

# THE NEW ICONIC PCIe STEREO SOUND CARD

ALP222e is a versatile PCIe sound card for professional PC-based audio systems running under Windows and Linux environments.

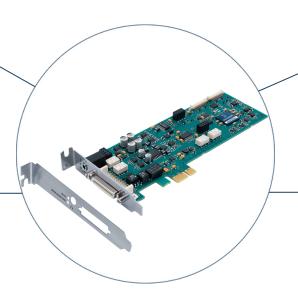
Thanks to its reliability and stability, ALP222e matches with all applications such as broadcast (24/7/365), audio production, and outstanding audio quality measurements.

This card is ready for any challenge. It offers two balanced analog line inputs and outputs, plus one stereo AES3 input and output.

A zero latency embedded mixer allows to route and mix audio channels from physical and software input devices to physical and software output devices.

Low profile card with 2 brackets

2 mono analog channels 1 stereo AES3 channel (total of 4 mono I/Os)



Connector for breakout cable or custom integration Headphones jack

Inter-board synchronization\* up to 8 ALP-X cards

# **KEY FEATURES**



For Windows and Linux



Iconic Rock-solid & life-long



Pristine Digigram sound quality



Multiapplications



Hiccup free reliability



### 1 FORMAT

### **Dimensions**

L: 168 mm x H: 69 mm x l: 20 mm L: 6.6 inch; H: 2.7 inch; l: 0.8 inch

### **Form Factor**

Low profile (standard and low profile brackets included)

### **Expansion Bus**

PCI Express TM (PCIe TM) x1 (x2, x4, x8, x16 compatible)

### 2 DRIVERS

### **Supported OS**

Windows (from Windows 10 and Server 2016) Linux (from Linux Kernel 4.9)

### **Drivers**

Windows: Asio, Wasapi/DirectSound Linux: Alsa, Libgpiod

### **One Driver Package**

Multi-application and multi-card API available

### **3 CONTROL PANEL**

### **Digigram ALP-X ASIO Settings (On Windows)**

 Asio Control Panel: up to 8 ALP-X cards (intercard synchronization)
 Select I/Os used through ASIO

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### **Digigram ALP-X Manager (On Windows)**

- A unique control panel for the whole ALP-X range
- Manages up to 8 ALP-X cards
- 2 working modes

Light: Set the card as 2 I/O channels (like stereo VX / PCX cards) Full: Set the card as 4 I/O channels (analog and AES3)

### **Main functions**

Zero latency FPGA-based mixer Adjustment of input and output levels Mixing before monitoring and recording Clock & sync selection GPIO status



### **5 ANALOG AUDIO PERFORMANCES**

### Frequency response @48 kHz: 20 Hz - 20 kHz

Inputs: +/- 0.5 dB Outputs: +/- 0.08 dB

### **SNR**

Inputs A-Weighted: >110 dBA Unweighted: >108 dB

Outputs A-Weighted: >115 dBA Unweighted: >112 dB

### THD + Noise

Inputs: <-96 dB @18 dBu (1 kHz) Outputs: <-101 dB @18 dBu (1 kHz)

### Crosstalk

Inputs

7 CABLE & CONNECTORS SPECIFICATIONS

-111 dB @1 kHz / -110 dB @15 kHz Outputs

-130 dB @1 kHz / -111 dB @15 kHz

### **Channel phase**

Inputs: < 0.01° @1 kHz Outputs: < -7.5° @ 1kHz

### Breakout cable

Total breakout cable length: 1 m XLRs for audio I/Os and AES11 input BNC for Word Clock I/O DB9 for GPIO

### Inter board synchronization

Headphones: 3.5 mm TRS female jack

### HARDWARE SPECIFICATIONS

### **INPUTS**

### **Analog**

2 Balanced line level

A/D Converter: 24 bits / 192 kHz

Max level / Impedance: +24 dBu / >10 kOhms

Adjustable analog gain: from from -88 dB to +39 dB, in 0.5 dB steps  $^{\circ}$ 

Adjustable digital gain: from -90 dB to +12 dB in 0.1 dB steps

### **Digital**

1 stereo AES3 input

Adjustable digital gain: from -90 dB to +12 dB, in 0.1 dB steps Sample rate (kHz): 32, 44.1, 48, 64, 88.2, 96, 128, 176.4, 192 Hardware Sample Rate Converter frequency ratio: from 1:8 to 7,5:1

### Other

1 AES11 synchronization input 1 Word Clock synchronization input 2 dry contact GPIs

### **OUTPUTS**

### **Analog**

2 servo-balanced line outputs D/A Converter: 24 bits / 192 kHz Max level / Impedance: +24 dBu / <100 Ohms Adjustable digital gain: from -90 dB to +12 dB, in 0.1 dB steps 1 stereo headphone output (20 mW for 600  $\Omega$ )

### Digital

1 stereo AES3 output Adjustable output gain: from -90 dB to +12 dB, in 0.1 dB steps Sample rate (kHz): 32, 44.1, 48, 64, 88.2, 96, 128, 176.4, 192

### Other

2 relay GPOs (0.5 A, 48 VCC) 1 Word Clock output

## **6 SAMPLE FORMAT**

PCM (8, 16, 24, 32 and 32 float bits), Float IEEE754

# **8 SYNCHRONIZATION SOURCES**

- Internal clock (kHz)
- 11.025, 16, 22.05, 24, 32, 44.1, 48, 64, 88.2, 96, 128, 176.4, 192
- AES11 (kHz)

32, 44.1, 48, 64, 88.2, 96, 128, 176.4, 192

- Word Clock input (kHz)
- 32, 44.1, 48, 64, 88.2, 96, 128, 176.4, 192
- Intercard clock\* (possibility to connect up to 8 ALP-X cards linked with an inter-board sync cable)

\*soon available