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# DECndu Plus

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# Preface

This manual explains the following:

- MS-DOS system requirements
- Setting up the DECndu Plus utility for the MS-DOS load host
- Accessing the DECndu Plus help information
- Printing the following documentation:
  - DECndu Plus release notes
  - DECndu Plus error message file
- Updating the network device and the module microcode using DECndu Plus
- Verifying the microcode update

#### **Intended Audience**

This manual is for the system/network manager who is responsible for updating network devices from an MS-DOS-based personal computer.

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# **Conventions Used in This Manual**

Convention	Meaning
lowercase	If a prompt appears in lowercase, type your response in lowercase.
[]	Brackets indicate that the enclosed value is optional. Default values are shown within the brackets. Do not type the brackets.
bold type	Indicates file names, commands, directories, or answers to prompts. In command formats, bold type indicates text that you must enter exactly as shown.
special type	Indicates system output or user input.
Кеу	Indicates a specific key. For example, Return means to press the Return key.
Ctrl/x	Hold down the Ctrl key and simultaneously press the key specified by <i>x</i> .

## **Structure of This Manual**

This manual has seven chapters and two appendixes:

Chapter 1	Provides an overview of DECndu Plus and the update package.
Chapter 2	Describes the MS-DOS system requirements.
Chapter 3	Explains how to set up the DECndu Plus utility on the MS-DOS load host.
Chapter 4	Explains how to update the DECbridge 90 and the DECbridge 90FL microcode.
Chapter 5	Explains how to update the DECbridge 500/600 series microcode.
Chapter 6	Explains how to update the DECconcentrator 500 microcode.
Chapter 7	Explains how to update the DEChub 900 MultiSwitch Hub Manager microcode, DEChub module microcode, and the GIGAswitch module microcode.
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# Overview

The Digital Network Device Upgrade (DECndu) Plus Utility, Version 1.0, updates selected devices and modules that support Remote Bridge Management Software (RBMS), Maintenance Operations Protocol (MOP), Simple Network Management Protocol (SNMP), and Trivial File Transfer Protocol (TFTP). DECndu Plus determines which protocols to use based on the type of address that it receives from the command line. You load the microcode to the network device or the module on the MS-DOS-based personal computer. Then you use the DECndu Plus utility to update the network device or module by downline loading the updated microcode to the device or module.

The update consists of the following procedures:

- 1. Setting up the DECndu Plus utility for the MS-DOS load host.
- 2. Installing the microcode for the network device or the module onto the MS-DOS load host.
- 3. Downline loading the microcode to the network device or module using the DECndu Plus utility.

DECndu Plus supports the following network devices and modules:

- DECbridge 90 and DECbridge 90FL
- DECbridge 500/600 series
- DECconcentrator 500
- DEChub 900 MultiSwitch Hub Manager

- DEChub modules
- GIGAswitch modules

After you set up the DECndu Plus utility on the MS-DOS load host, refer to the appropriate chapter (listed at the end of Chapter 3) to perform the microcode update.

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# **Preparing for the Update**

This chapter lists the requirements for setting up the DECndu Plus utility.

Specific network device and module requirements are listed in the appropriate chapters and in the release notes.

## 2.1 Update Package

Verify that the update package includes the following:

- DECndu Plus for MS-DOS license letter
- Using DECndu Plus (MS-DOS) manual
- DECndu Plus on a 3.5-inch floppy diskette
- Network device microcode or module microcode on a 3.5-inch floppy diskette

# 2.2 System Requirements

Verify that your PC is configured as follows:

- MS-DOS Version 5.0 or higher is installed.
- An Intel 386 or compatible processor is installed.
- 640 kB RAM is available.
- A 3.5-inch high density floppy diskette drive is installed.
- An Ethernet card with an NDIS driver is installed.
- A hard disk is available.
- At least 152 kB of free disk space.

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# Setting Up DECndu Plus on MS-DOS

This chapter explains how to set up DECndu Plus. Refer to Chapter 2 for the system prerequisites.

This chapter also explains the following tasks:

- Accessing DECndu Plus help
- Printing the following documentation:
  - DECndu Plus Version 1.0 release notes
  - DECndu Plus error message file

## 3.1 Setting Up DECndu Plus

The procedure takes from 10 to 20 minutes.

#### NOTE

Digital Equipment Corporation recommends making a backup copy of the floppy diskette and using the backup copy to set up DECndu Plus.

#### 3.1.1 Set Up Procedure

To set up DECndu Plus on the MS-DOS load host, perform the following steps:

- 1. Inset the DECndu Plus floppy diskette into the appropriate drive.
- 2. Copy DECndu Plus onto a bootable floppy diskette.
- 3. Use the bootable floppy diskette.
- 4. Read the DECndu Plus release notes by typing the following and then pressing Return :

type readmedn.txt |more

- 5. Copy the NDIS driver for your ethernet card onto the bootable floppy diskette.
- 6. If you are using the DEPCA card, go to step 7. Otherwise, add the name of the driver that you are using to the **config.sys** file.
- 7. Edit the **protocol.ini** file to include the name of your driver.
- 8. Edit the section of the **sddf.stp** section titled "**DEVICE IP SETTINGS**" as follows:
  - a. Change the IP address labeled "HOSTIP" to your IP address.
  - b. Change the IP address labeled **"ROUTERIP**" to your router's default IP address.
  - c. Change the subnet mask labeled "**SUBNETMASK**" to your network's subnet mask.
- Reboot the system by holding down the Ctrl and Att keys and pressing the Del key.

#### NOTE

If you experience errors, check the **config.sys** and the **protocol.ini** files that you edited for typographical errors.

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# 3.2 DECndu Plus Files

Table 3–1 lists the image files and the text files that you receive with DECndu Plus. It also lists the bytes used for each file.

File Name	Description	Bytes
AUTOEXEC.BAT	Batch file that runs at boot time	84
DECNDUP.EXE	DECndu Plus executable file	49422
CONFIG.SYS	System configuration file	363
SDDF.STP	SNMP script file	14151
IPNDU.TRL	NDU IP application string	882
DECNDU.HLP	DECndu Plus help file	4771
DEPCA.DOS	Digital ethernet card NDIS driver	15577
DLLNDIS.EXE	TSR used by DECndu Plus to interface with the NDIS driver	8915
ERRMSG.TXT	Error message help file	16638
NDU_DEV.DAT	Application strings	1236
NDUMAN.BAT	Batch file for loading a DEChub 900 Multi- Switch Hub Manager	235
NDUMODUL.BAT	Batch file for loading a DEChub 900 mod- ule	316
NDURPTR.BAT	Batch file for loading a DECrepeater	236
NETBIND.EXE	Bind driver to protocol manager	15639
PROTMAN.SYS	NDIS protocol manager	10657
PROTOCOL.INI	NDIS protocol manager initialization file	1313
READMEDN.TXT	DECndu Plus release notes	12482

Table 3–1: DECndu Plus Files

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### 3.3 Printing the Documentation

The DECndu Plus software contains the following ASCII text files, which can be displayed on the screen. Use the MS-DOS print facility to print the ASCII files from the floppy diskette.

- DECndu Plus release notes readmedn.txt
- DECndu Plus error message file errmsg.txt

## 3.4 Accessing DECndu Plus Help

For help on DECndu Plus, type **decndup**/? and press Return. Refer to Example 3–1.

#### Example 3–1: DECndu Plus Help

A:\decndup/? Return	
Name: decndup - updat	tes the software in selected network devices.
Syntax: decndup [opti	ons] target [path] image
Description	The DECndu Plus utility downline loads devices that implement the RBMS and MOP protocols and SNMP and TFTP protocols.
	DECndu Plus also displays device information such as type and firmware version.
* * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * *	*****
NOTE: DECndu Plus is a	case sensitive.
Options:	
/V	Displays the version of the DECndu Plus utility.
/1	Displays a list of devices supported by DECndu Plus.
/s	Shows device information about the target. The target must be entered as a MAC address (08-00-2bxx-xx-xx) or as an IP address (16.21.16.21).
/i	Used only when a MAC/etherent address is used. Displays informational messages during the update.
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/v	Used only when a MAC/etherent address is used. Provides an opportunity to stop the installation procedure. DEcndu Plus prompts you to continue after displaying device information.
/n	Used only when a MAC/etherent address is used. The No management option is used to stop DECndu Plus from using RBMS management protocol requests and to use MOP to execute the update. The /n qualifier is necessary for remote devices which do not support RBMS management protocol.
/p passwword	Specifies the box product RBMS password or the SNMP community string to use when setting the parameters on the target during the update.
/u	Updates the target with the specified image.
/m SlotNumber	Only effective when an IP address is specified. Specifies the slot number in the DEChub 900 MultiSwitch and the GIGAswitch Systems where DECndu Plus operations will effect.
/f DeviceName	Only effective when an IP address is specified. Forces DECndu Plus to go to the section of the SDDF.STP file which matches the device name.
Restrictions	
One or more of the fol operations are perform	lowing options must be used: /s /u /V. Otherwise, no wed.
Examples	
<b>decndup /V</b> Displays tł	ne version of DECndu Plus utility.
<b>decndup /l</b> Displays a	list of devices supported by DECndu Plus:
<b>decndup /s 08-00-2b-14</b> Sends an RF	- <b>14-1C</b> BMS show device request if an MAC address is used.
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#### Example 3–1 (Cont.): DECndu Plus Help

decndup /s 16.21.16.21
 Sends an SNMP get sysDescr if an IP address is used.
decndup /s /f chasdescr /m 5 -s 16.20.217.130
 Sends an SNMP get chasSlotModuleDescr and displays a
 description of slot 5. The IP address should be the IP address

of the DEChub 900 Multiswtich.

- decndup /s /f gigdescr /m 7 -s 16.20.36.100
  Shows GIGAswitch slot 7 status, type, hardware rev, and software
  rev.
- decndup /u 08-00-2B-14-14-1C c:\decndu\defcn220.sys
   Updates a device which supports RBMS and MOP protocols because
   the MAC address is specified as the target.
- decndup /u 08-00-2B-14-14-1C c:\decndu\defcn220.sys
   Updates a device which supports RBMS and MOP protocols because
   the MAC address is specified as the target.
- decndup /u /v /i /p defebpass 08-00-2B-14-14-1C c:\decndu\defcn220.sys
   Updates a remote device with a password, verifies and displays
   informational messages.
- decndup /u /f pcommon 16.21.16.22 c:\firmware\nirep.bin
   Updates a stand alone device which supports SNMP and TFTP
   protocols and supports the DEChub common MIB.
- decndup /u /f hubmanv2 /m 9 /p setcommunity c:\firmware\mamv2.bin
   Updates the DEChub 900 Hub Manager with a community
   string other than public.

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# 3.5 Updating the Microcode

To update the microcode for the network device or the module, refer to the release notes and the appropriate chapter listed below:

- DECbridge 90 and DECbridge 90FL Chapter 4
- DECbridge 500/600 series Chapter 5
- DECconcentrator 500 Chapter 6
- DEChub and GIGAswitch Chapter 7

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# Updating the DECbridge 90 and the DECbridge 90FL Microcode

This chapter explains how to update the DECbridge 90 and the DECbridge 90FL microcode. The update procedure takes from 3 to 5 minutes. Refer to the DECbridge 90 release notes for the correct file names and disk space requirements. Appendix A provides examples of the update procedure.

Refer to Example 3–1 for a description of the DECndu Plus command qualifiers.

#### NOTES

Ensure that you meet the preinstallation requirements in Chapter 2 and that DECndu Plus Version 1.0 is set up correctly on a bootable floppy diskette.

The update procedure applies to both the DECbridge 90 and the DECbridge 90FL units.

#### 4.1 DECbridge 90 Requirements

Before you update the DECbridge 90 microcode, perform the following four steps:

- 1. Read the release notes.
- 2. Record the DECbridge 90 file name from the DECbridge 90 release notes.
- 3. Verify and record the DECbridge 90 hardware address, which is located on the bezel.

4. Change the password to eight or fewer characters. Refer to the *DECbridge 90 Owner's Manual* and the *DECbridge 90FL Owner's Manual*.

## 4.2 Updating the DECbridge 90 Microcode on MS-DOS

For help on DECndu Plus, type decndup/? at the prompt and press Return .

#### 4.2.1 DECbridge 90 Update Files

Refer to the DECbridge 90 release notes for the file names and a description of the files that you receive with the update.

#### 4.2.2 Update Procedure

#### NOTES

You must use the /n (NO MANAGEMENT) qualifier to update the DECbridge 90 and the DECbridge 90FL microcode.

The examples in this chapter use bridge\_1 for the password, dewgbnnn.sys for the device file name version number, and 08-00-2b-11-22-33 for the hardware address.

To update the the DECbridge 90 microcode, perform the following seven steps:

- 1. Insert the DECbridge 90 floppy diskette into the appropriate drive.
- 2. Copy the update files, to your hard disk, by typing the following and then pressing Return :

copy a:\*.\*

- 3. Print and read the DECbridge 90 release notes.
- 4. Remove the DECbridge 90 floppy diskette.
- 5. Insert the DECndu Plus boot floppy diskette. DECndu Plus must be run from drive A.

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Reboot the system by holding down the Ctrl and Att keys and pressing the Del key.

#### NOTE

If you experience errors, check the **config.sys** and the **protocol.ini** files that you edited for typographical errors.

7. Start the update procedure, from the A drive, by typing the following and pressing Return:

#### If the DECbridge unit does not have a password, type:

decndup /u /n 08-00-2b-11-22-33 c:\decndu\dewgbnnn.sys

#### If the DECbridge unit has a password, type:

decndup /u /n /p bridge\_1 08-00-2b-11-22-33 c:\decndu\dewgbnnn.sys

#### NOTE

The DECbridge unit resets during the software downline load and shuts down for approximately 2 minutes.

#### 4.2.3 Update Verification Procedure

If the firmware version supports the RBMS protocol, you can verify the update by typing the /s command and the hardware address as follows and pressing Return:

decndup /s 08-00-2B-11-22-33

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# Updating the DECbridge 500/600 Series Microcode

This chapter explains how to update the DECbridge 500/600 series microcode. The update procedure takes from 3 to 5 minutes. Refer to the DECbridge 500/600 series release notes for the correct file names and disk space requirements. Appendix A provides examples of the update procedure.

Refer to Example 3–1 for a description of the DECndu Plus command qualifiers.

#### NOTE

Ensure that you meet the preinstallation requirements in Chapter 2 and that DECndu Plus Version 1.0 is set up correctly on a bootable floppy diskette.

#### 5.1 DECbridge 500/600 Series Requirements

Before you update the DECbridge 500/600 series microcode, perform the following four steps:

- 1. Read the release notes.
- 2. Record the DECbridge 500/600 series file name from the DECbridge 500/600 series release notes.
- 3. Verify and record the DECbridge 500/600 series hardware address, which is located on the AP board.

4. Ensure that the configuration switches 3, 4, 5, and 6 are enabled (ON). Refer to the *DECbridge 500/600 Series Installation and Upgrade* manual for more information about the switches.

#### NOTE

When the AP board reset-to-defaults switch is set to ON (down position), the password and other settings are lost. Previous settings are also lost if the firmware's nonvolatile settings are changed. Refer to the DECbridge 500/600 series release notes for more information.

### 5.2 Updating the DECbridge 500/600 Series Microcode on MS-DOS

For help on DECndu Plus, type decndup/? at the prompt and press Return .

#### 5.2.1 DECbridge 500/600 Series Update Files

Refer to the DECbridge 500/600 series release notes for the file names and a description of the files that you receive with the update.

#### 5.2.2 Update Procedure

#### NOTE

The examples in this chapter use fddi\_mdt for the password, 08-00-2b-11-22-33 for the hardware address, and defeb\_5xx\_nnn.sys for the file name.

To update the DECbridge 500/600 series microcode, perform the following seven steps:

- 1. Insert the DECbridge 500/600 series floppy diskette into the appropriate drive.
- 2. Copy the update files onto your hard disk by typing the following and then pressing Return :

copy a:\*.\*

- 3. Print and read the release notes.
- 4. Remove the DECbridge 500/600 series floppy diskette.

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- 5. Insert the DECndu Plus boot floppy diskette. DECndu Plus must be run from drive A.
- Reboot the system by holding down the Ctrl and Att keys and pressing the Del key.

#### NOTE

If you experience errors, check the **config.sys** and the **protocol.ini** files that you edited for typographical errors.

7. Start the update procedure, from the A drive, by typing the following and press Return:

If the DECbridge unit does not have a password, type:

decndup /u /v /i 08-00-2B-11-22-33 c:\decndu\defeb\_5xx\_nnn.sys

If the DECbridge unit has a password, type:

decndup /u /v /i /p fddi\_mdt 08-00-2b-11-22-33 c:\decndu\defeb\_5xx\_nnn.sys

#### NOTE

The DECbridge unit resets during the software downline load and shuts down for approximately 2 minutes.

#### 5.2.3 Update Verification Procedure

To verify the device and firmware version, enter the /s command and the hardware address by typing the following and pressing Return :

decndup /s 08-00-2B-11-22-33

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# Updating the DECconcentrator 500 Microcode

This chapter explains how to update the DECconcentrator 500 microcode. The update procedure takes from 3 to 5 minutes. Refer to the DECconcentrator 500 release notes for the correct file names and disk space requirements. Appendix A provides examples of the update procedure.

Refer to Example 3–1 for the descriptions of the DECndu Plus command qualifiers.

#### NOTE

Ensure that you meet the preinstallation requirements in Chapter 2 and that DECndu Plus Version 1.0 is set up correctly on a bootable floppy diskette.

#### 6.1 DECconcentrator 500 Requirements

Before you update the DECconcentrator 500 microcode, perform the following four steps:

- 1. Read the release notes.
- 2. Record the DECconcentrator 500 file name from the DECconcentrator 500 release notes.
- 3. Verify and record the DECconcentrator 500 hardware address, which is located on the Network Management Card.

4. Ensure that the network management write access enable switch is enabled (ON). Refer to the DECconcentrator 500 option card installation manuals for more information about the switches.

#### NOTE

When the Network Management Card reset-todefaults switch is set to ON (down position), the password and other settings are lost. Previous settings are also lost if the firmware's nonvolatile settings are changed. Refer to the DECconcentrator 500 release notes for more information.

# 6.2 Updating the DECconcentrator 500 Microcode on MS-DOS

For help on DECndu Plus, type decndup/? at the prompt and press Return .

#### 6.2.1 DECconcentrator 500 Update files

Refer to the DEC concentrator 500 release notes for the file names and a description of the files that you receive with the update.

#### 6.2.2 Update Procedure

#### NOTE

The examples in this chapter use fddi\_mdt for the password, 08-00-2b-11-22-33 for the hardware address, and defcnnnn.sys for the file name.

To update the DECconcentrator 500 microcode, perform the following seven steps:

- 1. Insert the DECconcentrator 500 floppy diskette into the appropriate drive.
- 2. Copy the update files onto your hard disk by typing the following and then pressing Return :

copy a:\*.\*

- 3. Print and read the DECconcentrator 500 release notes.
- 4. Remove the DECconcentrator 500 floppy diskette.

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- 5. Insert the DECndu Plus boot floppy diskette. DECndu Plus must be run from drive A.
- Reboot the system by holding down the Ctrl and Att keys and pressing the Del key.

#### NOTE

If you experience errors, check the **config.sys** and the **protocol.ini** files that you edited for typographical errors.

7. Start the update procedure, from the A drive, by typing the following and pressing Return:

If the DECconcentrator unit does not have a password type:

decndup /u /v /i 08-00-2b-11-22-33 c:\decndu\defcnnnn.sys

If the DECconcentrator unit has a password, type:

decndup /u /v /i /p fddi\_mdt 08-00-2b-11-22-33 c:\decndu\defcnnnn.sys

#### NOTE

The DECconcentrator unit resets during the software downline load and shuts down for approximately 2 minutes.

#### 6.2.3 Update Verification Procedure

To verify the device and firmware version, enter the /s command and the hardware address as follows and press Return:

```
decndup /s 08-00-2B-11-22-33
```

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# Updating the DEChub and GIGAswitch Module Microcode

This chapter explains how to update the DEChub 900 Hub Manager, DEChub modules, and the GIGAswitch module microcode. The microcode update takes from 3 to 5 minutes. Refer to the release notes for update preinstallation requirements, correct file names, and disk space requirements. Appendix A provides examples of the update procedure.

Refer to Example 3–1 for the descriptions of the DECndu Plus command qualifiers.

#### NOTE

Ensure that you meet the installation requirements in Chapter 2 and that DECndu Version 1.0 is set up correctly on a bootable floppy diskette.

#### 7.1 Requirements

Before you update the microcode, perform the following steps:

- 1. Read the release notes.
- 2. Record the file name from the release notes.
- 3. Verify and record the IP address.

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#### 7.2 Updating the Microcode on MS-DOS

For help on DECndu Plus, type decndup/? at the prompt and press Return .

#### 7.2.1 DEChub Hub Manager, DEChub Module and GIGAswitch Module Update Files

Refer to the release notes for the file names and a description of the files that you receive with the update.

#### 7.2.2 Update Procedure

#### NOTE

The update procedure uses mam.bin, module.bin, and nirep.bin, for the file names and version numbers. Refer to the module release notes for the current file name and version number.

To update the microcode perform the following seven steps:

- 1. Insert the floppy diskette into the load host floppy diskette drive A.
- 2. Copy the update files, to your hard disk, by typing the following and then pressing Return :

copy a:\*.\*

- 3. Print and read the release notes.
- 4. Remove the network device or module microcode floppy diskette.
- 5. Insert the DECndu Plus boot floppy diskette. DECndu Plus must be run from drive A.
- Reboot the system by holding down the Ctrl and Att keys and pressing the Del key.

#### NOTE

If you experience errors, check the **config.sys** and the **protocol.ini** files that you edited for typographical errors.

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7. Refer to the command line for the network device or the module that you are updating (specify the full pathname of the microcode) and press Return :

#### NOTE

Substitute the file name, drive, module slot number, and the IP address as appropriate to your network configuration.

For the DEChub 900 MultiSwitch Hub Manager, type the following:

decndup /u /f hubmanv2 /m 9 16.21.16.22 c:\firmware\mam.bin

For the DEChub module (installed in slot 5, with a community string default to public), type the following:

decndup /u /f hubmodule /m 5 16.20.16.13 c:\firmware\module.bin

For the DEChub 900TM 32 Port Repeater, or a standalone module which supports SNMP and TFTP protocols and supports the DEChub common MIB, type the following:

decndup /u /f pcommon 16.21.16.21 c:\firmware\repb1111.bin

For the GIGAs witch module (slot 4 with a community string of "08002bc00100"), type the following:

decndup /u /m 11 /p 08002bc00100 16.21.37.100 c:\firmware\fglop043.rsx

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#### 7.2.3 Update Verification Procedure

To show device information, verify the device and firmware version, refer to the correct command line (include the IP address, and slot number if applicable), and press Return :

For the DEChub 900 MultiSwitch Hub Manager and standalone modules type the following:

decndup /s 16.20.40.64

For the DEChub module (installed in slot 5, with a community string default to public), type the following:

decndup /s /f chasdescr /m 5 16.20.16.13

For the DEChub 900TM 32 Port Repeater, or a standalone module which supports SNMP and TFTP protocols and supports the DEChub common MIB, type the following:

decndup /s 16.21.16.21

For the GIGAs witch module (slot 4, with a community string of "08002bc00100"), type the following:

decndup /s /f gigdescr /m 11 16.21.37.100

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# **Examples**

Α

This appendix provides examples of the microcode update and verification procedures. Your command line will differ from those shown in the examples, depending on the qualifiers and device that you are updating. Refer to the following list for examples of the procedures for the microcode that you are updating:

- Example A–1 and Example A–2 DECbridge 90
- Example A–3 and Example A–4 DECbridge 500/600 series
- Example A–5 and Example A–6 DECconcentrator 500
- Example A–7 and Example A–8 DEChub 900 MultiSwitch Hub Manager
- Example A–9 and Example A–10 DEChub module
- Example A–11 and Example A–12 DEChub module 900TM 32 Port Repeater or a standalone module
- Example A–13 and Example A–14 GIGAswitch module

# Example A-1: DECbridge 90 Microcode Update

A:\> decndup /u /n /p Return	bridge_1 08-00-2b-11-22-33 c:\decndu\dewgbnnn.sys
(c) Digital Equipment	Corporation. 1993. All Rights Reserved.
Block 278	Byte_offset 42736
A:\>	

### Example A-2: DECbridge 90 Microcode Update Verification

A:\> decndup /s 08-00-2B-11-22-33 Return				
(C) Digital Equipment	Corporation. 1993. All Rights Reserved.			
Name Firmware Rev A:\>	DEWGB Vn.n			

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#### Example A-3: DECbridge 500/600 Series Microcode Update

A:\> decndup /u /v /i 08-00-2b-11-22-33 c:\decndu\defeb\_5xx\_nnn.sys Return (c) Digital Equipment Corporation. 1993. All Rights Reserved. DECnduPlus: Sending RBMS read device message DECnduPlus: Target is a DEFEB version n.n Do you want to continue? (y/n) y Return DECnduPlus: Setting RBMS DLU switch to TRUE DECndu: Beginning MOP downline load Block 278 Byte\_offset 42736 DECnduPlus: MOP downline load completed DECndu: Waiting for device to come back on-line <119> DECnduPlus: Sending RBMS read device message DECnduPlus: Device back on-line DECnduPlus: Target is a DEFEB version n.n DECnduPlus: Setting RBMS DLU switch to FALSE A:\>

#### Example A-4: DECbridge 500/600 Series Microcode Update Verification

A:\> decndup /s 08-00-2B-11-22-33 Return (C) Digital Equipment Corporation. 1993. All Rights Reserved. Name DEFEB Firmware Rev Vn.n A:\>

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#### Example A–5: DECconcentrator 500 Microcode Update

```
A:\> decndup /u /v /i 08-00-2b-11-22-33 c:\decndu\defcnnnn.sys Return
(c) Digital Equipment Corporation. 1993. All Rights Reserved.
DECnduPlus: Sending RBMS read device message
DECnduPlus: Target Device is a DEFCN Version n.n
Do you want to continue? (y/n) y Return
DECnduPlus: Setting RBMS DLU switch to TRUE
DECnduPlus: Beginning MOP downline load
Block 278
                      Byte_offset 42736
DECnduPlus: MOP downline load completed
DECnduPlus: Waiting for device to come back on-line
<119>
DECnduPlus: Sending RBMS read device message
DECnduPlus: Device back on-line
DECnduPlus: Target is a DEFCN Version n.n
DECnduPlus: Setting RBMS DLU switch to FALSE
A: \setminus >
```

#### Example A–6: DECconcentrator 500 Microcode Update Verification

A:\> decndup /s 08-00-2B-11-22-33 Return (c) Digital Equipment Corporation. 1993. All Rights Reserved. Name DEFCN Firmware Rev Vn.n A:\>

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#### Example A–7: DEChub 900 MultiSwitch Hub Manager Microcode Update

```
A:\> decndup /u /f hubmanv2 /m 9 16.20.16.22 c:\firmware\mam.bin Return
(C) Digital Equipment Corporation. 1993. All Rights Reserved.
[HUBMANV2] Getting sysDescr
  Hub900MultiSwitch, DEChub 900 MultiSwitch, HW=E,RO=V1.1.6,SW=T2.0.22.2
[HUBMANV2] Setting (ChasLoadEntryStatus) to CreateRequest (2)
[HUBMANV2] Set load host IP address (ChasLoadIpHostAddr)
 16.20.216.200
[HUBMANV2] Setting load filename
 man.bin
[HUBMANV2] Setting ChasLoadEntryStatus) Valid (1)
[HUBMANV2] Setting (ChasLoadAdminStatus) Start-write (2)
[HUBMANV2] STARTING TFTP SERVER
BLOCKNo = 769
                    BYTES = 393216
[HUBMANV2] TFTP DOWNLOAD COMPLETED
DECnduPlus: SUCCESS
\mathbb{A:} \setminus >
```

#### Example A–8: DEChub 900 MultiSwitch Hub Manager Microcode Update Verification

A:\> decndup /s 9 16.20.16.22 Return
(C) Digital Equipment Corporation. 1993. All Rights Reserved.
[SYSDESCR] Getting Device INFO (sysDescr)
Hub900MultiSwitch, DEChub 900 MultiSwitch, HW=E,RO=V1.1.6,SW=T2.0.22.2
DECnduPlus: SUCCESS
A:\>

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#### Example A–9: DEChub Module (installed in slot 5) Microcode Update

```
A:\> decndup /u /f hubmodule /m 5 16.20.16.13 c:\firmware\module.bin Return
(C) Digital Equipment Corporation. 1993. All Rights Reserved.
[HUBMODULE] Getting Device chassis module info (ChasSlotModuleDescr)
   DECrepeater 900TL, Token Ring In/Ring Out Rptr, HW=0.3, RP=0.F, SW=1.1
[HUBMODULE] Set load host IP address (ChasLoadIpHostAddr)
   16.20.36.30
[HUBMODULE] Setting load filename
  c:\firmware\module.bin
[HUBMODULE] Setting (ChasLoadEntryStatus) Valid (1)
[HUBMODULE] Setting (ChasLoadAdminStatus) Start-write (3)
[HUBMODULE] STARTING TFTP SERVER
BLOCKNo = 9
                      BYTES = 4464
[HUBMODULE] TFTP DOWNLOAD COMPLETED or TIMED OUT
[HUBMODULE] Polling for chasLoadOperStatus
2- SUCCESS
[HUBMODULE] Getting Device specific load status
 1
DECnduPlus: SUCCESS
A:\>
```

#### Example A–10: DEChub Module (installed in Slot 5) Microcode Update Verification

A:\> decndup /s /f chasdescr /m 5 16.20.16.13 Return
(C) Digital Equipment Corporation. 1993. All Rights Reserved.
[CHASDESCR] Getting Device chassis module info (ChasSlotModuleDescr)
DECrepeater 900TL, Token Ring In/Ring Out Rptr,HW=0.3,RP=0.F,SW=1.1
DECnduPlus: SUCCESS
A:\>

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# Example A–11: DEChub 900TM 32 Port DECrepeater, or a Standalone (which supports SNMP and TFTP protocols and the DEChub common MIB) Microcode Update

A:\>decndup /u /f pcommon 16.21.16.21 c:\firmware\repb1111.bin Return (C) Digital Equipment Corporation. 1993. All Rights Reserved. DECrepeater 900TM 32 Port TP Etherent Rptr SNMP,HW=v0,RO=v0,SW=v0.0b1.11.1 [DECrepeater 900] Setting server IP address (pcomLoadIpHostAddr). [DECrepeater 900] Getting Server IP Address 16.20.36.30 [DECrepeater 900] Setting filename (pcomLoadFilename). [DECrepeater 900] Get filename. c:repb1111.bin [DECrepeater 900] Setting AdminStatus/trigger (pcomLoadAdminStatus) [DECrepeater 900] TFTP server BLOCKNO = 810 BYTES = 415232 [DECrepeater 900] TFTP server completed. [DECrepeater 900] Polling for sysDescr <9> <9> < 9> <9> < 9> [DECrepeater 900] Getting sysDescr DECrepeater 900TM 32 Port TP Ethernet Rptr SNMP,HW=v0,RO=v0,SW=v0.0b1.11.1 DECnduPlus - SUCCESS

# Example A–12: DEChub 900TM 32 Port DECrepeater, or a Standalone (which supports SNMP and TFTP protocols and the DEChub common MIB) Microcode Update Verification

A:\> decndup /s 16.21.16.21 Return
(C) Digital Equipment Corporation. 1993. All Rights Reserved.
[SYSDESCR] Getting Device INFO (sysDescr)
DECrepeater 900TM 32 Port TP Etherent Rptr SNMP,HW=v0,RO=v0,SW=v0.0b1.11.1
DECnduPlus: SUCCESS
A:\>

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#### Example A–13: GIGAswitch Module (slot 11, with a community string of "08002bc00100") Microcode Update

A:\> decndup /u /m 11 /p 08002bc00100 16.21.37.100 c:\firmware\fglop043.rsx Return (C) Digital Equipment Corporation. 1993. All Rights Reserved. GIGASwitch Network Platform [GIGAswitch] Getting TFTP Server IP Address. 16.20.36.30 [GIGAswitch] Setting TFTP Server IP Address. [GIGAswitch] Getting TFTP Server IP Address. 16.20.36.30 [GIGAswitch] Getting firmware image file name. fglop043.rsx [GIGAswitch] Setting firmware image file name. fglop043.rsx [GIGAswitch] Getting firmware image file name. fglop043.rsx [GIGAswitch] Triggering image file transfer. [GIGAswitch] Starting TFTP Server BLOCKNo = 419 BYTES = 214017 [GIGAswitch] Polling for file transfer completion. 3 - IN\_PROGRESS <4> 5 - SUCCESS [GIGAswitch] Getting slot number. 11 [GIGAswitch] Setting slot number. 11 [GIGAswitch] Getting copyType. 3 - FGL-2 [GIGAswitch] Triggering flash update. [GIGAswitch] Polling for load completion. 3 - IN\_PROGRESS <4> 3 - IN\_PROGRESS <4> 3 - IN\_PROGRESS <4> 5 - SUCCESS DECnduPlus: SUCCESS

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#### Example A–14: GIGAswitch Module (slot 11, with a community string of "08002bc00100") Microcode Update Verification

A:\> decndup /s /f gigdescr /m 11 16.21.37.100
(C) Digital Equipment Corporation. 1993. All Rights Reserved.
[GIGDESCR] Getting GIGAswitch module Status.
3 - POWERUP
[GIGDESCR] Getting GIGAswitch module Type.
2 - FGL
[GIGDESCR] Getting GIGAswitch module Hardware Rev.
B
[GIGDESCR] Getting GIGAswitch module Firmware Rev.
0.43
DECnduPlus: SUCCESS

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