

Test Execution Report ExtremeUSB[™] and HDBaseT[™] Extension Testing

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Objective:

To evaluate the reliability of three cameras when connected to a host PC using two different extenders: one utilizing HDBaseT[™] technology and the other employing ExtremeUSB[™].

The tests will determine the effectiveness of each extender in transmitting the camera's image over a distance of 100 meters (330 feet) using Cat6a Unshielded Twisted Pair (UTP) cable.

Test Setup:

- 1. Equipment:
 - Cameras:
 - Aver 340+ Camera
 S/N 5311812100077
 S/N 5311812100039
 - Lumens VC-B30U
 S/N VANA10476
 S/N VANA10424
 - Poly Studio USB S/N *8G2133657D82F9 S/N *8G2142662BFEF9

- Extenders:
 - HDBaseT™
 - AV Proedge 100M USB 2.0 Extender via HDBaseT[™], Product code AC-EXUSB-3-KIT S/N 122224060800015, 122324060800015
 - ExtremeUSB[™] USB 3-2-1 Raven[™] 3204C Pro, Product code 00-00478, S/N IC3204CPL-03-F000404, IC3204CPR-03-F000404
- Cabling:
 - 2x 100 meters of Cat6a UTP cable.
- Host PC:
 - Dell Inspiron 16 5640 AMD Ryzen[™] 7 8840U 8-core/16-thread Processor, Windows 11 Pro, S/N 79T5544
- LAN Switch:
 - TP-Link TL-SX105(UN) 5-Port Unmanaged Desktop 10-Gigabit Switch S/N 22412Y90000037

2. Procedure:

- Connect each camera to the host PC using the designated extender and the 100-meter (330 feet) Cat6a UTP cable.
 - Conduct the following tests for each camera-extender combination:
 - Video Transmission Test: Verify that the camera's image is transmitted to the host PC without interruption.
 - Signal Integrity Test: Assess the quality of the transmitted image for any artifacts or degradation.

3. Evaluation Criteria:

- Each extender will be classified as either Pass or Fail based on its ability to reliably transmit the camera's image to the host PC.
- A Pass indicates consistent image quality and connectivity, while a Fail signifies issues such as loss of signal, significant latency, or image degradation.

Expected Outcomes:

The results will provide insights into the performance of each extender with the cameras, guiding future decisions on equipment selection for optimal reliability in various operational environments.

PC Camera A	pplication,	, AMD Processor Laptop, Cat6A FTP	100 meters uncoiled
		AV Proedge	Raven 3204C Pro
Aver 340+ Camera	Bulk	Fail, Unable to pull camera out of standby mode	Pass
Aver 340+ Camera	ISO	Fail, Unable to pull camera out of standby mode	Pass
Lumens VC-B30U	Bulk	Pass Pass	
Lumens VC-B30U	ISO	Fail	Pass
Poly Studio USB	Bulk	Fail, Blank Screen,	Pass

Test 2

Test 1

OBS Studio App camera feed AMD Processor Laptop, Cat6A FTP 100 meters uncoiled				
		AV Proedge	Raven 3204C Pro	
		Fail, Unable to pull camera out of standby	Pass	
Aver 340+ Camera	Bulk	mode		
		Fail, Unable to pull camera out of standby	Pass	
Aver 340+ Camera	ISO	mode		
Lumens VC-B30U	Bulk	Pass	Pass	
Lumens VC-B30U	ISO	Fail	Pass	
Poly Studio USB	Bulk	Fail, Blank Screen,	Pass	

Test 3

Test 3				
OBS Studio App camera feed AMD Processor Laptop, 2x Cat6A				
FTP 100 meters uncoiled,				
		Raven 3204C Pro		
Aver 340+ Camera	Bulk	Pass		
Aver 340+ Camera	ISO	Pass		
Lumens VC-B30U	Bulk	Pass		
Lumens VC-B30U	ISO	Pass		
Poly Studio USB	Bulk	Pass		

Conclusion

In conclusion, the testing results indicate that the HDBaseT[™] extender was unable to establish a reliable connection with two out of the three tested cameras.

This limitation suggests that while HDBaseT[™] technology may be effective in certain scenarios, it may not be suitable for all camera models in our specific application.

On the other hand, the ExtremeUSB[™] extender demonstrated 100% combability with robust performance, successfully transmitting camera feed over 100 meters. In addition, the ExtremeUSB[™] extender supports up to 200-meter distance when integrated with a 10Gb LAN switch. This capability highlights the superiority of the ExtremeUSB[™] technology, making it a more versatile and reliable choice for a wide range of applications.

Recommendations:

- 1. HDBaseT[™] might a be a good solution in certain applications. However, our test demonstrated that it is not as reliable as ExtremeUSB[™].
- 2. Wider compatibility matters in the world of IT and AV. It allows devices, software, and components to work together reliability and without any conflicts.
- 3. ExtremeUSB[™] works in a wider setup including point-2-point and over LAN making the technology an unrivalled in the global USB extension market.