

# Owner's Manual

## HDMI Matrix Switch

**Models: B119-2X2, B119-4X4**

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## Package Contents

- B119-2X2 or B119-4X4 Local Transmitter Unit
- External Power Supply (Input: 100-240V, 50/60 Hz, 0.5A; Output: 5V 2A)\*
- IR Extension Cable (B119-4X4 only), 5 ft.
- 3.5 mm to DB9 Adapter Cable
- Mounting Hardware
- Remote Control
- Owner's Manual

*\*The B119-4X4 comes with a 5V 3A power supply*

## Product Features

- Share multiple HDMI sources between multiple monitors
- Allows any input to be routed to any output or the same input to be routed to multiple outputs
- Switch between inputs via pushbuttons, remote control, or RS-232 serial
- **(For model B119-4X4 only)** Extend the remote control range, allow discreet placement of the matrix switch and maintain device switching functionality with the included 5 ft. IR extension cable
- Monitors can be located up to 25 ft. from the switch
- Supports video resolutions up to 1080p @ 60 Hz
- HDCP and EDID compatible
- Mounting hardware included
- Plug-and-play—No software or drivers required
- Compatible with all operating systems
- Compliant with the Federal Trade Agreements Act (TAA) for GSA Schedule purchases

### Optional Accessories:

- P568-Series High-Speed HDMI Cables
- P520-006 RS-232 Serial Extension Cable

## Mounting

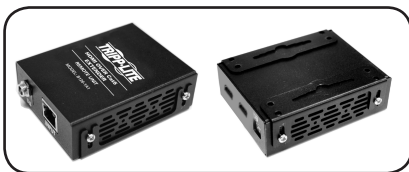
The B119-2X2 and B119-4X4 include mounting hardware that allows them to be mounted in a variety of ways. The following images show the different ways the included mounting brackets can be attached.

**Note:** The images below show a B126-1A1 HDMI over Cat5 Receiver Unit, but the mounting hardware installation is the same for the B119-2X2 and B119-4X4.

### Wall-Mount 1



### Wall-Mount 2



### 19" Rack-Mount



### Pole-Mount





## Standard Installation

- 6** Connect the external power supply to the switch and plug it into a Tripp Lite Surge Protector, Power Distribution Unit (PDU), or Uninterruptible Power Supply (UPS). When receiving power, the following LEDs will illuminate: The green *Power* LED and orange *Source* LEDs (for the *Source* ports that have devices connected to them). A green LED will also illuminate to indicate the source that is being transmitted to each *Output* port.
- 7** Connect the first HDMI display to the port on the switch marked *Output 1*.  
**Note:** *The HDMI cable connecting the switch to a display must be no longer than 25 ft.*
- 8** Repeat step 7 to connect additional displays to the remaining ports.
- 9** Turn on the power to the connected devices. The video image should now be displayed on the connected monitors.
- 10** Press the switch next to each set of *Output* LEDs to switch the source being displayed on the corresponding *Output* monitor. You can also use the included remote control to switch between sources. As with the switch next to the *Output* LEDs, press the button on the remote control of the desired *Output* port to switch the source being displayed.

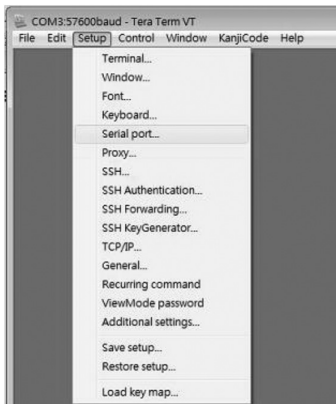
**Note:** *The same four-button remote control is included with both the B119-2X2 and B119-4X4. Buttons 3 and 4 will not be used for the B119-2X2.*

See the *RS-232 Serial Control* section in this manual for details on controlling the switch using Terminal Emulation Software.

## RS-232 Serial Control

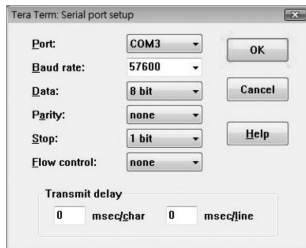
Before using RS-232 Serial Control, you must first go into your Terminal Emulation Software and update the COM port settings.

- 1 Go to the *Setup* drop-down menu and select the *Serial Port* option.



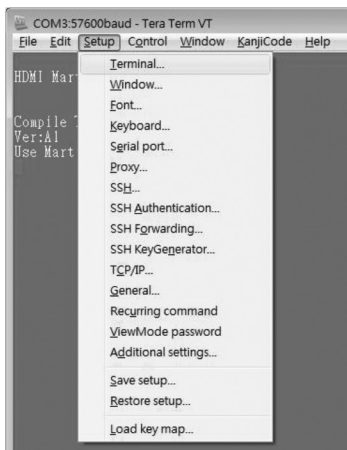
- 2 Select the COM port that is being used, and update the remaining settings as follows: Baud Rate (57600 or 9600), Data (8 bit), Parity (none), Stop (1 bit), Flow Control (none).

**Note:** The baud rate in the below image lists 57600; if 57600 does not work, this value should be changed to 9600.

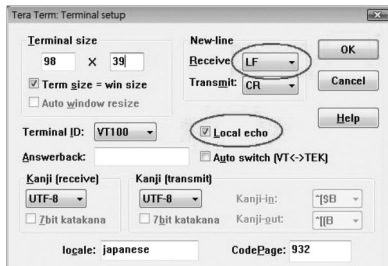


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- 3** Next, you will need to configure your software to allow input control. Go to the **Setup** drop-down menu and select the *Terminal* option.



- 4** Update the following settings; Receive (LF), Local Echo (enable). The remaining settings can stay as they are.



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- 5** Once these settings are updated, the Terminal Emulation Software will recognize the switch, allowing you to enter commands to control it with. The following table lists the available commands.

Command	Action
sw[x] [n]	Switches the source being displayed on the selected output. [x] is the output (1, 2, 3, or 4) and [n] is the desired source (A, B, C, or D). For example, a command of sw1 B would display source B on output 1.
PWD	Turns power to the switch on/off.
STE	Displays the current output state, showing which source is being displayed on each output.



## Troubleshooting

If you are unable to get an acceptable image after following the installation instructions, try the troubleshooting tips below.

- 1 Is the external power supply that came with the product connected and plugged into a working power source?** For the product to function properly, it must be connected to and receiving power from the external power supply.
- 2 Was the power to the connected devices turned off prior to installation?** If not, restart them.
- 3 What type of cabling are you using?** Inferior cabling can result in poor performance, so it is important that you use cables that can support the video resolution you are trying to obtain. It is recommended that you use Tripp Lite's P568-Series High-Speed HDMI cables, as they have been tested to work with the B119-Series Matrix Switch products.
- 4 Test your cables to ensure they are working properly.** For example, connect your HDMI cables between a source and monitor that you know works to see if the cable is functioning.
- 5 Is the switch located in an area that exposes it to higher temperatures?** If the product is overheated, it will not function properly.
- 6 What length HDMI cable are you using?** The cable connecting a HDMI source to the switch must be no longer than 16 ft. in length. The cable connecting the switch to a display must be no longer than 25 ft. in length.
- 7 If you are having trouble getting your Terminal Emulation Software to recognize the switch, you may need to shut down your installation and start from the beginning.** The 3.5 mm to DB9 adapter cable must be connected first; otherwise the switch will not be recognized.
- 8 If you are still having trouble getting your Terminal Emulation Software to recognize the switch, check to make sure that your serial settings are set according to the instructions in the RS-232 Serial Control section of this manual.**

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- Reorient or relocate the receiving antenna.
- Increase the separation between the equipment and receiver.
- Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected.
- Consult the dealer or an experienced radio/TV technician for help.

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