

SideKick

SMPTE camera cable capacity expander

Save time, cable and provide last minute facilities with SideKick

SideKick is a pair of portable throw-down boxes that provide a free (dark) fibre from a broadcast hybrid camera cable connection.

All the functions and power facilities to the camera are maintained whilst a spare singlemode fibre is created. The extra fibre can then be used to provide multiple additional signals anywhere along the cable path by using a TruckLink or other single fibre signal transport.

SideKick is compatible with Sony HDC 1000/1500 cameras and Telecast CopperHead 3200 camera control systems. Call regarding other models.

The base unit has a flying SMPTE tail to connect directly to the camera base station or tailboard. The camera unit is passive and can be placed anywhere on the cable run. Standard connectors are Lemo 3K.93C and ST, other types on request.

Putting SideKick in your SMPTE cable run can save on time and cost of rigging a separate fibre cable, increase capacity when extra fibre cannot be installed and provide a quick solution to last minute requests.

The Mi Broadcast TruckLink makes an ideal companion to SideKick. On a single fibre core this powerful box has bi-directional HD-SDI, PAL and 4 analogue audios, Ethernet, 4 data and a GPI.



APPLICATIONS

Television Broadcast

- Sport
- News
- SNG
- Track Side

Links between in-field positions
and OB Van

OPTIONS

Neutrik DUO or Fischer camera
Connector.
SC, FC and LC fibre connector

