

DL.2 v1.2.0 Release Notes

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DL.2 v1.2.0 is a maintenance release for the DL.2 Fixture.

There are two software components, the Content Management Application (CMA) Client and the .dl2 upgrade package for the fixture itself. Installation of the latest CMA Client Software should always be done prior to initiating an upgrade of the fixture using the .dl2 package.

The current version of the User Manual along with the Software is available at: http://www.highend.com/support/digital_lighting/dl2.asp

To automatically be notified of DL.2 Software Releases you may join the DL.2 Release Announce List at:

http://www.highend.com/support/digital_lighting/DLmailinglist.asp

Users with access to DL.2 fixtures that are interested in joining the Software Testing Program may apply to become Beta Testers at: http://digital.highend.com/library/betasignup.nsf/request

After updating, the Versions reported should be:

Software Version: 1.2.0.777
Firmware Version: 1.2.0.53
Windows XPe: 1.0.x

New Features in v1.2.0:

- Additional Warning/Error messages added to the system for the Air Filter.
- The need to calibrate the Air Filter has been removed.
- Major re-work has been done to improve the motion performance and reliability.
 For Optimal performance the Pan/Tilt motors should be recalibrated from the Menu.
- New Visual Effects added: Color Swap(RGB to BGR, GRB, RBG), Iris and Edge Fade background colors, Background Color and Color Cycle, Glow Color Cycle, Colorize Grayscale, Exposure Control.

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Known Issues in v1.2.0:

- Images can be slow to load the very first time they are called up, especially with multiple layers running (#7760).
- Rapid changing of images/videos for hours causes memory leak (#7660).
- Deploying Large Content Archives ~8GB or Archives with individual files >1GB may fail (#6407)
- Some Routers with no WAN connection may prevent CMA from communicating correctly. (#8099). The workaround is to not use a router or to provide a WAN connection to the router. Upgrading the Router firmware has also solved the problem in some situations.

Bugs Fixed in v1.2.0:

- 8869 Lamp does not douse during dataloss shutdown when Lamp Mode set to ALWAYS
- 8146 Iris gets caught in loop constantly grinding Iris Open/Closed.
- 8388 DL2 motion gets worse the longer the unit runs.
- 8175 CPU utilization goes up significantly with no network connected.
- 8138 Projector Defaults Button no longer accessible
- Data Loss Time Out value can be out of sync between menu and motion.
- 7933 Iris grinds loudly when doing a Home All while in Shutdown
- 8453 Pan randomly slams into stops until encoders turn off
- 8485 Inconsistent pan homing
- 8629 Lamp Hours not counting correctly in menu
- 8053 Add Filter Status Messages (connect to firmware)
- 8059 Add Projector Warning/Error Messages (connect to firmware)
- 8139 Projector In By DMX doesn't show current state
- 8170 Spurious USB Comm Errors
- 8152 Play Once after being told to Rewind and Pause does not function
- 8171 Loss of output after pause and change of media file
- Need to remove forced button nag on Filter Life Warning
- 8145 Iris opens prematurely during global home from certain positions
- 8597 Oddities with coming out of home when using art-net
- 7915 Self Test Video Patterns not working
- 8214 Memory leak related to media mode pause
- 8242 Motor Calibration does not always run or will not finish
- 8790 Add new iris objects to DL2 installer
- 8148 Menu Edit box still active after navigating away
- 8823 Need to add Pan/Tilt Encod Firmware Versions to the Menu
- 8867 Remove Filter Calibrate Button from Menu.
- 8093 Irises Slightly Small
- 8094 Rasterization Errors (4x3 Rectangle)
- 8111 DL-2 needs swap RGB to BGR
- 8155 Tilt Jump at end of slow move
- 8592 Certain aspects of the graphics engine respond slowly on art-net
- 8619 Glow Color Cycle Effect Added
- 8708 New Visual Mode and Global Effects Added.
- 8150 Display Off via DMX doesn't take effect immediately

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Bugs Fixed in v1.1.0:

- 8077 Display will not come back on from menu action when display is set to "Off"
- 7937 Factory Defaults followed by Home All initiates a Firmware upgrade
- 7935 SuperObject::CreateFilterGraph: caught unhandled exception crashing individual Graphics Layers, on startup.
- 7695 FailureCGraphicsEngineCore::Render(): caught unhandled exception.
- 7454 Movies pause when inframe has previously been adjusted.
- 7758 Computer takes over 2 minutes to reboot remotely.
- 7653 Global Clock Negotiation Non-existent for synchronization.
- 7930 IR Illuminator not shutting off during fixture shutdown.
- 6789 Info tab: Hours Resets not working properly.
- 7328 Need Menu brightness/contrast control from CMA.
- 7864 Firmware Upload File Handling needs overhaul to verify matching firmware versions in cards.
- 7888 Firmware upload fails on first attempt after freshly imaged hard drive.
- 8058 Keystone Channels do not show up correctly in protocol menu.
- 7831 Values changed by the CMA are not reflected in the DL menu in real time.
- 8051 Added USB Security Error Messages.
- 7802 Iris can briefly prematurely open before GE is ready.
- 7916 LCD needs to become a blank screen in shutdown.
- 7961 Mask Strobe with "Cloud Iris" does not function properly.
- 7615 Loop Once Forward acts as pause.
- 7390 Media mode Stop acts as loop once forward, not pause.
- 7385 Opacity issue with overlaying 2 layers w/ same center point.
- 7548 Some objects tear when rotating one image through another.
- 8022 Glitch in output when changing between Index and Rotate.
- 7815 Shadow of object when wobulation used on 2nd effect mode.
- 7711 Clockwise object rotation should stop on a dime.
- Raster line on side of rectangle objects when Z position is pushed out.
- 7644 Global Intensity should behave as intensity.
- 8048 Unneeded tiling calculations.
- 7643 Projector Control Menu: OnScreenDisplay functions not active
- 7845 Control functions don't work under Art-Net properly.
- 7834 Menu: Projector input selection by DMX [Off] does not function.
- 7617 Loop Once Forward stops on the 11th frame.
- 6762 Sync modes not working correctly
- 7902 Actual/Expected Firmware version should be compared and uploaded on boot.
- 7245 Sync seems to be broken.
- 7847 Large latency and choppy playback of camera feedback with Preview mode on.
- 7911 GE becomes sluggish and goes to incorrect images
- 8039 Rasterizaton Errors As Effects Applied
- 7925 Need 'Select All' and 'Clear All' buttons in CMA Clone dialog.
- 7611 Reset Fixture Defaults not all active.

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Bugs Fixed in v1.0.1:

- 7857 Fixed Motion Home All from causing Pan/Tilt to slam into stops occasionally.
- 7904 Client Installer now defaults to 'Program Files' location
- 7867 Security failure message added to display.
- 7912 Setting Fixture ID to 0 from CMA causes fixture not to boot
- 7859 CMA/Menu Setting inconsistencies fixed.
- 7910 Tilt motors misstepping fixed.
- 7913 Raw Data in DMX Menu Display now shows first entry for 'channel 0' as '--'
- 7614 Fixed occasional Menu lock ups
- 7822 Fixed Tilt Switch Auto not functioning and/or conflicts w/ registry
- 7868 Iris closes on loss of USB Comm
- 7920 Projector Defaults Menu Lockup fixed.
- 7923 Added 'Select All' and 'Clear All' buttons in CMA Upgrade Wizard
- 7917 DL-2 would not boot with video test pattern to "2"
- Added 30 second wait after menu keypress before enabling Preview on display.
- 7866 Fixed Security false triggering
- 7927 Data Loss Timeout: 'Off' option removed
- 7890 Projector Defaults sent to Projector
- 7655 Display Default: Left/Right Nav buttons improved
- 7900 Menu w/Invert On was partially off top of screen
- 7621 Fixture Shutdown' behaviour improved
- 6776 Fixed DL-2 position loss after being bumped
- 7566 projector input gets lost, must hard reset to rectify resolved.
- iris remains closed even when GE running fixed.
- 7862 Fixture should wake up on connecting DMX data after dataloss timeout
- 7532 Lamp/Projector Startup Modes implemented
- 7905 CMA Client Installer needs a EULA
- 6816 Pan and tilt slow just before hitting destination
- 7907 DL-2 loses position after homing
- 7787 Display Auto-invert occasionally not auto inverting
- 7799 iris slightly open upon bootup fixed
- 7932 Menu Button hits/Tilt Switch delays Data Loss Shutdown from happening
- 7560 Pan/Tilt Encoder On/Off setting in menu does nothing
- 7924 Iris closing for loss of USB comm to trimmed to 2 to 4 seconds
- 7914 CMA allows for invalid value for Self Test Video Pattern
- 7903 Chroma effects go away when image pos is not default

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