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Common

The waveplayer base board is available in two variants. 8-channel and 2-channel version. The 8-channel version is working only with a 8-expansion board. The 2-channel version has thier own D/A converter.

First-Time Operation

Format a SD/SDHC/SDXC card with a common SD card reader (FAT/FAT32).

The size of Cluster hasn't to be lower than **32 kB**.

In the case of cluster size lower than this value you will see the following Message:

Format Error! ⌵ Cluster < 32 kB

Now copy the all files to use to the SD card. You can create folders and subfolders as much as you want.

Now insert the SD card into the SD connector. Insert the Display (optional) into the Display connector and connect button or interface connectors to the board. If you want to use a 8-channel expansions board with the waveplayer main board connect it with a 10-pin flex cable.

Now the player has to be connected with a power. The display will show the version of software for a short time period. After that the player is sorting the files alphabetically. Depending from the count of files and the length of the file names this can take some seconds.

The next step recommended is to take all settings in the config menu.

The settings are the same as for „WavePlayer8“ final unit.

Button Control Logic

| Button | Player in Stop | Player in Play | Player in Pause |
|--------|----------------|---|-----------------|
| + | next song | fast-forwarded | fast-forwarded |
| - | previous song | fast-rewind | fast-rewind |
| Stop | - | stop | stop |
| Play | play | display of : song name, main volume, channel volume 1-x, playinfo(fs,bits,ch) | play |
| Pause | pause | pause or main/channel volume reverse | play |
| Menu | config menu | - | light on/off |

Main Volume & Channel Volume Setting

By repeatedly pressing the start button in play mode you can reach the main and channel volume settings of all 8 channels. By pressing the \pm buttons you can change the volume in steps of 0.5dB. This settings are automatically saved if you go to the next(play) or the last(pause) parameter.

Timecode

The time value of the timecode is identical to the play time of the current song. If a valid timecode is received (5 consecutive frames) and this value is in the range of the playtime of the current song, the playtime will be adapted. The maximum deviation between master and slave is $\pm 0.5\text{ms}$. The frame rate is 25 f/s.

RS-232 Protocol

Please check the manual of „WavePlayer8“ final unit for the protocol documentation.

Software-Update

Copying „wp3image.bin“ to the SD card and insert them in a running device. If the player find the update he will offer the update. Press „Play“ and wait for the ready message. After this a restart is required. Done!

Description of the Board Connectors

Voltage and Signal Connectors (red 14-pin)

| Pin | Assignment | Comment |
|-----|----------------|-------------------------|
| 1 | GND | |
| 2 | VCC (5-9V) | |
| 3 | RS232(RXD) | DB9 plug (pin 2) |
| 4 | RS232(TXD) | DB9 plug (pin 3) |
| 5 | | |
| 6 | | |
| 7 | P0 | pause |
| 8 | P1 | stop |
| 9 | P2 | + |
| 10 | P3 | - |
| 11 | P4 | play |
| 12 | P5 | menu |
| 13 | SMPTE timecode | input (CMOS level 3.3V) |
| 14 | SMPTE timecode | output(CMOS level 3.3V) |

Note: The buttons are related to GND.

Expansion Connector (red 10-pin)

| Pin | Assignment | Comment |
|-----|------------|---------------|
| 1 | GND | |
| 2 | | |
| 3 | GND | |
| 4 | 3.3V (out) | |
| 5 | Data In | I2S interface |
| 6 | Data Out | I2S interface |
| 7 | Bit Clock | I2S interface |
| 8 | Word Clock | I2S interface |
| 9 | SDA | I2C interface |
| 10 | SCL | I2C interface |

Expansion Connector (8-pin not mounted)

| Pin | Assignment | Comment |
|-----|------------|--------------------|
| 1 | PX1 | play song „01 ...“ |
| 2 | PX2 | play song „02 ...“ |
| 3 | PX3 | play song „03 ...“ |
| 4 | PX4 | play song „04 ...“ |
| 5 | GND | |
| 6 | 3.3V (out) | |
| 7 | PX5 | play song „05 ...“ |
| 8 | PX6 | play song „06 ...“ |

Display Connector (white 14-pin)

| Pin | Assignment | Display Signals |
|-----|------------|-----------------|
| 1 | PB7 | DB7 |
| 2 | PB6 | DB6 |
| 3 | PB5 | DB5 |
| 4 | PB4 | DB4 |
| 5 | PB3 | DB3 |
| 6 | PB2 | DB2 |
| 7 | PB1 | DB1 |
| 8 | PB0 | DB0 |
| 9 | PD2 | EN |
| 10 | PD1 | R/W |
| 11 | PD0 | RS |
| 12 | -1V (out) | V _o |
| 13 | 3.3V (out) | VDD |
| 14 | GND | VSS |

Audio Connector (white 4-pin)

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|-----|------------|
| Pin | Assignment |
| ⊥ | Analog GND |
| L | Left out |
| ⊥ | Analog GND |
| R | Right out |

Supported sample rates

| Sample Frequency | 2-channel version | 8-channel version |
|------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| 32 kHz | yes | yes |
| 44.1 kHz | yes | yes |
| 48 kHz | yes | yes |
| 96 kHz | yes | - |
| 192 kHz | yes | - |

Technical Data

Mainboard

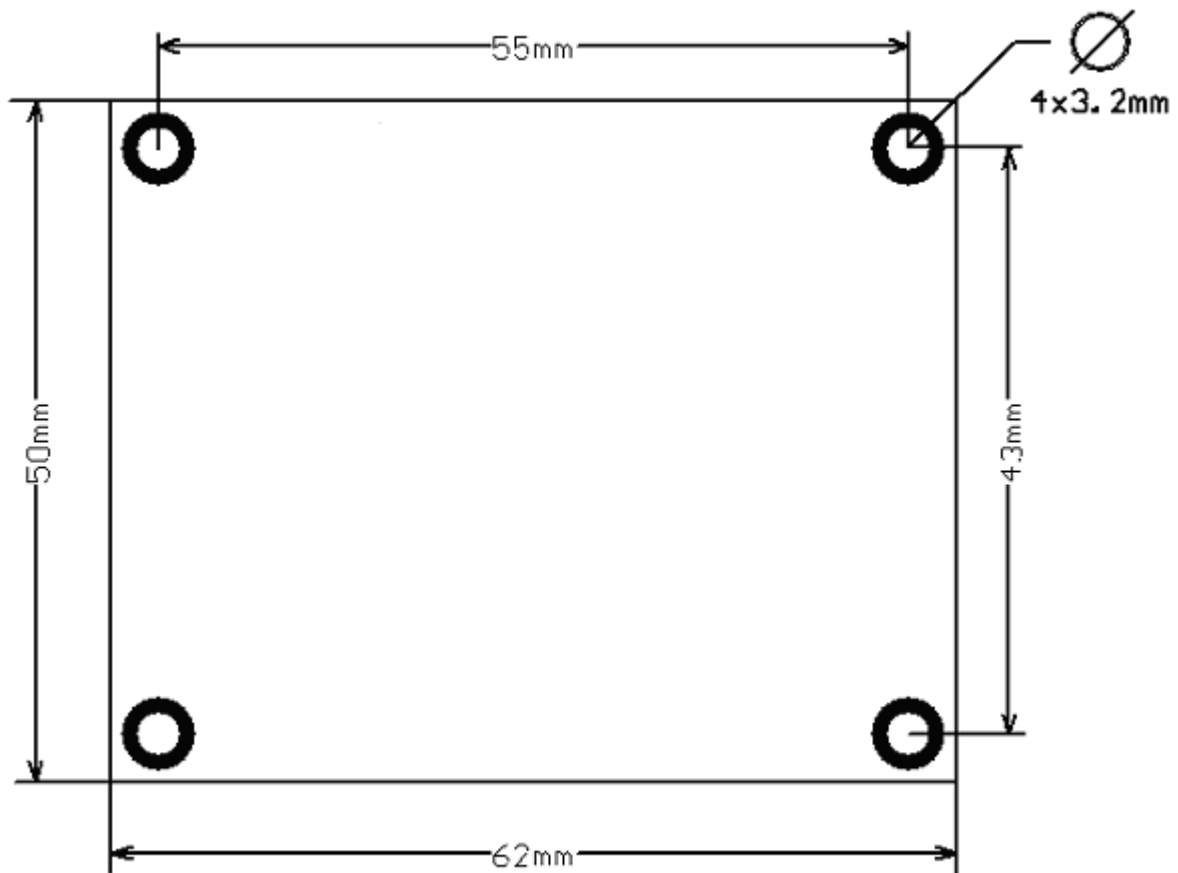
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|-------------------------|-------------------|
| Operating voltage | 5-9V DC |
| Current draw | 90mA |
| with SD card (8GB) | 110mA |
| Line level output max. | 2.0Vpp |
| Load resistance optimal | 10kOhm |
| Temperature range | 0-70°C |
| Dimensions | 50mm x 62mm x 8mm |
| Weight | 18g |

8 Channel Expansion

| | |
|-------------------------|----------------------|
| Operating voltage | 3.3V DC ¹ |
| Current draw | 130mA |
| Line level output max. | 2.4Vpp (0dBu) |
| Load resistance optimal | 10kOhm |
| Temperature range | 0-70°C |
| Dimensions | 50mm x 62mm x 8mm |
| Weight | 12g |

1) Supplied by mainboard

Drawing with Dimensions



Accessories

Provided:

- 14-pin ribbon cable with one side plug (13cm)
- CD rom audio cable (0.5m)

Optional available:

- LCD display (2x16 character)
- Button board (6 buttons with connector for power wall supply)
- Power wall supply (5V/0.5A)
- 8-channel audio expansion