

Datasheet

# noisypeak **redundancy and failover software** (NP-RFS)



## transcoding **hardware**

High density, best quality H.264 and HEVC Live and VOD encoders. Fully redundant for TV platforms.



## cloud transcoding

Cloud Live TV and VOD transcoding. Any format / any container, including HLS, MSS, DASH in H.264 and HEVC.

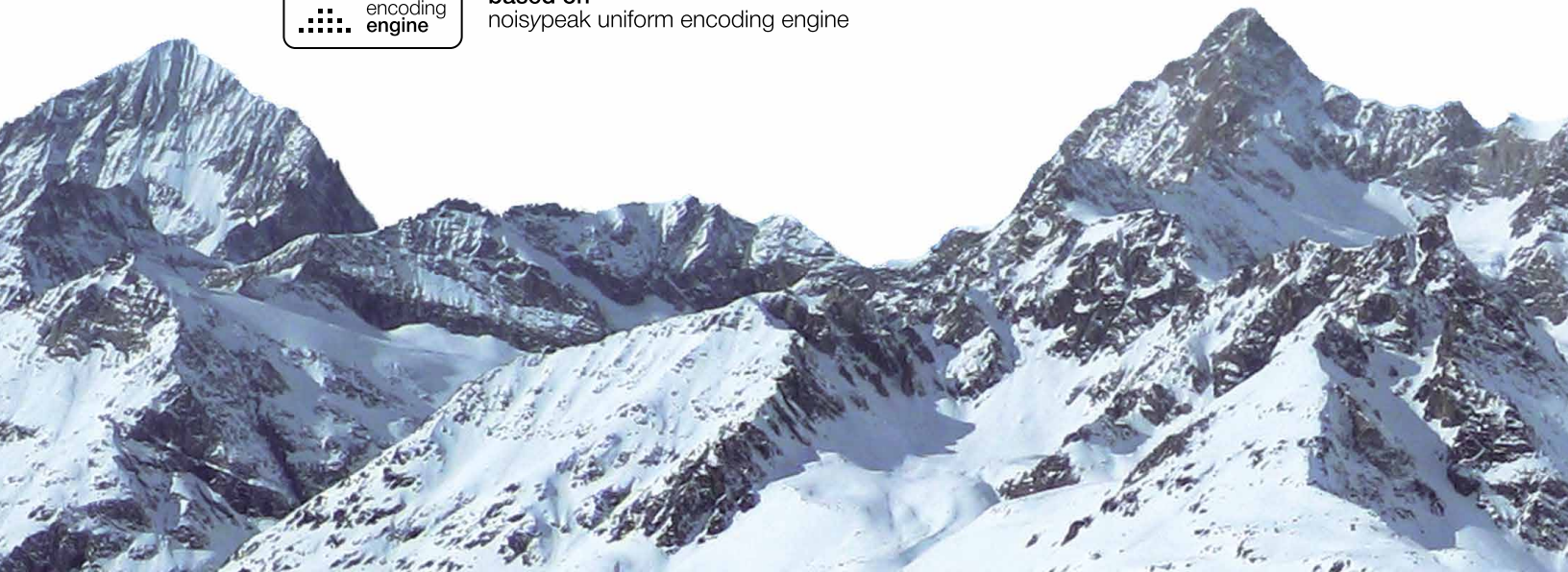


## video **recording**

Live TV video recorder, for Live TV archiving or VOD preparation. Managed by full SOAP/JSON API's to 3rd party systems.



**based on**  
noisypeak uniform encoding engine





## Noisypeak Redundancy and Failover Software (NP-RFS)

NP-RFS is designed to build and run industry grade transcoding solutions. The system supports 1+1, n+1, and n+m configurations to maximize flexibility and number of redundancy scenarios for projects of any size.

### Key characteristics of the solutions:

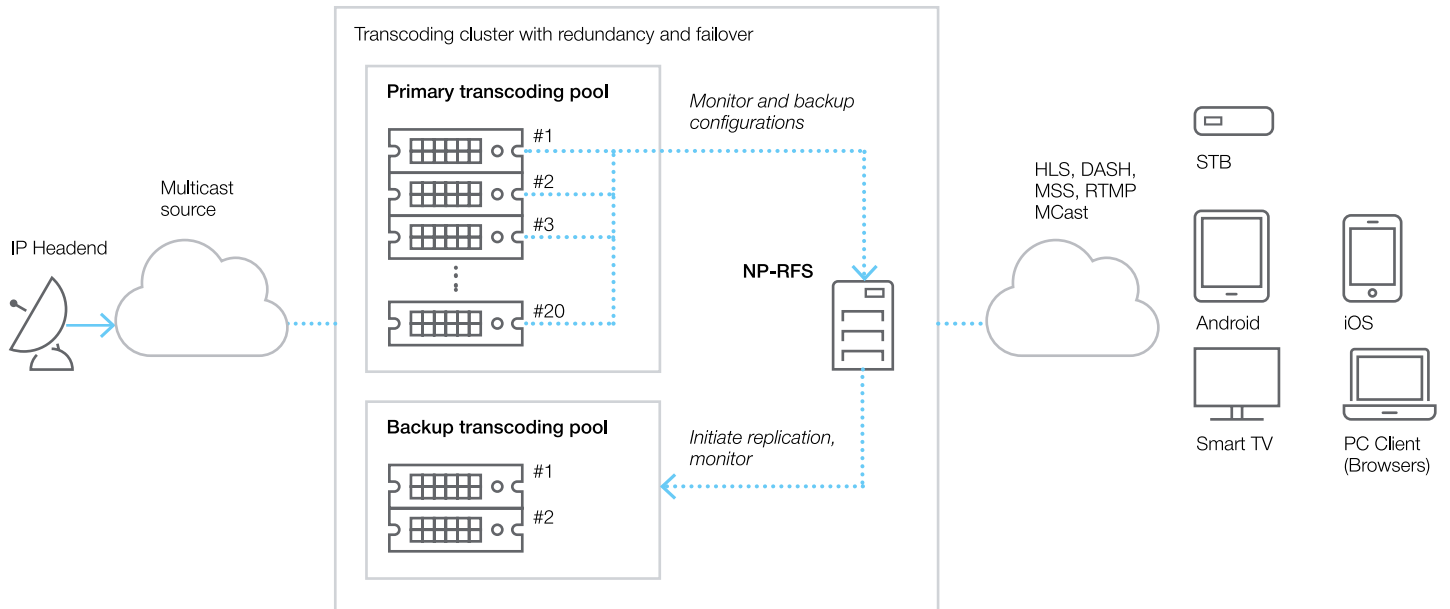
- Works with standard NP rackmount platforms:
  - No modification of firmware/hardware is required
  - Supports NP Cell, NP Cell EX, NP Blade
- Automatically redirects traffic, transcoding, packetizing to standby units
- Automatic or manual management of recovery to primary units as they return back from failure state

Mode of operation	Number of transcoders	Description
<b>1+1</b>	2 transcoders per cluster	Master and Slave mode to switch over in case of Master failure
<b>n+1</b>	3 and more transcoders per cluster where 2+1 is reasonable minimum.	One transcoder is dedicated as Backup, 2 transcoders are active. In case of active transcoder failure all its channels will be moved to Backup
<b>n+m</b>	3 and more transcoders per cluster where 4 + 2 is reasonable minimum.	Two and more transcoders dedicated as Backup. In case of Primary transcoders failure up to “m” transcoders can be replaced automatically.

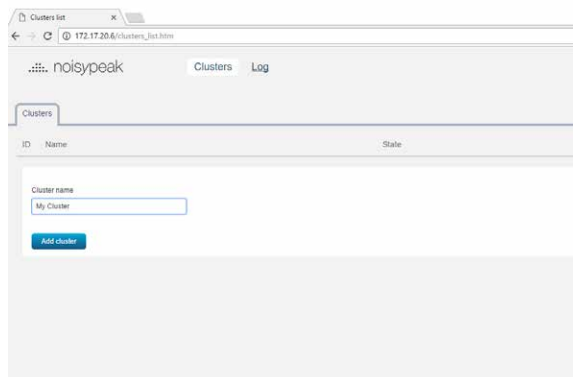
### Description of the solution

- The system operates with the group of transcoders named “clusters”.
- Clusters can contain from 2 to 100 devices.
- Software can create and manage up to 20 clusters per software instance.
- Each transcoder is added with Primary (master) or Backup (slave) function.
- NP-RFS constantly monitor Primary units and replicate configuration of each device into centralized storage
- In case of Master failure NP-RFS selects available Backup and perform switch-over of transcoding function to it.
- Switch-over can be initiated manually (for example to perform hardware maintenance of the Primary transcoder(s)).
- To prevent collision of Primary and Backup simultaneous operations NP-RFS controls enabling of publishing.

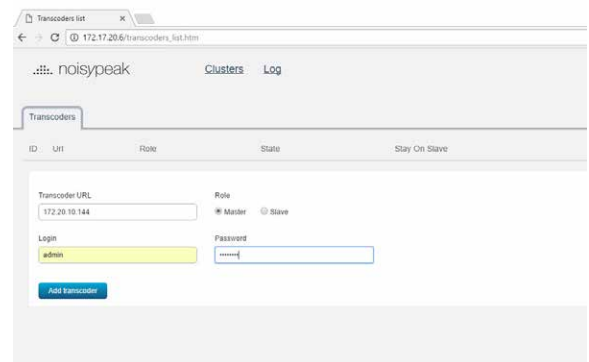
## Transcoding cluster with redundancy and failover



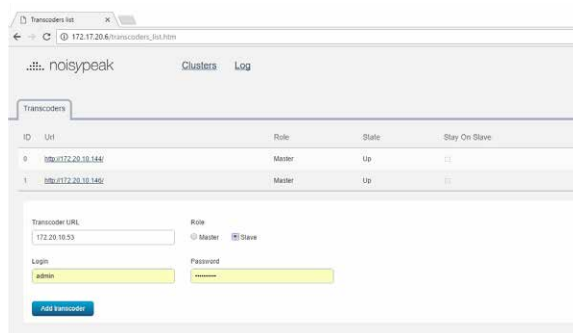
## Noisypeak NP-RFS GUI



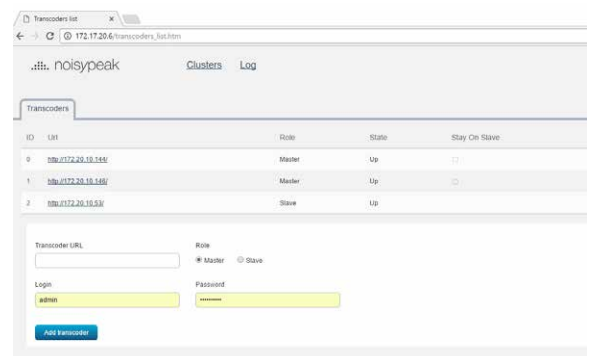
NP-RFS is operating with cluster concept where transcoders are logically grouped (primary and backup).



Transcoders standard credentials are used to gain API based control.



The role of each transcoder is defined "Master" (primary) or "Slave" (backup)



Stay on Slave can be activated to control how the system shall behave in case Master (primary) returns back on-line



# noisypeak feature set

## input

4K HDMI  
RTP/UDP SPTS/MPTS  
TS files- file2live, file2vod  
HLS, HTTP progressive  
12GSDI/HD-SDI, HDMI through Magewell®, Blackmagic® add on modules  
SDP/Onvif for IP security cams  
Dynamic input adjustment for codec and protocols Audio  
AAC/AAC LATM, MP2/3, AC3, EAC3  
RTMP  
SDI  
NDI  
SRT

## output

UDP unicast/multicast SPTS, MBTS/SPTS, MPTS MPEG-DASH Live and VOD  
HLS up to v7 with multi-language support  
SCTE35 detection and pass-through (CUE-In/CUE-Out messages)  
Microsoft® Smooth Streaming  
RTMP (w. Akamai® support)  
TS and MP4 files  
WebDAV or Windows® share (Samba), FTP  
Multi format simultaneous publishing  
DVB PID pass-through  
DVB Burn-in subtitles  
Closed captions - CEA-708, EIA-608, WebVTT  
HLS secondary destination point  
WebDAV authorization  
SCTE35 detection and splicing  
HLS/SPTS streams selection (user can skip some streams)  
Video passthrough  
MPEG DASH timed manifest  
SDI  
NDI

## DRM

Apple® Fairplay  
Nagra® PRM  
Microsoft® Playready  
Verimatrix®  
Google® DRM for MPEG-DASH/CENC  
AES128 static key

## video encoding

Up to 16K video processing  
AV1, HEVC/H.265, AVC/H.264, MPEG2, VP9  
Static Images preview generation  
Logotype, texts string overlays  
Baseline, Main and High profiles  
CABAC/CABVLC  
Picture in Picture up to 4 streams  
Framerates: fixed to source framerate  
Linear time-code generation  
Single input to multi-stream output  
Look ahead buffer  
NAL HRD conformance parameters:  
a. HRD buffer length  
b. HRD initial delay  
GOP structure adjustment:  
a. frame-accurate closed GOP length  
b. B-frames count  
c. re-frames count  
d. IDR interval  
e. Slice count  
h.264 AVCC/Annex B at the input  
h.264 Annex B for multicast/hls output  
h.264 AVCC for RTMP output  
Video post-processing:  
a. Scaling  
b. Cropping  
c. Deinterlacing  
d. Letterboxing

## audio encoding

Support of multi-audio channels MP2/MP3  
AAC-LC up to 512kb/s  
HE-AAC up to 128kb/s  
Gain control  
Advanced sample rate transform  
Audio leveling  
Shoutcast output  
Audio-only transcoding (radio)  
Different audio templates for each output of single channel  
Audio passthrough

## management

Management of up to 50 encoders in uniform Web interface  
Zabbix® integration  
Prometheus/Grafana integration  
SNMP management  
API management

## high-availability

Redundancy management system that support:  
n+1, n+m, 1+1  
Input source redundancy in standard image  
Publishing server redundancy

## typical encoding profiles

4K/UHD (HEVC)		
#	Bitrate	Resolution
1	8000	3840x2160
2	4500	1920x1080
3	2500	1280x720
4	1600	1024x576
5	1100	720x404
6	700	640x360

HD		
#	Bitrate	Resolution
1	6000	1920x1080
2	4500	1280x720
3	2500	1024x576
4	1600	720x404
5	1100	640x360
6	700	480x270

SD		
#	Bitrate	Resolution
1	1600	720x404
2	1100	640x360
3	700	480x270
4	400	312x176



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