

Samsung Ex-link



RS-232 Control









Samsung TV's can be controlled via RS232 by connecting to the Ex-Link port (Note: if the TV does not have an Ex-Link port, it does not support RS232).

The Ex-Link port is a 3.5mm 3 point connection.

Although there is both a Tx and Rx line, control data can only be sent to the TV through 2011 product. There is no support for status.

The following work book outlines the structure of the Samsung coding, connector pin-out for Ex-Link, testing application and a copy of supported coding.



| Byte1 | Byte2 | Byte3 | Byte4 | Byte5 | Byte6 | Byte7 |
|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| 0x08 | 0x22 | Cmd1 | Cmd2 | Cmd3 | Value | CS |



Do not change Byte 1 and Byte 2 as they are fixed value

Bytes 3 through 6 are the command bytes (see slides 4 through 7)

Byte 7 (check sum) is the two's complement of Byte 1 through 6 (see slide 3)

Example:

Byte 3 = '0x4' Channel Direct Tuning:

Byte 4 = selects between DTV and ATV (select '0080' for DTV)

Byte 5 = major channel in DTV multiplied by 4 (i.e. if major channel is 4, Byte 5 = 4 * 4 = 16 = 10 in hex. Byte = '0x10')

Byte 6 = minor channel (i.e. channel 4-2 Byte 6 = (0x2))

Example: To direct tune Channel 4-2:

The 7 byte structure would be:

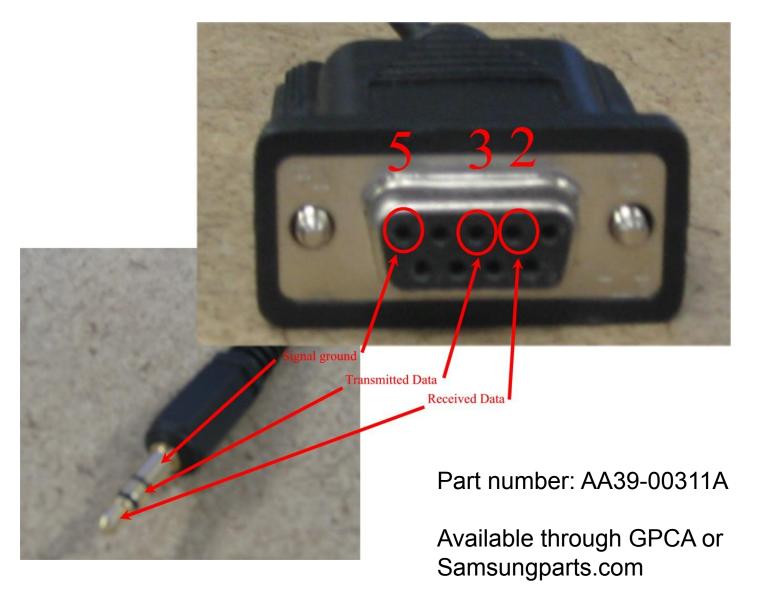
0x8 0x22 0x4 0x80 0x10 0x2 0x40

RS232 Check Sum Calculation for command codes

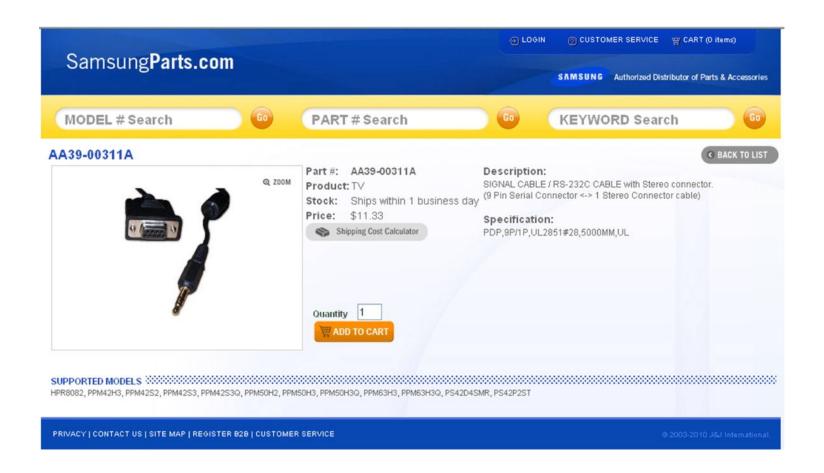


| | Do not change | Do not Change | Command 1 | Command 2 | Command 3 | Value | | | |
|----------|---------------|---------------|-----------|---|-----------|---------------|--------------------------------|----------------------|----------|
| nput Hex | | 0x22 | 4 | 80 | 10 | _ 2 | Dec sum | converted to hex | Binary |
| Hex | 8 | 22 | 4 | 80 | 10 | 12 | | | |
| Dec | 8 | 34 | 4 | 128 | 16 | 11 | → 192 - | → 00C0 | 11000000 |
| | | | | | | | \ | | |
| Dec | | | | 192 | • | $\overline{}$ | _ | | |
| Invert | | | | 63 | | Enter | er Command 1, 2, 3 and Value a | | |
| add 1 | | | | 64 | | listed in | n Coding she | et within blue area; | |
| Dec2Bin | | | | 1000000 | | | result in ye | llow at left | |
| Dec2Hex | | | 4 | 0 | | | | | |
| Final | 0×8 | 0x22 | 0x4 | 0x80 | 0x10 | 0x2 | 0x40 | | |
| | | 200 | | hex code for command 1, 2, 3 and value within orange box ot change the first two bytes as they are set by system requirements s compliment is created from the 7 byte packet 2's complete to enter is in yellow apple 0x8 0x22 0x00 0x00 0x00 0x01 0xD4 Power off | | | | | |







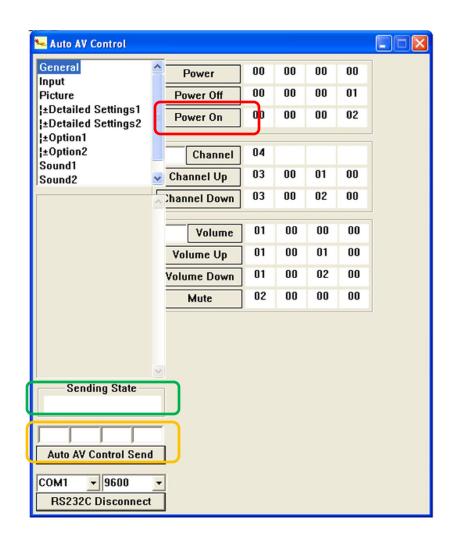


Ex-Link test app 2009 and prior



Basic operation can be verified using this application. All basic operations can be verified by simple key press. Selecting "Power On" should generate the code (byte 3 thru 6) and send it to the TV via the Ex-Link port. In the "Sending State" window, the status of code will be displayed. Once the TV accepts the code, "success" should be displayed in

the window



Communication settings:



Baud rate: 9600

Set com port to match your PC

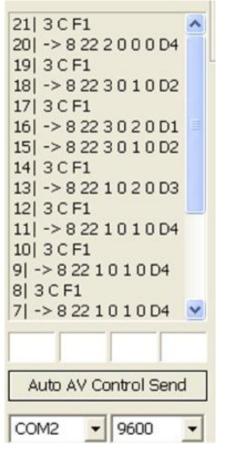
Auto AV Control Send

COM1 ▼ 9600 ▼

RS232C Disconnect

Once com port selected, click on the RS232C Connect button

Once connected
As you select the
functions within the app,
the window will display
both the sending 7 byte
command as well as
show whether the TV
acknowledged the
command.
Ex. Line 15, no "3CF1"
acknowledge return



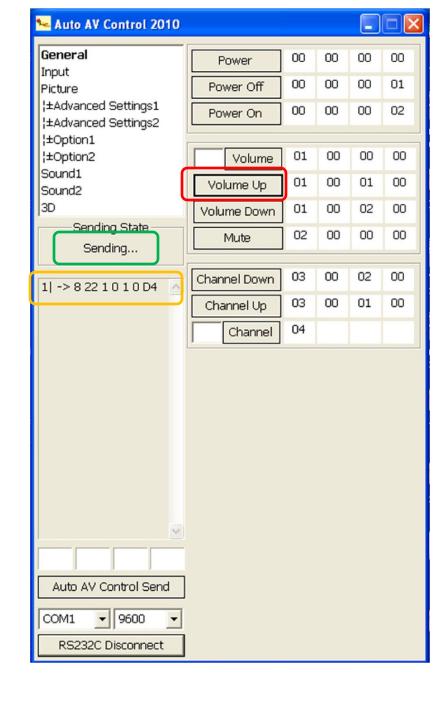
Model list:





Ex-Link test app and RS232 coding for 2010/2011/2012/2013

Basic operation can be verified using this application. All basic operations can be verified by simple key press. Selecting "Volume Up" should generate the code (byte 3 thru 6) and send it to the TV via the Ex-Link port. In the "Sending State" window, the status of code will be displayed. Once the TV accepts the code, "success" should be displayed in the window



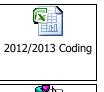


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