



SOLUTION GUIDE

# HUDDLE ROOM

Audio Visual System Solutions for Business





# THE HUDDLE ROOM

is a small room or breakout area with a table, phone, white board and a few chairs. It's the venue of choice for people who just need a quiet place to get together and collaborate. Wouldn't it be great if you could outfit such a room with control and automation technology so people could view content from a laptop or iPad on an LCD display or perhaps access the internet or conduct a web conference – without breaking the bank? Welcome to the Huddle Room, AMX's productivity solution for smaller rooms.



## COMMON ACTIVITIES

The huddle room is a small enclosed area (roughly 100 square feet/10 square meters) where a group of 2–6 people gather to:

- Connect & share information from a digital or analog mobile device such as a laptop
- Share content wirelessly from a tablet, smartphone or laptop
- Collaborate with remote participants via web conference
- IT organizations can monitor and troubleshoot the room's technology in real time

# CONNECTING MOBILE DEVICES & SHARING CONTENT



The most common scenario in meetings is for a presenter to show content from a laptop on a display, and it's simple in the AMX Huddle Room. First, connect the laptop to the HDMI or VGA cable in the HydraPort that's installed directly in the table. Then, press a button on the Massio ControlPad that's mounted on the wall to route the content to the display.

There are no complicated remotes, no switching of sources on the display, and no searching for the right cable. With AMX, it's as simple as plugging in and pressing a button.



## KEY HARMAN PRODUCTS



**AMX's HydraPort®** provides a simple way to connect AV control, network and power directly from the conference table – with an elegant form factor that complements any room. Just plug in your laptop, USB memory stick or other mobile device into the pre-supplied cable, and you're connected.



**AMX® Massio™** is like an intelligent universal remote that allows meeting participants to control the room's AV equipment at the press of a button, while also managing all the behind-the-scenes switching and control.

# SHARING CONTENT WIRELESSLY FROM A TABLET, SMARTPHONE OR LAPTOP



BYOD also means BYOC – Bring Your Own Content. In the AMX Huddle Room, presenting content from a tablet, smartphone or laptop is a snap. Thanks to the MirrorOp® real-time screen mirroring technology integrated into AMX's Enzo® Presentation System, meeting participants can send whatever's on their screen to the room's display with no cables and no hassle.



## KEY HARMAN PRODUCTS



**AMX's Enzo** is a flexible platform for meeting rooms that provides Instant On, Instant Access to Content, Instant Meeting Start and Instant Sharing. Enzo makes it easy to instantly access and share information with others in your meeting.



# COLLABORATING VIA WEB CONFERENCE

Today's workforce is mobile. People meet anywhere, whether they're in the office, at home or on the road. A successful meeting must accommodate remote participants without disruption, which means everybody needs to experience the meeting's audio and video content with absolute clarity. The AMX Huddle Room includes exclusive AMX conferencing technologies that were custom-built to deliver a perfect meeting experience for all participants, whatever their location.



## KEY HARMAN PRODUCTS



The flexible **Enzo** platform doesn't just deliver content – it's also a web conferencing hub. Enzo enables web conferencing without requiring a PC or other expensive video conferencing solution, using popular services such as Skype® and Microsoft Lync® to connect people and share content.



**AMX Sereno™** is a video conferencing camera designed to support conferencing applications in Huddle Rooms and smaller meeting rooms. Sereno provides HD quality video with outstanding voice capture to deliver exceptional conferences.

# REAL-TIME MONITORING, MAINTENANCE & TROUBLESHOOTING



In the recent past, AV systems were physically separated from IT systems, which meant it was impossible to monitor the performance of those AV systems in real time. This led to a lot of frustrated meeting participants when they couldn't get the system to work, or when things went wrong during the meeting.

With today's IP-based AV systems and software like AMX's Resource Management Suite (RMS), IT organizations can reduce service calls and trouble tickets by staying on top of how their AV systems are functioning in real time.



## KEY HARMAN PRODUCTS



**AMX's Resource Management Suite (RMS)** is AMX's Enterprise or cloud-based software solution that allows your AV or IT technicians to centrally monitor for AV technology problems right from your IT support desk and remotely control AV devices in all of your meeting rooms across your organization.

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