



- **High-performance, scalable switching**
  - Module throughput of 2 million pps; aggregate system throughput of 10 million pps
  - Module bandwidth of 3.3 Gbps and system bandwidth of 16.5 Gbps
  - Modular VHSIM/HSIM slot for optional high-speed access to backbone technologies such as Gigabit Ethernet, ATM, WAN and more
- **Standards based for system interoperability**
  - Complies with industry standards, including 802.1Q, 802.3x and 802.1p
- **Fully fault tolerant for maximum uptime**
  - Distributed switching architecture increases throughput and switching capacity
  - Full duplex operation for higher throughput and increased distances
  - Complete system redundancy for management, switching, power supplies and environmental control
- **Total enterprise management**
  - GUI-based NetSight offers device and VLAN management
  - Full SNMP and 9 groups of RMON
  - Port mirroring and port trunking support

### Fast Ethernet-Over-Fiber for the Matrix E6 and E7

*Benefit from high-capacity modules with modular uplink slots for connectivity to a high-speed backbone.*

### Increased Capacity for High-Bandwidth Traffic

The Matrix 6H258-17 and 6H259-17 are high-performance, high-capacity Fast Ethernet-over-fiber (100Base-FX) modules for the Matrix E6 (formerly SmartSwitch 6000) and Matrix E7 chassis. These switching modules provide high port densities with 16 100Base-FX ports each (MMF or SMF) as well as a flexible uplink slot for connectivity to high-speed LAN or WAN backbones.

The MT-RJ connector type/standard, designed to make fiber optics easier and more affordable to deploy throughout the enterprise, is fully supported, making this the industry's most cost-effective 100Base-FX switching solution. With the Matrix 6H258-17 and 6H259-17, the ability to deliver fiber-to-the-desktop is a viable option, increasing the capacity for multimedia and other high-bandwidth traffic. Enterasys' fiber solutions also allow customers to ensure data security, achieve greater cabling distances and provide a seamless migration path to future networking technologies.

Designed to meet the connectivity needs of small, medium and large enterprises, the Matrix product family—including the industry-leading Matrix E6 and E7—provides high-density, scalable, multilayer switching to enable all the critical applications an organization needs to thrive in the Internet economy. This includes everything from e-commerce and enterprise resource planning to industry-specific applications such as telemedicine, distance learning, and secured financial transactions—even the day-to-day applications a company requires to do business. With the features customers are looking for—guaranteed QoS, enhanced security, multiple technology support, industry-standard management, and more—Enterasys switching solutions are building the next-generation IT infrastructure to support growing enterprises.

## PHYSICAL SPECIFICATIONS

### Dimensions

46.43 cm (18.28") H x 6.05 cm (2.38") W x 29.51 cm (11.62") D

### Weight

2.25 kg (5 lbs)

### MTBF

> 200,000 hr (predicted)

### Technology

Fast Ethernet

### Port Count

16

### Media Type

MMF/SMF

### Connector Type

MT-RJ

### User Configurable Ports

1 VHSIM slot that accepts HSIMs and VHSIMs

### Management Processor

Intel i960 HD RISC processor

### Switching Engine

Custom ASIC

### Main Memory

20 MB expandable to 32 MB

### Buffer Memory

4 MB

### Flash Memory

8 MB

### Performance Throughput Capacity

2,000,000 pps (measured in 64 byte packets)

### Switching Bandwidth Capacity

3.3 Gbps

### In-Band Management

Supported

### Out-of-Band Management

Via RS-232 COM Port, Telnet

## ENVIRONMENTAL SPECIFICATIONS

### Operating Temperature

+5° to +40°C (41° to 104°F)

### Non-Operating Temperature

-30° to 90°C (-22° to 194°F)

### Operating Humidity

5% to 90% (non-condensing)

### Power Consumption

Voltage Range: 100 to 125 VAC or 200 to 250 VAC

Frequency Range: 50 to 60 Hz

## ORDERING INFORMATION

### 6H258-17

16-port 100Base-FX switch module; 16 MMF ports via MT-RJ connectors and one VHSIM slot

### 6H259-17

16-port 100Base-FX switch module; 16 SMF ports via MT-RJ connectors and one VHSIM slot

### VHSIM-G6

Gigabit Ethernet VHSIM, connectivity provided via hot swappable GPIMs

### HSIM-FE6

Fast Ethernet high-speed interface module with two FEPIM slots (purchase FEPIMs separately)

### VHSIM2-A6DP

45Mbps - 622Mbps ATM VHSIM

### HSIM-F6

FDDI high-speed interface module; supports two FPIMs, both purchased separately.

### HSIM-W84

4-port WAN high-speed interface module; supports four T1 interfaces via four RJ48C interfaces and supports IP/IPX routing

### GPIM-01

Gigabit Ethernet port interface module, 1000BaseSX

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