



### **FOS Helix Pro**





# **PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS**

#### **TECHNICAL SPECIFICATION**

Voltage: 100/240 Volt AC, 50/60 Hz.

Power Consumption: 450 Watt.

Light Source: 19x 15 Watt RGBW

**Beam angle:** 4 - 60°

*Effect:* Beam, wash and kaleidoscope type effects.

Control: Auto, Music, Master/Slave, DMX

#### DMX Channels:

- Standard (21 Ch)
- Normal (23 Ch)
- Shapes (35 Ch)
- Extend (78 Ch)
- Extend RGBW (97 Ch)
- Full (92 Ch + 99 Ch)

Protection Class: IP20 (for indoor use only)

*Dimensions:* 415 x 275 x 425 mm

Weight: 18,1 Kg

### SAFETY WARNING

This product must be installed by a qualified professional. All maintenance must be carried out by a qualified electrician. A minimum distance of 0.5 m must be maintained between the equipment and a



combustible surface. The product must always be operated in a well-ventilated area. DO NOT stare directly into the light source. Always disconnect the power before carrying out any maintenance. The earth must always be connected to the ground. Ensure that all parts of the equipment are kept clean and free of dust.

# PROTECTION AGAINST SOLIDS AND WATER

#### Only for IP-rated fixtures

The protection level of a housing is set by applied standards. For classification there is used the IP-Code. It contains the declaration "IP"and two following numbers. The first number characterizes the protection against harmful effects of solids, the second is rating the water protection. It is important to distinguish whether encapsulation and harmful effect! There can be housing that is not capsuled completely but still avoids harmful effect of solids or water.

#### **PROTECTION EXAMPLES:**

IP20: Protection against intruding objects >12,5mm "Finger protected "; No waterproofing. **TYPICAL PROTECTION FOR INDOOR USE FIXTURES** 

**IP33**: Protection against intruding objects >2,5mm; Falling water within an angle of 60° has no harmful effect **TYPICAL PROTECTION OF LED-LIGHTS USING RECESSED POWERCON AND DMX SOCKET**. This protection is linked to the mounting position of the fixture and always refers to typical mounting situation like a Floor spot used standing on the ground.

IP54: complete protection against solids and low-pressure water from any side THIS TYPE OF FIXTURES CAN BE USED UNDER NORMAL OUTDOOR CONDITIONS.

IP65: shielded against dust and pressurized water from any side. TYPICAL PROTECTION FOR OUTDOOR RATED EVENTFIXTURES USING WATERPROOFED POWER AND SIGNAL LINK.

IP67: shielded against dust and protected for accidental briefly submerge. **PROTECTION AGAINST** ACCIDENTIAL SUBMERGING ON TEMPORARY FLOODED AREA.

### **TEMPORARY USE**

Event equipment is designed for temporary use. This are typical purpose as concerts, festivals, theatre, clubs and disco use and referable venues. Long-term use, specially under outdoor conditions and fixed outdoor installation can bring damage in aging materials and affect the coated surface. Sealings as well as



cables are made from rubber material and will age by long-term UV-emission as sunlight and should be checked frequently.

# LIMITATIONS OF IP PROTECTION

IP-Rating doesn't mean unlimited outdoor use and protection against any kind of environmental influence! Especially sunlight and included UV will bring accelerated aging. Some fixtures need special parts or processes to fit the rated IP-Protection, like mounting covers or caps or similar. Sealings and other plastic or rubber materials are aging parts. They must be checked frequently to ensure the protection and safety of the fixtures. Also specified torque of screws can affect protection!

### Installation

**Hanging:** The fixture can be mounted in a hanging position using the supporting bracket. The bracket should be secured to the mounting truss or structure using a standard mounting clamp. Please note that when hanging the unit, a safety cable should also be used.

**UPRIGHT:** The fixture can be mounted in an upright or sitting position using the supporting brackets.



**NOTE!** If the signal cable is over 60 m between the DMX512 controller and fixture or between two fixtures, then a DMX signal amplifier is needed as well.

### Menu Screen

You can easily navigate through menu's options with the four buttons under the screen. Navigating in the menu is simple! With the Up / Down buttons, you are moving through menu's choices, pressing Enter, you are entering the sub menu of the option you have chosen, with the Up / Down buttons you're moving through the sub menu's options, with Enter, you are confirming your choice. The fixture is equipped with a touch screen, making the navigation easier! The FOS Helix Pro offers the following options:



#### System Setup

#### Run mode:

- DMX512
- Sound
- Auto 1
- Auto 2
- Auto 3

Address: Set the DMX address

#### Channel Mode:

- 21 Ch
- 23 Ch
- 35 Ch
- 78 Ch
- 92 Ch
- 97 Ch
- 99 Ch

#### Invert Pan:

- On
- Off

#### Invert Tilt:

- On
- Off

#### Pan / Tilt Swap:

- On
- Off

#### Encoder:

- On
- Off

No Signal:



- Keep
- Clean

#### Screen Saver:

- On
- Off

#### Language:

- English
- Chinese

#### Load defaults

#### **Manual Control**

**Motor Calibration** 

- Pan\*
- Tilt\*
- Zoom\*
- Rotation\*

\*These options should be adjusted only by a technician!

System Test

System Info

### **Channel Modes**

#### Standard (21 Ch)

- 1. <u>Red</u>
- 2. Red Fine
- 3. Green
- 4. Green Fine
- 5. <u>Blue</u>



- 6. Blue Fine
- 7. White
- 8. White Fine
- 9. Linear CTO
  - 0 9 Off
  - 10 255 Warm to Cold
- 10. Color Macros:
  - 0 9 Off
  - 10 255 Gradual Color Change
- 11. Shutter:
  - **0 3** Shutter Closed
  - 4 103 Synchronous Strobe
  - 104 107 Shutter Open
  - 108 207 Flash
  - 208 212 Shutter Open
  - 213 251 Random Flash
  - 252 255 Shutter Open
- 12. Dimmer
- 13. Dimmer Fine
- 14. <u>Pan</u>
- 15. <u>Pan Fine</u>
- 16. <u>Tilt</u>
- 17. <u>Tilt Fine</u>
- 18. No Function
- 19. <u>Reset</u>
  - <u>0 250</u> No function
  - <u>251 255</u> Reset after 5 seconds
- 20. <u>Zoom</u>
- 21. Lens Rotation:
  - <u>0 127:</u> Lens index
  - 128 191: CW Rotation from fast to slow
  - <u>192 255:</u> CCW Rotation from slow to fast



#### Normal (23Ch)

- 1. <u>Pan</u>
- 2. Pan Fine
- 3. <u>Tilt</u>
- 4. Tilt Fine
- 5. Pan / Tilt Speed
- 6. <u>Zoom</u>
- 7. Lens Rotation
  - **0 127** Rotation Index
  - **128 191** CW Rotation
  - **192 255** CCW Rotation
- 8. Dimmer
- 9. Shutter:
  - **0 3** Shutter Closed
  - 4 103 Synchronous Strobe
  - **104 107** Shutter Open
  - 108 207 Flash
  - 208 212 Shutter Open
  - 213 251 Random Flash
  - **252 255** Shutter Open
- 10. <u>Red</u>
- 11. <u>Green</u>
- 12. <u>Blue</u>
- 13. <u>White</u>
- 14. Color Temperature
- 15. Color Macros
- 16. Static Effects (Different static effect every 5 DMX values)
- 17. Dynamic Effects (Different dynamic effect every 5 DMX values)
- 18. Dynamic Effects Speed:
  - 0 127: CW rotation from fast to slow
  - 128 255: CCW rotation from slow to fast
- 19. Background Red
- 20. Background Green



#### 21. Background Blue

#### 22. Background White

#### 23. <u>Reset:</u>

- **0 250** No function
- 251 255 Reset

#### Shapes (35 Ch)

- 1. <u>Red</u>
- 2. Red Fine
- 3. Green
- 4. Green Fine
- 5. <u>Blue</u>
- 6. Blue Fine
- 7. White
- 8. White Fine
- 9. Linear CTO
- 10. Color Macros
- 11. Shutter:
  - 0 3 Shutter Closed
  - 4 103 Synchronous Strobe
  - **104 107** Shutter Open
  - 108 207 Flash
  - 208 212 Shutter Open
  - 213 251 Random Flash
  - 252 255 Shutter Open
- 12. <u>Dimmer</u>
- 13. Dimmer Fine
- 14. <u>Pan</u>
- 15. Pan Fine
- 16. <u>Tilt</u>



- 17. <u>Tilt Fine</u>
- 18. Function
- 19. <u>Reset:</u>
  - **0 250** Off
  - 251 255 Reset
- 20. <u>Zoom</u>
- 21. Lens Rotation:
  - **0 127** Rotation Index
  - 128 191 CW Rotation
  - **192 255** CCW Rotation
- 22. Shape Selection:
  - **0 7** Default
  - 8 13 Static Shapes
  - 14 14 Off
  - 16 70 Shapes
  - 71 255 Off

#### 23. Shape Speed:

- 0 63 Index
- 64 160 CW Rotation
- 161 255 CCW Rotation

#### 24. Shape Fade:

- **0** Single Color
- 1 255 Double Color fade (With Shape Color channels 25, 26, 27, 28)
- 25. <u>Red</u> (Shape Color)
- 26. Green (Shape Color)
- 27. <u>Blue</u> (Shape Color)
- 28. White (Shape Color)
- 29. Shape Dimmer
- 30. Background LED Dimmer
- 31. Shape Transition
- 32. Shape Offset
- 33. Shapes Shutter
- 34. Background Shutter
- 35. Background Select



#### Extend (78Ch)

- 1. <u>Red</u>
- 2. Red Fine
- 3. Green
- 4. Green Fine
- 5. <u>Blue</u>
- 6. Blue Fine
- 7. White
- 8. White Fine
- 9. Linear CTO
- 10. Color Macros:
- 11. Shutter:
  - 0 3 Shutter Closed
  - 4 103 Synchronous Strobe
  - **104 107** Shutter Open
  - 108 207 Flash
  - 208 212 Shutter Open
  - 213 251 Random Flash
  - 252 255 Shutter Open
- 12. <u>Dimmer</u>
- 13. Dimmer Fine
- 14. <u>Pan</u>
- 15. Pan Fine
- 16. <u>Tilt</u>
- 17. <u>Tilt Fine</u>
- 18. Function
- 19. <u>Reset:</u>
  - **0 250** Off
  - 251 255 Reset
- 20. <u>Zoom</u>
- 21. Lens Rotation:



- **0 127** Rotation Index
- 128 191 CW Rotation
- **192 255** CCW Rotation

22. LED 1 Red

- 23. LED 1 Green
- 24. LED 1 Blue
- 25. LED 2 Red
- 26. LED 2 Green
- 27. <u>LED 2 Blue</u>
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76. <u>LED 19 Red</u> 77. <u>LED 19 Green</u>

78. <u>LED 19 Blue</u>

- 1. <u>Red</u>
- 2. Red Fine
- 3. Green
- 4. Green Fine
- 5. <u>Blue</u>
- 6. Blue Fine
- 7. <u>White</u>
- 8. White Fine
- 9. Linear CTO
  - 0-9 Off
  - 10 255 Warm to Cold
- 10. Color Macros:
  - 0-9 Off
  - 10 255 Gradual Color Change
- 11. Shutter:
  - 0-3 Shutter Closed



- 4 103 Synchronous Strobe
- 104 107 Shutter Open
- 108 207 Flash
- 208 212 Shutter Open
- 213 251 Random Flash
- 252 255 Shutter Open
- 13. Dimmer
- 14. Dimmer Fine
- 15. <u>Pan</u>
- 16. Pan Fine
- 17. <u>Tilt</u>
- 18. <u>Tilt Fine</u>
- 19. Function
- 20. <u>Reset:</u>
  - <u>0 21</u> Off
  - <u>22 255</u> Reset
- 21. <u>Zoom</u>
- 22. Lens Rotation:
  - 0 127 Rotation Index
  - 128 191 CW Rotation
  - 192 255 CCW Rotation
- 23. Shape Selection
- 24. Shape Speed
- 25. Shape Fade
- 26. <u>Shape R</u>
- 27. <u>Shape G</u>
- 28. <u>Shape B</u>
- 29. <u>Shape W</u>
- 30. Shape Dimmer
- 31. Background Dimmer
- 32. Shape Transition
- 33. Shape Offset
- 34. Foreground Strobe
- 35. Background Strobe



- 36. Background Select
- 37. <u>LED 1 Red</u>
- 38. <u>LED 1 Green</u>
- 39. <u>LED 1 Blue</u>
- 40. LED 2 Red

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- 90. LED 19 Red
- 91. LED 19 Green
- 92. LED 19 Blue

#### Full (97 Ch)

- 1. <u>Red</u>
- 2. <u>Red Fine</u>
- 3. Green
- 4. Green Fine
- 5. <u>Blue</u>
- 6. <u>Blue Fine</u>
- 7. <u>White</u>
- 8. White Fine
- 9. Linear CTO
  - 0 9 Off
  - **10 255** Warm to Cold
- 10. Color Macros:
  - 0 9 Off
  - **10 255** Gradual Color Change
- 11. <u>Shutter:</u>
  - **0 3** Shutter Closed
  - 4 103 Synchronous Strobe



- 104 107 Shutter Open
- 108 207 Flash
- 208 212 Shutter Open
- 213 251 Random Flash
- 252 255 Shutter Open
- 13. Dimmer
- 14. Dimmer Fine
- 15. <u>Pan</u>
- 16. <u>Pan Fine</u>
- 17. <u>Tilt</u>
- 18. Tilt Fine
- 19. Function
- 20. <u>Reset:</u>
  - <u>0 250</u> Off
  - <u>251 255</u> Reset
- 21. <u>Zoom</u>
- 22. Lens Rotation:
  - **0 127** Rotation Index
  - **128 191** CW Rotation
  - **192 255** CCW Rotation
- 23. <u>LED 1 Red</u>
- 24. LED 1 Green
- 25. LED 1 Blue
- 26. LED 1 White
- 27. <u>LED 2 Red</u>
- <u>.</u> <u>.</u> 94. <u>LED 19 Red</u>
- 95. LED 19 Green
- 96. LED 19 Blue
- 97. LED 19 White



#### Full (99 Ch)

- 1. <u>Pan</u>
- 2. Pan Fine
- 3. <u>Tilt</u>
- 4. <u>Tilt Fine</u>
- 5. Pan / Tilt Speed
- 6. <u>Zoom</u>
- 7. Lens Rotation
  - **0 127** Rotation Index
  - 128 191 CW Rotation
  - 192 255 CCW Rotation
- 8. <u>Dimmer</u>
- 9. <u>Strobe:</u>
  - 0 3 Shutter Closed
  - 4 103 Synchronous Strobe
  - 104 107 Shutter Open
  - 108 207 Flash
  - 208 212 Shutter Open
  - 213 251 Random Flash
  - 252 255 Shutter Open
- 10. <u>Red</u>
- 11. <u>Green</u>
- 12. <u>Blue</u>
- 13. <u>White</u>
- 14. Color Temperature
- 15. Color Macros
- 16. <u>Static Effects</u> (Different static effect every 5 DMX values)
- 17. Dynamic Effects (Different dynamic effect every 5 DMX values)
- 18. Dynamic Effects Speed:
  - 0 127: CW rotation from fast to slow
  - 128 255: CCW rotation from slow to fast
- 19. Background Red



- 20. Background Green
- 21. Background Blue
- 22. Background White
- 23. <u>Reset:</u>
  - **0 250** No function
  - 251 255 Reset
- 24. LED 1 Red
- 25. LED 1 Green
- 26. LED 1 Blue
- 27. LED 1 White
- 28. LED 2 Red
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98. LED 19 Blue

99. LED 19 White

### **Photometric Data**

Red	83700 Lux @ 2,5 m	2550 Lux @ 5 m	1150 Lux @ 7,5 m
Green	13800 Lux @ 2,5 m	3800 Lux @ 5 m	1780 Lux @ 7,5 m
Blue	15300 Lux @ 2,5 m	4460 Lux @ 5 m	1970 Lux @ 7,5 m
White	18000 Lux @ 2,5 m	5300 Lux @ 5 m	2320 Lux @ 7,5 m
RGBW	50400 Lux @ 2,5 m	15500 Lux @ 5 m	6680 Lux @ 7,5 m

# **General Information**



#### Replacing a fuse:

Always disconnect the fixture from main power before replacing a fuse. Use only the appropriate fuse, with the same type and rating. A fuse with different rating, can damage the fixture in case of failure.

#### Risk of electric shock and / or fire:

The fixture must be earthed, supplied always with its nominal voltage and cleaned periodically from dust. For cleaning use only, a moist cloth. Never use liquids or force water. After cleaning, let the fixture dry before use.