

## **Arvus International Limited**

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## **H1-D Product Launch Update**

As announced in our previous newsletter the follow-up to the H2-4D the H1-D aims to become an essential product in the global adoption of Dolby Atmos® and the spatial audio in general. We are on track for a few pre-production units being tested in June.

Once these pass our testing and product requirements we will offer to all Arvus clients & Newsletter subscribers a chance to pre-purchase their units in the upcoming Beta Production Run at a significant discount compared to the MSRP which we are still aiming to be  $\sim$ USD2,600.00 – 2,850.00

The H1-D will be a powerhouse of a device...and tiny as we are aiming for half the size of an Apple4K!

#### **CODECS and SOFTWARE supported will be:**

- DOLBY Atmos
- DTS-X
- IMAX Enhanced
- Auro3D
- MPEG-H
- Sony360
- DIRAC
- Crestron
- Q-Sys
- ....plus others

#### **HARDWARE Features:**

- HDMI 2.1 Input
- HDMI 2.1 pass-through Output with eARC
- DANTE / AES67
- High quality separate DAC / Headphone Amplifier (6.5mm jack)
- Remote Control
- System Reset button
- Power over Ethernet (PoE)
- Separate power supply input

Expect to be notified of further H1-D progress in the coming weeks



## **H2-4D Critical Firmware Update Required**

Over the past two months a few users have unfortunately experienced their H2-4D's completely shutting down with no success on rebooting / restarting. On examining these returned units, our engineers found the problem was caused by the v1.028 firmware of January.

The problem has now been isolated, fixed and we are extensively testing the new firmware (v1.031) before release later this week.

# WE HIGHLY RECOMMEND ALL UNITS OF H2-4D BE UPDATED TO THE v1.031 FIRMWARE FROM THE 15th APRIL

We apologize for the inconvenience and stress experienced by our clients caused by this unusual firmware problem.

## **Production / Stock Status**

- AES-2H has good stock reserves
- HDMI-2A has good stock reserves
- H2-4D Next production run available in May
- H1-D –Beta production orders open in June/July

### **Arvus Evolution.**

2023 is proving to be a busy and productive year. We have two new exciting Atmos focused projects underway and a very disruptive audio technology in development with a dedicated world-class team working on it. More information on these projects will be shared in our subsequent newsletters.

Lastly, in May, <u>Stereophile.com</u> will release their in depth review of the H2-4D. Having personally read it I'm confident it will further expand interest in our products and spatial audio in general.

Feel free to contact myself if you have any thoughts or suggestions on any of the above.

Kind regards from the whole Arvus team.

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