Customers considering CatDV are choosing a “Best of Breed” technology architecture. At Square Box we recognize that in our fast moving market no one can afford technology mistakes: finding out too late that a chosen set of products don’t work well together, or worse that the manufacturers don’t co-operate to ensure end-to-end solutions will work.

As a result we invest heavily in our partner relationships, not just as a marketing exercise, but to prove technology integrations. These integrations are shared on the CatDV web site at: www.squarebox.com/catdv-tutorials/. We continue to be amazed by the variety of workflows and integrations that our customers and partners find for CatDV. Here are some examples:

**CatDV Integrations**

**Storage and Archive Integrations:** CatDV’s storage flexibility, and archive options enable integration with many storage & archive products, including Amazon S3 & Glacier, 1 Beyond, Archiware, Atempo, BackBlaze B2, BRU, DAX, GB Labs Space, HGST, IBM active archive, Microsoft Azure, Object Matrix, 1 Beyond, Quantum Stornext, Scality Ring, SNS, Spectra Logic Black Pearl, Storage DNA, and Xendata.

**Media Playback:** CatDV supports a wide range of media for native playback and metadata analysis in its desktop clients. The range of formats includes P2, XDCAM, AVCHD, XAVC, Avid MXF / DNX, ProRes, RED, DPX, EXR, and many more1.

**CatDV integration with Premiere, Anywhere, Final Cut and Media Composer:** Metadata exchange with the major NLEs is a key feature of CatDV. CatDV boasts the most sophisticated FCPX integration, and panels for the Adobe creative tools: Premiere Pro, After Effects, Photoshop, and Illustrator.

**CatDV integration with third party encoders and transcoders:** There may be times when a third party encoder / transcoder needs to be used. CatDV has proven integrations with Compressor, Episode, Redline, Telestream Vantage, MOG, Content Agent and Elemental.

**CatDV integration with Distribution tools:** CatDV has delivery workflows with a range of tools including FTP, SFTP, Aspera, and File Catalyst.

**CatDV integration with third party Media Publication systems:** CatDV has a range of partners that offer alternate ‘distribution’ front ends to CatDV.

**CatDV integration with other production tools:** CatDV supports Final Cut XML enabling integration with a wider range of tools including Adobe Prelude, Autodesk Smoke, Grass Valley Edius, and Blackmagic Da Vinci Resolve.

**AI:** CatDV can control the AI analysis of media for speech to text, plus logo, people and place detection etc, with integrations for the major AI providers.

**Other integrations:** CatDV is approved to run on a TriCaster and 3Play providing access to the power of CatDV searching in live, or live like environments.

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1 Some MXF playback formats require third party codecs such as Tin Man from Calibrated Software