

# RS232 Command List

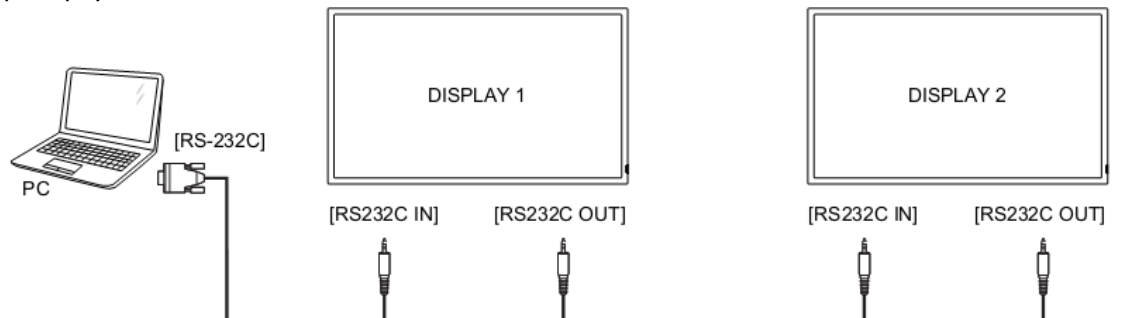
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## 1. INTRODUCTION

### 1.1 Purpose

The purpose of this document is to explain in detail the commands and steps that can be used to control a Philips display via RS232C.



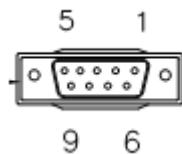
### 1.2 Definitions, Abbreviations and Acronyms

|      |                                 |
|------|---------------------------------|
| PBS  | Professional Business Solutions |
| RC   | Remote Control                  |
| ACK  | Acknowledge                     |
| NACK | Not Acknowledge                 |
| NAV  | Not Available                   |
| ID   | Identification                  |
| 0xXX | Hexadecimal notation            |

## 2. COMMAND PACKET FORMAT

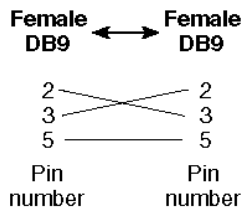
### 2.1 Physical Specifications

1. Baud Rate : 9600
2. Data bits: 8
3. Parity : None
4. Stop Bit : 1
5. Flow Control : None
6. The Pin Assignments for DB9 male connector:  
Male D-Sub 9-Pin (outside view)



| Pin # | Signal | Remark                  |
|-------|--------|-------------------------|
| 1     | NC     |                         |
| 2     | RXD    | Input to LCD Monitor    |
| 3     | TXD    | Output from LCD Monitor |
| 4     | NC     |                         |
| 5     | GND    |                         |
| 6     | NC     |                         |
| 7     | NC     |                         |
| 8     | NC     |                         |
| 9     | NC     |                         |
| frame | GND    |                         |

Note: A provided crossover cable (null modem) is needed for connection to the host controller:



Digital Signage displays use RXD, TXD and GND pins for RS-232C control. For RS-232C cable, the reverse type cable should be used.

## 2.2 Communication Procedure

Control commands can be sent from a host controller via the RS232 connection. A new command should not be sent until the previous command is acknowledged. However, if a response is not received within **500 milliseconds** a retry may be triggered. Every valid command receives an ACK. A command that is valid but not supported in the current implementation will be responded to with a NAV (Not Available). If the command buffer is corrupt (transmission errors) the command will be responded to with a NACK. The display operates according to the received command. If the command is a valid “Get” command, the display responds with the requested info. If the command is a valid “Set” command allowed, the display performs the requested operation.

**Note: For LAN control, the port number is 5000.**

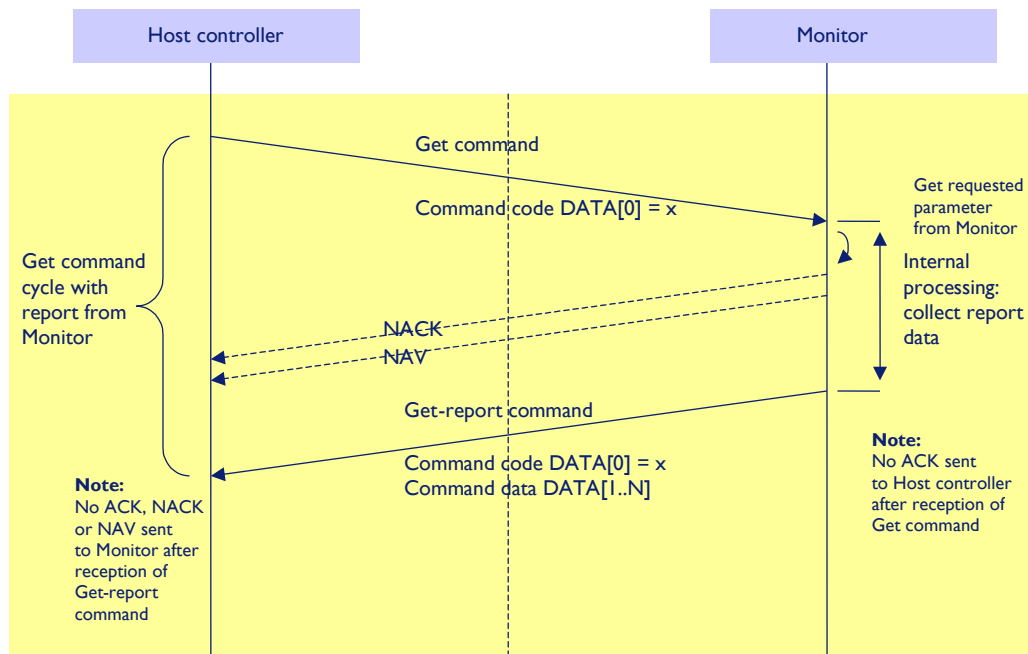


Figure 1: Explanation of mechanism of Get Command.

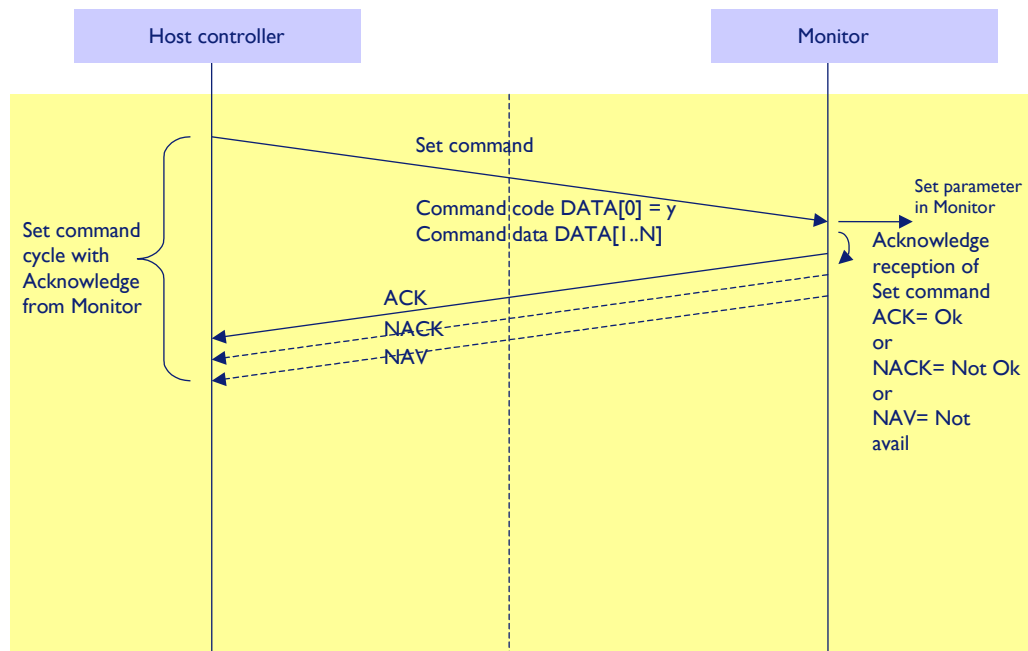


Figure 2: Explanation of mechanism of Set Command.

### 2.3 Command Format

The RS232 packet format:

|        |            |          |       |       |        |              |         |     |         |          |
|--------|------------|----------|-------|-------|--------|--------------|---------|-----|---------|----------|
| Header | Monitor ID | Category | Code0 | CodeI | Length | Data Control | Data[0] | ... | Data[N] | Checksum |
|--------|------------|----------|-------|-------|--------|--------------|---------|-----|---------|----------|

In detail:

| Number of Field | Name of Field    | Description                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
|-----------------|------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Byte 1          | Header           | Header = 0xA6                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| Byte 2          | Monitor ID       | Monitor ID<br>Range : 1 ~ 255                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| Byte 3          | Category         | Category = 0x00 (fixed)                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| Byte 4          | Code0 (Page)     |                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| Byte 5          | CodeI (Function) |                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| Byte 6          | Length           | Length has to be calculated in the following way:<br>Length = N + 3                                                                                                                                           |
| Byte 7          | Data Control     | Data Control = 0x01 (fixed)                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| Last Byte       | Checksum         | Checksum.<br>Range = 0 to 255 (0xFF).<br>Algorithm: The EXCLUSIVE-OR (XOR) of all bytes in the message except the checksum itself.<br>Checksum = [Header] XOR [Monitor ID] XOR ...<br>DATA[0] ... XOR DATA[N] |

## MESSAGES - SYSTEM

### 2.4 Communication Control

This defines the feedback command from monitor to host controller when it receives the display command from the host controller, depending on the commands availability, the command reported back to host controller can be one of the ACK, NACK or NAV.

**Note: there is no reply message when the wrong ID address is being used.**

#### 2.4.1 Message-Report

| Number of Field   | Name of Field   | Description                                                                                    |
|-------------------|-----------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Byte 1            | Header          | Header = 0x21                                                                                  |
| Byte 2            | Monitor ID      | Monitor ID<br>Range : 1 ~ 255                                                                  |
| Byte3             | Category        | 0x00                                                                                           |
| Byte4             | Page            | 0x00                                                                                           |
| Byte5             | MsgLen          | Length of message plus checksum code. Calculate the length from Control byte to Checksum byte. |
| Byte6             | Control         | 0x01                                                                                           |
| Byte7             | Data[0]         | Copy the received Command code.                                                                |
| Byte8~Byte8+(N-1) | Data[1]~Data[N] | Returned data associated with command code.                                                    |
| Byte 8+N          | Checksum        | XOR of all byte in reply/report packet(except checksum itself).                                |

*Example ACK reply: (Display address 01)*

| Header | Monitor ID | Category | Page | Length | Control | Data[0] | Data[1] | Checksum | Description               |
|--------|------------|----------|------|--------|---------|---------|---------|----------|---------------------------|
| 0x21   | 0x01       | 0x00     | 0x00 | 0x04   | 0x01    | 0x00    | 0x00    | 0x25     | Command is well executed. |

*Example NACK reply: (Display address 01)*

| Header | Monitor ID | Category | Page | Length | Control | Data[0] | Data[1] | Checksum | Description                                                 |
|--------|------------|----------|------|--------|---------|---------|---------|----------|-------------------------------------------------------------|
| 0x21   | 0x01       | 0x00     | 0x00 | 0x04   | 0x01    | 0x00    | 0x03    | 0x26     | No this command code-Data(0), the system will reply "NACK". |

*Example NAV reply: (Display address 01)*

| Header | Monitor ID | Category | Page | Length | Control | Data[0] | Data[1] | Checksum | Description                                                                                                 |
|--------|------------|----------|------|--------|---------|---------|---------|----------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 0x21   | 0x01       | 0x00     | 0x00 | 0x04   | 0x01    | 0x00    | 0x04    | 0x21     | 1.Checksum error, the system will reply "NAV".<br>2.No this parameter-Data(1), the system will reply "NAV". |

### 3. MESSAGES - GENERAL

#### 3.1 Platform and Version Labels

This command provides the model name of platform and the display Software version to the host controller.

##### 3.1.1 Message-Get

| Bytes   | Bytes Description                               | Bits | Description                                                         |
|---------|-------------------------------------------------|------|---------------------------------------------------------------------|
| DATA[0] | <b>0xA2 = Platform and Version Labels - Get</b> |      | Request the label version.                                          |
| DATA[1] | Label                                           |      | 0x00 = Get the FW version<br>0x01 = Get model name of the platform. |

Example: Get version (Display address 01)

| Header | Monitor ID | Category | Code0 | Code1 | Length | Data Control | Data[0] | Data[1] | Checksum |
|--------|------------|----------|-------|-------|--------|--------------|---------|---------|----------|
| 0xA6   | 0x01       | 0x00     | 0x00  | 0x00  | 0x04   | 0x01         | 0xA2    | 0x00    | 0x00     |

##### 3.1.2 Message-Report

| Bytes                    | Bytes Description                                 | Bits | Description                                                                                                                               |
|--------------------------|---------------------------------------------------|------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| DATA[0]                  | <b>0xA2 = Platform and Version Label – Report</b> |      | Request the internal label version.                                                                                                       |
| DATA[1]<br>to<br>DATA[N] | Character[0] to<br>Character[N-1]                 |      | 36 (0x24) characters maximum.<br>No. of characters, N = 1 to 36 (0x24).<br>The actual size determines the value of the message size byte. |

### 3.2 **Power state**

This command is used to set/get the power state as it is defined as below.

#### 3.2.1 **Message-Get**

| Bytes   | Bytes Description               | Bits | Description                                                    |
|---------|---------------------------------|------|----------------------------------------------------------------|
| DATA[0] | <b>0x19 = Power state - Get</b> |      | Command requests the display to report its current power state |

*Example: (Display address 01)*

| Header | Monitor ID | Category | Code0 | Code1 | Length | Data Control | Data[0] | Checksum |
|--------|------------|----------|-------|-------|--------|--------------|---------|----------|
| 0xA6   | 0x01       | 0x00     | 0x00  | 0x00  | 0x03   | 0x01         | 0x19    | 0xBC     |

#### 3.2.2 **Message-Report**

| Bytes   | Bytes Description                  | Bits | Description                   |
|---------|------------------------------------|------|-------------------------------|
| DATA[0] | <b>0x19 = Power State - Report</b> |      | Command reports Power state   |
| DATA[1] | Power State                        |      | 0x01 = Power Off<br>0x02 = On |

*Example: Power State On (Display address 01)*

| Header | Monitor ID | Category | Page | Length | Control | Data[0] | Data[1] | Checksum |
|--------|------------|----------|------|--------|---------|---------|---------|----------|
| 0x21   | 0x01       | 0x00     | 0x00 | 0x04   | 0x01    | 0x19    | 0x02    | 0x3E     |

#### 3.2.3 **Message-Set**

| Bytes   | Bytes Description               | Bits | Description                                      |
|---------|---------------------------------|------|--------------------------------------------------|
| DATA[0] | <b>0x18 = Power state - Set</b> |      | Command to change the Power state of the display |
| DATA[1] | Power state                     |      | 0x01 = Power Off<br>0x02 = On                    |

*Example: Power State Deep Sleep (Display address 01)*

| Header | Monitor ID | Category | Code0 | Code1 | Length | Data Control | Data[0] | Data[1] | Checksum |
|--------|------------|----------|-------|-------|--------|--------------|---------|---------|----------|
| 0xA6   | 0x01       | 0x00     | 0x00  | 0x00  | 0x04   | 0x01         | 0x18    | 0x01    | 0xBB     |

### 3.3 User Input Control

The following commands are used to lock/unlock the Remote Control and the Local Keyboard functionality corresponding.

#### 3.3.1 Message-Get

| Bytes   | Bytes Description                      | Bits | Description               |
|---------|----------------------------------------|------|---------------------------|
| DATA[0] | <b>0x1D = User Input Control – Get</b> |      | Get the lock/unlock state |

*Example: (Display address 01)*

| Header | Monitor ID | Category | Code0 | Code1 | Length | Data Control | Data[0] | Checksum |
|--------|------------|----------|-------|-------|--------|--------------|---------|----------|
| 0xA6   | 0x01       | 0x00     | 0x00  | 0x00  | 0x03   | 0x01         | 0x1D    | 0xB8     |

#### 3.3.2 Message-Report

| Bytes   | Bytes Description                          | Bits     | Description                              |
|---------|--------------------------------------------|----------|------------------------------------------|
| DATA[0] | <b>0x1D = User Input Control – Report</b>  |          | Report from display of lock/unlock state |
| DATA[1] | Bit meaning:<br>0 = locked<br>1 = unlocked | Bit 7..2 | Not used                                 |
|         |                                            | Bit 1    | Local Keyboard                           |
|         |                                            | Bit 0    | Remote Control                           |

*Example: Lock Keyboard and unlocked Remote Control (Display address 01)*

| Header | Monitor ID | Category | Page | Length | Control | Data[0] | Data[1] | Checksum |
|--------|------------|----------|------|--------|---------|---------|---------|----------|
| 0x21   | 0x01       | 0x00     | 0x00 | 0x04   | 0x01    | 0x1D    | 0x01    | 0x39     |

#### 3.3.3 Message-Set

| Bytes   | Bytes Description                          | Bits     | Description               |
|---------|--------------------------------------------|----------|---------------------------|
| DATA[0] | <b>0x1C = User Input Control – Set</b>     |          | Set the lock/unlock state |
| DATA[1] | Bit meaning:<br>0 = locked<br>1 = unlocked | Bit 7..2 | Not used.                 |
|         |                                            | Bit 1    | Local Keyboard            |
|         |                                            | Bit 0    | Remote Control            |

*Example: Unlock local Keyboard and unlock remote control (Display address 01)*

| Header | Monitor ID | Category | Code0 | Code1 | Length | Data Control | Data[0] | Data[1] | Checksum |
|--------|------------|----------|-------|-------|--------|--------------|---------|---------|----------|
| 0xA6   | 0x01       | 0x00     | 0x00  | 0x00  | 0x04   | 0x01         | 0x1C    | 0x03    | 0xBD     |

### 3.4 **Power state at Cold Start**

Command is used to set the cold start power state, the cold start power state are updated and stored by this command.

#### 3.4.1 **Message-Set**

| Bytes   | Bytes Description                       | Bits | Description                                                |
|---------|-----------------------------------------|------|------------------------------------------------------------|
| DATA[0] | <b>0xA3 = Power at Cold Start - Set</b> |      | Set Power state at Cold Start                              |
| DATA[1] | Power state at Cold Start               |      | 0x00 = Power Off<br>0x01 = Forced On<br>0x02 = Last Status |

The value is stored and it is applied only when the display starts up from cold start power state the next time:  
Power Off:

The monitor will be automatically switched to Power Off mode (even if the last status was on) whenever the mains power is turned on or resumed after the power interruption.

Forced On:

The monitor will be automatically switched to ON mode whenever the mains power is turned on or resumed after the power interruption.

Last Status:

The monitor will be automatically switched to the last status (either Power Off or On) whenever the mains power is turned on or resumed after the power interruption.

*Example: Set Power state at cold start to last status (Display address 01)*

| Header | Monitor ID | Category | Code0 | Code1 | Length | Data Control | Data[0] | Data[1] | Checksum |
|--------|------------|----------|-------|-------|--------|--------------|---------|---------|----------|
| 0xA6   | 0x01       | 0x00     | 0x00  | 0x00  | 0x04   | 0x01         | 0xA3    | 0x02    | 0x03     |

## 4. MESSAGES - INPUT SOURCES

### 4.1 Input Source

This command is used to change the current input source.

#### 4.1.1 Message-Set

| Bytes   | Bytes Description                | Bits   | Description                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
|---------|----------------------------------|--------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| DATA[0] | <b>0xAC = Input Source – Set</b> |        | Command requests the display to set the current input source                                                                                                                                                                    |
| DATA[1] | Input Source Type                |        | 0x01 = VIDEO<br>0x01 = S-VIDEO<br>0x03 = COMPONENT<br>0x03 = CVI 2 (not applicable)<br>0x05 = VGA<br>0x07 = Card DVI-D<br>0x07 = Display Port<br>0x08 = Card OPS<br>0x08 = USB<br>0x09 = HDMI<br>0x09 = DVI-D<br>0x0A = Network |
| DATA[2] | Input Source Number              |        | 0x00 = VIDEO<br>0x01 = S-VIDEO<br>0x00 = COMPONENT<br>0x01 = CVI 2 (not applicable)<br>0x00 = VGA<br>0x00 = Card DVI-D<br>0x01 = Display Port<br>0x00 = Card OPS<br>0x01 = USB<br>0x00 = HDMI<br>0x01 = DVI-D<br>0x00 = Network |
| DATA[3] | OSD Style                        | Bit7   | Not used.                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
|         |                                  | Bit6   | Do not switch.<br>Source is made current. set is updated with the details of this source; however, source change is performed.<br>1 = Do not switch. 0 = Switch                                                                 |
|         |                                  | Bit2.0 | Source info. Display Style<br>0 = Reserved<br>1 = Source label                                                                                                                                                                  |
| DATA[4] | Reserved                         | Bit 7  | (Reserved, value is 0)                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
|         |                                  | Bit 6  | (Reserved, value is 0)                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
|         |                                  | Bit 5  | (Reserved, value is 0)                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
|         |                                  | Bit 4  | (Reserved, value is 0)                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
|         |                                  | Bit 3  | (Reserved, value is 0)                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
|         |                                  | Bit 2  | (Reserved, value is 0)                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
|         |                                  | Bit 1  | (Reserved, value is 0)                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
|         |                                  | Bit 0  | (Reserved, value is 0)                                                                                                                                                                                                          |

Example: Set on DVI-D with Source label displaying on OSD (Display address 01)

| Header | Monitor ID | Category | Code0 | Code1 | Length | Data Control | Data[0] | Data[1] | Data[2] | Data[3] | Data[4] | Checksum |
|--------|------------|----------|-------|-------|--------|--------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|----------|
| 0xA6   | 0x01       | 0x00     | 0x00  | 0x00  | 0x07   | 0x01         | 0xAC    | 0x09    | 0x01    | 0x01    | 0x00    | 0x05     |

## 4.2 Current Source

### 4.2.1 Message-Get

| Bytes   | Bytes Description                  | Bits | Description                                                             |
|---------|------------------------------------|------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| DATA[0] | <b>0xAD = Current Source – Get</b> |      | Command requests the display to report the current input source in use. |

Example: (Display address 01)

| Header | Monitor ID | Category | Code0 | Code1 | Length | Data Control | Data[0] | Checksum |
|--------|------------|----------|-------|-------|--------|--------------|---------|----------|
| 0xA6   | 0x01       | 0x00     | 0x00  | 0x00  | 0x03   | 0x01         | 0xAD    | 0x08     |

### 4.2.2 Message-Report

| Bytes   | Bytes Description                     | Bits | Description                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
|---------|---------------------------------------|------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| DATA[0] | <b>0xAD = Current Source – Report</b> |      | Command reports to the host controller the current input source in use by the display.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| DATA[1] | Input Source Type                     |      | 0x00 = Reserved for smartcard<br>0x01 = Reserved for smartcard<br>0x02 = Reserved for smartcard<br>0x03 = Reserved for smartcard<br>0xFD = Input Source (normal state)<br>0xFE = Reserved for smartcard                                                                                                                          |
| DATA[2] | Input Source Number                   |      | <u>For Input Source Type: 0x00, 0x01, 0x02, 0x03</u><br>0x01...0x63 = Channel Number (only for smartcard)<br><br>For Input Source Type: 0xFD<br>0x01 = VIDEO<br>0x02 = S-VIDEO<br>0x06 = COMPONENT<br>0x08 = VGA<br>0x0A = HDMI<br>0x0B = DVI-D<br>0x0D = Display Port<br>0x0E = Card OPS<br>0x0F = USB<br><b>0xFF = Unknown</b> |

Example: Current Input Source: HDMI (Display address 01)

| Header | Monitor ID | Category | Page | Length | Control | Data[0] | Data[1] | Data[2] | Checksum |
|--------|------------|----------|------|--------|---------|---------|---------|---------|----------|
| 0x21   | 0x01       | 0x00     | 0x00 | 0x05   | 0x01    | 0xAD    | 0xFD    | 0x0A    | 0x7E     |

### 4.3 Auto Signal Detecting

#### 4.3.1 Message-Get

| Bytes   | Bytes Description                         | Bits | Description                                                                     |
|---------|-------------------------------------------|------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| DATA[0] | <b>0xAF = Auto Signal Detecting – Get</b> |      | Command requests the display to report its current Auto Signal Detecting status |

*Example: (Display address 01)*

| Header | Monitor ID | Category | Code0 | Code1 | Length | Data Control | Data[0] | Checksum |
|--------|------------|----------|-------|-------|--------|--------------|---------|----------|
| 0xA6   | 0x01       | 0x00     | 0x00  | 0x00  | 0x03   | 0x01         | 0xAF    | 0xBC     |

#### 4.3.2 Message-Report

| Bytes   | Bytes Description                            | Bits | Description                                   |
|---------|----------------------------------------------|------|-----------------------------------------------|
| DATA[0] | <b>0xAF = Auto Signal Detecting – Report</b> |      | Command reports Auto Signal Detecting Setting |
| DATA[1] | On / Off                                     |      | 0x00 = Off<br>0x01 = On                       |

*Example: Current Display settings: Off and On (Display address 01)*

| Header | Monitor ID | Category | Page | Length | Control | Data[0] | Data[1] | Checksum |
|--------|------------|----------|------|--------|---------|---------|---------|----------|
| 0x21   | 0x01       | 0x00     | 0x00 | 0x04   | 0x01    | 0xAF    | 0x01    | 0x8B     |

#### 4.3.3 Message-Set

| Bytes   | Bytes Description                         | Bits | Description                                                        |
|---------|-------------------------------------------|------|--------------------------------------------------------------------|
| DATA[0] | <b>0xAE = Auto Signal Detecting – Set</b> |      | Command to change the Auto Signal Detecting setting of the display |
| DATA[1] | On / Off                                  |      | 0x00 = Off<br>0x01 = On                                            |

*Example: Set the Display to the following: Auto Signal Detecting On (Display address 01)*

| Header | Monitor ID | Category | Code0 | Code1 | Length | Data Control | Data[0] | Data[1] | Checksum |
|--------|------------|----------|-------|-------|--------|--------------|---------|---------|----------|
| 0xA6   | 0x01       | 0x00     | 0x00  | 0x00  | 0x04   | 0x01         | 0xAE    | 0x01    | 0x0D     |

## 5. MESSAGES - VIDEO

### 5.1 Video Parameters

The following commands are used to get/set video parameters as it is defined below.

#### 5.1.1 Message-Get

| Bytes   | Bytes Description                    | Bits | Description                                                          |
|---------|--------------------------------------|------|----------------------------------------------------------------------|
| DATA[0] | <b>0x33 = Video Parameters – Get</b> |      | Command requests the display to report its current video parameters. |

Example: (Display address 01)

| Header | Monitor ID | Category | Code0 | Code1 | Length | Data Control | Data[0] | Checksum |
|--------|------------|----------|-------|-------|--------|--------------|---------|----------|
| 0xA6   | 0x01       | 0x00     | 0x00  | 0x00  | 0x03   | 0x01         | 0x33    | 0x96     |

#### 5.1.2 Message-Report

| Bytes   | Bytes Description                       | Bits | Description                                                                         |
|---------|-----------------------------------------|------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| DATA[0] | <b>0x33 = Video Parameters – Report</b> |      | Command reports to the host controller the current video parameters of the display. |
| DATA[1] | Brightness.                             |      | 0 to 100 of the user selectable range of the display.                               |
| DATA[2] | Color.                                  |      | 0 to 100 of the user selectable range of the display.                               |
| DATA[3] | Contrast.                               |      | 0 to 100 of the user selectable range of the display.                               |
| DATA[4] | Sharpness.                              |      | 0 to 20(0x0 ~ 0x14) of the user selectable range of the display.                    |
| DATA[5] | Tint (Hue)                              |      | -50 to 50(0x0 ~ 0x64) of the user selectable range of the display.                  |

Example: All video parameters are set to 0x64 (100 %) (Display address 01)

| Header | Monitor ID | Category | Page | Length | Control | Data[0] | Data[1] | Data[2] | Data[3] | Data[4] | Data[5] | Checksum |
|--------|------------|----------|------|--------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|----------|
| 0x21   | 0x01       | 0x00     | 0x00 | 0x08   | 0x01    | 0x33    | 0x64    | 0x64    | 0x64    | 0x14    | 0x64    | 0x0E     |

#### 5.1.3 Message-Set

| Bytes   | Bytes Description                    | Bits | Description                                                        |
|---------|--------------------------------------|------|--------------------------------------------------------------------|
| DATA[0] | <b>0x32 = Video Parameters – Set</b> |      | Command to change the current video parameters                     |
| DATA[1] | Brightness.                          |      | 0 to 100 of the user selectable range of the display.              |
| DATA[2] | Colour.                              |      | 0 to 100 of the user selectable range of the display.              |
| DATA[3] | Contrast.                            |      | 0 to 100 of the user selectable range of the display.              |
| DATA[4] | Sharpness.                           |      | 0 to 20(0x0 ~ 0x14) of the user selectable range of the display.   |
| DATA[5] | Tint (Hue)                           |      | -50 to 50(0x0 ~ 0x64) of the user selectable range of the display. |

Example: Set all video parameters to 0x37 (55 %) (Display address 01)

| Header | Monitor ID | Category | Code0 | Code1 | Length | Data Control | Data[0] | Data[1] | Data[2] | Data[3] | Data[4] | Data[5] | Checksum |
|--------|------------|----------|-------|-------|--------|--------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|----------|
| 0xA6   | 0x01       | 0x00     | 0x00  | 0x00  | 0x08   | 0x01         | 0x32    | 0x37    | 0x37    | 0x37    | 0x37    | 0x37    | 0xAB     |

## 5.2 Picture Format

This command is used to control the display screen format.

### 5.2.1 Message-Get

| Bytes   | Bytes Description                  | Bits | Description                                                       |
|---------|------------------------------------|------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|
| DATA[0] | <b>0x3B = Picture Format – Get</b> |      | Command requests the display to report its current picture format |

Example: (Display address 01)

| Header | Monitor ID | Category | Code0 | Code1 | Length | Data Control | Data[0] | Checksum |
|--------|------------|----------|-------|-------|--------|--------------|---------|----------|
| 0xA6   | 0x01       | 0x00     | 0x00  | 0x00  | 0x03   | 0x01         | 0x3B    | 0x9E     |

### 5.2.2 Message-Report

| Bytes   | Bytes Description                     | Bits     | Description                                                                                                                        |
|---------|---------------------------------------|----------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| DATA[0] | <b>0x3B = Picture Format – Report</b> |          | Command report to the host controller the current picture format of the display.                                                   |
| DATA[1] | Picture Format                        | Bit 7..4 | Not used.                                                                                                                          |
|         |                                       | Bit 3..0 | Picture Format.<br>0x00 = 4:3<br>0x01 = Custom<br>0x02 = Unscaled<br>0x03 = Wide Screen<br>0x04 = Movie expand 16:9<br>0x05 = Auto |

Example: Current Picture Format is Widescreen on Full Display (Display address 01)

| Header | Monitor ID | Category | Page | Length | Control | Data[0] | Data[1] | Checksum |
|--------|------------|----------|------|--------|---------|---------|---------|----------|
| 0x21   | 0x01       | 0x00     | 0x00 | 0x04   | 0x01    | 0x3B    | 0x03    | 0x1D     |

### 5.2.3 Message-Set

| Bytes   | Bytes Description                  | Bits     | Description                                                                                                                        |
|---------|------------------------------------|----------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| DATA[0] | <b>0x3A = Picture Format – Set</b> |          | Command requests the display to set the specified picture format                                                                   |
| DATA[1] | Picture Format                     | Bit 7..4 | Not used.                                                                                                                          |
|         |                                    | Bit 3..0 | Picture Format.<br>0x00 = 4:3<br>0x01 = Custom<br>0x02 = Unscaled<br>0x03 = Wide Screen<br>0x04 = Movie expand 16:9<br>0x05 = Auto |

The display shall respond with NAV if it receives a Picture Format that is not relevant to its Display Aspect Ratio.

The display shall ignore the [Picture Format - Set] if it receives a Picture Format that it cannot execute.

Example: Set Picture Format to Widescreen on Full Display (Display address 01)

| Header | Monitor ID | Category | Code0 | Code1 | Length | Data Control | Data[0] | Data[1] | Checksum |
|--------|------------|----------|-------|-------|--------|--------------|---------|---------|----------|
| 0xA6   | 0x01       | 0x00     | 0x00  | 0x00  | 0x04   | 0x01         | 0x3A    | 0x03    | 0x9B     |

## 6. MESSAGES - AUDIO

### 6.1 Volume

This command is used to set/get the Volume as it is defined as below.

#### 6.1.1 Message-Get

| Bytes   | Bytes Description          | Bits | Description                                                     |
|---------|----------------------------|------|-----------------------------------------------------------------|
| DATA[0] | <b>0x45 = Volume – Get</b> |      | Command requests the display to report its current Volume level |

The interface to set Software must be such that they also modify the variables representing these current parameters.

To mute the display, send Volume = 0. This command does not overwrite the system mute status of the display.

*Example: (Display address 01)*

| Header | Monitor ID | Category | Code0 | Code1 | Length | Data Control | Data[0] | Checksum |
|--------|------------|----------|-------|-------|--------|--------------|---------|----------|
| 0xA6   | 0x01       | 0x00     | 0x00  | 0x00  | 0x03   | 0x01         | 0x45    | 0xE0     |

#### 6.1.2 Message-Report

| Bytes   | Bytes Description             | Bits | Description                                          |
|---------|-------------------------------|------|------------------------------------------------------|
| DATA[0] | <b>0x45 = Volume – Report</b> |      | Command reports current Volume level                 |
| DATA[1] | Volume.                       |      | 0 to 60 of the user selectable range of the display. |

*Example: Current Display settings: Volume:50 (0x32) (Display address 01)*

| Header | Monitor ID | Category | Page | Length | Control | Data[0] | Data[1] | Checksum |
|--------|------------|----------|------|--------|---------|---------|---------|----------|
| 0x21   | 0x01       | 0x00     | 0x00 | 0x04   | 0x01    | 0x45    | 0x32    | 0x52     |

#### 6.1.3 Message-Set

| Bytes   | Bytes Description          | Bits | Description                                          |
|---------|----------------------------|------|------------------------------------------------------|
| DATA[0] | <b>0x44 = Volume – Set</b> |      |                                                      |
| DATA[1] | Volume.                    |      | 0 to 60 of the user selectable range of the display. |

*Example: Set the Display Volume to 20 (0x14) (Display address 01)*

| Header | Monitor ID | Category | Code0 | Code1 | Length | Data Control | Data[0] | Data[1] | Checksum |
|--------|------------|----------|-------|-------|--------|--------------|---------|---------|----------|
| 0xA6   | 0x01       | 0x00     | 0x00  | 0x00  | 0x04   | 0x01         | 0x44    | 0x14    | 0xF2     |

## 6.2 Volume Limits

This command is used to set the volume limit (minimum, maximum and switch on volume).

### 6.2.1 Message-Set

| Bytes   | Bytes Description                | Bits | Description                                                        |
|---------|----------------------------------|------|--------------------------------------------------------------------|
| DATA[0] | <b>0xB8 = Volume Limits– Set</b> |      | The 3 values must conform to the rule :<br>Min <= Switch On <= Max |
| DATA[1] | Minimum Volume                   |      | 0 to 60 of the user selectable range of the display.               |
| DATA[2] | Maximum Volume                   |      | 0 to 60 of the user selectable range of the display.               |
| DATA[3] | Switch On Volume                 |      | 0 to 60 of the user selectable range of the display.               |

*Example: Set the Display to the following: 20 (0x14), 60 (0x3C), 50 (0x32) (Display address 01)*

| Header | Monitor ID | Category | Code0 | Code1 | Length | Data Control | Data[0] | Data[1] | Data[2] | Data[3] | Checksum |
|--------|------------|----------|-------|-------|--------|--------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|----------|
| 0xA6   | 0x01       | 0x00     | 0x00  | 0x00  | 0x06   | 0x01         | 0xB8    | 0x14    | 0x3C    | 0x32    | 0x02     |

## 7.1 Audio Parameters

This command is used to set/get the audio parameters as it is defined as below.

### 7.1.1 Message-Get

| Bytes   | Bytes Description                    | Bits | Description                                                         |
|---------|--------------------------------------|------|---------------------------------------------------------------------|
| DATA[0] | <b>0x43 = Audio Parameters – Get</b> |      | Command requests the display to report its current audio parameters |

*Example: (Display address 01)*

| Header | Monitor ID | Category | Code0 | Code1 | Length | Data Control | Data[0] | Checksum |
|--------|------------|----------|-------|-------|--------|--------------|---------|----------|
| 0xA6   | 0x01       | 0x00     | 0x00  | 0x00  | 0x03   | 0x01         | 0x43    | 0xE6     |

### 7.1.2 Message-Report

| Bytes   | Bytes Description                       | Bits | Description                                                       |
|---------|-----------------------------------------|------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|
| DATA[0] | <b>0x43 = Audio Parameters – Report</b> |      | Command reports Audio Parameters                                  |
| DATA[1] | Treble.                                 |      | -8 to 8(0x2A ~ 0x3A) of the user selectable range of the display. |
| DATA[2] | Bass.                                   |      | -8 to 8(0x2A ~ 0x3A) of the user selectable range of the display. |

*Example: Current Display settings: Treble:0 (0x32) , Bass:0 (0x32) (Display address 01)*

| Header | Monitor ID | Category | Page | Length | Control | Data[0] | Data[1] | Data[2] | Checksum |
|--------|------------|----------|------|--------|---------|---------|---------|---------|----------|
| 0x21   | 0x01       | 0x00     | 0x00 | 0x05   | 0x01    | 0x43    | 0x32    | 0x32    | 0x67     |

### 7.1.3 Message-Set

| Bytes   | Bytes Description                    | Bits | Description                                                       |
|---------|--------------------------------------|------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|
| DATA[0] | <b>0x42 = Audio Parameters – Set</b> |      | Command to change the Audio Parameters of the display             |
| DATA[1] | Treble.                              |      | -8 to 8(0x2A ~ 0x3A) of the user selectable range of the display. |
| DATA[2] | Bass.                                |      | -8 to 8(0x2A ~ 0x3A) of the user selectable range of the display. |

The interface to set Software must be such that they modify the variables representing these current parameters

*Example: Set the Display to the following: Treble:0 (0x32) , Bass:0 (0x32) (Display address 01)*

| Header | Monitor ID | Category | Code0 | Code1 | Length | Data Control | Data[0] | Data[1] | Data[2] | Checksum |
|--------|------------|----------|-------|-------|--------|--------------|---------|---------|---------|----------|
| 0xA6   | 0x01       | 0x00     | 0x00  | 0x00  | 0x05   | 0x01         | 0x42    | 0x32    | 0x32    | 0xE1     |

## 8. MISCELLANEOUS

### 8.1 Operating Hours

The command is used to record the working hours of the display.

#### 8.1.1 Message-Get

| Bytes   | Bytes Description             | Bits | Description                                                                      |
|---------|-------------------------------|------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| DATA[0] | <b>0x0F = Misc Info - Get</b> |      | Command requests the display to report from miscellaneous information parameters |
| DATA[1] | <b>Subcommand</b>             |      | 0x02 = Operating Hours<br>(All other values are reserved)                        |

Example: (Display address 01)

| Header | Monitor ID | Category | Code0 | Code1 | Length | Data Control | Data[0] | Data[1] | Checksum |
|--------|------------|----------|-------|-------|--------|--------------|---------|---------|----------|
| 0xA6   | 0x01       | 0x00     | 0x00  | 0x00  | 0x04   | 0x01         | 0x0F    | 0x02    | 0xAF     |

#### 8.1.2 Message-Report

| Bytes                    | Bytes Description                | Bits | Description                                                                                               |
|--------------------------|----------------------------------|------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| DATA[0]                  | <b>0x0F = Misc Info – Report</b> |      | Command reports current Operating Hours                                                                   |
| DATA[1]<br>to<br>DATA[2] | Operating Hours                  |      | DATA[1] and DATA[2] form the MSByte and LSByte, respectively, of the 16-bit-wide Operational Hours value. |

Example: Current Display Operation Hours counter value (Display address 01)

| Header | Monitor ID | Category | Page | Length | Control | Data[0] | Data[1] | Data[2] | Checksum |
|--------|------------|----------|------|--------|---------|---------|---------|---------|----------|
| 0x21   | 0x01       | 0x00     | 0x00 | 0x05   | 0x01    | 0x0F    | 0x00    | 0x0A    | 0x21     |

### 8.2 Auto Adjust

This command works for VGA (host controller) video auto adjust.

#### 8.2.1 Message-Set

| Bytes   | Bytes Description                   | Bits | Description                                                               |
|---------|-------------------------------------|------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| DATA[0] | <b>0x70 = Video Alignment – Set</b> |      | Command requests the display to make auto adjustment on VGA Input source. |
| DATA[1] | <b>Subcommand</b>                   |      | 0x40 = Auto Adjust<br>(* All other values are reserved *)                 |
| DATA[2] | <b>Reserved</b>                     |      | ( reserved, fixed 0 )                                                     |

Example: (Display address 01)

| Header | Monitor ID | Category | Code0 | Code1 | Length | Data Control | Data[0] | Data[1] | Data[2] | Checksum |
|--------|------------|----------|-------|-------|--------|--------------|---------|---------|---------|----------|
| 0xA6   | 0x01       | 0x00     | 0x00  | 0x00  | 0x05   | 0x01         | 0x70    | 0x40    | 0x00    | 0x93     |

### 8.3 Serial Code

#### 8.3.1 Message-Get

| Bytes   | Bytes Description             | Bits | Description                                                                               |
|---------|-------------------------------|------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| DATA[0] | <b>0x15 = Serial Code Get</b> |      | Command requests the display to report its Serial Code Number (Production code) 14 digits |

Example: (Display address 01)

| Header | Monitor ID | Category | Code0 | Code1 | Length | Data Control | Data[0] | Checksum |
|--------|------------|----------|-------|-------|--------|--------------|---------|----------|
| 0xA6   | 0x01       | 0x00     | 0x00  | 0x00  | 0x03   | 0x01         | 0x15    | 0xB0     |

#### 8.3.2 Message-Report

| Bytes    | Bytes Description                  | Bits | Description                              |
|----------|------------------------------------|------|------------------------------------------|
| DATA[0]  | <b>0x15 = Serial Code – Report</b> |      | Command reports Serial Code              |
| DATA[1]  | 1 <sup>st</sup> Character          |      | Character acc. ASCII character map (HEX) |
| DATA[2]  | 2 <sup>nd</sup> Character          |      |                                          |
| DATA[3]  | 3 <sup>rd</sup> Character          |      |                                          |
|          |                                    |      |                                          |
| DATA[14] | 14 <sup>th</sup> Character         |      | Character acc. ASCII character map (HEX) |

## 9. MESSAGES – IR Remote Command

### 9.1 IR Remote Command

The command is used to send IR Key to Control display.

#### 9.1.1 Message-Set

| Bytes   | Bytes Description                     | Bits | Description                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
|---------|---------------------------------------|------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| DATA[0] | <b>0xDB = IR Remote Command – Set</b> |      | Command to simulate the IR Remote to send IR Key to display                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| DATA[1] | IR KEY                                |      | 0xA0: Power<br>0xA1: Menu<br>0xA2: Input<br>0xA3: Vol_Up<br>0xA4: Vol_Down<br>0xA5: Mute<br>0xA6: Cursor_Up<br>0xA7: Cursor_Down<br>0xA8: Cursor_Left<br>0xA9: Cursor_Right<br>0xB1: OK<br>0xB2: Return<br>0xC1: Red<br>0xC2: Green<br>0xC3: Yellow<br>0xC4: Blue<br>0xD1: Format<br>0xD2: Info<br>0x00: Btn_0<br>0x01: Btn_1<br>0x02: Btn_2<br>0x03: Btn_3<br>0x04: Btn_4<br>0x05: Btn_5<br>0x06: Btn_6<br>0x07: Btn_7<br>0x08: Btn_8<br>0x09: Btn_9 |

*Example: Send Power Key (Display address 01)*

| Header | Monitor ID | Category | Code0 | Code1 | Length | Data Control | Data[0] | Data[1] | Checksum |
|--------|------------|----------|-------|-------|--------|--------------|---------|---------|----------|
| 0xA6   | 0x01       | 0x00     | 0x00  | 0x00  | 0x04   | 0x01         | 0xDB    | 0xA0    | 0xD9     |

## 10. Command summary

| Command name                | Set Command | Get Command | Command Code | Remarks          |
|-----------------------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|------------------|
| Communication Control       | √           | √           | 0x00         | Generic report   |
| Platform and version labels |             | √           | 0xA2         |                  |
|                             |             |             |              |                  |
| Power state get             |             | √           | 0x19         |                  |
| Power state set             | √           |             | 0x18         |                  |
| User Input Control get      |             | √           | 0x1D         |                  |
| User Input Control set      | √           |             | 0x1C         |                  |
| Power state at cold start   | √           |             | 0xA3         |                  |
|                             |             |             |              |                  |
| Input Source                | √           |             | 0xAC         |                  |
| Current Source              |             | √           | 0xAD         |                  |
| Auto Signal Detecting Get   |             | √           | 0xAF         |                  |
| Auto Signal Detecting Set   | √           |             | 0xAE         |                  |
|                             |             |             |              |                  |
| Video parameters get        |             | √           | 0x33         | Brightness, etc. |
| Video parameters set        | √           |             | 0x32         |                  |
| Picture Format get          |             | √           | 0x3B         |                  |
| Picture Format set          | √           |             | 0x3A         |                  |
|                             |             |             |              |                  |
| Volume get                  |             | √           | 0x45         |                  |
| Volume set                  | √           |             | 0x44         |                  |
| Volume limits               | √           |             | 0xB8         |                  |
| Audio parameters get        |             | √           | 0x43         |                  |
| Audio parameters set        | √           |             | 0x42         |                  |
|                             |             |             |              |                  |
| Miscellaneous info          |             | √           | 0x0F         | Operating hours  |
| Auto Adjust                 | √           |             | 0x70         | VGA only         |
| Serial Code Get             |             | √           | 0x15         |                  |
| IR Remote                   | √           |             | 0xDB         |                  |