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Subject: MEC with 75 ohm termination

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Hi group,

Per this groups opinions and experience, I couldn't decide on a clock or a DAC so I ordered them both. It stings \$\$\$\$ but I should be a happy camper come the weekend.

The Big Ben with a 3' quality cable is on the way and I don't know whether the MEC is un-terminated or terminated. I have the MEC booklet but it doesn't state it. For the time being the I just need one word clock out of the Big Ben to the MEC. If un-terminated, then the Big Ben user's manual says I need to connect a BNC "T" with a 75 ohm termination. If the MEC is correctly terminated, then I can just connect the clock in and fire it up. For now the MEC is the last and only interface in the clock chain and per the BB manual it states that the last item needs to be terminated.

What do you guys and gals know about this? Do I need the "T" and 75 ohm terminator or is the MEC correctly terminated?

Thanks,  
Wayne  
Paris since '97

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