

Tally Input Module (GA13)

If a Tally Input Module is fitted this will have a 9pin Dsub connector fitted to the back panel. This can be configured in several ways to deal with different style tally signals.

The tally input pins do not change.

Pin 1Tally 1 inputPin 2Tally 2 inputPin 3Tally 3 inputPin 4Tally 4 inputPin 5Tally 5 inputPin 6Tally 6 inputPin 7Tally 7 inputPin 8Tally 8 inputPin 9Ground

All 8 inputs have a 47k resistor as pull down/up according to SW1.3 and SW1.4 located on the PCB behind the Dsub connector.

Maximum input voltage 15v DC.

To set input mode and polarity, use switch 4 way DIP switch - SW1.

SW1.1	ON	OFF	Use with latched sources Use with momentary switching
SW1.2	ON	OFF	Normal input state (high = on) Invert input state (low = on)
SW1.3	ON	OFF	Inputs have weak pull down (ground applied) No pull down
SW1.4	ON	OFF	Inputs have weak pull up (volts applied) No pull up

Note: never set SW1.3 and SW1.4 on at the same time.

Examples #1;

When connecting to GPIO ports that pull to ground for active, set

SW1.1 OFF SW1.2 ON SW1.3 OFF SW1.4 ON

Example #2:

When connecting to GPIO ports that apply volts for active, set

SW1.1 OFF SW1.2 OFF SW1.3 ON SW1.4 OFF

Notes;

The inputs are continually scanned and tally commands are only sent with a change of state on the input. Tally states may be changed by other means but GA13 will over-write any individual tally state upon a change of its inputs. Tally inputs cannot be switched off. Input scan is inhibited during startup. No interrogation of head/camera tally state is done.

Testing;

The inputs can be tested by setting GA13 as in Example #1 above and connecting pin9 (GND) to any of the other pins. Connecting to pin 9 should cause the tally for that head to illuminate. Disconnecting will cause the tally to extinguish.