

DW6000 Terminal

Satisfying the need for speed for the multimedia Internet

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DIRECWAY® is a family of broadband satellite solutions brought to you by Hughes Network Systems, Inc. (HNS), the global market leader in providing satellite products and services to enterprises and consumers. DIRECWAY satisfies the increasing demand for bandwidth by offering a variety of high-speed multimedia hardware, software, and service solutions.

The DW6000 Terminal system is a cost-effective satellite terminal providing high-speed broadband access to the large enterprise, small/medium enterprise (SME), small office/home office (SOHO), and rural markets. The DW6000 can supply broadband IP to anywhere in the world and provides highly efficient, two-way satellite services for enterprises of any size. Recognizing the market need for simultaneous support for Internet and other online IP-based applications, HNS designed the DW6000 terminal to provide users with an easy networking solution to connect multiple computers to broadband access via satellite. The DW6000 achieves a high level of functionality with its ability to plug into a variety of external HNS appliances to support voice, legacy protocols and streaming media applications.

The DW6000 terminal delivers broadband access to one or multiple users connected to the same satellite terminal. The system supports two-way connectivity between the remote units and the Internet and intranet networks. The DW6000 receives and transmits data through the system's antenna and outdoor electronics, over the satellite, and via the DIRECWAY Network Operations Center. TCP connections can be initiated to or from hosts at the remote locations. Users' intranet communications are secure and isolated from other enterprise intranets and from remotes accessing the "public" Internet operating in the same network.

The DW6000 is a self-hosted and self-booting standalone terminal. The system complies with the industry's DVB-S standard and, therefore, it is very easy to customize the wide range of out-route data rates by choosing different symbol and FEC coding rates. The downstream is scalable up to 48 Mbps and up to 256 kbps for the return channel. The DW6000 provides an integrated broadband LAN solution to Windows®, UNIX®, Apple® Macintosh®, and other platforms running IP over Ethernet.



The DW6000 terminal passes IP data packets to and from any IP device on the LAN and has the functionality of a typical IP router. The DW6000 offers the HNS advanced Performance Enhancing Proxy (PEP) feature, which increases throughput performance and maximizes the user's experience and satisfaction.

The DW6000 terminal is designed to support content delivery, multicasting, music distribution, distance learning and training, digital media streaming, file transfer, Internet, and VPN/intranet access.

The DW6000 terminal can be configured with an integrated modem to provide dial backup capabilities. This platform is marketed as the DW6002.

Features

- Supports unicast and multicast IP traffic
- Software and configuration updates via download
- Implements Performance Enhancement Proxy (PEP) software to accelerate the throughput performance by optimizing the TCP transmission over the satellite, delivering data quickly to the user
- Bi-directional data compression
- Configuration, status monitoring, and commissioning via the NOC
- Acts as a local router providing:
 - Static and dynamic addressing
 - DHCP server
 - Responses to ICMP messages
 - Multicasts to the LAN by using IGMP
 - PPPoE for multiple computer users
 - Simple NAT and Firewall support
- Throughput:
 - Up to 16 Mbps of multicast/streaming traffic
 - Up to 2 Mbps of TCP/HTTP spoofed traffic
- Remote terminal management via the HNS Vision® Network Management System and SNMP agent
- Universal power supply supports international voltage ranges and frequencies and has a detachable power cord
- User friendly LED indicating terminal operational status
- Optional integrated, built-in, dial backup modem in the DW6002 model



Technical Specifications

Compatibility

- Operating system: Any OS running IP over Ethernet
- Browsers: Internet Explorer 5.5 and higher, Netscape Navigator 4.79 and higher
- Internet Applications: All common TCP/IP applications

Physical Interfaces

- One 10/100BaseT Ethernet LAN RJ45 port

Satellite & Antenna Specifications

- Encapsulation: DVB-S
- Information Rate (Receive): ≤48 Mbps
- Information Rate (Transmit): 64, 128, 256 kbps
- Symbol Rate (Receive): 1.25, 2.5, 5, 10, 20-30 Msps
- Symbol Rate (Transmit): ≤256 kbps
- Frequency Range: Ku Band
- Modulation (Receive): QPSK
- Modulation (Transmit): OQPSK
- Bit Error Rate (Receive): 10⁻¹⁰ or better
- Bit Error Rate (Transmit): 10⁻⁷ or better
- Antenna: 74 cm, 89 cm, 98 cm, 120 cm, 180 cm
- Radio: 1 to 2 watt
- Encoding: FEC at rates 7/8, 5/6, 3/4, 2/3 or 1/2 (188/204 bytes Reed-Solomon format for DVB-S)
Transmit: Rate 1/2 convolutional or Turbo code

Mechanical & Environmental

- Weight (IDU): 4.8 lbs (2.18 kg)
- Dimensions (IDU): 11.5"W x 1.8"H x 11"D (29.21cm W x 4.7cm H x 27.94cm D)
- Operating temperature:
 - IDU 0° C – +40° C
 - ODU -30°C – +55°C
- Input power: 90-264 VAC; 50-60 Hz
- DC power supply (optional): 12 to 24 VDC