

Nexio+™ AMP

High-Performance SDI Video Server

The Nexio+ AMP advanced media server is an efficient and integrated media platform for managing digital content from ingest to playout. It combines industry-leading Hewlett Packard Enterprise Gen11 server models and Imagine software/hardware bundle kits, enabling software-defined applications while delivering the exceptional reliability, flexibility and format transparency that broadcast operations demand.



Reliable & Feature-Rich

Offers unmatched quality for all broadcast-grade codecs and high-availability playout and ingest operations (beyond five nines of reliability)



Highly Interoperable with Flexible Deployment Options

Integrates with dozens of control applications (internal or third-party), scaling to hundreds of channels, available with internal or external storage, and MOS-compatible



Ideal Solution for MCRs

Supports distributed architectures for multi-vendor playout system deployments, and content playback, recording, and workflow reviews

Solutions: Nexio AMP

The Nexio AMP servers are ideally suited as the core playout engine within a broadcast master control environment, delivering highly reliable channel origination for linear television services. With support for multiple bidirectional SDI channels in a single chassis, Nexio AMP enables broadcasters to consolidate playout infrastructure while maintaining deterministic SDI performance and frame-accurate playback. Integrated seamlessly with automation systems, traffic platforms, and facility routers, the server becomes the final execution point for scheduled playlists, delivering content with precise timing and robust audio and caption handling. Its ability to support mixed codecs and formats allows broadcasters to operate without extensive media normalization, reducing operational overhead. The result is a scalable, highly resilient playout architecture capable of supporting multiple channels from a compact footprint while maintaining the reliability required for 24/7 broadcast operations.

In live production environments, Nexio AMP provides a powerful ingest and time-shift platform that enables broadcasters to capture incoming SDI feeds while simultaneously preparing them for delayed playout or rapid editorial access. The server can record multiple live sources while allowing operators to mark clips, replay segments, or introduce controlled broadcast delays for compliance or editorial review. This capability is particularly valuable for sports and live events where instant replay, highlight creation, or time-zone shifting is required. By integrating directly with facility routers, production switchers, and shared storage systems, Nexio AMP becomes a central component of the live production workflow. Its deterministic performance and frame-accurate control ensure that live content can be captured and delivered reliably, enabling production teams to maintain operational agility during fast-paced broadcast events.

Within a newsroom workflow, Nexio AMP functions as a tightly integrated video server that connects editorial operations directly with live studio playout. Through integration with newsroom computer systems via MOS or automation interfaces, journalists and producers can associate media assets with stories in the newsroom rundown, allowing clips to be triggered automatically during a live broadcast. This integration streamlines the path from editorial decision to on-air execution, eliminating manual clip management and reducing operational complexity in the control room. Nexio AMP's multi-channel architecture allows multiple studio outputs and recording feeds to be managed from a single platform, supporting fast-turnaround news production while maintaining broadcast-grade reliability. The result is a highly efficient newsroom playout solution that empowers editorial teams while ensuring consistent, dependable delivery of video content to air.

Benefits

- High channel density reduces hardware footprint
- Broadcast-grade codecs maximize video and audio quality during ingest and playback
- Redundant system designs provide a no single point of failure architecture ensuring exceptional on-air reliability
- A highly reliable proven playout and ingest solution
- Flexible designs simplify scaling of systems from small integrated servers to 1000+ channels with internal storage or online NAS architecture
- When used with IOX NAS, expand your channel count or storage capacity/bandwidth with no system downtime allows hassle-free scalability*
- Support for multiple content formats and control applications (internal or third-party, VDCP, native API) enables deployment of highly interoperable systems
- Suited to any requirement — from distributed architecture (external payout automation) for MCRs to standalone for smaller environments or studios
- Easy serviceability and maintenance ensure worry-free operations

*Dependent on architecture of the Nexio Servers in conjunction with the Network Attached Storage.

Features

- Ingest and playback of content in SD, 720p, 1080i, 1080p and UHD on PAL & NTSC
- Extensive range of software-based codecs and formats: work with different codecs without software upgrades or extra licensing (XDCAM, AVC, XAVC, ProRes, DNxHD, MPEG-2, H.264)
- Seamless playout of different flavors and resolutions, back-to-back
- Up/down/cross conversion
- Import & export content in various wrappers (MXFOP1a, MOV, QuickTime Ref, AVI, GXF, MPG, MP4, LXF)
- Auto-detection of unhealthy video files during file import
- Automatic input format detection
- Different storage options: internal RAID storage or connected to online IOX Express NAS storage over Ethernet
- Closed Caption import
- Uncompressed PCM audio and compressed audio pass-through or playback decode:
 - DTS, Dolby Digital and Dolby E compressed audio pass-through
 - MPEG-1/Layer-II (MP2) and Advanced Audio Coding (AAC) compressed audio playback decode
- Audio track management - control audio track tagging, addition, deletion, shuffling and playback routing
- AFD and ARC support
- Smooth variable/off-speed play up to $\pm 400\%$
- Automatic proxy generation, including growing files
- Picon generation
- Sub-clipping
- SNMP for monitoring server and channel status.
- Fault tolerance through dual hot-swappable power supplies, dual mirrored boot drives and RAID content protection
- Content synchronization, playlist creation and control, simple efficient workflows

APPLICATIONS IN DETAIL

Nexio® Playlist™

Nexio® PlayList™ is an event-sequencing application that controls Nexio+ AMP servers, facilitating play-to-air operations in transmission, sports and news environments. It is ideal for small/mid-market programming where full station automation is not required. Nexio PlayList can also be used to inexpensively backup station automation systems. The application enables you to choose clips from the Nexio MediaBase™ asset inventory and arrange them in order for play-to-air, sequentially or timed. You can also create lists of clips that loop, trigger GPI events during playback or import traffic files.

Nexio® Delay™

Nexio® Delay™ is a software application for Nexio servers to provide a time-delay recording and playout. Nexio Delay allows a frame-accurate time delay with a range of a few seconds up to 24 hours. You can pre-program the Nexio server to record an inbound feed and play at a later time; you can also delay playouts for live event censoring or for time zone-based delayed broadcasts.

Nexio® ClipSync™

Nexio® ClipSync™ is an optional software application that allows Nexio+ AMP servers to synchronize two playout channels so that they act as one single channel. This capability allows two clips to be played in sync for key-plus-fill, looping, single-channel playback and other production processes.

Nexio® Remote™

Nexio® Remote™ is used to monitor and control channels on one or more Nexio servers over a local area network (LAN). From a single user interface, baseband ingest, playout and content management can be controlled for up to six Nexio channels on any of the servers in a single server system. In addition, it supports optional applications including Nexio® Playlist™, ClipSync™ and Delay™.

When a channel from a Nexio server is connected to Nexio Remote, control of that channel is locked to the application. Operators can connect and disconnect from different servers in the system, maximizing flexibility and control.

Nexio® Content Manager™

Nexio® Content Manager offers automatic file synchronization between independent Nexio storage domains. It reduces the complexity and cost of implementing a mirrored backup solution to automatically maintain a current copy of local on-air media on a remote and completely independent storage array.

It supports bidirectional (mirroring) or one-direction transfer operations. Fully customizable transfer and delete rules can be created to exact user specification.

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Nexio® Track Router™

Nexio® Track Router™ solution enables audio track manipulation and closed caption file import and export, allowing the ability to store a single video clip and add new audio and caption tracks during the workflow process.

Nexio® MOS Suite™

The Nexio® MOS Suite is an interoperable collection of applications that connects a MOS-enabled Newsroom Computer System (NRCS) to the Nexio server system. Nexio MOS objects are created and associated with the NRCS rundown (newscast schedules). When a MOS connection is established, the NRCS rundown drives the Nexio MOS Playlist Manager application (or Newsroom Automation System), which in turn controls the Nexio video playback channels.

- **Nexio MOS Gateway** serves as a gateway between the MOS-enabled NRCS and the Nexio servers.
- **Nexio MOS Playlist Manager (MPLM)** parses rundown information from the NRCS, generates a playlist, and gives play-to-air commands to Nexio server channels.
- **Nexio NXMB Plugins** run in the workspace of the NRCS client application, retrieve and display the contents of the MediaBase for inclusion within the NRCS rundown. It also has a low-res preview option.

Nexio® FTP Server™

Nexio® FTP Server is a powerful interface for file interchange operations. It supports on-the-fly re-wrapping of files being received to or sent from the storage, load balancing of media transfer queues, and handles many simultaneous file transfers. All operations are intuitively driven and monitored from the Nexio® FTP Client.

Nexio® Services™

Layer of services providing a simple REST API to integrate with third-party systems, and web User Interfaces for system monitoring.

Nexio AMP® ChannelView™

The Nexio AMP® ChannelView™ is a software application for Nexio AMP video servers. It allows you to easily and cost-effectively monitor a server's input and output ports on the ChannelView display. ChannelView delivers a complete view of up to six channels through the GPU port to an attached display screen.

SPECIFICATIONS

VIDEO I/O FORMATS

SD-SDI 270 Mb/s	SMPTE ST 259M 525i @ 29.97 fps, 625i @ 25 fps
HD/SDI 1.5 Gb/s	SMPTE ST 274M 1080i, 1080p, 1080PsF @ 23.98, 24, 25, 29.97 fps SMPTE ST 296M 720p @ 23.98, 24, 25, 29.97, 50, 59.94 fps
HD/SDI 3.0 Gb/s	SMPTE ST 425 Level-A 1080p @ 50, 59.94 fps
Quad-Link 3.0 Gb/s (SQD)	SMPTE ST 435, SMPTE ST 2036 2160p @ 23.98, 24, 25, 29.97, 50, 59.94 fps

CHANNEL CONFIGURATIONS

Mixed SD/HD Up/Down/Cross conversion	Up to 6 bidirectional channels Automatic input format detection Automatic aspect-ratio conversion (ARC) with Active Format Descriptor (AFD) support All channels software license key (SLK) enabled
UHD-1 Ultra Hi-Def	1 bidirectional channel

BROADCAST SIGNAL I/O HD/SDI INPUT

HD/SDI Input Video:	6x High Density BNC (HD-BNC) - SMPTE 259M, SMPTE 292M, SMPTE 424M
HD/SDI Output Video:	6x High Density BNC (HD-BNC) - SMPTE 259M, SMPTE 292M, SMPTE 424M
RS-422 Serial Control:	Optional 8x RS422 I/O Interface; RJ12 connectors. Includes cables and RJ12->DB9 adapters.
RS-232 LTC Input:	DB9
Reference Sync Input:	1x High Density BNC (HD-BNC) Analogue Bi-Level 1080i Tri-Level

AUDIO

Inputs	8 pairs (16 channels) embedded HD-BNC
Outputs	8 pairs (16 channels) embedded HD-BNC
Storage	Up to 32 tracks of PCM uncompressed audio per ID Up to 8 channels per track compressed, up to 256 compressed audio channels per ID
Sample Precision	16-, 20- or 24-bit PCM, 48 kHz
Compressed Audio Pass-Through	Dolby® Digital (AC-3), Dolby® Digital Plus (E-AC-3), Dolby® E, DTS/DTS-HD pass through
Compressed Audio Playback	AAC/HE-AAC/HE-AACv2, MPEG1-LayerII (MP2)

FILE INTERCHANGE

Supports 20+ simultaneous transactions; active and passive (FXP: File exchange protocol)
Support for LXF, GXF, MXF OP1a, Self-Contained MOV (QuickTime), MP4/M4V
Import support for Pinnacle, Quantel, MXF OP-Atom, MXF OP1b, Reference MOV (QuickTime), AS-03/-10/-11, MPEG-ES/PS/TS/MTS/EVO/VOB/M2V

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CODECS SUPPORTED		
SD Video Formats	MPEG-2 I-Frame MPEG-2 Long-GOP IMX 30, 40, 50 (D-10) DVCPRO25, DVCPRO50	DVCAM (PAL only) DV (NTSC only) Apple ProRes LT/422/HQ H.264/AVC Long-GOP
HD 1080i, 1080p/PsF, 720p Video Formats	MPEG-2 I-Frame & Long-GOP XDCAM HD/EX/422 AVC-Intra Class 50/100, AVC-Ultra Class 200 XAVC-Intra & Long-GOP	H.264/AVC-HD Long-GOP DVCPRO HD Avid DNxHD Apple ProRes LT/422/HQ
HD 1080p Video Formats	MPEG-2 I-Frame & Long-GOP AVC-Intra Class 100 XAVC-Intra & Long-GOP	H.264/AVC-HD Long-GOP Avid DNxHR Apple ProRes LT/422/HQ
UHD-1 2160p Video Formats	XAVC Long-GOP Class 188/300 (playback-only)	XAVC-Intra Class 300

ASPECT RATIO	
HD (SD)	16:9, (16:9, 4:3)
Aspect Ratio Conversion	Up/down/cross conversion support with NTSC EIA- 608 <> 708 caption conversion Up/down/cross conversion support with PAL WST/OP42 <> OP47 caption conversion
AFD Support	Insert/fill/override embedded AFD metadata frame-by-frame on a per-ID or per-port basis SMPTE 2016 and ATSC TSG-814

2RU Server Physical Attributes*	
D*imensions	3.44 x 17.63 x 26.10 in (8.75 x 44.80 x 66.10 cm)
Media Drives	Up to 12 LFF
Weight (approximate)	Minimum: 35.36 lb (16.04 kg) Maximum: 78.63 lb (35.67 kg)

*Additional information can be found in the 2 RU Gen-11 Systems Hardware Manual

ORDERING INFORMATION

Nexio+ AMP 2RU Turnkey Platform	
NEX-AMP-2UG11	Nexio+ AMP 2RU HPE Gen11 platform. 6-in/6-out/reference HD-SDI PCIe interface included. Up to 6-In/Out HD-SDI or 1 UHD channels. 96GB, redundant 2x OS SSD, 4x 1Gb Ethernet included, 2x 10/25Gb NIC, 4 x PCIe slots, NVIDIA T400 Graphics Card and Windows Server 2022 for Embedded Systems standard. Purchase internal RAID as needed per customer storage and I/O requirement.
Channel & Codec Software Licenses	
PLSHD1CH	Nexio+ 1x SD/HD Playback & Encode Channel License, includes royalty for MPEG2/XDCAM, H.264/AVC-Intra/XAVC, DV/DVcam/DVCP, Avid DNxHD, JPEG2000, and Apple ProRes codecs
PLSUHDCH	Nexio+ 1x UHD Playback & Encode Channel License, includes royalty for MPEG2, H.264/XAVC, Avid DNxHR, JPEG2000, and Apple ProRes codecs
PLSPR1CH	Nexio+ 1x Proxy Encode Channel License for both Nexio AMP Server with internal proxy and for standalone Proxy Transcode engine. Up to 6 channels per server and up to 24 channels for Proxy Transcode engine.
Nexio+ AMP & Appliance Options	
NEX-HW-G11-STOR-24TB	Nexio Gen11 24TB Internal Storage Package - 3Gbps Bandwidth, 20TB Usable Capacity. Includes 12 x 2TB Enterprise Drives, MR416i-p Storage Controller, 12LFF Front Upgrade Kit.
NEX-HW-G11-STOR-72TB	Nexio Gen11 72TB Internal Storage Package - 3Gbps Bandwidth, 60TB Usable Capacity. Includes 12 x 6TB Enterprise Drives, MR416i-p Storage Controller, 12LFF Front Upgrade Kit.
NEX-HW-G11-STOR-96TB	Nexio Gen11 96TB Internal Storage Package - 3Gbps Bandwidth, 80TB Usable Capacity. Includes 12 x 8TB Enterprise Drives, MR416i-p Storage Controller, 12LFF Front Upgrade Kit.
NEX-HW-NIC-PCIE-1G	Intel I350-T4 Ethernet 1Gb 4-port BASE-T NIC for Imagine 2RU platforms. 4x 3m Cat6 Ethernet cables included
NEX-HW-NIC-PCIE-1025	Broadcom 2-port 10/25GbE PCIE NIC for Imagine 1RU and 2RU platforms. Purchase SFP cables and optics separately
NEX-HW-NIC-OC-1025	Broadcom 2-port 10/25GbE OCP NIC for Imagine 1RU and 2RU platforms. Purchase SFP cables and optics separately
NEX-HW-G11-6xPCIE	6 PCIe Enablement Kit for HPE Gen11 2RU. Enables the use of 6 PCIe x16 slots.
NEX-HW-G11-4xPCIE	4 PCIe Enablement Kit for HPE Gen11 2RU. Enables the use of 4 PCIe x16 slots. (Slots 1,2,3,6)
PLHAB5QU	Afterburner5 RS-422 and GPI interface module. 1/4 width 1RU up to 4 in each 1RU module rack (sold separately). Includes 8x RS-422, 16x GPI-In and 16x GPI-Out. USB connection to host server and loop-out. Includes 8x RJ12 RS-422 cables and RJ12-DB9 adapters
PLHAB5RA	Interface module 1RU rack. Up to 4 1/4-width modules per rack
NXUSBTC	USB powered House Timecode Input to Nexio
Nexio® ClipSync™	
NXSCSYNC	Channel Synchronization Software Nexio ClipSync Software License. ClipSync is an application that synchronizes two or more channels of an AMP server so that they can act as one single channel for graphics key/fill or to allow a single automation controller to simulcast the same content in two or more different resolutions
Nexio® Remote™	
NXSREMOT	Monitoring and Control Software Nexio+ NXOS Remote license.
Nexio AMP® ChannelView™	
NXA1000CVIEW	Integrated Multiviewer I/O Monitoring Nexio AMP ChannelView multiviewer media application for the Nexio AMP advanced media platform

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Nexio® Playlist™		Event-Sequencing Software
NXSPLAY1	Nexio Playlist 1-Channel License. Nexio Playlist is an Event-Sequencing application that controls AMP servers to facilitate Play-to-Air operations in Transmission, Sports, and News. NXSPLAY1 provides a license for 1 channel of playback.	
NXSPLAY4	Nexio Playlist 4-Channel License. Nexio Playlist is an Event-Sequencing application that controls AMP servers to facilitate Play-to-Air operations in Transmission, Sports, and News. NXSPLAY4 provides a license for 4 channel of playback.	
NXSPLAY8	Nexio Playlist 8-Channel License. Nexio Playlist is an Event-Sequencing application that controls AMP servers to facilitate Play-to-Air operations in Transmission, Sports, and News. NXSPLAY8 provides a license for 8 channel of playback.	
Nexio® Content Manager™		Content Synchronization Software
NXA1000CM	Nexio Content Manager software and manual, mirrors two domains or one domain and one network attached storage device using FTP	
Nexio® Options		Clip Editing Integration
NEX-PNL-PPRO	Nexio panels for Premiere Pro. Includes licenses for single client of MediaBase and Export panels. Mac or Windows. Premiere Pro and Adobe Media Encoder licenses provided by the customer	
Nexio® Track Router™		Audio track manipulation and closed caption file import and export
NXA-TR	Nexio AMP Track Router user interface license for Nexio Remote NXOS and Nexio FTP Client. Used to control audio track import, tagging, addition, deletion, shuffling, and playout routing, as well as closed caption file import and export	

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Nexio Turnkey Appliances (Hardware + Software)

NEX-PT-2UG11	Nexio+ Proxy Transcoder 2RU HPE Gen11 appliance. Fibre Channel HBA and/or 2x 25/10Gb Ethernet NIC sold separately as required by customer topology. 64GB, redundant 2x OS SSD, 4x 1Gb Ethernet included, 4 x PCIE slots; Windows Server 2022 for Embedded Systems standard. PLSPR1CH proxy channel licenses purchased separately.
NEX-MGX-2UG11	Nexio+ FTP Gateway (MGX) 2RU HPE Gen11 appliance. 32GB, redundant 2x OS SSD, 4x 1Gb and 2x 10/25Gb Ethernet ports, 2 x PCIE slots; Windows Server 2022 for Embedded Systems standard.
NEX-MOS-PL-2UG11	Nexio+ MOS Playlist 2RU HPE Gen11 appliance. Includes USB trigger panel. 2x 25/10Gb Ethernet NIC sold separately as required by customer topology. 32GB, redundant 2x OS SSD, 4x 1Gb Ethernet included, 2 x PCIE slots; Windows Server 2022 for Embedded Systems standard.
NEX-MOS-GW-2UG11	Nexio+ MOS Gateway 2RU HPE Gen11 appliance. 2x 25/10Gb Ethernet NIC sold separately as required by customer topology. 32GB, redundant 2x OS SSD, 4x 1Gb Ethernet included, 2 x PCIE slots; Windows Server 2022 for Embedded Systems standard.
NEX-MIOH-2UG11	Nexio+ Media I/O Host (MIOH) 2RU HPE GEN11 appliance. 2x 25/10Gb Ethernet NIC sold separately as required by customer topology. 32GB, redundant 2x OS SSD, 4x 1Gb Ethernet included, 2 x PCIE slots; Windows Server 2022 for Embedded Systems standard.
NEX-NSH-2UG11	Nexio+ Network Server Host (NSH) 2RU HPE GEN11 appliance. 2x 25/10Gb Ethernet NIC sold separately as required by customer topology. 32GB, redundant 2x OS SSD, 4x 1Gb Ethernet included, 2 x PCIE slots; Windows Server 2022 for Embedded Systems standard.

Nexio Appliances (Software only)

PLFTPSLV	Nexio+ FTP Gateway Software License. May require purchase of FC HBA and/or 10GB Ethernet NIC depending on storage topology and throughput requirements. Virtual-Machine eligible; Windows Server 2012 R2 License sold separately, or customer provided.
PLIOHSLK	Nexio+ Media I/O Host Software License. Requires purchase of FC HBA and 10GB Ethernet NIC
PLMGWSLV	Nexio+ MOS Gateway Software License. Virtual-Machine eligible; Windows Server 2012 R2 License sold separately, or customer provided
PLMOPSLK	Nexio+ MOS Playlist Software License; PLMOPHTP USB trigger panel sold separately. GPU required such as PLHGPK06, NVIDIA Maxwell K620 GPU PCIe v2 1-slot. for PLHP1UAP appliance server or customer-provided GPU for CFE server.
PLPTCSLV	NEXIO+ PROXY Transcode Engine Software License. May require purchase of FC HBA and/or 10GB ethernet NIC depending on storage topology and throughput requirements. Virtual-machine eligible; windows server 2012r2 license sold separately or customer-provided

