

# **USER MANUAL**







V1 Product code: 43168

# Preface

Thank you for purchasing this Showtec product.

The purpose of this user manual is to provide instructions for the correct and safe use of this product.

Keep the user manual for future reference as it is an integral part of the product. The user manual shall be stored at an easily accessible location.

This user manual contains information concerning:

- Safety instructions
- Intended and non-intended use of the device
- Installation and operation of the device
- Maintenance procedures
- Troubleshooting
- Transport, storage and disposal of the device

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# 1. Introduction

# 1.1. Before Using the Product



Important

Read and follow the instructions in this user manual before installing, operating or servicing this product.

The manufacturer will not accept liability for any resulting damages caused by the non-observance of this manual.

After unpacking, check the contents of the box. If any parts are missing or damaged, contact your Highlite International dealer.

Your shipment includes:

- Showtec Dataflower
- Schuko to IEC (C13) power cable
- User manual





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### 1.2. Intended Use

This device is intended for professional use as a stage light effect. It is suitable only for indoor installation. This device is not suitable for households and for general lighting.

Any other use, not mentioned under intended use, is regarded as non-intended and incorrect use.

#### 1.3. Product Lifespan

This device is not designed for permanent operation. Disconnect the device from the electrical power supply when the device is not in operation. This will reduce the wear and will improve the device's lifespan.

# 1.4. LEDs Lifespan

The light output of the LEDs gradually decreases over time (lumen depreciation). High operating temperatures contribute to this process. You can extend the lifespan of the LEDs by providing adequate ventilation and operating the LEDs at the lowest possible brightness.

### 1.5. Text Conventions

Throughout the user manual the following text conventions are used:

- Buttons: All buttons are in bold lettering, for example "Press the UP/DOWN buttons"
- References: References to chapters and parts of the device are in bold lettering, for example: "Refer to 2. Safety", "turn the adjustment screw (02)"
- 0–255: Defines a range of values
- Notes: Note: (in bold lettering) is followed by useful information or tips

# 1.6. Symbols and Signal Words

Safety notes and warnings are indicated throughout the user manual by safety signs.

Always follow the instructions provided in this user manual.

	<b>DANGER</b> Indicates an imminently hazardous situation which, if not avoided, will result in death or serious injury.					
	<b>WARNING</b> Indicates a potentially hazardous situation which, if not avoided, could result in death or serious injury.					
	CAUTION	Indicates a potentially hazardous situation, which, if not avoided, may result in minor or moderate injury.				
	Attention Indicates important information for the correct operation and use of the product.					
<b>E</b>	Important Read and observe the instructions in this document.					
4	Electrical hazard					
	Hot surface					
	Eye damage hazard					
X	Provides important information about the disposal of this product.					

# 1.7. Symbols on the Information Label

This product is provided with an information label. The information label is located on the backside of the device.

The information label contains the following symbols:



This device is designed for indoor use.

This device shall not be treated as household waste.

# 2. Safety



#### Important

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# 2.1. Warnings and Safety Instructions



DANGER Danger for children

For adult use only. The device must be installed beyond the reach of children.

• Do not leave various parts of the packaging (plastic bags, polystyrene foam, nails, etc.) within children's reach. Packaging material is a potential source of danger for children.



#### DANGER Electric shock caused by dangerous voltage inside

There are areas within the device where dangerous touch voltage (> 120 V DC) may be present.

- Do not open the device or remove any covers.
- Do not operate the device if the covers or the housing are open. Before operation, check if the housing is firmly closed and all screws are tightly fastened.
- Disconnect the device from electrical power supply before service and maintenance, and when the device is not in use.



# DANGER

Electric shock caused by short-circuit

This device falls under IEC protection class I.

- Make sure that the device is electrically connected to ground (earth). Connect the device only to a socket-outlet with ground (earth) connection.
- Do not cover the ground (earth) connection.
- Do not bypass the thermostatic switch or fuses.
- For replacement use fuses of the same type and rating only.
- Do not let the power cable come into contact with other cables. Handle the power cable and all connections with the mains with caution.
- Do not modify, bend, mechanically strain, put pressure on, pull or heat up the power cable.
- Make sure that the power cable is not crimped or damaged. Examine the power cable periodically for any defects.
- Do not immerse the device in water or other liquids. Do not install the device in a location where flooding may occur.
- Do not use the device during thunderstorms. Disconnect the device from the electrical power supply immediately.





WARNING Risk of burns due to hot surface

The surface and the inner parts of the device can become very hot during operation.

- Do not touch the device during operation.
- Allow the device to cool down for at least 15 minutes before handling.



WARNING Risk of epileptic shock

Strobe lighting can trigger seizures in photosensitive epilepsy. Sensitive persons should avoid looking at strobe lights.



# WARNING

Possible eye damage caused by high light intensity

Possibly hazardous optical radiation emitted from this device.

- Do not look at the operating light source. May be harmful to the eye.
- Do not look at the light source with optical instruments that may concentrate the light output.
- Make sure that persons are not looking directly into the light source when the device lights up suddenly. This can happen when the device is powered or when it receives DMX signal, or when certain menu items are selected.
- Disconnect power supply before servicing.
- Wear protective goggles if looking into light source during service or maintenance.



Attention Power supply

- Before connecting the device to the power supply, make sure that the current, voltage and frequency match the input voltage, current and frequency specified on the information label on the device.
- Make sure that the cross-sectional area of the extension cords and power cables is sufficient for the required power consumption of the device.



Attention General safety

- Do not insert objects into the air vents.
- Do not connect the device to a dimmer pack.
- Do not switch the device on and off in short intervals. This decreases the device's life.
- Do not shake the device. Avoid brute force when installing or operating the device.
- Change the lens or the LEDs if they are visibly damaged to such an extent that their effectiveness is impaired, for example by cracks or deep scratches. Contact your Highlight International dealer for more information, as servicing can be performed only by instructed or skilled persons.
- If the device is dropped or struck, disconnect the device from the electrical power supply immediately.



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- If the device is exposed to extreme temperature variations (e.g. after transportation), do not switch it on immediately. Let the device reach room temperature before switching it on, otherwise it may be damaged by the formed condensation.
- If the device fails to work properly, discontinue the use immediately.



#### Attention For professional use only This device shall be used only for the purposes it is designed for.

This device is designed to be used as a professional stage light effect. Any incorrect use may lead to hazardous situations and result in injuries and material damage.

- This device is not suitable for households and for general lighting.
- This device is not designed for permanent operation.
- This device does not contain user-serviceable parts. Unauthorized modifications to the device will render the warranty void. Such modifications may result in injuries and material damage.



#### Attention Before each use, examine the device visually for any defects.

Make sure that:

- All screws used for installing the device or parts of the device are tightly fastened and are not corroded.
- The safety devices are not damaged.
- There are no deformations on housings, fixations and installation points.
- The lens is not cracked or damaged.
- The power cables are not damaged and do not show any material fatigue.



#### Attention

Do not expose the device to conditions that exceed the rated IP class conditions.

This device is IP20 rated. IP (Ingress Protection) 20 class provides protection against solid objects greater than 12 mm, such as fingers, and no protection against harmful ingress of water.

#### 2.2. Requirements for the User

This product may be used by ordinary persons. Maintenance may be carried by ordinary persons. Installation and service shall be carried out only by instructed or skilled persons. Contact your Highlite dealer for more information.

Instructed persons have been instructed and trained by a skilled person, or are supervised by a skilled person, for specific tasks and work activities associated with the installation, service and maintenance of this product, so that they can identify risks and take precautions to avoid them.

Skilled persons have training or experience, which enables them to recognize risks and to avoid hazards associated with the installation, service and maintenance of this product.

Ordinary persons are all persons other than instructed persons and skilled persons. Ordinary persons include not only users of the product but also any other persons that may have access to the device or who may be in the vicinity of the device.



# 3. Description of the Device

The Showtec Dataflower is a stage light effect suitable for projection of gobo patterns on walls or dance floors. In combination with smoke or haze, it produces stunning aerial effects. Vivid colors and an optimized selection of gobos make Dataflower the ideal device for various gigs.

# 3.1. Front View



01) Mounting bracket

- 02) 2 adjustment screws
- 03) Lens
- 04) Cooling fan

Fig. 02

# 3.2. Back View



- 05) 3-pin DMX connector OUT
- 06) 3-pin DMX connector IN
- 07) Fuse T2AL, 250 V
- 08) IEC (C14) power connector IN, 100–240 V, 10 A, 50/60 Hz
- 09) IEC (C13) power connector OUT, 100–240 V, 8 A, 50/60 Hz
- 10) Safety eye
- 11) Built-in microphone
- 12) Control panel: 4-digit LED display and control buttons

Fig. 03

# 3.3. Product Specifications

Model:	Dataflower			
Electrical:				
Input voltage:	100–240 V AC, 50/60 Hz			
Power consumption:	117 W			
Fuse:	T2AL, 250 V			
Physical:				
Dimensions:	308 x 265 x 202 r	nm (I x W x H)		
Weight:	3,8 kg			
Optics:				
Light source:	100 W LED			
Color temperature:	7400 K			
Dimmer:	0-100 %			
Strobe:	0–20 Hz			
Beam angle:	40°			
Effects:				
Color wheel:	9 dichroic filters	and white		
Gobo wheel:	11 gobo patterr			
Operation and control:				
Control:	Stand-alone (au	uto, manual, sound-controlled)		
		Master/Slave (auto, manual, sound-controlled)		
DMX channels:	2, 5, 7			
Control panel:	4-digit LED display and control buttons			
Connections:				
Power connections:		r connector IN, 100–240 V, 10 A, 50/60 Hz r connector OUT, 100–240 V, 8 A, 50/60 Hz		
Data connections:	3-pin DMX conr			
Signal pinouts:	Pin 1 (ground), p	pin 2 (-), pin 3 (+)		
Construction:				
Housing:	Metal			
Color:	Black			
IP rating:	IP20			
Cooling:	Cooling fan			
Thermal:				
Maximum ambient temperature ta:		40 °C		
Maximum housing temp	erature t <sub>c</sub> :	70 °C		
	erature $t_c$ :	70 °C		
Maximum housing temp		70 °C 0,5 m		

# 3.4. Dimensions



Fig. 05

# 4. Installation

# 4.1. Safety Instructions for Installation



#### WARNING

Incorrect installation can cause serious injuries and damage of property.

If trussing systems are used, installation must be carried out only by instructed or skilled persons.

Follow all applicable European, national and local safety regulations concerning rigging and trussing.

### 4.2. Personal Protective Equipment

During installation and rigging wear personal protective equipment in compliance with the national and site-specific regulations.

### 4.3. Installation Site Requirements

- The device can be used only indoors.
- The device can be mounted to a truss or another rigging structure in any orientation.
- The minimum distance to other objects must be bigger than 0,5 m.
- The maximum ambient temperature  $t_a = 40$  °C must never be exceeded.
- The relative humidity must not exceed 50 % with an ambient temperature of 40 °C.

# 4.4. Rigging

The device can be positioned on a flat surface or mounted to a truss or other rigging structure. Make sure that all loads are within the pre-determined limits of the supporting structure.



CAUTION Restrict the access under the work area during rigging and/or derigging. To mount the device, follow the steps below:

- 01) Use a clamp to attach the device to the supporting structure, as shown in Fig. 06. Make sure that the device cannot move freely.
- 02) Secure the device with a secondary suspension, for example a safety cable. Make sure that the secondary suspension can hold 10 times the weight of the device. If possible, the secondary suspension should be attached to a supporting structure independent of the primary suspension. Put the safety cable through the **safety eye (10)**, as shown in Fig. 06.



### 4.4.1. Angle Adjustment

You can adjust the angle of the device with the **adjustment screws (02)**.

- 01) Turn the adjustment screws (02) counterclockwise to release them.
- 02) Tilt the device at the desired angle (see Fig. 07).
- 03) Turn the **adjustment screws (02)** clockwise to tighten them. Make sure that the device cannot move freely after the **adjustment screws (02)** are tightened.







Fig. 06

Fig. 07

# 4.4.2. Focus Adjustment

Turn the lens (03) clockwise or counterclockwise to adjust the focus.



Fig. 08

# 4.5. Connecting to Power Supply



#### DANGER

#### Electric shock caused by short-circuit

The device accepts AC mains power at 100–240 V and 50/60 Hz. Do not supply power at any other voltage or frequency to the device.

This device falls under IEC protection class I. Make sure that the device is always electrically connected to the ground (earth).

Before connecting the device to the socket-outlet:

- Make sure that the power supply matches the input voltage specified on the information label on the device.
- Make sure that the socket-outlet has ground (earth) connection.

Connect the device to the socket-outlet with the power plug. Do not connect the device to a dimmer circuit, as this may damage the device.

#### 4.6. Power Linking of Multiple Devices

This device supports power linking. Power can be relayed to another device via the power OUT connector. Note that the input and the output connectors have different designs: one type cannot be connected to the other.

Power linking of multiple devices must be carried out only by instructed or skilled persons.



# WARNING

Incorrect power linking may lead to overload of the electrical circuit and result in serious injuries and damage of property.

To prevent overload of the electrical circuit, when power linking multiple devices:

- Use cables with sufficient current-carrying capacity. The power cable supplied with the device is not suitable for power linking of multiple device.
- Make sure that the total current draw of the device and all connected devices does not exceed the rated capacity of the power cables and the circuit breaker.
- Do not link more devices on one power link than the maximum recommended number.

Maximum recommended number of devices:

- at 100–120 V: 8 devices Dataflower
- at 200–240 V: 15 devices Dataflower

# 5. Setup

# 5.1. Warnings and Precautions



Attention Connect all data cables before supplying power. Disconnect power supply before connecting or disconnecting data cables.

### 5.2. Stand-alone Setup

When the Dataflower is not connected to a controller or to other devices, it functions as a stand-alone device. It can be operated manually, in auto mode or in sound-controlled mode.

For more information about the control modes, refer to 6.2. Control Modes on page 20.

### 5.3. DMX Connection

#### 5.3.1. DMX-512 Protocol

You need a DMX serial data link to run light shows of one or more devices using a DMX-512 controller or to run synchronized shows of two or more devices set in a master/slave operating mode.

The Dataflower has 3-pin DMX signal IN and OUT connectors.

The pin assignment is as follows: pin 1 (ground), pin 2 (-), pin 3 (+).

Devices on a serial data link must be daisy-chained in a single line. The number of devices that you can control on one data link is limited by the combined number of the DMX channels of the connected devices and the 512 channels available in one DMX universe.

To comply with the TIA-485 standard, no more than 32 devices should be connected on one data link. In order to connect more than 32 devices on one data link, you must use a DMX optically isolated splitter/booster, otherwise this may result in deterioration of the DMX signal.

#### Note:

- Maximum recommended DMX data link distance: 300 m
- Maximum recommended number of devices on a DMX data link: 32 devices

#### 5.3.2. DMX Cables

Shielded twisted-pair cables with 3-pin XLR connectors must be used for reliable DMX connection. You can purchase DMX cables directly from your Highlite International dealer or make your own cables.

If you use XLR audio cables for DMX data transmission, this may lead to signal degradation and unreliable operation of the DMX network.

When you make your own DMX cables, make sure that you connect the pins and wires correctly as shown in Fig. 09.



#### 5.3.3. Master/Slave Setup

The Dataflower supports master/slave control mode. To connect multiple devices in master/slave setup, follow the steps below:

- 01) Connect the first device's DMX OUT connector to the second device's DMX IN connector with a 3-pin DMX cable.
- 02) Repeat step 1 to connect all devices as shown in Fig. 10.
- 03) Connect a DMX terminator (120  $\Omega$  resistor) to the DMX OUT connector of the last device in the setup.
- 04) Set the first device on the data link as a master device. See **6.6.4. Master Mode** on page 24 for more information.
- 05) Set the remaining devices as slave devices. See 6.6.3. Slave Mode on page 24 for more information.



Fig. 10

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#### 5.3.4. DMX Linking

To connect multiple devices on one DMX data link, follow the steps below:

- 01) Use a 3-pin DMX cable to connect the DMX OUT connector of the lighting controller to the DMX IN connector of the first device.
- 02) Connect the first device's DMX OUT connector to the second device's DMX IN connector with a 3-pin DMX cable.
- 03) Repeat step 2 to connect all devices in a daisy-chain as shown in Fig. 11.
- 04) Connect a DMX terminator (120 Ω resistor) to the DMX OUT connector of the last device on the data link.





#### 5.3.5. DMX Addressing

In a setup with multiple devices, make sure that you set the DMX starting address of each device correctly. The Dataflower has 3 personalities: 2 channels, 5 channels, and 7 channels.

If you want to connect multiple devices on one data link and use them in 7-channel mode, for example, follow the steps below:

- 01) Set the starting address of the 1st device on the data link to 1 (001).
- 02) Set the starting address of the  $2^{nd}$  device on the data link to 8 (008), as 1 + 7 = 8.
- 03) Set the starting address of the  $3^{rd}$  device on the data link to 15 (015) as 8 + 7 = 15.
- 04) Continue assigning the starting addresses of the remaining devices by adding each time 7 to the previous number.

Make sure that you do not have any overlapping channels in order to control each Dataflower correctly. If two or more devices are addressed similarly, they will work similarly.

# 6. Operation

### 6.1. Safety Instructions for Operation



#### Attention

This device must be used only for the purposes it is designed for.

This device is intended for professional use as a stage light effect. It is suitable only for indoor installation. This device is not suitable for households and for general lighting.

Any other use, not mentioned under intended use, is regarded as non-intended and incorrect use.



Attention Power supply

Before connecting the device to the power supply, make sure that the current, voltage and frequency match the input voltage, current and frequency specified on the information label on the device.

### 6.2. Control Modes

The Dataflower can be operated with a DMX controller, and as a stand-alone device or in a master/slave setup without a DMX controller.

The Dataflower supports the following control modes:

- Stand-alone: Auto operation mode (built-in programs), manual operation, soundcontrolled operation mode (built-in programs)
- Master/Slave: Auto operation mode (built-in programs), manual operation, soundcontrolled operation mode (built-in programs)
- DMX-512: 2 channels, 5 channels and 7 channels

For more information about how to connect the devices, refer to 5. Setup on pages 17–19.

To operate the device manually as a stand-alone device or in a master/slave setup:

- 01) Select Manual Control in the main menu.
- 02) Adjust the values for dimmer, strobe, color, gobo and gobo rotation in the respective submenus. See **6.6.11. Manual Control** on page 26 for more information.

To run one of the built-in programs in auto operation mode without a DMX controller:

- 01) Select Show Mode in the main menu.
- 02) Select one of the 8 built-in programs or run all built-in programs in random order. See **6.6.5. Show Mode** on page 24 for more information.

You can additionally activate sound-controlled operation when running the built-in programs. See **6.6.6**. **Sound Mode** on page 25 for more information.

To operate the device with a DMX controller:

- 01) Set the DMX starting address of the device in the DMX Address menu. See **5.3.5. DMX Addressing** on page 19 and **6.6.1. DMX Address** on page 23.
- 02) Select the DMX channel mode. See **6.6.2. Set DMX Channel Mode** on page 23 for more information. See **6.7. DMX Channels** on pages 28–29 for complete overview of all DMX channels.



# 6.3. Control Panel



- Use the **MENU** button to exit the current submenu, to return to the main menu and to scroll through the main menu.
- Use the **UP/DOWN** buttons to navigate through the menus or to increase/decrease numeric values.
- Use the **ENTER** button to open the desired menu, to confirm your choice or to set the currently selected value.

# 6.4. Start-up

Upon start-up the display will show the following screen:



Immediately afterwards the display will show the start screen. The start screen provides information about the current control mode of the device:





The device is not receiving DMX signal. The settings in the DMX fail menu apply. See **6.6.8. DMX Fail** on page 25 for more information.

Note:

If no button is pressed, after 5 seconds of inactivity the display will return to the start screen and after 10 more seconds it will turn off. Press any button to turn the display on. See **6.6.9**. **Display LEDs** on pages 25–26 for more information.

# 6.5. Menu Overview

		MENU					
	Rddr	ENTER		UP/DOWN	d5 (2		
	EHnd	ENTER	55H	UP/DOWN	5EH	UP/DOWN	
	SLnd	ENTER	51-1	UP/DOWN	51-5		
	RASE	ENTER	ΩN	UP/DOWN	oFF		
	SHnd	ENTER	5H-0	ENTER	5P88	UP/DOWN	<u>5P.99</u>
		UP/DOWN	<b>5</b> H- {	ENTER	5P88	UP/DOWN	5P.99
			5H-8	ENTER	SP88	UP/DOWN	5P.99
	Solin	ENTER	DN	UP/DOWN	oFF		
	56-5	ENTER		UP/DOWN			
	dRSE	ENTER	bLnd	UP/DOWN	LASF	UP/DOWN	nRSE
UP/DOWN	LEd	ENTER	ΩΠ	UP/DOWN	oFF		
	di SP	ENTER	di SP	UP/DOWN	d5 (P		
	<b>NRnU</b>	ENTER	8 88	ENTER		UP/DOWN	255
		- T	Stro	ENTER		UP/DOWN	255
		UP/DOWN	Ealo	ENTER		UP/DOWN	255
			Gobo	ENTER		UP/DOWN	255
			rotA	ENTER		UP/DOWN	255
	FEUb	ENTER	E.825				
	FH-5	ENTER					
	uEr	ENTER	u20 (				
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		UP/DOWN	Gabo	ENTER	- {27	UP/DOWN	[2]

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#### **Main Menu Options** 6.6.

The main menu has the following options:



- 01) Press the UP/DOWN buttons or the MENU button to navigate through the main menu. 02) Press the ENTER button to open the submenus.
- To open the offset mode menu, refer to 6.6.15. Offset Mode on page 27. Note:

#### 6.6.1. DMX Address

In this menu you can set the DMX starting address of the device.

- ENTER **UP/DOWN**
- 01) Press the UP/DOWN buttons to select the DMX starting address. The selection range is 001–512.
- 02) Press the ENTER button to confirm the selection.

#### 6.6.2. DMX Channel Mode

In this menu you can select the DMX channel mode.



01) Press the **UP/DOWN** buttons to select the desired DMX channel mode. There are 3 options available:



2 channels

5 channels

7 channel

02) Press the ENTER button to confirm the selection.



### 6.6.3. Slave Mode

In this menu you can set the device as a slave device in master/slave control mode.



01) Press the UP/DOWN buttons to select one of the following 2 options:



The device will operate as a slave device in master/slave mode on line 1

The device will operate as a slave device in

master/slave mode on line 2

02) Press the ENTER button to confirm the selection.

**Note:** Make sure that all slave devices in one master/slave setup are set to the same slave line, otherwise they will not operate as the master device. Select either Slave 1 or Slave 2 for all slave devices in the same master/slave setup.

Slave 1:

Slave 2:

#### 6.6.4. Master Mode

In this menu you can set the device as a master device in master/slave control mode.



01) Press the UP/DOWN buttons to select one of the following 2 options:



The device will operate as a master device in master/slave mode

The device will not operate as a master device in master/slave mode

02) Press the ENTER button to confirm the selection.

#### 6.6.5. Show Mode

In this menu you can play the built-in programs.



- 01) Press the UP/DOWN buttons to select one of the following options:
  - Show 0:



All 8 built-in programs will be played randomly

- Show 1 Show 8: Select one of the 8 built-in programs
- 02) Press the ENTER button to confirm the selection and to enable the speed adjustment.
- 03) Press the **UP/DOWN** buttons to set the speed of the selected built-in program. The adjustment range is 00–99, from slow to fast.

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04) Press the ENTER button to set the speed.



#### 6.6.6. Sound Mode

In this menu you can activate the sound-controlled operation mode.



01) Press the UP/DOWN buttons to select one of the following 2 options:



Sound-controlled operation mode is activated. The device will run the selected built-in program reacting to the beat of the music

Sound-controlled operation mode is disabled

02) Press the ENTER button to confirm the selection.

#### 6.6.7. Sensitivity Settings

In this menu you can adjust the sensitivity of the built-in microphone.



- 01) Press the **UP/DOWN** buttons to increase or decrease the sensitivity of the built-in microphone. The adjustment range is 000–100, from low to high sensitivity.
- 02) Press the ENTER button to confirm the selection.

#### 6.6.8. DMX Fail

In this menu you can determine the behavior of the device in case there is no DMX signal.



01) Press the UP/DOWN buttons to select one of the following 3 options:



: The device will black out the light output

The device will use the last properly received DMX signal

. The device will continue working as a standalone device

02) Press the ENTER button to confirm the selection.

#### 6.6.9. Display LEDs

In this menu you can select whether the display LEDs will remain on or will turn off after 15 seconds of inactivity.

On:



01) Press the UP/DOWN buttons to select one of the following 2 options:



The LED display will remain on





The LED display will turn off after 15 seconds of inactivity

02) Press the ENTER button to confirm the selection.

#### 6.6.10. Display Settings

In this menu you can select the orientation of the display.











01) Press the UP/DOWN buttons to select one of the following 2 options:



Normal orientation of the LED display

The LED display will be rotated at 180°

02) Press the ENTER button to confirm the selection.

#### 6.6.11. Manual Control

In this menu you can manually control the device.



01) Press the UP/DOWN buttons to select one of the following 5 options:

	Dimmer
Stra	Strobe
Eolo	Color
Gobo	Gobo
rotA	Gobo rotation

- 02) Press the ENTER button to confirm the selection and to enable the adjustment of the values.
- 03) Press the UP/DOWN buttons to adjust the values. The adjustment range is 000-255.
- 04) Press the ENTER button to confirm the selection.



#### 6.6.12. Temperature

In this menu you can view the temperature of the LEDs.



#### 6.6.13. Fixture Hours

In this menu you can view the total hours of operation of the LEDs and of the device.



#### 6.6.14. Version

In this menu you can view the firmware version of the device.



#### 6.6.15. Offset Mode

In this menu you can adjust the home position of the color wheel and the gobo wheel.

- 01) Press the **MENU** button to enter the main menu.
- 02) Press and hold the ENTER button for 3 seconds to enter the offset mode menu.



03) Press the UP/DOWN buttons to select one of the following 5 options:



- 04) Press the ENTER button to confirm the selection and to enable the adjustment of the values.
- 05) Press the UP/DOWN buttons to adjust the values. The adjustment range is between -127 and 127. 06) Press the ENTER button to confirm the selection.

# 6.7. DMX Channels

# 6.7.1. 2 Channels

2 CH	Function	Value	Setting
		000–012	Output blackout
		013–039	Show 0 (all built-in programs)
		040–066	Show 1
	Show	067–093	Show 2
-		094–120	Show 3
I		121–147	Show 4
		148–174	Show 5
		175-201	Show 6
		202–228	Show 7
		229–255	Show 8
2	Show Speed	000–255	Speed adjustment, from slow to fast

# 6.7.2. 5 Channels, 7 Channels

5 CH	7 CH	Function	Value	Setting
1	1	Master Dimmer	000–255	From low to high intensity (0–100 %)
			000–031	Output blackout
			032–063	Open
			064–095	Strobe, from slow to fast
2	2	Strobe	096–127	Open
2	2	Shope	128–159	Pulse strobe, from slow to fast
			160–191	Open
			192-223	Random strobe, from slow to fast
			224–255	Open
			000-015	Open
			016-022	Color 1 (Red)
			023–029	Color 2 (Red/Blue)
			030–036	Color 3 (Blue)
			037–043	Color 4 (Blue/Pink)
			044–050	Color 5 (Pink)
			051–057	Color 6 (Pink/Yellow)
			058–064	Color 7 (Yellow)
			065–071	Color 8 (Yellow/Green)
3	3	Color Wheel	072–078	Color 9 (Green)
			079–085	Color 10 (Green/Orange)
			086–092	Color 11 (Orange)
			093–099	Color 12 (Orange/Cyan)
			100–106	Color 13 (Cyan)
			107–113	Color 14 (Cyan/UV)
			114–120	Color 15 (UV)
			121–127	Color 16 (3200K)
			128–191	Color scroll clockwise, from slow to fast
			192–255	Color scroll counterclockwise, from slow to fast

		0		$\mathbf{\Theta}$	0
Open	Gobo 1	Gobo 2	Gobo 3	Gobo 4	Gobo 5
Ð		6		B	

Gobo 6

Gobo 7

Gobo 8

Gobo 9

Gobo 10



5 CH	7 CH	Function	Value	Setting	
			000–017	Open	
			018–027	Gobo 1	
			028–037	Gobo 2	
			038–047	Gobo 3	
			048–057	Gobo 4	
			058–067	Gobo 5	
4	4	Static Gobo Wheel	068–077	Gobo 6	
4	4	Sidiic Gobo wheel	078–087	Gobo 7	
			088–097	Gobo 8	
			098–107	Gobo 9	
			108–117	Gobo 10	
			118–127	Gobo 11	
			128–191	Gobo scroll counterclockwise, from fast to slow	
			192–255	Gobo scroll clockwise, from slow to fast	
	5	Mirror Dish	000–127	Mirror dish indexing	
5			128–191	Mirror dish rotation clockwise, from fast to slow	
5			192–255	Mirror dish rotation counterclockwise, from slow to	
				fast	
			000	Open	
			001–012	Output blackout	
			013–039	Show 0 (all built-in programs)	
			040–066	Show 1	
			067–093	Show 2	
	6	Show	094–120	Show 3	
			121–147	Show 4	
			148–174	Show 5	
			175–201	Show 6	
			202–228	Show 7	
			229–255	Show 8	
	7	Show Speed	000–255	Speed adjustment, from slow to fast	

Note:

Make sure that the Master Dimmer and the Strobe channels are open in 5-CH and 7-CH mode in order to see the light output.

# 6.8. Gobo Wheel and Color Wheel



Static gobo wheel

Color wheel

Fig. 13

# 7. Troubleshooting

This troubleshooting guide contains solutions to problems which can be carried out by an ordinary person. The device does not contain user-serviceable parts.

Unauthorized modifications to the device will render the warranty void. Such modifications may result in injuries and material damage.

Refer servicing to instructed or skilled persons. Contact your Highlite International dealer in case the solution is not described in the table.

Problem	Probable cause(s)	Solution
The device does not	No power to the device	<ul> <li>Check if power is switched on and cables are plugged in</li> </ul>
function at all	Main fuse is blown	<ul> <li>Replace the fuse. See 8.3.1. Replacing the Fuse on page 33</li> </ul>
	The controller is not connected	Connect the controller
The device does not respond to DMX control	The signal is reversed. The 3-pin/5- pin DMX OUT of the controller does not match the DMX IN of the device	<ul> <li>Install a phase-reversing cable between the controller and the device</li> </ul>
	The controller is defective	Try using another controller
	Bad data link connection	<ul> <li>Examine connections and cables.</li> <li>Correct poor connections. Repair or replace damaged cables</li> </ul>
The device responds erratically to DMX	The data link is not terminated with a 120 $\Omega$ termination plug	<ul> <li>Insert a termination plug in the DMX OUT connector of the last device on the link</li> </ul>
control	Incorrect addressing	<ul> <li>Check address settings and correct, if necessary</li> </ul>
	In case of a setup with multiple devices, one of the devices is defective and disturbs data transmission on the link	<ul> <li>To find out the defective device, bypass one device at a time until normal operation is restored</li> </ul>
No light or LEDs cut	LEDs are damaged	<ul> <li>Disconnect the device and contact your Highlight International dealer</li> </ul>
out intermittently	The power supply settings do not match local AC voltage and frequency	<ul> <li>Disconnect the device. Check the settings and correct, if necessary</li> </ul>

# 8. Maintenance

### 8.1. Safety Instructions for Maintenance



# DANGER

Electric shock caused by dangerous voltage inside

Disconnect power supply before servicing or cleaning.



WARNING Risk of burns due to hot surface

Allow the device to cool down for at least 15 minutes before servicing or cleaning.

# 8.2. Preventive Maintenance



Attention Before each use, examine the device visually for any defects.

Make sure that:

- All screws used for installing the device or parts of the device are tightly fastened and are not corroded.
- The safety devices are not damaged.
- There are no deformations on housings, fixations and installation points.
- The lens is not cracked or damaged.
- The power cables are not damaged and do not show any material fatigue.



#### 8.2.1. Basic Cleaning Instructions

The external lens of the device must be cleaned periodically in order to optimize the light output. The cleaning schedule depends on the conditions at the site where the device is installed. When smoke or fog machines are used at the site, the device will need more frequent cleaning. On the other hand, if the device is installed in well-ventilated area, it will need less frequent cleaning. To establish a cleaning schedule, examine the device at regular intervals during the first 100 hours of operation.

To clean the device, follow the steps below:

- 01) Disconnect the device from the electrical power supply.
- 02) Allow the device to cool down for at least 15 minutes.
- 03) Remove the dust collected on the external surface with dry compressed air and a soft brush.
- 04) Clean the lens with a damp cloth. Use a mild detergent solution.
- 05) Dry the lens carefully with a lint-free cloth.
- 06) Clean the DMX and other connections with a damp cloth.



Attention

- Do not immerse the device in liquid.
- Do not use alcohol or solvents.
- Make sure that the connections are fully dry before connecting the device to the power supply and to other devices.

#### 8.3. Corrective Maintenance

The device does not contain user-serviceable parts. Do not open the device and do not modify the device.

Refer repairs and servicing to instructed or skilled persons. Contact your Highlite International dealer for more information.

#### 8.3.1. Replacing the Fuse



#### DANGER Electric shock caused by short-circuit

- Do not bypass the thermostatic switch or fuses.
- For replacement use fuses of the same type and rating only.

Power surges, short-circuit or incorrect electrical power supply may cause a fuse to burn out. If the fuse burns out, the device will not function anymore. If this happens, follow the steps below:

- 01) Disconnect the device from the electrical power supply.
- 02) Allow the device to cool down for at least 15 minutes.
- 03) Pry up the integrated fuse holder with a flat-blade screwdriver.
- 04) If the fuse is brown or unclear, it is burned out. Remove the old fuse.
- 05) Insert a new fuse in the fuse holder. Make sure that the type and the rating of the replacement fuse are the same as the ones specified on the information label of the product.
- 06) Replace the integrated fuse holder in the opening and push it gently back in its place.



# 9. Deinstallation, Transportation and Storage

# 9.1. Instructions for Deinstallation



#### WARNING

Incorrect deinstallation can cause serious injuries and damage of property.

- Let the device cool down before dismounting.
- Disconnect power supply before deinstallation.
- Always observe the national and site-specific regulations during deinstallation and derigging of the device.
- Wear personal protective equipment in compliance with the national and site-specific regulations.

#### 9.2. Instructions for Transportation

- Use the original packaging to transport the device, if possible.
- Always observe the handling instructions printed on the outer carton box, for example: "Handle with care", "This side up", "Fragile".

### 9.3. Storage

- Clean the device before storing. Follow the cleaning instructions in chapter **8.2.1. Basic Cleaning** Instructions on page 33.
- Store the device in the original packaging, if possible.

# 10. Disposal



#### Correct disposal of this product

Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment

This symbol on the product, its packaging or documents indicates that the product shall not be treated as household waste. Dispose of this product by handing it to the respective collection point for recycling of electrical and electronic equipment. This is to avoid environmental damage or personal injury due to uncontrolled waste disposal. For more detailed information about recycling of this product contact the local authorities or the authorized dealer.

# 11. Approval

# CE

Check the respective product page on the website of Highlite International (<u>www.highlite.com</u>) for an available declaration of conformity.





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