



SNI Software Uploader user guide

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FCC STATEMENT

This device complies with Part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) this device may not cause harmful interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

FCC RADIO FREQUENCY INTERFERENCE WARNINGS & INSTRUCTIONS

This product has been tested and found to comply with the limits as per Part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference in a residential installation. This device uses and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the included instructions, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation. If this device does cause harmful interference to radio or television reception, which can be deter- mined by turning the device off and on, the user is encouraged to try to correct the interference by one or more of the following methods:

- · Reorient or relocate the device.
- Increase the separation between the device and the receiver.
- Connect the device to an electrical outlet on a circuit different from which the radio receiver is connected.
- Consult the dealer or an experienced radio/TV technician for help.

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GENERAL INFORMATION

INTRODUCTION

Please read and understand all instructions in this manual carefully and thoroughly before attempting to operate this product. These instructions contain important safety and use information.

UNPACKING

The products in this kit have been thoroughly tested and have 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 each unit included for damage and be sure all accessories necessary to operate the units 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 kit 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.

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LIMITED WARRANTY (USA ONLY)

- 1. Elation Professional hereby warrants, to the original purchaser, Elation Professional products to be free of manufacturing defects in material and workmanship for a period of two years (730 days), and Elation Professional product rechargeable batteries to be free of manufacturing defects in material and workmanship for a period of six months (180 days), from the original date of purchase. This warranty excludes discharge lamps and all product accessories. This warranty shall be valid only if the product is purchased within the United States of America, including possessions and territories. It is the owner's responsibility to establish the date and place of purchase by acceptable evidence, at the time service is sought.
- 2. For warranty service, send the product only to the Elation Professional factory. All shipping charges must be pre-paid. If the requested repairs or service (including parts replacement) are within the terms of this warranty, Elation Professional will pay return shipping charges only to a designated point within the United States. If any product is sent, it must be shipped in its original package and packaging material. No accessories should be shipped with the product. If any accessories are shipped with the product, Elation Professional shall have no liability what so ever for loss and/or or damage to any such accessories, nor for the safe return thereof.
- 3. This warranty is void if the product serial number and/or labels are altered or removed; if the product is modified in any manner which Elation Professional concludes, after inspection, affects the reliability of the product; if the product has been repaired or serviced by anyone other than the Elation Professional factory unless prior written authorization was issued to purchaser by Elation Professional; if the product is damaged because not properly maintained as set forth in the product instructions, guidelines and/or user manual.
- 4. This is not a service contract, and this warranty does not include any maintenance, cleaning or periodic check-up. During the periods as specified above, Elation Professional will replace defective parts at its expense, and will absorb all expenses for warranty service and repair labor by reason of defects in material or workmanship. The sole responsibility of Elation Professional under this warranty shall be limited to the repair of the product, or replacement thereof, including parts, at the sole discretion of Elation Professional. All products covered by this warranty were manufactured after January 1, 1990, and bare identifying marks to that effect.
- 5. Elation Professional reserves the right to make changes in design and/or performance improvements upon its products without any obligation to include these changes in any products theretofore manufactured.
- 6. No warranty, whether expressed or implied, is given or made with respect to any accessory supplied with the 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 periods set forth above. And no warranties, whether expressed or implied, including warranties of merchantability or fitness, shall apply to this product after said periods have 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 and/or damage, direct and/or consequential, arising out of the use of, and/or the inability to use, this product.
- 7. 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.

WARRANTY RETURNS

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.

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SAFETY GUIDELINES

This device is a sophisticated piece of electronic equipment. To guarantee a smooth operation, it is important to follow all instructions and guidelines in this manual. The manufacturer of this device is not responsible for injury and/or damages resulting from the misuse of this device due to the disregard of the information printed in this manual. Only qualified and/or certified personnel should use this device. Any modifications to the device will void the original manufactures warranty and increase the risk of damage and/or personal injury.

DO NOT shake device, avoid brute force when using



INDOORS USE ONLY!
DO NOT EXPOSE DEVICE RAIN AND MOISTURE!
KEEP FLAMMABLE MATERIALS AWAY FROM DEVICE!



DO NOT EXPOSE DEVICE TO HEAT OR FIRE!

DO NOT EXPOSE DEVICE TO FLAMMABLE MATERIALS!



DO NOT EXPOSE DEVICE TO HIGH HUMIDITY!

DO NOT EXPOSE DEVICE TO EXTREME VIBRATIONS!

DO NOT REMOVE EXTERNAL COVER/HOUSING!

DO NOT PLUG DEVICE INTO A DIMMER PACK!



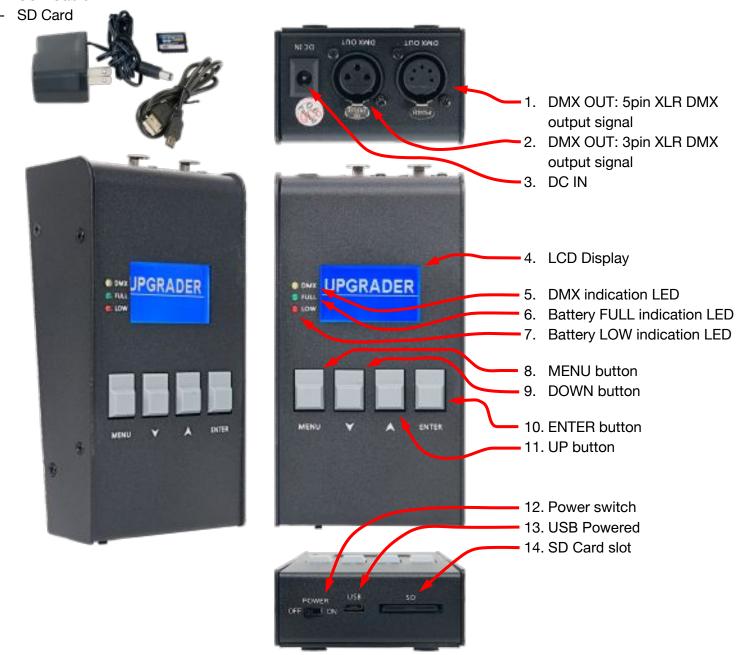
DO NOT USE DEVICE IF THE BATTERY IS DAMAGED, DEFORMED, OR HAS AN ODOR!
DO NOT DISASSEMBLE THE BATTERY!
DISPOSE OF BATTERY PROPERLY ACCORDING TO LOCAL,
STATE, AND COUNTRY REGULATIONS!

OVERVIEW

The SNI Software Uploader™ is a battery powered hand held software uploader used to update Elation compatible lighting fixtures. Easily upload a software update to an Elation lighting fixture by connecting the uploader to the fixture using a 3pin or 5pin DMX cable (not included). Elation software updates (not included) are stored on a MICRO SD card (included) and inserted into the uploader. SNI Software Uploader™ features an LCD display, 4 push button control panel, a MICRO SD card slot, 3pin and 5pin XLR DMX outputs, an On/Off switch, and includes a 12VDC external power supply, USB cable, and blank MICRO SD card.

BOX CONTENTS:

- 12VDC Power Supply
- USB Cable



COMPATIBLE ELATION MODELS:

* Partial listing of models. Contact Elation Service for more details.

ARENA PAR
ARENA PAR ZOOM
ARENA Q7 ZOOM
PROTRON 3K LED STROBE
PROTRON 3K COLOR LED STROBE
SNIPER 2R
SNIPER PRO
TVL CYC RGBW
TVL PANEL DW

OPERATION





- 1. With software update stored on MICRO SD card (included), insert SD card into SD card slot.
- 2. Connect **SNI Software Uploader** to fixture using 3pin or 5pin DMX cable (not included) to fixture. If you want to upload more than one at a time, daisy chain them with DMX cables.
- 3. With the fixture connected, power the SNI Software Uploader.





Firmware Upgrade
Fixture Information

4. With DMX cable connected to fixture, power **SNI Software Uploader**. Use down ✓/up ▲ arrow buttons to choose between **Firmware Upgrade** and **Fixture Information**. Select **Firmware Upgrade** and press **ENTER**.

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System Volume Information

.Spotlight-V100

,_ELA-ST2000-RGBW-V00 A-20190321-29444.yfu

5. Select your fixture and press **ENTER**, then select the first **V00** file to be upgraded and press **ENTER**. Power your fixture(s).



Update Load

6. The yellow DMX indicator LED lights up when a pop-up menu displays Fast Speed and Slow Speed. Choose desired speed of upgrade and press ENTER. The fixture screen should display Update Load, and once the process has begun, will briefly display the various elements being upgraded.



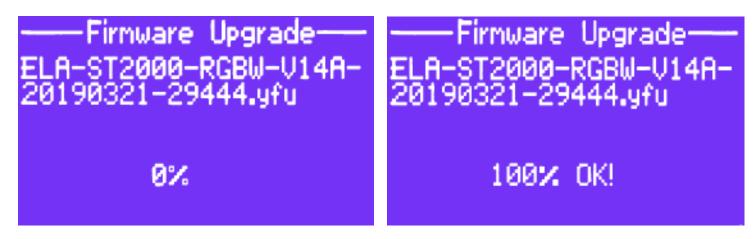
----Firmware Upgrade ELA-ST2000-RGBW-V00A-20190321-29444.yfu 100% OK!

7. The **SNI Software Uploader** will display the upgrade process from 0-100%. The yellow DMX indicator LED stays lit until it reaches 100%. Once the first "**V00**" file upgrade is complete, the upgrade process will display **100**% **OK!**, and the DMX indicator LED shuts off.

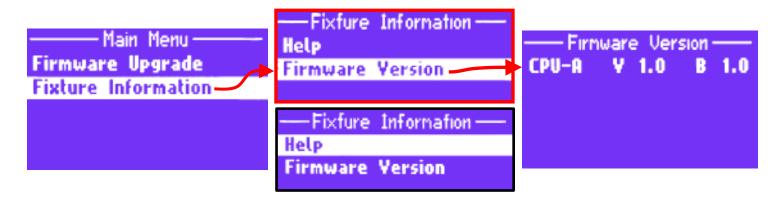
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8. While still in the Firmware Upgrade screen, pressing **MENU** once returns you to the upgrade file screen. Select the next upgrade file and press **ENTER**, again select the desired speed and press ENTER, which again displays the upgrade process from 0-100%.



9. Again, the upgrade process displays from 0-100%. Continue this with all subsequent upgrade files until complete.



- 10. To display the **Firmware Version**, select **Fixture Information** and press **ENTER**, then select **Firmware Version** and **ENTER**. Selecting **Help** doesn't perform any function.
- 11. On a typical fixture, press the **MENU** button, scroll down to **Factory Setting**, press **ENTER**, select **YES** and press **ENTER** to perform the factory defaults. Restart your fixture.

RECHARGING INTERNAL BATTERY



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Recharge battery when indicator is low by plugging in either the included 12VDC Power Supply or USB power cord.





Plug 12VDC Power Supply into DC IN.



Plug USB cable into powered USB.

SPECIFICATIONS

Control / Connections:

4 Push Button Control Panel LCD Menu Display 3pin and 5pin DMX Out SD Card Slot Mini USB Input (USB Powered) 12VDC Power Input

DIMENSIONAL DRAWINGS

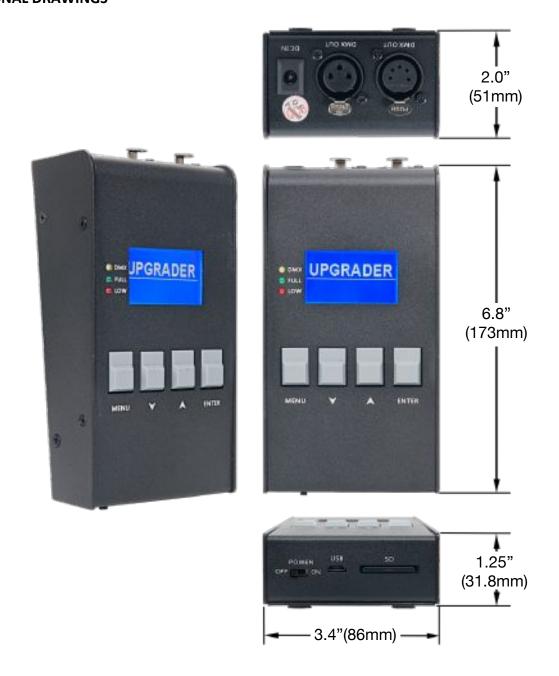
Size / Weight:

Length: 6.8" (173mm) Width: 3.4" (86mm)

Vertical Height: 2.0" (51mm) Weight: 1.1lbs. (0.5kg)

Electrical:-

USB Powered (Internal Battery) 12VDC External Power Supply



OPTIONAL COMPONENTS & ACCESSORIES

Model (SKU)	Description		
AC3PM5PFM	1 ft. (0.3m) 3pin Male to 5pin Female DMX Cable		
AC3PDMX5PRO	5 ft. (1.5m) 3pin PRO DMX Cable		
AC5PDMX5PRO	5 ft. (1.5m) 5pin PRO DMX Cable		
	Additional cable lengths available		