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## Safety

Note the following safety precautions before using this monitor.

Power input: AC 100-240 V, 1.6A, 50-60Hz Environmental condition:  $+5^{\circ}C - +35^{\circ}C$ , 20%  $\sim 80\%$ RH

## FCC DECLARATON OF CONFORMITY

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.

This device has been tested and found to comply with the limits for Class B personal Computers and peripherals, pursuant to Part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference when the device is operated in a residential environment. This device generates, uses and can radiate radio frequency energy, and if not installed and used in accordance with the instructions, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation. If you determine the device does cause harmful interference to radio or television reception (this may be determined by monitoring the interference while turning the device off and on), you are encouraged to try to correct the interference by on of the following measures:

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

To meet the FCC requirements, you should use a signal cable with ferrite core at both ends.

**CAUTION:** Changes or modifications not expressly approved by iZ3D LLC could void the users authority to operate the device under FCC compliance regulations.

#### CANADIAN DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNICATIONS COMPLIANCE STATEMENT

This digital apparatus does not exceed the Class B limits for radio noise emissions from digital apparatus as set out in the radio interference regulation of the Canadian department of communications.

#### **CE MARKING DECLARATION OF CONFORMITY**

This LCD monitor complies with the requirements of the EC Directive 89/336/EEC "EMC Directive" and 73/23/EEC "Low Voltage Directive" as amended by Directive 93/68/EEC. The electro-magnetic susceptibility has been chosen at a level that gives correct operation in residential areas, business and light industrial premises and small-scale enterprises, inside as well as outside of the buildings.

All places of operation are characterized by their connection to the public low voltage power supply system.

### Monitor Care

- Avoid touching the screen with your fingers or any hard objects. Oil from the skin is difficult to remove, and touching the screen with anything may damage the panel. Clean the monitor using a soft, dry cloth after first turning it off.
- The LCD monitor should not be used in dusty or humid environments.
- The LCD monitor should be kept away from heat sources and radiation. Such as: stoves, ovens, or direct sunlight.
- To reduce glare, avoid placing the monitor in a place that receives direct sunlight.
- Avoid letting small children play with monitor. Frequent touching of the panel will leave marks on the screen and lower the image quality.
- Handle with care when unplugging and moving the monitor.
- Do not place items on top of the LCD monitor.
- If the LCD monitor is not in use for a long time, unplug it and store it in the proper package. The original carton and packaging should be used if possible.
- The openings in the LCD monitor casing are for ventilation. To prevent overheating, the openings should not be blocked or covered. Do not place the LCD monitor on a bed, sofa, blanket or other soft surfaces; as soft objects may block the vents in the LCD monitor.
- If you place the LCD monitor on a bookshelf or other enclosed space, it is essential to leave an air-space of 4-inches (10cm) between the monitor and the enclosure.
- Ensure that the area around the LCD monitor is clean and free of moisture

### Screen Care

- Unplug the LCD monitor from the AC socket before conducting maintenance.
- Never spray or pour any liquid directly onto the screen or case.
- Do not allow water or liquid to enter the LCD monitor or accessories.
- Use pure water or non-ammonia, non-alcohol based glass cleaner.
- Do not use ketene (such as acetone), ethanol, toluene, acetic acid, methane, chloride, or abrasive detergent to clean the monitor because these chemicals can damage the LCD monitor.
- To clean your LCD monitor screen, use water or mild cleaner, as above, to gently moisten a soft, clean cloth.
- If possible, use a special screen cleaner sheet or a solution suitable for static electricity application.
- To clean your LCD monitor case, use water or mild cleaner, as above, to gently moisten a soft, clean cloth.
- To clean your accessories, use water or mild cleaner, as above, to gently moisten a soft, clean cloth.
- Conservation

### Disclaimer

Any damage resulting from use of any cleaner that is not mentioned above is not covered under this warranty term.

## Electrical

A certified power supply cord has to be used with this equipment. The relevant national installation and/or equipment regulations shall be considered. A certified power supply cord not lighter than ordinary polyvinyl chloride flexible cord according to IEC 60227 (designation H05VV-F 3G 0.75mm<sup>2</sup> or H05VVH2-F2 3G 0.75mm<sup>2</sup>) shall be used. Alternative a flexible cord be of synthetic rubber according to IEC 60245 (designation H05RR-F 3G 0.75mm<sup>2</sup>) shall be used. Do not disable the safety purpose of grounding type plug. Use the power supply cord only in combination with an earthed socket-outlet.

### Check the voltage

This product should be operated from the type of power indicated on the marking label. If you are not sure of the type of power available, consult your dealer or local power company.

### **Electrical Shock**

This product is equipped with a 3-wire grounding-type plug, a plug having a third (grounding) pin. This plug will only fit into a grounding-type power outlet. This is a safety feature. If you are unable to insert the plug into the outlet, contact your electrician to replace your obsolete outlet. Do not defeat the purpose of the grounding-type plug. To prevent electrical shock, do not insert any metal object into any opening in the LCD monitor casing.

Do not attempt to service this product yourself, as opening or removing covers may expose you to dangerous voltage points or other risks. Refer all servicing to qualified service personnel.

If the power cord is damaged, do not use the LCD monitor. Do not place any object on the power cord, and place the power cord away from crowded areas.

While pulling the LCD monitor plug away from the socket on the wall, hold the plug not the power cord.

#### **Unusual conditions**

If the LCD monitor begins to perform abnormally, makes a noise, or emits smoke or odors, unplug it immediately and contact a service center.

Do not expose the LCD monitor to rain and do not use it in environments near water (such as in the kitchen, or near a swimming pool).

If the LCD monitor becomes wet, unplug the power cord immediately and contact a Service Center. The LCD monitor shall be used at maximum 35°C ambient temperature.

## What is iZ3D

Congratulations. You're the owner of the first 3D monitor that is specially designed for gamers!

iZ3D is both a software and hardware solution.

The hardware part is the iZ3D monitor – an LCD-based monitor that is capable of showing 3D content, when observed through 3D polarized glasses. Unlike any other LCD monitors, iZ3D consists of TWO superimposed display matrices, BACK SCREEN and FRONT SCREEN. Back screen is a common LCD panel. This is what you see when you look at the iZ3D without glasses. Front screen is a transparent LCD panel that is placed in front of the back screen. The front panel can be observed through 3D polarized glasses only – when you put on the glasses, it becomes visible.

So, without 3D glasses, iZ3D can be used just like any other monitor. All the magic begins when you put the glasses on.

3D content displayed by the iZ3D monitor, is generated by the iZ3D Driver - software part of iZ3D. iZ3D Driver is a special software that renders games into a third dimension – that's it, there is a single driver that makes the different games 3D. To enjoy 3D on the iZ3D monitor you need to install iZ3D 3D driver and run the game!

### iZ3D Bundle





One CD with iZ3D Driver

Two Polarized Plastic Glasses and One Clip On Glasses



Cables: Two DVI cables, One VGA cable

Power Supply Cable

Quick Start Card

Warranty Card

User Manual



### iZ3D monitor

The iZ3D monitor is made of two superimposed LCD panels, BACK and FRONT. Both panels act like independent displays and should be connected to the PC graphic card outputs (back panel with D-SUB or DVI connector and front panel with DVI connector). So, after you connect your iZ3D monitor to your PC, Windows should report that you have two displays connected – iZ3D BACK and iZ3D FRONT.

## Back panel

Back panel is a common LCD panel. It works just like ordinary LCD monitor, and this is what you see if you look at the iZ3D monitor without glasses.

## Front panel

Front panel is a transparent LCD panel that is visible only through polarized 3D glasses. If you do not wear 3D glasses the front panel is not noticeable and you can use the iZ3D monitor just like an ordinary monitor.

As a display screen, front panel shows some images. Through the right polarizer of 3D glasses images on the front panel are visible in common colors, through the left polarizer of 3D glasses images on the front panel are visible in inverted colors.

## **Hardware Requirements**

#### **Graphics Card**

Currently 3D games run with most nVidia and AMD/ATI graphics cards with dual output support. Below is the list of recommended and tested cards:

nVidia	AMD/ATI
GeForce 6600 GeForce 6600GT GeForce 6800 GeForce 6800Ultra GeForce 7800 GeForce 7800GT GeForce 7800GTX or higher GeForce 8800 series	Radeon 9200 Radeon 9550 Radeon 9600 or higher Radeon X300 Radeon X550 Radeon X600 Radeon X800 Radeon X1300 or higher

Recommended memory size of graphics card is equal doubled size recommended for each specific game.

#### Software Requirements

Driver works under Windows family of operational systems, except Windows 2000, but including Vista. In order to run games in 3D, latest video card drivers need to be installed.

Microsoft DirectX 8 and Microsoft DirectX 9 should be installed, latest DirectX runtime update may be required.

#### Software, Processor, Memory, etc.

For processor, RAM, sound card and other requirements please see the requirements from the game publishers. Each game comes with its own hardware requirements, typically published on its packaging.

Multi-core CPUs are supported.

# Set up

- 1. Switch off the PC. Connect one DVI output of the graphics card to green marked DVI input on iZ3D monitor.
- Connect the second output of the graphics card to one of the red marked inputs on iZ3D monitor. If your graphics card has 1 VGA and 1 DVI output, connect VGA output to VGA input of iZ3D using VGA cable. If your graphics card has dual DVI outputs, connect one DVI cable to one DVI output of the graphics card and to the red marked iZ3D monitor input.
- 3. Plug in iZ3D monitor to power supply
- 4. Start PC. Run Windows. If login screen or windows desktop with controls and icons is visible, proceed to step 5. If not, put on glasses, make sure that login screen or windows desktop with controls and icons is visible and proceed to step 5 with glasses on.
- 5. Insert iZ3D installation CD, install iZ3D Driver following the instructions on the screen. After selecting "Install" button take off the glasses. When asked, press the key with the character that you see on the screen.
- 6. At the end of installation iZ3D driver properties window will open. Make sure that "Enable stereo by hotkey" item is selected and redefine stereo hotkeys if needed
- 7 Run your favorite game, press Toggle Stereo hotkey (Numpad \* by default ) when game is ready, put on iZ3D glasses, and refer to the 3D Adjustment Quick Start.

NOTE: If your graphics card has 1 VGA and 1 DVI output, press AUTO ADJUST button on the monitor.

Refer to <u>http://www.iZ3D.com/games</u> for the latest approved list of supported games.

## **Controls in Stereo**

You can adjust stereo settings in game to make it more comfortable. Use the following keys:

Key	Function
NumPad*	Toggle Stereo ON/OFF
NumPad+	Decrease 3D depth
NumPad-	Increase 3D depth
Shift +	Shift the scene deeper into the monitor
NumPad-	-
Shift +	Shift the scene closer out of the monitor
NumPad+	

You can customize stereo settings for each game separately and they will be automatically saved. Following keys and combinations can not be used for driver control: NumLock, NumPad /, NumPad Del, all the combinations with "Windows" key.

Keys can be redefined in iZ3D Driver properties:

START All Programs iZ3D Driver iZ3D Driver

## Driver

In order to enjoy your favorite game in 3D on iZ3D monitor you need to install iZ3D Driver. When activated, the driver renders the game in 3D on iZ3D monitor, you can put on glasses and feel the magic.

After you install the driver, it is always active and you can switch 3D on by pressing NumPad\* hotkey. When you're in 3D mode you can adjust 3D depth of the whole scene by hotkeys NumPad+, NumPad-, Shift + NumPad-, Shift + NumPad+ as it is described in "Adjusting Stereo Settings" section on page 13. The driver can be deactivated and hotkeys can be changed in driver settings dialog window, described on this page. For more information about 3D please refer to chapter "Stereo Vision" on page 15

## Adjusting Driver Settings

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Stereo Properties	HotKeys	
C Enable Stereo	Increase separation	Num +
Enable Stereo by Hotkey	Decrease separation	Num -
Disable Stereo	Increase convergence	Shift + Num +
Stereo Separation 20 %	Decrease convergence	Shift + Num -
— <u>[</u>	Toggle Stereo On	Num *
	Stereo test	

To open iZ3D Driver settings window go to START All Programs iZ3D Driver iZ3D Driver

Here you can:

- 1. Change Default Stereo Separation with Stereo Separation slider
- 2. Change Stereo Mode.
  - a. Select "Enable Stereo" if you want Stereo in the game to be enabled by default.
  - b. Select "Enable Stereo by Hotkey" if you want Stereo in the game to be activated by hotkey (RECOMMENDED)
  - c. Select "Disable Stereo" to switch iZ3D Driver off.
- 3. Change HotKeys
- 4. Display Stereo Test picture

Press "Apply" to apply changes, "OK" to apply changes and exit or "Cancel" to discard changes and exit.

## Adjusting Stereo Settings

The observer's perception of 3d depends on the images observer's left and right eyes see on the iZ3D's screen. As long as these images are computer generated, the user can adjust some stereo settings for his or her visual comfort. First, the user can make the whole scene look closer or further. Second, the user can make the whole scene look deeper or shallower.



Further from observer (Shift + NumPad-) and closer to observer (Shift + NumPad+)



## **Recommended Games**

The following games have been tested and show the best performance in 3D:

- 1. Age Of Empires III
- 2. Battlefield 2
- 3. Ballance
- 4. Black & White 2
- 5. Cars
- 6. Civilization IV
- 7. Counter Strike Source
- 8. Day of Defeat: Source
- 9. Delta Force: Xtreme
- 10. Dungeon Siege II
- 11. Earth 2160
- 12. Fahrenheit
- 13. Fable The Lost Chapters
- 14. Far Cry
- 15.FEAR
- 16.FIFA 2005
- 17. Grand Theft Auto: San Andreas
- 18. Guild Wars
- 19. Heroes of Might and Magic V
- 20. Lego Star Wars
- 21. Life for Speed
- 22. Lord of The Rings Battle for MiddleEarth II
- 23. Lord of The Rings Return of the King
- 24. Men of Valor
- 25. Mercedes Benz World Racing
- 26. Micro Machines 4
- 27. Microsoft Flight Simulator 2004
- 28.MTX Moto Trax
- 29. Narnia
- 30.NASCAR Thunder

- 31.NBA 2005
- 32.NHL 2005
- 33. Need for Speen Underground 2
- 34. Need for Speed Underground Most Wanted
- 35. Painkiller
- 36. Red Orchestra
- 37. Rise and Fall
- 38. Rome: Total Wars
- 39. Serious Sam II
- 40. SiN2: Episodes Sniper Elite
- 41. Sonic Adventure DX: Directors Cut
- 42. SpellForce2: Shadow Wars
- 43. Starship Troopers
- 44. Star Wars Galaxies
- 45. Star Wars: Empire at War
- 46. Star Wars: Battlefront II
- 47. Tiger Woods PGA Tour 2004
- 48. The Movies
- 49. Trains 2006
- 50. Unreal Tournament 2004
- 51.V8 Supercars 3
- 52. Warcraft III Reign of Chaos
- 53. Warcraft III Frozen Throne
- 54. Warhammer 40K
- 55. World of Warcraft

We continuously test new games, please refer to <u>http://www.iZ3D.com/games</u> for the latest approved list of supported games.

# **Stereo Vision**

adapted from Magic Eye, Inc. and Rachel Cooper.

Unlike horses, humans have two eyes located side-by-side in the front of their heads. Thanks to the close side-by-side positioning, each eye takes a view of the

same area from a slightly different angle. The two eye views have plenty in common, but each eye picks up visual information the other doesn't. Each eye captures its own view and the two separate images are sent to the brain for processing. When the two images arrive simultaneously in the back of the brain, they are combined into one picture. The brain combines the two images by matching up the similarities and adding in the small differences. The small differences between the two images add up to a big difference in the final picture! The combined image is more than the sum of its parts. It is a threedimensional *stereo* picture.



The word "stereo" comes from the Greek word

"stereos" which means firm or solid. With stereo vision you see an object as solid in three spatial dimensions--width, height and depth--or x, y and z. It is the added perception of the depth dimension that makes stereo vision so rich and special.

# How iZ3D displays stereo images

In order to make observer see 3d scenes on the screen of iZ3D, we show different pictures to each of the eyes- pictures of the same objects but shot from different viewpoints. As a result, in iZ3D glasses, the left eye sees images rendered by the left camera and the right eye sees image rendered by the right camera.

The cube is drawn on the same position for both eyes, therefore to observer it will seem to be situated right in the iZ3D screen plane.

The ball is drawn with positive parallax – in right eye it is drawn to the right from its image in the left eye – therefore the ball will seem to be deep inside the display.

The pyramid is drawn with negative parallax – in the right

iZ3D Screen

eye it is drawn to the left from its image in the left eye – so the pyramid will seem to be floating in front of the iZ3D.

## Troubleshooting

**Problem**: Image on the screen looks fuzzy and doubled. **Solution**: Put on the 3D glasses or switch off the 3D mode

**Problem**: iZ3D is connected with VGA+DVI cables. Image on the screen looks displaced

**Solution**: Push AUTO button on the iZ3D to auto-adjust image position.

**Problem**: In Windows some windows, icons or the mouse cursor are not displayed

**Solution**: Put on glasses – now you can see, that missing windows, icons or mouse cursor is diplayed on the front screen. Drag windows, icons or mouse cursor to the back screen and take off the glasses. Ensure that iZ3D BACK screen is the primary screen.

Problem : Games do not start or there is no 3D

**Solution**: Install latest DirectX and graphics card drivers. Be sure that both screens are activated in Windows Display properties and iZ3D Back screen is the primary screen.

**Problem:** Games start, but 3D does not switch on when NumPad\* is pressed **Solution:** Be sure that stereo mode is set to "Enabled by Hot Key" and Enable Stereo Hot Key is defined as NumPad\*.

**Problem:** In some games NumPad\* or Stereo control keys do not work **Solution:** Redefine hot keys in Driver by going to: START All Programs iZ3D Driver iZ3D Driver

**Problem**: Games starts but 3D is with artifacts **Solution**: Try to adjust in-game video settings: visual effects, shadows etc.

**Problem:** Images are doubling **Solution:** Lower the depth settings with NumPad–

**Problem:** 3D depth is missing or low **Solution:** Increase the depth settings with NumPad+. If this does not help, try switching between 3D and 2D modes by NumPad\*.

Please refer to the Technical Support section of <u>http://www.iZ3D.com</u> for the up to date troubleshooting list.