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# **REVISION HISTORY**

REVISION	DESCRIPTION	<u>DATE</u>
0.1	Original Version – Preliminary	Jul 01
0.2	Preliminary – Menu updates	Aug 01
0.3	Preliminary – Added 7765AVM-4A, –SD and –CA information	Oct 01
1.0	First Release of "-4" versions. ("-4A" to be updated in revision 1.1)	Feb 02
1.0.1	Minor corrections	Mar 02
1.0.2	Correction to 7765AVM-4A – currently supports 2 AES audio channels; other minor updates	May 02
1v0_3	Minor corrections	Jul 02
1v0_4	Added UMD/tally protocol support – Probel and TSL	Aug 02



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#### 1. **OVERVIEW**

Equipped with standard audio and video (AVM) monitoring features including an on-screen, menu-driven display, user configurable audio level bar graphs and status windows, the 7765AVM-4 "Quattro" can simultaneously display four SDI/601 video signals with embedded audio through an HD (7765AVM-4-HD), SD (7765AVM-4-SD), Composite Analog (7765AVM-4-CA) or VGA (7765AVM-4-VGA) output, supporting 4:3 and 16:9 aspect ratios. Furthermore, the 7765AVM-4A "Quattro" series monitors the signal status of either embedded audio or externally supplied AES/EBU audio (3 AES/EBU inputs per video channel for a total of 12 AES/EBU input channels are supported). Upon setting parameter thresholds and enabling fault conditions, any adverse behavior of any one input stream results in a clearly recognizable, user configurable on-screen, or GPI, fault alert message, immediately notifying operators of potential problems. The two-slot, 7765AVM-4 and 7765AVM-4A modules fit conveniently into Evertz's 7700FR-C frame.

The 7765AVM-4 and –4A cards are also VistaLINK™-enabled, offering remote monitoring, control and configuration capabilities via Simple Network Management Protocol (SNMP). This product feature offers another solution to manage operations including signal monitoring and module configuration from SNMPenabled control systems (Manager or NMS) locally or remotely.

# Features:

- Four SDI/601 525 line or 625 line, 270 Mb/s component digital video inputs with embedded audio on 7765AVM-4 versions and embedded or external AES/EBU audio on 7765AVM-4A versions. (-VGA -CA and -SD versions support either 525 or 625 line inputs, 525 line inputs for –HD version.)
- One group (4 channels of audio) is demultiplexed from the SDI source and VU/PPM level and phase graphs are keyed next to the video picture
- Genlock reference loop input for proper timing (not available on –VGA version)
- Decodes vertical interval time code (VITC) and "burns" the time code into the picture •
- Decodes PESA format Source ID (8 characters) or VITC Source ID (5 or 9 characters) and burns the • ID into the picture
- Decodes Line 21 XDS packets containing network name, call letters, program name and time of day •
- A comprehensive on screen display is available to configure the various features of the module •
- User-configurable on screen display for source ID •
- On screen messages triggered by fault conditions •
- Detects frozen (patent pending) and black video •
- Four user-configurable fault condition alert messages per video input with configurable background • colors and opacities
- User-configurable tally indicators on source ID messages ٠
- H/V delay viewing configuration •
- Standard HD-SDI, SD-SDI, Composite Analog and VGA-type outputs •
- Support for 4:3 or 16:9 video inputs and output video displays •
- Twelve GPI inputs are available to modify the display characteristics (4 GPI inputs on 7765AVM-4A-x) •
- Four GPO outputs to indicate user definable fault conditions •
- External AES audio (7765AVM-4A versions only) and GPI I/Os are available on a DB-25 connector •
- RS-232 or RS-422 serial port (jumper configurable), with support for Probel and TSL under monitor display protocols
- VistaLINK<sup>™</sup>-enabled offering remote monitoring, control and configuration capabilities via SNMP. VistaLINK<sup>™</sup> is available when modules are used with the 3RU 7700FR-C frame and a 7700FC VistaLINK<sup>™</sup> Frame Controller module in slot 1 of the frame.



 Optional Bulkhead Breakout Panel accessory that provides a convenient way of connecting AES/EBU audio and GPI I/O signals into the DB-25 on 7765AVM-4A modules.



Three AES/EBU audio channels are supported in 7765AVM-4A-VGA and 7765AVM-4A-SD "Build 2" hardware modules. Modules delivered after August 1, 2002 are considered "Build 2". Prior to this date, modules are considered "Build 1" for which only two AES/EBU audio channels on the above mentioned "–4A" modules are supported. For additional information, please contact Evertz.

# 1.1. FUNCTIONAL DESCRIPTION

For each of the four SDI(601) inputs, serial digital video is converted to parallel and embedded audio, VITC, closed captioning and source ID are extracted from it. The audio is read by the CPU and further processed to extract level information. The CPU creates the level and phase bar graphs and writes them out to the on screen display (OSD) memory. The hardware mixes (keys) the on screen text and bar graphs display information onto the video stream. This video goes out digitally through a parallel to serial converter and/or analog through a composite encoder.

The CPU also gets push-button and toggle-switch commands from the card edge controls and draws extensive menus for configuring the operation of the card. Card configuration is also possible through VistaLINK<sup>™</sup>.



# Figure 1: 7765AVM-4 and 7765AVM-4A Block Diagram

#### 2. INSTALLATION

The 7765AVM-4 and 7765AVM-4A modules come with a companion rear plates that may include BNC connectors, a high-density DB-15 and one female DB-25, depending on the "Quattro" model. Modules occupy two slots in the 7700FR-C frame. The 7765AVM-4 and 7765AVM-4A modules must be inserted into slots with the correct rear plate assembly. Figure 2 shows a picture of "Quattro" rear plates. For information on mounting the rear plate and inserting the module into the frame see the 7700FR-C chapter, section 3.

#### VIDEO IN AND OUT 2.1.

Connect a source of component digital 525 line or 625 line 270 Mb/s (with or without embedded audio, or external AES/EBU) video to each (or any) of the four SDI inputs (labeled "SDI INPUT 1-4"). The -VGA versions are equipped with firmware to handle only one type of input. Processed video with text and audio bar graphs are available on one of the HD, SD, Composite Analog or VGA outputs.



Figure 2: 7765AVM-4 Rear Plates (7765AVM-4A Rear Plates are similar)



DB-25	7765AVM-4	Description	7765AVM-4A	Description
1	GPI1	General Purpose Input 1	GPI1	General Purpose Input 1
2	GPI2	General Purpose Input 2	GPI2	General Purpose Input 2
3	GPI3	General Purpose Input 3	AES5	AES2 Video B
4	GPI4	General Purpose Input 4	AES6	AES3 Video B
5	Tx+	RS-422	Tx+	RS-422
		(Jumper configurable)		(Jumper configurable)
6	Tx-/Tx	RS-422/232	Tx-/Tx	RS-422/232
		(Jumper configurable)		(Jumper configurable)
7	GPO1	General Purpose Output 1	GPO1	General Purpose Output 1
8	GPO2	General Purpose Output 2	GPO2	General Purpose Output 2
9			AES1	AES1 Video A
10			AES2	AES2 Video A
11	GPI9	General Purpose Input 9	AES7	AES1 Video C
12	GPI10	General Purpose Input 10	AES8	AES2 Video C
13	GPI5	General Purpose Input 5	AES9	AES3 Video C
14	GPI6	General Purpose Input 6	AES11	AES2 Video D
15	GPI7	General Purpose Input 7	AES12	AES3 Video D
16	GPI8	General Purpose Input 8	GPI3	General Purpose Input 3
17	Rx+	RS-422	Rx+	RS-422
		(Jumper configurable)		(Jumper configurable)
18	Rx-/Rx	RS-422/232 input	Rx-/Rx	RS-422/232 input
		(Jumper configurable)		(Jumper configurable)
19	GPO3	General Purpose Output 3	GPO3	General Purpose Output 3
20	GPO4	General Purpose Output 4	GPO4	General Purpose Output 4
21	Ground	Ground	GND	Ground
22			AES3	AES3 Video A
23			AES4	AES1 Video B
24	GPI11	General Purpose Input 11	GPI4	General Purpose Input 4
25	GPI12	General Purpose Input 12	AES10	AES1 Video D
Shell	GND	Ground	GND	Ground

# Table 1: Audio and AUX I/O Pinouts

# 2.2. General Purpose Inputs and Outputs

The GPI's are active low with internal pull up resistors (4.7k Ohms) to +5V. To make an input active, lower the signal to near ground potential (i.e. connect to shell or chassis ground). This can be done with a switch, relay, TTL drive, GPO output or other similar method. Figure 3 shows the input circuit for the General Purpose inputs.



Figure 3: GPI Input Circuitry

The GPO's are software programmable active high or low with internal pull up ( $10k\Omega$ ) resistors to +5V. When the output goes low it is able to sink up to 10mA. When high, the signal will go high (+5V). **Do not draw more than 100µA from the output.** Figure 4 shows the circuit for the General Purpose output.



Figure 4: GPO Output Circuitry

# 2.2.1. RS-232/422 Serial Port Connections

The COM port signals are either standard RS-422 or RS-232 with no hardware flow control. The directions of the signals are indicated in Table 1. The port on the AUDIO AND AUX I/O connector is used for data logging of the status and fault condition alerts. Jumper J23 located on the 7765AVM-4



module is used to determine whether the designated pins operate as a balanced RS422 Receive and Transmit channel, or as a RS-232 Receive and Transmit channel. (See Figure 7 for jumper location.)

For RS-232 operation, connect this port to a COM port on your PC running a terminal application such as Windows HyperTerminal. Configure the port to 57600 baud, 8 bits, no parity, 2 stop bits and no flow control.

The port's physical layout, with RS-422/232 designation is shown in Figure 5.



Figure 5: AUDIO AND AUX I/O Physical Layout and RS-232/422 Serial I/O Pin Connections

# 3. SPECIFICATIONS

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# 3.1. SERIAL DIGITAL INPUT

SMPTE 259M-C, 525 OR 625 lines component (525 line input only on 7765AVM-4/-4A-HD)
4
BNC per IEC 169-8
75 ohm
Automatic >225m @ 270 Mb/s with Belden 8281 (or equivalent)
>15dB up to 270MHz
SMPTE 272M-A

# 3.2. DIGITAL AES/EBU AUDIO INPUT (7765AVM-4A-xx versions only)

3 AES/EBU per video input (total 12 inputs)
SMPTE 276M, single ended AES
Female DB-25
24 bit
48 kHz
75 $\Omega$ unbalanced

# 3.3. SERIAL VIDEO OUTPUT (7765AVM-4-HD and 7765AVM-4A-HD)

Standard:	SMPTE 292M
Number of Outputs:	1
Connector:	BNC per IEC 169-8
Signal Level:	800mV nominal
DC Offset:	0V ±0.5V
Rise and Fall Time:	200ps nominal
Overshoot:	<10% of amplitude

# 3.4. SERIAL VIDEO OUTPUT (7765AVM-4-SD and 7765AVM-4A-SD)

Standard:	SMPTE 259M-C
Number of Outputs:	1
Connector:	BNC per IEC 169-8
Signal Level:	800mV nominal
DC Offset:	0V ±0.5V
Rise and Fall Time:	470ps nominal
Overshoot:	<10% of amplitude



# 3.5. ANALOG VIDEO OUTPUT (7765AVM-4-CA and 7765AVM-4A-CA)

Standard:	NTSC, SMPTE 170M, PAL ITU624-4
Number of Outputs:	1
Connector:	BNC per IEC 169-8
Signal Level:	1V nominal
DC Offset:	0V +/- 0.1V
Return Loss:	>35 dB up to 5MHz
Frequency Response:	0.8 dB to 4 MHz
Differential Phase:	<0.9deg. (<0.6deg. typical)
Differential Gain:	<0.9% (<0.5% typical)
SNR:	>56 dB to 5MHz (shallow ramp)

# 3.6. ANALOG VIDEO OUTPUT (7765AVM-4-VGA and 7765AVM-4A-VGA)

Standard:	VGA
Number of Outputs:	1
Connector:	Female high-density DB-15
Video:	1Vp-p YPrPb/RGB or 0.7V p-p VGA, 60Hz refresh
Sync:	300 mV or 4V
Impedance:	75Ω

# 3.7. GENLOCK INPUT (Not included in 7765AVM-4-VGA or 7765AVM-4A-VGA)

Туре:	NTSC (SMPTE 170M) color black
Level:	1Vp-p nominal
Connector:	BNC per IEC 169-8

#### 3.8. AUDIO BAR GRAPHS

Number of Graphs:	4 (1 group) per input video channel
Ballistics:	AES/EBU, DIN, BBC and Nordic N9

# 3.9. GENERAL PURPOSE IN/OUT

Number of Inputs:	12 (configurable); 4 (configurable) in 7765AVM-4A versions
Number of Outputs:	4 (configurable)
Туре:	Opto-isolated, active low with internal pull-ups to +5V
Connector:	Female DB-25
Input signal:	Closure to ground
Signal Level:	+5V nominal

# 3.10. DATA INPUT/OUTPUT SERIAL PORT

Number of Ports:	1 RS-232 or 1 RS-422 (jumper selectable)
Connector:	Female DB-25
Baud Rate:	Up to 1 Mbaud
Format:	RS-232: 8 bits, no parity, 2 stop bits and no flow control



# 3.11. ELECTRICAL

Voltage:	+12VDC
Power:	24 Watts
EMI/RFI:	Complies with FCC Part 15, Class A and EU EMC directive

# 3.12. PHYSICAL

Number of slots: 2

# 4. STATUS LEDs

# 4.1. MODULE STATUS LEDs

**MODULE STATUS:** This Green LED will be on when the module is operating properly.

**LOCAL FAULT:** This Red LED makes it easy to identify one module in a frame that is missing an essential input or has another fault.

The Red LED will blink on and off if the microprocessor is not running.

The Red LED will be on when there is a fault in the module power supply or a user configurable error condition exists (as configured through the Frame Status Trigger menu option).

# 4.2. VIDEO STATUS LEDs

Four LEDs on the top board (7700CC) indicate which video input signals are present.

Video LED	Color	Video Status
1	Off	No video present on channel A
	Green	Video present on channel A
2	Off	No video present on channel B
	Green	Video present on channel B
3	Off	No video present on channel C
	Green	Video present on channel C
4	Off	No video present on channel D
	Green	Video present on channel D

# Table 2: Video Status LEDs



# 5. OPERATING LEVELS, HEADROOM, CLIPPING AND THE BAR GRAPHS

This section contains notes to understand how the AVM product line relates digital audio levels, analog output audio levels, and the displayed bar graph levels.

When a full-scale digital signal is input, you will get an analog output signal level that is set by the *Peak Output Level*. The *Headroom* control sets the 100% program reference level (0 dB on the scale) with respect to the *Peak Output Level*. For example, if the *Peak Output Level* is set to 24 dBu and the *Headroom* is set to 20 dB, then the 0 dB reference on the bar graphs will correspond to an output level of 4 dBu. This level will be achieved when a digital input signal of –20 dB FS is applied at the input. Therefore, the following relationship is always maintained:

PGM reference level + headroom = peak output level

**NOTE:** The VU and PPM standards were set before the digital revolution. These standards deal with headroom levels that are quite a bit lower what should be used in the digital world. Also, most of the bar graphs only display a few dB above the program reference level. In a digital world, one needs to leave around 20 dB of headroom to keep most material away from clipping.

For best results, follow these steps when setting up the audio bar graphs and output levels:

- 1. Set the *Headroom* control to the desired value. Remember that this is the value in dB between the 100% reference level (expressed in dB FS) and saturation level of the digital input word (0 dB FS). It will also correspond to the value in dB between the analog output level when a reference level is input and the maximum output level set by *Peak Output Level*.
- 2. Pick the bar graph type and mode. This selection will configure the bar graphs with the defaults dictated by the standards. It will also set the *Peak Output Level* and the 0dB reference level to adhere to the standard and the desired headroom.
- 3. Adjust any of the bar graph configuration parameters to customize the display of the graphs.
- 4. Save the card configuration into a preset so that you can recall it if any card parameter is tampered with.

#### AUDIO ALARM CALIBRATION PROCEDURE 6.

This section contains detailed description on setting the various audio warning/error detection parameters.

Some of the audio alarm detection algorithms are dependent on the state of other audio alarm detectors. For instance, the mono detection algorithm will not use periods of silence as determined by the silence detection. For this reason, the following sequence should be used to calibrate the audio alarms. The items in Italics refer to menu items in the AVM. See section 7.5 for a complete description of the fault definition menu items.

#### **CALIBRATE AUDIO SILENCE DETECTION** 6.1.

- 1. Supply the card with your plant's noisiest audio feed without any audio program material present. This will be a baseline noise level to calibrate the silence detector.
- 2. Turn off all sources of errors in a Fault Condition and assign Audio Silence as the only error. Also, make sure that you set the Fault Duration to a small number of frames so that you will see when the error condition disappears.
- 3. Set the Silence Duration to 0.5 sec so that you can see the results of adjusting the Silence Level parameter without getting confused with the detection time.
- 4. Adjust the audio Silence Level until the Fault Condition begins to go active. This will be the noise floor level. Raise the Silence Level a few dB to make the detector insensitive to this noise level.
- 5. Set the Silence Duration to a time appropriate to your application. This should be set to a value longer than your worst case acceptable quiet period.

#### 6.2. CALIBRATE AUDIO PHASE REVERSAL DETECTION

- 1. Supply the card with a stereo signal that has the phases reversed. Make sure that the material is typical of normal content for this channel.
- 2. Turn off all sources of errors in a Fault Condition and assign Phase Reversal as the only error. Also, make sure that you set the Fault Duration to a small number of frames so that you will see when the error condition disappears.
- 3. Set the Phase Reversal Duration to 0.5 sec so that you can see the results of adjusting the Phase Reversal Level without getting confused with the detection time.
- 4. Adjust the *Phase Reversal Level* so that the *Fault Condition* detects the phase reversal.
- 5. Set the *Phase Reversal Duration* to a time period appropriate to your application. Warning: Periods of silence (below the Silence Level) will extend this duration. In other words, periods without audio content are not included in the phase reversal detection. Warning: Stereo material with long periods of dissimilar left/right content (i.e. music with plenty of panning) may cause the phase reversal detector to fire. It is best to set the Phase Reversal Duration to a value larger than what you would expect.



# 6.3. CALIBRATE AUDIO MONO DETECTION

1. Supply the card with a stereo signal that originated from mono material and that has a large amount of uncorrelated noise added to each channel. This will allow you to set the *Mono Threshold* to a value that will detect the mono condition in the presence of noise.

**Warning:** Make sure that the material is in-phase. Mono material will not be detected if it is out of phase.

- 2. Turn off all sources of errors in a *Fault Condition* and assign *Mono* as the only error. Also, make sure that you set the *Fault Duration* to a small number of frames so that you will see when the error condition disappears.
- 3. Set the *Mono Duration* to 0.5 sec so that you can see the results of adjusting the *Mono Threshold Level* without getting confused with the detection time.
- 4. Adjust the *Mono Threshold Level* so that the *Fault Condition* detects the mono material in the presence of noise.
- Set the Mono Duration to a time period appropriate to your application.
   Warning: Periods of silence (below the Silence Level) will extend this duration. In other words, periods

without audio content are not included in the mono detection.

**Warning:** Stereo material with long periods of similar left/right content (i.e. talking heads in a news cast) may cause the mono detector to fire. It is best to set the *Mono Duration* to a value larger than what you would expect.

# 6.4. DEFINE THE AUDIO FAULT CONDITION(S)

- 1. A *Fault Condition* is defined as a group of one or more problems grouped together that will create a fault when any one of the problems exists. Decide what grouping of error conditions will generate a fault by setting the appropriate condition to *Yes* in the *Fault Condition* menu.
- 2. Set the *Fault Duration* to either *Until Reset* or to a time value. This is how long the condition will stay active after the conditions generating the fault go away.
- 3. Configure a *Fault Message*. Enter the text to display on screen, it's H and V position, and it's characteristics (opacity, color, etc).
- 4. Assign the *Fault Condition* to an output contact closure (GPO) if it is desired.

#### 7. **ON SCREEN MENUS**

#### NAGIVATING THE ON SCREEN MENU SYSTEM 7.1.

A toggle switch and pushbutton allow card edge navigation of a set of on-screen menus used to configure the card. Module configuration is possible through VistaLINK<sup>™</sup> using either the VistaLINK<sup>™</sup> PRO Network Management System (NMS) or other SNMP Manager (provided that the interface has been developed for the third-party manager).

Using the push-button/togale technique, enter the on-screen menu system by pressing the pushbutton once. This will bring you to the main setup menu where you can use the toggle switch to move up and down the list of available sub menus. An arrow (>) moves up and down the left hand side of the menu items to indicate which item you are currently choosing. Once the arrow is on the desired item, press the pushbutton to select the next menu level.

On all menus, there are two extra selectable items: Back and Exit. Selecting Back will take you to the previous menu (the one that was used to get into the current menu) while Exit will return the display to its normal operating mode. On the main menu, BACK and EXIT will both take you to the normal operating mode.

Once in a sub menu, there may be another menu layer, or there may be a list of parameters to adjust. If there is another set of menu choices, use the toggle switch to select the desired menu item and press the pushbutton.

To adjust any parameter, use the toggle switch to move up or down to the desired parameter and press the pushbutton. The arrow will move to the right hand side of the line (<) indicating that you can now adjust the parameter. Using the toggle switch, adjust the parameter to its desired value. If the parameter is a numerical value, the number will increase if you lift the toggle switch and decrease if you push down on the toggle switch. If the parameter contains a list of choices, you can cycle through the list by pressing the toggle switch in either direction.

When you have stopped at the desired value, depress the pushbutton. This will update the parameter to the selected value and move the arrow back to the left side of the parameter list (>). Continue selecting and adjusting other parameters or use the BACK or EXIT commands.

# 7.1.1. Changing Text Fields

Some of the controls of the OSD menu allow you to adjust a text-based field. Editing a line of text can be a little tedious with a toggle switch and a pushbutton, but it can be done with the following procedure:

1. Select the text to edit by pressing the pushbutton when the menu item is selected. This will take you to a screen that has the label/name of the text being edited and a white box. The white box contains the text to change and is drawn to the maximum size of the text field. SAMPLE TEXT

Note the arrow (^) under the character. This indicates which character you will be changing with the toggle switch.

2. Use the toggle switch to change the first character of the text message.

- 3. Once you have selected the desired character, press the pushbutton. This will advance the arrow to the next character. Continue changing the remainder of the characters in the same way.
- 4. There are two special characters to help you enter the text: a backspace character (left pointing arrow), and an end of line character (stop sign):
- Left Arrow: If you have accidentally advanced to the next character and want to go back, select the left arrow with the toggle switch. When you press the pushbutton, you will go back to the previous character. This will save you from having to complete the editing and re-edit it to change the mistake.
- **Stop sign:** If you are done changing the text, and the new text is shorter than old text, you can terminate the line with a stop sign. When you use the pushbutton after selecting the stop sign, any remaining characters in the text field will be erased and you will return to the menu structure.
- 5. You are done editing when you reach the end of the field (maximum length), or you select the stop sign and press the pushbutton.



# 7.2. ON SCREEN DISPLAY – MAIN MENU

Video source A	Audio source configuration, source ID and fault definitions
Video source B	Audio source configuration, source ID and fault definitions
Video source C	Audio source configuration, source ID and fault definitions
Video source D	Audio source configuration, source ID and fault definitions
Quadrant 1	Quadrant-specific on-screen display settings, including audio bar graph configuration, on-screen display text windows, conditions for fault alerting and expanded, H/V delay view mode settings
Quadrant 2	Quadrant-specific on-screen display settings, including audio bar graph configuration, on-screen display text windows, conditions for fault alerting and expanded. H/V delay view mode settings
Quadrant 3	Quadrant-specific on-screen display settings, including audio bar graph configuration, on-screen display text windows, conditions for fault alerting and expanded. H/V delay view mode settings
Quadrant 4	Quadrant-specific on-screen display settings, including audio bar graph configuration, on-screen display text windows, conditions for fault alerting and expanded. H/V delay view mode settings
On-screen display configuration	Bar-graphs, text window and fault window display properties
GPI configuration	General Purpose Interface input (GPI) trigger assignment summary screen
GPO configuration	General Purpose Interface output (GPO) trigger assignment summary screen
H/V delay	General H/V delay display parameter setting
Serial Port	Data logging and UMD via serial port set-up menu
Utilities	Store/Recall configuration presets; upgrade utility, factory reset and product firmware specification
Loss of video	Global setting to pass video or black upon loss of video input
Display mode	Four quadrant or user-specified, single quadrant view on full screen
NTSC setup pedestal	For 7765AVM-4-CA and 7765AVM-4A-CA versions only, this option allows the user to setup NTSC pedestal (525 version only).

The OSD menu is arranged in a layered structure that groups similar configuration items together. The following section gives a brief description of the first level of menus that appear when you enter the OSD screens. Selecting one of these items will take you to the next menu level. Sections 7.3 to 7.11 provide detailed descriptions of each of the sub menus. The tables in sections 7.3 to 7.11 are arranged in an indented structure to indicate the path taken to reach the control. Menu items or parameters that are underlined indicate the factory default values.



# 7.3. CONFIGURING VIDEO SOURCES

The *Video Source* menus are used to configure parameters associated with the video, audio group input and the Source ID decoders. The chart below shows the items available in the *Video source* menu. There are four video inputs to configure. For simplicity only the menu items for Video source A will be shown in the manual. Sections 7.3.1 to 7.3.10 give detailed information about each of the parameters.

Audio channel	Select audio channel ½ for reference level and bar graph configuration
Audio channel	Select either audio channel <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> for reference level and bar graph configuration
<sup>3</sup> ∕₄ Source ID	Set audio bar graph Normal or Sum + diff mode
Fault definitions	Definition of fault conditions, levels, thresholds, durations for inputs
Audio source	Identifies the audio group that is monitored
Clear peaks	Clears all audio bar graph peaks

#### 7.3.1. Audio Channel Configurations

Audio level	Se
mode Headroom	Se
PPM mode	Ра
	au
Clear peak	Se

Sets the bar mode to be either normal or sum + diff. mode for audio channel 1/2.

Sets the audio operating level headroom for audio channel 1/2.

Parameter used to select one of the available industry standard ballistics for audio channel ½.

Setting to clear audio peaks for channel  $\frac{1}{2}$ . Peaks cleared through OSD menu or through configurable GPIs.

#### 7.3.1.1. Setting Audio Bar Graph Operating Modes



Configuration for audio channel  $\frac{1}{2}$  reference levels and bar graphs. For simplicity only channel  $\frac{1}{2}$  menu items are shown in this manual – channels  $\frac{3}{4}$  configuration menu is similar.

In Normal mode, stereo bar graphs are displayed.

In Sum + diff mode, bar graph 1 is the absolute value of the sum of both channels and bar graph 2 displays the absolute value of the magnitude of the difference of the two signals.

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#### 7.3.1.2. Setting Audio Headroom

Video s	source A
Auc	dio channel ½
I	leadroom
	0 to 30dB
	0dB

The *headroom* is the level difference between a maximum amplitude signal that can be represented in the digital input (this is called 0 dB FS or 0 dB Full Scale) to a nominal, user defined operating level, represented in Decibels. In modern digital studios and broadcast stations this is on the order of 20 dB.

This control is used to position the 0 dB point for the VU and PPM meters. For example, if you set this control to 15dB and input a signal that is – 15 dB FS, then the bar graph top will be at 0dB. When you adjust this level, you are also changing the 0dBr or program reference point on the bar graphs to maintain the relationship:

PGM. Ref. + headroom = peak output level

This value should be set first. After you set the headroom and select the bar type/mode, you can adjust the bar graph colored area sizes with the *Error region* and *Warning region* controls.

# 7.3.1.3. Setting PPM Mode and Ballistics

Video s	ource A
Auc	lio channel ½
P	PM mode
	DIN
	BBC
	Nordic N9
	<u>AES/EBU</u>

This parameter selects one of four industry standard Peak Program Meter (PPM) display modes.

When one of these modes is selected, a number of items are set to adhere with predefined industry standards. The items affected include; meter attack time, meter decay time, min level displayed, max level displayed, analog reference (100%) level and, in some instances, region coloring and phase graph representation. Table 3 illustrates the values set by the standards.

Mode	Attack	Decay	Ref.	Min	Max	Peak Output	Notes
	Time	Time	Level	Level	Level	Level	
DIN 45 406	10 ms	1.5 sec	6 dBu	-50 dB	5 dB	6 + headroom	1 dB per div until –10 dB,
		for					logarithmic to bottom -50dB.
(IRT Rec. 3/6)		20 dB					Associated DIN phase
							correlation scale:
							<ul> <li>both the same =&gt; 1 r,</li> </ul>
							<ul> <li>only 1 signal =&gt; 0 r,</li> </ul>
							<ul> <li>both out of phase =&gt; -1r.</li> </ul>
BBC 55428	12 ms	2.8 sec	8 dBu	1	7	8 + headroom	# 6 on the scale is the
part 9		for 7 to 1		-12 dB	+12 dB		reference level
Nordic N9	5 ms	1.7 sec	6 dBu	-42 dB	+12 dB	6 + headroom	
		for					
		20 dB					
AES/ EBU	1	1.5 sec	User	-60 dB	0 dB	User defined	100% reading is user
	sample	for	defined				definable.
	period	20 dB					0 dB corresponds to 0 dB FS.

**Table 3: PPM Bar Graph Characteristics** 



**Note:** The phase correlation scale on the DIN type is different from our other phase indicators (*Sum* + *Diff* and phase bar graphs).

## 7.3.2. Clearing Audio Peaks



This menu item provides a convenient method to reset audio peak holds for audio channel ½ through the use of a GPI.

# 7.3.3. Setting Source ID Configurations

525 VITC line	Set the line number for decoding Vertical Interval Time Code in 525 line video (525 code only).
625 VITC line	Set the line number for decoding Vertical Interval Time Code in 625 line video. (625 code only).
525 PESA line	Set the line number for decoding PESA format Source ID in 525 line video (525 code only).
625 PESA line	Set the line number for decoding PESA format Source ID in 625 line video (625 code only).
Default source ID mode	Selects whether the Default SID message will be shown when there is no source ID on the incoming video
Default source ID message	Set the message that will be shown when <i>Default SID mode</i> and the SID window are enabled.
Source ID color 1 enable	On-screen source ID display color can be controlled through GPI.
Source ID color 2 enable	On-screen source ID display color can be controlled through GPI.
Source ID color 3 enable	On-screen source ID display color can be controlled through GPI.

#### 7.3.3.1. Setting the VITC Line Number – 525 Line Video

Video s	source A
Sou	urce ID
5	25 VITC line
	10 to 32
	<u>10</u>

With this control, set the VBI line number that contains the VITC information when operating in 525 video mode. If the VITC contains Source ID (SID) information, the AVM will automatically decode it, and turn on the SID window if the user has enabled this window. If there is no VITC SID information, the AVM will automatically check for PESA SID (see section 7.3.6).

If the wrong line number is set, no time code (or SID) will be decoded.



# 7.3.3.2. Setting the VITC Line Number – 625 Line Video

Vic	le	o s	ource A
	v,	δοι	ırce ID
		62	25 VITC line
			6 to 32
			<u>10</u>

With this control, set the VBI line number that contains the VITC information when operating in 625 video mode. If the VITC contains Source ID (SID) information, the AVM will automatically decode it, and turn on the SID window if the user has enabled this window. If there is no VITC SID information, the AVM will automatically check for PESA SID.

If the wrong line number is set, no time code (or SID) will be decoded.

# 7.3.3.3. Setting the PESA Source ID Line Number – 525 Line Video

Vic	le	o source A	
	c,	Source ID	
		525 PESA	
		line	
		10 to 21	
		<u>11</u>	

With this control, set the VBI line number that contains the PESA SID information when operating in 525 video mode. If the wrong line number is set, no SID will be decoded. If there is no PESA SID, the AVM will automatically check whether a default SID message has been enabled.

# 7.3.3.4. Setting the PESA Source ID Line Number – 625 Line Video

Via	leo	source A
	Source ID	
_		625 PESA
		line
		7 to 22
		<u>11</u>

With this control, set the VBI line number that contains the PESA SID information when operating in 625 video mode. If the wrong line number is set, no SID will be decoded. If there is no PESA SID, the AVM will automatically check whether a default SID message has been enabled

# 7.3.3.5. Setting the Default SID Mode

Vic	dec	source A
Source ID		
		Default source
		ID mode
		Disable
		Enable

Determines if the Default SID message will be displayed in the SID window when there is no incoming source ID on the VITC.

# 7.3.3.6. Setting the Message to be Displayed When There Is No Incoming SID

Vic	Video source A		
	Source ID		
		Default source ID	
		message	
		VIDEO SOURCE A	

This control sets the message that will be automatically displayed in the SID window when there is no incoming source ID on the PESA/VITC. The text of the message can be changed. See section 7.1.1 for information on changing text fields.



# 7.3.3.7. Enabling the Color of Source ID

Video	o source A
S	Cource ID
	Source ID color 1
	enable
	<u>Off</u>
	On
	GPI1 – GPI12

This option allows the user to control the Source ID background color characteristics through pre-defined GPI. Actual Source ID background color is set in *On-screen display configuration* menu.

*"On"* is set when controlling background SID color via protocol input. See *"Serial Port"* section for menu options.

For simplicity control settings for Source ID color 1 is displayed. Control options for source ID colors 2 and 3 are similar.

# 7.3.4. Fault Definitions

The *Fault definition* menu items are used to configure the fault settings, and the presentation of the fault conditions. The chart below shows the items available in the *Fault definition* menu.

Video invalid duration	Sets the number of invalid video frames that the AVM will ignore for which video fault condition alert message is not triggered.
EDH error duration	Sets the number of consecutive fields of EDH errors to consider as a fault
Over level	Sets the level of audio over which is considered a fault or error condition
Over duration	Sets the duration of audio (in samples) over the above considered to be a fault.
Silence level	Sets the level of audio considered silence and a fault.
Silence duration	Sets the duration of audio (in seconds) under the level considered to be a fault.
Phase reversal level	Sets the level of L/R audio difference over considered to be a phase reversal fault
Phase reversal	Sets the duration of audio (in seconds) over the above phase reversal level
Mono threshold	Sets the level of L/R audio difference under which is considered mono.
Mono duration	Sets the duration of mono audio (in seconds) considered to be a fault.
Loss of CC duration	Sets the duration for no primary CC1 captions (in seconds) considered to be a fault.
Loss of program	Sets the duration for no program rating XDS packet (in seconds) considered to be a fault
Picture noise level	Sets the approximate level of noise expected in the video signal feed and used to determine picture freeze condition.
Freeze duration	Sets the minimum duration (+/- 2 frames) of still picture before it is considered "frozen".
Black duration	Sets the minimum duration below 7 IRE before the picture is considered "black".

# 7.3.4.1. Setting Video Invalid Duration

Upon hot-switches, a resulting glitch in the video signal can cause the AVM to momentarily report a video fault if enabled as a Fault definition. This menu item allows the user to set a minimum duration (in frames) during which the AVM will ignore such glitches and not trigger a fault alert.

Video source A			
	Fault definitions		
		Video invalid duration	
		0 to 30 frames	
		<u>0</u>	

This control sets the duration for which the AVM ignores glitches on the video signal thereby not displaying fault alert messages.

# 7.3.4.2. Error Detection and Handling (EDH) Error Duration

A check sum is calculated for every field of video and compared to Video source A Fault definitions the same EDH check sum transmitted in the vertical interval. If the EDH error check sums do not match, then there was at least one bit error in the active picture area of the image. duration N/A 1 to 127 With this control, you can set an error condition when a number of consecutive fields contain EDH errors. If set to NA, this type of fault fields detection is turned off. If set to 1, any "Error Detection and Handling" (EDH) error will generate an error while large numbers (>20) will effectively check the presence/absence of EDH encoding. If the video signal has passed through hardware that has modified the picture (i.e. a vision mixer) without re-calculating the EDH check sums, then both full field and active picture errors will be generated. In that case, disable both full field and active picture error detection in the "Fault Definitions" above. If the video signal has passed through hardware that has modified the ANC data area (i.e. audio multiplex) without re-calculating the EDH check sums, then full field errors will always be generated. In that case, disable full field error detection and use active picture only. Fore more information on Error Detection and Handling, see SMPTE RP-165.



#### 7.3.4.3. Setting the Audio Over Level Faults

The Over level and Over duration controls are used to detect when an audio amplitude is close to a dangerous level (i.e. clipping a downstream device, or saturating the digital word length). The Over level control sets the audio level over which there is considered to be a fault. The audio must be over this level for the duration set by the Over duration control before the fault condition exists. A fault will be generated when any channel has generated an over condition.

Vio	deo source	e A
Fault definitions		
	Ove	r level
		-30dB to 0dB FS
		in 1/4dB
		increments
		<u>-6dB FS</u>

This control sets the audio level over which there is considered to be over level. This value is expressed in dB full scale (FS) and can even be used to detect digital clipping. If set to 0 dB FS, then if 3 or more consecutive samples (set with the duration control) are at digital saturation (max or min), then the digital word length has been exceeded.

#### 7.3.4.4. Setting the Audio Over Duration

Video source A		
	Faι	It definitions
		Over duration
		3 to 255 samples
		3

This control sets the duration, in number of consecutive samples that are at or above the *Over level* before a fault condition exists.

Note that as longer durations are configured, you are eliminating the detection of higher frequency content over the set *Over level*.

#### 7.3.4.5. Setting Audio Silence Faults

The *Silence level* and *Silence duration* controls are used to detect when the audio is considered to be silent. The *Silence level* control sets the audio level under which the audio is considered to be silent. The audio must be under the *Silence level* for the duration set by the *Silence duration* control before the fault condition exists. When the fault condition exists, the audio must be over the *Silence level* for at least 1 second before the fault condition will be removed. A fault will be generated when both channels in a pair (1 and 2 or 3 and 4) have satisfied a silence condition.

Video source A			
Fa	Fault definitions		
	Silence level		
	-96dB to –20dB		
	FS		
	<u>-60dB FS</u>		

This control sets the audio level under which it is considered to be silent. This value is expressed in dB full scale (FS)



# 7.3.4.6. Setting the Audio Silence Duration

Video s	sourc	e A
Fai	ult de	finitions
	Sile	ence duration
		0.5 to 127 sec (in
		0.5 second
		increments)

10 sec

This control sets the amount of time the audio is silent in seconds before a fault occurs.

# 7.3.4.7. Setting Audio Phase Reversal Faults

All stereo audio material has a varying amount of phase difference between the two channels. If there is significant phase reversal for a period of time, then this is a sign that the audio signals may be out of phase.

The *Phase reversal level* and *Phase reversal duration* controls are used to detect when the left and right audio channels are considered to be out of phase. The *Phase reversal level* control sets the amount of phase difference that is considered to be out of phase. The audio must be out of phase by more than the *Phase reversal level* amount for the duration set by the *Phase reversal duration* control before the fault condition exists. When the fault condition is active, the audio must be out of phase by less than the *Phase reversal level* amount for at least 1 second before the fault condition will be removed.



This control sets the amount of phase difference before the audio is considered to be out of phase. This phase reversal is calculated by comparing the difference of the two channels to the average of the two. If a signal is always out of phase, then the difference between the two will be high compared to the average of the two. This corresponds to 1 in this control.

If there is only content on one of the channels (i.e. left only or right only), then the difference is equivalent to the average of the two channels. This corresponds to 0.5 in this control.

# 7.3.4.8. Setting the Audio Phase Reversal Duration



This control sets the period over which to analyze the audio content for phase reversal.

Note that conditions of silence are not included in this value. This means that if the audio is 50% quiet then it will take twice the period set with this control to detect a phase reversal condition.



# 7.3.4.9. Setting Audio Mono Faults

Mono audio material can take two forms: one channel with information and the other quiet or both channels with the same information. The AVM cards will detect both types of mono material.

If there is only a small amount of phase difference between the two channels (perhaps caused by the noise present on the audio) then the content may be mono. If there is no significant difference for a period of time, then this is a sign that the audio signals are mono.

Mono is detected by comparing the difference of the two channels to the average of the two. If a signal always has no out of phase information (or just a small amount) for a period of time, then the signal may be mono.

The *Mono level* and *Mono duration* controls are used to detect when two audio channels are considered to be mono. The *Mono level* control sets the threshold that decides whether the signals are the same. The audio difference must be less than the *Mono level* amount for the duration set by the *Mono duration* control before the fault condition exists. When the fault condition exists, the audio difference must be more than the *Mono level* amount for at least 1 second before the fault condition will be removed.

Material that is both mono and out of phase will be detected as being out of phase and not mono. Once the phase polarity is fixed, then the card will detect mono material.

Video source A		
Fault definitions		
	Mono threshold level	
	0.2 to 0.5 (in 0.01	
	increments)	
	0.20	

This control sets the level of L/R audio difference under which is considered mono

#### 7.3.4.10. Setting the Audio Mono Duration

Vic	leo s	sourc	e A
	Fault definitions		
		Mor	no duration
			0.5 to 127 sec (in
			0.5 s increments)
			<u>10 sec</u>

This control sets the duration of mono audio in seconds, which is considered a fault.

#### 7.3.4.11. Detecting Loss of Primary Captioning

Video source A			
	Fault definitions		
		Loss of CC duration	
		2 to 512 sec (in 2	
		sec increments)	
		<u>180 sec</u>	

This control sets the amount of time in seconds with no primary CC1 captions encoded, which is considered a fault

This fault condition will also be generated if the closed caption signal is missing on the input video.



# 7.3.4.12. Detecting Loss of Program Rating Duration

Video source A			
	Fau	ult definitio	ns
		Loss of p	rogram rating
		duration	
			1 to 255 sec
			30 sec

This control sets the amount of time in seconds with no program rating packet encoded in the Line 21 XDS data stream, which is considered a fault

This fault condition will also be generated if the closed caption signal is missing on the input video.

# 7.3.4.13. Optimizing Picture Noise Level and Picture Freeze Duration Parameters

The *Picture noise level* and *Picture freeze duration* controls are used to detect when a video picture is considered frozen. The *Picture noise level* control sets the threshold that decides whether activity in the picture is considered to be noise. The picture activity must be greater than this amount for the duration set by the *Picture freeze duration* control before the fault condition exists.

#### 7.3.4.13.1. Setting the Picture Noise Level

Video source A	This control sets the approximate level of noise expected in the
Fault definitions	video signal feed. It is used by the freeze detect feature to
Picture noise level	distinguish motion from background noise on top of a video feed.
1 to 10	
2	As a guide, here are some signal to noise ratio comparisons: 1 = digital freeze (no noise on top of frozen picture) 10 = 40 dB SNR

#### 7.3.4.13.2. Setting the Picture Freeze Duration



This control sets duration, in frames, of video activity under the *Picture noise level* that is considered a fault.

When increasing *Picture noise level*, it is recommended that you increase *Picture freeze duration* as well. This is because the higher the Picture noise level, the lower is equipment's motion sensitivity, thus long periods without significant on-screen movement are more likely to trigger a "false" freeze alarm.

#### 7.3.4.14. Optimizing the Picture Noise Level and Picture Freeze Duration Parameters

Setting up the optimum *Picture noise level* and *Picture freeze duration* parameters will depend on the amount of noise in the video path from the first equipment with freeze-frame capability to the monitoring point. The system designer should determine the maximum amount of time permissible between the moment of freeze and the alarm.

Setting this time as high as tolerable has two benefits:

- It lowers the frequency of "false" freeze alarms generated when a perfectly valid content contains long motionless periods
- It allows raising the *Picture noise level* parameter, without increasing frequency of "false" freeze alarms.

It is suggested that *Picture noise level* should be set after setting the *Picture freeze duration*.

If the video path is fully digital, then set the *Picture noise level* depending on bit-error rate of the link as follows:

- For bit-error rates less than 1 in 10<sup>E-12</sup>, set value in the range of 1 to 5
- For bit-error rates greater than 1 in 10<sup>E-12</sup>, set value in the range of 6 to 10

If the path is even partially analog and if the user can place the equipment farthest upstream in the video path to go to a 'freeze frame' mode, then the *Picture noise level* should be optimized by initiating the 'freeze frame' mode in the upstream equipment and adjusting *Picture noise level* as low as possible, without losing the freeze alarm on the AVM. The user should note that because of the random nature of noise, the freeze alarm might be intermittent at some *Picture noise level* settings. The optimal *Picture noise level* setting is obtained when the loss of freeze alarm in the AVM occurs no more then once every 5 minutes.

If the path is even partially analog and the equipment farthest upstream in the video path cannot go to a 'freeze frame' mode, then *Picture noise level* should be optimized by adjusting it as high as possible. If you trigger false freeze alarms more often than acceptable lower the *Picture noise level* setting. Since the acceptable rate could be on the order of a day perhaps (depending on the facility), this adjustment procedure may consume a couple of days.

Failing to accomplish optimal adjustment of the *Picture noise level* will result in either:

- A large number of false alarms, or
- Lack of alarm condition when the video is frozen.

The *Picture noise level* and *Picture freeze duration* controls have been designed to be able to detect shortterm "digital" freezes such as MPEG or motion JPEG server artifacts. When these devices have a significant problem with the content that they are de-compressing, they will typically start to produce a "blocky" effect. If the problem is severe enough, they will freeze a frame of video and play it out for a number of frames. With the *Picture noise level* set to 1 (i.e. only detect exact, or nearly exact pictures) and the *Picture freeze duration* set to *minimum*, the AVM can detect these quick "digital freezes". You can't however detect both this type of freeze and a freeze from a link that has added noise to the picture

#### 7.3.4.14.1. Detecting Picture Black Duration

Video source A Fault definitions Picture black duration 4 to 900 frames (4 frame increments) <u>88 frames</u>

This control sets duration, in frames, of active picture content below 7 IRE that is considered a fault.

A Fault is generated when the video level within the active picture area falls below the preset black level (7 IRE) and remains for the specified duration.



# 7.3.5. Setting the Audio Source Group to De-embed and Display

Video source A		
Auc	lio source	
	<u>Group 1</u>	
	Group 2	
	Group 3	
	Group 4	
	external AES/EBL	

Up to 4 groups of audio may be embedded in the incoming SDI video. This control selects which one of the four groups to monitor and display in on-screen bar graphs.

On 7765AVM-4A-x modules, the additional "external AES/EBU" option is available when audio is provided separately to the card through the rear panel DB-25 connector.

# 7.3.6. Clearing Audio Peaks



This menu option clears audio peaks.

# 7.4. VIDEO QUADRANT CONFIGURATION

The Quadrant menus are used to configure the on-screen displays, GPOs and fault condition parameters associated with the video sources. The chart below shows the items available in the Quadrant menus. There are four quadrants to configure. For simplicity only the menu items for *Quadrant 1* will be shown in the manual. Sections 7.4.1 to 7.4.11 give detailed information about each of the parameters.

Bar graph ½	Sets audio bar graph parameters for audio channels $\frac{1}{2}$
Bar graph ¾	Sets audio bar graph parameters for audio channels <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>
Burn-in configuration	Enables and adjustments to on-screen display windows, for quadrant and expanded view modes
Fault conditions	Sets and enables fault conditions and fault messages
Video source	Binds a Video Source to a particular quadrant
Expanded view	Selects an external trigger – either GPI input or fault condition - to enable expanded (full screen) view
H/V delay	Selects an external GPI trigger to enable H/V delay view mode
Clear faults	Clears all fault definitions in that quadrant.
Disable on-screen faults	Menu option to turn off OSD fault modes through selectable GPI triggers.

# 7.4.1. Setting Bar Graph Parameters

The *Bar Graphs* menu items deal with the configuration and operation of the audio bar graphs; modes, ballistics, display properties, etc. The chart below shows the items available in the *Bar Graphs* menu.



When many windows are enabled, the on-screen information can get very crowded. The bar graphs and text windows are layered to keep the most important information from being covered by other not-so important windows. The priority is as follows:

Priority Level	Display Type
1	Fault Messages
(top)	
2	Time Code
	Source ID
	Program Rating
	XDS
3	Status window

Bar graph properties	Quick link to <i>On screen display properties</i> , <i>Bar graphs</i> menu, as well offers option to set bar graph level and background transparency levels
Levertype	Control sets bar graphs to one of five basic types
VU range	When VU mode enabled, VU range set by this parameter
Phase type	Set audio phase bar graph to STEREO or DIN
Error region	Defines region at which audio becomes unacceptable
Warning region	Defines region between the audio OK and audio error regions

# 7.4.1.1. Setting the Bar Graph Type

Qι	ladra	nt 1	
	Bar	grap	h ½
		Leve	el type
			PPM
			PPM peak
			VU
			VU peak
			VUPPM

This control sets the bar graph to one of five basic types. The ballistics and display characteristics of the bar graphs are configured with other items in this section of the menu structure.

Bar graph types for channel  $\frac{3}{4}$  are configurable in a similar menu.

#### PPM:

Peak Program Meter tracks the peaks of the audio content rather than the perceived loudness or the power content of the material.

#### PPM with peak hold: (PPM peak)

The peak hold feature allows the user to keep track of the audio peak. A floating mark is pushed up by audio peaks and is reset with either a programmed GPI input (see the section on "GPI, GPO and Text Window Setup") or a menu command (see the "Clear Faults" menu).

#### VU:

Volume Unit meter follows, approximately, the perceived loudness of human hearing.

#### VU with peak hold: (VU peak)

The peak hold feature allows the user to keep track of the peak VU reading. A floating mark is pushed up by audio VU peaks and is reset with either a programmed GPI input (see the section on "GPI, GPO and Text Window Setup") or a menu command (see the "Clear Faults" menu).

#### VU with floating PPM: (VU PPM)

This mode displays both VU levels and PPM levels on the same bar graph. The VU level is indicated by the solid bar going up and down, while the PPM reading is indicated by a floating white bar. The scale displayed is a decibel scale with 0 corresponding to program reference level.

#### 7.4.1.2. Setting the VU Display Range

Quadrant 1	This parameter selects the VU display range when VU modes are
Bar graph ½	active
VU range Normal	Most VU meters have two possible ranges. These are:
Extended	Normal range: +3 to –20dB Extended range: +3 to –57dB
	The bar graphs will be re-scaled to represent the selected range.
	When using VU and BBC PPM mode, the VU scale is truncated to –6dB to match the scaling of BBC mode.

# 7.4.1.3. Setting The Phase Bar Graph Type

Quadrant 1	
Bar graph	n ½
Phas	se type
	<u>Stereo</u>
	DIN

There are two types of phase bar graphs available: one that has a focus of presenting the amount and L/R distribution of stereo content (STEREO), and one that presents in-phase/out-of-phase proportions (DIN).

#### 7.4.1.4. Setting the Bar Graph Error Region

Quadra	int 1	
Bar	grapl	h ½
	Erro	r region
		-20 to –1dB
		FS
		<u>-6dB FS</u>

The bar graph "error" region is the area from clipping (0 dB FS) down to the level selected by this control. It is intended to tell the user when the audio signal is getting close to clipping.

If the error region is set to a value less than the warning region, the warning region value will be set equal to the error region.

#### Warning:

Some bar graph types (and ballistics) have this region defined. When you select one of these types, the error region value is preset. However, the this value can be adjusted further.



#### 7.4.1.5. Setting the Bar Graph Warning Region

		-	
Quadra	nt 1		
Bar	grapi	h ½	
	War	ning region	
		-40 to –2 dB	
		FS	
		<u>-20 dB FS</u>	

The bar graph "warning" region is the area between the "OK" region and the "error" region. It is intended to indicate when the audio level is approaching the "error" region. This control sets the bottom of the "warning" region. Normally, it is set to the audio program level. The upper boundary of this region is always set with the "error" region control.

If the warning region is set to a value greater than the error region, the error region value will be set equal to the warning region.

#### Warning:

Some bar graph types (and ballistics) have this region defined. When you select one of these types, this value is preset. After you choose the type, you can adjust this value to your desired level.

#### 7.4.2. Configuring The On-Screen Display Controls Through Burn-in Configuration Menu

The *Burn-in configuration* menu items is used to configure the position and display characteristics of the text windows. It is also used to program the GPIs, and the on/off states of the text and bar graph windows. The chart below shows the items available in the *Burn-in configuration* menu.

On-screen display configuration	Quick link to On screen display configuration menu (see On-screen display configuration section for more information).
Burn-in enable	Controls used to configure the GPI functions, and the on/off states of the text and bar graph windows.
4:3 quadrant burn- in position	Controls used to set the position of enabled text and bar graph windows within the 4:3 aspect ratio quadrant.
16:9 quadrant burn- in position	Controls used to set the position of enabled text and bar graph windows within the 16:9 aspect ratio quadrant (only on available versions).
Expanded view burn-in position	Controls used to set the position of enabled text and bar graph windows within the expanded view (full screen) of a particular quadrant.
Status burn-in mode	Defines format of displayed status window information

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# 7.4.3. Enabling On-Screen Displays

Ch ½ level bars	Enable/disable channel 1/2 audio level bars
Ch ¾ level bards	Enable/disable channel <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> audio level bars
Ch ½ phase bars	Enable/disable channel 1/2 audio phase bars
Ch ¾ phase bars	Enable/disable channel <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> audio phase bars
Status	Enable/disable status display window
Time code	Enable/disable decoded time code display window
Program rating	Enable/disable decoded program rating display window
XDS	Enable/disable decoded XDS display window
Source ID	Enable/disable decoded or default source ID display

# 7.4.3.1. Enabling Channel 1/2 Level Bar Display



This menu item enables audio channels ½ level bar graphs. By selecting "On", the bar graphs will always be displayed. Selecting a GPI enables the level bar graphs only upon the module receiving an active GPI signal. Level bar graphs will always appear to the side of the active video window.

Similarly, channel <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> level bar graph can also be configured through the subsequent *Burn-in enable* menu item.

# 7.4.3.2. Enabling Channel <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> Phase Bar Display



This menu item enables audio channels ½ phase bar graph. By selecting "On", the bar graphs will always be displayed. Selecting a GPI enables the phase bar graph only upon the module receiving an active GPI signal. Phase bar graphs will always appear to the side of the active video window.

Similarly, channel <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> phase bar graph can also be configured through the subsequent *Burn-in enable* menu item.



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#### 7.4.3.3. Enabling Status Window Display

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Quadrant 1	
Burn-in col	nfiguration
Burn-in e	enable
Stat	us
	<u>Off</u> On GPI1 – GPI12 Fault 1 Fault 2 Fault 3 Fault 4 Any fault

This menu item enables the status display window. By selecting "On", the status window is always displayed, or alternatively, the status display is also enabled by an external, pre-defined GPI trigger. The status window is also triggered by a specific or any individual fault conditions (1 to 4). Although configurable for each Quadrant, the signal status window is only displayed if that particular quadrant is in Expanded View Mode.

The purpose of the Video/Audio status screen is to show as much status information about the video and audio as possible in a concise table. Table 4 shows each item that may appear in the status screen. The Status window may be operated on one of two modes. In *normal* mode, all lines are controlled by the text window attributes. In *Fault* mode, those lines whose associated fault triggers are used to activate an AVM fault, will be displayed using fault window properties. All other lines use the text window properties.

Item	Value(s)	Description
Video	525	Input video standard detected regardless of what
	625	the card is configured to process
	not present	
Picture	moving	Shows the status of the picture content: <i>moving</i> if
content	frozen	picture is active, <i>frozen</i> no motion detected, or
	black	frozen, black if the picture is black
	frozen, black	
EDH	(FF: checksum, AP: checksum)	EDH checksums are periodically sampled and
	not present	displayed
VITC	TC value	If present, the time code value is displayed
	not present	
SID	(VITC or PESA value)	If present, the VITC or PESA SID is displayed
	not present	
PR	value	Shows program rating
	Not present	
CC	present	Shows presence/absence of closed captioning
	not present	
Audio groups	N/A	Audio groups that are present are displayed
	1,2,3,4	
Audio	N/A or 1,2,3,4	Audio channels that are present are displayed
channels	none or AES1,AES2 (if external	
	AES/EBU is selected)	
Ch. 1 and 2	N/A	Displays status information about channels 1 & 2
	present	
	silent, over, mono, out of phase	
Ch. 3 and 4	NA	Displays status information about channels 3 & 4
	present	
	silent, over, mono, out of phase	

# Table 4: Video/Audio Status Screen Items

# 7.4.3.4. Enabling Time Code Display

Quadrant 1 Burn-in configuratio	n	This menu item enables Time Code (TC) display. By selecting "On", time code will always be displayed. Selecting a GPI also enables time
Burn-in enable		code but only upon the module receiving an active GPI signal. Time
Time code Off On		code display position is configurable for both quadrant and expanded views through the <i>TC window H and V</i> menu item controls.
GPI1 –	GPI12	The VITC time code window shows the vertical interval time code present at the input to the AVM module. Use the VITC line select items on the Video menu to configure the lines that the AVM will use for reading VITC.



## 7.4.3.5. Enabling Program Rating Display



This menu item enables Program Rating (PR) display. By selecting "On", Program rating will always be displayed. Selecting a GPI also enables program rating but only upon the module receiving an active GPI signal. Program rating display position is configurable for both quadrant and expanded views through the *PR window H and V* menu item controls.

The Program rating window shows data decoded from the Line 21 XDS Program rating packet. The user to control the operation of V-Chip decoders in the viewer's receiver usually encodes this information. Canadian French and English program ratings are also supported.

# 7.4.3.6. Enabling XDS Display



This menu item enables Extended Data Services (XDS) display. By selecting "On", XDS will always be displayed. Selecting a GPI also enables XDS but only upon the module receiving an active GPI signal. XDS display position is configurable for both quadrant and expanded views through the *XDS window H and V* menu controls.

The XDS window contains 2 lines with the following information: network name, call letters, program name and time of day. Only the information found in the XDS stream will be displayed. An item is considered to be missing if it does not appear in the XDS stream for 15 seconds. There is no ability to trigger faults on the absence of XDS.

# 7.4.3.7. Enabling Source ID (SID) Display



The Quattro module has the ability to decode source identification (SID) information from the vertical interval time code present at the input. When no VITC SID is encoded, the Quattro module will decode SID that has been encoded in the PESA format. The Source Identification window is used to display the decoded SID information. When there is neither VITC SID nor PESA SID encoded, the *Default SID message* will be displayed if *Default SID mode* is enabled, otherwise the SID window will be turned off. The *SID window* is always displayed in the Under Monitor Display (UMD) location.

# 7.4.3.8. Configuring Quadrant Burn-In Positions

Once enabled, monitoring tools can be positioned horizontally and vertically within the specific video quadrant. The following menu identifies the available positions.

4:3 quadrant burnin position

Setting the text window positions when viewing the output in 4:3 mode.

# For 4:3 Output Display:

Burn-in Enable 4:3 Display	7765AVM-4-HD 7765AVM-4A-HD	7765AVM-4-VGA 7765AVM-4A-VGA	7765AVM-4-SD 7765AVM-4A-SD	7765AVM-4-CA 7765AVM-4A-CA
		(625 version in brackets)	(625 version in brackets)	(625 version in brackets)
Time code	0 to 8	0 to 8(9)	0 to 8(9)	0 to 8(9)
window row	<u>4</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>4</u>
Time code	0 to 19	0 to 25	0 to 21	0 to 21
window col	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Program rating	0 to 8	0 to 8(9)	0 to 8(9)	0 to 8(9)
window row	<u>5</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>5</u>
Program rating	0 to 19	0 to 25	0 to 21	0 to 21
window col	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
XDS window	0 to 8	0 to 8(9)	0 to 8(9)	0 to 8(9)
row	<u>6</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>6</u>
XDS window	0 to 19	0 to 25	0 to 21	0 to 21
col	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Fault 1 window	0 to 8	0 to 8(9)	0 to 8(9)	0 to 8(9)
row	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Fault 1 window	0 to 19	0 to 25	0 to 21	0 to 21
col	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Fault 2 window	0 to 8	0 to 8(9)	0 to 8(9)	0 to 8(9)
row	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>
Fault 2 window	0 to 19	0 to 25	0 to 21	0 to 21
col	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Fault 3 window	0 to 8	0 to 8(9)	0 to 8(9)	0 to 8(9)
row	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>
Fault 3 window	0 to 19	0 to 25	0 to 21	0 to 21
col	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Fault 4 window	0 to 8	0 to 8(9)	0 to 8(9)	0 to 8(9)
row	<u>3</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>3</u>
Fault 4 window	0 to 19	0 to 25	0 to 21	0 to 21
col	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>



16:9 quadrant burnin position Setting the text window positions when viewing the output in 16:9 mode.

# *For 16:9 Output Display:*

Burn-in Enable 16:9 Display	7765AVM-4-HD 7765AVM-4A-HD	7765AVM-4-VGA 7765AVM-4A-VGA	7765AVM-4-SD 7765AVM-4A-SD	7765AVM-4-CA 7765AVM-4A-CA
Time code	0 to 8	Configuration not	Configuration not	Configuration not
window row	4	available	available	available
Time code	0 to 25			
window col	<u>0</u>			
Program rating	0 to 8			
window row	<u>5</u>			
Program rating	0 to 25			
window col	<u>0</u>			
XDS window	0 to 8			
row	<u>6</u>			
XDS window	0 to 25			
col	<u>0</u>			
Fault 1 window	0 to 8			
row	<u>0</u>			
Fault 1 window	0 to 25			
col	<u>0</u>			
Fault 2 window	0 to 8			
row	<u>1</u>			
Fault 2 window	0 to 25			
col	<u>0</u>			
Fault 3 window	0 to 8			
row	<u>2</u>			
Fault 3 window	0 to 25			
col	<u>0</u>			
Fault 4 window	0 to 8			
row	<u>3</u>			
Fault 4 window	0 to 25			
col	<u>0</u>			



# 7.4.3.9. Configuring Expanded View Burn-In Positions

Once enabled, monitoring tools can be also positioned horizontally and vertically when the specific video quadrant is selected for expanded view. As the dimensions of the screen increase, there is additional space to position the monitoring tools. The following menu identifies the available positions.

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Expanded view burn-in position
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Setting the text window positions when viewing the output in expanded view mode.

Burn-in Enable	7765AVM-4-HD	7765AVM-4-VGA	7765AVM-4-SD	7765AVM-4-CA
Expanded view	7765AVM-4A-HD	7765AVM-4A-VGA	7765AVM-4A-SD	7765AVM-4A-CA
		_(625 version in brackets)	_(625 version in brackets)	_(625 version in brackets)
Status window	0 to 17	0 to 17(20)	0 to 17(20)	0 to 17(20)
row	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>
Status window	0 to 43	0 to 43	0 to 44	0 to 44
col	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Time code	0 to 17	0 to 17(20)	0 to 17(20)	0 to 17(20)
window row	<u>13</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>13</u>
Time code	0 to 43	0 to 43	0 to 44	0 to 44
window col	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Program rating	0 to 17	0 to 17(20)	0 to 17(20)	0 to 17(20)
window row	<u>14</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>14</u>
Program rating	0 to 43	0 to 43	0 to 44	0 to 44
window col	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
XDS window	0 to 17	0 to 17(20)	0 to 17(20)	0 to 17(20)
row	<u>15</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>15</u>
XDS window	0 to 43	0 to 43	0 to 44	0 to 44
col	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Fault 1 window	0 to 17	0 to 17(20)	0 to 17(20)	0 to 17(20)
row	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Fault 1 window	0 to 43	0 to 43	0 to 44	0 to 44
col	<u>3</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>3</u>
Fault 2 window	0 to 17	0 to 17(20)	0 to 17(20)	0 to 17(20)
row	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Fault 2 window	0 to 43	0 to 43	0 to 44	0 to 44
col	<u>23</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>23</u>
Fault 3 window	0 to 17	0 to 17(20)	0 to 17(20)	0 to 17(20)
row	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>
Fault 3 window	0 to 43	0 to 43	0 to 44	0 to 44
col	<u>3</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>3</u>
Fault 4 window	0 to 17	0 to 17(20)	0 to 17(20)	0 to 17(20)
row	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>
Fault 4 window	0 to 43	0 to 43	0 to 44	0 to 44
col	23	23	23	23



#### 7.4.3.10. Setting Status Burn-In Mode



Under default *Normal*, the Status window text (while in Expanded view mode) background color and opacity appears as defined through the *On-screen display configuration* menu (or through the *Burn-in display properties* quick link, as identified in section 7.4.5.1).

Selecting *Fault* enables the inclusion of fault text configuration into the Status window. This configuration is also set in the *On-screen display configuration* menu.

#### 7.4.4. Setting Fault Condition Parameters

The 7765AVM-4 and 7765AVM-4A have four configurable fault conditions per quadrant. The *Fault condition 1, Fault condition 2, Fault condition 3* and *Fault condition 4* menu items are used to configure fault triggering, and how the fault alert message is presented. For audio mono, audio phase reversal and audio silence faults, fault triggers become active if the fault condition is active for the programmed fault duration. The fault trigger will deactivate within 1 second once the fault definition is inactive. The controls for each fault condition operate the same way so, for simplicity, the manual shows only the menu items for *Quadrant 1, Fault condition 1*.

Fault burn-in properties	Quick link to Fault burn-in properties menu. Used to set the global (all quadrants) background colors and opacities as well as text opacities of fault condition messages.
Fault condition 1	Adjusts specific fault 1 condition alert display parameters
Fault condition 2	Adjusts specific fault 2 condition alert display parameters
Fault condition 3	Adjusts specific fault 3 condition alert display parameters
Fault condition 4	Adjusts specific fault 4 condition alert display parameters

#### 7.4.4.1. Setting Specific Fault Condition Message Characteristics

#### 7.4.4.1.1. Fault Status

Quadrant 1
Fault conditions
Fault condition 1
Fault status

This menu item displays a snap shot of the current status for a particular quadrant. There are no configurable options within this selection.



# 7.4.4.1.2. Setting Fault Windows Position Within Quadrant

#### Quadrant 1 Fault conditions Fault condition 1 4:3 quadrant burn-in position

Quick link to *Burn-in configuration* menu, then *Quadrant burn-in position* sub-menu. Fault condition 1 parameters for quadrant view may be set from either location.

C	Qι	ıadra	nt 1
	F	ault	conditions
		Faι	It condition 1
			16:9 quadrant burn-in
	position		

Quick link to *Burn-in configuration* menu, then *Quadrant burn-in position* sub-menu. Fault condition 1 parameters for quadrant view may be set from either location (when available on module).

# 7.4.4.1.3. Setting Fault Windows Position In Expanded View

adrant 1	
-ault conditions	
Fault condition 1	
Expanded view burn-	
in position	
F	

Quick link to *Burn-in configuration* menu, then *Expanded view burn-in position* sub-menu. Fault condition 1 parameters for expanded view may be set from either location.

# 7.4.4.1.4. Setting the Message Associated with a Fault



This control sets the message to display when the fault condition is active. The text of the message can be changed. See section 7.1.1 for information on changing text fields.

For Fault condition 2, default message is "AUDIO ERROR". For Fault condition 3, default message is "VIDEO FROZEN". For Fault condition 4, default message is "NO PROG RATING".

# 7.4.4.1.5. Enabling Fault Condition Mode



This control enables or disables Fault condition 1 message display. When enabled, the fault message will be displayed until the condition is reset. When disabled, it will never be displayed.



#### 7.4.4.1.6. Setting Fault Message Background Color



This setting displays the background color selections made in the "Fault burn-in properties" menu. Having two colors allows the user to identify between critical and non-critical faults.

# 7.4.4.1.7. Enabling Fault Message to Blink

Quadra	ant 1
Fault	definitions
Fau	ult condition 1
	Blink
	Disable
	Enable

This control determines if the Fault condition 1 alert message will blink or remain solid when the fault is active. When *Disable* is selected the Fault condition message alert remains solid. When it is set to *Enable* the fault alert message blinks upon activation.

#### 7.4.4.1.8. Setting the Duration of the Fault Condition



This control sets how long the fault condition will be held. The fault display will be displayed as long as the fault condition is active and the *Fault mode* is set to *Enable*. The fault condition can either be held until the user clears the condition or until a programmable timer expires.

#### 7.4.4.1.9. Clearing Fault Conditions Alert Messages



This control allows the user to externally clear the fault through a predefined GPI.

# 7.4.4.1.10. Determining Fault Condition Triggers

Quadrant 1

Fault definitions

Fault condition 1

This control provides a list of items that may generate a fault condition. Use the toggle switch to travel up and down this list and the pushbutton to enable or disable the item from the fault condition criteria. A fault condition will exist when any of the selected items from the following list occurs.

Video invalid	Video error based on fault definitions
	Factory default: Fault condition 1
Loss of audio	Audio absent on channels ½ AND ¾
	Factory default: Fault condition 2
Loss of audio channel ½	Audio absent on channels ½
Loss of audio channel 3/4	Audio absent on channels <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>
AP EDH errors	Active picture EDH errors present
FF EDH errors	Full Frame EDH errors present
Phase reversal 1/2	Audio 1 and 2 out of phase
Phase reversal 3/4	Audio 3 and 4 out of phase
Audio over 1/2	Audio 1 or 2 over level
Audio over 3/4	Audio 3 or 4 over level
Audio silence 1/2	Audio 1 and 2 silent
Audio silence 3/4	Audio 3 and 4 silent
Audio mono 1/2	Audio 1 and 2 mono
Audio mono 3/4	Audio 3 and 4 mono
Loss of VITC	VITC absent
Loss of SID	SID absent
Loss of program rating	Program rating absent
	Factory default: Fault condition 4
Loss of CC	Primary CC1 Closed captioning absent
Picture freeze	No activity above preset noise level in active picture
	Factory default: Fault condition 3
Picture black	No active picture above 7 IRE
GPI1-12	General purpose input 1 to 12 closed to ground. External trigger customized by user. (GPI inputs 1 to 4 only available on 7765AVM-4A modules.)

# Table 5: Possible Error Triggers to Produce Faults



#### 7.4.5. Setting Video Source to Quadrant

Quadrant 1		
	Vid	eo source
		<u>A</u>
		В
		С
		D

Any one of the four video inputs can be selected to appear in Quadrant 1 through this menu item. By default, Quadrant 1 is set to display video source input (or Video source) A. Similarly...

Quadrant 2 - BQuadrant 3 - CQuadrant 4 - D

#### 7.4.6. Setting Expanded View Mode

nt 1
oanded View
Off
GPI1 – GPI12
Fault 1
Fault 2
Fault 3
Fault 4
Any fault

This menu item is used to set the quadrant in expanded view mode through an external GPI trigger or upon a valid fault condition.

# 7.4.7. Setting H/V Delay

H/V delay, or phasing control, allows the user to optimize video input and output delays, thereby configuring the active picture display. Configuring H/V delay also allows the user to view either HANC or VBI.



Control to enable H/V delay manually through Off/On or to have external GPI trigger H/V delay enabling.

#### 7.4.8. Clearing Fault Messages

Quadrant 1		
Clear faults		
	<u>Cancel</u>	
	Clear	

This menu item on the top level menu provides a convenient method to clear any fault conditions through the on-screen menu.



# 7.4.9. Disabling On Screen Fault Mode

Quadrant 1		
	Disable on	
	screen faults	
		<u>Off</u>
		On
		GPI1 –
		GPI12

This menu item allows the user to disable on screen fault messages per quadrant via external, user-selectable GPI trigger.

# 7.5. ON-SCREEN DISPLAY CONFIGURATION

Bar graph
properties
Text burn-in
properties
Fault burn-in
properties

Adjusts bar graph display parameters.

Adjusts text message display parameters.

Adjusts fault text message display parameters.

# 7.5.1. Setting Bar Graph Regions

Each of the level bar graphs consists of three regions: the "OK", "Warning" and "Error" regions. The *Colors* menu items allow you to select one of a group of standard colors, or choose your own custom colors for each of the regions. The controls for each region operate the same way so for simplicity only the controls for the OK region will be shown in the manual.

**Tip:** The colors of the various regions are defined by three 8 bit R, G, B values very similar to the values used in most paint programs like Microsoft Paint. When you choose one of the predefined colors, the AVM automatically sets the R, G, and B values. If you choose the custom color, you will be able to set the R, G, and B values independently to give you the desired color. If you are having problems setting these values with the menu system, open a paint program, select the color you like (usually from a color wheel) and set the R, G, and B values into the AVM card using the respective *Custom color* menu items for the region.

#### 7.5.1.1. Setting the Level Bar Graph Region Color

On-screen display		
configuration		
Bar graphs		
OK region		
White		
Black		
Grey		
Yellow		
Red		
<u>Green</u>		
Custom		

This control sets the color of the bottom, "OK", region of level bar graphs. You can choose from one of the predefined colors or define a custom color.

For *Custom* color configuration see section 7.5.1.2



# 7.5.1.2. Selecting a Bar Graph Region Custom Color

There are three menu items used to set the custom color. The menu item for each color component works in the same way so for simplicity only the menu item for the *Custom OK Region* will be shown in the manual.



Custom ok blue:

0 to 255

0

This control defines the red component color for a custom color for one of the regions of level bar graphs.

When the menu item is selected you are shown a screen which shows all three color components, with an arrow (<) to the right of the color component you will be adjusting. In addition you are shown two boxes on the screen, which show you the current custom color value to aid you in selecting the desired color. The box on the left side of the screen shows the color with the bar graph background opacity value applied, while the box on the right shows the color with the bar graph bar opacity value applied.

This control defines the green component color for a custom color for one of the regions of level bar graphs.

This control defines the blue component color for a custom color for one of the regions of level bar graphs.

# 7.5.1.3. Setting the Transparency (Opacity) of Bar Graph Background



This control sets the bar graph background opacity or how much video picture content will be visible through the bar graph backgrounds.

When set to the minimum value, very little of the bar graph background color will be visible over the video content. At the maximum value, very little of the background video will be visible through the bar graph.



# 7.5.1.4. Setting the Transparency (Opacity) of the Bar Graph Bars

On-screen display		
configuration		
Bar graphs		
Bars opacity		
	0 to 64	
	64	

This control sets the bar graph foreground opacity or how much video picture content will be visible through the bar graph backgrounds.

When set to the minimum value, very little of the bar graph color will be visible over the video content. At the maximum value, very little of the background video will be visible through the bar graph.

# 7.5.2. Setting Text Burn-in Properties

The On screen text windows can be displayed as white characters with or without a colored background. In addition the text and background opacity or how much video picture content will be visible through the text or background is adjustable. The *Text burn-in configuration* menu items are used to set these parameters for all the text windows except the Fault windows.

#### 7.5.2.1. Setting Source ID Color 1

On-screen display		
configuration		
Text burn-in properties		
Source ID color 1		
	Black	
	Grey	
	Yellow	
	<u>Red</u>	
	Green	
	Blue	
	Orange	

Select the desired SID/UMD color around the text.

# 7.5.2.2. Setting Source ID Color 2



Select the desired SID/UMD color around the text.



# 7.5.2.3. Setting Source ID Color 3

On-screen display configuration Text burn-in properties Source ID color 3 Black Grey Yellow Red <u>Green</u> Blue Orange Select the desired SID/UMD color around the text.

# 7.5.2.4. Setting the Text Window Default Background Color

On-screen display		
coning	uralio	11
Te	ext bul	rn-in properties
	Default background	
	color	
		Black
		Grey
		Yellow
		Red
		Green
		Blue
		Orange

Select the desired background color around the text in the Text windows.

#### 7.5.2.5. Setting the Text Window Background Opacity

On-screen display configuration Text burn-in properties Background opacity 0 to 64 <u>64</u> This control sets the Text window background opacity or how much video picture content will be visible through the window background.

When set to the minimum value, very little of the window background color will be visible over the video content. At the maximum value, very little of the background video will be visible through the window background.

White text without any background can be configured by setting the background opacity to 0.



## 7.5.2.6. Setting the Text Window Text Opacity

On-screen display configuration Text burn-in configuration Text opacity



This control sets the Text window text opacity or how much video picture content will be visible through the text characters.

When set to the minimum value, very little of the white window text will be visible over the video content. At the maximum value, very little of the background video will be visible through the white window text.

#### 7.5.3. Setting Fault Burn-in Properties

The On screen text windows can be displayed as white characters with or without a colored background. In addition the text and background opacity or how much video picture content will be visible through the text or background is adjustable. The *Fault burn-in configuration* menu items are used to set these parameters for all the text windows except the Fault windows.

#### 7.5.3.1. Setting the Fault Text Background Colors

On-screen display			
configuration			
Fault burn-in properties			
Background color 1			
Black			
Grev			
Yellow			
Red			
Green			
Blue			
Orange			
On-screen display			
configuration			
Fault burn-in properties			
Background color 2			
Black			
Grev			
Yellow			
Red			
Green			
Blue			

Orange

Select the desired background color around the text in the Fault window.

Select the desired background color around the text in the Fault window.



#### 7.5.3.2. Setting the Fault Text Background Opacity

This control sets the Text window background opacity or how much video picture content will be visible through the window background.

When set to the minimum value, very little of the window background color will be visible over the video content. At the maximum value, very little of the background video will be visible through the window background.

White text without any background can be configured by setting the background opacity to 0.

#### 7.5.3.3. Setting the Fault Text Opacity

On-screen display configuration		
Fault burn-in properties		
Text opacity		
	0 to 64	
	<u>64</u>	

This control sets the Text window text opacity or how much video picture content will be visible through the text characters.

When set to the minimum value, very little of the white window text will be visible over the video content. At the maximum value, very little of the background video will be visible through the white window text.

# 7.6. GPI CONFIGURATION

#### 7.6.1. Viewing GPI Configurations

GPIx (x = 1 to 12) GPI enable status A status screen displaying GPI trigger allocations.

# 7.7. GPO CONFIGURATION

The 7765AVM-4 and 7765AVM-4A modules have four General Purpose outputs available through the DB-25 connector which can be used to signal several conditions to the user. In addition, these outputs can be configured to be active high or low. The 7700FR-C frame also has a fault monitoring LED and general-purpose output. The user also has the ability to configure which faults the 7765AVM-4 or 7765AVM-4A modules will assert onto the frame status system. The *GPO configuration* menu contains the controls used to configure the GPOs. For simplicity, only menu items for GPO1 will be described below.



	_	
GPO Configuration		
GPOx		
GPO active state		
High		
Low		
Quadrant y fault z		
Yes		
<u>No</u>		

CPO Configuration		
GPO Conliguration		
Frame status trigger		
Quadrant x fault y		
Yes		
<u>No</u>		

This menu item controls whether the General purpose output is active *High* or *Low*. Also, setting the GPO to trigger upon a fault condition 1 or fault condition 2 alert in a particular quadrant is also controlled in this menu. (x = 1 to 4, y = 1 to 4, z = 1 to 4)

NOTE: The output will power up in a high state until the software has had sufficient time to update the output with the appropriate condition.

The 7700 frame has a global status line that any card can pull active. With this control, you can select the condition for the card to cause the line to go active. Also included on the frame status signal is card power supply monitoring. This is derived with hardware and can not be disabled from the status signal. (x = 1 to 4, y = 1 to 4)

If it is desired to use this feature, the frame status jumper J22 (located near the card extractor) must also be set to the *On* position. See section 8.1

The Red *Local Fault* LED will be On when the global status line is active regardless of the position of jumper J22.

# 7.8. Setting HV Delay Line and Pixel Variables

# 7.8.1.1. Setting H/V Delay 525 Start Line Number



Control to set starting line with 525 line input

# 7.8.1.2. Setting H/V Delay 625 Start Line Number

H/V delay		
	625 star	t line number
		5 to 312
		140

Control to set starting line with 625 line input (when module outfitted with 625 firmware)

H/V Delay

525 start pixel 0 to 856 (in 2 sample increments)

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# 7.8.1.3. Setting H/V Delay 525 Line Start Pixel

Control to set the starting pixel with a 525 line input.

# 7.8.1.4. Setting H/V Delay 625 Line Start Pixel

Η/	V dela	ay
	625	start pixel
		0 to 862
		(in 2 sample
		increments)
		574

Control to set the starting pixel with a 625 line input (when module outfitted with 625 firmware).

# 7.9. SERIAL PORT CONFIGURATION

Data logging	Menu item to adjust data logging feature of AVM.
TSL protocol	Configuration for TSL UMD protocol.
Serial port configuration	Serial port function selection menu item.

#### 7.9.1. Data Logging

Data logging is performed through the rear serial port. Since standard ASCII text is used, the fault data is human readable. Any PC running a terminal program can be used to view the log data or save the data logs to disk, providing a permanent report of any errors that existed over a specific period of time. When faults are logged on the serial port a time stamp accompanies them from an internal clock. The data logging serial port (RS-232) operates at 57600 baud, 8 bits, no parity, 2 stop bits and no flow control.

There are 2 data logging options which can be enabled separately or at the same time:

- Periodically output card status
- Output fault data on a fault status change

#### 7.9.1.1. Selecting the Fault Data Logging Mode

Serial port				
	Dat	ta log	gging	
		Faι	ult log	
			<u>Disable</u>	
			Enable	

This control selects whether or not fault log data should be sent out the serial port.

When Fault logging is enabled, a text message is sent out the serial port when a fault condition changes.



# 7.9.1.2. Enabling the Status Logging Output

Se	rial p	ort	
	Data logging		
		Status log	
		<u>Disable</u>	
		Enable	

This control selects whether or not status log data should be sent out the serial port.

When Status logging is enabled, text messages representing the current status of the card are sent out the serial port at the poll rate specified in the *Status poll rate* menu item.

# 7.9.1.3. Card ID



For data logging purposes, identifies enabled card.

# 7.9.1.4. Setting the Time Stamp Clock

Serial port		
Data logging		
	Event stamp	
	<u>Current time</u>	

This control shows and sets the current state of the free-running clock (*Current time*).

# 7.9.1.5. Setting the Status Poll Rate



This control sets the rate at which card status is sent out the rear serial port when Status logging is enabled.

The status includes all items from the status window, AP and FF EDH error states, and the audio format error state.

# 7.9.1.6. Outputting The Module Status At Any Time

Serial port Data logging Query status Yes No

This menu item is used to output the card status regardless of whether the polling rate timer has expired. Each time the *Query status* menu item is set to *Yes*, the card status is output on the serial port.



#### 7.9.2. TSL Protocol

TSL Protocol

Video source A address = 0 to 126 This menu item allows the user to set the TSL protocol address identifying where the Quattro must look to decode the UMD information. For simplicity, only "A" menu I shown here. Sources "B", "C" and "D" are set in a similar manner, with default addresses set to "1", "2" and "3" respectively.

#### 7.9.3. Serial Port Configuration

Serial port configuration Data logging TSL protocol Probel protocol

This menu item defines the function of the serial port on the back of the Quattro rear plate module. For Data logging, the module itself can be left in RS-232 mode (via jumper). For either TSL or Probel UMD mode, the jumper must be moved to RS-422 mode.

The jumper/header position is located on the top "CC" board (Figure 7), along its top edge. In positions 1-2, or is left open the serial port will function as an RS-232 port. If pins 2-3 are connected, the port will communicate via RS-422 type protocols.

# 7.10. SETTING INSTRUCTIONS UPON LOSS OF VIDEO SIGNAL

Loss of video		
	Pass	
	<u>Black</u>	

Upon loss of video for any one of the inputs, the output for input signal is set to either black (default) or to pass the actual input.

# 7.11. CONFIGURING DISPLAY MODES

#### 7.11.1. Setting Output Display Mode

Display mode			
	<u>4:3/Normal</u>		
	16:9		
	Quadrant 1		
	Quadrant 2		
	Quadrant 3		
	Quadrant 4		

Sets output display to 2x2 quadrant view with either 4:3 or 16:9 aspect ratios (when available) or expands one of the quadrant views (Quadrant x) to full (expanded view) screen.



# 7.12. CONFIGURING QUADRANT FAULT INDICATORS

Quadrant fault indicator	The quadrant fault indicator enable menu item offers four options for
Off No fault on <u>No fault off</u> Fault on	<ul> <li>fault display when in Expanded view mode:</li> <li>"Off" setting disables quadrant fault indicator display</li> <li>"No fault on" sets the indicator on if there is no quadrant fault, and to "blink" mode when there is a quadrant fault.</li> <li>"No fault off" has the indicator off if there is no quadrant fault, and to "blink" when there is a quadrant fault.</li> <li>"Fault on" means that the indicator is off if there is no quadrant fault, and on if there is a quadrant fault. There is no "blink" notification.</li> </ul>

# 7.13. SETTING VIDEO OUTPUT DISPLAY IN UNDERSCAN MODE

Ou	Output active window		
	Safe action		
	Production aperture		

Only available in the 7765AVM-4-SD, -4A-SD, -4-CA and -4A-CA, this setting allows the user to set the output display in "underscan mode" to fit the entire active output on the monitor display. The "underscan mode" is identified as "safe mode" in this menu.

# 7.14. SETTING THE NTSC SETUP PEDESTAL

NT	NTSC setup		
pedestal			
	Enable		
	Disable		

The setup pedestal allows the user to turn on the composite video output's setup pedestal. This parameter is only available on the 7765AVM-4-CA and 7765AVM-4A-CA versions (525 lines input).

# 7.15. UTILITIES



About	A Quick reference menu item that displays the currently loaded firmware revision for the AVM along with serial and build numbers.
Store preset 1	Store the current configuration of the card (location1).
Store preset 2	Store the current configuration of the card (location2).
Recall preset 1	Recall a configuration of the card (location1).
Recall preset 2	Recall a configuration of the card (location2).
Upgrade	Set the card into upgrade mode. This menu option allows the user to bypass the Upgrade Jumper on the card when upgrading with newer firmware through the RS-232 communication port located at the front card-edge.
Factory reset	Resets the card configuration to factory default values. (Factory default values are identified in this manual with "_".)

#### 7.15.1. About...

About...

This menu item lists the particulars about this module including the hardware, and software revisions. This item can be used to determine if an upgrade to the module is required.

#### 7.15.2. Saving And Recalling AVM Configurations

The AVM modules provide two user preset areas to save the complete set of control from the on screen menu. The *Store preset* and *Recall preset* menu items are used to save and recall these configurations.

For simplicity the following sections of the manual show how to store and recall from Preset 1 only.

#### 7.15.2.1. Storing AVM Configurations to the User Presets

Utilities					
Sto	Store preset 1				
	Store				
	<u>Cancel</u>				

This control is used to initiate a store of the current card configuration into one of the user presets

After selecting the store preset operation, you must change the command to *Store* and press the pushbutton before the store will take place. You can abort the operation by pressing the pushbutton when *Cancel* is displayed.



# 7.15.2.2. Recall AVM Configurations from the User Presets

Uti	lities				
	Recall preset 1				
		Recall			
		Cancel			

This control is used to initiate a recall of the current card configuration from one of the user presets

After selecting the recall preset operation, you must change the command to *Recall* and press the pushbutton before the store will take place. You can abort the operation by pressing the pushbutton when *Cancel* is displayed.

**Warning:** there will be a slight disturbance in the operation of the card and the on-screen display while the new preset is being recalled.

**Warning:** the current state of the card will be forgotten if it has not been saved to a preset before a recall is performed.

# 7.15.3. Initiating a Software Upgrade

Utilities					
Upgrade					
	Yes				
	<u>Cancel</u>				

This menu item is used to initiate an upgrade of the module software.

In addition to the software upgrade support detailed in this manual (See the *Upgrading Firmware* section of this manual for more information), you can initiate an upgrade with this command. This will allow you to upgrade the software without unplugging the card and changing the upgrade jumper.

After selecting the upgrade operation, you must change the command to Yes and press the pushbutton before the upgrade can take place. You can abort the operation by pressing the pushbutton when *Cancel* is displayed.

After the upgrade has finished, the unit will automatically restart and run in normal operating mode.

#### 7.15.4. Restoring the AVM to its Factory Default Configuration

Utilities



This menu item is used to restore all controls back to their factory defaults.

After selecting the reset operation, you must change the command to Yes and press the pushbutton before the command takes place. After the command, all parameters will be set to their factory default. You can abort the operation by pressing the pushbutton when *Cancel* is displayed.



# 8. JUMPERS



# Figure 6: Location of Jumpers on 7700SP Boards



Figure 7: Location of Jumpers on 7700CC Boards

# 8.1. SELECTING WHETHER LOCAL FAULTS WILL BE MONITORED BY THE GLOBAL FRAME STATUS

**FRAME STATUS** The FRAME STATUS jumper J22 located at the front of the module determines whether local faults (as shown by the Local Fault indicator) will be connected to the 7700FR-C frame's global status bus.

To monitor faults on this module with the frame status indicators (on the PS FRAME STATUS LED's and on the Frame's Fault Tally output) install this jumper. (Default) When this jumper is removed, local faults on this module will not be monitored. For convenience you may re-install the jumper so that only one side is connected.

The *Frame status trigger* menu item on the *GPO configuration* menu is used to configure whether *Fault condition 1* or *Fault condition 2* will assert the frame status fault line. Power supply faults will always assert the frame status fault line when J22 is installed.

#### 8.2. CONFIGURING THE MODULE FOR FIRMWARE UPGRADES

ever

The following method can be used to upgrade the firmware in the AVM card. You can also use the *UPGRADE* menu item located on the *UTILITIES* menu to upgrade the firmware.

**UPGRADE** The UPGRADE jumper located on the top module at the bottom, front is used when firmware upgrades are being done to the module. For normal operation it should be installed in the *RUN* position. See the *Upgrading Firmware* section of this manual for more information.

To upgrade the firmware in the module unit pull it out of the frame. Move Jumper into the *UPGRADE* position. Install the Upgrade cable provided (located in the vinyl pouch in the front of this manual) onto header at the card edge. Re-install the module into the frame. Run the upgrade as described in the *Upgrading Firmware* section of this manual. Once the upgrade is completed, remove the module from the frame, move Jumper into the *RUN* position, remove the upgrade cable and re-install the module. The module is now ready for normal operation.

- Fault 1 window

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# 9. Menu Quick Reference

/ideo Source X					
-	Audio channel ½				
	⊢ Audio level mode				
	– Headroom				
	– PPM mode				
	- Clear peak				
_	Audio channel <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>				
	- Same as Audio				
	channel ½				
_	Audio channel 5/6				
	<ul> <li>Same as Audio</li> </ul>				
	channel 1/2				
_	Source ID				
	⊢ 525 VITC line				
	– 525 PESA line				
	- 625 VITC line				
	- 625 PESA line				
	mode				
	- Default source ID				
	message				
	enable				
	enable				
	enable				
_	Fault definitions				
	⊢ Video invalid				
	duration				
	<ul> <li>EDH error duration</li> </ul>				
	– Over level				
	<ul> <li>Over duration</li> </ul>				
	<ul> <li>Silence level</li> </ul>				
	<ul> <li>Silence duration</li> </ul>				
	Phase reversal level				
	- Phase reversal				
	Mono threshold lovel				
	Mono duration				
	- Loss of CC duration				
	- Loss of program				
	rating duration				
	Picture noise level				
	Freeze duration				
	Black duration				
-	Audio source				
-	Clear peaks				

# Quadrant X

- Bar graph ½
- Bar graph
- properties
- Level type
- VU range
- Phase type
- Error region
   Warning region
- Bar graph ¾ – Same as Bar
- graph ½ **Burn-in**
- configuration
- On screen display configuration
- Burn-in enable
- $\vdash$  Ch ½ level bars
- $-Ch^{3/4}$  level bars
- Ch ½ phase
- bars – Ch ¾ phase
- bars <sup>'</sup>
- Status
- Time code
- Program rating – XDS
- XDS - Source ID
- 300/ce iD – 4:3 Quadrant burn-
- in position
- ⊢ *Time code*
- window row
- Time code window col
- Program rating
- window row
  Program rating
- window col XDS window
- row
- XDS window col
   Fault 1 window
   row
- Fault 1 window col
- Fault 2 window
- | row |- Fault 2 window | col
- Fault 3 window
- row

- Fault 3 window
   col
- Fault 4 window
- | row |- Fault 4 window col
- 16:9 Quadrant burn-in position
- $\vdash$  Time code
- window row
- Time code
- window col
- Program rating window row
- Program rating window col
- XDS window
- XDS window col
- Fault 1 window row
- Fault 1 window col
- Fault 2 window row
- Fault 2 window col
- Fault 3 window row
- Fault 3 window col
- Fault 4 window row
- Fault 4 window col
- Expanded view burn-in position
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- window row
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- window col
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- XDS window col
   Fault 1 window
- row

- col Fault 2 window row Fault 2 window col Fault 3 window row Fault 3 window col Fault 4 window row - Fault 4 window col Status burn-in mode **Fault conditions** Fault burn-in properties (Quick link) Fault condition 1 ⊢ Fault status 4:3 quadrant burn-in position 16:9 quadrant burn-in position Expanded view burn-in position Message Mode Color Blink Duration Clear fault Video invalid Loss of audio Loss of audio channel 1/2 Loss of audio channel 3/4 AP EDH errors FF EDH errors Phase reversal 1/2 Phase reversal 3/ Audio over 1/2 Audio over 3/4 Audio silence 1/2
  - Audio silence 3/4

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– Audio mono ½	On screen display	GPI configuration	□ GPO configuration
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	properties		
-Loss SID	$\vdash OK$ region		
Loss of program	Custom OK red		
rating	Custom OK		
– Loss of CC			- Q1F4
– Picture black			
	- Warning region		
- GPI2	Custom warning		
- GPI3	red		– Q3F1
- GPI4	Custom warning		_ Q3F2
- GPI5	green		– Q3F3
-GPI6	Custom warning		$-\Omega 3F4$
	blue		- 04F1
	Error region		
	Custom error		
	red		
	Custom error		
	green		
- GPI12	– Custom error		- Same as for GPU1
Fault condition 2	blue		
<ul> <li>Same as for</li> </ul>	Background		- Same as for GPU1
Fault condition 1	opacity		
Fault condition 3	– Bars opacity		- Same as for GPO1
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Fault condition 1	properties		trigger
Fault condition 4	⊢ Source ID color		- Q1F1
– Same as for			– Q1F2
Fault condition 1	Source ID color		
<ul> <li>Video source</li> </ul>			
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<ul> <li>Clear faults</li> </ul>	_ Default		– Q2F3
<ul> <li>Disable on-screen</li> </ul>	background		– Q2F4
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#### H/V delay

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#### Serial Port

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Quadrant fault indicator

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