather, or when left unused for long periods.
- Before making or removing any connections to the device, ensure that the power supply has been disconnected.

- Do not attempt to open the enclosure of the equipment. Do not attempt any repairs.
   There are no user-serviceable parts inside. Any attempt to open the equipment will result in a complete void of any warranty and may result in serious injury or death.
- Do not splash any chemical substances or liquids on or around the equipment.

## After-sales service

- If there appears to be problems when using the device(s), refer to the "Troubleshooting and maintenance" section in this manual.
- You can contact Customer Support at http://support.clarecontrols.com. Please be ready to provide the following information.
  - Product model number, version and serial number.
  - Detailed description of the trouble issues.
  - Description of all connections and third-party equipment being used.
- If, during the warranty period, the unit cannot be repaired, a suitable replacement
  will be issued. Replacement units will be comparable to the original. However, due
  to potential design changes over time, replacement units may not be identical to
  the unit replaced.

## Warranty information

Clare Controls offers a three (3) year limited warranty on original Clare Controls components, from the date of shipment from Clare Controls. To view complete limited warranty details, including limitations and exclusions, <a href="https://www.clarecontrols.com/warranty">www.clarecontrols.com/warranty</a>.



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