

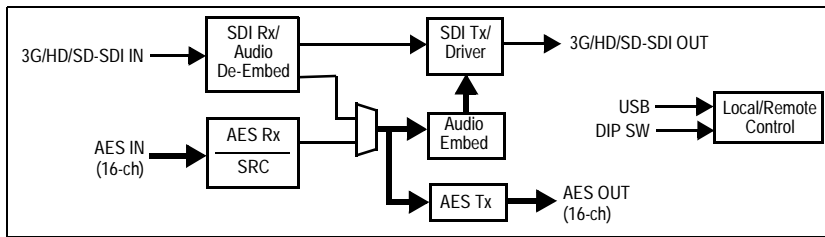


BBG-EMDE-AES75

3G/HD/SD AES Audio Embedder / De-Embedder
(AES-3id BNC)

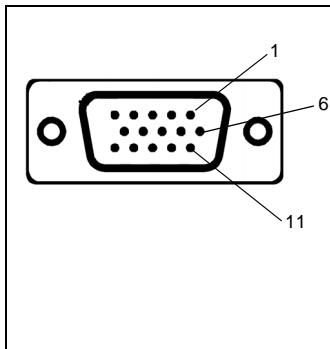
The **BlueBox™ BBG-EMDE-AES75 3G/HD/SD Analog Audio De-Embedder** (hereinafter "BBG-EMDE-AES75") provides embedding and de-embedding between 16 AES and embedded audio channels. Each AES pair can be set as input (embed) or output (receive de-embedded). BBG-EMDE-AES75 provides eight BNC pairs (via a HD-15 connector or by accessory BNC male breakout adapter cable, PN BBG-CA-75-BNCM).

Embed/de-embed select can be performed using a DIP switch on the bottom of BBG-EMDE-AES75, or via a free remote control application that can be downloaded from www.cobaltdigital.com > Support. This application then allows GUI control of BBG-EMDE-AES75 via a USB connection. **Refer to the "Installing and Using BBGConfig" sheet provided with this unit if USB remote control is desired.**



Connecting BBG-EMDE-AES75

1. Connect the supplied AC adapter to BBG-EMDE-AES75 DC power input **5-16VDC PWR**.
2. Connect SDI input and output. (If BBG-EMDE-AES75 is being used purely as a de-embedder with no SDI pass-thru to downstream device(s), the **SDI OUT** connector does not require termination if unused.)
3. Connect AES connections as follows:
 - If using accessory breakout cable BBG-CA-75-BNCM, connect this cable between the **AES I/O** HD-15 connector on BBG-EMDE-AES75. AES breakout is as listed below.
 - If it is desired to connect to your own AES audio HD-15 cable, make certain pinouts conform to those shown below (view shows "looking into" BBG-EMDE-AES75 connector).



AES Pair	Cable Connector	Cable Color	HD-15 Pin
1 (1/2)	A1	BLK	11
2 (3/4)	A2	RED	7
3 (5/6)	A3	GRY	15
4 (7/8)	A4	WHT	14
5 (9/10)	B1	BLU	10
6 (11/12)	B2	GRN	9
7 (13/14)	B3	VIO	13
8 (15/16)	B4	YEL	12

All GND connections are common to connector shell.

Embed Select Using DIP Switch Bank

BBG-EMDE-AES75 can be used in a local control mode using DIP switches to configure embedding/de-embedding, or via USB remote control. Refer to diagram on rear page or unit label for switch positions.

- **If using DIP switch control**, make certain switch SW1 is set to **ON**. USB remote control is locked out in this mode.
- **If using USB remote control**, make certain switch SW1 is set to **OFF**. DIP switch local control is locked out in this mode.

AES Receive SRC

BBG-EMDE-AES75 is equipped with audio embed adaptive SRC that allows asynchronous 48 kHz AES audio to automatically sync with the device 48 kHz timing for glitch-free embedding. Individual, per-pair SRC auto-detects and disables SRC when a Dolby pair is detected on an AES input pair.

Status Indicator

BBG-EMDE-AES75 has a **Status** LED on the side of the unit which functions as follows:

- **Solid ON** – Input lock OK
- **Slow Flash** – Unlocked to input video; input video not present

Specifications

Item	Description/Specification
Standards supported:	SMPTE 259M, 292M, 424M
Inputs/Outputs:	(1) 3G/HD/SD-SDI In (75Ω BNC) (1) DC Power (+5-16 VDC) (1) 8-channel AES-3id 75Ω I/O via HD-15 connector (accessible as eight BNC male connectors using accessory breakout cable BBG-CA-75-BNCM (not included)) (1) USB remote control connector (Mini-USB)
Outputs:	(1) 3G/HD/SD-SDI, 75Ω BNC with selectable AES pair 1-8 embedding
Audio conversion format:	48 kHz sampling, 24-bit with adaptive SRC. Auto SRC bypass for Dolby® embedding.
Power source:	5-16 VDC, <5 W. Powered using corded AC adapter (included).
Dimensions (WxHxD):	5.5" x 3" x 1" (including connector projections) (139 x 77 x 26 mm)



Installing and Using BBGConfig

USB PC Remote Control User Interface for
BBG-EMDE-AES75 and BBG-EMDE-AES110

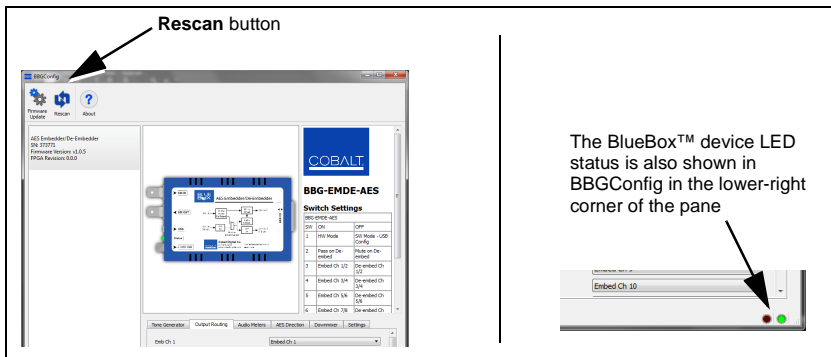
BBGConfig is a program that allows output audio routing and source selection, as well as other user functions, via a user GUI app that runs on a PC and communicates settings to the USB-connected BlueBox™ device. After settings are performed, the USB connection can be removed if desired, with the BlueBox™ device retaining these settings (even after power-down of the device) unless later changed. BBGConfig avails many more control functions than that available using only the BlueBox™ device DIP switches.

- Note:**
- BBGConfig can currently be installed and used **only** on the following Windows® platforms:
 - Windows® Vista - Windows® 7
 - Windows® 8 - Windows® 8.1
 - BBGConfig is usable only with the following BlueBox™ models: BBG-DE-AA, BBG-EM-AA, BBG-EMDE-AES.

Installing BBGConfig on PC

Note: Do **not** connect BlueBox™ unit to PC at this point.

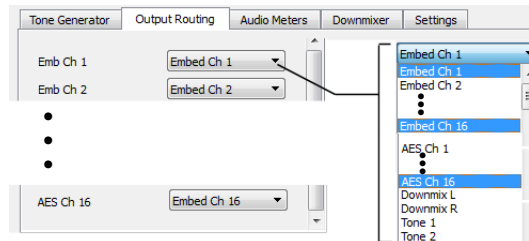
1. Download the **BBGConfig** file to your PC. Go to the **Support>Firmware Downloads** link at www.cobaltdigital.com and download the install file at **BBGConfig App** in the BlueBox™ section, then follow the instructions below.
2. Double-click on the file to start and run the Installer. Follow prompts to install in desired folder and complete the installation. After installation is complete, click Close to exit. **BBGConfig** is now ready to connect to compatible BlueBox™ device via a USB connection.
3. On the BlueBox™ device, **make certain DIP switch SW1 is set to OFF**. This allows **BBGConfig** to be used for control instead of the other DIP switches.
4. Connect the BlueBox™ device to the PC using a USB cable (supplied). Open **BBGConfig**; the device now appears in the app as shown in the example. If **No Units Connected** is displayed, click the **Rescan** button in the upper right corner of the opening screen.



BBG-EMDE-AES BBGConfig GUI Controls

Making certain DIP switch SW1 is set to OFF, BBG-EMDE-AES can now be controlled using the following **BBGConfig** GUI controls. As long as switch SW1 is left in the OFF position, any settings performed using the **BBGConfig** GUI will be persistent (even through power cycles). When settings are as intended, the USB cable can be disconnected and **BBGConfig** can be closed.

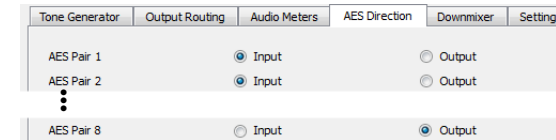
Output Routing Controls Tab



Using the **Output Routing** drop-down list for each embedded output channel, selects the audio **input source** to be routed to the corresponding embedded and AES output channel from the following choices:

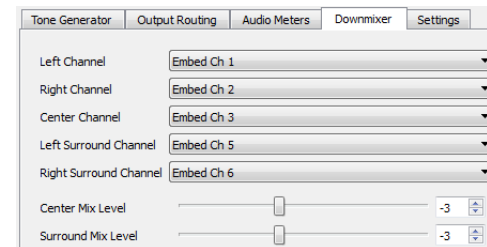
- Emb Ch 1 thru Ch 16
- AES Ch 1 thru Ch 16
- Built-in Tone generators Tone 1 thru Tone 8
- Downmix L or R
- Silence

AES Direction Tab



Allows setting each AES pair as an input (embedding) or an output (de-embed from embedded).

Downmixer Tab

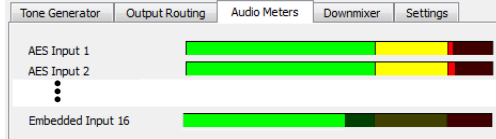


Left Channel Input thru Right Surround Channel Input select the five audio source channels (embedded or AES) to be used for the downmix. Downmix channels Downmixer L and Downmixer R are available as sources for the embedded and AES outputs using the Output Routing controls described above.

Center Mix Level adjusts the attenuation ratio of center-channel content from 5-channel source that is re-applied as Lt and Rt content to the DM-L and DM-R stereo mix.

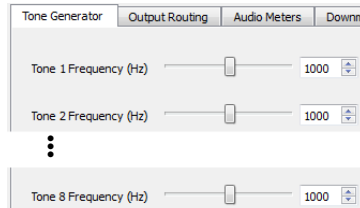
Surround Mix Level adjusts the attenuation ratio of surround-channel content from 5-channel source that is re-applied as Lo and Ro content to the DM-L and DM-R stereo mix.

Audio Meters Tab



Relative signal levels can be checked for all embedded and AES audio inputs using the **Audio Meters** tab.

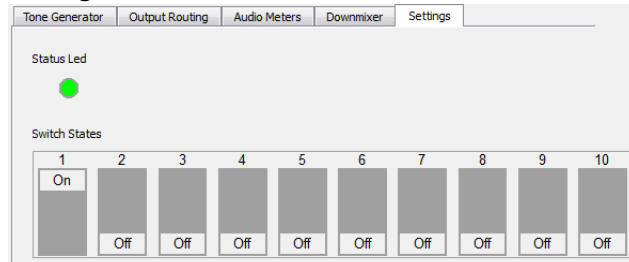
Tone Generators Tab



Individual tone generators Tone 1 thru Tone 8 can be set for desired frequencies and routed to embedded or AES output channels using the Output Routing controls. Tone 1 thru Tone 8 all provide a -20 dBFS level.

Note: Multiple tone generators, even if set to the same frequency, may not exhibit phase coherence. If identical tones with frequency and phase coherence are required, use a single tone generator (e.g., "TG1") across multiple channels instead of multiple generators set to the same frequency.

Settings Tab



The **Settings** tab shows the current settings for the 10-position DIP switch located on the bottom of the BBG-EMDE-AES unit. The **Status LED** mirrors the status shown on the LED on the edge of the BBG-EMDE-AES unit.

Powering Down BBG-EMDE-AES with Custom GUI Settings

BBG-EMDE-AES requires the AC adapter to make certain adequate power is supplied to the unit. To make certain BBG-EMDE-AES powers-down as intended and properly saves any custom settings, power-down as follows:

1. After settings have been made, wait **at least 10 seconds** before proceeding.
2. Disconnect the USB connection.
3. Disconnect the AC adapter from the AC line or the unit itself. BBG-EMDE-AES are now saved and will re-appear upon next power-up. Unless the settings need to be changed, only the AC adapter connection is necessary for powering BBG-DE-AA in field use.



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