New HAL3s

Rane has replaced the HAL3 model with the updated HAL3s. The HAL3s does everything the HAL3 does and more!

• **New analog Mic/Line-Plus input stage** adds support for 2 microphone inputs, with or without 48 V phantom power.
• **Additional RAD port:** one DR port becomes a RAD port. This makes the HAL3s a 6-input, 10-output DSP (the HAL3 was 4 x 8). More audio channels means more applications solved.
• **10 dB quieter:** the dynamic range is improved 10 dB — now with 108 dB dynamic range!
• **Best of all, the new HAL3s has the same price** as the HAL3.

Note that your existing HAL3 software configuration files are not compatible with the new HAL3s. This means system designers should either create brand new HAL3s files to use with the new model, or copy and paste all the HAL3 DSP blocks and wires into a new HAL3s file. Then recreate links, presets or paging management settings. You’ll find HAL3s support in the latest version of Halogen software.

HAL System Description

HAL is more than just another DSP drag-and-drop system. It has revolutionized system design and installation.

HAL is an expert in room combining, paging and distributed audio systems. This groundbreaking architecture is dimensions beyond any solution in any industry. HAL easily guides even novice users through what used to be complex tasks in just minutes. No intricate matrix mixing or presets are required for room combining and paging. No virtual wiring is required to distribute pages and background music to multiple, even hundreds of zones.

Seamlessly interface HAL to your application with web controls and/or a broad variety of peripheral devices including smart Digital Remotes, Remote Audio Devices (RADs), portable or rack automixers, audio I/O and logic expansion devices, wall sensors, ambient sensing mics, small remote amplifiers, and an advanced Paging Station.

In addition, the HAL Multiprocessor and Halogen™ software check the status, location, CAT 5 wiring integrity, and that audio is flowing in all peripheral devices, so you know your system is properly connected and ready to go.

Four HAL multiprocessors provide various audio I/O and control options for both large and small installations.

- HAL1x supports 16 in x 16 out audio, which may be increased up to 528 in x 528 out by adding up to 32 daisy-chained Expanders to a single HAL1x. Add a few to hundreds of more mic inputs with AM Automixers.
- HAL2 supports 18 in x 18 out audio, of which 2 x 2 are via AES3 on XLR connections.
- HAL3s supports 6 in x 10 out audio. The 2 “Mic/Line-Plus” Inputs accept balanced, or unbalanced left/right monoed.
- HAL4 supports 2 in x 2 out audio. The 2 “Mic/Line-Plus” Inputs accept balanced, or unbalanced left/right monoed.

See the “HAL Comparison” on page 2.

Since the same Halogen software code runs on both Windows® and within HAL hardware, third-party control developers can test all their code using only the Halogen Windows software. Use only software for complete system design and validation. Buy the hardware only when the install date arrives. Standard TCP/IP set and get ASCII text messages control levels, selectors, presets and toggle software actions.

Halogen software includes Ethernet control support for third-party control systems. AMX, Crestron and Stardraw Control Support Packages are installed with Halogen software, or available as separate downloads.

Halogen includes support for custom Web Controls using any device with a web browser such as a tablet, smartphone or laptop.

Download Halogen and design a system now! rane.com/hal
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Multiprocessor

HAL Comparison

HAL1x Multiprocessor
• 16 in x 16 out - 8x8 analog & 8x8 digital (RAD ports).
• Up to 4 RADs (without EXP1x), up to 260 RADs (with 32 EXP1s).
• Up to 12 Digital Remotes (without EXPs), up to 268 (with EXPs).
• Four logic inputs, Two relay outputs (more with DR4 or DR5).

EXP1x Remote Audio Expander for HAL1x
• Adds 16 in x 16 out digital (8 more RAD ports) to HAL1x.
• Up to 8 Digital Remotes or RADs in any combination.
• Chain up to 32 EXP1x units to a HAL1x for 512 in x 512 out.

EXP2x Dante Expander for HAL1x
• Enables HAL1x to send / receive 32 channels to Dante devices.
• Supports 44.1, 48, 88.2 or 96 kHz Dante network sample rates.
• Chain up to 16 EXP2x units to a HAL1x for 512 in x 512 out.

EXP3x Zone Output Expander for HAL1x
• Adds 8 analog line outputs and 8 logic outputs to a HAL1x.
• Adds 6 Digital Remote ports & 2 RAD ports to a HAL1x.
• Chain up to 32 EXP3x units to a HAL1x for 256 outputs.

EXP5x Input Expander for HAL1x
• Adds 12 analog mic / line/ line-plus* inputs to a HAL1x.
• Adds 4 Digital Remote ports to a HAL1x.
• Chain up to 32 EXP5x units to a HAL1x for 384 analog outputs.

EXP7x AEC Expander for HAL1x
• Adds 8 channels of Acoustic Echo Cancelling DSP to a HAL1x.
• Chain up to 32 EXP7x units to a HAL1x for 256 AEC channels.

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HAL2 Multiprocessor
• 18 in x 18 out - 8x8 analog & 8x8 digital (RAD ports) & AES3 I/O.
• Up to 8 Digital Remotes.
• Four logic inputs (closure), Two relay outputs.
• Four IR Ports for IR2 Wall Sensors.

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HAL Comparison

HAL3s Multiprocessor
- 6 in x 10 out - 2x6 analog & 4x4 digital (RAD port).
- 2 Mic/Line/Line-Plus Inputs*.
- Up to four Digital Remotes.
- Four logic inputs (contact closure).

HAL4 Multiprocessor
- 2 Mic/Line/Line-Plus Inputs can wire “mic level,” “mic with phantom,” “line level balanced,” or “unbalanced L/R monoed.”
- 2 balanced line outputs.
- One Digital Remote Port.

RAD and DR Cable Lengths

Equipment Rack to Any Ethernet Device
- 100 meters / 300 feet
- 150 meters / 500 feet
- 300 meters / 1000 feet

Rane RAD, PAGER1 or AM unit

DR6 with RPI supply

Other Rane DR Digital Remotes

Latency

- Analog In to Analog Out = 2.39 ms
- RAD In to Analog Out = 1.85 ms
- RAD In to RAD Out = 1.71 ms
- Analog In to RAD Out = 2.25 ms
# HAL3s Specifications

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RADs
The entire family of RAD models interface with HAL, for digital conversion at the wall. Each converts analog audio to and/or from 24-bit, 48 kHz digital audio. Shielded CAT 5e (or better) cable and termination transport four digital audio channels – two channels each direction – as well as power, ground and a communications channel, with status indicators at each RAD, HAL or EXP unit, and in Halogen software. HAL auto-checks the CAT 5 crimp and verifies audio. All RADs (and DRs) are both “location-aware” and hot-swappable with 150 meter (500 feet) homerun connections (66% farther than Ethernet). Light sensors dim the RAD indicators in dark rooms. Except for the RAD16, AM1, AM2, and PAGER1, all RADs mount in standard US electrical boxes. Except for the RAD16, RAD17, RAD24, AM1, AM2, and PAGER1, all other RADs are available in white, ivory, or black, with a matched Decora® plate cover included.

RAD1  Dual XLR Mic Inputs
RAD2  XLR Mic Input / Mini & RCA Mono'ed Line Input
RAD3  Dual XLR Line Inputs
RAD4  Dual XLR Line Outputs
RAD5  AES3 Input / AES3 Output
RAD6  Mini & RCA Stereo Line Input / Stereo Line Output
RAD7  XLR Mic Input / XLR Line Input
RAD8  XLR Mic Input / Mini & RCA Stereo Line Output
RAD9  XLR Mic Input / XLR Line Output
RAD11 XLR Mic In / Mini & RCA Mono'ed Line In / Mini & RCA Stereo Line Out
RAD12 XLR Mic Inputs / Dual XLR Line Outputs
RAD14 XLR Mic In / Mini & RCA Mono'ed Line In / Dual XLR Line Out
RAD15 Dual XLR Line Inputs / Dual XLR Line Outputs
RAD16 Dual Mic-Line Input / Dual Line Output Euroblocks in a Box
RAD17 Omnidirectional Boundary Layer Mic
RAD18 XLR Mic Input / 1/4” Balanced Line Input
RAD23 XLR Line Input / XLR Line Output
RAD24 One-Watt, Plenum-Rated Amplifier
RAD27 USB Audio Sound Card
RADX RAD Port Extension (CAT 5 wall jack for portable RADs)
AM1  Four-Channel Gain-Sharing Automixer with added Line Inputs
AM2  Eight-Channel Gain-Sharing Cascadable Automixer
PAGER1 Mic Preamp with Push-to-Talk and Page Zone Selection

PAGER1  Paging Station
This RAD has a mic preamp, paging zone(s) [Scenario] selector and an integrated push-to-talk switch. It sits on or can fasten to a tabletop, and accepts any gooseneck microphone (not included).
Digital Remotes

Three Digital Remotes simplify end user control and eliminate installer brain fatigue. Use Digital Remotes for volume control, preset recall, source selection, or resetting or toggling system states. All offer customizable backlit LCD screens for intuitive end user labeling. Home run shielded CAT 5e (or better) connections to a HAL or EXP eliminate addressing, external power, and the need to test the cables.

The DR1 supports Level Control.

The DR2 offers Single Selector or List of Toggles/Commands behavior.

The DR3 has three behaviors: Single Level & List of Toggles/Commands, List of Levels for either multizone volume control and/or input source mixing, and Single Level plus Selector.

Control Linking

In Halogen blocks, drag the purple control chain icons atop one another to create links between Levels, Toggles, Selectors, Commands, Digital Remotes, Web Controls and/or 3rd-party controls. The above screen shows linking a DR1 volume onto the Meeting Room Output Level control. Four Control Link types and behaviors are supported: Level, Select, Toggle or Command. Activation and Priorities work together for incredible flexibility. Link simple analog remote level controls, contact closures and IR remote wall sensors by adding a DR4 Logic I/O Expander.
DR4 Logic I/O Expander

The DR4 Digital Remote adds additional logic input and output ports to any HAL, enabling simple analog level and logic I/O controls plus IR2 remotes for wall sensing. The DR4 offers eight logic ins and outs, six IR ports and eight analog input ports for pot-on-a-wall level control. Multiple DR4’s can connect to Digital Remote Ports on any HAL, up to 300 meters (1000 feet) away. See the Logic Inputs, Control Inputs and Logic Outputs on the next page.

DR5 Switch Controller Remote

The DR5 Digital Remote offers additional logic input and output ports, enabling the use of simple analog switch controls in any HAL system. Lighted switch panels for room combine applications are easily integrated into a HAL system using the eight switch inputs and eight LEDs outputs on the DR5. Unlike the HAL and DR4 Logic I/O, the DR5 Logic Out is intended to drive the LED indicator on a room combine panel, and is a writable parameter. The DR5 is designed to fit in a standard US dual-gang electrical box or mount directly near a room combine panel.
NEW! DR6 Touchscreen Remote

The new DR6 is a fully customizable touchscreen remote for the HAL family. It supports multiple pages or tabs and any set of levels, toggles, selectors and/or commands. Drag, drop and resize controls any way that’s desired. Use custom background images and logos in full-color on the 7-inch LCD display.

Screw the included wall-mount bracket over U.S. or international electrical boxes, or flush mount the ¾” thick DR6 with a 2-inch hole in the wall to accommodate the cable. The optional DS1 desk stand accessory (shown) allows the DR6 to mount on a horizontal surface. The optional RB1 rack bracket installs the DR6 in a 19” equipment rack.

The included midspan power injector connects CAT5e (or better) cables between any HAL and the DR6 to deliver communications and the extra power needed for the display.

Optional, on-screen User Access logins secure management pages from public or staff use, and a programmable ambient light sensor automatically dims the backlight.

The Control Page Designer in Halogen 5.0 allows you to create one set of pages and use them in a web control design, DR6 display or both.

The RPI can go anywhere in between.

DS1 Desk Stand Accessory
- All steel, painted white.
- Rubber bottom protects the desktop.
- Kensington security hole.
- Holes in the bottom to fasten to a desktop.
- Larger hole in bottom to thread CAT 5 cable through the desktop.

RB1 Rack Bracket Accessory
- All steel, painted black, 3U rack height.
Halogen Web Controls

Control the Levels, Selectors, Toggles and Commands in any HAL System from any device with a web browser. Halogen 4.0’s Web Controls feature allows creation of custom HTML GUI control screens. Define the quantity of control pages, and the layout, labeling and size of each control, and completely test them using your default web browser from within Halogen.

Access any control page from any browser-enabled device on the network with a HAL device. Just open a browser and type in the customizable IP/webpage address for the HTML page – and bookmark it for easy access. Type in an optional User Access code, and voilà, the trick, she is done! Control your HAL system wirelessly from one or more tablets, smart phones, laptops or desktop computers. The HAL web server is multi-client, allowing control across many devices and many rooms. You can link Rane’s wired DR remote controls (DR1, DR2 & DR3) and wireless devices and they’ll automatically track each other.

Customers from almost every audio application are asking for “iPad control” and Halogen’s Web Controls is the solution. It is not Apple®-centric — no iTunes® store or app installs required. We’ll save a lot of space and ink on this page by not listing all the possible devices that support web browsers and wireless Ethernet. Besides, the list will change before the ink dries.
HAL3s Logic Inputs

These inputs are found on the HAL3s. More can be added with the DR4 or DR5, connectable to any DR port. You can configure each of the Logic Input ports in one of three ways: toggle, command, or selector.

The **Toggle** configuration allows a Toggle command with an on/off switch. You can configure each port type to be either Momentary or Latching.

The **Command** configuration allows triggering a Command control from an on/off switch, which can link to one or more Command controls such as a Command preset or a linkable button in a processing block property dialog.

The **Selector** configuration uses either a multi-position switch or a binary switch. You can connect a physical device to any or all of the Logic In ports and configure the ports in Halogen so they make the desired selection according to the state of the physical device. Wiring details are in the Halogen Software Help. The Selector configuration is not supported by the DR5.

Halogen v5 Processing Blocks

**Dynamics**
- Ambient Noise Compensator (ANC)
- Automatic Gain Control (AGC)
- Compressor
- Ducker
- Expander
- Gate
- Limiter

**Misc. blocks**
- Level
- Delay: simple
- Delay: distance
- Delay: video
- Signal Meter
- Pink Noise: Simple
- Pink Noise: Ramped
- Pink Noise: Swept
- Sine Wave generator
- Voice Detect

**Filters**
- Feedback Suppressor
- Cut Filter
- Shelf Filter: single
- Shelf Filter: multichannel
- Parametric EQ: single
- Parametric EQ: multichannel
- Graphic EQ
- FIR Filter
- Crossover: 2-way mono
- Crossover: 3-way mono
- Crossover: 4-way mono
- Crossover: 2-way stereo
- Crossover: 3-way stereo
- Crossover: 4-way stereo
- Crossover: all-pass
- Crossover: CD horn

**Mixers**
- Mixer: 2 to 80 inputs
- Matrix Mixer
- Gain-sharing Auto Mixer
- Gain-sharing Auto Matrix Mixer

**Selectors**
- Selector: 2 to 80 inputs
- Priority Selector
- Router: 2 to 80 outputs

**Paging and Room Combine**
- Distributed Program Bus
- Paging Station with 2-band PEQ, Compressor, Level
- Paging Zone
- Emergency Page Zone
- Zone Processor with Priority Selector, Level, Paging Zone
Example HAL3s Restaurant / Bar Music and Paging System

The Lounge area has stereo powered speakers on each side of the flatscreen TV.
The Restaurant and restroom audio is mono. A Rane MA4 Amplifier directly drives each of the four speakers.
The source selection for all zones is the DR3 Remote in the Lounge. The DR3 volume only controls Lounge audio.
A DR2 in the restaurant controls the volume for the restaurant and restrooms. An MA4 Amplifier provides four channels @ 100W.
The HAL3s Mic / Line-Plus Inputs are wired unbalanced Left and Right for the cable receiver audio.
A RAD6 provides the stereo input for the internet music service.
A PAGER1 is located at the front desk with scenarios to:
- Page the lounge when a table is ready in the restaurant,
- Page the restaurant when someone is needed at the bar.
- Page the entire restaurant.

The configuration file for this system is available to download at rane.com/hal.

The National Restaurant Association® provides guidelines for radio, TV and streaming music systems with and without music licensing fees.
Example HAL3s Live Music Venue System

Other Applications

- 5-zone stereo music system
- 10-zone mono music system
- 5-zone mono 2-way (biamped) music system
- 2 room combine system with RADs and remotes in each room.

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Example HAL3s Language Classroom System
HAL3s Multiprocessor Architects & Engineers Specification

The digital multiprocessor shall be a 6 in x 10 out configuration having six inputs: two mic or line-level analog on a plug-in barrier strip that can be either +4 dBu balanced or -10 dBV unbalanced with left (+) and right (-) automatically monoed; and two digital remote audio device ports providing up to four digital inputs and four digital outputs; as well as six balanced analog line-level outputs on plug-in barrier strips. Phantom power shall be available for a condenser microphone input. Provisions shall be provided for two digital remotes to control source or preset selection, toggle and/or level control located up to 300 meters (1,000 feet) away. In addition there shall be four contact closure logic inputs on a plug-in barrier strip. The remote audio devices shall provide A/D and/or D/A conversion based on AES3 transport to the wall up to 150 meters (500 feet) from the multiprocessor, as well as units for cascadable automatic microphone mixing up to 64 channels, control logic expansion and wall sensors, ambient sensing mics, small amplifiers, and advanced paging stations. All remote audio devices and digital remotes shall connect via shielded CAT 5e (or better) cable to the multiprocessor. Further, all remote audio devices and digital remote devices shall support portable use and hot swapping so that devices may be replaced without shutting down the system, and do so without any audio interference, and that all settings for new devices are automatically downloaded from the multiprocessor along with the correct firmware. The unit shall connect to a computer using standard Ethernet on an RJ-45 connector. All functions shall be designed, configured and controlled by a software program featuring a graphical user interface that allows managing the global tasks of discovering, connecting to, and applying configurations to the remote digital multiprocessor. The hardware-software combination shall automatically check and display the status, location, CAT 5 crimp and wiring integrity, and that audio is flowing to and/or from all peripheral devices. The hardware multiprocessor and the software each include Ethernet ASCII text over TCP/IP control support for third-party control systems such as AMX, Crestron and Stardraw Control, and shall be capable of creating controls accessible from any web browser. The processor shall have an internal 100-240 VAC, 50/60 Hz power supply. The digital multiprocessor shall be a Rane HAL3s running Rane Halogen software, and using Rane Remote Audio Devices (RADs) and Digital Remotes (DRs).

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