SMART MOVE®

Gobo Rotators



Smart Move®

Smart Move® DMX

Smart Move® Jr.

Smart Move® Jr. DMX

Simple Single[™]



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Introduction

Since 1992, Apollo Design Technology, Inc. has been one of the world's leading innovators, manufacturers and distributors of gobos, color filters, lights and related equipment and accessories for the lighting industry.

We are continually engineering new products to help you create and execute the designs of your dreams for theaters, bands, advertising, touring companies, television, motion pictures, museums, retail and architecture.

Apollo Design is recognized for creating innovative and award-winning products of superior quality and value. Focused on you, our goal is to ensure unparalleled support from the initial conversation to after sales service.

Our lighting experts and engineers will consult with you on ways to use our standard products or engineer custom solutions. Allow your imagination to run free. Let the Apollo Design team help you create the lighting design you only imagined. There is virtually no limit to what we can do together.

Joel Nichols, Owner/CEO Apollo Design Technology

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Product Description

Congratulations on the purchase of your new Smart Move® gobo rotator. The family of Smart Move® gobo rotators bridges the gap between conventional rotators that merely spin and rotators that require the use of a lighting desk. The Smart Move® rotator family produces fantastic kinetic effects. The rotators can be stand-alone units using only AC power or an addition to scrollers, foggers, and other DMX accessories.



Safety Information

- Be sure to read and understand all instructions in this manual.
- The Smart Move® gobo rotator is designed for indoor applications and should not be exposed to moisture.
- There is a risk of fire, shock or injury if the Smart Move® gobo rotator is not used as specified.
- Servicing the Smart Move® gobo rotator should be undertaken by qualified personnel only.
- The Smart Move® gobo rotator is not intended for residential use.
- Safety cables must be used when installing the Smart Move® gobo rotator.
 Apollo is not responsible for damage or injury resulting from improper use of safety cables.

Gobo Installation

Gobos are centered and held firmly in place by the machined aluminum retaining ring. The ring is designed to hold both metal and glass patterns. Simply invert the ring for thin steel or thicker glass gobos and textured glass. Place the gobo in the self-centering pocket in the gobo holder and install the retaining ring.

- Steel Patterns: The indentation in the retaining ring should face out.
- Glass Patterns: The indentation should be face in.

To remove the ring, place the tip of a screwdriver in the notch and gently pry the ring up. When replacing the ring, simply place the ring in position and gently press into place with your fingertips.

Replacement retainer rings and other items are available from your Apollo dealer in the event one becomes misplaced or damaged.



Operating

Smart Move® DMX and Smart Move® Jr. DMX

- Use only Apollo cable or other approved cable. Approved cable should have two conductors of 14 AWG wire for power and two shielded and twisted conductors of 22 AWG wire for data.
- Insert the rotator in the iris slot of the lighting fixture with the control-housing box facing the front of the fixture. Loop DMX cables through the yoke or over the truss to avoid direct contact with the fixture.
- The Smart Move® DMX and Smart Move® Jr. DMX use 3 channels of DMX512. To set your desired DMX address, turn each rotary switch so that the address reads between 001 and 512. Please note that after patching the rotator into the console, the console's control channel number may (and probably will) be different than the rotator's DMX address number.

Programming Effects

Smart Move® and Smart Move® Jr.

• 19 Pre-Programmed Effects: Set the rotary switch to correspond with the desired effects listed on the back of the unit and on page 6.

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Smart Move® DMX and Smart Move® Jr. DMX

• 19 Pre-Programmed Effects: Set the first rotary switch to 7 and the remaining rotary switches to correspond with the desired effects listed on the back of the unit and on page 6.



Effects

Smart Move®, Smart Move® Jr. and Simple Single™



Effect 01 CW Continuous Rotation



Effect 02 CCW Continuous Rotation



Effect 03 Cradle 45°



Effect 04 Rock 90°



Effect 05 Swing 180°



Effect 06 Stutter 3 CW 360°, Stop, CW 360°, 3 Second Dwell Time



Effect 07 Stutter 5 CW 360°, Stop, CW 360°, 5 Second Dwell Time



Effect 08 Stutter 10 CW 360°, Stop, CW 360°, 10 Second Dwell Time



Effect 09 Stagger 3 CW 360°, Stop, CCW 360°, 3 Second Dwell Time



Effect 10 Stagger 5 CW 360°, Stop, CCW 360°, 5 Second Dwell Time



Effect 11 Stagger 10 CW 360°, Stop, CCW 360°, 10 Second Dwell Time



Effect 12 Earthquake



Effect 13 Clock CW 30°, Stop, CW 30°, Stop



Effect 14*
Aftershock 3
10 Second Shake
CW, 3 Second
Dwell Time



Aftershock 5 10 Second Shake CW, 5 Second Dwell Time



Effect 16*
Aftershock 10
10 Second Shake
CW, 10 Second
Dwell Time

Effect 17 Progressive CCW 30°, CW 15°



Whip Slow to Fast Movement



Effect 99 Demo 10 Seconds / Effect



Key:
CW = Clockwise
CCW = Counterclockwise

^{*}Movement time varies depending on speed setting. To ensure proper gobo alignment, set rotary switch to "00", then insert gobo after rotation cycle is complete.

Programming Effects

Smart Move® DMX and Smart Move® Jr. DMX

The Smart Move® DMX allows three modes of operation and requires 3 channels of DMX.

- Rotating Mode: Enables rotation of two patterns at the same speed from 0 to 21 rpm with each of the two gobo holders rotating in opposite directions.
 - DMX channel 3 at 0
 - DMX channel 2 at 0
 - Action: DMX channel 1 controls speed and rotation
- 2. Indexing Mode: Position a specific logo at any of 200 positions. Place the pattern in the gobo holder located on the back of the unit, beneath the serial number sticker. Place the indexing gobo into the holder while rotator is on and addressed at 000. This allows the gobo's position to be calibrated for proper alignment.
 - DMX channel 3 at 0
 - DMX channel 2 above 0
 - Action: DMX channel 1 sets a position to index to
 - · Action: DMX channel 2 sets the speed of movement
- 3. Smart Move Mode: Use 19 pre-programmed effects.
 - DMX channel 3 above 0
 - Action: DMX channel 1 select a pre-programmed effect
 - Action: DMX channel 2 sets the speed or delay time for the effect just as the speed control knob usually does in stand-alone mode.
 - DMX channel 3 above 0.
 - Action: DMX channel 1 selects a pre-programmed effect to run
 - Action: DMX channel 2 sets the speed or delay time for the effect just as the speed control knob usually does in stand-alone mode.

Example – rotator is addressed at 001, the third channel is set above zero. The second channel adjusts the speed of the effect, while the first channel chooses the effect. Remember, three channels of DMX are allotted to the rotator.



Effects

Smart Move® DMX and Smart Move® Jr. DMX

DMX VALUE	EFFECT		
0%	0, Home Wheel		
5%	1, Clockwise Rotation		
10%	2, Counterclockwise Rotation		
15%	3, Pendulum 45 degrees		
20%	4, Pendulum 90 degrees		
25%	5, Pendulum 180 degrees		
30%	6, Stutter (3 second increments)		
35%	7, Stutter (5 second increments)		
40%	8, Stutter (10 second increments)		
45%	9, Stagger (3 second increments)		
50%	10, Stagger (5 second increments)		
55%	11, Stagger (10 second increments)		
60%	12, Shake		
65%	13, Clock		
70%	14, Shake / Pause (3 second increments)		
75%	15, Shake / Pause (5 second increments)		
80%	16, Shake / Pause (10 second increments)		
85%	17, Progressive		
90%	18, Whip		
95%	0, Home Wheel		
100%	99, Demo Mode (All pre-programmed effects)		

Troubleshooting

Symptom	Cause	Solution
Smart Move® DMX is in	Missing 24V DC power	Check for power.
rotating mode but not rotating	Missing DMX signal	Check for DMX.
	Wrong channel	Check that DMX level is at 0 on channels 2 and 3. Channel 1 controls speed and rotation.
Smart Move® DMX won't rotate without DMX signal	The unit can be set for fixed rotational mode by resetting the rotary switches at 700	Reset the switch to the proper address, then use the second and third rotary switches to choose your programmed effect.
Smart Move® DMX is not indexing properly	Wrong channel	Make sure channel 3 is at 0, channel 2 is above 0 to set the speed of movement. This allows channel 1 to set the indexed position.
	The homing sensor circuit has failed	Visually inspect rear gobo holder for missing magnetic sensor.
Gobo is not firmly held by retaining ring	The retaining ring may have been inserted backwards	Place the flat side towards steel gobos, shouldered side towards glass gobos.
Motor turns, but gobo does not	Loose or broken d rive belt	Check for loose or broken drive belt.
	Loose set screw	Check for loose set screw in drive pulley.
	Tangled gobos	For double rotators, check that the two steel gobos have not become tangled together.

Maintenance Kits

Smart Move® and Smart Move® DMX kits contain:

- 2 belts
- 6 teflon spacers
- 1 retaining ring
- 4 teflon rollers

Smart Move® Jr., Smart Move® Jr. DMX and Simple Single™ kits contain:

- 1 belt
- 4 teflon spacers
- 1 retaining ring
- 2 teflon rollers



Specifications:

Smart Move® and Smart Move® DMX

	SMART MOVE®		SMART MOVE DMX®	
Compatible Fixtures	ETC S4 Altman Shakespeare Times Square Q435	Strand SL Selecon Pacific (when Iris slot cover is removed)	ETC S4 Altman Shakespeare Times Square Q435	Strand SL Selecon Pacific (when Iris slot cover is removed)
Dimensions (LxWxD)	11.30" x 4.70" x 2.62"Ø (287.02mm x 119.38mm x 66.54mm)		11.30" x 4.70" x 2.62"Ø (287.02mm x 119.38mm x 66.54mm)	
Weight	3.0 lbs. (1.36kg)		2.8 lbs. (1.27kg)	
Gobo Sizes	1 or 2 B Round Metal and/or Glass		1 or 2 B Round Metal and/or Glass	
Drive System	Silent Drive Belt		Silent Drive Belt	
Rotation Speeds	Infinitely Variable CW/CCW, 0-21 rpm		Infinitely Variable CW/CCW, 0-21 rpm	
Power Requirement	24VDC Adapter Supplied with Unit		24VDC + DMX 512, (1990) (sold separately)	
Power Consumption	14.5 watts		14.5 watts	
DMX Channels	N/A		3	
Data / Power Transmission	1/4" Audio Jack Transfers 24VDC		XLR 4-Pin Cable	
Power Cord Length	6' (1.83m)		N/A	
Safety Cable	Sold Separately		Sold Separately	
Retaining Ring	Reversible for Metal or Glass Gobos (2)		Reversible for Metal or Glass Gobos (2)	
Effect Options	19 (see chart)		19 (see chart)	
Effect Settings	2 Rotary Switches		3 Rotary Switches	
Certifications	CE and FCC Compliant, Made in USA		CE and FCC Compliant, Made in USA	



Specifications:

Smart Move[®] Jr., Smart Move[®] Jr. DMX & Simple Single[™]

	SMART MOVE® Jr.	SMART MOVE® Jr. DMX	SIMPLE SINGLE™	
Compatible Fixtures	ETC S4 Jr. Selecon Acclaim (with optional adapter plate)	ETC S4 Jr. Selecon Acclaim (with optional adapter plate)	Strand SL Altman Shakespeare Times Square Q435	ETC S4 Selecon Pacific (when Iris slot cover is removed)
Dimensions (LxWxD)	10.45" x 4.70" x 2.62"Ø (265.43mm x 119.38mm x 66.54mm)	10.45" x 4.70" x 2.62"Ø (265.43mm x 119.38mm x 66.54mm)	11.30" x 4.70" x 2.62"Ø (287.02mm x 119.38mm x 66.54mm)	
Weight	2.6 lbs. (1.17kg)	2.4 lbs. (1.08kg)	2.8 lbs. (1.27kg)	
Gobo Sizes	1 S4J Round Metal or Glass	1M Round Metal or Glass	1 B Round Metal or Glass	
Drive System	Silent Drive Belt	Silent Drive Belt	Silent Drive Belt	
Rotation Speeds	Infinitely Variable CW/CCW, 0-21 rpm	Infinitely Variable CW/CCW, 0-21 rpm	Infinitely Variable CW/CCW, 0-21 rpm	
Power Requirement	24VDC Adapter Supplied with Unit	24VDC + DMX 512, (1990) (sold separately)	24VDC Adapter Supplied with Unit	
Power Consumption	14.5 watts	14.5 watts	14.5 watts	
DMX Channels	N/A	3	N/A	
Data / Power Transmission	½" Audio Jack Transfers 24VDC	XLR 4-Pin Cable	½" Audio Jack Transfers 24VDC	
Power Cord Length	6' (1.83m)	N/A	6' (1.83m)	
Safety Cable	Sold Separately	Sold Separately	Sold Separately	
Retaining Ring	Reversible for Metal or Glass Gobo (1)	Reversible for Metal or Glass Gobo (1)	Reversible for Metal or Glass Gobo (1)	
Effect Options	19 (see chart)	19 (see chart)	2 (CW or CCW rotation)	
Effect Settings	2 Rotary Switches	3 Rotary Switches	Speed Control Knob	
Certifications	CE and FCC Compliant, Made in USA	CE and FCC Compliant, Made in USA	CE and FCC Compliant, Made in USA	



Warranty

- Items are covered for defects in materials and workmanship for one year, including repair parts and repair labor on defective item, from date of the manufacturer invoice.
- The warranty covers freight for 30 days after initial purchase.
- The manufacturer does not cover any other loss resulting from product failure.
- Products being returned for warranty repair must display the original serial number. Removal of the serial number voids the product's limited warranty.
- Despite the care taken for the compilation of this manual, Apollo Design Technology, Inc. cannot be held responsible for any damages resulting from errors that may appear in this manual. All efforts have been made to provide the most accurate, up-to-date instructions and illustrations possible.
- Gel strings are not included in this 1-year warranty.

Serial Number	
Date Purchased	
Purchased From	



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