# Vi2404A Coax Ethernet Extender Installation Manual





The MaxiiCopper Model Vi2404Ais a revolutionary data transmission device that extend full-duplex High-Speed Ethernet over existing coaxial infrastructures. it transmits Ethernet 10BaseT signal up to 5,000 ft. (1,524m) and 100BaseT up to 1,800 ft. (546m). When using Pass Through PoE (PTP ™), It extend 10BaseT up to 3,000 ft. (914m) and 100BaseT up to 1,800 ft. (546m). It employs MaxiiCopper, an innovative and unique Ethernet extension technology, that is designed to take full advantage of high-bandwidth coaxcial cables and maintain a full-duplex 10 or 100 Mb/s Ethernet connection up to the maximum range with minimum transmission error and latency. Multiple remote network devices such as Mega-pixel IP cameras or VoIP can be connected to a central LAN switching fabric with ease. Its dual-rate capability provides an easy way to balance the best possible network throughput and long-reach distance design.

These hubs need to be deployed along with Vi2401A on the remote end of each coaxial cable. They are equipped with LEDs to provide link status and configured data rate for each port. They are completely transparent to the corporate IP network and higher layer protocols and require no IP programming or other configurations.

The Vi2404A is ideal for medium to large scale IT networking or digital CCTV projects.

## Important Safety Warning

- Read and keep these instructions.
- Heed all warnings.
- Follow all instructions.
- Do not use this apparatus near water.
- Clean only with a dry cloth.
- Install in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions.
- This installation should be made by a qualified service person and should conform to all local codes.
- DO NOT bundle UTP or Coax signals in the same conduit as high-voltage wiring.
- To reduce the risk of fire or electrical shock, do not expose these products to rain, moisture, dripping or splashing.
- No objects filled with liquids, such as vases, shall be placed on Vigitron equipment.
- DO NOT install the unit in a place where the operating ambient temperature exceeds 75°C.
- Make sure that the external power supply output voltage is in the recommended range.
- Do not install near any heat sources such as radiators, heat registers, stoves or other apparatus (including DVRs) that produce heat.
- Protect the power cord from being walked on or pinched particularly at power source, convenience receptacles, and the point where they exit from the apparatus.
- Only use attachments/accessories specified by the manufacturer.
- Unplug this apparatus during lightning storms or when unused for long periods of time.
- Refer all servicing to qualified service personnel. Servicing is required when the apparatus
  has been damaged in any way, such as when a power supply cord or plug is damaged, liquid
  has been spilled, objects have fallen inside the apparatus, the apparatus has been exposed
  to rain or moisture, does not operate normally, or has been dropped.
- The main plug is used as the disconnect device and shall remain readily operable.



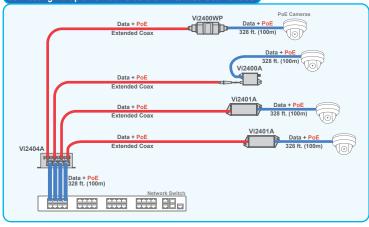
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WARNING! - This apparatus is a Class I product. This product must be connected to a mains socket outlet thru an AC to DC Power supply.

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#### **Application Drawing**

Connecting Multiple PoE Cameras over Extended Coax Cables



#### **IP Camera-end Installation**

- Use a Vi2401A single port extender for the camera side transmission.
- Set the Master/Slave dip switch to "Master" mode.
- Connect the external 12VDC power supply to the power connector of the Vi2401A. An optional power adapter connector can be provided to simplify connection. If no local power supply is present the Vi2401A will use POE.
- Connect the IP camera's RJ45 connector to the 10/100BaseT Ethernet port of Vi2401A using a standard Cat5/6 patch cable of maximum 330 feet (100 m) in length.
- Connect one end of the long coax cable to the BNC connector of Vi2401A.

The link LED on the 10/100 connector should be "ON" to indicate proper connection between the camera and Vi2401A.

#### **Ethernet Switch/NVR-end Installation**

- Connect the chassis ground screw to a solid earth ground.
- Connect the RJ45 connector of the Ethernet switch to the 10/100BaseT Ethernet port of Vi2404A using a standard Cat5/6 cable of maximum 328 feet (100m) in length.
- Connect long coax cables to the BNC connectors of Vi2404A.
- Connect the 12VDC power supply to the power connector of Vi2404A.

The link LED on the 10/100 Ethernet connectors should be "ON" to indicate proper connection between the switch and Ethernet ports of Vi2404A. While the Link LED, Orange for 100BaseT and Green for 10BaseT, on the coax side, in a steady state will indicate confirmed connection between extenders.



## **Technical Specifications\***

### **Electrical**

Ethernet Interface Standard 10/100BaseT **Ethernet Rate** Auto select 10/100 Mb/s

Full speed / full duplex at maximum rated distance

Coax (data only)\*\* 75 Ohm, 5000 ft (1,524 m) at 10BaseT

1,800 ft (548 m) at 100BaseT

Coax (with PTP™)\*\*3,000 ft (914m) at 10 BaseT

1,800 ft (546m) at 100 BaseT

Power Supply 12 VDC. 3A maximum

Status LEDs Extended Ethernet: Green/OrangeLED, 10/100BaseT

Standard Ethernet: Green LED, Activity

Yellow LED, Link

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Connectors Ethernet Interface: 4 x RJ-45 Connector

Extended Interface: 4 x RFemale BNC

Power: IEC380-8 inlet

Jumbo Frame Support

Up to 9,600 bytes

## **Environmental**

Humidity 0 to 95%, non-condensing Operating: -40°C to +75°C Temperature Storage: -40°C to +80°C

## Mechanical

**Dimensions** 1.15x3.6x3.3 in., 4.2x9.2x8.4 cm (HxWxL)

Weight 0.584 lb, 265 g Material Aluminum

# Accessories

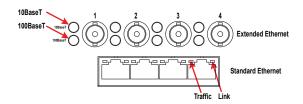
Rack mount brackets

\*Specifications subject to change without notice.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Distance figures are obtained using in house testing mirroring installations. Factors such as cabling, connections, use of power and environmental conditions may affect actual distances and should be taken into consideration.



#### Status LEDs



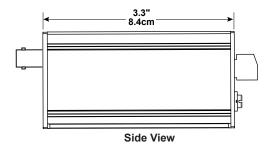
LED Name	Color	Status	Function
Power	RED	OFF	P ower is OFF
		ON	Power is ON
Traffic	GREEN	OFF	No connection
(Standard Side)		FLASHING	Connection is OK with Traffic
Link	YELLOW	OFF	No connection
(Standard Side)		ON	Connection is OK

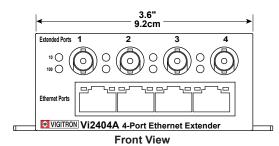
#### **Limited Lifetime Warranty**

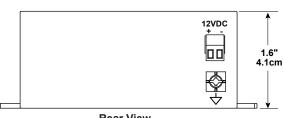
Vigitron, Inc. warrants that all Vigitron products ("Product"), if used in accordance with these instructions, will be free of defects in material and workmanship for lifetime defined as the duration period of time until product end of life is announcement. After which Vigitron will continue to provide warranty services for a period of 3 years. Period covering valid warranty will be determined by proof of purchase in the form of an invoice from an authorized Vigitron dealer.

Warranty will only be provided for as long as the original end user purchaser owns the product. Warranty is not transferrable. At Vigitron's option, defective product will be repaired, replaced or substituted with a product of equal value. This warranty does not apply if, in the judgment of Vigitron, Inc., the Product fails due to damage from shipment, handling, storage, accident, abuse or misuse, or if it has been used or maintained not conforming to Product manual instructions, has been modified, or serial number removed or defaced. Repair by anyone other than Vigitron, Inc. or an approved agent will void this warranty. Vigitron, Inc. shall not under any circumstances be liable to any person for any incidental, indirect or consequential damages, including damages resulting from use or malfunction of the product, loss of profits or revenues or costs of replacement goods. The maximum liability of Vigitron, Inc. under this warranty is limited to the original purchase price of the Product only.

## Drawings







**Rear View** 

