

Play an UDP stream with VLC

Application note

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The aim of this document is to explain how to play an UDP stream with VLC software. The DME204 streamer is used as source for the test.

Test configuration

DME204 streamer: Gekkota OS 4.10.14 (Playzilla 4.10.20)

VLC version: 2.2.6 Umbrella

Source: DME204 (UDP streaming)

Install a DME204 streamer as a UDP streaming source

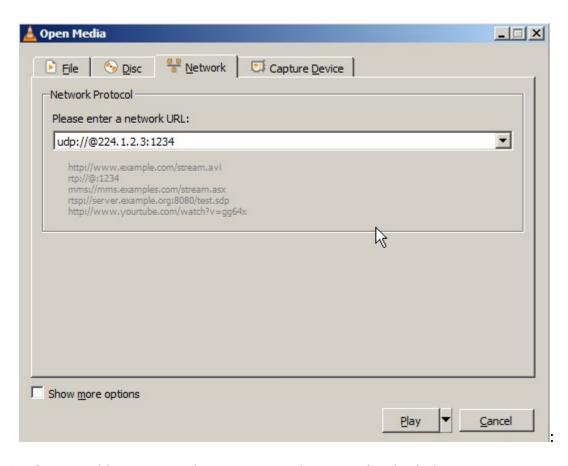
- Publish a content on the DME204 device
- Disable the Test Card
- Check that the device is on time. If not on time, adjust the device Time & Date
- Set the Output > output mode: ETHERNET and set the appropriate IP address and port for the UDP streaming. It is possible to stream either in multicast mode (several devices can play the UDP stream), or in unicast mode (only one device can play the UDP stream)

Destination: Computer with VLC

To play the DME204 UDP stream with VLC, open VLC, and in network tab, enter the URL:

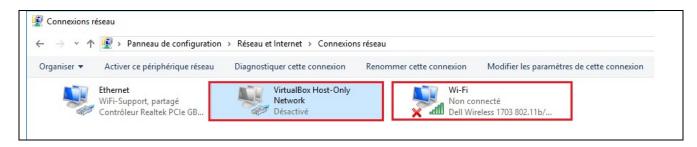
And press Play





In case VLC is facing problem to open the stream in multicast mode, check that your computer is properly configured so that the VLC software can get the UDP stream on the right network interface.

- ⇒ Keep activated by example your Ethernet network interface and
- ⇒ Inactivate all the other network interfaces like WiFi, VirtualBox network interface, ...





Appendix

To get the IP address of your PC, open a MS-DOS command line and type: **ipconfig** then note the IPV4 address of the network interface activated