



## MergePoint Unity™ KVM over IP and Serial Console Switches

The Avocent MergePoint Unity switches include both KVM over IP and serial console management technology in a single appliance.

This unique combination provides IT Administrators a complete remote management solution to access and control servers, networking equipment, and other devices found in data centers and branch offices.

The MergePoint Unity switches enhance the in-band management typically done through the NIC of IT equipment by providing secure and remote out-of-band connections directly to the physical KVM, USB, and serial ports. This unified approach enables IT administrators a faster method to diagnose, reconfigure, or restore equipment to meet SLAs and minimize downtime.

### Improve Remote Management and Staff Efficiency

- Reduce the time required to remotely diagnose/reconfigure/repair/restore servers as well as network devices and other hardware with serial configuration and/or management consoles.
- Compliment in-band tools to create a more complete remote management solution to access servers and network equipment at remote locations.
- Virtual media enables remote USB connections to map CD-ROM and other USB mass storage devices directly to remote servers to transfer/copy files, load updates, or install new applications, etc.
- Integrated serial device support allows secure SSH connections to the physical serial ports of devices attached to the MPUIQ-SRL module. The Cisco® configuration settings electronically pin out the module to enable a fast and direct connection to Cisco configuration ports without the need for any additional external wiring adapters or special wiring.

### Improve Physical Security

- Remote Smart Card/CAC reader support is provided for advanced security requirements. Using the virtual media capabilities of the MergePoint Unity switch, a smart card reader can be mapped from a desktop PC out to a remote server.
- Reduce the need to physically enter the datacenters for local access and control. The MergePoint Unity switch provides remote users the capabilities of a direct physical connection to KVM, USB, and serial ports of servers and other IT equipment from anywhere.

### Expand Your Control

- Avocent Power Management Distribution Units (PM PDUs) can attach directly to one of the two dedicated power control ports to allow administrators to control the power to the devices they are accessing using the MergePoint Unity switch. The integration between remote access and power control allows administrators to see the results instantly when they turn remote devices on/off.
- Fully integrates with the DSView® 3 management software\* to allow companies to extend their KVM and serial capabilities from the MergePoint Unity switches to include support for blades, embedded service processors, virtual servers, third party KVM devices, and third party power products. Detailed power reports and historical power trends on consumption, capacity and cost are also available by adding the DSView 3 software Power Manager.



### Quick Facts

- Remote access to KVM, USB, and serial connections
- Serial adaptor supports SSH connections
- Serial adaptors support the Cisco pin out to make connections to Cisco equipment quick and easy
- Virtual media enables remote USB connections and support for Smart Card/CAC readers
- Built in web interface for standalone applications or can be managed with the DSView 3 software\*
- Local and remote browser interface for easy setup and use

\* version 3.7 or above

Part Number	Description
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### Ordering Details

MPU1016-XXX	16 port, 1 digital KVM path, single AC power supply
MPU1016DAC-XXX	16 port, 1 digital KVM path, dual AC power supply
MPU2016-XXX	16 port, 2 digital KVM path, single AC power supply
MPU2016DAC-XXX	16 port, 2 digital KVM path, dual AC power supply
MPU4032-XXX	32 port, 4 digital KVM paths, single AC power supply
MPU4032DAC-XXX	32 port, 4 digital KVM paths, dual AC power supply
MPU8032-XXX	32 port, 8 digital KVM paths, single AC power supply
MPU8032DAC-XXX	32 port, 8 digital KVM paths, dual AC power supply

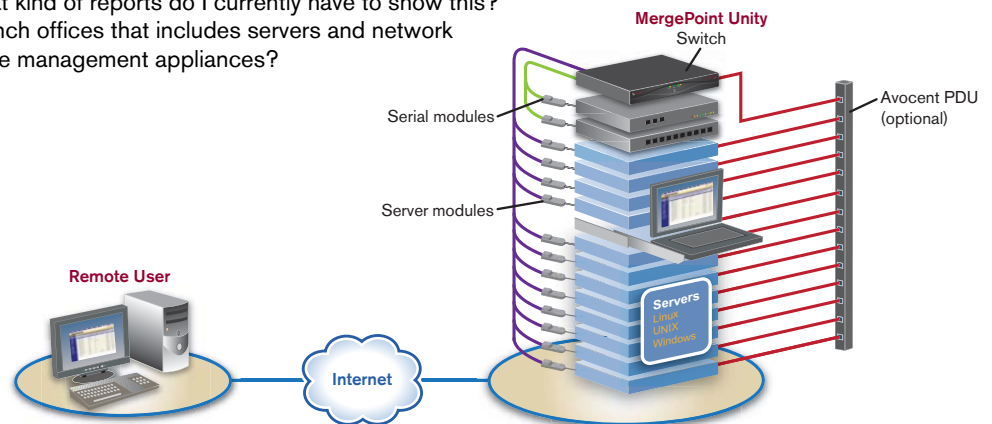
### Cables and Accessories (one required per attached device)

MPUIQ-SRL-XXX	MergePoint Unity serial IQ (requires power from USB source or optional UPD-AM)
UPD-AM	Power supply for MPUIQ-SRL modules. Each UPD-AM can power up to four serial interface modules
DSAVIQ-USB2	Virtual Media server interface module for VGA video and USB 2.0 with 14 in. cable
DSAVIQ-USB2L	Virtual Media server interface module for USB 2.0 with 20 in. cable
DSAVIQ-PS2M	Virtual Media server interface module for VGA video, PS/2 keyboard and mouse, and USB 2.0 virtual media with 14 in. PS/2 and USB cables
DSRIQ-VMC	USB2 server interface module supporting Virtual Media and Smartcard (CAC) - 20 in. cabling

For country-specific availability, please contact an Avocent sales representative.

### Avocent can help you answer questions like:

- How can I access a remote server that is having an OS or network connectivity issues?
- If a server drops off the network, how can you quickly determine the cause and restore connectivity?
- How can I access a remote server to restart a service or stop a runaway process if my remote software tools cannot make a connection?
- How can I use Smart Card readers for computer authentication if I am using remote hardware such as digital KVM switches?
- When working on remote server OS or application issues, how can I transfer data or load a new application if the network connection on that device is down or unavailable?
- How can I access the configuration port of a network router or switch that is offline without having to take my laptop and a serial cable into the datacenter?
- How can I reduce the need for my IT staff, consultants, and contractors to physically enter the datacenter without impacting their ability to do their work?
- How can I control who physically connects to the KVM, USB, and serial ports of the equipment I have in the datacenter? What kind of reports do I currently have to show this?
- If I want to provide remote access to branch offices that includes servers and network equipment, do I need to purchase multiple management appliances?



### Specifications

#### Mechanical

**Size:** 1.72 in. (4.37 cm)H, 17 in. (43.18 cm)W, 13.38 in. (34 cm)D  
**Weight:** Single power models: 8.1 lbs (3.67 Kg); Dual power models: 8.6 lbs (3.9 Kg)

#### Ports/Connections

##### Network

Number: 2  
 Type: 10/100/1000 Ethernet

##### Power Control Ports

Number: 2  
 Type: RS232 serial  
 Connector: 8-pin modular

##### Device Ports

Number: 16 or 32  
 Connector: 8-pin modular

##### Local Console

Number: 1  
 Connector: USB and VGA

#### Power Supply

**Number:** Single or dual power supplies

**Type:** Internal

**AC input range:** 100-240V

#### Video Resolution

Local and remote up to 1280x1024

#### Standards

Approved Agency: UL, FCC, cUL, ICES-003, CE, VCCI, KCC, C-Tick, GOST

#### Warranty

Two Year