EDUcast

Touch HD
Automated Streaming and Podcasting System

EDUcast gives you two simple options for fully automated production of audio or video streaming and podcasting. With one appliance you can record any video or audio source in the classroom, conference room, or video conferencing environment.

OPTION 1

Schedule your event with the web interface. The appliance automatically starts on schedule creating the podcast episode, stops when the event is over, and then publishes the podcast episode into the EDUcast Hosting System. No interaction is required by the instructor: all they have to remember is to speak into the microphone.

OPTION 2

The instructor can use a USB key. When the instructor inserts the key into the podcasting port, the appliance starts capturing; when the key is removed, the podcast is published into the EDUcast Hosting System and is available immediately for download to students, without any involvement from the instructor.

With EDUcast the production costs of podcasting can be reduced to zero, and no training is required to use the appliance.

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FUNCTIONALITY

» Capture any video source — VGA, HD, S-Video, and Composite Video
» USB key start/stop control with instructor and course ID
» Voice response
» Capture up to 5 sources
» 7" Touch screen for video preview and control
» Automatic distribution of content to any web site, iTunes, iTunes U, Course Management System, and via email
» Built in security system with video streaming, capture, and email notification to staff
» Stores archive or you can burn it to a CD or DVD

VIDEO AND AUDIO CAPTURE OPTIONS

» Audio only — MP3 or MP4
» Standard Definition Video — MP4, H.264, MP2, or DivX @ (30 fps) 720 × 576
» High Resolution Video — MP4, H.264, MP2, or DivX @ (30 fps) 1024 × 768 and 720p

VIDEO OUTPUT OPTIONS

» Full Screen - Video or PC
» Custom layouts with up to 5 sources
» Picture Outside Picture — Any Source
» Picture Inside Picture — Any Source

VIDEO INPUTS

» 4 Composite Video
» 1 VGA (15 pin)

AUDIO INPUTS

» 2 2.5 mm
» 2 USB

SPECIFICATIONS

» Linux/EDUcast OS
» 2GB RAM
» 250GB Disk
» 10MB/s, 100MB/s, 1GB/s
» Input: 100 – 240V AC
» 12 × 7.87 × 7.3 inches

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