

Telos Alliance Telos Zephyr Connect SE

Telos Alliance, a company with expertise in broadcast audio for more than three decades, announces it will introduce a new codec offering at IBC2025: Telos Zephyr Connect SE. Zephyr Connect SE joins the Telos iPort High Density multi-codec gateway appliance and the software-based Zephyr Connect virtual codec to offer broadcasters a complete portfolio of trusted, top-quality Telos codec solutions. The latest member of the newly introduced Studio Essentials family of products, Zephyr Connect SE is built on a compact, fanless, silent hardware platform ideal for use in the studio or at the transmitter site.

Zephyr Connect SE includes a single bidirectional stereo codec and is expandable to four codecs via additional licenses. It is fully compatible and interoperable with iPort

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HD and Zephyr Connect and, like those products, can be used as a studio-to-transmitter link, a network distribution system, a multi-channel link to remote studios, or a streaming encoder when paired with a streaming server. Zephyr Connect SE supports Unicast UDP and TCP or UDP Multicast stream types and offers native support for Livewire+.

As with all Telos codecs, Zephyr Connect SE uses genuine Fraunhofer IIS codecs for AAC, AAC-LD, AAC-HE, AAC-HEv2, MP3, and MP2, and optionally, Enhanced aptX encoding. "Broadcasters have trusted Telos codecs to get audio from Point A to Point B for years," said Robbie Green, Telos Alliance Product Manager. "As part of our easy-to-install Studio Essentials series, Telos Zephyr Connect SE offers the same top-quality audio and feature set as our iPort High Density hardware appliance and virtualized Zephyr Connect products, but scaled down and at a more affordable price, making it the perfect choice for smaller stations."

Those attending IBC2025 from September 12 - 15, 2025, will have the opportunity to see Zephyr Connect SE in the Telos Alliance booth, Stand 8.D37. Zephyr Connect SE is expected to be available from the website below.

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