This Configuration Guide lists the configuration options and accessories for the PTU-D48E Series pan-tilt units (PTU-D48E) manufactured by FLIR Motion Control Systems, Inc. Additional information and instructions for the PTU-D48E are available in the following documents:

- PTU-D48 E Series Datasheet
- PTU-D48 E Series User Manual
- Pan-Tilt Unit (E Series) Command Reference Manual

Model Numbers

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Bracket Mount
S = Top bracket

Slip Ring
S = Standard
C = Continuous pan with slip ring

Wiring
S = None
1 = PL01
2 = PL02
Q = PL17

Available Options

The following configuration and options are available for the PTU-D48E:

- **Bracket Mount**: Payloads can be mounted on the top and/or side. A number of bracket options are available to suit each application. Page 2.

- **Slip Ring**: The PTU-D48E is available with or without a slip ring for continuous 360° panning. Page 3.

- **Wiring**: Different payload pass-through wiring options are available for passing signals through the PTU to the payload. Page 3.

- **Range of Motion**: If needed, you may request special limits. Page 4.

- **Pan-Tilt Controls**: The PTU-D48E can be controlled using an ASCII command set, Ethernet/web connection, Pelco D protocol, external joystick, or binary command set. Page 5.

- **Accessories**: Available accessories include cables, converters, power supplies, and starter kits. Page 6.
Bracket Mount
The PTU-D48E accepts payloads using top or side mounting. Side mounting offers the higher payload rating because it reduces tilt axis torque. The PTU-D48E itself can be mounted in any orientation; however, consideration should be given to gravity and torque effects depending on PTU orientation and payload mounting orientation and balance.

Top Mount
The PTU-D48E comes standard with a top-mount configuration and included top bracket.

Part Number: D48E-SS-__-000-__

Side Mount
In addition to the PTU-D48E with standard top bracket, you may order one or two optional side-mount brackets.

Part Number: D48-BKT-LSTD

- To order a PTU-D48E with one side-mount bracket:
  Order the PTU (D48E-__-__-000-__)
  plus
  one bracket (D48-BKT-LSTD).

- To order a PTU-D48E with two side-mount brackets:
  Order the PTU (D48E-__-__-000-__)
  plus two brackets
  (D48-BKT-LSTD).

You may special order a PTU-D48E without a top bracket. Please contact FLIR Motion Control Systems, Inc. for assistance.
**Slip Ring**
You may order the PTU-D48E with an optional slip ring that allows continuous 360° pan rotation.

**Part Number:**  
- D48E-__S-000-- (no slip ring)  
- D48E-__C-000-- (with slip ring)

**Payload Wiring**
PTU-D48E units equipped with an internal slip ring are available with internal pass-through wiring, which provides a 19-pin MIL-C-26402 female receptacle at the top of the PTU near the payload location to connect video, power, and other signals. (The mating connector is provided to facilitate cable construction if needed.) These signals then pass through the PTU, into the connector at the base of the unit, and the cable harness (if purchased). This option allows you to reduce the amount of external cables and eliminate potential damage to external cables.

- The payload receptacle contains lines for Video 1, Video 2, payload power, and general pass-through lines.
- The base receptacle contains lines for Video 1, Video 2, payload power, general pass-through lines, PTU control (RS-232, RS-485), and PTU power.

**No Pass Through**
The PTU-D48E comes standard with no payload pass-through wiring.

**Part Number:**  
- D48E-__-000--

**PL01 Wiring**
PL01 allows you to route signals to the payload as shown in the table via 10 dedicated conductors. A mating connector for cable construction is included.

**Part Number:**  
- D48E-__-1-000--

**PL02 Wiring**
PL02 allows you to route signals to the payload as shown in the table via 13 dedicated conductors. A mating connector for cable construction is included.

**Part Number:**  
- D48E-__-2-000--

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**PL17 Wiring**

PL17 gives you the maximum number of conductors for signals to be routed from the base of the pan tilt to the payload connector. A mating connector for cable construction is included.

**Part Number:**  D48E-__-Q-000-__

**Range of Motion**

The PTU-D48E has the following standard factory pan and tilt axis limits. Factory limits define the range of motion allowed for an axis when limits are enabled, and that axis cannot travel beyond those limits. You may also order a PTU-D48E with an optional slip ring that allows continuous 360° pan-axis movement (see Page 3).

Note: You may special order a PTU-D48E with custom hard stops installed and/or with custom bracket positioning, factory ranges of motion, etc. Please contact FLIR Motion Control Systems, Inc. for assistance.

**Pan Range Options**

**Part Number:**  D48E-__-__-000-__

**Tilt Range Options**

**Part Number:**  D48E-__-__-000-__

The part number on your PTU-D48E may vary as shown here to reflect any special-ordered custom limits, stops, etc.

Note: A tilt range of +/-90° is available for PTUs with no top bracket installed. Be sure to note this requirement when placing your order to ensure that factory limits are properly configured. This option is not available for PTUs with the standard top bracket installed.
Pan-Tilt Controls
E Series PTUs support serial, Ethernet/web, binary, and joystick control interfaces that provide a wide range of system control architectures. The following options are available:

**ASCII Command Set**
Your PTU can be controlled via either the standard built-in serial port (RS-232 or RS-485) or standard built-in Ethernet port (TCP/IP) using simple ASCII commands. (See the E Series Command Reference Manual.) This can be done using a terminal program or a custom application.

**Ethernet/Web Interface**
Your PTU can be controlled via the standard built-in Ethernet port and web interface. The intuitive interface makes configuration and direct control easy using a mouse and direct text entry.

**Pelco D Protocol**
E Series PTUs with firmware version 3.1.1 and newer support the standard pan/tilt portions of the proprietary Pelco D protocol. Both the web interface and ASCII commands support various Pelco configuration options.

**Software Development Kit (C SDK)**
Your PTU can also accept binary commands using the optional C Language Software Development Kit (PTU-SDK), which is provided as ANSI C Source Code that you can compile into your application on most computing platforms (CPU/OS). The binary command format is recommended for high-performance applications such as tracking.

**Part Number:** PTU-SDK
Gamepad Controller
A USB gamepad controller is available to control a single PTU and up to two VISCA-compatible cameras that are connected to a host computer via a serial connection. The PTU Joystick Control utility is included with E Series PTUs.

**Part Number:**  PT-PSC

Note: Cameras should be connected to the host PC using a dedicated serial connection for each camera.

Rugged Joystick
A rugged joystick (PT-DCJ) is available for direct control of the PTU with no computer required. The PT-DCJ provides proportional joystick control and other inputs via a 25’ connection cable. (Please see the PT-DCJ Datasheet for details.)

**Part Number:**  PT-DCJ (joystick)
PT-DCJ-E-CABLE (25’ DCJ cable)
PTU-CAB-25BO (DCJ BO cable)

Accessories
The following accessories may be ordered for your E Series PTU. These accessories simplify system prototyping and fielding.

Breakout Cables
The breakout cable connects to the 32-pin base connector (MIL-C-26482) on the PTU and terminates to standard connectors for power, serial communication, Ethernet, and payload signals. The terminating connectors are:

- Power (DIN), 2x video (composite), RS-232 (DB-9, female), RS-485 (RJ11), Ethernet (RJ45), and payload pass-through conductors. Available in 25’, 50’, and 100’ lengths.

**Part Number:**  PTU-CAB-E-25BO (25’) or
PTU-CAB-E-50BO (50’) or
PTU-CAB-E-100BO (100’)

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Power Supply
PTU power supply unit. 30VDC output, 110/220VAC input.

Dimensions: 3.44”W x2.01”Hx7.61”L.
Part Number:  PTU-APS-30V-NA (North America) or PTU-APS-30V-EC (Europe)

Note: Input voltages under 30V can reduce the maximum speed of the unit by an amount that is proportional to the voltage difference.

Starter Kit
The PTU starter kit includes one power supply (PTU-AC-APS-30V), one 25’ breakout cable (PTU-AC-CAB-25BO), and one USB to RS-485 adapter cable (PTU-CONV-USB-RS485).
Part Number: PTU-KIT-E-STR-NA (North America) or PTU-KIT-E-STR-EC (Europe)

Note: Input voltages under 30V can reduce the maximum speed of the unit by an amount that is proportional to the voltage difference.

Mating Connector
Mating connector for the 32-pin base (MIL-C-26482) and 19-pin payload (MIL-C-26402) PTU connectors. Use this to make custom PTU and/or payload cables.
Part Number: PTU-CAB1-19PMILC (19-pin payload) or PTU-CAB3-32PMILC (32-pin base)

Note: Each E Series PTU with a wiring option (PL01, PL02, or PL17) includes one (1) 19-pin mating connector (PTU-CAB1-19PMILC).

RS-485 to RS-232 Converter
Bi-directional module that converts signals from RS-232 to RS-485. Includes power supply, coupler, and cable.
Part Number: PTU-CONV-RS485C
USB to RS-485 Adapter Cable
Cable that converts USB to RS-485 serial connections.

**Part Number:** PTU-CONV-USB-RS485

Rugged Joystick and Cable
This rugged joystick allows PTU control without a host computer. Cable ordered separately.

**Part Number:** PT-DCJ (joystick) and
PT-DCJ-E-CABLE (25' DCJ connection cable) or
PTU-CAB-25BO (19-pin breakout cable for DCJ)

E Series PL01/PL02 Adapter Cable
These cables allow you to connect an E series PTU to an existing D series setup without rewiring, except that the Ethernet/web connection will not be available. Make sure to order the correct cable for your wiring setup (PL01 or PL02).

**Part Number:** PTU-CAB-E-AD-PL01 (PL01) or
PTU-CAB-E-AD-PL02 (PL02)