

# PLATINUM BX™

user manual

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## GENERAL INFORMATION

### INTRODUCTION

Congratulations, you have just purchased one of the most innovative and reliable lighting fixtures on the market today! The **PLATINUM BX™** has been designed to perform reliably for years when the guidelines in this booklet are followed. Please read and understand the instructions in this manual carefully and thoroughly before attempting to operate this unit. These instructions contain important information regarding safety during use and maintenance.

### UNPACKING

Thank you for purchasing the **PLATINUM BX™** by Elation Professional®. Every **PLATINUM BX™** has been thoroughly tested and has been shipped in perfect operating condition. Carefully check the shipping carton for damage that may have occurred during shipping. If the carton appears to be damaged, carefully inspect your unit for damage and be sure all accessories necessary to operate the unit have arrived intact. In the event damage has been found or parts are missing, please contact our customer support team for further instructions. Please do not return this unit to your dealer without first contacting customer support at the number listed below. Please do not discard the shipping carton in the trash. Please recycle whenever possible.

### BOX CONTENTS

- (2) Omega Brackets
- (1) 5pin DMX Cable
- (1) Twist Lock Cable
- Manual & Warranty Card

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## **WARRANTY REGISTRATION**

Please fill out the enclosed warranty card to validate your purchase. All returned service items whether under warranty or not, must be freight pre-paid and accompany a return authorization (R.A.) number. The R.A. number must be clearly written on the outside of the return package. A brief description of the problem as well as the R.A. number must also be written down on a piece of paper and included in the shipping container. If the unit is under warranty, you must provide a copy of your proof of purchase invoice. Items returned without a R.A. number clearly marked on the outside of the package will be refused and returned at customer's expense. You may obtain a R.A. number by contacting customer support.



### **IMPORTANT NOTICE!**

**There are no user serviceable parts inside this unit. Do not attempt any repairs yourself; doing so will void your manufactures warranty. Damages resulting from modifications to this fixture and/or the disregard of safety and general user instructions found in this user manual void the manufactures warranty and are not subject to any warranty claims and/or repairs.**

## LIMITED WARRANTY

A. Elation Professional® hereby warrants, to the original purchaser, Elation Professional® products to be free of manufacturing defects in material and workmanship for a period of two years (730 days), and Elation Professional® product rechargeable batteries to be free of manufacturing defects in material and workmanship for a period of six months (180 days), from the original date of purchase. This warranty excludes discharge lamps and all product accessories. This warranty shall be valid only if the product is purchased within the United States of America, including possessions and territories. It is the owner's responsibility to establish the date and place of purchase by acceptable evidence, at the time service is sought.

B. For warranty service, send the product only to the Elation Professional® factory. All shipping charges must be pre-paid. If the requested repairs or service (including parts replacement) are within the terms of this warranty, Elation Professional® will pay return shipping charges only to a designated point within the United States. If any product is sent, it must be shipped in its original package and packaging material. No accessories should be shipped with the product. If any accessories are shipped with the product, Elation Professional® shall have no liability what so ever for loss and/or or damage to any such accessories, nor for the safe return thereof.

C. This warranty is void if the product serial number and/or labels are altered or removed; if the product is modified in any manner which Elation Professional® concludes, after inspection, affects the reliability of the product; if the product has been repaired or serviced by anyone other than the Elation Professional® factory unless prior written authorization was issued to purchaser by Elation Professional®; if the product is damaged because not properly maintained as set forth in the product instructions, guidelines and/or user manual.

D. This is not a service contract, and this warranty does not include any maintenance, cleaning or periodic check-up. During the periods as specified above, Elation Professional® will replace defective parts at its expense, and will absorb all expenses for warranty service and repair labor by reason of defects in material or workmanship. The sole responsibility of Elation Professional® under this warranty shall be limited to the repair of the product, or replacement thereof, including parts, at the sole discretion of Elation Professional®. All products covered by this warranty were manufactured after January 1, 1990, and bare identifying marks to that effect.

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G. This warranty is the only written warranty applicable to Elation Professional® products and supersedes all prior warranties and written descriptions of warranty terms and conditions heretofore published.

## SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS



The **PLATINUM BX™** is an extremely sophisticated piece of electronic equipment. To guarantee a smooth operation, it is important to follow the guidelines in this manual. The manufacturer of this device will not accept responsibility for damages resulting from the misuse of this fixture due to the disregard of the information printed in this manual.



This device falls under **PROTECTION CLASS 1**. It's essential this device be grounded properly. Only qualified personnel should perform all electrical connections.



**KEEP THIS FIXTURE AWAY FROM RAIN AND MOISTURE!**



**UNPLUG POWER BEFORE SERVICING FIXTURE**



**NEVER TOUCH FIXTURE DURING OPERATION AS IT MAY BE HOT**



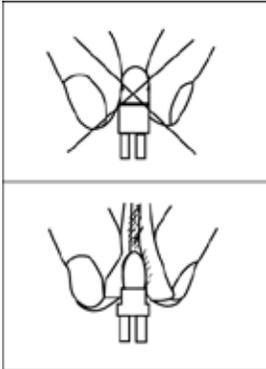
**NEVER LOOK DIRECTLY INTO THE LIGHT SOURCE  
SENSITIVE PERSONS MAY SUFFER AN EPILEPTIC SHOCK**

- For proper operation, follow the **Installation** guidelines described in this manual. Only qualified and certified personnel should perform installation of this fixture and only the original rigging parts (brackets) included with this fixture should be used for installation. Any modifications will void the original manufacturer's warranty and increase the risk of damage and/or personal injury.
- Never look directly into the light source of this fixture to prevent risk of injury to your retina, which may induce blindness. Those suffering from **EPILEPSY** should avoid looking directly into the light source of this unit at all times.
- The fan and air inlets must remain clean and never blocked. Allow approx. 6" (15cm) between this fixture and other devices or a wall for proper cooling.
- Always disconnect from main power source before performing any type of service and/or cleaning procedure. Only handle the power cord by the plug end, never pull out the plug by tugging the wire portion of the cord.
- Do not operate this fixture if the power cord has become frayed, crimped and/or damaged. If the power cord is damaged, replace it immediately with a new one of similar power rating.

## GENERAL GUIDELINES

- **NEVER OPEN THIS FIXTURE WHILE IN USE!**
- During the initial operation of this fixture, a light smoke or smell may emit from the interior of the fixture. This is a normal process and is caused by excess paint in the interior of the casing burning off from the heat associated with the lamp and will decrease gradually over time.
- This fixture is a professional lighting effect designed for **INDOOR / DRY LOCATIONS ONLY** on stage, in nightclubs, theatres, etc.
- Please make sure there are **NO FLAMMABLE MATERIALS** close to the fixture while operating, to prevent any fire hazard.
- The fixture must be installed in a location with adequate ventilation, at least 1.5 feet (.5m) from adjacent surfaces. Be sure no air ventilation slots are blocked.
- **DO NOT** attempt installation and/or operation without knowledge how to do so.
- **DO NOT** permit operation by persons who are not qualified to operate this type of fixture. Most damages are the result of operations by nonprofessionals.
- Consistent operational breaks may ensure the fixture will function properly for many years to come.
- **DO NOT** shake fixture, avoid brute force when installing and/or operating fixture.
- Always install the fixture with an appropriate safety cable. When installing the fixture in a suspended environment, always use mounting hardware that is no less than M10 x 25 mm, also be sure the hardware is insert in the pre-arranged screw holes in the bracket of the fixture.
- Use the original packaging and materials to transport the fixture in for service.
- **DO NOT TOUCH** the housing bare-hand during its operation. Turn OFF the power and allow approximately 15 minutes for the fixture to cool down before replacing or serving.

## DISCHARGE LAMP WARNING



This fixture is fitted with a DISCHARGE LAMP, which is highly susceptible to damage if improperly handled. NEVER touch the lamp with your bare hands, as the oil from your hands will shorten the life of the lamp. Also, NEVER move the fixture until the lamp has had ample time to cool. Lamps are NOT covered under warranty conditions.

Avoid switching the fixture ON and OFF repeatedly in short intervals, as this will reduce lamp life and intensity. To achieve the intensity associated with discharge lamps, these lamps use gas sealed in a high-pressure environment to emit a brilliant output.

 Due to the high pressure involved with the construction of the lamp, the lamp **MAY EXPLODE DURING PROLONGED EXTENSIVE USE**. This risk is increased with age; added care is encouraged when dealing with older lamps. Thus, the lamp must always be replaced at the end of their recommended duty cycle. Extreme caution should be used when operating this or any fixture fitted with a gas discharge lamp.



### U V R A D I A T I O N N O T I C E

This fixture emits intense UV radiation, which is harmful to the eyes and skin. The intense luminance of the lamp can cause severe damage to the retina. NEVER operate this fixture with ANY of the protective covers removed. These covers have been specially designed to shield against UV radiation.

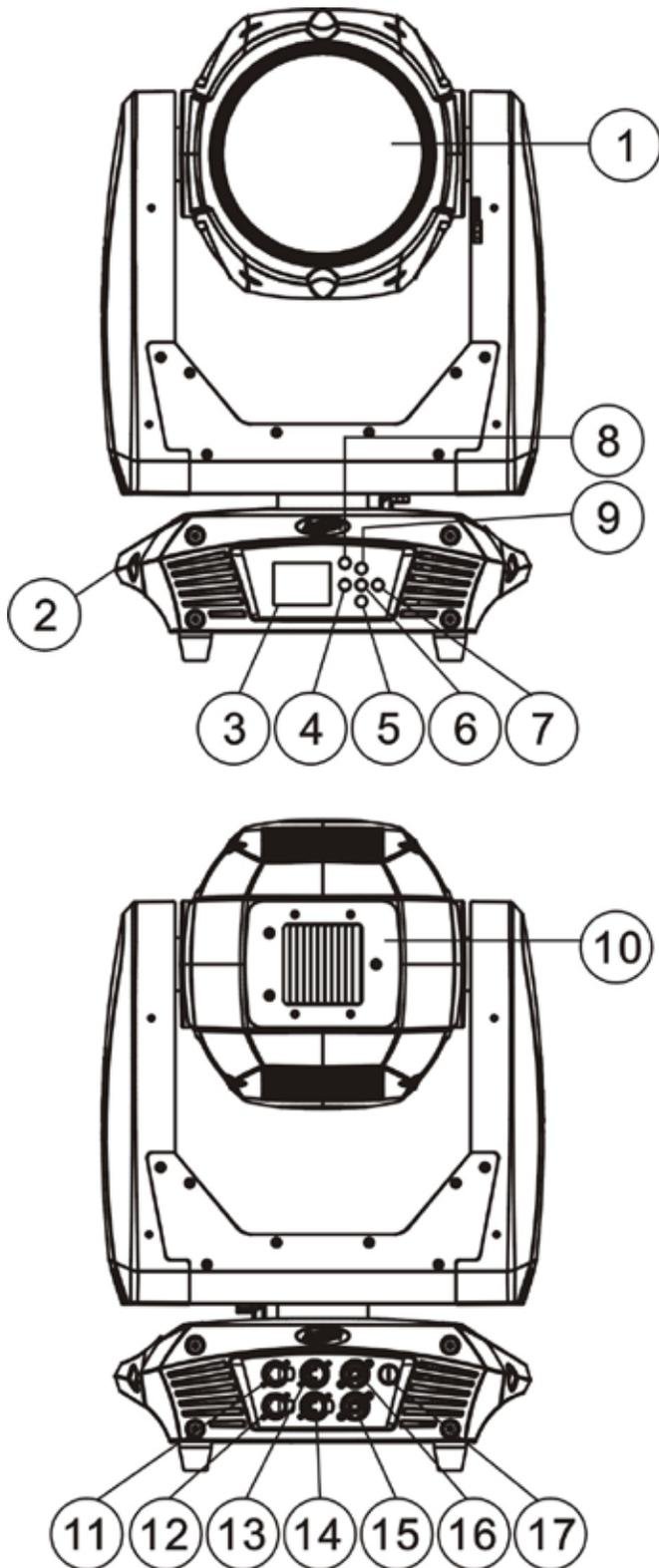


### L A M P R E P L A C E M E N T

Please note that due to the nature of the Phillips™ Platinum 17 RA Lamp and the optical path of the Elation PLATINUM BX fixture, the lamp **MUST BE** replaced at 1,500 hours.

Use only Genuine Original Phillips™ Platinum 17 RA Lamps. Other brand lamps may cause damage and void warranty!

## FIXTURE OVERVIEW



1. LED Assembly
2. Carrying Handle(s)
3. LCD Menu Function Display
4. LEFT Button
5. DOWN Button
6. ENTER Button
7. RIGHT Button
8. MODE/ESC Button
9. UP Button
10. Lamp Access/Cover Panel
11. RJ45 Input
12. RJ45 Output
13. 5pin DMX Input
14. 5pin DMX Output
15. Power Input
16. Power Output
17. Fuse

## LAMP INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS



### LAMP REPLACEMENT

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### INSTALLING OR REPLACING THE LAMP

To ensure a proper/safe lamp change, carefully read all the following instructions.

### LAMP PROTECTION CIRCUITRY

Because of the nature of the extreme heat associated with the Phillips™ Platinum 17 RA lamp and the tight nature of the internal optical system, it is **IMPERATIVE** that the lamp be replaced every **1,500 Hours**. This is done to protect the internal optical system as well as prevent accidental lamp explosion, which could lead to hot glass particles falling from the fixture.



**FAILURE TO CHANGE THE LAMP WITHIN 300 HOUR of the 1,500 HOUR RATED LIFE, WILL CAUSE THE FIXTURE TO AUTOMATICALLY SHUT DOWN!**

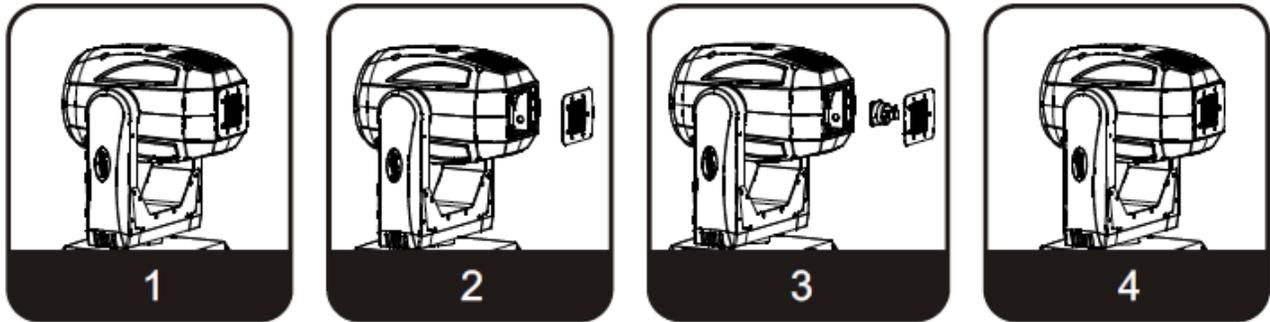
At **1,500 Hours** the LCD control display will begin to flash, **“Replace The Lamp”** and the lamp will flicker for the first five minutes of operation. At this point the lamp has reached the maximum rated life and should be replaced immediately. After the lamp has flickered for about five minutes it should strike normally allowing the fixture to be used temporarily until a replacement lamp can be installed. The fixture will continue to operate for an additional 300 hours, however the **“Replace the Lamp”** warning will continue to flash in the display. Keep in mind that the flicker protection circuitry will only work for about 300 Hours (lamp clock life of 1,500-1,800 Hours).

**After 1,800 Hours** the fixture will no longer respond to DMX commands and immediately enter a hibernation mode that will electronically discontinue all fixture functionality with the exception of a few menu commands. The fixture will continue to enter hibernation mode until the lamp is replaced and the lamp clock has been reset. To replace the lamp follow the safety guidelines and procedures listed on the next page.

## LAMP SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

- **ALWAYS** replace lamp every 1,500 Hours.
- Use only Genuine Original Phillips™ Platinum 17 RA lamps.  
Other brand lamps may cause damage and void the warranty!
- NEVER touch the lamp with your bare hands!  
Oil from your hands will shorten the life of the lamp.
- Always disconnect the fixture's main power supply before replacing lamp.
- Allow fixture to cool for at least 15 minutes before attempting any type of service.
- Make sure ALL covers/panels are replaced/secured before operating the fixture to prevent any risk and/or damage to eye retina from UV Radiation exposure!

## LAMP INSTALLATION PROCEDURE



1. Place fixture on a flat surface and remove (3) screws marked "A", "B", and "C" and then remove rear cover plate to access the lamp.



## LAMP INSTALLATION PROCEDURE - [continued]



2. Using two fingers, unlock the retention clips and then gently unseat the lamp from the retention bracket and move the lamp towards you.



## LAMP INSTALLATION PROCEDURE - [continued]



3. Gently remove **(2) Wires** connected to spade terminals on base of lamp.



## LAMP INSTALLATION PROCEDURE - [continued]



4. Gently remove the lamp from the fixture.



### LAMP INSTALLATION PROCEDURE - [continued]

5. Insert new lamp into back of fixture and gently attach **(2) Wires** to spade terminals on the base of the lamp.



6. Gently position the new lamp into the retention bracket, making sure the lamp is seated correctly as it was before.



### LAMP INSTALLATION PROCEDURE - [continued]

7. Lock both retention clips into place and make lamp is securely positioned.



**LAMP INSTALLATION PROCEDURE - [continued]**

8. Replace the rear cover plate and secure **(3)** screws marked **“A”**, **“B”**, and **“C”**.



## LAMP INSTALLATION PROCEDURE - [continued]

9. Be sure to reset the **LAMP HOURS** in the system menu to prevent the protection circuitry from accidentally shutting off the lamp during normal operation.
10. If the lamp protection circuitry has already been initiated and the **LAMP HOURS** is not reset, the “**Replace the Lamp**” warning will continue to flash and fixture will eventually shut down. To reset **LAMP HOURS**, see instructions below.

## LAMP HOURS RESET PROCEDURE

1. Activate the main menu by pressing **MODE/ESC** and toggle to “**Information**”.
2. Press **ENTER** and press **UP** or **DOWN** to toggle to “**Time Information**”.
3. Press **UP** or **DOWN** to toggle to “**LampTime Password**” and press **ENTER**. Then press **UP** or **DOWN** to enter the reset pass code, “**038**” and press **ENTER** to confirm. The display will automatically revert to “**LampTime Password**”, next press **UP** or **DOWN** to toggle down to “**Clean Lamp Time**”.
4. Press **ENTER** and select “**ON**”. The lamp timer has now been reset, press **MODE/ESC** to exit the menu and return to the home screen.

## LAMP OPTIMIZATION

Unlike traditional discharge lamps the **Phillips™ Platinum 17 RA Lamp** does **NOT** require optimization. The lamp orientation and optimization procedure has been preset during the manufacturing process of the lamp.

Please remember the **Phillips™ Platinum 17 RA Lamp** is **NOT** a hot-restrike lamp therefore, you must wait approximately **15 minutes** before you can attempt to restrike the lamp once it has been turned off.

## FIXTURE INSTALLATION



### **FLAMMABLE MATERIAL WARNING**

Keep fixture at least 5.0 ft (1.5m) away from any flammable materials, decorations, pyrotechnics, etc.



### **ELECTRICAL CONNECTIONS**

A qualified electrician should be used for all electrical connections and/or installations.

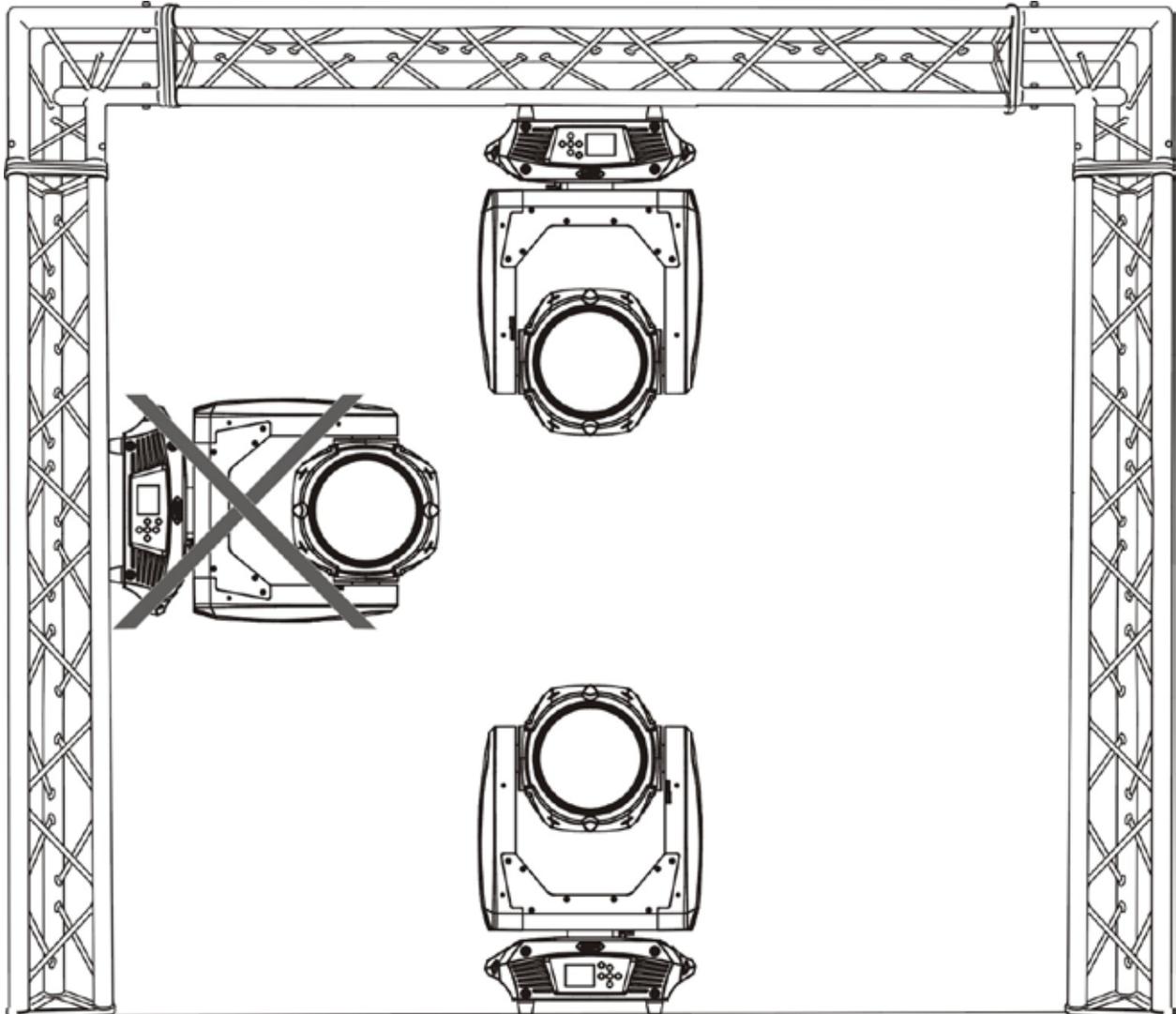


### **CAUTIONS**

- For added protection, mount the fixture in areas outside walking paths, seating areas, or in areas where unauthorized personnel might reach the fixture.
- Ambient operating temperature range for this fixture is **14° to 113°F. (-10° to 45°C)**  
Do not use the fixture under or above this temperature.
- Before mounting the fixture to any surface, make sure the installation area can hold a minimum point load of 10 times the weight of the fixture. **(630 lbs / 286 kg)**
- Fixture installation must always be secured with a secondary safety attachment, such as an appropriate safety cable.
- Never stand directly below the device when mounting, removing or servicing.

## MOUNTING POINTS

- Overhead mounting requires extensive experience, including amongst others calculating working load limits, installation material being used, and periodic safety inspection of all installation material and the device. If you lack these qualifications, do not attempt the installation yourself. Improper installation can result in bodily injury.
- Fixture is fully operational in the specific mounting positions as illustrated below.

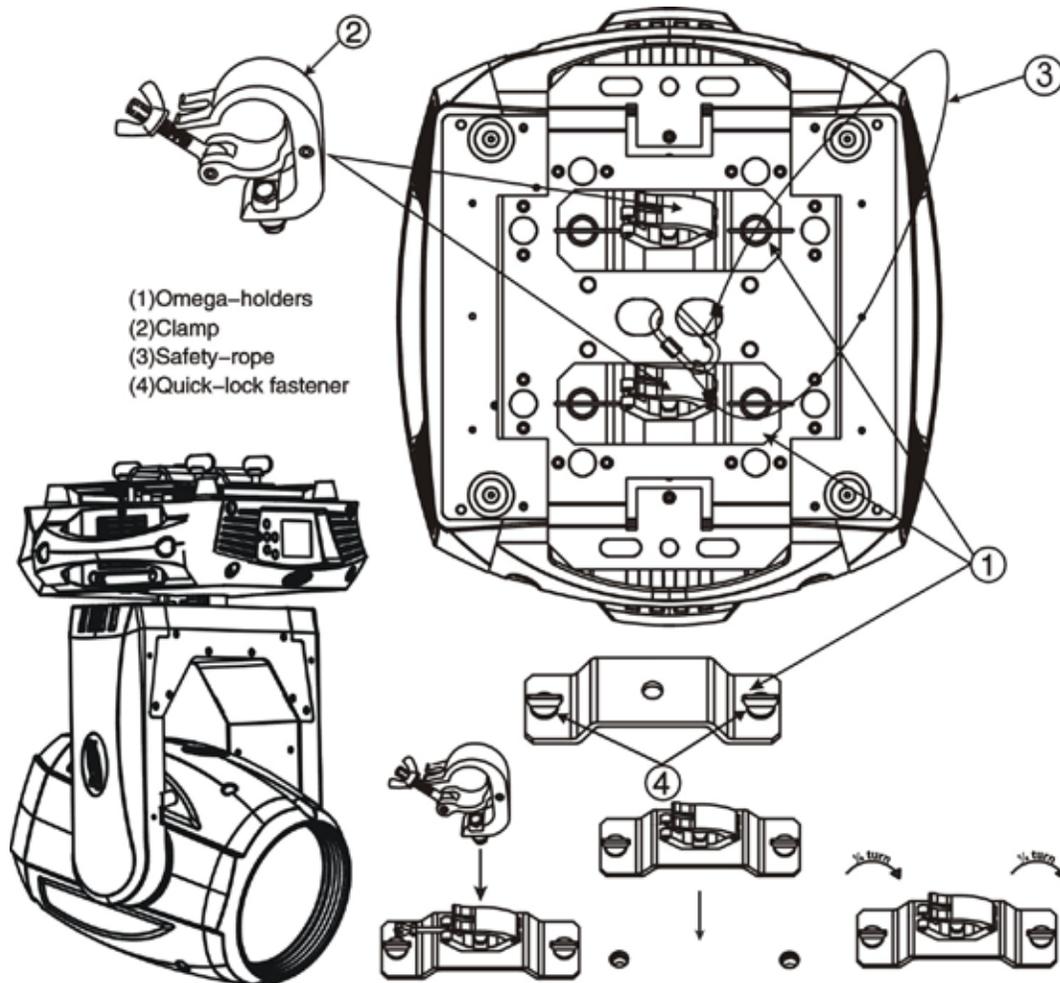


## SAFETY CABLE

**Always use a Safety Cable whenever installing this fixture in a suspended environment to ensure the fixture will not drop if the clamp fails.**

## CLAMP MOUNTING

The **PLATINUM BX™** provides a unique mounting bracket assembly that integrates the bottom of the base, the included **Omega Brackets (x2)** and safety cable rigging point in one unit (see the illustration below). When mounting this fixture to truss be sure to secure an appropriately rated clamps to the included omega brackets using a M10 screw fitted through the center hole of the **Omega Bracket**. Be sure to attach the included **Safety Cable** to the fixture using the safety cable rigging point integrated in the base assembly.



## SECURING

Regardless of the rigging option you choose for your **PLATINUM BX™** always be sure to secure your fixture with a safety cable. The fixture provides a built-in rigging point for a safety cable on the hanging bracket as illustrated above. Be sure to only use the designated rigging point for the safety cable and never secure a safety cable to a carrying handle.

## UNDERSTANDING DMX

### DMX-512

DMX is short for Digital Multiplex. This is a universal protocol used by most lighting and controller manufactures as a form of communication between intelligent fixtures and controllers. DMX allows all makes and models of different manufactures to be linked together and operate from a single controller. This is possible as long as all the fixtures and the controller are DMX compliant. A DMX controller sends the DMX data instructions to the fixture allowing the user to control the different aspects of an intelligent light. DMX data is sent out as serial data that travels from fixture to fixture via data "IN" and data "OUT" XLR terminals located on the fixtures (most controllers will only have output jacks).

### DMX LINKING

To ensure proper DMX data transmission, always use proper DMX cables and a terminator. When using several DMX fixtures try to use the shortest cable path possible. Never split a DMX line with a "Y" style connector. The order in which the fixtures are connected in a DMX line does not influence the DMX addressing. For example; a fixture assigned a starting DMX address of 1 may be placed anywhere in the DMX chain, at the beginning, at the end, or anywhere in the middle. The DMX controller knows to send data assigned to address 1 to that fixture no matter where it is located in the DMX chain. The **PLATINUM BX™** can be controlled via DMX-512 protocol and the DMX address is set via the control menu.

### DATA CABLE (DMX Cable) REQUIREMENTS (For DMX and Master/Slave Operation)

Your fixture and your DMX controller require a standard 3pin or 5pin XLR connector for data input and data output (see figure below). If you are making your own cables, be sure to use two conductor, shielded digital DMX cable rated at 120 ohms; this cable is designed for DMX transmission and may be purchased from your Elation dealer or at most professional lighting retailers. Your cables should be made with a male and female XLR connector on either end of the cable. Also, remember that a DMX line must be daisy chained and cannot be split, unless using an approved DMX splitter such as **Elation's Opto Branch 4™, Opto Branch 8™, or DMX-Branch/4™**.

DMX Output  
3-Pin XLR Socket



DMX Input  
3-Pin XLR Socket



- 1: Ground
- 2: Data (-)
- 3: Data (+)

DMX Output  
5-Pin XLR Socket



DMX Input  
5-Pin XLR Socket



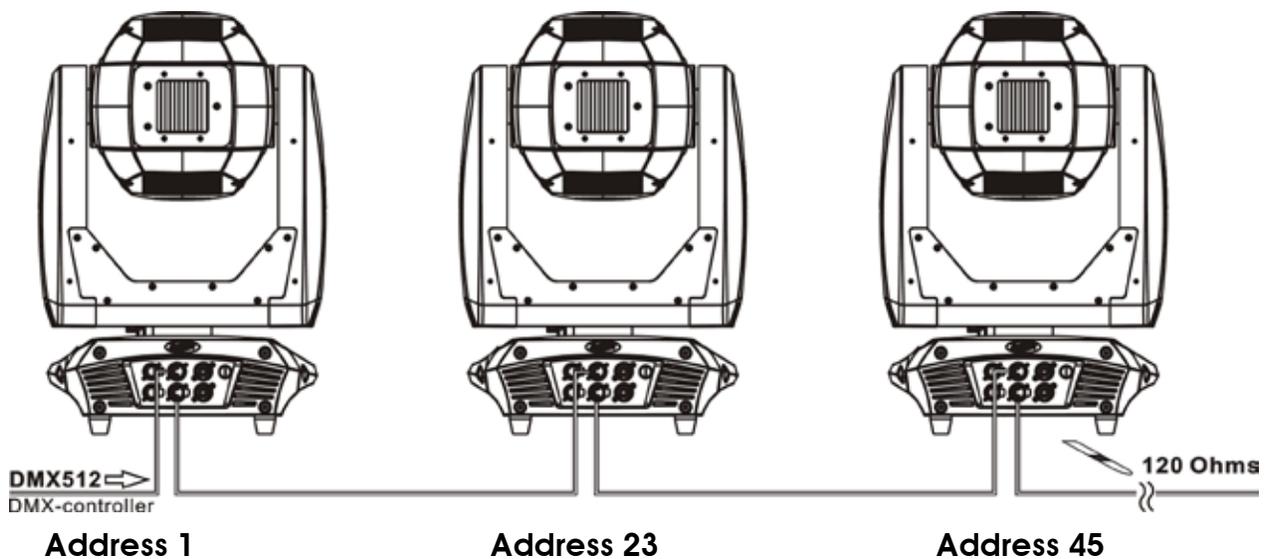
- 1: Ground
- 2: Data (-)
- 3: Data (+)
- 4: Open
- 5: Open



**Be sure to follow the above figure when making your own cables. Do not use the ground lug on the XLR connector. Do not connect the cable's shield conductor to the ground lug or allow the shield conductor to come in contact with the XLR outer casing. Grounding the shield could cause a short circuit and erratic behavior.**

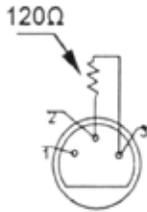
### DMX-512 CONTROLLER CONNECTION

Connect the provided XLR cable to the female XLR output of your controller and the other side to the male XLR input of the **PLATINUM BX™**. The diagram below illustrates a typical DMX-512 connection when the fixture is in the **22 Channel Extended Mode**. You can chain multiple panels together through serial linking. The cable that should be used is two conductor, shielded DMX cable with XLR input and output connectors. Always be sure daisy chain your in and out data connections, never split or "Y" your DMX connections unless you are using an approved DMX splitter such as **Elation's Opto Branch 4™, Opto Branch 8™, or DMX-Branch/4™**.



## DMX-512 CONNECTION WITH DMX TERMINATOR

A DMX terminator should be used in all DMX lines especially in longer runs. The use of a terminator may avoid erratic behavior in your DMX line. A terminator is a 120 ohm 1/4 watt resistor that is connected between pins 2 and 3 of a male XLR connector (DATA + and DATA -). This fixture is inserted in the female XLR connector of the last fixture in your daisy chain to terminate the line. Using a line terminator will decrease the possibilities of erratic behavior.



Termination reduces signal errors and avoids signal transmission problems and interference. It is always advisable to connect a DMX terminal, (Resistance 120 Ohm 1/4 W) between PIN 2 (DMX-) and PIN 3 (DMX +) of the last fixture.

## 5pin XLR DMX CONNECTORS

Some manufactures use 5pin XLR connectors for DATA transmission in place of 3pin. 5pin XLR fixtures may be implemented in a 3pin XLR DMX line. When inserting standard 5pin XLR connectors in to a 3pin line a cable adaptor must be used, these adaptors are readily available at most electric stores. The following chart details a proper cable conversion.

3-Pin XLR to 5-Pin XLR Conversion		
Conductor	3-Pin XLR Female (Out)	5-Pin XLR Male (In)
Ground/Shield	Pin 1	Pin 1
Data Compliment (- signal)	Pin 2	Pin 2
Data True (+ signal)	Pin 3	Pin 3
Not Used		Pin 4 - Do Not Use
Not Used		Pin 5 - Do Not Use

## DMX ADDRESSING

All fixtures should be given a DMX starting address when using a DMX controller, so the correct fixture responds to the correct control signal. This digital starting address is the channel number from which the fixture starts to “listen” to the digital control information sent out from the DMX controller. The allocation of this starting DMX address is achieved by setting the correct DMX address on the digital display located on the back of the fixture.

You can set the same starting address for all fixtures or a group of fixtures, or set different address for each individual fixture. Be advised that setting all fixtures to the same DMX address will subsequently control all fixtures in the same fashion, in other words, changing the settings of one channel will affect all the fixtures simultaneously.

If you set each fixture to a different DMX address, each unit will start to “listen” to the channel number you have set, based on the quantity of control channels (DMX channels) of each fixture. That means changing the settings of one channel will only affect the selected fixture.

In the case of the **PLATINUM BX™**, when in the **22 Channel Extended Mode** you should set the starting DMX address of the first unit to 1, the second unit to 23 (1 + 22), the third unit to 45 (23 + 22), and so on.

**Note:** During start-up the **PLATINUM BX™** will automatically detect whether a DMX data signal is being received or not. If DMX data signal is being received, the display will show "**Addr=XXX**" (**XXX** representing the actual DMX address). If the fixture is not receiving a DMX signal the display will flash. If your fixture is connected to a DMX controller and the display is flashing (not receiving a DMX signal), please check the following:

- The 3pin or 5pin XLR input plug (cable with DMX signal from controller) is not connected or is not inserted completely into the DMX input jack of the fixture.
- The DMX controller is switched off or defective.
- The DMX cable or connector is defective.
- A DMX terminator has been inserted into the last fixture in your DMX chain.

## FIXTURE MENU

### ON-BOARD SYSTEM MENU

The **PLATINUM BX™** comes with an easy to navigate system menu. The next section will detail the functions of each command in the system menu.

### LCD MENU CONTROL PANEL

The control panel (see image below) located on back of the fixture allows you to access the main menu and make all necessary adjustments to the **PLATINUM BX™**. During normal operation, pressing **MODE/ESC** button once will access the fixture's main menu. Once in the main menu you can navigate through the different functions and access the sub-menus with the **UP, DOWN, RIGHT,** and **LEFT** buttons. Once you reach a field that requires adjusting, press the **ENTER** button to activate that field and use the **UP** and **DOWN** buttons to adjust the field. Pressing the **ENTER** button once more will confirm your setting. You may exit the main menu at any time without making any adjustments by pressing the **MODE/ESC** button.

 **NOTE:** To access the LCD Menu Control Display via the internal battery, press and hold the **MODE/ESC** button for 3 seconds. The LCD Menu Control Display will shut **OFF** automatically about 1 minute from the last button press.



## ELATION® PLATINUM BX™ SYSTEM MENU

Specifications and features are subject to change without any prior written notice.

MAIN MENU	SUB MENU	OPTIONS / VALUES (Default Settings in <b>BOLD</b> )		DESCRIPTION	
FUNCTION	Set DMX Address	A001 ~ AXXX		DMX Address Setting	
	DMX Value	ALL.....		DMX Value Display	
	Slave Mode	Slave1, Slave2, Slave3		Slave Setting	
	Auto Program	Master / Alone		Auto Program	
INFORMATION	Time Information	Current Time	XXXX (Hours)	Fixture Run Time From Power ON	
		Total Run Time	XXXX (Hours)	Fixture Total Run Time	
		Last Run Time	XXXX (Hours)	Clear Fixture Last Run Time	
		Lamp Hours	XXXX (Hours)	Lamp Total Run Time	
		Lamp Off Time	XXXX (Minutes)	Lamp OFF Time	
		LastRun Password	Password=XXX	Password <b>038</b>	
		Clear Last Run	ON / <b>OFF</b>	Reset Fixture Last Run Time	
		LampTime Password	Password=XXX	Password <b>038</b>	
	Clear Lamp Time	ON / <b>OFF</b>	Reset Lamp Run Time		
	Temperature Info	Head Temperature	XXX C° / F°	Temperature in Fixture Head	
	Ethernet IP	XXX . XXX . XXX . XXX XXX . XXX . XXX . XXX	XXX . XXX . XXX . XXX	IP Address	
Software Version	≥V2.0.0		Software Version		
Error Info	Error Record 1 ~ Error Record 10		Error Information		
LAMP CONTROL	Lamp ON/OFF	<b>ON/OFF</b>		Lamp ON/OFF	
	Automatic ON	<b>ON/OFF</b>		Lamp ON/OFF when Power ON	
	Lamp ON via DMX	<b>ON/OFF</b>		Lamp ON via DMX	
	Lamp OFF via DMX	<b>ON/OFF</b>		Lamp OFF via DMX	
	Max ON at Temp	20~79°C ( <b>45°C</b> ) / 68 ~ 174°F ( <b>113°F</b> )		Lamp Restart at Temp	
	Lamp OFF Temp	80~139°C ( <b>130°C</b> ) / 176 ~ 282°F ( <b>266°F</b> )		Lamp OFF at Temp	
PERSONALITY	Status Settings	Address via DMX	<b>ON/OFF</b>	Address Via DMX	
		No DMX Status	Close/ <b>Hold</b> /Auto/Music	Auto Run If No DMX	
		Pan Reverse	ON/ <b>OFF</b>	Pan Reverse Movement	
		Tilt Reverse	ON/ <b>OFF</b>	Tilt Reverse Movement	
		Pan Degree	630/ <b>540</b> /540-90 Offset		Pan Degree Select
		Feedback	<b>ON/OFF</b>		Movement Feedback
		Movement Speed	Speed <b>1</b> ~ 4		Movement Mode Select
		Hibernation	OFF, 01M~99M, <b>15M</b>		Stand By Mode
	Service Setting	Password	Password=XXX		Service Password <b>050</b>
		RDM PID	XXXXX		RDM PID Code
		Ethernet IP	XXX . XXX . XXX . XXX		Ethernet IP
		Ethernet Mask IP	XXX . XXX . XXX . XXX		Ethernet Mask IP
		Clear Err. Info	ON/ <b>OFF</b>		Clear Error Info
		DFLT Pow. LampOn	<b>ON/OFF</b>		Default Power Lamp ON
	Display Setting	Shutoff Time	02~60m <b>05m</b>		Display Shut Off Time
		Display Reverse	ON/ <b>OFF</b>		Display Reverse 180°
		Key Lock	ON/ <b>OFF</b>		Key Lock
	Temperature C/F	<b>Celsius/Fahrenheit</b>		Temperature Switch Between C° / F°	
	Initial Status	PAN =XXX		Initial Effect Position	
	Select Signal	<b>DMX Only</b>			DMX Only
		Art-Net on IP2			Elect Art-Net IP02
		Art-Net on IP10			Elect Art-Net IP010
	Set Universe	000 - 255		Set Art-Net Universe	
	Reset Default	ON/ <b>OFF</b>	Passcode=XXX	Passcode <b>011</b>	

ELATION© PLATINUM BX™ SYSTEM MENU				
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MAIN MENU	SUB MENU	OPTIONS / VALUES (Default Settings in <b>BOLD</b> )		DESCRIPTION
Reset Function	Reset All			Reset All Motors
	Reset Pan&Tilt			Reset Pan/Tilt
	Reset Colors			Reset Color Wheel
	Reset Gobos			Reset Gobos
	Reset Shutter			Reset Shutter and/or Dimmer
	Reset Others			Reset Other Motors
Effect Adjust	Test Channel	PAN .....		Test function
	Manual Control	PAN =XXX, .....		Fine Adjustments
	Calibration	Calibration Password		Password <b>050</b>
User Mode Set	User Mode	<b>Standard Mode</b>		DMX Channel Modes
		Basic Mode		
		Extended Mode		
		User Mode A		User Defined Channel Assignment
		User Mode B		
	User Mode C			
	Edit User Mode	Edit User Mode A	Max Channel = XX PAN = CH01	Edits User Defined Channel Assignments
Edit User Mode B				
Edit User Mode C				
Edit Program	Select Program	Auto Pro Part1 = Program 1~10 ( <b>Program 1</b> )		Select Programs To Be Run
		Auto Pro Part2 = Program 1~10 ( <b>Program 2</b> )		
		Auto Pro Part3 = Program 1~10 ( <b>Program 3</b> )		
	Edit Program	Program 1	Program Test	Testing Program
		:	Step 01 =SCxxx	Program In Loop
		Program 10	Step 64 =SCxxx	Save and Exit
	Edit Scenes	Scene 001 ~ Scene 250	Pan,Tilt,.....	Save and Automatically Return
			--Fade Time-- --Scene Time--	Manual Scenes Edit
			Input By Outside	Stores Scenes via Ext DMX Console
	Rec. Controller	XX~XX	Automatic Scenes Recorder	

**FUNCTION - Set DMX Address**

Define desired DMX address via the Control Panel.

**FUNCTION - DMX Value**

Display DMX 512 value of each channel.

**FUNCTION - Set To Slave**

Define fixture slave mode (**Slave1, Slave2, Slave3**).

**FUNCTION - Auto Program**

Define fixture mode (**Master or Alone**) for running Auto Programs. Select desired internal programs under **“Select Program”**, set the number of steps under **“Edit Program”**, and edit individual scenes under **“Edit Scenes”**.

**INFORMATION - Time Information - Current Time**

Displays fixture run time from last power ON.

The counter is reset after each time the fixture is powered OFF.

**INFORMATION - Time Information - Total Run Time**

Displays fixture total run time.

**INFORMATION - Time Information - Last Run Time**

Displays fixture run time for a given period of time (i.e. rental period).

This counter can be reset.

**INFORMATION - Time Information - Lamp Hours**

Displays lamp total run time.

This counter should be reset at each lamp change.

**INFORMATION - Time Information - Lamp Off Time**

Displays lamp run time from the last power ON.

This counter is automatically reset after each time the lamp is powered ON.

**INFORMATION - Time Information - LastRun Password**

Display the fixture timer password. **(038)**

**INFORMATION - Time Information - Clear Last Run**

Resets the last run time of the fixture.

**INFORMATION - Time Information - LampTime Password**

Displays the lamp timer password. **(038)**

**INFORMATION - Time Information - Clear Lamp Time**

Resets the run time of the lamp.

**INFORMATION - Temperature Information - Head Temperature**

Displays temperature of the fixture.

**INFORMATION - Ethernet IP**

Displays Ethernet IP address of the fixture.

**INFORMATION - Software Version**

Displays software version of the fixture.

**INFORMATION - Error Info**

Displays last 10 Error Records of the fixture.

**LAMP CONTROL - Lamp ON/OFF**

When ON, manual control of lamp power can be accessed via system menu.

**LAMP CONTROL - Automatic Lamp ON**

When ON, lamp is automatically powered ON when power is applied to fixture.

**LAMP CONTROL - Lamp ON via DMX**

When ON, lamp can be powered ON via a DMX controller.

**LAMP CONTROL - Lamp OFF via DMX**

When ON, lamp can be powered OFF via a DMX controller.

**LAMP CONTROL - Max ON at Temp**

The fixture is designed to shut the lamp OFF when an excessive temperature is sensed inside the head by the on-board CPU. The lamp is shut OFF to prevent damage to the lamp and avoid possible internal damage to the fixture head. This function sets the MIN internal operating temperature of the fixture head before the lamp will restrike after the lamp has been automatically shut OFF.

**LAMP CONTROL - Lamp OFF Temp**

The fixture is designed to shut the lamp OFF when an excessive temperature is sensed inside the head by the on-board CPU. The lamp is shut OFF to prevent damage to the lamp and avoid possible internal damage to the fixture head. This function sets the MAX internal operating temperature of the fixture head when the lamp will automatically be shut OFF.

**PERSONALITY - Status Settings - Address Via DMX**

When ON, define the desired DMX address via an external controller.

1. Connect the fixture to the external controller and power ON.
2. Set the DMX value of **Channel 1** on the controller to **(7)**.
3. Set the DMX value of **Channel 2** on the controller to **(7)** or **(8)**.  
When set to **(7)**, the DMX address can be set between **(1)** and **(255)**.  
When set to **(8)**, the DMX address can be set between **(256)** and **(511)**.
4. Using **Channel 3** on the controller set the desired DMX address of the fixture.

**PERSONALITY - Status Settings - Address Via DMX [continued]**

**Example 1:**

If the desired DMX address is **57**, set **Channel 1** to a value of **(7)**, set **Channel 2** to a value of **(7)**, and then set **Channel 3** to a value of **(57)**.

**Example 2:**

If the desired DMX address is **420**, set **Channel 1** to a value of **(7)**, set **Channel 2** to a value of **(8)**, and then set **Channel 3** to a value of **(164)**. (256+164=420)

5. After setting **Channel 3** to the desired DMX address value, wait for approximately 20 seconds for the fixture to complete the address reset function.

**PERSONALITY - Status Settings - No DMX Status**

Define how fixture operates if NO DMX signal is detected.

**PERSONALITY - Status Settings - Pan Reverse**

When ON, all PAN movements are reversed (inverted).

**PERSONALITY - Status Settings - Tilt Reverse**

When ON, all TILT movements are reversed (inverted).

**PERSONALITY - Status Settings – Pan Degree**

Select desired maximum degree of the Pan movement.

**PERSONALITY - Status Settings - Feedback**

When ON, the fixture automatically performs PAN / TILT correction in the event either one is disrupted during normal operation.

**PERSONALITY - Status Settings – Movement Speed**

Select desired Movement Speed.

**PERSONALITY - Status Settings – Hibernation**

Select desired Hibernation time.

**PERSONALITY – Service Setting - Password**

Service Password - **(050)**

 **NOTE:** The Service Password MUST be entered in order to access the following menus: **RDM PID, Ethernet IP, Ethernet IP Mask, Clear Err. Info, and DFLT Pow. LampOn.**

**PERSONALITY – Service Setting - RDM PID**

Select various submenus via RDM.

RDM stands for "Remote Device Management", which provides the ability to control the device remotely while connected to a DMX-bus. ANSI E1.20-2006 by ESTA specifies the RDM standard as an extension of the DMX512 protocol. Manual settings like adjusting the DMX starting address are no longer needed. This is especially useful when the device is installed in a remote area.

RDM ready and conventional DMX devices can be operated in one DMX line. The RDM protocol sends its own packages in the DMX512 data feed and does not influence conventional devices. If DMX splitters are used and RDM control is to be used, these splitters must support RDM. The number and type of RDM parameters depend on the RDM controller being used.

**PERSONALITY – Service Setting - Ethernet IP**

Enter the Ethernet IP address of the fixture.

**PERSONALITY – Service Setting - Ethernet IP Mask**

Enter the Ethernet Subnet Mask IP address of the fixture.

**PERSONALITY – Service Setting - Clear Err. Info**

Clear Error info of the fixture.

**PERSONALITY – Service Setting - DFLT Pow. LampOn**

When ON, the Lamp will be powered ON at all times by default.

**PERSONALITY - Display Setting – Shutoff Time**

Define how many minutes before the LCD Menu display will automatically shut OFF.

**PERSONALITY - Display Setting – Display Reverse**

When ON, the LCD Menu display by is rotated (inverted) 180°.

**PERSONALITY - Display Setting – Key Lock**

When ON, Control Panel buttons lock automatically after exiting main menu for 15 seconds. To unlock, keep **MODE/ESC** button pressed for 3 seconds.

**PERSONALITY – Temperature C/F**

Define how fixture displays internal temperature (Celsius or Fahrenheit).

**PERSONALITY – Initial Status**

Create custom PAN/TILT and Effect settings and save as a custom Home Position.

**PERSONALITY - Select Signal – DMX Only**

Define DMX as the default control of the fixture.

**PERSONALITY - Select Signal – Art-Net on IP2**

Define Art-Net IP02 as the default control of the fixture.

**PERSONALITY - Select Signal – Art-Net on IP010**

Define Art-Net IP010 as the default control of the fixture.

**PERSONALITY - Set Universe**

Define the Art-Net Universe number.

**PERSONALITY – Reset Default**

When ON, all factory settings are restored.

**RESET FUNCTION - Reset ALL**

Reset ALL internal motors to Home Position.

**RESET FUNCTION - Reset PAN&TILT**

Reset only PAN and TILT motors to Home Position.

**RESET FUNCTION - Reset Colors**

Reset only Color Wheel to Home Position.

**RESET FUNCTION - Reset Gobos**

Reset only Gobo Wheels to Home Position.

**RESET FUNCTION - Reset Shutter**

Reset only blackout Shutter to Home Position.

**RESET FUNCTION - Reset Others**

Reset ALL other motors not associated previously listed commands to Home Position.

**EFFECT ADJUST – Test Channel**

Select and auto test each individual channel function independently from the DMX control board.

**EFFECT ADJUST – Manual Control**

Select and manually test and fine adjust each individual channel function independently from DMX control board. This function will center PAN and TILT motors and set dimmer to 100%. PAN and TILT functions will still operate if the fixture needs to be positioned to a flat clear surface. With the individual functions, you can focus the light on a flat surface (wall) and perform fine adjustments.

## **EFFECT ADJUST – Calibration**



**ONLY QUALIFIED TECHNICIANS SHOULD PERFORM THIS FUNCTION.**

This function allows small adjustments to be made to the effect wheels (Color, Gobo, Shutter, etc.) to compensate for wear or in the event a sensor has been knocked slightly out of place. Because improper use of this function can result in undesired operation this function has been password protected. The password is **050** and must be entered each time the calibration menu function is entered. Because calibration is an extremely delicate procedure, instructions on performing this action are left out of this manual. For a first time calibrator, please contact our customer support team for step-by-step instructions.

## **USER MODE SET – User Mode**

Select operating mode, which includes DMX Channel and User defined modes.

## **USER MODE SET – Edit User Mode**

Create user defined channel orders allowing the fixture to match the channel order of other fixtures on the market for easier operation. A total of three user modes may be configured: User Mode A, User Mode B, and User Mode C.

## **EDIT PROGRAM – Select Program**

Select one of the (10) user defined internal Auto Programs.

## **EDIT PROGRAM – Edit Program**

Edit any of the (10) user defined internal Auto Programs.

## **EDIT PROGRAM – Edit Scenes**

Edit any of the scenes of the internal Auto Programs.

## **EDIT PROGRAM – Rec. Controller**

The fixture features an integrated DMX-recorder by which you can transmit the programmed scenes from your DMX-controller to the moving head. Adjust the desired scene numbers via the encoder (from – to). When you call up the scenes at your controller, they will automatically be transmitted to the moving head.

## EDIT PROGRAM – Record Controller – Working With Built In Programs

A Master unit can send up to 3 different data groups to the Slave units, i.e. a Master unit can start 3 different Slave units, which run 3 different programs. The Master unit sends the 3 program parts in a continuous loop.



The Slave unit receives data from the Master unit according to the group which the Slave unit was assigned to. If e.g. a Slave unit is set to “**Slave 1**” in the menu “**Set to Slave**”, the Master unit sends “**Auto Program Part 1**” to the Slave unit.

If set to “**Slave 2**”, the Slave unit receives “**Auto Program Part 2**”.

To start an Auto Program proceed as follows:

### 1. Slave Setting

- Select “**Function Mode**”.
- Press **ENTER** to confirm.
- Select “**Set to Slave**”.
- Press **ENTER** to confirm.
- Select “**Slave 1**”, “**Slave 2**” or “**Slave 3**”.
- Press **ENTER** to confirm.
- Press **MODE/ESC** in order to return to the main menu.

### 2. Automatic Program Run

- Select “**Function Mode**”.
- Press **ENTER** to confirm.
- Select “**Auto Program**”.
- Press **ENTER** to confirm.
- Select “**Master**” or “**Alone**”.
- Press **ENTER** to confirm.
- Press **MODE/ESC** in order to return to the main menu.

## **EDIT PROGRAM – Record Controller – Working With Built-In Program [continued]**

### **3. Program Selection for Auto Pro Part**

- Select “**Edit Program**”.
- Press **ENTER** to confirm.
- Select “**Select Programs**”.
- Press **ENTER** to confirm.
- Select “**Auto Pro Part 1**”, “**Auto Pro Part 2**” or “**Auto Pro Part 3**”, and select which Slave program is to be sent. Selection “**Part 1**” means, that the Slave unit runs the same program as the master units.
- Press **ENTER** to confirm.
- Press **MODE/ESC** in order to return to the main menu.

### **4. Program Selection for Edit Program**

- Select “**Edit Program**”.
- Press **ENTER** to confirm.
- Select “**Edit Program**”.
- Press **ENTER** to confirm.
- Select the desired program. With this function you can edit specific scenes into a specific program.
- Press **ENTER** to confirm.
- Press **MODE/ESC** in order to return to the main menu.

### **5. Automatic Scene Recording**

- Select “**Edit Program**”.
- Press **ENTER** to confirm.
- Select “**Edit Scenes**”.
- Select desired scene numbers. A maximum of 250 scenes can be programmed.
- Press **ENTER** to confirm.
- Press **MODE/ESC** in order to return to the main menu.

**EDIT PROGRAM – Record Controller – Working With Built-In Program [continued]**

**Example:**

Program 2 includes scenes: 10, 11, 12, & 13

Program 4 includes scenes: 8, 9, & 10

Program 6 includes scenes: 12, 13, 14, & 15

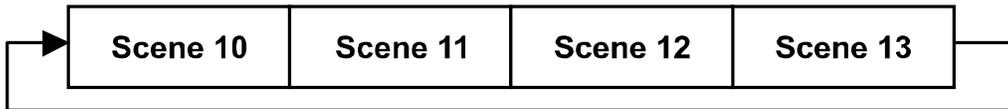
Auto Pro Part 1 is Program 2

Auto Pro Part 2 is Program 3

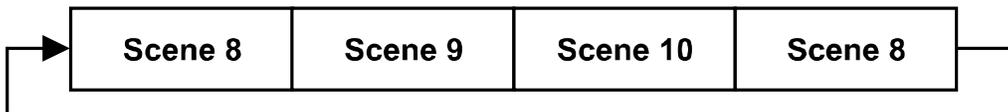
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The 3 Slave groups run the Auto Program in certain time segments, as shown in the following picture:

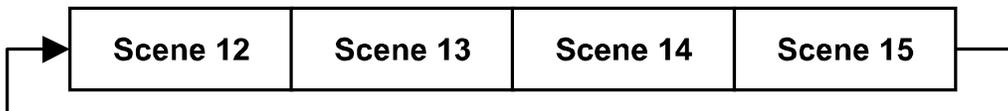
**Part 1:**



**Part 2:**



**Part 3:**



# DMX CHANNEL FUNCTIONS AND VALUES

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*Rotation direction (Clockwise or Counterclockwise) of COLOR, GOBO, and PRISM effects depends on orientation of the fixture head.			
MODE / CHANNEL			FUNCTION
BASIC	STAND	EXTEND	VALUE
1	1	1	
			0-255
	2	2	
			0-255
2	3	3	
			0-255
	4	4	
			0-255
3	5	5	
			0-10
			11-22
			23-34
			35-46
			47-58
			59-70
			71-82
			83-94
			95-106
			107-118
			119-127
			128-189
			190-193
194-255			
		6	
			0-255

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<b>MODE / CHANNEL</b>			<b>FUNCTION</b>	
<b>BASIC</b>	<b>STAND</b>	<b>EXTEND</b>		
4	6	7	<b>ROTATING GOBOS, CONTINUOUS ROTATION [GOBO WHEEL 1]</b>	
			0-9	BEAM OPEN
			10-19	Rotating Gobo 1
			20-29	Rotating Gobo 2
			30-39	Rotating Gobo 3
			40-49	Rotating Gobo 4
			50-59	Rotating Gobo 5
			60-69	Rotating Gobo 6
			70-79	Rotating Gobo 7
			80-89	Rotating Gobo 8
			90-99	Rotating Gobo 1 Shake SLOW to FAST
			100-109	Rotating Gobo 2 Shake SLOW to FAST
			110-119	Rotating Gobo 3 Shake SLOW to FAST
			120-129	Rotating Gobo 4 Shake SLOW to FAST
			130-139	Rotating Gobo 5 Shake SLOW to FAST
			140-149	Rotating Gobo 6 Shake SLOW to FAST
			150-159	Rotating Gobo 7 Shake SLOW to FAST
			160-169	Rotating Gobo 8 Shake SLOW to FAST
			170-209	*Clockwise Gobo Wheel Rotation from FAST to SLOW
			210-215	NO Rotation
216-255	*Counterclockwise Gobo Wheel Rotation from SLOW to FAST			
5	7	8	<b>ROTATING GOBOS, INDEX ROTATION [GOBO WHEEL 1]</b>	
			0-127	Gobo Indexing
			128-189	*Clockwise Gobo Rotation from FAST TO SLOW
			190-193	NO Rotation
			194-255	*Counterclockwise Gobo Rotation from SLOW to FAST
		9	<b>ROTATING GOBOS, FINE INDEX ROTATION [GOBO WHEEL 1]</b>	
			0-255	Gobo Rotation FINE Indexing

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MODE / CHANNEL			FUNCTION
BASIC	STAND	EXTEND	
			<b>STATIC / STAMPED GOBOS [GOBO WHEEL 2]</b>
			0-7 OPEN
			8-14 Static / Stamped Gobo 1
			15-21 Static / Stamped Gobo 2
			22-28 Static / Stamped Gobo 3
			29-35 Static / Stamped Gobo 4
			36-42 Static / Stamped Gobo 5
			43-49 Static / Stamped Gobo 6
			50-56 Static / Stamped Gobo 7
			57-63 Static / Stamped Gobo 8
			64-70 Static / Stamped Gobo 9
			71-77 Static / Stamped Gobo 10
			78-84 Static / Stamped Gobo 11
			85-91 Static / Stamped Gobo 12
			92-98 Static / Stamped Gobo 13
6	8	10	99-105 Shake SLOW to FAST Static / Stamped Gobo 1
			106-112 Shake SLOW to FAST Static / Stamped Gobo 2
			113-119 Shake SLOW to FAST Static / Stamped Gobo 3
			120-126 Shake SLOW to FAST Static / Stamped Gobo 4
			127-133 Shake SLOW to FAST Static / Stamped Gobo 5
			134-140 Shake SLOW to FAST Static / Stamped Gobo 6
			141-147 Shake SLOW to FAST Static / Stamped Gobo 7
			148-154 Shake SLOW to FAST Static / Stamped Gobo 8
			155-161 Shake SLOW to FAST Static / Stamped Gobo 9
			162-168 Shake SLOW to FAST Static / Stamped Gobo 10
			169-175 Shake SLOW to FAST Static / Stamped Gobo 11
			176-182 Shake SLOW to FAST Static / Stamped Gobo 12
			183-189 Shake SLOW to FAST Static / Stamped Gobo 13
			190-221 *Clockwise Gobo Wheel Rotation from FAST to SLOW
			222-223 NO Rotation
			224-255 *Counterclockwise Gobo Wheel Rotation from SLOW to FAST
		11	<b>STATIC / FIXED GOBOS, FINE INDEXING [GOBO WHEEL 2]</b>
			0-255 Gobo Rotation FINE Indexing

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<b>MODE / CHANNEL</b>			<b>VALUE</b>	
<b>BASIC</b>	<b>STAND</b>	<b>EXTEND</b>	<b>FUNCTION</b>	
7	9	12	0-63	8-FACET ROTATING PRISM, 8-FACET PRISM / GOBO MACROS
			64-127	OPEN
			128-135	8-Facet Rotating Prism
			136-143	8-Facet Prism / Gobo Macro 1
			144-151	8-Facet Prism / Gobo Macro 2
			152-159	8-Facet Prism / Gobo Macro 3
			160-167	8-Facet Prism / Gobo Macro 4
			168-175	8-Facet Prism / Gobo Macro 5
			176-183	8-Facet Prism / Gobo Macro 6
			184-191	8-Facet Prism / Gobo Macro 7
			192-199	8-Facet Prism / Gobo Macro 8
			200-207	8-Facet Prism / Gobo Macro 9
			208-215	8-Facet Prism / Gobo Macro 10
			216-223	8-Facet Prism / Gobo Macro 11
			224-231	8-Facet Prism / Gobo Macro 12
			232-239	8-Facet Prism / Gobo Macro 13
			240-247	8-Facet Prism / Gobo Macro 14
248-255	8-Facet Prism / Gobo Macro 15			
8	10	13	0-127	8-FACET ROTATING PRISM, INDEX ROTATION
			128-189	8-FACET Prism Indexing
			190-193	*Clockwise 8-Facet Prism Rotation from FAST to SLOW
			194-255	NO Rotation
			200-255	*Counterclockwise 8-Facet Prism Rotation from SLOW to FAST
9	11	14	0-255	8-FACET ROTATING PRISM, FINE INDEX ROTATION
			0-255	8-FACET Prism FINE Indexing
			0-255	FOCUS
10	12	15	0-255	Continuous Adjustment from NEAR to FAR
			0-255	FOCUS FINE
11	13	16	0-255	Continuous FINE Focus Adjustment
			0-31	SHUTTER, STROBE
			32-63	Shutter CLOSED
			64-95	NO Function (Shutter OPEN)
			96-127	Strobe Effect SLOW to FAST
			128-159	NO function (Shutter OPEN)
			160-191	Pulse Effect In Sequences
			192-223	NO Function (Shutter OPEN)
			224-255	Random Strobe Effect SLOW to FAST
12	14	17	0-255	NO Function (Shutter OPEN)
			0-255	DIMMER INTENSITY
13	15	18	0-255	Intensity 0 to 100%
			0-255	DIMMER INTENSITY FINE
14	16	19	0-255	Dimmer Intensity FINE Adjustment
			0-127	FROST
			128-255	DISABLE Frost
15	17	20	0-127	ENABLE Frost 100%
			128-255	DISABLE Frost

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MODE / CHANNEL			VALUE	FUNCTION
BASIC	STAND	EXTEND		
13	15	21		PAN / TILT MOVEMENT SPEED
			0-225	MAX to MIN Speed
			226-235	Blackout by Movement
			236-245	Blackout by ALL Wheel Changing
			246-255	NO Function
14	16	22		LAMP ON/OFF, RESET, INTERNAL PROGRAMS
			0-19	Color & Gobo Change Normal
			20-29	Color Change to Any Position
			30-39	Color & Gobo Change to Any Position
			40-59	Lamp ON
			60-79	Lamp Switch OFF
			80-84	ALL Motor Reset
			85-87	SCAN Motor Reset
			88-90	COLORS Motor Reset
			91-93	GOBOS Motor Reset
			94-96	SHUTTER & DIMMER Motor Reset
			97-99	OTHER Motor Reset
			100-119	Internal Program 1 (Scene 1-8)
			120-139	Internal Program 2 (Scene 9-16)
			140-159	Internal Program 3 (Scene 17-24)
			160-179	Internal Program 4 (Scene 25-32)
			180-199	Internal Program 5 (Scene 33-40)
			200-219	Internal Program 6 (Scene 41-48)
220-239	Internal Program 7 (Scene 49-56)			
240-255	NO Function			

## ERROR CODES

When power is applied, the unit will automatically enter a **“Reset/Test”** mode. This mode brings all the internal motors to a home position. If there is an internal problem with one or more of the motors an error code will flash in the display in the form of **“XXer”** where as XX will represent a function number. For example, when the display shows **“0Er”** it means there is some type of error with the Pan motor. If there are multiple errors during the start-up process they will all flash in the display. For example: if the fixtures has errors on **Channel 1, 2, and 5** all at the same time, you will see the error message **“01Er”, “02Er”, and “05Er”** flash repeated 5 times.

If an error does occur during the initial start-up procedure the fixture will self-generate a second reset signal and try to realign all the motors and correct the errors. If the error persists after a second attempt a third attempt will be made. If after a third attempt all the errors have not been corrected the fixture will make the following determinations:

- **3 or More Errors** - The fixture cannot function properly with three or more errors therefore the fixture will place itself in a stand-by mode until subsequent repairs can be made.
- **Less Than 3 Errors** - The fixture has less than 3 errors; therefore most other functions will work properly. The fixture will attempt to operate normally until the errors can be correct by a technician. The errors in question will remain flashing in the display as a reminder of internal errors.

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ERROR CODES**

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ERROR CODE	DESCRIPTION
<b>PAN Er</b>	The PAN movement is not located in the default position after the reset. This message will appear after a fixture reset if the magnetic-indexing circuit malfunctions (sensor failed or magnet is missing) or there is a motor failure (defective motor or a defective motor IC drive on the main PCB). This error may also be displayed if the head/yoke was blocked during a reset function.
<b>TILT Er</b>	The TILT movement is not located in the default position after the reset. This message will appear after a fixture reset if the magnetic-indexing circuit malfunctions (sensor failed or magnet is missing) or there is a motor failure (defective motor or defective motor IC drive on main PCB). This error may also be displayed if the head was blocked during a reset function.
<b>Color Wheel Er</b>	The Color Wheel is not located in the default position after the reset. This message will appear after the reset of the fixture reset if the magnetic-indexing circuit malfunctions (sensor failed or magnet is missing) or there is a stepper motor failure (defective motor or defective motor IC drive on main PCB).
<b>Gobo Wheel 1 Er</b>	The Gobo Wheel 1 movement is not located in the default position after the reset. This message will appear after a fixture reset if the magnetic-indexing circuit malfunctions (sensor failed or magnet is missing) or there is a stepper motor failure (defective motor or defective motor IC drive on main PCB).
<b>Gobo Rot.1 Er</b>	The Gobo Rot.1 movement is not located in the default position after the reset. This message will appear after a fixture reset if the gobo wheel's magnetic-indexing circuit malfunctions (sensor failed or magnet is missing) or there is a stepper motor failure (defective motor or defective motor IC drive on main PCB).
<b>Gobo Wheel 2 Er</b>	The Gobo Wheel 2 movement is not located in the default position after the reset. This message will appear after a fixture reset if the magnetic-indexing circuit malfunctions (sensor failed or magnet is missing) or there is a stepper motor failure (defective motor or defective motor IC drive on main PCB).
<b>Prism R Er</b>	The Prism Rot.1 movement is not located in the default position after the reset. This message will appear after a fixture reset if the gobo wheel's magnetic-indexing circuit malfunctions (sensor failed or magnet is missing) or there is a stepper motor failure (defective motor or defective motor IC drive on main PCB).
<b>Focus Er</b>	The Focus movement is not located in the default position after the reset. This message will appear after the reset of the fixture reset if the magnetic-indexing circuit malfunctions (sensor failed or magnet is missing) or there is a stepper motor failure (defective motor or defective motor IC drive on main PCB).
<b>Frost Er</b>	The Frost movement is not located in the default position after the reset. This message will appear after the reset of the fixture reset if the magnetic-indexing circuit malfunctions (sensor failed or magnet is missing) or there is a stepper motor failure (defective motor or defective motor IC drive on main PCB).

## CLEANING AND MAINTENANCE



**C A U T I O N**

**Disconnect power before cleaning or maintenance.**

### CLEANING

Frequent cleaning is recommended to insure proper function, optimized light output, and an extended life. The frequency of cleaning depends on the environment in which the fixture operates: damp, smoky or particularly dirty environments can cause greater accumulation of dirt on the fixture's optics.

- Clean the external lens surface at least every 20 days with a soft cloth to avoid dirt/debris accumulation.
- Never use alcohol, solvents, or ammonia based cleaners.

### MAINTENANCE

Regular inspections are recommended to insure proper function and extended life. There are no user serviceable parts inside this fixture, please refer all other service issues to an authorized Elation service technician. Should you need any spare parts, please order genuine parts from your local Elation dealer.

Please refer to the following points during routine inspections:

- A detailed electric check by an approved electrical engineer every three months, to make sure the circuit contacts are in good condition and prevent overheating.
- Be sure all screws and fasteners are securely tightened at all times. Loose screws may fall out during normal operation resulting in damage or injury as larger parts could fall.
- Check for any deformations on the housing, color lenses, rigging hardware and rigging points (ceiling, suspension, trussing). Deformations in the housing could allow for dust to enter into the fixture. Damaged rigging points or unsecured rigging could cause the fixture to fall and seriously injure a person(s).
- Electric power supply cables must not show any damage, material fatigue or sediments. Never remove the ground prong from the power cable.

# TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

## FEATURES

Powerful 3° Beam  
Extreme Output and Speed  
CTO & CTB Color Correction  
8-Facet Rotating Prism  
Art-NET (DMX Over Ethernet) Support

## SOURCE

Phillips™ MSD Platinum 17 RA 350W Lamp  
1,500 Hour Average Lamp Life

## EFFECTS

8-Facet Prism and (16) Macros  
Frost Filter  
Strobe: 1-18fps  
Dimming: 0% - 100%

## COLOR

10 Dichroic Colors Including UV, CTB, CTO, + White

## GOBOS

(2) Gobo Wheels  
(8) Interchangeable / Rotating / Indexing Gobos  
(13) Static-Stamped / Indexing Gobos

## CONTROL / CONNECTIONS

(3) DMX Channel Modes (14 / 16 / 22)  
RDM (Remote Device Management)  
6 Button Touch Control Panel  
Full Color 180° Reversible LCD Menu Display  
8 / 16 Bit Resolution Adjustable Movement  
5pin DMX In/Out  
RJ45 Ethernet In/Out (Art-NET)  
Twist Lock Power Cable In/Out

## SIZE / WEIGHT

Length: 14.97" (380.2mm)  
Width: 14.58" (370.3mm)  
Vertical Height: 23.13" (587.5mm)  
Weight: 63.0 lbs. (28.6 kg)

## ELECTRICAL / THERMAL

AC 100-240V - 50/60Hz  
575W Max Power Consumption  
14°F to 113°F (-10°C to 45°C)

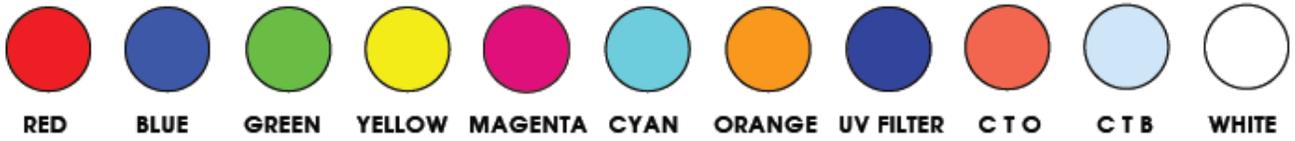
## APPROVALS / RATINGS

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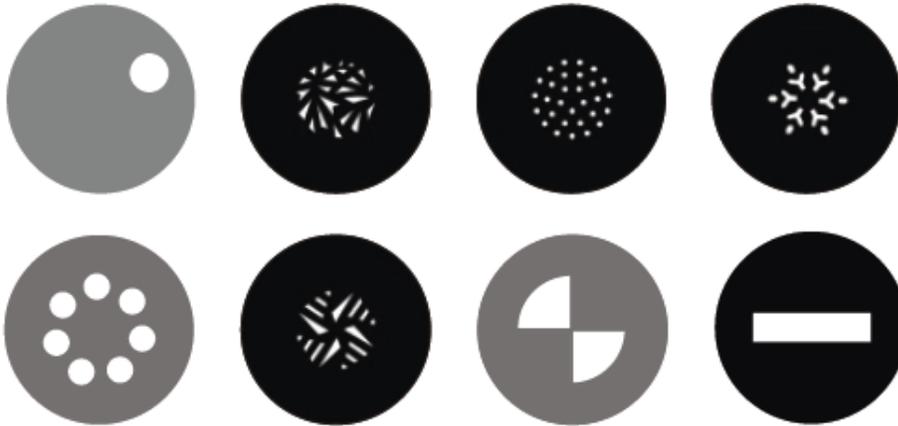
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### COLORS



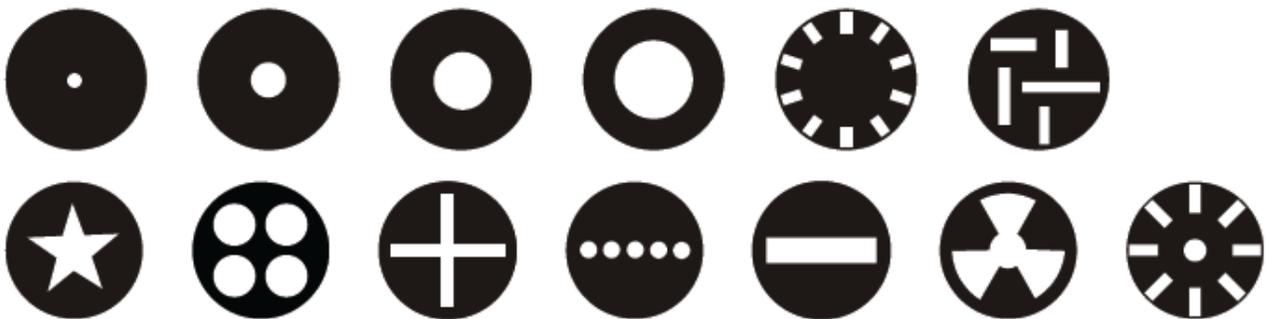
### GOBO WHEEL #1

#### ROTATING - INTERCHANGEABLE GOBOS



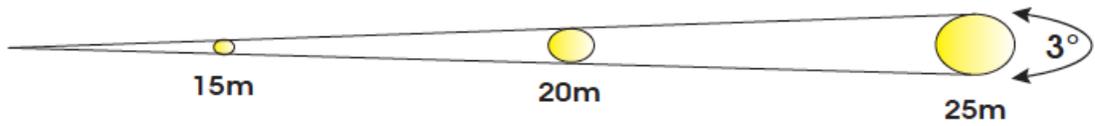
### GOBO WHEEL #2

#### STATIC - STAMPED GOBOS



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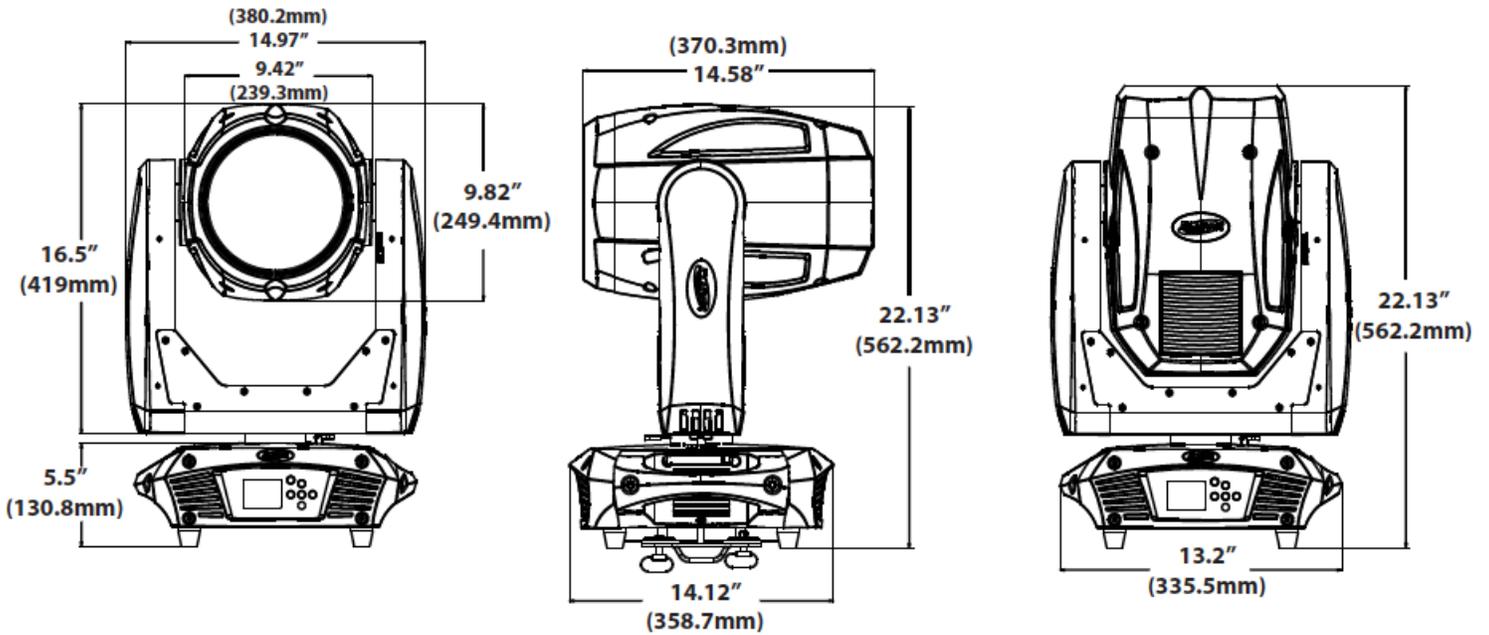
### PHOTOMETRIC DATA



Distance	15m	49.2 ft	20m	65.6 ft	25m	82 ft
3° Diameter	0.64	2.1	0.85	2.8	1.06	3.5
Photometrics	lux	fc	lux	fc	lux	fc
	3° FULL ON	219,400	20,382	129,400	12,021	84,680

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### DIMENSIONAL DRAWINGS



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## OPTIONAL ACCESSORIES

ORDER CODE	ITEM
TRIGGER CLAMP	Heavy Duty Wrap Around Hook Style Clamp
* * pending * *	Road Case For Platinum BX™
EWDMMXSYSTEM	Wireless DMX System (1 Transmitter, 1 Receiver)
PLC3	3' (1m) PRO Link Cable
CAT6PRO5	5' (1.5m) CAT6 Ethernet Cable
AC5PDMX5PRO	5 ft. (1.5m) 5pin PRO DMX Cable
	Additional Cable Lengths Available

