



Media Highlighter

A horizontal bar with a rainbow gradient from red to purple.

HTW1012

RGB Wireless Controller

A gold, pill-shaped logo with the words "PRO HD" in a bold, black, sans-serif font.

PRO HD

A logo with "HIGH DEFINITION" in a bold, black, sans-serif font above "MODULATION" in a smaller, bold, black, sans-serif font. The text is contained within a black rectangular border with rounded corners.

**HIGH DEFINITION
MODULATION**

A white rounded rectangle with a thin red border.

USER MANUAL

A colorful, wavy swoosh that arches over the text below, transitioning from green to blue.

What Would **YOU Light Today**

Four horizontal red bars of varying lengths, stacked vertically.

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PRO HD IR Controller HTW1012

Thank you for purchasing CYRON HTW1012 Media Highlighter IR controller. Please follow all the steps to assure proper installation and optimum usage of this device. Read through the instructions before you start your project.

Contents

Locate all system components. If any of the components are missing or damaged contact CYRON before proceeding with installation.

- 1 X Controller
- 1 X Remote control
- 1 X IR receiver
- 1 X Audio headphone cord
- 4 X Mounting screws



Remote



Controller



Audio Cord



IR Receiver

Possibilities

HTW1012 is compatible with all CYRON multicolor/RGB lights. Controller is provided with 12 ports for easy connections to Media Highlighter Lightbars. For the ultimate expandability, the system is also equipped with internal terminal blocks that allow hardwiring the system without the use of ports. By hardwiring, the system will be able to handle much larger lighting systems. See Table for details.



Hardwiring needs ample knowledge of wiring practices and should be done by experienced professionals such as electricians or certified custom electronic installers. Please contact CYRON Technical Support for further details.

Installations

CONTROLLER should preferably be installed out of sight, while planning for the IR receiver to be installed in line of sight. REMOTE needs to be pointed at the IR receiver for operation. Cautions and Common practices:



Keep the controller and wires away from extreme heat, liquids, and moving objects.



Low voltage wires can be routed through walls and cabinets as long as proper care is taken to avoid damages.



DO NOT modify internal components. Tampering with components and wiring may cause severe damage to your system and will void factory warranty.

The CONTROLLER operates on 100% regulated 12 or 24VDC power. The size (wattage) of the power supply depends on the number of lights. Table below will help in determining the maximum number of lights and the power supply ratings to be used.

<i>CYRON Series/Size</i>	<i>Watts per <u>one</u> lightbar</i>	<i>Model no. available (Qty)</i>	<i>Max Qty with HTW1012</i>
HTP (Pro) / 9"	1.20	HTPB9 (2x9")	160
HTP (Pro) / 15"	2.20	HTPB15 (2x15")	90
HTP (Pro) / 24"	4.00	HTPB24 (2x24")	50
Ribbon LED / HTPR	2.20 / ft	HTPR-RL	90 feet
Ribbon LED / HTPRX	2.20 / ft	HTPRX-RL	90 feet
HTPRZ-2H24	4.40 / ft	HTPRZ-2H24RL	90 feet

There are two methods of connecting lights to the controller:

[1. PLUG-n-PLAY lightbar connection](#)

CYRON Media Highlighter multicolor lights are supplied with pre-installed connectors which can be directly plugged into controller ports. Pay attention to the polarity of the plugs. Do not use excessive force. The order in which they get connected does not matter. You can plug as few as one or as many as twelve. Use wire zip ties or other means of wire management to secure the wires.



CYRON hub extender (part# HTH61) provides 5 more outlets. If your system is using too many hub extenders, then you should be thinking about hardwiring the lights instead.

[2. HARDWIRING Connecting more than 12 CYRON lightbars](#)

You may choose this option if :

- a) You are connecting far more than 12 lightbars
- b) Lightbar wires are too short for your project
- c) Using CYRON Ribbon lights
- d) You are a contractor and are familiar with wiring practices
- e) Intending to utilize more than 100 watts of power



Hardwiring needs ample knowledge of wiring practices. This option should be done by experienced professionals such as electricians or certified custom electronic installers. Please contact CYRON Technical Support for further details. There may be other options available for your project. CYRON experienced Tech Support staff will be happy to help you implement your project.

See Appendix A for detailed hardwiring instructions.

Operations _____

The HTW1012 remote is designed to be quite intuitive. However, it has many features which may take some time to get familiar with. Please take some time to learn all the features.



Power, Turn on



Power, Turn off



Pre-programmed Light show: Sequentially displays seven preset colors (colors cannot be changed).



Pre-programmed Light show: Color Transition. Smooth color transition of lights thru a preset color pallet.



Pre-programmed Light show: aka Breath mode. Sequentially fades in and fades out seven preset colors (colors cannot be changed).



Slow speed (60 seconds)



Medium speed (5 sec)



Fast speed (1 sec)



Dimming buttons do not operate in Light shows



Stops the light show on the color displayed at that instance.





Turn-off timer. There are 5 timers of 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 hours. Each time the button is pressed the lights will flash according to the number of hours.

- >First press; lights flash once; system turns off in 1 hour.
 - >Second press; lights flash twice; system turns off in 2 hours.
 - >Third press; lights flash three times; system turns off in 3 hours.
- Same applies for up to 5 hours. Press a gain to go back to 1 hour.



Red, Green and Blue COLOR DIALS allow adjustment of each color from zero brightness to full brightness in very finite steps. The number of steps (modulation resolutions) is explained on Page 7 in Hi Def Modulation section. The UP arrows increase and down arrows decrease the brightness level of each particular color. By combining different levels of each color more than 500,000 color and brightness combinations will be possible. Use COLOR DIALS to match décor colors, create varies tones of white light, or reduce the brightness of colors. See Memory function below to save a custom color.



COLOR DIALS only operate on memorized colors and PAUSED colors.



You cannot press-and-hold to rapidly change thru the steps. Buttons must be pressed once for each step.



MUSIC MODE. The lights will change colors and interact with sound. There are two ways to take advantage of this feature.

- a. Built in Microphone: A microphone is placed inside the controller which can pick up ambient sound. If the ambient sound is loud enough the lights will start to interact. Placement of the controller box and the amplitude of sound plays a big role in how well the Music Light will work.
- b. Audio Input: Alternatively, you may plug the headphone output of a stereo system or personal music player to the MIC input. A cord has been provided. Depending on your audio system you may need a different type of connection. The built-in microphone is disable once the cord has been plugged into the controller.



DO NOT connect audio input to speaker outputs. Controller will be damaged.

Sound sensitivity can be adjusted by pressing the MUSIC button more than once, up to 5 times. Every time the button is pressed there will be a sequence of light flashes, from one flash to 5 flashes. 5 flashes indicates the sound sensitivity is at its minimum. Depending on the type of sound/music and the audio output level, the sensitivity adjustment may not play a big role in light interaction. Experiment with different types of music and output levels to get the optimum Music Light appearance.

For more audio control look for CYRON inline adjustable attenuator and Y-splitter at www.CYRON.com.



Instant white light. Preset cool white. Custom white tones can be programmed. See Page 7 Custom White Settings.



Other tones of white can be achieved using COLOR DIALS. In general, lowering the green and blue will generate “warmer” tones of white.



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Memory buttons 1 thru 7 can be used to memorize colors. To memorize a color press the  and then press the desired memory button 1 thru 7. Lights will flash confirming the process.



Dimming buttons allow you to dim any “memorized” or “paused” light in 4 steps of 100%, 75%, 50% and 25%.



Dimming does not work for light shows.



Dimming works best for memory buttons 1-7 or the instant white light.



Dimming levels lower than 25% can be achieved by first memorizing a color at 25% level. Then recalling the color and dimming it again will result in lower levels. Repeating this process can result in dimming levels near 1%.

Auto Turn ON/Off _____

HTW1012 can be set to automatically turn on every time the power has been disconnected and then restored. This is referred to as Auto On mode. Inversely, it can be set to never turn on automatically when the power is restored, also referred to as Auto Off.



Use Auto On setting and connect the controller to a timer. Every time the timer comes on the lights will turn on automatically. Same is true if controller is plugged into an outlet that is controlled by a wall switch. Lights can be turned on by the wall switch

To set the controller to Auto On:

Turn off the lights using the power off button. On the remote press buttons "7, 7, 1". Lights will flash to confirm. Disconnect power and reconnect to test. Lights should turn on automatically.

To set the controller to Auto Off:

Turn off the lights using the power off button. On the remote press buttons "7, 7, 2". Lights will flash to confirm. Disconnect power and reconnect to test. Lights should remain off.

Hi Definition Modulation

HTW1012 can operate at 3 different modulation rates. Lower modulation rates make it easier to navigate through the color dial buttons but may show flickering effect when viewed with 3D glasses or shooting digital video. Table below shows options:

PW Modulation Rate	Color Dial Steps	Setting: Button sequence
Standard	51	OFF, 5, 5, 1
High Def	127	OFF, 5, 5, 2
Super High Def	255	OFF, 5, 5, 3

Custom White Settings

White button is preprogrammed at 100% white which is combination of red, green and blue all at max levels. Results is a high color temperature tone of white light almost resembling a light blue. The exact color depends on the lighting element used. Other tones of white can be produced by reducing blue and green channels. As it would with any other color, this "custom white" color can also be programmed in any of the seven memory buttons. Alternatively it can be saved in the

WHITE button instead. Once the desired tone of white has been reached press MEM 6 times and then press WHITE.

General Guidance _____

How to make a specific color:

It is best to start from a solid color that is close to the color you are trying to get. For example if you are trying to produce a specific shade of sea green it is best to start with solid green and using COLOR DIALS add blue until the desired color is reached. To recall it in the future save in memory.

How to produce a color when watching a color show:

While watching any of the color shows you can press PAUSE button to freeze the show on the color being displayed. A quick way to get to some of the solid colors maybe to PAUSE the lights in the STEP mode.

Different tones of white light:

White light is presence of all primary colors. Otherwise, red green and blue mixed together will make white light. However, what most traditional lights produce is far from a “white” light. Depending on the type of light it could have a yellowish tone, bluish tone, or green tone. Most people think of white light as yellowish white aka “warm white”. A color similar to “warm white” can be nearly replicated using the HTW1012 controller. The WHITE button produces a 100% red/green/blue combination. Depending on the type of CYRON lights you use, this may produce a shade of white that needs further adjustment. Generally, reducing green and blue using COLOR DIALS will produce a warmer shade of white, while reducing red will create a cooler white. Play around with COLOR DIALS and keep an open mind in what you may have known as “white”.

Can I use the ports and the internal terminal block at the same time?

Yes, lights can be connected to terminal block and the external ports. However, the power supply connection is best to be at either terminal blocks or external DC jack, not both simultaneously. CAUTION: Do not exceed the max rating of DC jack.

Specifications _____

Supply voltage range	9-24VDC
Supply current	6A max via DC jack 18A max via terminal block, 14AWG x 4
Continuous output power	200W @ 12VDC, 400W @ 24VDC
Peak output power	400W
Working Temperature	-20 to 60°C
Common terminal	Anode
Standby power	0.5W
Audio line input	0.5V, 100Ω
Dimensions	5" x 3 3/8" x 1" (128mm x 85mm x 25mm)
Remote, battery	CR2025, 3V

Appendix A

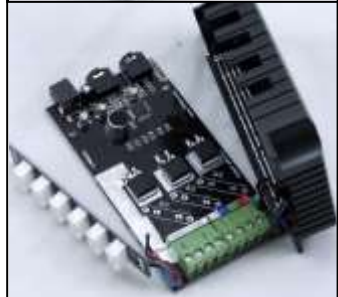
Hardwire Instructions _____

STEP ONE: Open the HTW1000 controller box by removing four screws on the bottom.



STEP TWO: Gently take out one of the side

circuit boards holding the 6 ports. Lift the main PCB to gain access to the terminal blocks. Be careful not to break any wires connecting the boards.



STEP THREE: Take out the housing wire cap.

STEP FOUR: Connect wires to the hub following the color code shown in Table One.



Use minimum 18AWGx4 (4 conductor 18 gauge) wire for extending lightbar wires up to 100ft. For runs over 100ft you must increase

the wire gauge accordingly.



Do not connect too many wires directly to the terminal block. To minimize wire clutter connect one or two main leads to the terminal block. Then by means of standard electrical connections the main lead can be connected to however many lights may be needed.



Note that 12VDC and lightbars wires can all be connected to the hub. Connecting the 12VDC directly to the hub is required for power supplies over 60watts. Four terminal inlets have been provided for 12V positive and negative. For power sources over 100W it is a good idea to use four wires, two for the

positive, two for the negative. This will eliminate extra current being carried over one wire.

Wire Color Code

<i>HTW1012 Terminal Block</i>	<i>HTHUB6 Wires</i>	<i>CYRON Ribbon lights Marking / Wire</i>
+12V	White	+12, 24 / Com / Black
B	Black	B / Blue
G	Green	G / Green
R	Red	R / Red

STEP FIVE: Place the PCBs back in their positions and close the back cover. Pay close attention to the wires connecting the side PCBs to the main PCB.

STEP SIX: Manage the wires. Use zip ties or other means to secure the wires together. As stated in the User Manual, the IR receiver will need to be connected to the IR plug. The IR receiver needs to be in the line of sight in order for the remote to work.



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Technical Support _____

CYRON's goal is 100% customer satisfaction. You may call our technical support line or contact us via email 24/7.

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To continually improve our products we welcome all comments about the product you purchased.

Thank You!

Warranty _____

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