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Posted by [Fred](#) on Tue, 11 Apr 2006 18:22:29 GMT  
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Subject: Re: paris spdif  
Posted by [Deej \[1\]](#) on Thu, 13 Apr 2006 14:49:54 GMT  
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I use 3 x M-Audio digipatch units to route signals to different things. Some of them have coax spdif, some have optical (which will also carry ADAT litepipe) and since each Digipatch unit only has 6 spdif or optical I/O, if

I run out of coax I/O on the unit and I still need to patch a coax device to another coax device that is interfacing with the Digipatch, I can use a coax-to-optical converter to patch this coax device into the Digipatch.....simple, huh?

;o)

"Edna" <edna@texomaonline.com> wrote in message news:443db406@linux...

> What would be the advantage with the optical? Im going to spdif from Emu

> 1212m to Paris. The emu card has coax and optical.

> Thanks, E

> "DJ" <animix\_spam-this-ahole\_@animas.net> wrote in message

> news:443d43c2\$1@linux...

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>> "fred" <fred@reborn.com> wrote in message news:443c012a\$1@linux...

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>>> Any particular brands you would recommend? Saw a number of them on ebay

>> pretty

>>> cheap, but not sure how good they need to be.

>>> Thanks again

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>>> "DJ" <animix\_spam-this-ahole\_@animas.net> wrote:

>>>> coax

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>>>> "Fred" <fred@reborn.com> wrote in message news:443bf3e5\$1@linux...

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>>>>> Is paris spdif coax or optical?

>>>>> TIA

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Subject: Re: paris spdif

Posted by [EK Sound](#) on Thu, 13 Apr 2006 15:18:42 GMT

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Posted by [Tom Bruhl](#) on Thu, 13 Apr 2006 15:25:26 GMT  
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Thanks!  
Tom

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Don

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