Polycom[®] V500[™] Features and Benefits



	Audio
G.722.1 Annex C (based on Polycom Siren™ 14)	 14 kHz crystal clear, wideband audio, while only using 24-48 Kbps of bandwidth, depending on the data rate of the call Eliminates fatigue associated with straining to hear every word Near CD-quality sound for dynamic audio performance Superb clarity to hear the subtleties of every word Rated the best audio algorithm in the industry; outperforming MPEG4 in all tests Included with every VSX system For more detailed information, see www.polycom.com/siren14
Audio Error Concealment	 Reduced audio drop-out on busy IP or ISDN networks Smooth, consistent verbal communications without interruptions Corrects audio from any system seamlessly Activates automatically, only when needed Video
H.264 Video	 Use less bandwidth to conduct video calls of equal quality compared to calls using the H.263 standard Unparalleled video quality for lower line rate applications More bandwidth is available for other business Cost savings to any organization Supported at data rates from 64Kbps to 768Kbps
Pro-Motion™ H.263 – receive only	 Full-screen, TV-like video quality with fluid, precise motion handling Greater image detail with 50/60 fields per second Most natural video communications experience possible
Video Error Concealment	 Reduced video drop-out on busy IP networks Smooth, continuous video without interruptions Maintain active face-to-face contact Accomplish meeting objectives without worrying about the video integrity Activates automatically, only when needed Content Sharing
People+Content IP	 Simply input the IP address of your V500 into a small utility and PC content is easily shown to all conference participants This feature can be used by anyone in the conference, even voice-only participants!
Adjustable Bandwidth for Content	 Choose the amount of bandwidth to dedicate to Content and People Options include 90% Content/ 10% People; 50% Content/ 50% People; 10% Content/ 90% People User adjustable setting can be accessed both during a call and outside of a call



	User Interface
Calendar & Call Scheduler	 Quick and easy access to a monthly calendar with current date and time posting
	 Schedule individual or repeat meetings to dial automatically Create and save multipoint team meetings
Customizable Home Page	Display only the necessary buttons on the Home Page
	 Unique design to meet your organization's needs
	 Simplified graphical interface for novice users
	 Easy to understand icon driven menu navigation decreases
	learning curve
	 Kiosk Mode allows you to create a look and feel that suits your
	application
	Leads to increased use of video
Dual Monitor Emulation	Use Dual Monitor Emulation for the most efficient use of a
	single display
	View near and far video windows at the same time
	Alternate layout views supporting near end, far end and content
User Selectable Camera Icons	 Use icons that represent your industry Intuitive icons match the input device
	Custom name gives the icon clear meaning
	Selection – 5 libraries to choose from
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	Platform Versatility
Integration with Microsoft® Live	 Integrates directly with Microsoft collaboration infrastructure
Communications Server (LCS) via SIP	 Registers and authenticates with Microsoft LCS 2005
	 VSX users can be added to Microsoft Communicator
	 Presence information sent to LCS indicating video buddies' availability
	You can use your Buddy list to launch calls from the V500 user interface
Simple Plug and Play Installation	Integrated microphone and camera
	Sleek, set top format to use on top of TV or flat panel display
	Headphone jack for privacy
	Personalized graphical user interface makes it easy to use Install using a guides a validable for a pay installation.
	Install wizard guides available for easy installation
	Use any TV grade displays (NTSC/PAL) Use TV speakers for external sudia
IP (H.323 or SIP) or ISDN/IP Models	Use TV speakers for external audio Choose the right configuration for your specific network
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	Supports UPnP and NAT for automatic setup of conferences
	conducted through firewalls
	Wide range of IP QoS services to insure call quality and
	integrity
Advanced Encryption Standard (AES)	Communications are confidential and secure
	 Authentication by the National Institutes of Standards means it's
	credible
	Built-in, no extra hardware required
H.460 NAT/Firewall Traversal	 Standards compliance for traversing NATs and Firewalls
	Session border controller (V2IU) is only needed at the central
	location and all VSX systems with H.460 can communicate
	through the single V2IU
	 Uses H.460.18 for signaling traversal and call establishment and H.460.19 for media traversal
E-Mail dialing format when dialing across	
security boundaries	Operates with Polycom's V2IU™ Firewall Traversal Appliance
•	Deployable to wide range of customers, suppliers and partners

	Interoperability
Part of Polycom's Unified Collaborative Communications	 Remote management through Global Management System™ MGC Click & View™ offers a variety of layout templates for a multi-point call right from the system's handheld remote Extended conferencing with Polycom PathNavigator™ Schedule, invite participants and manage conferences easily with Polycom Conference Suite Use the Polycom SE200 for management, scheduling and gatekeeping
Configurable MTU packet size	 Allows administrators to set the MTU packet size, based on needs of their network Optimizes packet size minimizing overhead and network congestion Default setting is 1260
Standards-based	 Solid, reliable platform Qualified by independent test labs Interoperates with other vendor's systems Easy to install even in a multi-vendor environment
Baseline Mode	 Set your system to baseline mode, H.261 and G.711, for maximum interoperability with legacy video conferencing systems Accessible via web. FTP or on-screen UI for easy access by the network administrator Can be turned on and off as needed

