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DS-6101HFI-IP
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Thanks for purchasing the products of Hikvision. If you have any requests or questions, please contact us immediately.

This manual is applicable to DS-6101HFI-IP Video Server.

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Chapter 1 Introduction

DS-6101HFI-IP video server adopts embedded Linux operation system (RTOS) and TI DaVinci processor that is completely independent of PC platform, and efficiently improves system performance. Firmware is burned into the FLASH, making the system more steady and reliable.

DS-6101HFI-IP is one channel network digital video server. It can also be used as IP module. As IP module, it can be integrated into camera or speed dome to build IP camera or IP dome. Customization of IP module is available. It can compress the video and audio signal simultaneously into H.264 compression stream and transmit the compression stream through network. It also supports real-time video and audio preview, stream protocol (RTP/RTCP, RTSP), IE browser and bi-directional voice talk, etc.

Notes:

DS-6101HFI-IP: 1 channels video input and 1 channels audio input. It can support 4CIF resolution real time (25FPS for PAL or 30FPS for NTSC).

1.1 DS-6101HFI-IP functions and features

- **Basic Function:**
  1. High speed & high compression ratio of H.264 video hardware real-time compression;
  2. Multiple security level leads to high system safety;
  3. Support one RS-485 interface that can be used for controlling pan-tilt-zoom and translucent channel input;

- **Compression Function**
  1. Support 1 channel video (PAL/NTSC) signal, and can be real-time hardware compressed in 25F/S (PAL) or 30F/S (NTSC) CIF resolutions independently. Video is compressed with H.264 standard, and it supports not only variable bit rate but also variable frame rate. When choosing video image quality, you can also limit the bit rate of the compression code.
  2. Support changeable OSD position, date and time can be added automatically.
  3. Support LOGO, the position is changeable in the video image.

- **Network Function**
  1. Support one 10M/100M Ethernet compatible interface;
  2. Support TCP/IP protocols; support video, audio, alarm, voice data, serial device data transmission through TCP/IP network; build-in WEB browser, support IE access.
  3. Support pan-tilt-zoom control such as the turn of PTZ, iris and focus;
  4. Support remote upgrading and maintenance;
  5. RS-485 interfaces support transparent transmission mode, and remote hosts can control
1.2 Common application

Network digital surveillance, such as ATM machine, factory and the bank etc;
Remote monitoring service for prison, nursery and school;
Intelligent gate system (dynamic record the people in and out);
Intelligent building and community;
Uncared-for system of electric power station or telecom base station;
Outdoor equipment monitoring;
Bridge, tunnel and cross road-monitoring system;
Pipeline, warehouse monitoring;
24 hour monitoring of traffic;
Remote monitoring of forest, water and river, etc
Chapter 2 Installation

2.1 Hardware installation

2.1.1 Installation steps

1. Open packing case, and check the integrity;
2. Take out things needed in installation;
3. Connect cables needed (video signal input cable, audio signal input cable, RS485 cable and cable for LAN);
4. Take out stabilizer power supply and power on.

2.1.2 Installation notice

Please read the following notice carefully. If you have any question, please contact us.

Notice:
1. After Opening the packing box, please check carefully to confirm that the goods in it are consistent with list;
2. Please read user manual carefully before installation;
3. Please power-off all related equipments before installation;
4. Please check the voltage of power supply to avoid voltage mismatch;
5. Installation environmental: Do not use it under humidity and high temperature; to keep ventilation to vent freely, avoid to be walled up; to keep them horizontally, avoid to set up in the vibration surroundings.
2.2 Product demonstration
2.3 The pin definition of physics interfaces

2.3.1 PIN definition of RS-232 serial interface

The DVS has one RS232 standard serial interface, with RJ-45 connector. Its pin definition is as follows (‘I’ means input, and ‘O’ means output):

<table>
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<tr>
<th>Pin No</th>
<th>Name</th>
<th>I/O</th>
<th>Explanation</th>
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<tr>
<td>1</td>
<td>DCD</td>
<td>I</td>
<td>Carrier Detect</td>
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<tr>
<td>2</td>
<td>RxD</td>
<td>I</td>
<td>Receive</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>3</td>
<td>TxD</td>
<td>O</td>
<td>Transmit</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>4</td>
<td>CTS</td>
<td>I</td>
<td>Clear send</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>5</td>
<td>RTS</td>
<td>O</td>
<td>Request to send</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>6</td>
<td>DTR</td>
<td>O</td>
<td>Data Terminal Ready</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>7</td>
<td>GND</td>
<td>O</td>
<td>GND</td>
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<tr>
<td>8</td>
<td></td>
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(1) When the RS232 interface of the DVS connects with the DTE equipment, one end of the cable is the 8-pin RJ45 connector (to DVS) and the other of the cable is the DB25 female connector (to DTE). Below is the description of the internal connection between RJ45 and DB25.
(2) 25-pin to 9-pin converter’s internal connection is like this:

<table>
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<th>DB25</th>
<th>DB9</th>
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<td>RTS 4</td>
<td>7 RTS</td>
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<td>CTS 5</td>
<td>8 CTS</td>
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<td>DSR 6</td>
<td>6 DSR</td>
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<tr>
<td>GND 7</td>
<td>5 GND</td>
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<tr>
<td>DCD 8</td>
<td>1 DCD</td>
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<tr>
<td>DTR 20</td>
<td>4 DTR</td>
</tr>
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<td>22</td>
<td>9</td>
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</table>

(3) If you don’t want to use 25-pin to 9-pin converter to connect DVS and DTE through RS232 interface, you must use RJ45-DB9 cable. Its internal connection description is:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>RJ45</th>
<th>DB9 (DTE)</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>DCD 1</td>
<td>4 DTR</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>RXD 2</td>
<td>3 TxD</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>TDX 3</td>
<td>2 RXD</td>
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<tr>
<td>CTS 4</td>
<td>7 RTS</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>RTS 5</td>
<td>8 CTS</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>DTR 6</td>
<td>1 DCD</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>GND 7</td>
<td>5 GND</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>DTR 8</td>
<td>6 DSR</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

(4) When the RS232 interface of the DVS connects with the DCE (such as MODEM), one end of the cable is the 8-pin RJ45 connector and the other is the DB25 male connector. Below is the description of the internal connection between RJ45 and DB25:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>RJ45</th>
<th>DCE (DB25)</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>DCD 1</td>
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<td>GND 7</td>
<td>7 GND</td>
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<tr>
<td>DTR 8</td>
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</tbody>
</table>
2.3.2 PIN definition of RS485 serial interface

2.3.3 PIN definition of Ethernet interface

(1) PIN definition of the direct network cable connecting DVS and HUB:

1  (white-orange)  (white-orange)  1
2  (Orange)        (Orange)        2
3  (white-green)   (white-green)   3
4  (blue)          (blue)          4
5  (white-blue)    (white-blue)    5
6  (green)         (green)         6
7  (white-brown)   (white-brown)   7
8  (brown)         (brown)         8

(2) PIN definition of the cross network cable connecting DVS and host PC:

1  (white-orange)  (white-orange)  1
2  (orange)        (orange)        2
3  (white-green)   (white-green)   3
4  (blue)          (blue)          4
5  (white-blue)    (white-blue)    5
6  (green)         (green)         6
7  (white-brown)   (white-brown)   7
8  (brown)         (brown)         8
Chapter 3  Video Server Setup

There are three kinds of methods to configure the parameters of video server.
1. Through Hyper Terminal (connect DVS with the PC through RE-232 serial ports)
2. Through TELNET (connect DVS with PC through network)
3. Through client-end application software (connect DVS with PC through network)

3.1 Parameter Setup through RS-232 serial port

Mainly set up IP parameters of the video server through serial port. The default IP address is 192.0.0.62.

Under the case that the IP address is unknown; the Hyper Terminal (need to connect the serial ports) can only be adopted to configure IP address and other parameters. Under the case that IP address is known, TELNET can be adopted to configure IP address and other parameters, and can also modify the IP address by using client-end software.

3.1.1 Hyper Terminal Setup

Please direct connect the RS-232 serial port of PC with the RS-232 serial port of video server before configuration (there are RJ45 head and DB9 line in the packing carton)

How to establish the connection with the super terminal connection?
Step one: Enter into Hyper Terminal. Click “Start” → “Programs” → “Accessories” → “Communications” → “Hyper Terminal” in Windows system, and the dialogue box below will appear (Fig. 3.1):
Fig. 3.1 Newly establish a connection and define the name and icon

**Step 2:** To name the connection name and to define the icon. Input a name (e.g. aa), select a icon, press “OK”, the dialogue box like Fig. 3.2 appears.

![Fig. 3.2 Select communication port](image)

**Step 3:** to select the communication port. Select “com1” communication port in Fig 3.2, press “OK”, the dialogue box as Fig. 3.3 will appear.

![Fig. 3.3 Serial ports parameter setup](image)

**Step 4:** Serial port parameters setup. Set the serial port parameters as the following setup: Bits per second: 115200, Data bits: 8, Parity: None, Stop bits: 1, Flow control: None. Press “OK” after
finish, the Hyper Terminal interface like Fig. 3.4 will appear

![Hyper Terminal Interface](image)

**Fig. 3.4 Hyper Terminal Interface**

**Step 5:** To close the window, the Fig. 3.5 will appear. Select “Yes” and Fig. 3.6 will appear:

![Hyper Terminal Disconnect](image)

**Fig. 3.5 Disconnect**

![Hyper Terminal Save](image)

**Fig. 3.6 Save Hyper Terminal session**

**Step 6:** Save the Hyper Terminal session for using next time. After saving, it will new establish a “Hyper Terminal” item in the program group “Start” → “Programs” → “Accessories” → “Communications” → “Hyper Terminal” and it includes all “Connection” name for all Hyper Terminal. Here you have see “aa.ht”.

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3.1.2 Shell Commands under Hyper Terminal

Please use the DTE cable and the DB9/DB25 converter to connect PC with DVS RS-232 port.

**Step 1:** Enter into the Hyper Terminal. Click “Start” → “Programs” → “Accessories” → “Communications” → “Hyper Terminal” → “aa.ht”, the Hyper Terminal interface in Fig. 3.4 will appear.

**Step 2:** Press “Enter” in Hyper Terminal, the prompt “#” appear, as in Fig. 3.7. Under this prompt the following operation commands to accomplish the setup of the parameters.

![Hyper Terminal interface](image)

**Fig. 3.7 Hyper Terminal command prompt**

Input help, the supported configuration commands can be checked up, as in Fig. 3.8.
The following is the introduction of getIp, setIp commands.

**getIp**
Function: get the fixed IP, subnet mask, gateway, command port, IP address of PPPoE dialup (the IP address of PPPoE will be 0.0.0.0 if there is no dialup or dialup is not successful).
Parameter: none.
Grammar format: Enter after input the command
Explanation: Please pay attention whether the inputting letters are capital or low case.
Fig. 3.9 Get parameters of IP, PPPoE

**setIp**
Function: set the IP, subnet mask and gateway of the device
Parameter: IP address, subnet mask, gateway
Grammar format: `setIp IP: mask`
Explanation: Please pay attention whether the inputting letters are capital or low case. And separate the parameters by colons.

Fig. 3.10 Set IP
3.2 Video Server HDD format

Please refer to chapter 3.1 to get video server IP address. Then use remote client software to access video server. Please refer to client software user manual for detail information.

3.3 Video Server Recording Setup

Please use remote client software to remote setup video server local recording parameters.

3.4 PTZ control

Step1: Connect DS-6101HFI-IP RS-485 interface with PTZ. Please refer to RS-485 pin definition. DVS just uses Pin1 (TX+) and Pin2 (TX-) to send PTZ control command.

Step2: You can use remote client software to setup PTZ protocol.

In client software remote “Local Configure” dialog box, select “COM configuration” tab button. You can select DVS PTZ parameters in the corresponding dialog box.

![Fig. 3.11 RS-485](image)

Please refer to client software user manual for detail information.
3.5 Remote setup video server parameters

Before the configuration, please make sure that the PC and the video server has been established the network connection, you can confirm using PING command. Please refer to the user manual of DVRDVS client software for detail information.

![Server Configuration](image)

**Fig.3.12 Server Configuration**
There are two methods to upgrade the DVS firmware. One is using shell commands to ask DVS to download firmware from TFTP server. The other is using PC client software.

### 4.1 Use Shell Command and TFTP Server

**Step 1:**
Before the update start you should do the follow steps:

1. Download the TFTP server from the internet, such as Cisco TFTP Server. Then put the firmware in the root directory of the Cisco TFTP Server.
2. Connect the device to the Router.
3. Please use DTE cable to connect device 232 port with COM port of the server PC.
4. Configure the Hyper Terminal. Steps as below. Enter into start----all programs----accessories------communications-----hyper terminal. Click hyper terminal.

1) Input the name “aa”. And do the step 1 again. Then enter into Fig 4.2. Select COM1 and click “OK” to enter into Fig 3.

2) Modify the bits per second to ‘115200’. and modify the flow control to ‘None.’ Finally click “apply” and “ok” to enter into the hyper terminal main interface.
Step 2:

Then reboot the device and press any button in the pc keyboard again and again until the HIK # come out in the Hyper Terminal interface, show as Fig 4.4. Then input the “print” to check if the IP of the server and device is correct, also both of them should be in the same LAN. you can use the command

“set serverip” to modified the server ip
“set ipaddr” to modified the device ip
“set netmask” to modified the mask ip
Show as the Fig.4.5.
Step 3:
Input commend “save” and press enter button. Show as Fig.4.5.

Step 4:
Input the commend “update” and press enter button, then space button. After that the update will start. Show as Fig.4.6
Step 5:

After the update finished, please input the command “reset” and press the enter button. The device will reset. Show as Fig.4.7.

![HyperTerminal window with commands and output](image)

Fig.4.7

4.2 Use Client Software to upgrade firmware

In the system setup dialog of DVRDVS client software (refer to client software user manual), there is a button named “Other”: 
Click “Explore” button and select the firmware file.

Then click “Upgrade” button, to complete the upgrading process of the video server firmware.
Fig. 4.10
Chapter 5 PPPoE Dialup Operation

DS-6101HFI-IP video server supports remote access through network, through browser, through PPPoE or PPP dialup. Before using this function, please make sure that the software you used in your device support such functions or not.

5.1 Using PPPoE to establish connection

In the local LAN, use the client software remote setup the DVS parameters. The setup dialog is looked as following:

In the server parameters sub dialog, enable PPPoE function, input the correct PPPoE user name and PPPoE password. Click “Confirm” button and “Save Para.” button. The new server parameters will be saved into video server through network. Reboot the video server, the DVS will start to dialup the internet. After success, the video server will get a dynamic WAN IP address.
Fig. 5.2

[Explanation] please make sure that ADSL Modem is installed. If it is the first time to set PPPoE parameters, it needs to reboot video server to establish the connection.

5.2 Client access DVS when using PPPoE

There are two methods:

One is to access using the current WAN IP address of the video server.

When the video server is successful establish the network connection by using PPPoE mode, it will get the WAN IP address. You can use Hyper Terminal to get the WAN IP address, and access this IP address through client software.

The other is to access through domain analysis server. By using this mode, you need a PC with a fixed WAN IP address in the Internet, and there is the domain analysis server software running in this PC (actually this PC is the analysis server). We provide such demo DNS software and SDK.

In the server parameters of video server, there is an item named DNS. Please input the PC fixed WAN IP address here. When the video server is successfully connection with the internet by using PPPoE, it will get a dynamic WAN IP address, and send the name and current IP address to the analysis server. If the client-end software wants to access the video server, it’d first to connect with the PC used as the analysis server, telling the analysis server which one video server he wants to access. The analysis server will search all the video servers have been registered, find out the server with the same name or same serial number, and tell the client-end the WAN IP address of the video server. After the client-end software get the current IP address, it can establish
the network connection with the video server to get the video images directly.

Here the fixed WAN IP address of PC is 220.184.114.48. We call it as DNS IP. In that the PC, one demo analysis server software named IP Server is run. It can get the video server information, including the dynamic WAN IP address of the video server.
Chapter 6  Frequent ask questions

1. Failure to control PTZ
   It is possible that the camera and equipment are not connected through RS485 port, or the wrong configuration of the decoder.

2. Certain individual channel picture is un-normal
   Please check whether the video cable is well connected with the camera and the Embedded DVS

3. Possible reasons which can cause the failure of upgrading
   Failure of the network, IP address error in the FTP host computer, FTP service is not been booted by PC, the path to upgrade is incorrect; no permission (usually happened when to upgrade through client-end.)

   If the above information cannot meet your demand, please not hesitate to contact the provider.
# Appendix A  DS-6101HFI-IP Specifications

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Model</th>
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<tr>
<td>Video standard</td>
<td>H.264</td>
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<tr>
<td>Encode/Decode resolution</td>
<td>4CIF/DCIF/2CIF/CIF/QCIF</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Video input</td>
<td>1 ch BNC, 1.0Vp-p, 75Ω</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Frame rate (per channel)</td>
<td>4CIF: 25(P)/30(N) fps</td>
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<tr>
<td>Bit rate</td>
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<td>Video/Video&amp;Audio</td>
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<td>Support dual stream</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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<td>Audio input</td>
<td>1 BNC 2.0Vp-p, 1kΩ</td>
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<td>Audio output</td>
<td>1 Channel RCA Linear Electrical Level, 600Ω</td>
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<td>Weight</td>
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PAL: 176*144(QCIF), 352*288(CIF), 704*288(2CIF), 528*384(4CIF), 704*576(4CIF);  
NTSC: 176*120(QCIF), 352*240(CIF), 704*240(2CIF), 528*320(4CIF), 704*480(4CIF).  
Stabilizer power suppler: input AC 100-240V47-63Hz
Appendix B  Good list

1. One piece of DS- 6101HFI-IP video server;

2. A CD contains client application;

3. One power supply voltage stabilizer

4. A 220V power cable;

5. A cable connecting RS232 with DTE;
## Appendix C  Customer Information Card

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Suggestions: