

# MANUAL

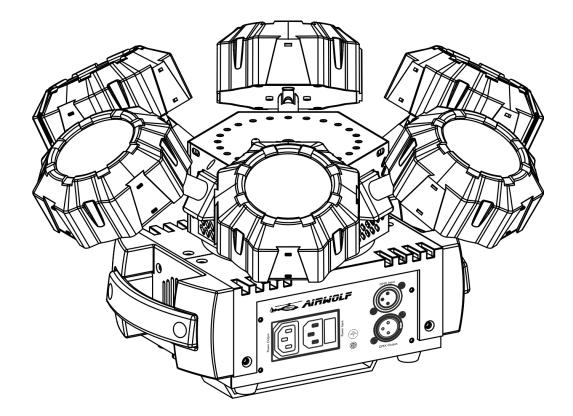




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# Warning



For your own safety, please read this user manual carefully before your initial start-up!



# **Unpacking Instructions**

Immediately upon receiving this product, carefully unpack the carton and check the contents to ensure that all parts are present, and have been received in good condition. Notify the dealer immediately and retain packing material for inspection if any parts appear damaged from shipping or the carton itself shows signs of mishandling. Save the carton and all packing materials. In the event that a fixture must be returned to the factory, it is important that the fixture be returned in the original factory box and packing.

#### Your shipment includes:

- Showtec Airwolf
- IEC Power cable (1,5 m)
- 2 keys for the interlock
- Remote control plug
- IR Remote control
- Mounting bracket with screws
- User manual







# LED Expected Lifespan

LEDs gradually decline in brightness over time. HEAT is the dominant factor that leads to the acceleration of this decline. Packaged in clusters, LEDs exhibit higher operating temperatures than in ideal or singular optimum conditions. For this reason, when all color LEDs are used at their fullest intensity, life of the LEDs is significantly reduced. If improving the lifespan is of higher priority, place care in providing for lower operational temperatures. This may include climatic-environmental and the reduction of overall projection intensity.



# **Safety Instructions**

Every person involved with the installation, operation and maintenance of this device has to:

- be qualified
- follow the instructions of this manual





# CAUTION! Be careful with your operations. With a dangerous voltage you can suffer a dangerous electric shock when touching the wires!



Before the initial start-up, please make sure that there is no damage caused by transportation. Should there be any, consult your dealer and do not use the device.

To maintain perfect condition and to ensure a safe operation, it is absolutely necessary for the user to follow the safety instructions and warning notes contained in this manual.

Please consider that damages caused by manual modifications to the device are not subject to warranty.

This device contains no user-serviceable parts. Refer servicing to qualified technicians only.

# **IMPORTANT:**

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

- Never let the power cord come into contact with other cables! Handle the power cord and all connections with the mains with particular caution!
- Never remove warning or informative labels from the unit.
- Never use anything to cover the ground contact.
- Never lift the fixture holding it by the projector-head, as the mechanics may be damaged. Always hold the fixture by the transport handles.
- Never place any material over the lens.
- Never look directly into the light source.
- Never leave any cables lying around.
- Never aim the laser beam at people or animals!
- Never use the device during thunderstorms, unplug the device immediately.
- Never point a laser at aircraft, this is a federal offense.
- Never point unterminated laser beams into the sky.
- Never open the laser housing. The high laser power levels inside of the protective housing can start fires, burn skin and will cause instant eye injury.
- Do not insert objects into air vents.
- Do not connect this device to a dimmerpack.
- Do not open the device and do not modify the device.
- Do not point lasers at highly reflective surfaces such as windows, mirrors and shiny metal. Even laser reflections can be hazardous.
- Do not expose the output optic (aperture) to cleaning chemicals
- Do not use laser if the laser appears to be emitting only one or two beams
- Do not use laser if housing is damaged or open, or if optics appear damaged in any way.
- Do not operate laser without first reading and understanding all safety and technical data in this manual. Never look into the laser aperture or laser beams
- Do not switch the device on and off in short intervals, as this will reduce the device's life.
- Do not touch the device's housing bare-handed during its operation (housing becomes very hot). Allow the fixture to cool for at least 5 minutes before handling.
- Do not shake the device. Avoid brute force when installing or operating the device.
- After set up and prior to public use, test laser to ensure proper function. Do not use the laser if any defect is detected. Do not use, if the laser only emits one or two laser beams rather than dozens/hundreds, as this could indicate damage to the diffraction grating optic and could allow emission of higher laser levels.
- Only use the device indoors, avoid contact with water or other liquids.
- Only operate the fixture after having checked if the housing is firmly closed and all screws are tightly fastened.
- Only operate the device after having familiarized with its functions.
- Avoid flames and do not put close to flammable liquids or gases.

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## Airwolf

- Always check the regulations when using a class 3R laser product.
- Always check and position the laser before anybody enters the room, when the laser is facing an area with people.
- Always keep the case closed while operating.
- Always allow a free air space of at least 50 cm around the unit for ventilation.
- Always disconnect power from the mains, when device is not used or before cleaning! Only handle the power cord holding it by the plug. Never pull out the plug by tugging the power cord.
- Make sure that the device is not exposed to extreme heat, moisture or dust.
- Make sure that the available voltage is not higher than stated on the rear panel.
- Make sure that the power cord is never crimped or damaged. Check the device and the power cord from time to time.
- If the external cable is damaged, it has to be replaced by a qualified technician.
- If the lens is obviously damaged, it has to be replaced. So that its functions are not impaired, due to cracks or deep scratches.
- If device was dropped or struck, disconnect mains power supply immediately. Have a qualified engineer inspect for safety before operating.
- If the device has been exposed to drastic temperature fluctuation (e.g. after transportation), do not switch it on immediately. The arising condensation water might damage your device. Leave the device switched off until it has reached room temperature.
- If your Showtec device fails to work properly, discontinue the use immediately. Pack the unit securely (preferably in the original packing material), and return it to your Showtec dealer for service.
- For adult use only. The fixture must be installed beyond the reach of children. Never leave the unit running unattended.
- Never attempt to bypass the thermostatic switch or fuses.
- For replacement use fuses of same type and rating only.
- The operation of a class 3R laser show laser is only allowed if the show is controlled by a skilled and well-trained operator, familiar with the data included in this manual.
- The user is responsible for correct positioning and operating of the Airwolf. The manufacturer will not accept liability for damages caused by the misuse or incorrect installation of this device.
- This device falls under protection class I. Therefore it is essential to connect the yellow/green conductor to earth.
- The laser will only work between 10-35°C.
- After 3 hours working, you must shut off the laser and let the laser diode cool off for 30 minutes, otherwise the laser could be damaged and the warranty becomes void.
- Repairs, servicing and electric connection must be carried out by a qualified technician.
- WARRANTY: Till one year after date of purchase.



CAUTION - Class 3R LASER RADIATION WHEN OPEN AVOID DIRECT EXPOSURE TO BEAM



CAUTION! Eyedamages!!! Avoid looking directly into the lightsource!!! (meant especially for epileptics)!!!





CAUTION! Eyedamages!!! Never look directly into the lightsource!!! Never project a single laser point!!!



Show

# **Operating Determinations**

- This device is not designed for permanent operation. Consistent operation breaks will ensure that the device will serve you for a long time without defects.
- The minimum distance between light output and the illuminated surface must be bigger than 1 meter.
- The maximum ambient temperature  $t_a = 40^{\circ}C$  must never be exceeded.
- The relative humidity must not exceed 50 % with an ambient temperature of 40° C.
- If this device is operated in any other way than the one described in this manual, the product may suffer damages and the warranty becomes void.
- Any other operation may lead to dangers like short-circuit, burns, electric shock, crash, etc.

You endanger your own safety and the safety of others!

# Laser safety for a Class 3R Laser Product

Laser Light is different from any other light source with which you may be familiar with. This laser is less dangerous than a higher class laser such as an 3B or 4. The light from this product is safe for unintentional (<1/4 sec) unaided eye exposure. However this device is potentially hazardous if viewed with certain optical instruments such as binoculars or eye loupe.

Laser light is thousands of times more concentrated than light from any other kind of light source. This concentration of light power can cause instant eye injuries, primarily by burning the retina (the light sensitive portion at the back of the eye). Even if you cannot feel "heat" from a laser beam, it can still potentially injure or blind you or your audience.

Even very small amounts of laser light are potentially hazardous even at long distances. Laser eye injuries can happen quicker than you can blink.

It is incorrect to think that because these laser products split the laser into hundreds of beams or the laser beam is scanned out in high speed, that an individual laser beam is safe for eye exposure. This laser product uses dozens of milliwatts of laser power (Class 3R levels internally). Many of the individual beams are potentially hazardous to the eyes.

It is also incorrect to assume that because the laser light is moving, it is safe. This is not true. Nor, do the laser beams always move. Since eye injuries can occur instantly, it is critical to prevent the possibility of any direct eye exposure. According to the laser safety regulation, it is not legal to aim Class 3R lasers in areas which people can get exposed. This is true even if it is aimed below people's faces, such as on a dance floor.

**CAUTION!** Only Laser Safety Officers who are officially certified by a regulatory body or authorized training organization are allowed to use class 3R lasers in public. The Laser Safety Officer is responsible for all aspects when using this laser, including following all locally applicable safety laws and regulations. The manufacturer will not accept liability for damages caused by the misuse or incorrect installation of this laser.

### AVOID EXPOSURE VISIBLE LASER RADIATION IS EMITTED FROM THIS APERTURE

**CAUTION:** AVOID EXPOSURE TO BEAM: Avoid direct eye contact with laser light. Never intentionally expose your eyes or others to direct laser radiation.

## **Compliance Statement**

Your Airwolf Laser has been designed to comply with FDA and IEC Standards for its classification. The Airwolf is a Class 3R laser product.

## Laser Safety and Compliance Information

The Airwolf is manufactured to comply with the IEC 60825-1 and in accordance with U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) Standards Listed under FDA Document 21 CFR 1040 and subsequent laser notices.



#### Product Classification and Manufacturing Label Identification

Laser Classification	Class 3R
Cooling	Cooling fans and TE Cooling
Laser medium	wavelength 650 nm / Red (Laser Diode GaAlAs) ; Output >100mW
	wavelength 532 nm / Green (DPSS Nd: YVO4);
Output	130mW
Beam Diameter	<5mm at aperture
Pulse Data All pulses	< 4Hz (>0.25sec)
Divergence (each beam)	<2 mrad
Divergence (total light)	<160 degrees

The legal requirements for using laser entertainment products vary from country to country. The user is responsible for the legal requirements at the location/country of use.

Further guidelines and safety programs for safe use of lasers can be found in the ANSI Z136.1 Standard "For Safe Use of Lasers", available from <u>www.lia.org/</u>. Many local governments, corporations, agencies, military and others, require all lasers to be used under the guidelines of ANSI Z136.1. Laser Display guidance can be obtained via the International Laser Display Association, <u>www.ilda.com/index.htm</u>.

**CAUTION:** The use of corrective eye wear or optics for viewing at distances such as telescopes or binoculars within a distance of 100mm may pose an eye hazard.





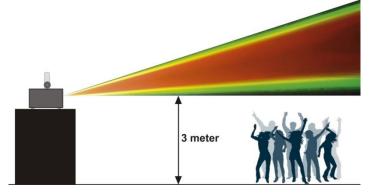
This laser product is a Class 3R laser and has an interlocked housing.

There are no user serviceable parts inside. Tampering or removing warranty seals will void your products limited warranty.



Combo label with the Product Model Number, Serial Number, Date of Manufacturing, Laser Light Warning Label, Warranty Void Label and Interlocked Housing Label

Proper Usage Safety and Compliance Information



According to FDA Regulations you should operate this product as stated on the left.



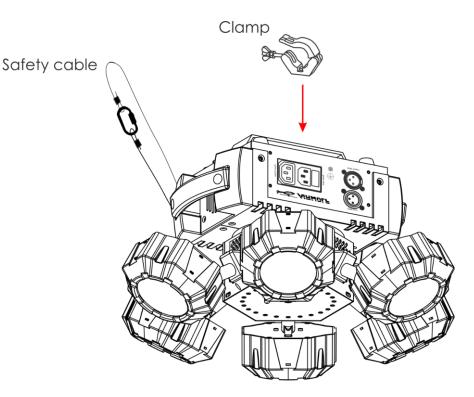
# Rigging

Please follow the European and national guidelines concerning rigging, trussing and all other safety issues.

Do not attempt the installation yourself ! Always let the installation be carried out by an authorized dealer !

# Procedure:

- If the Airwolf is lowered from the ceiling or high joists, professional trussing systems have to be used.
- Use a clamp to mount the Airwolf, with the mounting bracket, to the trussing system.
- The Airwolf must never be fixed swinging freely in the room.
- The installation must always be secured with a safety attachment, e.g. an appropriate safety net or safety cable.
- When rigging, derigging or servicing the Airwolf, always make sure, that the area below the installation site is secured and that there are not any unauthorized people around.



The Airwolf can be placed on a flat stage floor or mounted to any kind of truss with a clamp.

Improper installation can cause serious injuries and/or damage of property!

## Connection with the mains

Connect the device to the mains with the power-plug. Always check if the right color cable is connected to the right place.

International	EU Cable	UK Cable	US Cable	Pin
L	BROWN	RED	YELLOW/COPPER	PHASE
Ν	BLUE	BLACK	SILVER	NEUTRAL
Ð	YELLOW/GREEN	GREEN	GREEN	PROTECTIVE GROUND

Make sure that the device is always properly connected to the earth!

Improper installation can cause serious injuries and/or damage of property!





# 🛕 Return Procedure 🥂

Returned merchandise must be sent prepaid and in the original packing, call tags will not be issued. Package must be clearly labeled with a Return Authorization Number (RMA number). Products returned without an RMA number will be refused. Highlite will not accept the returned goods or any responsibility. Call Highlite 0031-455667723 or mail <u>aftersales@highlite.nl</u> and request an RMA prior to shipping the fixture. Be prepared to provide the model number, serial number and a brief description of the cause of the return. Be sure to properly pack fixture as any shipping damage resulting from inadequate packaging is the customer's responsibility. Highlite reserves the right to use its own discretion to repair or replace product(s). As a suggestion, proper UPS packing or double-boxing is always a safe method to use.

# Note: If you are given an RMA number, please include the following information on a piece of paper inside the box:

- 01) Your name.
- 02) Your address.
- 03) Your phone number.
- 04) A brief description of the symptoms.

# Claims

The client has the obligation to check the delivered goods immediately upon delivery for any shortcomings and/or visible defects, or perform this check after our announcement that the goods are at their disposal. Damage incurred in shipping is the responsibility of the shipper; therefore the damage must be reported to the carrier upon receipt of merchandise.

It is the customer's responsibility to notify and submit claims with the shipper in the event that the fixture is damaged due to shipping. Transportation damage has to be reported to us within one day after receipt of the delivery.

Any return shipment has to be made post-paid at all times. Return shipments must be accompanied with a letter defining the reason for return shipment. Non-prepaid return shipments will be refused, unless agreed otherwise in writing.

Complaints against us must be made known in writing or by fax within 10 working days after receipt of the invoice. After this period, complaints will not be handled anymore.

Complaints will only be considered if the client has so far complied with all parts of the agreement, regardless of the agreement of which the obligation is resulting.



# Description of the device

## Features

The Airwolf is a multifunctional light effect with high output and great effects. It combines laser effects, strobe effects and LED effects in one device.

- Multifunctional device
- RGBW LEDs
- Input voltage: 100-240V AC, 50/60Hz
- Power consumption: 52W (full output)
- DMX channels: 3 or 16 channels
- 4-digit LED display for easy setup
- Control modes: Auto, Sound-controlled, Static color, Master/Slave, DMX
- Control protocol: DMX-512
- Protection rate: IP-20
- Housing: Die-cast black aluminum
- Cooling: Fans/Convection
- Connections: IEC connectors (IN/OUT), 3-pin XLR (IN/OUT)
- Fuse: T1.6L/250V
- Dimensions: 390 x 390 x 230 mm (LxWxH)
- Weight: 4,0 kg

#### LED Spot effect

• Light source: 6 x 8W RGBW LEDs

#### Laser effect

- Laser Color: Red, Green
- Laser Power: 130mW (100mW 650nm Red, 30mW 532nm Green)
- Laser Class: 3R
- Safety Features: Key switch, Interlock, Safety eye
- Laser Safety: EN/IEC 60825-1 Ed 2, 2007-03

#### Strobe effect

• Light source: 24 x 0,5W White 5730 LEDs

Note: Knowledge of DMX is required to fully utilize this unit.

## **Optional accessories**

51316 Remote Interlock

# Overview

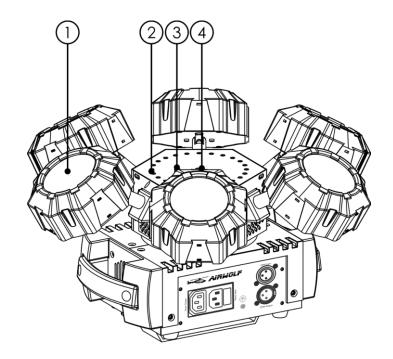
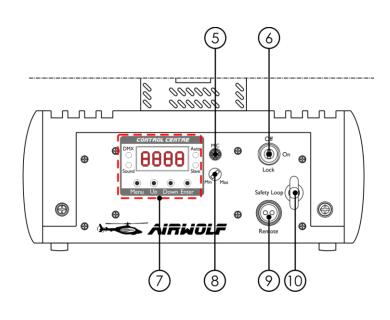


Fig. 01

- 01) 6 x 8W RGBW LEDs
- 02) 24 x 0,5W White 5730 LEDs
- 03) IR sensor
- 04) Laser lens

# Frontside



05) Built-in microphone

- 06) Interlock
- 07) LED display + menu buttons + Function LED indicators
- 08) Sound sensitivity control
- 09) Remote control plug
- 10) Safety eye

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Fig. 02

# Backside

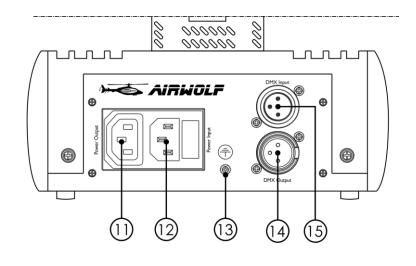


Fig. 03

- 11) IEC Power connector OUT
- 12) IEC Power connector IN + Fuse T1.6L/250V
- 13) Ground/earth connection
- 14) 3-pin DMX signal connector OUT
- 15) 3-pin DMX signal connector IN

# Installation

Remove all packing materials from the Airwolf. Check if all foam and plastic padding is removed. Connect all cables.

Do not supply power before the whole system is set up and connected properly. Always disconnect from electric mains power supply before cleaning or servicing. Damages caused by non-observance are not subject to warranty.

# Set Up and Operation

Follow the directions below, as they pertain to your preferred operation mode. Before plugging the unit in, always make sure that the power supply matches the product specification voltage. Do not attempt to operate a 120V specification product on 230V power, or vice versa. Connect the device to the main power supply. The device can be sound-controlled as it is equipped with a built-in microphone.

The Interlock plug/remote plug and safety keys are included in the box. The interlock is the "included-in-the-box" successor for the optional remote interlock (51316).

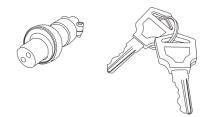


The following safety precautions should be followed:

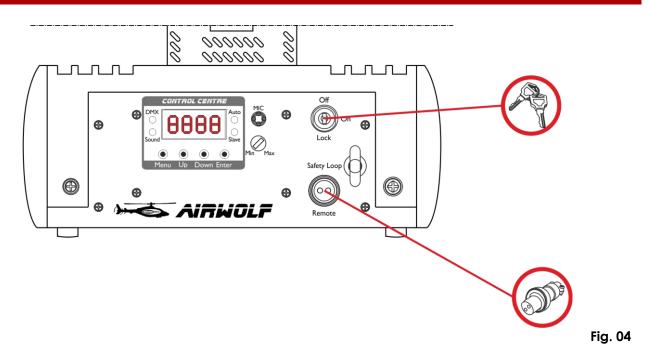
- The remote control plug should be placed on the backside (09) of your Airwolf.
- The keys should be put into the lock (06) of your Airwolf.

# \Lambda Warning 🛕

If the plug is not connected, your laser will not function. If the key is not set to ON, your laser will not function.

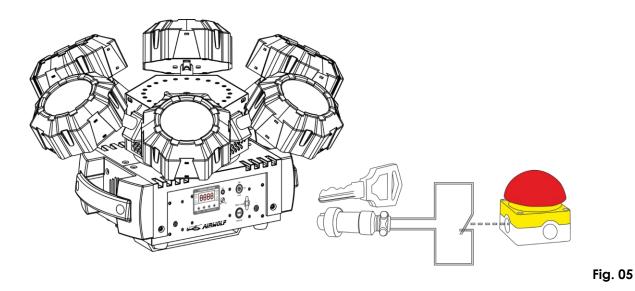






### **Exclusion of liability**

Be aware that in some countries, there are additional regulations, regarding the use of laser devices. Therefore, we strongly advise you to verify your national laws with your authorities: We do not take any responsibility for eventual discrepancies, changes or adaptions regarding lawful use of laser devices.



# **Control Modes**

There are 5 modes:

- Auto Programs
- Static Color (manual)
- Sound-controlled
- Master/slave
- DMX-512 (3CH or 16CH)

#### One Airwolf (Auto Programs and Static Color Mode)

- 01) Fasten the effect light to a firm trussing. Leave at least 0,5 meter on all sides for air circulation.
- 02) Always use a safety cable (ordercode 70140 / 70141).
- 03) Plug the end of the electric mains power cord into a proper electric power supply socket.
- 04) When the Airwolf is not connected with a DMX cable, it functions as a stand-alone device. Please see pages 17 and 18 for more information about Auto Program and Static Color Mode.

#### One Airwolf (Sound-controlled)

The pins:

- 01) Fasten the effect light to a firm trussing. Leave at least 0,5 meter on all sides for air circulation.
- 02) Always use a safety cable (ordercode 70140 / 70141).
- 03) Plug the end of the electric mains power cord into a proper electric power supply socket.
- 04) Turn on the music. If the device is set to sound-control, then the Airwolf will react to the beat of the music. Please see page 18 for more information about the sound-control options.

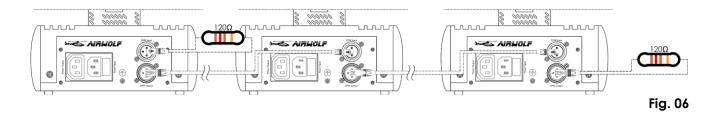
#### Multiple Airwolfs (Master/Slave control)

- 01) Fasten the effect light onto firm trussing. Leave at least 0,5 meter on all sides for air circulation.
- 02) Always use a safety cable (ordercode 70140 / 70141).
- 03) Use a 3-p XLR cable to connect the Airwolfs and other devices.



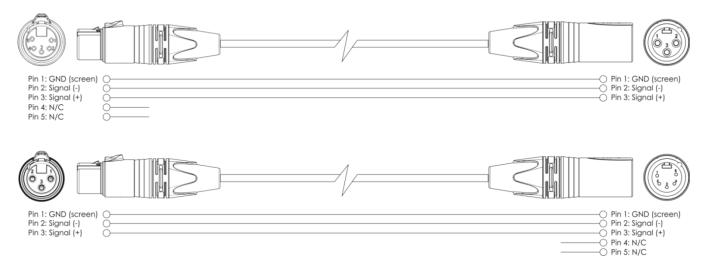
- Earth
   Signal (-)
- 3. Signal (+)
- 04) Link the units as shown in Fig. 06, connect a DMX signal cable from the first unit's DMX "out" socket to the second unit's "in" socket. Repeat this process to link the second and third units. You can use the same functions on the master device as described on pages 17 and 18 (Auto, Static color). This means you can set your desired operation mode on the master device and all slave devices will react the same as the master device.

#### Multiple Airwolfs (Master/Slave control)



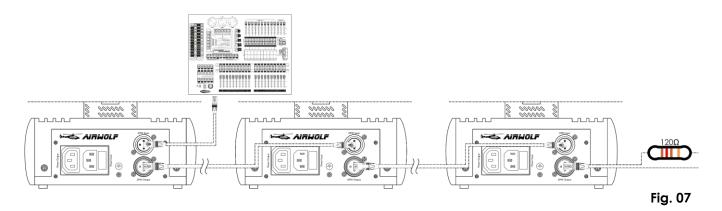
#### Multiple Airwolfs (DMX Control)

- 01) Fasten the effect light to a firm trussing. Leave at least 0,5 meter on all sides for air circulation.
- 02) Always use a safety cable (ordercode 70140 / 70141).
- 03) Use a 3-pin XLR cable to connect the Airwolfs and other devices.



- 04) Link the units as shown in Fig. 07. Connect the first unit's DMX "out" socket with the second unit's "in" socket, using a DMX-signal cable. Repeat this process to link the second and third units.
- 05) Supply electric power: Plug electric mains power cords into each unit's IEC socket, then plug the other end of the mains power cord into proper electric power supply sockets, starting with the first unit. Do not supply power before the whole system is set up and connected properly.

#### Multiple Airwolfs DMX Set Up



#### Note: Link all cables before connecting electric power

# **Fixture Linking**

You will need a serial data link to run light shows of one or more fixtures using a DMX-512 controller or to run synchronized shows of two or more fixtures set to a master/slave operating mode. The combined number of channels required by all the fixtures on a serial data link determines the number of fixtures the data link can support.

Important:

Fixtures on a serial data link must be daisy-chained in a single line. To comply with the EIA-485 standard, no more than 30 devices should be connected on one data link. Connecting more than 30 fixtures on one serial data link without the use of a DMX optically isolated splitter may result in deterioration of the digital DMX signal. Maximum recommended DMX data link distance: 100 meters



Maximum recommended number of fixtures on a DMX data link: 30 fixtures Maximum recommended number of fixtures on a power link @ 110V: 12 fixtures Maximum recommended number of fixtures on a power link @ 240V: 23 fixtures

## **Data Cabling**

To link fixtures together, you must obtain data cables. You can purchase DAP Audio certified DMX cables directly from a dealer/distributor or construct your own cable. If you choose to create your own cable, please use data-grade cables that can carry a high quality signal and are less prone to electromagnetic interference.

### **DAP Audio DMX Data Cables**

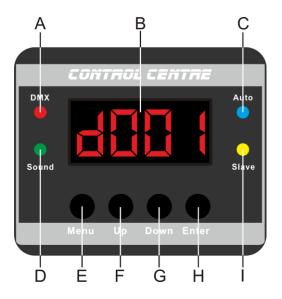
- DAP Audio Basic microphone cable for allround use. bal. XLR/M 3-pin > XLR/F 3-pin. Ordercode FL01150 (1,5 m), FL013 (3 m), FL016 (6 m), FL0110 (10 m), FL0115 (15 m), FL0120 (20 m).
- DAP Audio X-type data cable XLR/M 3-pin > XLR/F 3-pin. Ordercode FLX0175 (0,75 m),
- FLX01150 (1,5 m), FLX013 (3 m), FLX016 (6 m), FLX0110 (10 m).
- DAP Audio cable for the demanding user with exceptional audio-qualities and connector made by Neutrik®. **Ordercode** FL71150 (1,5 m), FL713 (3 m), FL716 (6 m), FL7110 (10 m).
- DAP Audio cable for the demanding user with exceptional audio-qualities and connector made by Neutrik®. Ordercode FL7275 (0,75 m), FL72150 (1,5 m), FL723 (3 m), FL726 (6 m), FL7210 (10 m).
- DAP Audio 110 Ohm cable with digital signal transmission. Ordercode FL0975 (0,75 m),
- FL09150 (1,5 m), FL093 (3 m), FL096 (6 m), FL0910 (10 m), FL0915 (15 m), FL0920 (20 m).
- DAP Audio data cable FL08 DMX/AES-EBU, XLR/M 5-pin > XLR/F 5-pin. Ordercode FL08150 (1,5 m), FL083 (3 m), FL086 (6 m), FL0810 (10 m), FL0820 (20 m).
- DAP Audio DMX adapter: 5-pin/3-pin. Ordercode FLA29.
- DAP Audio DMX adapter: 3-pin/5-pin. Ordercode FLA30.

The Airwolf can be operated with a controller in **control mode** or without the controller in **stand-alone mode**.





# **Control Panel**



- A) DMX LED
- B) LED display
- C) Auto LED
- D) Sound LED
- E) Menu button
- F) Up button
- G) Down button
- H) Enter button
- I) Slave LED

Fig. 08

# **Control Mode**

The fixtures are individually addressed on a data-link and connected to the controller. The fixtures respond to the DMX signal from the controller. (When you select the DMX address and save it, the controller will display the saved DMX address, next time.)

# **DMX Addressing**

The control panel on the back side of the device allows you to assign DMX fixture addresses, which is the first channel with which the Airwolf will respond to the controller.

Please note, when you use the controller, the unit has 16 channels.

When using multiple Airwolfs, make sure you set the DMX addresses right.

Therefore, the DMX address of the first Airwolf should be **1(d001)**; the DMX address of the second Airwolf should be **1+16=17 (d017)**; the DMX address of the third Airwolf should be **17+16=33 (d033)**, etc. Please, be sure that you do not have any overlapping channels in order to control each Airwolf correctly. If two or more Airwolfs are addressed similarly, they will work similarly.

# **Controlling:**

After having addressed all Airwolf fixtures, you may now start operating these via your lighting controller. **Note:** After switching on, the Airwolf will automatically detect whether DMX 512 data is received or not. If there is no data received at the DMX-input, the "**LED** " on the control panel will not flash. If not, the problem may be:

- The XLR cable from the controller is not connected with the input of the Airwolf.
- The controller is switched off or defective, the cable or connector is detective, or the signal wires are swapped in the input connector.

**Note:** It is necessary to insert an XLR termination plug (with 120 Ohm) in the last fixture in order to ensure proper transmission on the DMX data link.

# Display Off after 30 seconds



When no button is pressed for 30 seconds, the display will turn off in case this is set in the menu **System Settings**, see page 19 for more information.

To light up the display, you have to press the Menu, Enter, Up or Down button.

Once you have pressed the button, the display will light up.



# Menu Overview

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The Airwolf will only show its version number at start-up !



# Main Menu Options

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Sou	Sound-controlled Mode
Colo	Static Color Mode
HND	DMX Channels / DMX Address
SLA	Slave Mode
545	System Settings
<ul> <li>01) Press the</li> <li>02) Press the</li> <li>03) Press the</li> <li>04) Choose</li> <li>05) Press the</li> <li>06) Press the</li> </ul>	Programs nu you can start several Auto Run Programs. e Menu button until the display shows Aute. e Enter button to open the menu. e Up and Down buttons to choose between 10 built-in programs Autor Uplow Rull. the desired built-in program and press the Enter button to confirm. e Enter button again to set the speed of the desired Auto run program. e Up and Down buttons to adjust the speed between Super Start, from slow to fast. yolf will immediately start the desired Auto run program.



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#### 2. Sound-controlled Mode

With this menu you can choose several Sound-controlled programs.

- 01) Press the **Menu** button until the display shows
- 02) Press the Enter button to open the menu.
- 03) Press the Up and Down buttons to choose between 10 Sound-controlled programs
- 04) Choose the desired Sound-controlled program and press the Enter button to confirm.
- 05) Turn on the music and the Airwolf will immediately start the desired Sound-controlled program.

#### 3. Static Control Mode

With this menu you can manually set the LED spots, control the rotation and activate the strobe LEDs.

- 01) Press the **Menu** button until the display shows
- 02) Press the Enter button to open the menu.
- 03) Press the Up and Down buttons to choose between
- 04) If you choose C1 the Red intensity from the LED spots will be activated.
- 05) If you choose C2 the Green intensity from the LED spots will be activated.
- 06) If you choose C3 the Blue intensity from the LED spots will be activated.
- 07) If you choose C4 the White intensity from the LED spots and Strobe leds will be activated.
- 08) Choose the desired color and press the Enter button to confirm.
- 09) Press the Enter button to set the rotation direction and speed.
- 10) Press the **Up** and **Down** buttons to choose the rotation direction between  $\mathbf{d}$  - $\mathbf{L}$  or  $\mathbf{d}$  - $\mathbf{r}$ .
- 11) If you choose d the direction will be counterclockwise.
- 12) If you choose **d** -**r** the direction will be clockwise.
- 13) Choose the desired direction and press the Enter button to enter the submenu.
- 14) Press the Up and Down buttons to set the desired rotation speed, the adjustment range is between

#### 4. DMX Address / DMX Channels

With this menu you can choose a DMX configuration and set the DMX address.

- 01) Press the **Menu** button until the display shows
- 02) Press the Enter button, the display will show
- 03) Press the Enter button again to open the submenu.
- 04) Press the Up and Down buttons to choose between **WEEK** or **EEEK**.
- 05) Choose the desired configuration and press the Enter button to open the submenu.
- 06) Press the Up and Down buttons to set the desired DMX address.
- 07) If you choose the **EEE** configuration, the adjustment range is between
- 08) If you choose the **HEIGH** configuration, the adjustment range is between

#### 5. Slave mode

With this menu you can set the device as a Slave.

- 01) Press the **Menu** button until the display shows
- 02) Press the Enter button to activate the slave mode, the display shows
- 03) If the device has not been set to slave, it is automatically classified as a master device. All slave devices will follow the master movement. If the device has been set to slave, it will react the same as its master device.

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## 6. System Settings

With this menu you can set several system functions.

- 555 01) Press the Menu button until the display shows
- 02) Press the Enter button to open the menu.
- 03) Press the Up and Down buttons to choose between 4 settings:



LED display on/off LED display reverse

IR remote control on/off

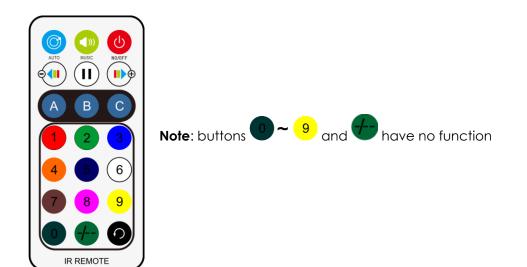
Reset to default settings

- 04) If you have chosen **1** 5P, press the **Enter** button to set the LED display **ON** or **OFF**.
- Up/Down 05) Press the **Up** and **Down** buttons to choose between
- 06) If you choose **OFF**, the display will continuously light up.
- 07) If you choose **ON**, the display will turn off after 40 seconds, the display will show
- 08) If you have chosen **a 5**, press the **Enter** button to set the display reverse mode.
- 09) Press the Up and Down buttons to choose between
- 10) If you choose OFF, the text will be displayed normally.
- 11) If you choose **ON**, the text will be displayed reversed.
- 12) If you have chosen **12**, press the **Enter** button to activate the IR mode.
- 13) If you choose OFF, the included IR remote control will not work.
- 14) If you choose **ON**, the included IR remote control will be activated.
- 15) If you have chosen **FESE**, press the **Enter** button to reset to default settings.
- 16) Press the **Up** and **Down** buttons to choose between
- 17) To reset the device choose YES.
- 18) Press the Enter button to confirm.
- 19) The display will show its version **H** (11) and the device settings have been reset.
- 20) The device will start up in the Auto Run Programs mode.





# **Remote Control**



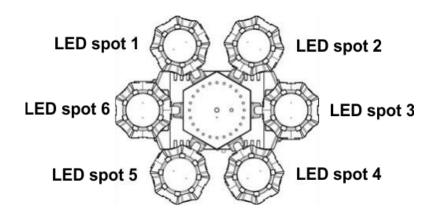
Button	Function	Description
U	On / Off	Switch the device ON or OFF
0	Auto Run Mode	Repeatedly press the button to activate the Auto Run programs (FLL T <sup>UPDOWN</sup> AL (L))
	Sound-controlled Mode	Repeatedly press the button to activate the Sound- controlled programs (
A	Speed Auto Run mode/ Static Color mode	Press the button to set the speed of the Auto Programs or the speed of the motor in Static Color mode in combination with the buttons
В	Rotation direction	Press the button to change the motor direction from clockwise to counterclockwise
С	Static Control mode	Press the button to activate the Static Control mode. Set the desired color with the buttons . To adjust the speed of the motor press button A and change the speed with the buttons .
	Pause	Press the button to pause the built-in programs
	Speed Auto Run Programs/ Choose Static colors/ Speed motor Static colors	Press one of the two buttons to choose the desired speed of the desired Auto Run program in combination with button A. Set the desired Static Color in combination with button and adjust the speed in Static Color mode in combination with button
0	Auto/Sound mode switch	Press the button to change the programs between Auto or Sound mode

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# **DMX Channels**

16 channels

#### **RGBW LED Spots**



# Channel 1 – RGBW LED Spot 1 (CH7 must be set between 1-255 🛕)

0-3	No function
4-66	Gradual adjustment Red from 0-100%
67-129	Gradual adjustment Green from 0-100%
130-192	Gradual adjustment Blue from 0-100%
193-255	Gradual adjustment White from 0-100%

# Channel 2 – RGBW LED Spot 2 (CH7 must be set between 1-255 🕰)

0-3	No function
4-66	Gradual adjustment Red from 0-100%
67-129	Gradual adjustment Green from 0-100%
130-192	Gradual adjustment Blue from 0-100%
193-255	Gradual adjustment White from 0-100%

# Channel 3 – RGBW LED Spot 3 (CH7 must be set between 1-255 \Lambda)

0-3	No function
4-66	Gradual adjustment Red from 0-100%
67-129	Gradual adjustment Green from 0-100%
130-192	Gradual adjustment Blue from 0-100%
193-255	Gradual adjustment White from 0-100%

# Channel 4 – RGBW LED Spot 4 (CH7 must be set between 1-255 🕰)

0-3	No function
4-66	Gradual adjustment Red from 0-100%
67-129	Gradual adjustment Green from 0-100%
130-192	Gradual adjustment Blue from 0-100%
193-255	Gradual adjustment White from 0-100%

# Channel 5 – RGBW LED Spot 5 (CH7 must be set between 1-255 \Lambda)

0-3	No function
4-66	Gradual adjustment Red from 0-100%
67-129	Gradual adjustment Green from 0-100%
130-192	Gradual adjustment Blue from 0-100%
193-255	Gradual adjustment White from 0-100%

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0-3	No function
4-66	Gradual adjustment Red from 0-100%
67-129	Gradual adjustment Green from 0-100%
130-192	Gradual adjustment Blue from 0-100%
193-255	Gradual adjustment White from 0-100%

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#### Channel 7 – Master Dimmer intensity LED Spots

(CH1, CH2, CH3, CH4, CH5 or CH6 must be set between 1-255 🕰)
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0-255 Dimmer intensity, from dark to brightest

## Channel 8 – Strobe LED Spots

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0	No function
1-80	Pulse strobe 0-100%, from slow to fast
81-160	Pulse strobe 100-0%, from slow to fast
161-240	Strobe flash frequency, from slow to fast
241-255	Sound-activated strobe

# Channel 9 – Strobe LEDs Auto Programs

0	No function
1-25	Auto Program 1
26-51	Auto Program 2
52-77	Auto Program 3
78-103	Auto Program 4
104-129	Auto Program 5
130-155	Auto Program 6
156-181	Auto Program 7
182-207	Auto Program 8
208-233	Auto Program 9
234-255	Auto Program 10



Channel 10 - 0-255	Gradual adjustment Speed from slow to fast
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Channel 11 ·	- Laser functions
(when CH11	is set between 130-255, CH12 must be set between 10-254 🕰)
0-9	No function
10-49	Red laser on
50-89	Green laser on
90-129	Red + Green laser on
130-169	Red laser on + Green laser flashes
170-209	Red laser flashes + Green laser on
210-255	Red + Green laser flash
10-254 255	Strobe flash frequency, from slow to fast Sound-activated strobe
	- Laser effect wheel (CH11 must be set between 10-255 and CH12 between 0-9 🗴
0-4 5-127	No function Clockwise rotation, from slow to fast
0-4 5-127 128-133	No function Clockwise rotation, from slow to fast Stop
0-4 5-127	No function Clockwise rotation, from slow to fast
0-4 5-127 128-133 134-255	No function Clockwise rotation, from slow to fast Stop
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Channel 16 -	- Speed Auto Programs (CH15 must be set between 6-255 🕰)
0-250	Gradual adjustment Speed from slow to fast
251-255	Sound-controlled

#### 3 channels

0-5	No function
6-41	RGBW Spots
42-77	Laser
78-113	Strobe LEDs
114-149	RGBW Spots & Laser
150-185	RGBW Spots & Strobe LEDs
186-221	Laser & Strobe LEDs
222-255	RGBW Spots & Strobe LEDs & Laser

# Channel 2 – Speed Auto Programs (CH1 must be set between 6-255 🕰)

0-250	Gradual adjustment Speed from slow to fast
251-255	Sound-controlled

#### Channel 3 – Rotation effect

0-4	No function
5-127	Clockwise rotation, from slow to fast
128-133	Stop
134-255	Counterclockwise rotation, from slow to fast

#### Maintenance

The Airwolf requires almost no maintenance. However, you should keep the unit clean.

Otherwise, the fixture's light-output will be significantly reduced. Disconnect the mains power supply, and then wipe the cover with a damp cloth. Do not immerse in liquid. Wipe lens clean with glass cleaner and a soft cloth. Do not use alcohol or solvents.

The front lens will require weekly cleaning, as smoke-fluid tends to build up residues, reducing the lightoutput very quickly.

Keep connections clean. Disconnect electric power, and then wipe the DMX and audio connections with a damp cloth. Make sure connections are thoroughly dry before linking equipment or supplying electric power.

The operator has to make sure that safety-related and machine-technical installations are to be inspected by an expert after every year in the course of an acceptance test. The operator has to make sure that safety-related and machine-technical installations are to be

inspected by a skilled person once a year.

The following points have to be considered during the inspection:

- 01) All screws used for installing the device or parts of the device have to be tightly connected and must not be corroded.
- 02) There may not be any deformations on housings, fixations and installation spots.
- 03) Mechanically moving parts like axles, eyes and others may not show any traces of wearing.
- 04) The electric power supply cables must not show any damages or material fatigue.

## **Replacing the Fuse**

Power surges, short-circuit or inappropriate electrical power supply may cause a fuse to burn out.

If the fuse burns out, the product will not function whatsoever. If this happens, follow the directions below: 01) Unplug the unit from electric power source.

- 02) Insert a flat-headed screwdriver into a slot in the fuse cover. Gently pry up the fuse cover. the fuse will come out.
- 03) Remove the used fuse. If brown or unclear, it is burned out.
- 04) Insert the replacement fuse into the holder. Reinsert the fuse cover. Be sure to use a fuse of the same type and specification. See the product specification label for details.

# Troubleshooting

This troubleshooting guide is meant to help solve simple problems.

If a problem occurs, carry out the steps below in sequence until a solution is found. Once the unit operates properly, do not carry out following steps.

# No Light

If the light effect does not operate properly, refer servicing to a technician.

Suspect four potential problem areas as: the power supply, the laser, LEDs, the fuse.

- 01) Power supply. Check that the unit is plugged into an appropriate power supply.
- 02) The laser. Return the Airwolf to your Showtec dealer.
- 03) The Spot LEDs and Strobe LEDs. Return the Airwolf to your Showtec dealer.
- 04) The fuse. Replace the fuse. See page 24 for replacing the fuse.
- 05) If all of the above appears to be O.K., plug the unit in again.
- 06) If you are unable to determine the cause of the problem, do not open the Airwolf, as this may damage the unit and the warranty will become void.
- 07) Return the device to your Showtec dealer.

# No Response to DMX

Suspect the DMX cable or connectors, a controller malfunction, a light effect DMX card malfunction.

- 01) Check the DMX setting. Make sure that DMX addresses are correct.
- 02) Check the DMX cable: Unplug the unit; change the DMX cable; then reconnect to electrical power. Try your DMX control again.
- 03) Determine whether the controller or light effect is at fault. Does the controller operate properly with other DMX products? If not, take the controller in for repair. If so, take the DMX cable and the light effect to a qualified technician.

#### The fixture does not work, no laser and the fan does not work

- 01) Check the connected power and main fuse.
- 02) Check the mains voltage on the main connector.

## The fixture is power on, but no laser coming out from aperture

- 01) Check the laser aperture cover.
- 02) Check the key switch.
- 03) Check the remote interlock or interlock connector.
- 04) Wait for at least 30 minutes to warm up in low temperature.
- 05) Check whether it is in music mode without sound signal.
- 06) Check whether it is in Slave mode.
- 07) Check whether it is in DMX mode without a DMX signal being present.

## The laser effect power is very weak

- 01) Wait for at least 30 minutes to warm up in low temperature.
- 02) Clean the scanner mirror with alcohol.
- 03) Clean the aperture glass with alcohol.
- 04) Check whether it is in DMX mode with a high strobe frequency.

## The laser is on, but the pattern is not moving

- 01) Check to see whether it is in Music/Sound mode without detecting sound signal.
- 02) Check to see whether it is in DMX mode.
- 03) Try to change the fixture to another stand-alone mode.
- 04) Try to control the fixture via DMX to see the laser effect system.

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Problem	Probable cause(s)	Solution	
One or more fixtures do not function at all	No power to the fixture	<ul> <li>Check if power is switched on and cables are plugged in</li> </ul>	
	Primary fuse blown.	Replace fuse.	
Fixtures reset correctly, but all respond erratically or not at all to the controller	The controller is not connected. 3-pin XLR Out of the controller does not match XLR Out of the first fixture on the link (i.e. signal is reversed)	<ul> <li>Connect controller.</li> <li>Install a phase reversing cable between the controller and the first fixture on the link</li> </ul>	
	Poor data quality	<ul> <li>Check data quality. If much lower than 100 percent, the problem may be a bad data link connection, poor quality or broken cables, missing termination plug, or a defective fixture disturbing the link</li> </ul>	
	Bad data link connection	<ul> <li>Inspect connections and cables. Correct poor connections. Repair or replace damaged cables</li> </ul>	
Fixtures reset correctly, but	Data link not terminated with 120 Ohm termination plug	<ul> <li>Insert termination plug in output jack of the last fixture on the link</li> </ul>	
some respond	Incorrect addressing of the fixtures	Check address setting	
erratically or not at all to the controller	One of the fixtures is defective and disturbs data transmission on the link	<ul> <li>Bypass one fixture at a time until normal operation is restored: unplug both connectors and connect them directly together.</li> <li>Have the defective fixture serviced by a qualified technician</li> </ul>	
	3-pin XLR Out on the fixtures does not match (pins 2 and 3 reversed)	<ul> <li>Install a phase-reversing cable between the fixtures or swap pin 2 and 3 in the fixture that behaves erratically</li> </ul>	
Shutter closes suddenly	The laser diode has lost its index position and the fixture is resetting the effect.	Contact a technician for servicing the problem persists.	
No light or LEDs or Laser cuts out intermittently	Fixture is too hot	<ul> <li>Allow the fixture to cool down</li> <li>Clean the fan</li> <li>Make sure air vents in control panel and the front lens are not blocked</li> <li>Turn up the air conditioning</li> </ul>	
	LEDs or Laser damaged	<ul> <li>Disconnect the fixture and return it to your dealer</li> </ul>	
	The power supply settings do not match local AC voltage and frequency	Disconnect fixture. Check settings     and correct if necessary	

# **Product Specifications**

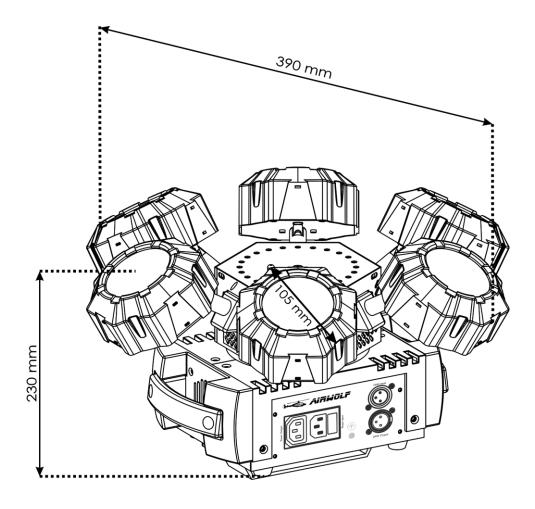
Model:	Showtec Airwolf
Input Voltage:	100-240V AC, 50/60Hz
Power consumption:	52W (full output)
DMX linking:	30 pcs
Power linking @110V	12 pcs
Power linking @240V	23 pcs
Protection rate:	IP-20
Fuse:	T1.6L/250V
Dimensions:	390 x 390 x 230 mm (LxWxH)
Weight:	4,0 kg
Operating and Programming:	
Signal pin OUT:	Pin 1 (earth), pin 2 (-), pin 3 (+)
DMX Mode:	3, 16 channels
Signal input:	3-pin DMX IN
Signal output:	3-pin DMX OUT
Electro-mechanical effects:	
LED Spot effect:	6 x 8W RGBW LEDs
Laser effect:	Colors: Red, Green
	Power: 130mW (100mW 650nm Red, 30mW 532nm
	Green)
	Class: 3R
	Safety Features: Key switch, Interlock, Safety eye
	Safety: EN/IEC 60825-1 Ed 2, 2007-03
Strobe effect:	24 x 0,5W White 5730 LEDs
Housing:	Die-cast black aluminum
DMX-control:	via standard DMX-controller
On Board:	4-digit LED display for easy setup
Control:	Auto, Sound-controlled, Static color, Master/Slave, DMX
Connections:	IEC connectors (IN/OUT), 3-pin XLR (IN/OUT)
Cooling:	Fans/Convection
Max. ambient temperature $t_a$ :	35°C
Max. housing temperature t <sub>B</sub> :	80°C
Minimum distance:	
Minimum distance from flammable surfaces:	0,5 m
Minimum distance to lighted object:	1 m

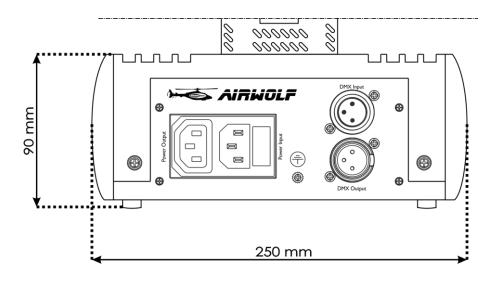
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# Dimensions







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