

# 9000DP Firmware Update Procedure

## Requirements:

- PC with available communications port. The communication speed requirement is relatively high therefore a 486 PC or better with a 16550 UART based communications port is recommended.
- "Straight-thru" serial extension cable (DB9 female to DB9 male) or (DB25 female to DB9 male). At least five wires are required (shown in bold italic with an \*); see chart below.

DB9 female	DB9 male	Description
1	1	
<b>2*</b>	<b>2*</b>	<b><i>RX</i></b>
<b>3*</b>	<b>3*</b>	<b><i>TX</i></b>
4	4	
<b>5*</b>	<b>5*</b>	<b><i>Ground</i></b>
6	6	
<b>7*</b>	<b>7*</b>	<b><i>RTS</i></b>
<b>8*</b>	<b>8*</b>	<b><i>CTS</i></b>
9	9	

- Terminal program such as Hyper Terminal, Telix, Procomm etc.
- New firmware supplied by Evertz.

## Note:

1. Firmware downloaded from the FTP section on the Evertz web page ([www.evertz.com](http://www.evertz.com)) it is stored in compressed form in a zip file. If the file extension is "\*.exe" you must first run the self extracting zip file to extract the "\*.bin" located within. If the file extension is "\*.zip" you must use PKUNZIP or WINZIP to extract the "\*.bin" located within.
2. There is a backup copy of the firmware for the HD9525LG on the InstaLogo installation CD-ROM in the "Firmware" directory; the file is called (#v#\_###.bin).

## Update Procedure:

### Part I – Terminal program setup

1. Power-down the Evertz frame.
2. Connect the "straight-thru" serial cable from the PCs' RS-232 communications port to the RS-232 communications port on the back of the Evertz frame.
3. Start the terminal program.
4. Configure the port settings of the terminal program as follows:

Baud	<b>57600</b>
Parity	<b>no</b>
Data bits	<b>8</b>
Stop bits	<b>2</b>
Flow Control	<b>None</b>

5. Power-up the Evertz frame.

### Part II – Invoke upload mode via the front panel

Note: If you cannot invoke the upload mode via the front panel outlined in Part II then follow the steps in Part III.

9525DSK-LG Down Stream Keyer with Logo Inserter and 9525DSK Down Stream Keyer

- Press the *SETUP* button once.
- Press the *down arrow* until the main display reads *General*.
- Press the *SELECT* button once.
- Press the *down arrow* until the main display reads *Update code*.
- Press the *SELECT* button once.
- The *main display* should now show the message **Select = Upgrade**.
- Press the *SELECT* button to confirm the *Upgrade* operation, press *Setup* to cancel.
- Skip to step 14.

#### HD9525LG High Definition Logo Generator

- Press the *SETUP* button once.
- Press the *down arrow* until the main display reads *System Setup*.
- Press the *SELECT* button once.
- Press the *down arrow* until the main display reads *Upgrade*.
- Press the *SELECT* again to choose *Upgrade*.
- The *main display* should now show the message **Select = Upgrade**.
- Press the *SELECT* button to confirm the *Upgrade* operation, press *Setup* to cancel.
- Skip to step 14.

#### 9580 Telecine Keyer

- Press the *SETUP* button once.
- Use either *shaft encoder* dial up the *Upgrade* option.
- The *main display* should now show the message **Upgrade**.
- Press the *SETUP* button to choose *Upgrade*.
- The *main display* should now show the message **UPLOAD:Setup=yes**.
- Press the *SETUP* button to confirm the *Upgrade* operation.
- Skip to step 14.

#### 9590 Graticule Generator and HD9590 High Definition Graticule Generator

- Press the *ON/OFF*, 4 and 9 buttons simultaneously then release them.
- The *main display* should now show the message **UPLOAD:Setup=yes**.
- Press the *SETUP* button to confirm the *Upgrade* operation.
- Skip to step 14.

### Part III – Invoke upload mode via the terminal program

6. A banner with the boot code version information should appear in the terminal window.

For example:

```
EVERTZ 9000DP MONITOR 1.0 BETA Aug 20 1998 16:25:33  
COPYRIGHT 1997, 1998 EVERTZ MICROSYSTEMS LTD.  
9000DP COLD BOOT> |
```

7. The following is a list of possible reason for failed communications:
  - Defective RS-232 “straight-thru” serial extension cable.
  - Wrong communications port selected in the terminal program.
  - Improper port settings in the terminal program. Refer to step 4 for settings.
  - Evertz frame is off.
8. The cursor to the right of the word “**BOOT>**” should be spinning.
9. While the cursor is spinning press the <CTRL> and <X> keys, this should stop the cursor from spinning. If the Evertz frame continues to boot-up simply cycle the power on the Evertz frame and repeat this step.
10. Hit the <ENTER> key once.
11. Type the word “**upgrade**”, without quotes, and hit the <ENTER> key once.
12. The boot code will ask for confirmation. Type “**y**”, without quotes.
13. You should now see a prompt asking you to upload the file.

For example:

```
BOOT> upgrade  
UPLOAD FLASH MAIN  
ARE YOU SURE YOU WANT TO UPLOAD FLASH? [Y/N] Y  
  
UPLOAD FILE FOR $08000 NOW, CONTROL-X TO CANCEL
```

#### Part IV – Uploading the new firmware

14. Upload the “\*.bin” file supplied using the **X-Modem** transfer protocol.
15. The boot code will indicate whether the operation was successful upon completion of the upload.

For Example:

```
UPLOAD OKAY  
BOOT>
```

16. The following is a list of possible reason for a failed upload:
  - If you get the message "transfer cancelled by remote" you must restart the terminal program and load the bin file using the method outlined in *Part III – Invoke upload mode via the terminal program*.
  - The supplied “\*.bin” file is corrupt.
  - Wrong file specified to be uploaded.
  - The PCs' RS-232 communications port can't handle a port speed of **57600**.
  - Noise induced into the RS-232 “straight-thru” serial extension cable.
  - To ensure proper communications use step 9 to break out of the boot up sequence and type the word **help**. You should get back some text. This confirms that you are sending data, receiving data and are locked to 57600.
17. Power-down the Evertz frame.
18. Power-up the Evertz frame.
19. You can now close the terminal program and disconnect the RS-232 serial cable.

The update procedure is now completed.