



## User Guide

## Wi-Fi Setup

Who doesn't like Wi-Fi?

## Connect the Wi-Fi adapter.

# Plug in the USB power adapter

## Connect to the Director's Wi-Fi

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On your computer, scan for wireless networks, you should find your Director as "director-########" where "########" is the serial number of your Director.



You can find the serial number under the Director on a sticker labeled "SERIAL #".







In your browser, connect to your Director by typing in the address above<sup>\*</sup>, using your Director's serial number in place of the #'s.

You can find the serial number under the Director on a sticker labeled "SERIAL #".



\*Bonjour for Windows is required if using a Windows PC, install iTunes or Bonjour for Windows to continue. http://support.apple.com/kb/dl999 The browser will prompt you to select an access point. Select your wireless network from the list and enter the WEP/ WPA password if needed.







You're old school, I like that.



Using an Ethernet cable (not included), connect the Director to one of the Ethernet ports on your router.

Plug in the power.

## Let's Connect!

myAl or Local connection options



## A Connect with myAl

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Visit **my.aquaillumination.com** in your browser. If you haven't created an account with myAl, do so now.

Sign-in with your Email Address and Password.

You'll be prompted to Add a Director, type in a Name and the Serial # and click Add.







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## Features

An overview on getting started



## My Tank <sup>1 device</sup>

## Tanks

Tanks are the virtual equivalent to realworld aquariums. If you have multiple aquariums in your home, you'll have the same number of tanks in your Director.

By default you start out with one tank, you can rename this tank, upload an image and enter some basic information about it.



It's easy to add new tanks to your Director, just click the Add button to the right of your existing tank. Before you can start controlling lights, you need to add them to your tanks.

## **Adding Lights**

Click on the Layout tab. You will see the blueprint where you can arrange your lights and view information about them.

#### Discover

Click the Discover button on the right to search for new lights to add to your tank.\*



The available lights will populate in the tray on the right, to add them to your tank just drag and drop them onto the blueprint. Arrange them how they're positioned above your tank. Double-clicking the light will bring up a dialog with information about the light, and will also make the light pulse so you can easily identify it over your tank. When you have finished arranging your lights, be sure to click **Save**.

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#### Undiscovering Lights

To undiscover a light, click the X inthe top right corner of the device.

\*Make sure all your lights/wireless adapters are in their undiscovered state, the LED indicator should be red. If not, press and hold the button until the LED starts flashing red and green.

### Groups

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Inside your tanks you can choose to make groups. Groups are lights that are assigned together. You can set timers, acclimation and controls differently for each group.



#### Adding lights to a Group

Adding a light to a group is easy. In the Layout tab, double-click the light you wish to change, in the dialog box select the group color you want to add the light to.

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X out of the dialog and you'll see the group indicator on the light has changed to the appropriate group color. You'll notice that the selected light starts to pulse. This is to indicate which light you have chosen. Be sure to click "Save" when you have finished modifying light groups.

#### Group Bar

When group-level control is available the Group Bar will appear at the bottom of the browser window. Here you can select a group and change its settings accordingly.

#### Updating Light Firmware

To update your light's firmware, doubleclick it inside the Layout blueprint. If an update is available there will be an "Update Firmware" button.

To update firmware of all connected lights, click the menu and select "Update Light Firmware"

### Control

The Control tab is where you'll spend most of your time. Here you can set timers, preview your changes, create timer presets and control your lights manually.

#### Automatic Mode

In Automatic mode you can set up timers, which will run throughout the day and night.

#### Manual Mode

Manual mode stops all timers for the

selected group and gives you manual control over the intensity of each LED color.

Switching back into Automatic mode will resume all timers for the selected group.



#### Timers

The timers give you a 24hr view of how your lights' intensities are set. You can choose the available LED colors from the drop-down and set a timer ramp for each color.



#### Adding Points

To add a point, click the Add (+) button and click an area on the chart to create a new point.



#### **Deleting Points**

To delete a point, click the Delete (X) button and click on the point you wish to remove.

Drag a point at any time to reposition it.

The two points on the ends of the chart are linked together, and cannot be moved independently.

Be sure to Save your changes so they get updated to your lights.



#### **Timer Preview**

Use the play button to simulate your timer ramps over a 30 second period.

#### Presets

Presets allow you to save your ramp settings for use later. Use the dropdown menu to select a preset or to create a new one.



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Copy timer points for the selected LED color.



#### Paste

Paste timer points onto the

selected LED color.



#### Delete All Ramps

Clear all points across all LED colors from your current ramp.

#### Current Time Line

The current time is shown on the timer graph with a blue line. You can drag this line left or right to preview your timers on the spectral graph and the lights themselves.



#### Refresh Spectral Chart

In some instances the spectral chart does not update automatically. Click the refresh button in the upper-left corner to update the display.

#### Easy Setup

Inside the Presets menu there is an option for Easy Setup. Easy Setup is a simple way to setup your timers without all the fuss of setting each color individually.

Just enter your preferred Sunrise and Sunset times, the ramp duration and the min and max values for each color and you're set!

### Effects

Clouds, Lightning, Lunar Cycle, Regional Weather and Coral Acclimation all live in the Effects tab. Setup is easy, just turn on the effects you want, set the simple options and click save. The Director takes it from there and handles everything else!



#### Clouds

Cloud effects simulate clouds over your tank, if your light(s) support sweeping clouds they will move slowly across your lights to simulate a cloud passing by.

#### Lightning Simulate lightning strikes and flashes.



#### Lunar Cycle

This effect simulates the phases of the moon, if enabled, each night the moonlight intensity will match that of the current phase of the moon. The Lunar effect scales your current intensities, if your lights are set to 0% your lights will remain off.



#### Coral Acclimation

If you have some new livestock that needs acclimation to your LED lighting, enable this feature.

eSet a start and end date and the amount you'd like to reduce the intensity by. It will slowly raise the intensity during this period to ensure your livestock is properly acclimated.



#### **Regional Weather**

Enabling Regional Weather will pull data about the entered location from Internet sources to simulate the weather there.

Set a ramp time and a maximum and minimum intensity value for each LED color. The Director will automatically generate ramps based on the entered locations' sunrise + sunset.

### ■ Menu - Settings

#### Wireless Channel

If you are experiencing connectivity issues between the Director and your lights it may be a wireless interference issue. You can change the Wireless Channel of the Director to avoid this interference.

#### Timezone

Select your correct timezone from the dropdown menu.

## ■ Menu - System Info

#### Version Info

This displays the current version of the Director software.

#### **Connection Settings**

This displays the Wi-Fi network name, IP address and your Director's MAC address.

### ■ Menu - Walkthrough Guide

The Walkthrough Guide will guide you through some of the basic functions of the Director interface. You can exit the walkthrough at anytime by clicking the X in the top right corner.

## ■ Menu - User Information

When logged into MyAl you can view and edit your user information and address.

## Firmware Update

If a firmware update is available for your Director a window will appear prompting you to update. If you close out of this window, the firmware update will be available from the Director's menu.

## **Reset Settings**

#### **Reset Network Settings**

Press and hold the top of the Director for 3 seconds until the LED begins to flash green, then release. You'll have to reestablish connection with the Director by going through the Wi-Fi or Ethernet setup procedures.

#### Reset All Settings

Press and hold the top of the Director for 10 seconds until the LED begins to flash red, then release to restore all settings to factory defaults.

#### Disclaimers/Safety Warnings

Incorrect usage of this device could cause bodily injury or death. Follow all safety guidelines when assembling and using this fixture.

Read all instructions and all warnings prior to use of the Aqualllumination light fixture.

Use caution, and be aware of any shock hazards. The Aqualllumination light fixture is NOT waterproof. Do not get the unit wet and never submerge any part or cord in water, saltwater, or other solutions.

Aqualllumination is not responsible for shock, damage, or loss of livestock, aquariums, equipment or furniture or dwellings due failure to follow the contained instructions, inadequate mounting or nonintended use(s).

LED lights produce extremely intense light output that may damage or injure your eyes. Do not look directly into the LED's or LED lenses any time the fixture is illuminated.

Only use the provided electronics, hardware and approved accessories as other pieces of equipment may not be compatible with this fixture. Do not attempt any repairs to the modules. Any unauthorized repairs will void your warranty.

Connect the power supply to a ground fault circuit interrupter (GFCI) power source. As with all electronics, use of a surge suppressor is recommended to prevent against damage to the unit from power surges.

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Street Address: C2 Development, Inc. 127 S. Bell Ave. Ames, Iowa 50010

#### Phone: 515-233-5105 Online Support System: http://support.aquaillumination.com

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The device contains: C2 Development, Inc's Wireless Module Part Number: 3003–0003 FCC ID: ZOM-30000003 (c; 9795A–30000003

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