

# Chroma-Q® AutoLED II™

## User Manual



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## 1. Product overview

Utilising the same core technologies as the innovative Chroma-Q™ Studio Force D XT 12™, the new **AutoLED II™** is a 6,500K\* CCT daylight white LED moving head fixture that boasts an extreme 16,430 lumens output for ultra bright, long distance throw; a high CRI; and a smooth linear dimming curve. Specifically designed for providing precise daylight illumination of motor industry tradeshow, fashion events and retail environments, the AutoLED II incorporates DMX control, allowing it to be operated from any DMX enabled lighting console – saving time, energy and manpower when rigging, focusing and cabling fixtures.

The **AutoLED II™** features 48 cold white high powered LEDs with a built-in power supply unit and can operate as a standalone unit or controlled remotely through the ANSI E1.11 USITT DMX 512-A protocol.

The **AutoLED II™** comes supplied with a louver accessory. A revolutionary beam shaper lens plate - custom developed by Chroma-Q for remote control of beam angle adjustment - is also available as an optional accessory.

## 2. Operation

### 2.1 Unpacking the units

The AutoLED II package includes the fixture unit, power cord, mounting bracket, safety chain and a Quick Start Guide. We recommend that you keep the original packaging in case the item needs to be returned.

### 2.2 Cabling

The AutoLED II fixture utilises an IEC chassis connector for power input. The DMX control data input and through connections from an external control console are via two XLR 5-pin connectors. The chassis is ground bonded.

XLR 5-pin Cable:

Pin#	Function
1	Ground (Screen)
2	Data Minus
3	Data Plus
4	Spare Data Minus
5	Spare Data Plus

Power Cable:

International Colour Code	North American Colour Code	Connections	
Green and Yellow	Green	Earth (E)	Ground (Green)
Blue	White	Neutral (N)	Neutral (Silver)
Brown	Black	Live (L)	Hot (Gold)

Important Notice:

The use of an opto-splitter for DMX signal distribution is highly recommended when several fixture units are not plugged into the same power source.

### 2.3 Mounting

The AutoLED II fixture base is floor mount. The bottom of the fixture base has provisions to fasten the mounting bracket for overhead truss mounting applications.

Note: Secure the fixture with a safety bond. Provision for a fixing hold is built into the fixture base.

## 2.4 Accessories

### Louver:

A louver is fastened to the front of the AutoLED II fixture head. The louver can be detached from the fixture head by removing 2 screws.

### Beam Shaper:

An optional Beam Shaper attachment can be placed onto the front of the AutoLED II fixture head. The Beam Shaper attachment is a diffuser film which can be controlled (On/Off) via DMX.

There are 2 pins at the rear side of the Beam Shaper attachment. The 2 pins match the 2 holes at the front of the AutoLED II fixture head.

To attach the Beam Shaper,

1. Remove the louver
2. Match the 2 pins underneath the Beam Shaper attachment to the holes on the LED head
3. Align, set and fasten (with 2 screws) the Beam Shaper attachment onto the LED head with the 2 pins in the holes
4. Set the Diffuser Control on the display screen. (See Control Menu > Setup Menu > Technical)

## 2.5 Moving Yoke Pan & Tilt Movement

The AutoLED II fixture is a Daylight Moving Yoke LED Fixture. The pan movement of the yoke and the tilt movement of the head can be controlled via DMX. The movement resolution for both Pan & Tilt is 16 Bits.

1 DMX channel is assigned to each movement:

Pan	1 DMX channel
Pan (fine movement)	1 DMX channel
Tilt	1 DMX channel
Tilt (fine movement)	1 DMX channel

Maximum range of Movement & Direction:

Movement	Range	Direction
Pan	540°	Normal or Reverse
Tilt	270°	Normal or Reverse

To set the Pan & Tilt direction, see Control Menu > Setup Menu > Technical > Direction.

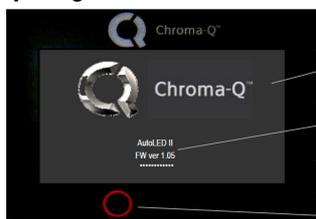
## 2.6 Power Switch

The Power **ON/OFF** switch is located at the rear of the fixture base. The Touch Screen LCD display at the front of the fixture base lights up to show the opening screen when the switch is turned to **ON**.

## 2.7 Control

The AutoLED II fixture is remotely controlled via ANSI E1.11 USITT DMX512-A protocol. The control functions can be accessed through the Touch Screen LCD display at the front of the fixture base.

### Opening Screen on Power On:



Brand Name

Fixture Name &  
Firmware Version  
Number

\*Display On Pinhole

\*Insert a pin into the Pinhole to turn the Display on when the fixture is off.

### Main Screen:



Fixture Name

\*Data Signal Indicator

Control Information

Command Buttons

*Data Signal Indicator:	Shows the presence and status of the DMX signal
No Data	Appears when there is no DMX signal detected from an external control console
>>>DMX	Appears when a DMX signal from an external control console is present

### DMX Channels:

DMX Ch	Description
1	Pan
2	Pan (fine movement)
3	Tilt
4	Tilt (fine movement)
5	Intensity
6	Diffuser Control (Enabled)

### Locked:



Display Lock Icon

Note:  
The Lock Icon turns green when tapped.

### Display On/Off & Locked/Unlocked:

Factory default sets the display screen of the fixture to switch off and lock when untouched for 30 seconds. (To disable this feature, see Control Menu.)

To activate the screen,

1. Tap the screen
2. Press and hold for 5 seconds the lock symbol on the screen. Follow the text prompt that appears on the screen "Keep holding for 5sec to unlock"

The lock symbol disappears and the screen is active.

### Display On/Off:

Factory default sets the display screen of the fixture to switch off when untouched for 30 seconds.

Tap the screen to activate.

## Control Menu

Main Menu

The Main Menu displays the fixture name, control information and the main command buttons:

Control Information:

Address	DMX start address
Footprint	Number of assigned DMX channels
Diffuser	Status: On/Off
Pan Dir	Pan direction status: Normal or Reverse
Tilt Dir	Tilt direction status: Normal or Reverse

Command Buttons:

<b>Change Add</b>	Change DMX start address
<b>Setup Menu</b>	Re-configure internal settings

Select and tap a command button to access the control options available.

→ **Change Add**

→ Change DMX Address

To change the DMX start address,

1. On the Main Menu screen, tap **Change Add**
2. Using the buttons on the Change DMX Address screen, type the desired number
3. Tap **Apply** to save



The display goes back to the Main Menu with the new DMX address.

→ **Setup Menu**

In this menu, internal settings of the fixture can be re-configured.

Command Buttons:

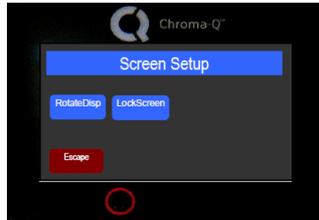
<b>Screen</b>	Display rotation, Lock screen
<b>Technical</b>	DMX Data, Frequency, Upload Engine & Diffuser Control
<b>Direction</b>	Pan Direction, Tilt Direction
<b>Operation</b>	DMX Lost, Fan Speed, Reset



→ **Screen**

In this menu, the display screen can be set and locked.

<b>RotateDisp</b>	Rotate the display screen by 180 degree
<b>LockScreen</b>	Enable or disable display screen lock



To set the screen,

1. On the Main Menu screen, tap **Setup Menu**
2. On the Setup screen, tap **Screen**
3. On the Screen Setup screen, tap **RotateDisp**

The display screen rotates by 180 degrees.

Factory default sets the display screen to turn off and lock when untouched for 30 seconds. A lock symbol appears on the screen when touched.

To disable or enable the display screen lock,

1. On the Main Menu, tap **Setup Menu**
2. On the Setup screen, tap **Screen**
3. On the Screen Setup screen, tap **LockScreen**
4. On the Lock Future screen, tap **Enable** or **Disable**
5. Tap **Apply** to save.

The screen goes to the Setup screen.

→ **Technical**

In this menu, the following command options are available:

<b>DMX Data</b>	DMX data can be accessed
<b>Frequency</b>	The fixture can be set with four frequency options
<b>Upload ENG</b>	LED Engine software can be uploaded to the fixture from an external source by activating this menu
<b>Diffus CTL</b>	Beam Shaping attachment can be enabled or disabled in the Diffuser Control command



#### DMX Data:

To show DMX Data,

1. On the Main Menu, tap **Setup Menu**
2. On the Setup screen, tap **Technical**
3. On the Technical Setup screen, tap **DMX Data**
4. The display shows the DMX start channel and the values (0-99) of the DMX channels
5. Tap Escape to go to the Setup screen

#### Frequency:

In this command, the fixture can be set to four frequency options. The LED scan rate can be synchronised with the video camera to avoid a flickering effect.

Frequency options:

1200 Hz
2400 Hz
4800 Hz
9600 Hz

To set the Frequency,

1. On the Main Menu, tap **Setup Menu**
2. On the Setup screen, tap **Technical**
3. On the Technical Setup screen, tap **Frequency**
4. On the PWM Frequency screen, select and tap a Frequency option, then tap **Apply** to save

The screen goes to the Setup screen.

#### Upload Engine:

LED Engine software can be uploaded to the fixture from an external source by activating this menu.

To activate **Upload ENG**,

1. On the Main Menu, tap **Setup Menu**
2. On the Setup screen, tap **Technical**
3. On the Setup screen, tap **Upload ENG**
4. Connect the fixture to an external uploader
  - Initiate the uploading process from the external uploader
  - Follow the display prompts on the external uploader and the fixture
5. Tap the screen to exit

### Diffus CTL:

In this command, the optional Beam Shaper attachment can be enabled or disabled:

To enable or disable the Beam Shaper attachment,

1. On the Main Menu, tap **Setup Menu**
2. On the Setup screen, tap **Technical**
3. On the Technical Setup screen, tap **Diffus CTL**
4. On the Diffuser Control screen, tap **Off** or **On**
5. Tap **Apply** to save

The screen goes to the Setup screen.

When Diffuser Control is On, the DMX channel for Diffuser Control is added and the Footprint will have 6 DMX channels.



### Direction

In this menu, the direction of the yoke and head Pan & Tilt movement can be set.



To set the Pan & Tilt direction,

1. On the Main Menu, tap **Setup Menu**
2. On the Setup screen, tap **Direction**
3. On the Direction Setup screen, tap **Normal** or **Reverse** at the Pan line, then tap **Normal** or **Reverse** at the Tilt line
4. Tap **Apply** to save

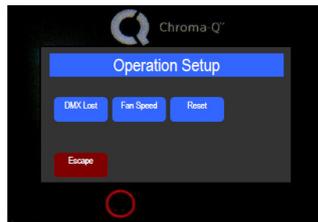
The screen goes to the Setup screen.



### Operation

In this menu, the following command options are available:

<b>DMX Lost</b>	When disconnected from DMX data
<b>Fan Speed</b>	Select between Low or High
<b>Reset</b>	Reset to Factory Default or User saved settings



**DMX Lost:**

There are 2 output options available if the fixture does not detect DMX signal:

<b>Last data</b>	Fixture holds the last valid DMX state.
<b>No output</b>	Fixture output is off.

To set DMX Lost,

1. On the Main Menu, tap **Setup Menu**
2. On the Setup screen, tap **Operation**
3. On the Operation Setup screen, tap **DMX Lost**
4. On the When DMX Lost screen, select **Last data** or **No output**, then tap **Apply** to save

The screen goes to the Setup screen.

**Fan Speed:**

In this command, 2 Fan Speed options are available:

<b>Low</b>	Low fan velocity
<b>High</b>	High fan velocity

To set the Fan Speed,

1. On the Main Menu, tap **Setup Menu**
2. On the Setup screen, tap **Operation**
3. On the Operation Setup screen, tap **Fan Speed**
4. On the Fan Speed screen, tap **Low** or **High**, then tap **Apply** to save

The screen goes to the Setup screen.

**Reset:**

In this command,

- Current user settings can be saved.
- The fixture can be reset to the saved user settings.
- The fixture can be reset to the factory default settings.

To save the current user settings,

1. On the Main Menu, tap **Setup Menu**
2. On the Setup screen, tap **Operation**
3. On the Operation Setup screen, tap **Reset**
4. On the Reset Setting screen, press and hold **Save User** for 10 seconds to save the current user settings (Follow the text prompt that appears on the screen.)

The screen goes to the Setup screen.

To reset the fixture to the saved user settings,

1. On the Main Menu, tap **Setup Menu**
2. On the Setup screen, tap **Operation**
3. On the Operation Setup screen, tap **Reset**
4. On the Reset Setting screen, tap **User**
5. Press and hold **Apply** for 3 seconds to restore the saved user settings.

The screen reboots to the opening screen and Main Menu.

To reset the fixture to the factory default settings,

1. On the Main Menu, tap **Setup Menu**
2. On the Setup screen, tap **Operation**
3. On the Operation Setup screen, tap **Reset**
4. On the Reset Setting screen, tap **Default**
5. Press and hold **Apply** for 3 seconds to restore the factory default settings.

The screen reboots to the opening screen and Main Menu.

Factory Default Settings:

DMX Address	1
Lock	Enable
Frequency	1200Hz
Diffus CTL	Off
Direction	Normal
DMX Lost	Last Data
Fan Speed	High
Reset	Default

## 2.8 DMX Protocol

AutoLED II DMX Personality:

AutoLED II V1.05	Diffuser Control - Off	Diffuser Control - On
Channel 1	Pan	Pan
Channel 2	Pan – Fine Movement	Pan – Fine Movement
Channel 3	Tilt	Tilt
Channel 4	Tilt – Fine Movement	Tilt – Fine Movement
Channel 5	Intensity	Intensity
Channel 6		Diffuser - On

## 2.9 Thermal Performance

The AutoLED II fixture features 3 internal fans in the head and base which drive the cooling system.

If the internal temperature exceeds 75°C the output of the fixture is reduced for automatic protection. This happens on rare and extreme conditions when ambient temperature is over 35°C or the internal fans are blocked or damaged.

The airflow to and from the fan must not be constricted to maintain the maximum operating capacity.

## 3. Troubleshooting

Troubleshooting is a process of elimination. First, rule out the other field factors (i.e. bad connections, faulty cables and power supplies). For technical support and/or parts, please contact your selling dealer or the offices listed in this manual.

Symptom	Possible Cause	Solution
Fixture does not respond to DMX control.	Set to wrong or different DMX address. Bad cable connecting DMX control and fixture. Bad in/through connection between adjacent fixtures.	Check DMX address and Mode settings. Check/replace DMX cable.
Noise from fixture unit.	Fan malfunction.	Check fans.
Low LED output.	Internal temperature is over the limit. Fan is not working.	Check "Fan Control" mode. Check the fans and airflow - to and from the internal fan. Check area ventilation.

## 4. Specification

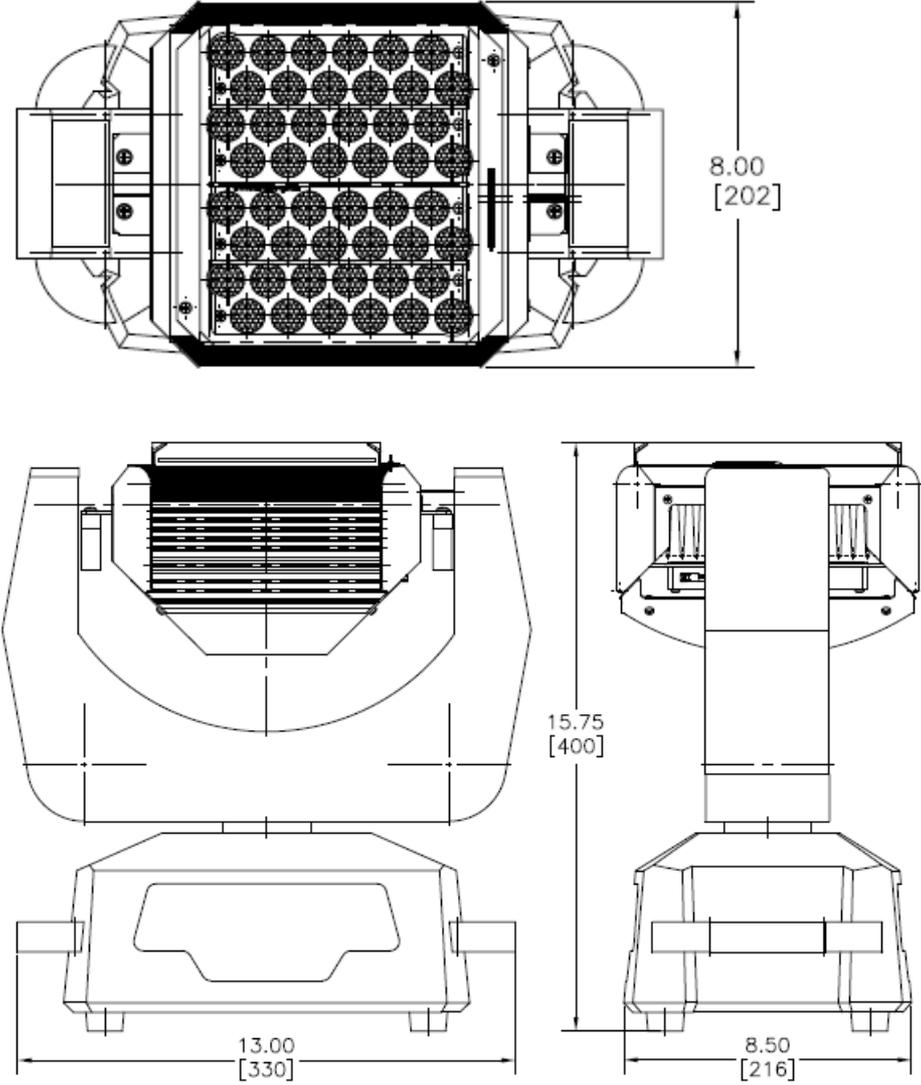
### 4.1 Technical specifications

Product Code	CHAUDXYII
Net Dimensions(Without Fixings) - Width x Height x Depth	330mm x 400mm x 216mm / 13" x 15.75" x 8.5"
Net Weight (Without Fixings)	9 kg / 20 lbs
Shipping Dimensions - Width x Height x Depth	425mm x 400mm x 295mm / 16.75" x 15.75" x 11.75"
Shipping Weight	11 kg / 24 lbs
Power & Connections	
Power Supply	Built-in
Power Input Rating	100-240V AC 50-60Hz 300VA
Power Factor	0.9
Power Consumption	300W
Typical Power & Current	Measurements done with all LEDs at maximum intensity. Measurements made at nominal voltage. Allow for a deviation of +/- 10%.
Power Connectors In/Out	IEC (Input)
Data Connectors In/Out	XLR 5-pin
Control Protocol	ANSI E1.11 USITT DMX 512-A
Cooling System	Forced - 3 fans
Operating Temperature	0°C to 40°C
Construction	Powder coated aluminium base with plastic cover & anodised aluminium extrusion head
Colour	Black
Built-In Hardware	Base handles
IP Rating	IP20
Approvals	CISPR 22 / EN55022, CISPR 24 / EN55024, FCC Part 15 Subpart B & ICES-003; CSA C22.2, UL 1573, IEC 60598
Control & Photometric	
Pan movement range	540°
Tilt movement range	270°
Movement resolution	16 Bits
Total LEDs	48 Cold White
Control Modes	5 channels for Pan, Pan Fine, Tilt, Tilt Fine & Intensity + 1 channel Diffus CTL
Dimming Curve	Theatrical
Hot Lumen Output (Combined)	16,430
Beam Angle	~17°
Beam Distribution	Symmetrical direct illumination
CCT	6500K
CRI	>=70
Lamp Life	L70 at 50,000 hours
Accessories	Louwer, Beam Shaper



### 4.2 Drawings

AutoLED II



5. Maintenance

With care, the AutoLED II requires little maintenance. However, as the unit is likely to be used in a stage environment we recommend periodical internal inspection and cleaning of any resulting dust and cracked oil residue.

Do not spray liquids on the front or rear panel. If the front enclosure requires cleaning, wipe with a mild detergent on a damp cloth.