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# **DA1907LX**

# DITTO-AMP, 1-IN 2-OUT VGA DISTRIBUTION AMPLIFIER USER'S GUIDE





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## PRECAUTIONS / SAFETY WARNINGS

Please read this manual carefully before using your **DA1907LX** and keep it handy for future reference. These safety instructions are to ensure the long life of your **DA1907LX** and to prevent fire and shock hazards. Please read them carefully and heed all warnings.

#### 1.1 GENERAL

- Do not open the unit or power supply case; there are high-voltage components inside.
- There are no user serviceable parts inside.
  Qualified ALTINEX service personnel must perform all service on the DA1907LX.

### 1.2 HANDLING

- For best results, place the DA1907LX on a flat, leveled surface in a dry area away from dust and moisture.
- To prevent fire or shock, do not expose this unit to water or moisture. Do not place the DA1907LX in direct sunlight, near heaters, or heat-radiating appliances, or near any liquid. Exposure to direct sunlight, smoke, or steam can harm internal components.
- Handle the DA1907LX carefully. Dropping or jarring can damage the unit.
- Do not pull any cables that are attached to the DA1907LX.
- Do not place heavy objects on top of the DA1907LX.
- If the DA1907LX Interface is not used for an extended period, disconnect the adapter from the wall to avoid fire, shock, and loss of power.

### 1.3 CLEANING

- Unplug the DA1907LX adapter before cleaning.
- Clean only with a dry cloth. Never use strong detergents or solvents such as alcohol or thinner. Do not use a wet cloth or water to clean the unit. Do not open the unit to clean.

#### 1.4 FCC NOTICE

- This device complies with Part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) This device may not cause harmful interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.
- This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class A digital device, pursuant to Part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference when the equipment is operated in a commercial environment. This equipment generates, uses, and can radiate radio frequency energy and if not installed and used in accordance with instructions found herein, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. Operation of this equipment in a residential area is likely to cause harmful interference in which case the user will be required to correct the interference at his own expense.
- Any changes or modifications to the unit not expressly approved by ALTINEX, Inc. could void the user's authority to operate the equipment.





### **ABOUT YOUR DA1907LX**

## **DA1907LX**

Ditto-Amp, 1-In 2-Out VGA Distribution **Amplifier** 

The **DA1907LX** (**Ditto-Amp**) is a high-resolution, 1-In 2-Out Distribution Amplifier designed to allow the connection of a single VGA-UXGA source to up two scan-rate compatible displays. Very high-resolution video signals are able to pass without degradation in the image quality.

The DA1907LX offers a female 15-pin HD input featuring native Plug & Play compatibility with Output 1. An internal Plug & Play memory option may be selected at purchase for applications where using the Plug & Play feature of the remote device is not desired.

Compact and easy to use, the **DA1907LX** is perfect for audiovisual installations where a single computer needs to be connected to a projector (or presentation monitor) and a local monitor simultaneously. The **DA1907LX** has female 15-pin HD (VGA-type) connectors on all input and output connectors so it can be used with readily available standard VGA-type cables. If desired, the input and/or output of the DA1907LX can be easily adapted to 5 BNC connectors through ALTINEX adapter cables.

The DA1907LX is compatible with RGsB, RGBS, and RGBHV signal types, and using the proper cable type the DA1907LX can be used with MAC, SUN, or SGI platform computers.

## **TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS**

Specifications are subject to change. See www.altinex.com for up-to-date information.

| FEATURES/<br>DESCRIPTION    | DA1907LX   |
|-----------------------------|--|
| GENERAL                     |  |
| Inputs                      |  |
| Input Connector             | 15-pin HD female (1)                               |
| Outputs                     |  |
| Outputs 1 & 2               | 15-pin HD Female (2)                               |
| Power                       |  |
| DC Power                    | 2.5 mm jack (1)                                    |
| Compatibility               |  |
| Signal Types                | RGB, RGsB, RGBS,<br>RGBHV, YPbPr,<br>MAC, SUN, SGI |
| Video Signal<br>Resolutions | VGA through UXGA<br>and<br>480p through 1080i      |
| Accessories Included        |  |
| 3 ft (1 m) Video Cable      | 15-pin HD M-M                                      |
| Power Adapter               | +9VDC, 1.1 A                                       |

Table 1. DA1907LX General

| MECHANICAL                | DA1907LX           |
|---------------------------|--------------------|
| Material                  | 0.1 in Al          |
| Finish                    | Gray               |
| Top Panel                 | Lexan              |
| Height                    | 3.0 in (76 mm)     |
| Width                     | 4.5 in (114 mm)    |
| Depth                     | 1.0 in (25 mm)     |
| Weight                    | 0.5 lb (0.2 kg)    |
| Shipping Weight (approx.) | 1.0 lb (0.5 kg)    |
| T° Operating              | 10°C-35°C          |
| T° Maximum                | 45°C               |
| Humidity                  | 90% non-condensing |
| MTBF (calculations)       | 40,000 hrs         |

Table 2. DA1907LX Mechanical

| ELECTRICAL                       | DA1907LX            |  |
|----------------------------------|---------------------|--|
| Input Video Signal               |                     |  |
| Analog Signal Level              | 1.5 Vp-p max        |  |
| Impedance                        | 75 ohms             |  |
| Coupling                         | DC                  |  |
| Input Sync Signal                |                     |  |
| Horizontal/Vertical or Composite | TTL (+/-)           |  |
| Sync on Green                    | -0.3 V              |  |
| Impedance                        | 10 kohms            |  |
| Output Video Signals             |                     |  |
| Gain                             | 0 dB +/- 0.5 dB     |  |
| Impedance                        | 75 ohms             |  |
| Coupling                         | DC                  |  |
| Output Sync Signals              |                     |  |
| Horizontal/Vertical or Composite | TTL (+/-)           |  |
| Sync on Green                    | -0.3 V              |  |
| Impedance                        | 10 kohms            |  |
| Power Consumption                |                     |  |
| External Adapter: 9 VDC          | 280 mA (2.5 W max.) |  |

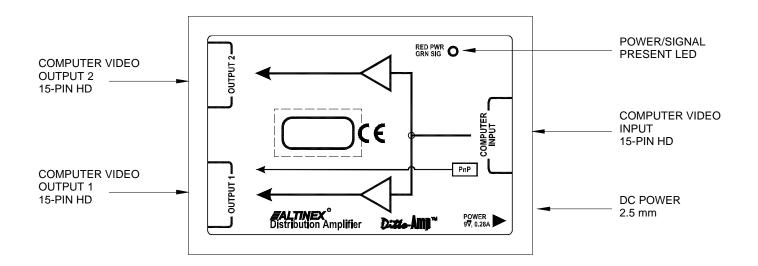
Table 3. DA1907LX Electrical

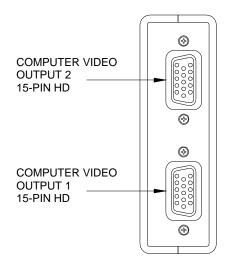


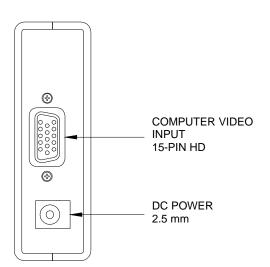


## PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

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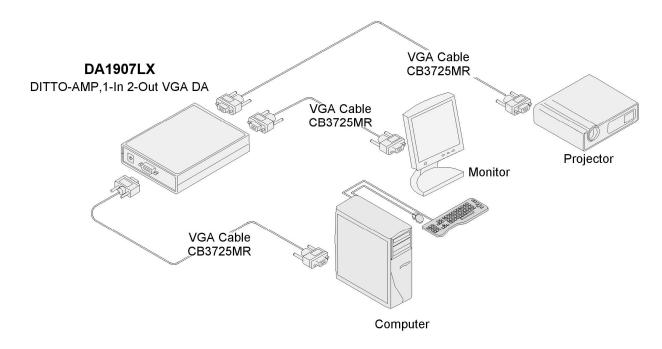
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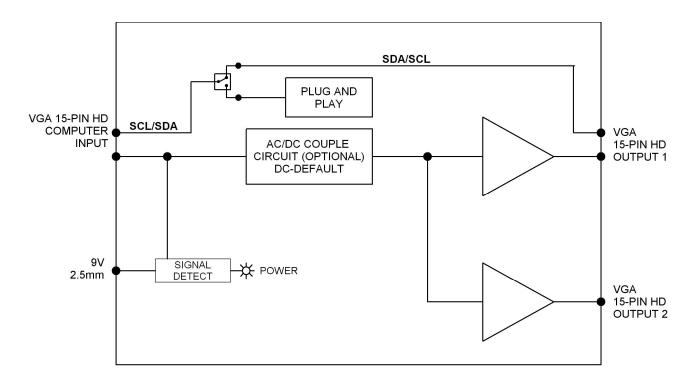


## APPLICATION DIAGRAMS

## **DIAGRAM 1: TYPICAL SETUP**



## **DIAGRAM 2: INTERNAL VIEW**



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## **INSTALLING YOUR DA1907LX**

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- Step 1. Connect the +9V AC adapter input to AC voltage and the output plug to the DA1907LX. Verify the LED in the top right corner of the unit's front panel turns on and RED.
- Step 2. Connect the video output from the computer to the computer input connector on the DA1907LX using the cable provided. If a longer cable is required, make sure that the cable uses internal coaxial cables and that the cable is not excessively long.
- **Step 3.** Verify the LED on the face of the unit changes from RED to GREEN indicating an active signal is present. If the LED is not GREEN, the computer may not be sending video signals.

NOTE: If using a laptop computer, the laptop may need to be set to output to the display to the external video port manually.

- **Step 4.** Connect the display devices (monitors and/or projectors) to Outputs 1 & 2 of the **DA1907LX**.
- **Step 5.** Verify the picture quality on both displays is good. If there is no signal, make sure that the display is compatible with the resolution of the computer graphics card.
- **Step 6.** The DA1907LX is now operational.

## **OPERATION**

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The **DA1907LX** requires no adjustments for performance. Once set-up, the **DA1907LX** will work trouble-free without user intervention.

## TROUBLESHOOTING GUIDE

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We have carefully tested and have found no problems in the supplied **DA1907LX**; however, we would like to offer suggestions for the following:

#### 8.1 LED IS NOT RED

The LED should be ON and RED when power is applied and ON and GREEN when the unit is receiving power and a SYNC signal.

Cause 1: There is no AC power.

Solution: Verify the supplied adapter is

plugged into a working AC outlet and that the outlet has power.

Cause 2: The adapter is not connected.

Solution: Verify the DC power plug coming

from the AC adapter is plugged all

the way into the **DA1907LX**.

Cause 3: The DA1907LX has a problem.

Solution: If there is AC power to the adapter

and the LED still does not turn on, the **DA1907LX** or the power adapter may require service. Call ALTINEX

at (714) 990-2300.

#### 8.2 LED IS NOT GREEN

Cause 1: There is no power.

Solution: Disconnect the video input from the

**DA1907LX** and verify the LED is ON and RED indicating power is present. Reconnect the computer's video output. If the LED is still not

GREEN see Cause 2.

Cause 2: There is no Sync signal.

Solution: Verify the computer output is

operating correctly by connecting it directly to a local monitor. If the display is good, call ALTINEX at

(714) 990-2300.





### **8.3 NO REMOTE IMAGE**

Cause 1: The source has a problem.

Solution: Check the image on a local monitor

and verify the quality is good. If the local image is good, see Cause 2.

Cause 2: Cable connections are incorrect.

Solution: Make sure that all the cables are

connected properly and that the continuity and wiring are good. If there is still no image, call ALTINEX

at (714) 990-2300.

### **8.4 POOR IMAGE QUALITY**

Cause 1: The source has a problem.

Solution: Check the image on the local

monitor and verify the quality is good. If the local image is good, see

Cause 2.

Cause 2 Signal transmission is poor.

Solution: Check the cables for continuity and

make sure that connections are wired properly. If the image is still not correct, call ALTINEX at

(714) 990-2300.

## **ALTINEX POLICIES**

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#### 9.1 LIMITED WARRANTY/RETURN POLICIES

Please see the ALTINEX website at <a href="https://www.altinex.com">www.altinex.com</a> for details on warranty and return policies.

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