



CUEPIX STRIP TRI™

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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 **CUEPIX STRIP TRI™** 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 **CUEPIX STRIP TRI™** by Elation Professional®. Every **CUEPIX STRIP TRI™** 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

- (1) powerCON Power Cable
- Manual & Warranty Card



MANUAL UPDATES

Please check www.elationlighting.com for the latest revision/update of this manual.

CUSTOMER SUPPORT

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WARRANTY REGISTRATION

The **CUEPIX STRIP TRI™** carries a two year (730 days) limited warranty. 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 at **323-582-3322**.



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.



2-YEAR 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) from the date of purchase. 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 the entire instrument is sent, it must be shipped in its original package. 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 of or damage to any such accessories, nor for the safe return thereof.

C. This warranty is void if the serial number has been 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 instruction manual.

D. This is not a service contract, and this warranty does not include maintenance, cleaning or periodic check-up. During the period 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.

E. Elation Professional® reserves the right to make changes in design and/or improvements upon its products without any obligation to include these changes in any products theretofore manufactured.

F. No warranty, whether expressed or implied, is given or made with respect to any accessory supplied with products described above. Except to the extent prohibited by applicable law, all implied warranties made by Elation Professional® in connection with this product, including warranties of merchantability or fitness, are limited in duration to the warranty period set forth above. And no warranties, whether expressed or implied, including warranties of merchantability or fitness, shall apply to this product after said period has expired. The consumer's and or Dealer's sole remedy shall be such repair or replacement as is expressly provided above; and under no circumstances shall Elation Professional® be liable for any loss or damage, direct or consequential, arising out of the use of, or inability to use, this product.

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 **CUEPIX STRIP TRI™** 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 is grounded properly, and only qualified personnel perform all electrical connections.



CAUTION!

Never touch the device during operation!
The housing may heat up



CAUTION!

Never look directly into the light source,
as sensitive persons may suffer an epileptic shock.



CAUTION!

Keep this device away from rain and moisture !



CAUTION!

Unplug mains lead before opening the housing.

- 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, holders, clamps, safety cables) included with this fixture should be used for installation. Any modifications will void the original manufactures 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.

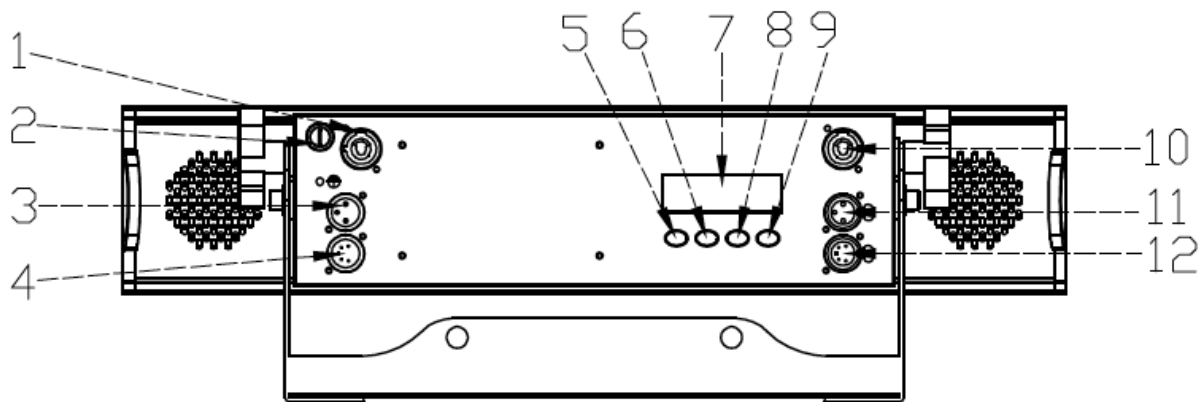
SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS - CONTINUED

- 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 use on stage, in nightclubs, theatres, etc. Do not attempt installation and/or operation without proper knowledge of how to do so.
- Do not permit operation by persons who are not qualified for operating this type of theatrical fixture. Most damages are the result of operations by nonprofessionals.
- If this fixture is exposed to extreme temperatures due to environmental changes, do not power the fixture on until it has reached room temperature. Condensation could damage the fixture.
- 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 the device.
- 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 base of the fixture.
- Please use the original packaging and materials to transport the fixture in for service.

FIXTURE OVERVIEW



1. **powerCON IN** – Power connection to power source.
2. **Fuse** - Fuse holder.
3. **3pin DMX IN** – Accepts incoming DMX signal via a male 3pin XLR jack.
4. **5pin DMX IN** – Accepts incoming DMX signal via a male 5pin XLR jack.
5. **MODE/ESC Button** – Used to access the menu functions and exit the current command.
6. **UP Button** – Used to toggle forward through the menu functions and settings.
7. **LCD Menu Control Display** – LCD menu control display.
8. **DOWN Button** – Used to toggle down or back through the menu functions and settings.
9. **ENTER Button** – Used to enter into or lock a certain menu function.
10. **powerCON OUT** - Power link connection to next unit.
11. **3pin DMX OUT** – Sends DMX signal to next fixture in chain via a female 3pin XLR jack.
12. **5pin DMX OUT** – Sends DMX signal to next fixture in chain via a female 5pin XLR jack.

INSTALLATION



CAUTION!

Please consider the GB7000.15/EN60598-2-17 and the other respective national norms during the installation. The installation must only be carried out by a qualified person.



CAUTION!

The electric connection must only be carried out by a qualified electrician.

CAUTIONS

- The recommended temperature for this fixture is **14°F to 113°F (-10°C to 45°C)**.
Do not use the fixture under or above this temperature.
- For added protection, mount the fixture in areas outside walking paths, seating areas, or in areas where unauthorized personnel might reach the fixture.
- 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. **(63Kgs / 139 Lbs)**
- 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 the fixture.
- When power linking multiple units, **9pcs Max for 120V and 19pcs Max for 220V**.

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.
- Be sure the fixture is kept at least 0.5m (1.5 feet) away from any flammable materials (decoration etc.).

FIXTURE MENU



OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

- 1) **STATIC COLOR / BUILT-IN 15 MACROS**
- 2) **AUTO RUN**
- 3) **MASTER / SLAVE**
- 4) **DMX MODE**

When the display flashes, you can select the desired mode via the **UP/DOWN** buttons. The display will shut off and lockout after 30 seconds of no use. Press and hold **MODE** button for approx. 10 seconds to unlock display.

AUTO RUN Mode (15 Built-In Modes)

AUTO RUN

FQN:01-99 (Frequency Adjustable)

Built-In Macros (15 Macros)

STATIC COLOR	
CL:RGB	Blackout, Red-Green-Blue-Yellow-Cyan-Purple-White
FLASH 00-99	Flash Rate Adjustable
DREAM Seven Color Dreaming Effect	
SPEED 00-99	Speed Rate Adjustable
FLASH 00-99	Flash Rate Adjustable
METEOR Seven Color Flow	
SPEED 00-99	Speed Rate Adjustable
FLASH 00-99	Flash Rate Adjustable
FADE Seven Color Dreaming Fade	
SPEED 00-99	Speed Rate Adjustable
FLASH 00-99	Flash Rate Adjustable
CHANGE Seven Color Change	
SPEED 00-99	Speed Rate Adjustable
FLASH 00-99	Flash Rate Adjustable
FLOW 1 Seven Color Chase	
SPEED 00-99	Speed Rate Adjustable
FLASH 00-99	Flash Rate Adjustable
FLOW 2 Seven Color Chase	
SPEED 00-99	Speed Rate Adjustable
FLASH 00-99	Flash Rate Adjustable
FLOW 3 Seven Color Chase	
SPEED 00-99	Speed Rate Adjustable
FLASH 00-99	Flash Rate Adjustable
FLOW 4 Seven Color Chase	
SPEED 00-99	Speed Rate Adjustable
FLASH 00-99	Flash Rate Adjustable
FLOW 5 Seven Color Chase	
SPEED 00-99	Speed Rate Adjustable
FLASH 00-99	Flash Rate Adjustable
FLOW 6 Seven Color Chase	
SPEED 00-99	Speed Rate Adjustable
FLASH 00-99	Flash Rate Adjustable
FLOW 7 Seven Color Chase	
SPEED 00-99	Speed Rate Adjustable
FLASH 00-99	Flash Rate Adjustable

Built-In Macros - CONTINUED

FLOW 8 Seven Color Chase	
SPEED 00-99	Speed Rate Adjustable
FLASH 00-99	Flash Rate Adjustable
C1: RGB	C2: RGB
FLOW 9 Seven Color Chase	
SPEED 00-99	Speed Rate Adjustable
FLASH 00-99	Flash Rate Adjustable
C1: RGB	C2: RGB

SLAVE MODE:

Link the units via DMX cable and then set each of the Slave units to **SLAVE** mode by pressing **MODE** button and selecting **SLAVE MODE** and the slave units will operate in accordance with the Master unit.

PIXEL FLIP SETTING:

Select the desired starting COB module and chase direction from one of the following modes below via **UP/DOWN** buttons and then press **ENTER** to confirm.

OFF

1	2	3	4	5
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ON

5	4	3	2	1
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DIMMING CURVE SETTING:

Select the Dimming Curve Setting by pressing **MODE** button until **DIMMING CURVE** is displayed and then press **UP/DOWN** buttons to select desired Dim Curve **Standard (default), Stage, TV, Architectural, or Theatre.**

DMX MODES

Channel Modes: (3CH, 6CH, 7CH, 15CH, 19CH)

3 Channel Mode: (All 5 COB Module Sections)

Channel:	Value:	Function:
1	000-255	Red (0-100%)
2	000-255	Green (0-100%)
3	000-255	Blue (0-100%)

6 Channel Mode: (All 5 COB Module Sections)

Channel:	Value:	Function:
CH1	0-255	RED (0-100%)
CH2	0-255	GREEN (0-100%)
CH3	0-255	BLUE (0-100%)
CH4	0-255	Master Dimmer (0-100%)
CH5	Flash (0-255) From Slow To Fast	
CH6	Dim Curves: 0-41 Standard 42-84 Stage 85-127 TV 128-170 Architectural 171-213 Theatre 214-255 Default to unit curve setting	

7Channel Mode: (All 5 COB Module Sections)

CH1	CH2	CH3	CH4	CH5	CH6	CH7
R (0-255)	G (0-255)	B (0-255)	0-15	Dimmer (0-255)		Dim Curves: 0-41 Standard 42-84 Stage 85-127 TV 128-170 Architectural 171-213 Theatre 214-255 Default To Unit Curve setting
			16-23 R			
			24-31 G			
			32-39 B			
			40-47 RG			
			48-55 GB			
			56-63 RB			
			64-71 RGB			
			72-79 Color1			
			80-87 Color2			
			88-95 Color3			
			96-103 Color4			
			104-111 Color5			
			112-119 Color6			
			120-127 Color7			
			128-135 Color8			
			136-143 Dream			
			144-151 Meteor			
			152-159 Fade			
			160-167 Change			
			168-175 Flow1			
			176-183 Flow2			
			184-191 Flow3			
			192-199 Flow4			
			200-207 Flow5			
			208-215 Flow6			
			216-223 Flow7			
			224-231 Flow8			
			232-239 Flow9			
			240-255 N/G			
				Speed (0-255) From Slow To Fast	Flash (0-255) From Slow To Fast	

15 Channel Mode: (Every 1 COB module as 1section, the fixture has a total of 5 sections)

CH	CH	CH	CH	CH	CH	CH	CH	CH	CH	CH	CH	CH	CH	CH
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
R1	G1	B1	R2	G2	B2	R3	G3	B3	R4	G4	B4	R5	G5	B5

19 Channel Mode: (Every 1 COB Module as 1section, the fixture has a total of 5 sections)

CH1	CH2	CH3...	CH75	CH76	CH77	CH78	CH79
R1 (0-255)	G1 (0-255)	B1... (0-255)	...B25 (0-255)	0-15	Dimmer (0-255)	Flash 0-255 From Slow To Fast	Dim curves: 0-41 Standard 42-84 Stage 85-127 TV 128-170 Architectural 171-213 Theatre 214-255 Default to unit curve setting
				16-23 R			
				24-31 G			
				32-39 B			
				40-47 RG			
				48-55 GB			
				56-63 RB			
				64-71 RGB			
				72-79 Color1			
				80-87 Color2			
				88-95 Color3			
				96-103 Color4			
				104-111 Color5			
				112-119 Color6			
				120-127 Color7			
				128-135 Color8			
				136-143 Dream	Speed (0-255) From Slow To Fast		
				144-151 Meteor			
				152-159 Fade			
				160-167 Change			
				168-175 Flow1			
				176-183 Flow2			
				184-191 Flow3			
				192-199 Flow4			
				200-207 Flow5			
				208-215 Flow6			
				216-223 Flow7			
				224-231 Flow8			
				232-239 Flow9			
				240-255 N/G			



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