# VF-10x-KIT Optical Fiber Transnmission System

User's Manual

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This power required device does not support Stand by mode operation.

For energy saving, please remove the DC-plug or push the hardware Power Switch to OFF position to disconnect the device from the power circuit. Without remove the DC-plug or switch off the device, the device will still consuming power from the power circuit. In the view of Saving the Energy and reduce the unnecessary power consuming, it is strongly suggested to switch off or remove the DC-plug for the device if this device is not intended to be active.

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# **1. INTRODUCTION**

### **1.1 CHECK LIST**

Check the contents of your package for following parts:

| • | VF-10x-T – Video over Fiber Media Converter / Transmitter | X 1 |
|---|---|-----|
| • | VF-10x-R – Video over Fiber Media Converter / Receiver    | X 1 |
| • | 5V / 2A Power Adapter                                     | X 2 |
| • | User's Manual   | X 1 |

If any of these pieces are missing or damaged, please contact your dealer immediately, if possible, retain the carton including the original packing material, and use them against to repack the product in case there is a need to return it to us for repair.

### **1.2 INTRODUCTION TO VIDEO OVER FIBER CONVERTER**

This Video over Fiber Converter kit consists of a Video Transmitter, VF-10x-T, and a Video Receiver, VF-10x-R. It is a digital fiber-optic transmission system which provides customer a cost-effective solution for transmission of 1 channel uncompressed digital video and 1 reverse RS-422/485 async-data over one single fiber cable. It is adjustment free device while providing high quality and real-time video. The plug-and-play design makes the installation more convenient and easier. The system can be widely used in Intelligent Transportation Systems (ITS), Traffic Surveillance, security monitoring, automation control, intelligent residential districts and so on.

#### **Typical Applications**

- Intelligent Transportation Systems(ITS)
- Toll Collection
- Traffic Surveillance
- Air Traffic Management(ATM)
- Rail Signaling
- Perimeter Alarms and Area Monitors
- Telemedicine and Teleconference
- Industrial Surveillance
- Intelligent Building

### **1.3 KEY FEATURES**

- Video + Data over fiber transmission
- 8 bit Video Signal digital sampling
- PAL, NTSC, SECAM compatible
- Data Type: RS-422 / RS-485
- Standalone or work with PLANET MC-700/1500/1500R Media Converter Chassis
- Compact in size, wall-mount design, easy installation

### **1.4 PRODUCT SPECIFICATION**

| Model                        | VF-10x-KIT Series                      |                |  |
|------------------------------|--|----------------|--|
| Video Characteristic         | /ideo Characteristic                   |                |  |
| Video Channel                | 1 channel Bi-direction                 |                |  |
| Signal Mode                  | NTSC / PAL                             |                |  |
| Video Connector              | BNC                                    |                |  |
| Video Input/Output Impedance | 75ohm / unbalance                      | ed interface   |  |
| Video Input/Output Voltage   | 1.0 Vpp / Typical p                    | eak-peak value |  |
| Video Bandwidth              | 6.5MHz                                 |                |  |
| Video Digital Bit Width      | 8/10 bit                               |                |  |
| Differential Gain(DG)        | <1.3% (Typical Va                      | lue)           |  |
| Differential Phase(DP)       | <1.3° (Typical Valu                    | le)            |  |
| SNR Weighted                 | 63dB (Typical Value)                   |                |  |
| Data Interface               |  |                |  |
| Data Channel                 | 1 channel                              |                |  |
| Physical Protocol            | RS-422 / RS-485                        |                |  |
| Operation Mode               | Simplex                                |                |  |
| Data Connector               | 3 Pin terminal block with screw clamps |                |  |
| Data Rate                    | DC-115.2Kbps                           |                |  |
| Data Distance                | RS-485: 0-1200m                        |                |  |
| Bit Error Rate (BER)         | < 10ns                                 |                |  |
| Optical Interface            |  |                |  |
| Optical Connector            | VF-101-KIT                             | ST             |  |
|                              | VF-102-KIT                             | FC             |  |
|                              | VF-102SC-KIT                           | SC             |  |
|                              | VF-102S15-KIT                          | SC             |  |

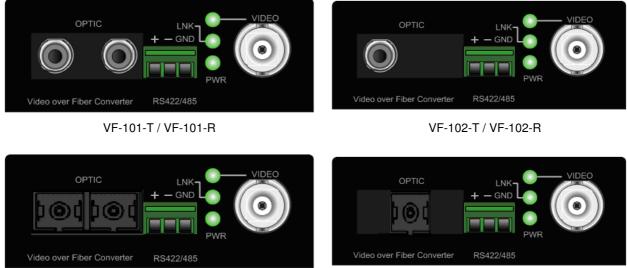
|                           | VF-106-KIT        | SC, WDM                |                        |
|---------------------------|-------------------|------------------------|------------------------|
|                           | VF-101-KIT        | 2Km for multi-mode     |                        |
|                           | VF-102-KIT        | 20km for single-mode   |                        |
| Distance                  | VF-102SC-KIT      | 2km for mult           | i-mode                 |
|                           | VF-102S15-KIT     | 15km for sin           | gle-mode               |
|                           | VF-106-KIT        | 20km for single-mode   |                        |
|                           |                   | VF-101-T               | TX & RX: 1310nm        |
|                           | VF-101-KIT        | VF-101-R               | TX & RX: 1310nm        |
|                           | VF-102-KIT        | VF-102-T               | TX: 1310nm, RX: 1550nm |
|                           | VF-102-KII        | VF-102-R               | TX: 1550nm, RX:1330nm  |
| Ontion Wavelength         | VF-102SC-KIT      | VF-102SC-T             | TX & RX: 1310nm        |
| Optical Wavelength        | 10200-111         | VF-102SC-R             | TX & RX: 1310nm        |
|                           | VF-102S15-KIT     | VF-102S15-T            | TX & RX: 1310nm        |
|                           |                   | VF-102S15-R            | TX & RX: 1310nm        |
|                           | VF-106-KIT        | VF-106-T               | TX: 1310nm, RX: 1550nm |
|                           |                   | VF-106-R               | TX: 1550nm, RX:1330nm  |
|                           | VF-101-KIT        | Max. : -14, Min. : -19 |                        |
|                           | VF-102-KIT        | Max. : -7, Min. : -14  |                        |
| Launch Power (dBm)        | VF-102SC-KIT      | Max. : -14, Min. : -19 |                        |
|                           | VF-102S15-KIT     | Max. : -7, Min. : -20  |                        |
|                           | VF-106-KIT        | Max. : -8, Min. : -14  |                        |
|                           | VF-101-KIT        | -34.5dBm               |                        |
|                           | VF-102-KIT        | -32dBm                 |                        |
| Receive Sensitivity (dBm) | VF-102SC-KIT      | -34.5dBm               |                        |
|                           | VF-102S15-KIT     | -28dBm                 |                        |
|                           | VF-106-KIT        | -31dBm                 |                        |
|                           | VF-101-KIT        | -14                    |                        |
|                           | VF-102-KIT        | 0                      |                        |
| Max. Input Power (dBm)    | VF-102SC-KIT      | -14                    |                        |
|                           | VF-102S15-KIT     | -8                     |                        |
|                           | VF-106-KIT        | 0                      |                        |
| 50/125µm or 62.5/         |                   |                        | node cable             |
|                           | 9/125µm single-mo | ode cable              |                        |
| Hardware Specification    | One Power         |                        |                        |
| LED Indicators            | One for Video     |                        |                        |

| - Green, Link<br>• One for Fiber Optic<br>- Green, LinkDimension (W x D x H)94 x 70 x 26 mmWeight215gPower Requirement5V / 2APower Consumption4.8 Watts (maximum) |                              |                             |                          |  |
|---|------------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------|--|
| - Green, Link       Dimension (W x D x H)     94 x 70 x 26 mm       Weight     215g       Power Requirement     5V / 2A   |                              | - Green, Link               |                          |  |
| Dimension (W x D x H)     94 x 70 x 26 mm       Weight     215g       Power Requirement     5V / 2A   |                              | One for Fiber Optic         |                          |  |
| Weight     215g       Power Requirement     5V / 2A   |                              | - Green, Link               |                          |  |
| Power Requirement 5V / 2A   | Dimension (W x D x H)        | 94 x 70 x 26 mm             |                          |  |
|   | Weight                       | 215g                        |                          |  |
| Power Consumption         4.8 Watts (maximum)   | Power Requirement            | 5V / 2A                     |                          |  |
|   | Power Consumption            | 4.8 Watts (maximum)         |                          |  |
| Mechanical Metal  | Mechanical                   | Metal                       |                          |  |
| Compatible Converter Chassis MC-700 / MC-1500 / MC-1500R  | Compatible Converter Chassis | MC-700 / MC-1500 / MC-1500R |                          |  |
| Standards Conformance   | Standards Conformance        |                             |                          |  |
| Regulation Compliance         FCC Part 15 Class A, CE   | Regulation Compliance        | FCC Part 15 Class A, CE     |                          |  |
| Environment   | Environment                  |                             |                          |  |
| Operating Temperature: 0 ~ 50 Degree C  | Operating                    | Temperature:                | 0 ~ 50 Degree C          |  |
| Operating         Relative Humidity:         5 ~ 95% (non-condensing)   | Operating                    | Relative Humidity:          | 5 ~ 95% (non-condensing) |  |
| Temperature: -10 ~ 70 Degree C  |                              | Temperature:                | -10 ~ 70 Degree C        |  |
| Storage         Relative Humidity:         5 ~ 95% (non-condensing)   | Storage                      | Relative Humidity:          | 5 ~ 95% (non-condensing) |  |

# 2. HARDWARE DESCRIPTION

### 2.1 Front Panel

The units' front panel provides a simple interface monitoring the converter. There are fiber optical interface and VIDEO socket in the front panel. For the VF-10x-T / VF-10x-R which reverse data connector, the RS485/422 DATA port may be connected to the user's interface end.



VF-102SC-T / VF-102SC-R / VF-102S15-T / VF-102S15-R



#### 2.1.1 Ports connection

| Video Connection:      | Connecting the video signal to or from the product through a $75\Omega$ coax cable with BNC plug.   |
|------------------------|---|
| Async-data Connection: | <ul> <li>Connect the output data port (eg. TX+ and TX-) of other control device to the RX+ and RX- of the RX.</li> <li>Connect the input data port (eg. RX+ and RX-) of other under controlled device to the TX+ and TX- of the TX.</li> <li>GND in both TX and RX should be connected directly to user's equipment.</li> </ul> |
| Fiber Connection:      | Connect the fiber-optic cable pigtail (with FC/PC, SC/PC, WDM/PC or ST/PC optical connector) to the product's Fiber port.   |

#### 2.1.2 LED Indicators

The rich diagnostic LEDs on the front panel can provide the operating status of individual port and whole system. There are "POWER" \ "VIDEO" \ "LINK" 3 LEDs in the front panel of TX/RX. Each LED lightens means:

| LED   | Color | Function   |
|-------|-------|--|
| POWER | Green | Lights to indicate that the Converter has power. |
| VIDEO | Green | Lighted when video signal in.                    |
| LNK   | Green | Lighted when laser in.                           |

### 2.2 Rear Panel

The rear panel of the converter indicates one DC jack, which accepts input power with 5V DC 2A.



|                | 1. | The device is a power-required device, it means, it will not work till it is powered. If your networks |
|----------------|----|--|
| <b>⊳</b> Power |    | should active all the time, please consider using UPS (Uninterrupted Power Supply) for your            |
| Notice:        |    | device. It will prevent you from network data loss or network downtime.                                |
|                | 2. | In some area, installing a surge suppression device may also help to protect your converter from       |

being damaged by unregulated surge or current to the converter or the power adapter.

# **3 INSTALL THE CONVERTER**

This section describes how to install your VF-10x Media Converter and make connections to the converter. Please read the following topics and perform the procedures in the order being presented. The hardware installation of PLANET VF-10x Media Converter do not need software configuration. To install your VF-10x on a desktop or shelf, simply complete the following steps.

#### 3.1 Limitation

The converter does not require any software configuration. Users can immediately use any feature of this product simply by attached the cables and plug power on. There is some key limitation on the video over fiber converter. Please check the following items:

- The device is used for Point-to-Point connection only (transmitter to receiver) and allows video and data work on the same optical fiber patch cord.
- The BNC connector and supports 75 ohm cable. The distance will change by the quality of coaxial cables.

#### 3.2 Stand-alone Installation

To install a VF-10x-T / VF-10x-R stand-alone, on a desktop or shelf, simply complete the following steps:

Step 1: Turn off the power of the analog camera / monitor to which the VF-10x-T / VF-10x-R will be attached.

Step 2: VF-10x-T (Transmitter): Connect coaxial cable from analog camera to Video BNC port of the VF-10x-T.

**Step 3:** Attach FC single mode fiber cable from the VF-10x-T to VF-10x-R in the remote side.

Step 4: VF-10x-R (Receiver): Connect coaxial cable from monitor / DVR to Video BNC port of the VF-10x-R.

Step 5: Connect the 5V DC power adapter to the VF-10x-T / VF-10x-R and verify that the Power LED lights up.

Step 6: Turn on the power of the analog camera / monitor; the VIDEO LED (Green) should light when all cables are attached.

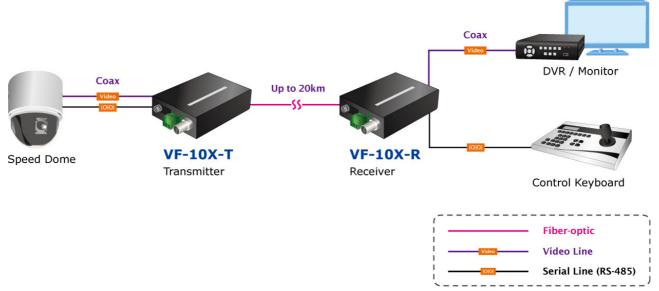


Figure 3-1 VF-10x-T / VF-10x-R stand alone installation

### 3.3 Chassis Installation and Rack Mounting

To install the Video over fiber Converter in a **10-inch** or **19-inch** Converter Chassis with standard rack, follow the instructions described below.

Step 1: Place your Converter Chassis on a hard flat surface, with the front panel positioned towards your front side.

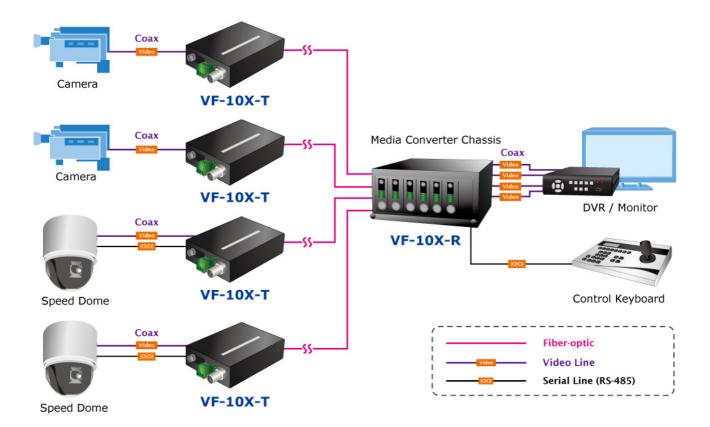
Step 2: Carefully slide in the module until it is fully and firmly fitted into the slot of the Converter Chassis.



Figure 3-2: Insert a video over fiber converter into an available slot

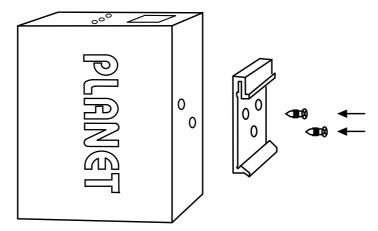
Step 3: Attach a rack-mount bracket to each side of the Converter Chassis with supplied screws attached to the package.

- Step 4: After the brackets are attached to the Converter Chassis, use suitable screws to securely attach the brackets to the rack.
- **Step 5**: Proceed with the steps 4 and steps 5 of session **3.2 Stand-alone Installation** to connect the video and fiber cabling and supply power to your Converter Chassis.

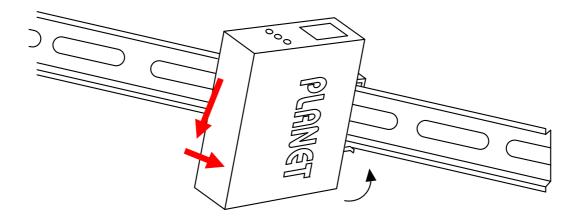


### 3.4 Optional - DIN-Rail mounting

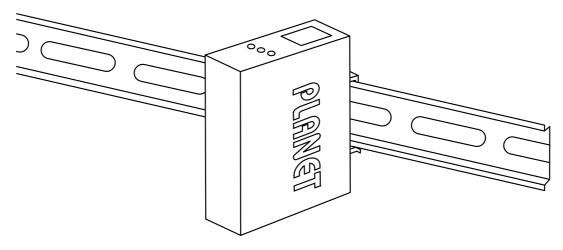
There are two DIN-Rail holes on the left side of the VF-10x-T/VF-10x-R that allows the converter can be easily installed with DIN-Rail mounting. The PLANET optional DIN-Rail mounting Kit – RKE-DIN can be order separately. When need to replace the wall mount application with DIN-Rail application on the VF-10x-T / VF-10x-R, please refer to following figures to screw the DIN-Rail on the converter. To hang the VF-10x-T / VF-10x-R, follow the below steps: **Step 1:** screw the DIN-Rail on the VF-10x-T / VF-10x-R.



Step 2: Lightly press the button of DIN-Rail into the track.



Step 3: Check the DIN-Rail is tightly on the track.





You must use the screws supplied with the mounting brackets. Damage caused to the parts by using incorrect screws would invalidate your warranty.

# **4 POWER INFORMATION**

The power jack of VF-10x-T / VF-10x-R is with 2.5mm in the central post and required +5VDC power input. It will conform to the bundled AC-DC adapter and Planet's Media Converter Chassis. If you have the issue to make the power connection, please contact your local sales representative.

Please keep the AC-DC adapter as spare parts when your VF-10x is installed to a Media Converter Chassis.

