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The ColorBlaze TR4 family extends the range and flexibility of the popular line of high-performance, touring and rental battens from Philips Color Kinetics, by providing four channel fixture options. These intelligent RGBW or RGBA fixtures offer an expanded palette of intensely saturated full-color light output in two different beam angles. Expanded on-board controls feature a range of new functions, including multiple color control modes, 8- and 16-bit resolution, a configurable intensity channel, transition speeds, dimming curves, improved color consistency with Chromasync technology, and four built-in effects (Fixed Color, Color Wash, Chasing Rainbow, and Random Color). Connectorized cabling, a universal power input range, and direct line-voltage operation make ColorBlaze TR4 fixtures easy to install and operate.

- Tailor light output to specific applications — Available in two standard lengths, with standard 10° or 18° beam angles. Individually addressable 152 mm (6 in) segments accommodate fine control of color-changing effects and pre-programmed light shows.
- High-performance illumination and beam quality — ColorBlaze TR4 delivers approximately 2000 lumens of color-changing light per foot. Superior beam quality offers striation-free saturation for several feet from fixture placement with no visible light scalloping between fixtures.
- Flexible color control — Choose from four-channel RGBW or RGBA in / out, three-channel RGB in mapped to four-channel RGBW or RGBA out.
- Superior color consistency and accuracy — Optibin, an advanced binning algorithm, sets a new standard for the color consistency and uniformity of LED sources used in manufacturing. Chromasync technology achieves unprecedented consistency of light performance and color precision across multiple fixtures in an installation, while maximizing intensity and color range.
- Adjustable dimming curves and transition speeds — 16-bit resolution supports smooth dimming and precise color control. Adjustable dimming curves and LED transition speeds emulate the behavior of other Philips Color Kinetics fixtures and conventional theatrical fixtures with DMX dimming.
- Pushbutton addressing and configuration — Onboard addressing offers easy configuration without external addressing tools.
- Built-in effects — Offers Fixed Color, Color Wash, Chasing Rainbow, and Random Color effects, without the need for an external controller.
- Control options for architectural, entertainment, and portable applications — Master / slave mode lets you configure a ColorBlaze TR4 to act as a master controller for other fixtures in a run.



### Enhanced Color Ranges

Channels of amber or neutral white LEDs seamlessly blend with channels of red, green, and blue LEDs to create lighting fixtures with enhanced color ranges. In addition to the millions of saturated colors achievable with standard RGB lighting fixtures, RGBW fixtures produce an extended range of subtle pastel colors, while RGBA fixtures create vibrant golds and intense yellows that are more difficult to obtain on standard RGB fixtures.

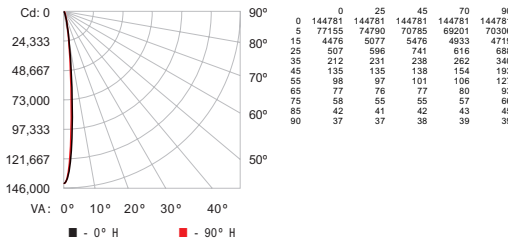
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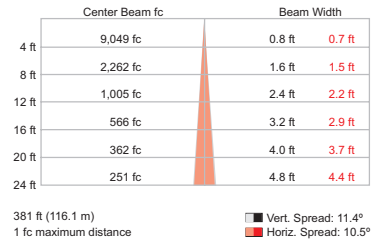
## ColorBlaze TR4, 4 ft, RGBW, 10° Beam Angle

Lumens	Efficacy
8023	36.4 lm / W

### Polar Candela Distribution



### Illuminance at Distance



### Zonal Lumen

Zone	Lumens	% Fixture
0 - 60	7837.7	97.7 %
60 - 90	185.8	2.3 %
0 - 90	8023.4	100 %

For lux multiply fc by 10.7

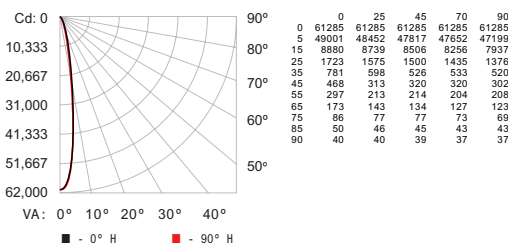
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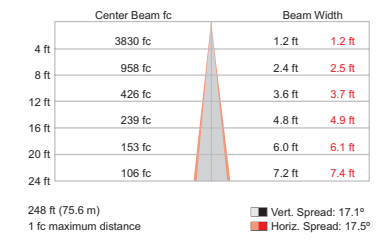
## ColorBlaze TR4, 4 ft, RGBW, 18° Beam Angle

Lumens	Efficacy
8460	38.3 lm / W

### Polar Candela Distribution



### Illuminance at Distance



### Zonal Lumen

Zone	Lumens	% Fixture
0 - 60	8183.5	96.7 %
60 - 90	276.7	3.3 %
0 - 90	8460.2	100 %

For lux multiply fc by 10.7

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RCR: 0		119	119	119	119	116	116	116	100	111	111	111	106	106	106	102	102	102	100
1		114	112	110	108	112	110	108	96	106	104	103	102	101	100	99	98	97	95
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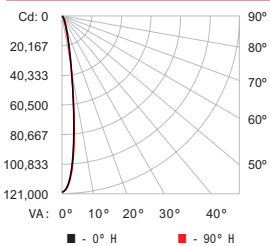
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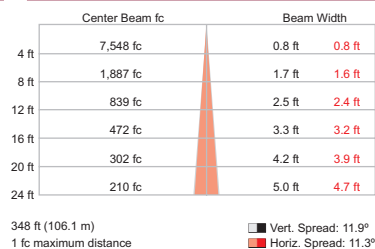
## ColorBlaze TR4, 4 ft, RGBA, 10° Beam Angle

Lumens	Efficacy
7805	35.2 lm / W

### Polar Candela Distribution



### Illuminance at Distance



### Zonal Lumen

Zone	Lumens	% Fixture
0 - 60	7619.9	97.6 %
60 - 90	185.2	2.4 %
0 - 90	7805.0	100 %

### Coefficients Of Utilization - Zonal Cavity Method

Effective Floor Cavity Reflectance: 20%

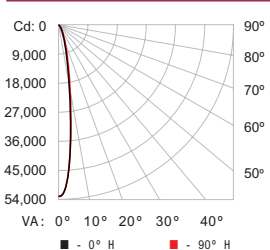
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3	109	105	101	99	107	103	100	93	101	98	96	94
4	106	101	98	95	105	100	97	91	99	96	94	91
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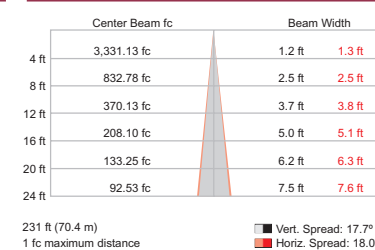
## ColorBlaze TR4, 4 ft, RGBA, 18° Beam Angle

Lumens	Efficacy
7888	35.6 lm / W

### Polar Candela Distribution



### Illuminance at Distance



### Zonal Lumen

Zone	Lumens	% Fixture
0 - 60	7627.0	96.7 %
60 - 90	260.7	3.3 %
0 - 90	7887.7	100 %

### Coefficients Of Utilization - Zonal Cavity Method

Effective Floor Cavity Reflectance: 20%

RCC %:	80		70		50		30		10		0	
RW %:	70	50	30	0	70	50	30	0	70	50	30	0
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4	103	97	92	89	101	96	92	85	94	90	88	87
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6	97	90	85	82	95	89	85	80	88	84	81	80
7	94	87	83	80	93	86	82	78	85	82	79	78
8	91	85	80	77	90	84	80	76	83	79	77	76
9	89	82	78	75	88	82	78	74	81	77	75	74
10	87	80	76	73	86	80	76	73	79	76	73	72

For lux multiply fc by 10.7

# Specifications

Due to continuous improvements and innovations, specifications may change without notice.

Item	Specification	1.2 m (4 ft) Fixture	1.8 m (6 ft) Fixture	
Output	Beam Angle	10° / 18°		
	Lumens*	RGBW	8023 (10°) 8460 (18°)	12034 (10°) 12690 (18°)
		RGBA	7805 (10°) 7888 (18°)	11707 (10°) 11832 (18°)
	LED Channels	Red / Green / Blue / White or Amber		
Lumen Maintenance†	109,000 hours L70 @ 50° C		109,000 hours L70 @ 25° C	
Electrical	Input Voltage	100 – 240 VAC, auto-switching, 50 / 60 Hz		
	Power Consumption	230 W maximum at full output, steady state	340 W, maximum at full output, steady state	
Control	Interface	DMX		
	Control System	Philips full range of controllers, including Light System Manager, ColorDial Pro, and iPlayer 3, or third-party controllers		
Physical	Dimensions (Height x Width x Depth)	191 x 1150 x 197 mm (7.5 x 45.3 x 7.74 in)	191 x 1746 x 197 mm (7.5 x 68.7 x 7.74 in)	
	Weight	13.2 kg (29.1 lb)	18.6 kg (41 lb)	
	Housing	Extruded aluminium, black finish		
	Lens	Clear polycarbonate		
	Fixture Connections	IEC power cable, RJ45, Ethercon, or XLR-5 data connections		
	Temperature Ranges	-40° – 50° C (-40° – 122° F) Operating -20° – 50° C (-4° – 122° F) Startup -40° – 80° C (-40° – 176° F) Storage		
	Humidity	0 – 95%, non-condensing		
Certification and Safety	Certification	UL / cUL, CE, FCC Class A		
	Environment	Dry Location, IP20		

\* Lumen measurement complies with IES LM-79-08.



† L70 = 70% lumen maintenance (when light output drops below 70% of initial output).

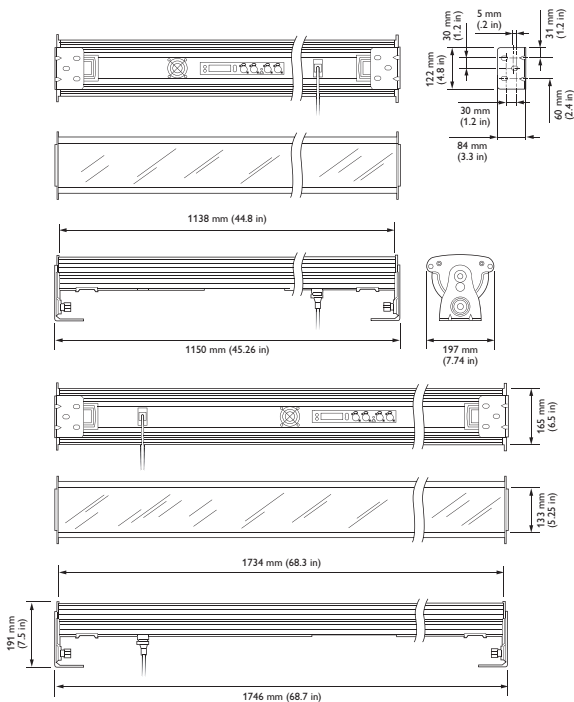
Ambient luminaire temperatures specified. Lumen maintenance calculations are based on lifetime prediction graphs supplied by LED source manufacturers. Calculations for white-light LED fixtures are based on measurements that comply with IES LM-80-08 testing procedures. Refer to [www.philipscolorkinetics.com/support/appnotes/lm-80-08.pdf](http://www.philipscolorkinetics.com/support/appnotes/lm-80-08.pdf) for more information

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## Fixtures

Fixture	Beam Angle	Item Number	Philips 12NC
1.2 m (4 ft) RGBW fixture	10°	116-000032-01	910503704674
	18°	116-000030-01	910503704670
1.8 m (6 ft) RGBW fixture	10°	116-000033-01	910503704676
	18°	116-000031-01	910503704672
1.2 m (4 ft) RGBA fixture	10°	116-000032-00	910503704673
	18°	116-000030-00	910503704669
1.8 m (6 ft) RGBA fixture	10°	116-000033-00	910503704675
	18°	116-000031-00	910503704671

Use Item Number when ordering in North America.



# Installation

The ColorBlaze TR4 fixtures have integrated power supplies and onboard menus, located on the back of the fixture, for addressing and other functions. These features, along with flexible mounting hardware, make ColorBlaze TR4 fixtures easy to set up, configure, and tear down. Refer to the *ColorBlaze TR4 Installation Instructions* for detailed installation instructions.

✳ Refer to the *ColorBlaze TR4 Installation Instructions* for specific warning and caution statements.

## Owner / User Responsibilities

It is the responsibility of the contractor, installer, purchaser, owner, and user to install, maintain, and operate ColorBlaze TR4 fixtures in such a manner as to comply with all applicable codes, state and local laws, ordinances, and regulations. Consult with the appropriate electrical inspector to ensure compliance.

## Create a Lighting Design Plan

Regardless of the details of your installation, it's good practice to create a lighting design plan that identifies your fixtures, records the DMX addresses assigned to them, and identifies their locations in relation to other required hardware. For complex installations displaying light shows with dynamic effects, such a lighting design plan is essential.

To create a lighting design plan, determine the appropriate location of each ColorBlaze TR4 fixture in relation to power sources and controllers. On an architectural diagram or other diagram that shows the physical layout of the installation, identify the locations of all controllers, fixtures, power sources, and cables. To streamline installation and aid in light show programming, you can affix a label identifying the order or placement in the installation to an inconspicuous location on each ColorBlaze TR4 fixture's housing.


Keep the following considerations in mind when planning your installation:

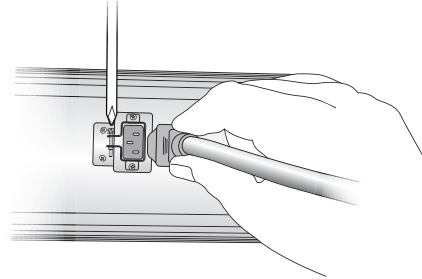
- The integrated, auto-switching power supply automatically adjusts to any 50 / 60 Hz power source from 110 – 240 V. Each ColorBlaze TR4 fixture includes a 1.8 m (6 ft) detachable cable with a standard IEC connector and flying leads. You must connect the cable's flying leads to a 3-wire plug appropriate for your geographic location.
- You can connect ColorBlaze fixtures in series using any combination of RJ45, Ethercon, and XLR-5 data cables.
- ColorBlaze TR4 fixtures can work as a single unit, or you can set fixtures to have multiple segments that display different colors simultaneously for dynamic effects. Segment lengths differ depending on fixture length and configuration. When installing fixtures end-to-end, you can create virtual segments that span multiple fixtures.
- You can mix ColorBlaze TR4, 1.2 m (4 ft) fixtures and ColorBlaze TR4, 1.6 m (6 ft) fixtures in a single run. A mixture of fixture lengths can offer flexibility in architectural applications where you need to install fixtures around corners or in confined areas.
- You can mount ColorBlaze TR4 fixtures end-to-end, or you can space them however you wish, so long as the maximum distance from a controller to the last fixture in a series does not exceed 300 m (1000 ft) without a DMX repeater.
- Each series of fixtures can use up to 512 unique DMX addresses. Since each fixture segment requires four addresses, you can have up to 128 uniquely addressed segments within a single series. For example, you could create a series of 10 ColorBlaze TR4, 1.8 m (6 ft) fixtures, each with 12 segments (10 fixtures x 12 segments x 4 = 480 addresses), or a series of 64 ColorBlaze TR4, 1.2 m (4 ft) fixtures, each with 2 segments (64 fixtures x 2 segments x 4 = 512 addresses).

## Connect the Power Cable Plug

ColorBlaze TR4 has integrated, auto-switching power supplies that automatically adjust to any 50 / 60 Hz power source from 110 – 240 V. ColorBlaze TR4 fixtures are connected directly to line power using the included 1.8 m (6 ft) detachable power cable. You must connect the cable's flying leads to an appropriate 3-wire plug.

1. Connect the power cable to the IEC inlet on the back of the ColorBlaze housing.

 If you use a cable other than the included IEC power cable, make sure that the cable is equivalent in size and rating, and that it meets local standards. Ensure that the plug on the power cable can be held securely in place by the IEC inlet locking mechanism, which is designed for a C13 plug.



2. Tighten the screw on the IEC inlet to hold the power cable in place.

## Address and Configure Fixtures

A DMX universe consists of 512 channels or addresses. The number of uniquely addressed fixtures in a DMX universe is determined by how the lighting fixtures are configured. For example, a DMX universe can support 170 uniquely addressed three-channel fixtures (512 divided by 3, with 2 channels remaining). A DMX universe can also support 128 four-channel fixtures (512 divided by 4). A lighting installation can consist of one or more DMX universes.

ColorBlaze TR4 fixtures use sequential DMX addresses. Each fixture consumes from 3 to 120 DMX addresses, depending on color control mode (3-channel or 4-channel), fixture resolution (8-bit or 16-bit), fixture length, segment size (ranging from 152 mm (6 in) to the total fixture length), and whether the intensity channel is enabled or disabled.

In 8-bit mode, each segment uses one DMX address per channel, while in 16-bit mode each segment uses two DMX addresses per channel, one for coarse control and one for fine control. The coarse channel offers 256 values, while the fine channel adds 256 additional values to each coarse channel value, resulting in a total of 65,536 individual steps or settings (256 x 256).

ColorBlaze TR4 fixtures can be configured to use an additional intensity channel. Enabling the intensity channel lets you adjust the brightness of all LED channels proportionally using a fader on a DMX console. For example, you can set a desired color, then adjust the brightness with the assigned fader while maintaining the color value.

When you enable the intensity channel, each ColorBlaze TR4 node consumes an additional DMX address in 8-bit mode and two additional DMX addresses in 16-bit mode. Make sure that your addressing scheme accounts for the additional DMX addresses that the intensity channel requires.

## Channels Per Segment

RGB in / out and RGB -> RGBW or RGBA							Intensity Channel Enabled	
8-Bit Mode	1		2		3		4	
	Red		Green		Blue		Intensity	
16-Bit Mode	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	Red Coarse	Red Fine	Green Coarse	Green Fine	Blue Coarse	Blue Fine	Intensity Coarse	Intensity Fine

RGBW or RGBA in / out									Intensity Channel Enabled	
8-Bit Mode	1		2		3		4		5	
	Red		Green		Blue		White or Amber		Intensity	
16-Bit Mode	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	Red Coarse	Red Fine	Green Coarse	Green Fine	Blue Coarse	Blue Fine	Coarse	Fine	Intensity Coarse	Intensity Fine

Keep the following considerations in mind when addressing ColorBlaze TR4 fixtures:

- Each fixture is factory-addressed to a starting DMX address of 1.
- With the back of the fixture housing toward you, segments extend in sequence from the left of the fixture to the right.
- ColorBlaze onboard addressing automatically assigns consecutive DMX addresses to the fixture's segments, starting with the channel you set.
- Make sure that the DMX start channel allows enough DMX addresses for all of the fixture's segments, or the fixture will not function properly. For example, in 8-bit mode, a 4-channel fixture with 4 groups requires 16 DMX addresses, 4 per segment. Therefore, the DMX start channel should be 496 or lower.
- For light shows with dynamic effects, set start channels so that each fixture in a series receives a unique set of DMX addresses. For example, in a series of 3 fixtures operating in 8-bit mode, where each fixture has 4 groups, you can ensure each fixture is uniquely addressed by setting the start channel of the first fixture to 1, the start channel of the second fixture to 17 (1 + 16), and the start channel of the third fixture to 33 (17 + 16).
- The number of DMX addresses per segment, added to the starting DMX address, determines the next unique address in a sequence. The following table lists the number of DMX addresses you should add to your starting DMX address in order to determine the next unique address in a DMX universe. When determining unique DMX addresses for your lighting system, refer to the following table.

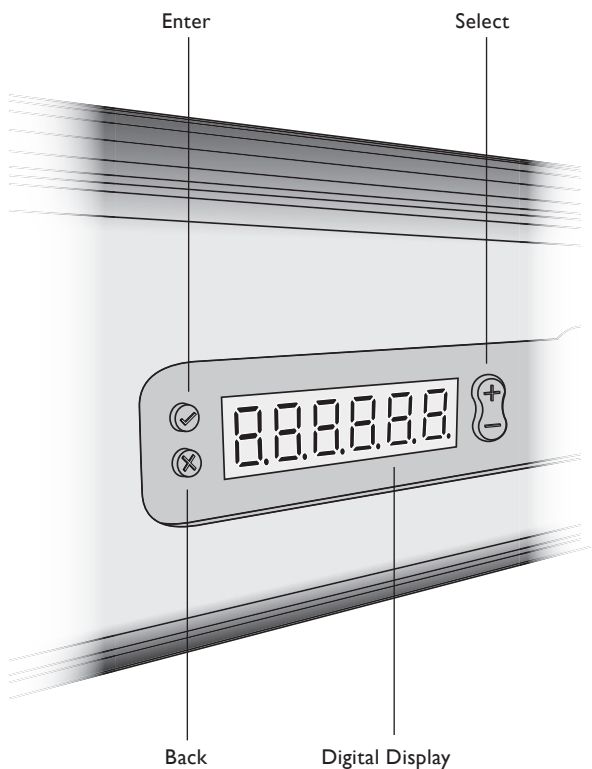
Configuration	DMX Addresses Per Segment
RGB 8-bit	3
RGB + Intensity 8-bit	4
RGB 16-Bit	6
RGB + Intensity 16-Bit	8
RGBW or RGBA 8-bit	4
RGBW or RGBA + Intensity 8-bit	5
RGBW or RGBA 16-bit	8
RGBW or RGBA + Intensity 16-bit	10



For example, if you configure ColorBlaze RGBW fixtures to 16-bit mode, with the intensity channel active, then the configuration must include 10 DMX addresses per segment. This configuration allows for up to 51 uniquely addressed fixtures (512 divided by 10, with two channels remaining). As shown in the following table, if the starting DMX address for the first segments is 1, the second segment would be 11, the third segment 21, etc.

ColorBlaze 72 RGBW / RGBA Plus Intensity Channel, 16-Bit, Start Channel = 1

		DMX Start Channel Per Segment											
1 group		Segment 1 001											
2 groups		Segment 1 001						Segment 2 011					
3 groups		Segment 1 001				Segment 2 011				Segment 3 021			
4 groups		Segment 1 001			Segment 2 011			Segment 3 021			Segment 4 031		
6 groups		Segment 1 001		Segment 2 011		Segment 3 021		Segment 4 031		Segment 5 041		Segment 6 051	
A (12) groups		Seg 1 001	Seg 2 011	Seg 3 021	Seg 4 031	Seg 5 041	Seg 6 051	Seg 7 061	Seg 8 071	Seg 9 081	Seg 10 091	Seg 11 101	Seg 12 111



## Set the DMX Start Address

Each ColorBlaze TR4 fixture is factory-addressed to a starting DMX address of 1. For pre-configured light show designs displaying static effects, no changes to the factory-default settings are necessary. However, if fixtures were previously readdressed for use in other installations, you may have to reset them to the same starting DMX address. For light show designs displaying dynamic effects, you must set a different starting channel for each fixture in the series to ensure that all fixture segments are uniquely addressed.

### ► To set a fixture's DMX start channel:

1. Plug in the fixture's power cable and make sure the power is ON.
2. On the back of the fixture, press the Enter button, then hold the Back button to unlock the fixture and activate the onboard menu.
3. Press the Enter button until DMX appears in the display.
4. Press the + and - buttons to scroll through all available DMX addresses (1 – 512).
5. If you're enabling dynamic effects by setting different DMX starting channels for each fixture in a series, you can streamline configuration and light show programming by notating the DMX starting channel of each fixture segment on the lighting design plan.

## Set Fixture Segments

Make sure the power is ON before addressing and configuring fixtures by plugging in the fixture's power cable.

To allow a fine level of control for light shows with dynamic effects, ColorBlaze TR4 fixtures can be configured to have multiple individually addressable groups of fixture segments: 1, 2, 4, or 8 for ColorBlaze TR4, 1.2 m (4 ft) fixtures, or 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, or 12 for ColorBlaze TR4, 1.8 m (6 ft) fixtures. You set the fixture's start DMX address, and the onboard controls automatically assign unique DMX addresses to each segment.

Each fixture is factory-addressed to have 1 group and a starting DMX address of 1. For light show designs displaying static effects, no changes to the factory-default settings are necessary. However, if fixtures were previously configured for use in other installations, you may have to reset them. For light show designs with dynamic effects, you may need to set the number of groups each fixture will have.

► **To set the number of groups for a ColorBlaze fixture:**

1. Plug in the fixture's power cable and make sure the power is ON.
2. On the back of the fixture, press the Enter button, then hold the Back button to unlock the fixture and activate the onboard menu.
3. Press the Enter (check mark) button until segment (SEG) appears in the digital display.
4. Press the + and - buttons to scroll through the menu options: 1, 2, 4, or A (8) for ColorBlaze TR4, 1.2 m (4 ft) fixtures, or 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, or A (12) for ColorBlaze TR4, 1.8 m (6 ft) fixtures.
5. For complex installations where you set different numbers of groups on different fixtures, it's good practice to notate each fixture's group setting on the lighting design plan.

Keep the following considerations in mind when setting the number of fixture groups:

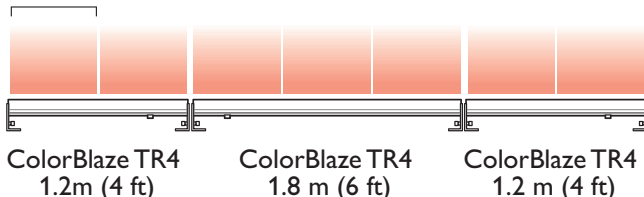
- The number of groups effectively determines segment length. For example, setting a ColorBlaze TR4, 1.2 m (4 ft) fixture to 4 groups results in 4 segments of roughly 1 foot each. Setting a ColorBlaze TR4, 1.8 m (6 ft) fixture to 3 groups results in 3 segments of roughly 2 feet each. The following table gives the segment lengths for the different settings available on each fixture.

**Number of Groups Settings**

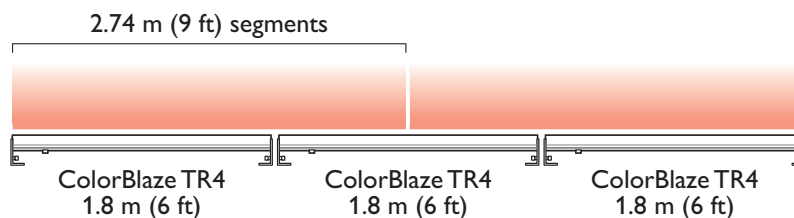
Segment Length	ColorBlaze TR4, 1.2 m (4 ft)	ColorBlaze TR4, 1.8 m (6 ft)
1.8 m (6 ft)	—	1
1.2 m (4 ft)	1	—
0.9 m (3 ft)	—	2
0.6 m (2 ft)	2	3
0.46 m (1.5 ft)	—	4
0.3 m (1 ft)	4	6
0.15 m (.5 ft)	A (8)	A (12)

- As the table shows, you can mix ColorBlaze TR4, 1.2 m (4 ft) fixture and ColorBlaze TR4, 1.8 m (6 ft) fixtures in the same series while maintaining consistent segment lengths of 2 feet, 1 foot, or .5 feet.

610 mm (2 ft)  
segments



- If you install fixtures end to end, you can create virtual segments that span multiple fixtures. For example, you can create virtual 8 ft segments by alternating 3-segment and 2-segment fixtures.



## Set Channel Mode

When operating ColorBlaze fixtures, select the channel mode for the lighting effects in your application: 3-3, 3-4, or 4-4.

**3-3 Configuration:** The 3-to-3 configuration allows legacy RGB light shows to be carried over to four-channel lighting fixtures; however, the fourth channel (White or Amber) remains off. Therefore, this configuration does not use the full color palette available on four-channel ColorBlaze fixtures.

**3-4 Configuration:** The 3-to-4 configuration works with controllers that employ three output data channels. This configuration maps three channels of control data to all four LED channels. This option turns Chromasync on.

**4-4 Configuration:** The 4-to-4 configuration works with controllers that deliver four channels of control data to four-channel LED fixtures. This is the default setting for the fixture.

### ► To set channel mode:

1. On the back of the fixture, press the Enter button, then hold the Back button to unlock the fixture and activate the onboard menu.
2. Press the Enter button until Channel Mode (CHANNEL) appears in the digital display.
3. Hold the Enter button momentarily, then use the + and - buttons to select the channel mode.
4. Press the Enter button to lock the menu selection.

## Turn Chromasync On or Off

With Chromasync, the unique gamut (color range) of LED lighting fixtures in a family is defined using a calibrated light measurement device during manufacturing. Calibration information is stored on each fixture, along with Chromasync color consistency algorithms. When Chromasync is turned on, each fixture's on-board logic automatically adjusts all fixtures in an installation to a common gamut. With all fixtures using the same gamut, color consistency is greatly improved, eliminating the need to manually adjust the color points of each fixture using controller or configuration software.

► **To turn Chromasync on or off:**

1. On the back of the fixture, press the Enter button, then hold the Back button to unlock the fixture and activate the onboard menu.
2. Press the Enter button until Chromasync (C-HROMASYNC) appears in the digital display.
3. Hold the Enter button momentarily, then use the + and - buttons to turn Chromasync on or off.
4. Press the Enter button to lock the menu selection.

## Set Fixture Resolution

Upgraded fixtures can function in 8-bit or 16-bit mode. 16-bit mode affords finer control over channel intensity and color selection. In 16-bit mode, each fixture segment consumes twice as many consecutive DMX addresses.

► **To set fixture resolution:**

1. On the back of the fixture, press the Enter button, then hold the Back button to unlock the fixture and activate the onboard menu.
2. Press the Enter button until Fixture Resolution (F-IXTURE RES) appears in the digital display.
3. Hold the Enter button momentarily, then use the + and - buttons to select either 8-bit or 16-bit resolution.
4. Press the Enter button to lock the menu selection.

## Set Dimming Curve

A dimming curve describes how slowly or quickly a fixture dims at different levels of input. For finer control, ColorBlaze offers three different dimming curves for use in different situations and applications: Normal, Tungsten, and Linear.

**Normal:** The non-linear (gamma) dimming curve used in most Philips Color Kinetics LED lighting fixtures. Use this dimming curve to achieve consistent dimming behavior in an installation where ColorBlaze is installed alongside other Philips Color Kinetics lighting fixtures.

**Tungsten:** A non-linear dimming curve that emulates the dimming curve of incandescent lamps on a DMX dimmer. This curve offers the most control at low intensities.

**Linear:** A dimming curve with a linear relationship between DMX input and LED power.

► **To set dimming curve:**

1. On the back of the fixture, press the Enter button, then hold the Back button to unlock the fixture and activate the onboard menu.
2. Press the Enter button until Dimming Curve (CURVE) appears in the digital display.
3. Hold the Enter button momentarily, then use the + and - buttons to select normal (NORMAL), linear (LINEAR), or tungsten (TUNGSTEN) as the dimming curve.
4. Press the Enter button to lock the menu selection.

## Set Transition Speed

Normally, LEDs react to DMX or other control data instantaneously. You may want to slow down the reaction speed for smoother transitions when the intensity of LED channels change. ColorBlaze offers five levels of decreasing LED transition speed.

### ► To set transition speed:

1. On the back of the fixture, press the Enter button, then hold the Back button to unlock the fixture and activate the onboard menu.
2. Press the Enter button until Transition Speed (SPED) appears in the digital display.
3. Hold the Enter button momentarily, then use the + and - buttons to select the transition delay: DELAY1 (fastest delay), DELAY2, DELAY3, DELAY4 (slowest delay), or OFF as the LED transition speed.
4. Press the Enter button to lock the menu selection.

## Turn Intensity Channel On or Off

Enabling the intensity channel lets you adjust the intensity of all LED channels proportionally using one slider on a DMX console. For example, you can set a color that you want, then adjust the intensity with the assigned slider while maintaining the color value. When the intensity channel is enabled, an additional bit to each DMX address that is used to control pixel intensity.

### ► To turn intensity channel on or off:

1. On the back of the fixture, press the Enter button, then hold the Back button to unlock the fixture and activate the onboard menu.
2. Press the Enter button until Intensity Channel (INTSY) appears in the digital display.
3. Hold the Enter button momentarily, then use the + and - buttons to set the intensity channel on or off.
4. Press the Enter button to lock the menu selection.

## Reverse Segment Order

Normal segment order is from input side to output side (right to left facing the front of the fixture). Reverse segment order is from output side to input side (left to right).

### ► To reverse segment order:

1. On the back of the fixture, press the Enter button, then hold the Back button to unlock the fixture and activate the onboard menu.
2. Press the Enter button until Reverse Segment Order (REVERSE) appears in the digital display.
3. Hold the Enter button momentarily, then use the + and - buttons to set reverse segment order as on or off.
4. Press the Enter button to lock the menu selection.

# Test the Fixture

ColorBlaze fixtures contain basic utilities you can use to test the product.

## Test Mode

The test mode turns all LEDs full on, providing a basic functionality check. Additionally, you can use the test mode to cycle through the solid colors.

### ► To enter test mode:

1. On the back of the fixture, press the Enter button, then hold the Back button to unlock the fixture and activate the onboard menu.
2. Press the Enter button until Test Mode (TEST) appears in the digital display.
3. Hold the Enter button momentarily, until [ENT] appears in the digital display. All LED channels should be on, and the fixture should produce warm white light.
4. Using the + and - buttons, verify the output of the fixed colored lights: red, green, blue, and amber.
5. Press Enter to exit the test mode.

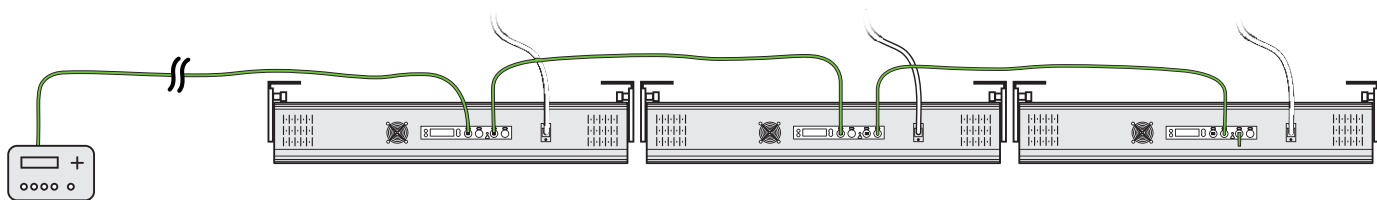
# Using Master / Slave Mode

When in master mode, a ColorBlaze TR4 fixture acts as a master controller for additional TR4 fixtures that follow it in a run. The master fixture transmits data, in this case a built-in lighting effect, using the RJ-45 output jack. Therefore, when connected together properly, downstream slave fixtures show the same output as the master fixture. You must select one of the built-in lighting effects for use on the master controller.

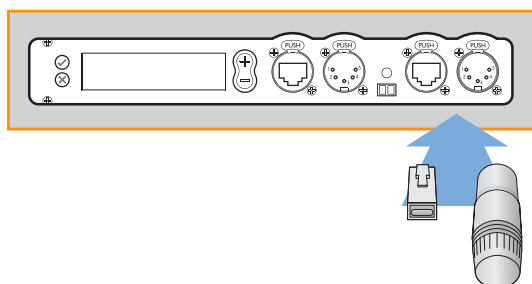
When a TR4 fixture is in master mode, it operates in 3-3 channel configuration mode with Chromasync disabled. You must also set the downstream slave fixtures to the 3-3 channel configuration mode with Chromasync off so that they show the same output as the master fixture.

### ► To select Master / Slave Configuration:

1. On the back of the fixture, press the Enter button, then hold the Back button to unlock the fixture and activate the onboard menu.
2. Press the Enter button and select one of the built-in lighting effects: Fixed Color, Color Wash, Chasing Rainbow, or Random Color.



3. Press the Enter button until MASTER appears in the digital display.
4. Use the + or - button to turn the feature on.



5. Create a run by connecting a cable from the RJ45 or XLR-5 output port of the master fixture to the input of the next fixture.
6. Connect the additional fixtures in the run, and insert a standard data terminator into the RJ45 or XLR-5 output port on the last fixture.

## Configure Built-In Lighting Effects

Upgraded fixtures offer three built-in lighting effects: fixed color, color wash, and chasing rainbow. You can change the properties of each built-in show to produce a desired effect.

### Fixed Color

Fixed Color displays a single solid color simultaneously on all fixtures in a group. You can select the color and adjust the intensity of the fixture.

#### Fixed Color Values

Produce the following colors using the corresponding values.

Color	Value
Red	0
Green	512
Blue	1024

#### ► To configure Fixed Color properties:

1. On the back of the fixture, press and hold the Enter button to unlock the fixture and activate the onboard menu.
2. Press the Enter button until Fixed Color (FIXED) appears in the digital display.
3. Press and momentarily hold the Enter button, then use the + and - buttons to select if the feature is on or off.
4. Press the Enter button, then press the + and - buttons until the fixture produces the color you want (0 to 1535).
5. Press the Enter button to select the fixture intensity. Use the + and - buttons to increase or decrease the intensity (0 to 255).
6. Press the Enter button to lock the menu selection.

### Color Wash

The Color Wash effect creates a smooth transition through a series of solid colors on all segments simultaneously. The transition of color progresses from red through yellow, green, blue, and then back to red.

#### ► To configure Color Wash properties:

1. On the back of the fixture, press and hold the Enter button to unlock the fixture and activate the onboard menu.
2. Press the Enter button until Color Wash (WASH) appears in the digital display.
3. Press and momentarily hold the Enter button, then use the + and - buttons to select if the feature is on or off.
4. Press and hold the Enter button, then set the duration (in seconds) for the effect to cycle through the range of colors once. Increase or decrease the duration value using the + and - buttons (0 to 3600).
5. Press the Enter button to select the fixture intensity. Use the + and - buttons to increase or decrease the intensity (0 to 255).
6. Press the Enter button to lock the menu selection.

### Chasing Rainbow

The chasing effect creates segments of color moving or “chasing” each other in one direction. You can select the duration, or time it takes the fixture to cycle through the colors one time, and the intensity of the fixture.

► **To configure Chasing Rainbow properties:**

1. On the back of the fixture, press and hold the Enter button to unlock the fixture and activate the onboard menu.
2. On the back of the fixture, press the Enter button until Chasing Rainbow (RAINBOW) appears in the digital display.
3. Press and momentarily hold the Enter button, then use the + and - buttons to select if the feature is on or off.
4. Press the Enter button to set the duration (in seconds) for the fixture to cycle through the colors one time. Increase or decrease the duration value using the + and - button (0 to 3600).
5. Press the Enter button to select the intensity. Use the + and - buttons to increase or decrease the intensity (0 to 255).
6. Press the Enter button to lock the menu selection.

### Random Color

The Random Color effect creates a smooth transition from one color to another color, where the colors are randomly chosen.

► **To configure Color Wash properties:**

1. On the back of the fixture, press and hold the Enter button to unlock the fixture and activate the onboard menu.
2. Press the Enter button until Random Color (RANDOM) appears in the digital display.
3. Press and momentarily hold the Enter button, then use the + and - buttons to select if the feature is on or off.
4. Press the Enter button to set the duration (in seconds) for the fixture to cycle through the colors one time. Increase or decrease the duration value using the + and - button (0 to 3600).
5. Press the Enter button to select the intensity. Use the + and - buttons to increase or decrease the intensity (0 to 255).
6. Press the Enter button to lock the menu selection.

### Restore Factory Defaults

You can easily restore a fixture's factory default settings.

► **To restore factory defaults:**

1. On the back of the fixture, press the Enter button until Default (DEFAULTS) appears in the digital display.
2. Hold the Enter button momentarily, and use the + and - buttons to select yes.
3. Press and release the Enter button. The fixture resets to its default settings.

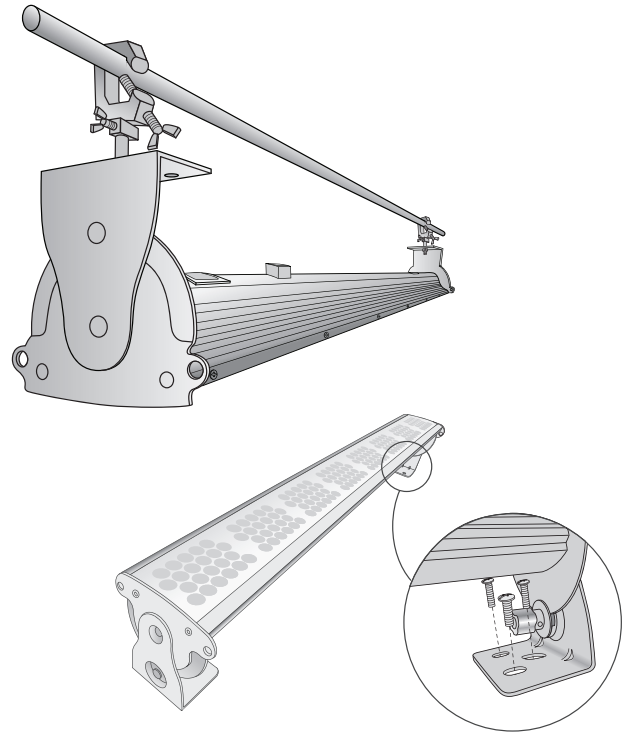
## Mount the Fixtures

ColorBlaze TR4 fixtures come with attached mounting brackets designed for .5 in mounting hardware. Fixtures can be mounted to a surface or to a pipe or truss with standard pipe clamps or Cheeseborough clamps. If your installation calls for special mounting, you can replace the included mounting brackets with separately available T-handle mounting brackets.

1. Verify that all supporting equipment (controllers, connections to power sources) is in place. ColorBlaze TR4 fixtures are intended to plug into line power using the included 1.8 m (6 ft) detachable IEC power cable.



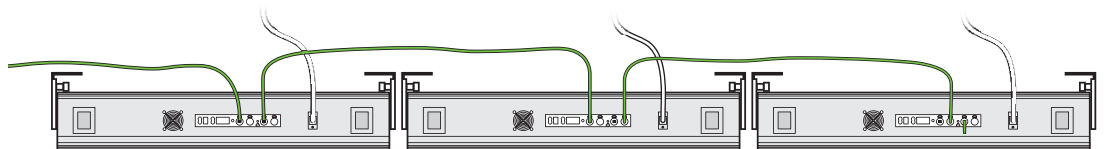
2. Mount fixtures as dictated by local, state, or national codes. Consult a structural engineer or safety professional to ensure proper mounting.



3. Each ColorBlaze TR4 fixture is designed for use with one or more safety cables to tether the fixture to a secure anchor point. When suspending or installing ColorBlaze TR4 fixtures overhead, or when dictated by local or state code or advised by a structural engineer, loop safety cables through one or both of the restraining holes located at the either end of the ColorBlaze TR4 housing. Securely anchor the safety cables using a method that follows code or engineer's requirements.

## Connect Data and Power

1. Supply power to each ColorBlaze fixture by plugging them in.
2. Using a standard RJ45 or XLR-5 data cable, connect data directly from a DMX controller's data output port to a DMX IN port on the first ColorBlaze fixture in a series.

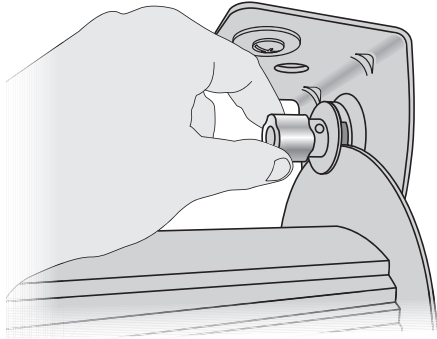


3. Create a series by connecting a DMX OUT port on the first fixture to a DMX IN port on the next fixture in sequence, using a standard RJ45, Ethercon, or XLR-5 data cable.
4. Repeat step 3 for each ColorBlaze fixture in the series.
5. Insert a standard data terminator in a DMX OUT port on the last fixture in the series.

## Aim and Lock the Fixtures

Make sure power is ON before aiming fixtures.

1. Loosen the locking knobs at each end of a ColorBlaze fixture to allow the fixture to rotate freely through 180°.
2. Rotate the fixture to the desired position.



3. Hand-tighten the locking knobs.
4. (Optional) You can use an M10 hex key wrench to lock the fixture securely in position.



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