

Ludicrous Mode

Ultra-Fast Parallel Processing for File-Based VOD Workflows

Encoding.com's Ludicrous Mode lets you transform long-form HD and UHD video into multi-bitrate streams in a fraction of real time. The ultra-fast solution significantly improves workflow efficiency by splitting large source video files into small chunks, and then performing all of the transcoding and packaging in parallel before stitching the chunks back together again.

Though processing times will vary based on the variables of your specific project, a 245-minute, 25-Mbps HD AVC/MPEG-TS source asset can be transcoded and packaged in Ludicrous Mode in just 23 minutes. With standard processing that same asset might take 105 minutes.

Ideal for high-volume file-based video processing tasks of high-resolution formats, including 4K, 8K and HDR, chunk-based encoding is the default workflow technology for leading media companies like Netflix, Vimeo and Facebook.

Encoding.com's process stands apart from similar offerings in its ability to split and stitch content at scale in public or private clouds. Ludicrous Mode works by breaking source video into 10-minute segments and distributing each segment to an individual compute instance, assuring fast, efficient processing of each chunk. After transcoding and packaging, the chunks are re-assembled and validated in QC prior to distribution.

In addition to ultra-fast processing times, Ludicrous Mode provides the highest level of resiliency. If a compute instance fails during processing, we can restart only that segment instead of the entire source asset.

Ludicrous Mode supports MP4-, TS- or CMAF-compliant fmp4 HLS or MPEG-DASH outputs, including workflows that include encryption, DRM and DAI. The default chunk size is 600 seconds; however, this length is adjustable to meet your specific workflow performance goals.



Process HD content at speeds up to 20% of real time and UHD up to 30% of real time



Automate the transcoding, packaging and QC of VOD content at scale in private and public clouds



Distribute HLS, DASH and fmp4 output formats



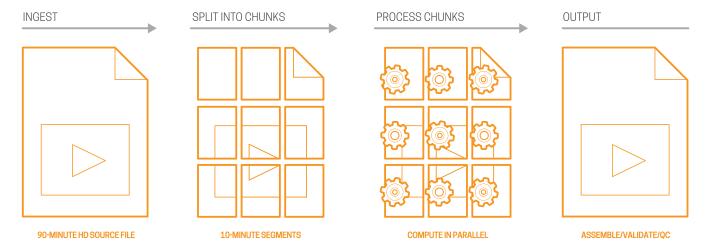
Get to market first with no impact on video quality

SIMPLE INTEGRATION

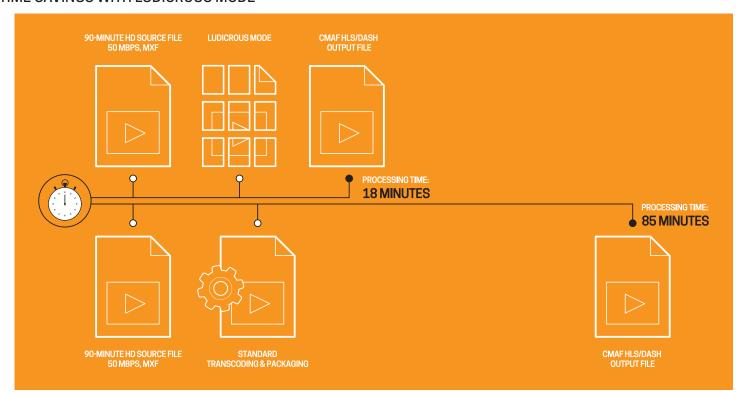
Encoding.com offers the most mature, well-documented and feature-rich cloud encoding API on the market, simplifying the ability to move your ABR processing to the cloud. We can integrate with your CMS,

MAM or post-production application, and offer XML templates for all popular devices. To further simplify the integration process, our API Builder helps generate properly formatted XML files to test your JSON or XML requests before writing a single line of code.

LUDICROUS MODE WORKFLOW



TIME SAVINGS WITH LUDICROUS MODE





With more than one trillion API requests processed and a billion videos encoded, Encoding.com stands as the world's largest and most trusted provider of high-volume, cloud-based video processing services. We pioneered transcoding-as-a-service more than a decade ago, empowering the world's largest Media & Entertainment, Cable, Broadcast and Technology brands to monetize and deliver superior-quality VOD content to all mobile, desktop, IPTV and OTT platforms. Based in San Francisco, with offices in Aspen, CO, New York and St. Petersburg, Russia, we operate in public and private cloud data centers around the globe, assuring the fastest possible turnaround times for every client so that they can get to air first, grow their audience and stay ahead of the competition. For the latest news, please visit www.encoding.com and follow them on Twitter https://twitter.com/encodingdotcom.