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# Operation Manual

## VistaBeam® 610 & 310 DMX



VistaBeam 610 Center



VistaBeam 610 Pole-Op



**KINO FLO®**  
Lighting Systems

# VistaBeam Fixture Styles and Features

## VistaBeam Center Mount



### **VIS-610C-120**

VistaBeam 610 DMX Center Mount, 120VAC

### **VIS-610C-230**

VistaBeam 610 DMX Center Mount, 230VAC



### **VIS-310C-120**

VistaBeam 310 DMX Center Mount, 120VAC

### **VIS-310C-230**

VistaBeam 310 DMX Center Mount, 230VAC

## VistaBeam Yoke Mount



### **VIS-610Y-120**

VistaBeam 610 DMX Yoke Mount, 120VAC

### **VIS-610Y-230**

VistaBeam 610 DMX Yoke Mount, 230VAC



### **VIS-310Y-120**

VistaBeam 310 DMX Yoke Mount, 120VAC

### **VIS-310Y-230**

VistaBeam 310 DMX Yoke Mount, 230VAC

## VistaBeam Pole-Op Mount

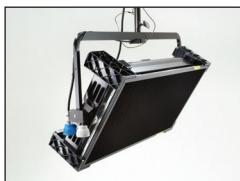


### **VIS-610P-120**

VistaBeam 610 DMX Pole-Op, 120VAC

### **VIS-610P-230**

VistaBeam 610 DMX Pole-Op, 230VAC



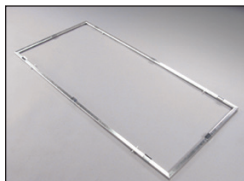
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VistaBeam 310 DMX Pole-Op, 120VAC

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VistaBeam 310 DMX Pole-Op, 230VAC

## Included w/ all VistaBeam Models



### **GFR-V6**

VistaBeam 610 Gel Frame (Included)

### **GFR-V3**

VistaBeam 310 Gel Frame (Included)



### **LVR-V690**

VistaBeam 610 Louver 90° (Included)

### **LVR-V390**

VistaBeam 310 Louver 90° (Included)

## True Match® Lamps



**964-K32** 96W Kino KF32 Twin

**964-K55** 96W Kino KF55 Twin

# VistaBeam Center Mount Kits



## **KIT-V6C-120**

VistaBeam 610 Center Mount Kit, 120VAC

## **KIT-V6C-230**

VistaBeam 610 Center Mount Kit, 230VAC

### **Kit Contents:**

1 VistaBeam 610 Center Mount

1 Ship Case

### **Dimensions**

41.5 x 15.5 x 44"

(105.5 x 39.5 x 112cm)

### **Weight**

135 lb

(61kg)



## **KIT-V3C-120**

VistaBeam 310 Center Mount Kit, 120VAC

## **KIT-V3C-230**

VistaBeam 310 Center Mount Kit, 230VAC

### **Kit Contents:**

1 VistaBeam 310 Center Mount

1 Ship Case

### **Dimensions**

42 x 14.5 x 25.5"

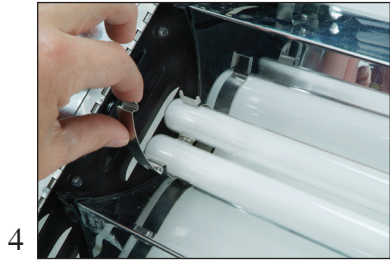
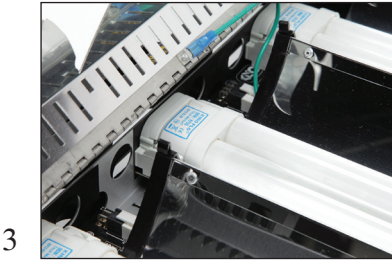
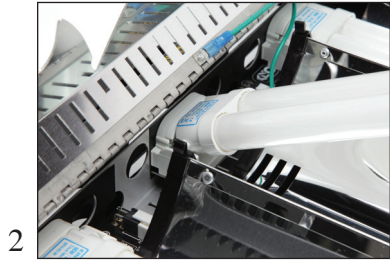
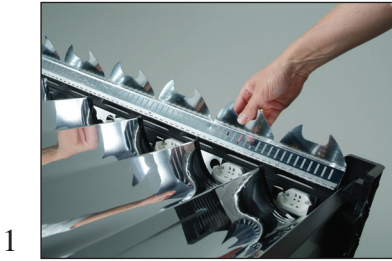
(107 x 37 x 65cm)

### **Weight**

79.5 lb

(36kg)

## Inserting Lamps



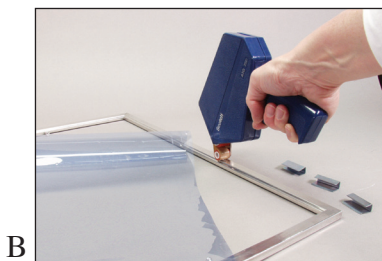
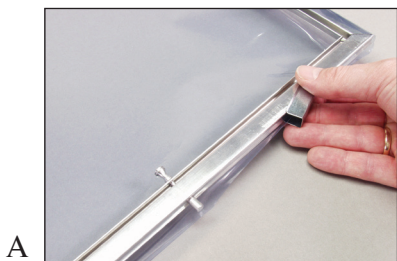
- 1) Open the two hinged reflector panels.
- 2 & 3) Insert the lamp base into the lamp connector.
- 4) Insert the lamp tip into the lamp clip. Close the reflector panels.

## Inserting Gel Frame



Align the pins of the Gel Frame with the inner (closest to lamps) holes of the Accessory Holder. Pull back the pins and release into the holes to secure the gel frame.

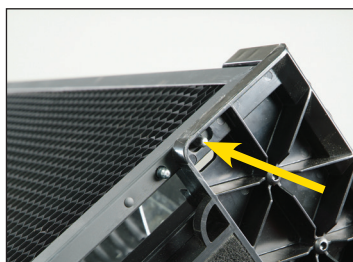
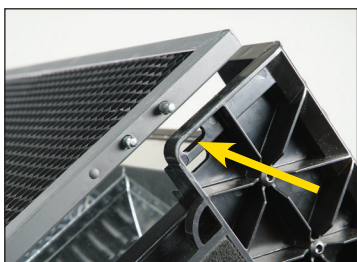
## Applying Gel to Frame



A) The Gel Frame comes with Gel clips. Cut the gel to size and use the clips to fasten the gel to the frame. Note: It is recommended to attach one clip on all four sides and two clips near all four corners of the Gel Frame.

B) Another method is to apply transfer tape directly to the gel frame. The clips are not necessary when taping the gel.

## Inserting Louver



Align the pins of the louver with the **outer** (farthest from lamps) receptacle holes on the Accessory Holder. Pull back the pins and release into the hole to secure the louver.

## Mount Option / Rope Hang



The large holes on the Accessory Holder can be used as rigging points, for example, a 4-point rope hang.

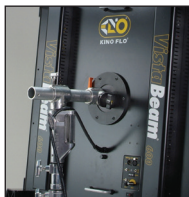


## VistaBeam Center Mount



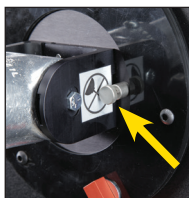
The **VistaBeam Center Mount** allows the fixture to mount to a junior stand or hang from a pipe grid with junior pipe clamp.

The Center Mount includes a Junior Stand Adapter (**MTP-V63JR**) which can be mounted onto a junior stand.



### Center Mount Rotation and Tilt Controls

- 1) The black knob controls the tilt.
- 2) The gold lock lever controls the rotation of the fixture.



- 3) For further control, the center mount also rotates at 90° stops. Pull locking pin and turn counter-clockwise to unlock. When the fixture rotates to a 90° angle, the fixture will “click” into place. To lock into place, turn locking pin to the right.

## Center Mount Hanging Adapter

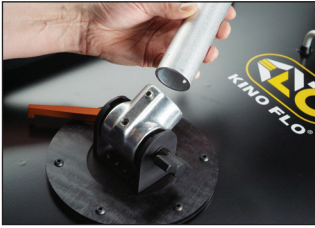


The VistaBeam Center Mount can also hang from a junior pipe hanger using a Hanging Adapter (**MTP-V63H1**), sold separately.



Remove the Junior Pin (**MTP-V63JR**) and attach the Hanging Adapter. It is held in place by a safety screw and a setscrew. A lock knob adjusts rotation of the arm.

## Center Mount Speed-Rail Rigging



The mount fittings are U.S. industry standard “Speed Rail” 1 ¼” fittings. They accept a 1 5/8” outside diameter pipe.

These fittings enable custom frames to be constructed for special rigging applications such as multiple fixture hangs.

## VistaBeam Yoke Mount



The yoke has a ½” hole to accept industry standard hardware.

The **VistaBeam 610** and **310 Yoke Mount** fixtures can hang from a junior pipe hanger using a Junior Pin Assembly for Yoke (**MTP-180**), sold separately.



**MTP-180** Junior Pin Assembly for Yoke

**Warning:** Use only M5 X 10mm screws (supplied) to assemble yoke. Note that threads on the fixture are self-locking and may seem tight. Replacement screws: Part No. **2020127**

Recommended torque setting:

**USA: 18 lb-in**

**Metric: 2 Nm**



## VistaBeam Pole-Op Mount



The **VistaBeam 610** and **310 Pole-Op Mount** fixtures include a yoke with an attached junior pin.

They can be hung from a grid with a junior pipe hanger.



Junior pin attached to Pole-Op Yoke

## Operating Pole-Op



The **Blue** cup alters the **Pan** (left or right).

The **White** cup alters the **Tilt** (up or down).



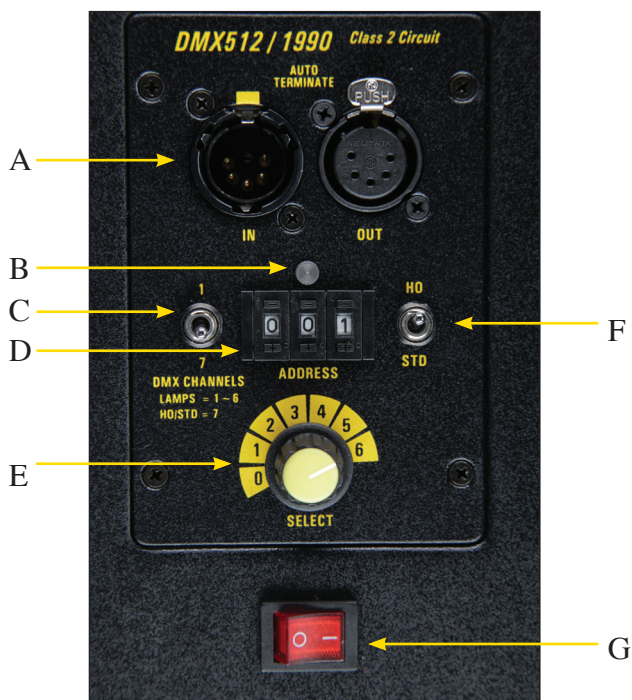
### Warning!

Do not pull yoke to adjust tilt. Turn the white knob counter clockwise to angle the yoke 90°.

(ParaBeam shown for illustration purposes only.)



# VistaBeam DMX Control Panel



- A) DMX-IN & DMX-OUT:** DMX-IN receives DMX signals from Dimmer Board. DMX-OUT relays DMX signal through other Fixtures or Instruments.  
**Note:** Each VistaBeam 610 & 310 DMX fixture has an **“AUTO TERMINATE”** feature. The last fixture that does not have an XLR cable attached to the DMX “Out” port will automatically terminate.
- B) Indicator Light:** Lights if valid DMX signal is present.
- C) DMX Channels:** Sets the VistaBeam to control all lamps on one channel or to control lamps individually. VistaBeam 610 uses 1 DMX channel or 7 DMX channels (1-6 = Lamps, 7 = **HO/Std**). VistaBeam 310 uses 1 DMX channel or 4 DMX channels (1-3 = Lamps, 4 = **HO/Std**).
- D) DMX Address:** Sets DMX Address of fixture.
- E) Manual Select Dial:** Turns lamps on and off manually without connecting DMX cable to fixture
- F) HO/STD:** **HO** operates lamps in High Output mode; **STD** operates lamps in Standard Output mode
- G) Power Switch:** Has a built-in indicator light, which can detect if AC power is present in power cord. “O” = OFF position.

## Power & Fuse Requirements



### **POWER**

Provide 120VAC or 230VAC depending on model. Do not dim the fixture through a dimming circuit. If powering the fixtures through a dimming board, set the dimmer profile to non-dim.

### **FUSE**

Fuse provides circuit protection. Note: If Fuse is “blown” or “open”, replace with same type of fuse rating as marked.

### **Load Considerations:**

The Kino Flo ballasts used in the VistaBeam are not power factor corrected. They will draw double the current on the neutral from what is being drawn on the two hot legs. On large installations it may be necessary to double your neutral run so as not to exceed your cable capacity.

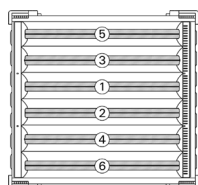
# Manual Operation

The VistaBeam DMX fixtures may be operated with the Manual Lamp Selector Knob. The selector knob enables you to turn lamps on and off with an “inside-out” pattern (i.e., if all lamps are on, the outside tubes will turn off first).

## VistaBeam 610 Lamp Switching



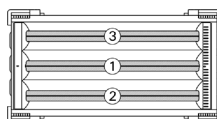
SELECT



## VistaBeam 310 Lamp Switching



SELECT



**HO** operates lamps in High Output mode.

**STD** operates lamps in Standard Output mode.

**Note:** All manual functions are disabled as soon as DMX cables are applied. For Manual control with DMX cables plugged in, set address to “000”. There is a 5 second delay when switching between DMX and Manual control.

# DMX Addressing



Push the tabs above or below the number window to set the address. (Valid addresses range from 001 to 512.) The yellow light above the address block will illuminate if a DMX signal is present.

**Tip:** Power is not required to set DMX addresses. Therefore, DMX addresses can be set for each fixture prior to hanging.

## IMPORTANT!

The dimmer board/light console should have its channel set to LINEAR light output response. (LINEAR response is the default setting on most dimmer boards.)

# DMX Channels



The **VistaBeam 610** operates on DMX Channel 1 or 7.

On **DMX Channel 1**, one DMX address controls all 6 lamps on one dimmer channel. Channels 2-6 not used. A 7th address controls the **HO/Std** setting. Not assigning the 7th address results in the fixture operating at the **HO** setting.

On **DMX Channel 7**, the first six DMX addresses control 6 lamps individually. After the first DMX address is entered, the VistaBeam 610 automatically assigns 6 addresses to lamp positions 1-6, and address 7 controls the **HO/Std** setting. Not assigning the 7th address results in the fixture operating at the **HO** setting.



The **VistaBeam 310** operates on DMX Channel 1 or 4.

On **DMX Channel 1**, one DMX address controls all 3 lamps on one DMX channel. Channels 2 & 3 not used. A 4th address controls the **HO/Std**. Not assigning the 4th address results in the fixture operating at the **HO** setting.

On **DMX Channel 4**, the first three DMX addresses control 3 lamps individually. After the first DMX channel is entered, the VistaBeam 310 automatically assigns 3 addresses to lamp positions 1-3, and address 4 controls the **HO/Std** setting. Not assigning the 4th address results in the fixture operating at the **HO** setting.

**Note:** Setting the fixture to DMX Channel 1 allows the user to recreate the “inside-out” pattern of the manual selector dial. One of the best applications for DMX Channel 1 is when lighting Blue and Green Screens or large cycloramas.

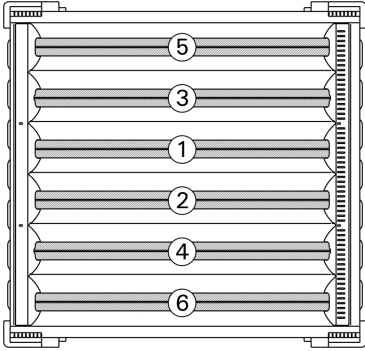
For example, one row of fixtures can be set to 001 or a common address. When the fader on the dimmer board is brought up or down, all the fixtures on that address will have the same lamps turned on.

### Dimmer level – Lamp response

Sliding the fader on the dimmer board from 0~100 controls the number of lamps that are on within a fixture.

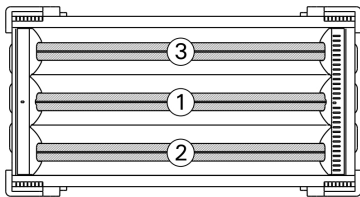
Note: The lamps may respond  $\pm 4$  channel levels, depending on the dimmer board. See diagrams below.

## VistaBeam 610 Lamp Sequence (DMX Channel 1)



VistaBeam 610 Lamp Sequence (DMX Channel 1)	
Address 1	Dimmer Level
Lamp 1	6
Lamp 1~2	19
Lamp 1~3	32
Lamp 1~4	45
Lamp 1~5	57
Lamp 1~6	95
<b>Address 7</b>	
HO	0
STD	50

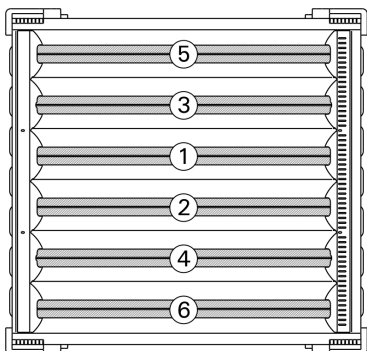
## VistaBeam 310 Lamp Sequence (DMX Channel 1)



VistaBeam 310 Lamp Sequence (DMX Channel 1)	
Address 1	Dimmer Level
Lamp 1	6
Lamp 1~2	50
Lamp 1~3	95
<b>Address 4</b>	
HO	0
STD	50



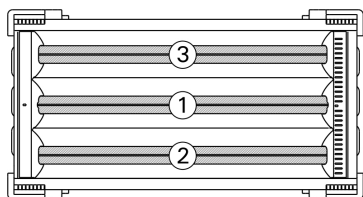
## VistaBeam 610 Lamp Sequence (DMX Channel 7)



VistaBeam 610 DMX  
Address Sequence  
(DMX Channel 7)

Lamp #	DMX Address
Lamp 1	1
Lamp 2	2
Lamp 3	3
Lamp 4	4
Lamp 5	5
Lamp 6	6
HO/STD	7

## VistaBeam 310 Lamp Sequence (DMX Channel 4)



VistaBeam 310 DMX  
Address Sequence  
(DMX Channel 4)

Lamp #	DMX Address
Lamp 1	1
Lamp 2	2
Lamp 3	3
HO/STD	4



### Auto Terminate Feature

The VistaBeam 610 and 310 series have an “**AUTO TERMINATE**” feature. The last fixture that does not have an XLR cable attached to the DMX “Out” port will automatically terminate.

Any theatrical lighting board with DMX512 protocol can be used to individually turn on/off lamps in a fixture. VistaBeams can be jumpered using the IN and OUT ports. As many as 100 fixtures can be jumpered on one chain as long as the DMX cable run remains under 1000 feet or 40 x 25ft DMX cables.

Note: When operating fixtures at great distances from the dimmer board, it is recommended to use Opto-Isolators to provide DMX signal amplification.



### DMX Cables

Cable must comply with EIA-485 (RS485).

The fixture uses five-pin XLR male and female connectors to receive DMX signals from the Dimmer Board and jumper the fixtures in a series. DMX pin-out wiring follows the USITT DMX512 standard:

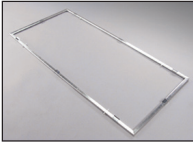
- Pin 1: Shield**
- Pin 2: Data –**
- Pin 3: Data +**
- Pin 4: Spare –**
- Pin 5: Spare +**

Note: Pin four and five in the Fixture are connected internally as Pin four to four and Pin five to five. Connecting Pin four and five as the pass-thru allows secondary data to be passed through other equipment.

**Do Not use Microphone Cables** and other general purpose, two-core cables designed for audio or signaling use. They are not suitable for DMX512. Problems due to incorrect cabling may not be immediately apparent. Microphone cables may appear to work fine, but systems built with such cables may fail or be prone to random errors. Cable must comply with EIA-485 (RS485).

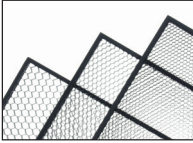
**Note: If a fixture loses its DMX signal, it will hold its last DMX command.** For this reason, it is important to turn a fixture off using the DMX commands. For example, if you try to turn off the lights by turning off the dimmer board, the fixtures will remember their last DMX command and stay on. The fixtures require a DMX “Off” or “Black-out” command in order to turn off.

# Accessories and Parts



**GFR-V6** VistaBeam 610 Gel Frame

**GFR-V3** VistaBeam 310 Gel Frame



**LVR-V690** VistaBeam 610 Louver, 90°

**LVR-V660** VistaBeam 610 Louver, 60°

**LVR-V645** VistaBeam 610 Louver, 45°

**LVR-V390** VistaBeam 310 Louver, 90°

**LVR-V360** VistaBeam 310 Louver, 60°

**LVR-V345** VistaBeam 310 Louver, 45°



**MTP-V63C** VistaBeam 63 Center Mount Assembly



**MTP-V63H1** VistaBeam 63 Center Hanging Adapter (28mm)



**MTP-V63JR** VistaBeam 63 Junior Adapter (28mm)



**XLR-515** DMX Cable 5-Pin XLR, 15ft

**XLR-525** DMX Cable 5-Pin XLR, 25ft



**7010034** VistaBeam 610 Yoke Assembly

**7010035** VistaBeam 310 Yoke Assembly



**7010036** VistaBeam 610 Pole-Op Assembly

**7010037** VistaBeam 310 Pole-Op Assembly

# True Match® Lamps



**964-K32** 96W Kino KF32 Twin

**964-K55** 96W Kino KF55 Twin

## Cases



**KAS-V61**



**KAS-V31**



**KAS-VL8-C**

Part Number	Description	Dimensions	Weight (Empty)	Holds
<b>KAS-V61</b>	VistaBeam 610 Center Ship Case	41.5 x 16 x 44" (105.5 x 40.5 x 112cm)	93 lb (42kg)	VistaBeam 610, Louver (2)
<b>KAS-V31</b>	VistaBeam 310 Center Ship Case	41.5 x 14.5 x 25.5" (102.5 x 37x 65cm)	53 lb (24kg)	VistaBeam 310, Louver (2)
<b>KAS-VL8</b>	VistaBeam 8-Lamp Ship Case	38 x 7 x 14" (96.5 x 18 x 36cm)	13.5lb (6kg)	96W Twin Lamps (8)
<b>KAS-VL8-C</b>	VistaBeam 8-Lamp Travel Case	37.5 x 6 x 14" (95.5 x 15 x 36cm)	11.5 lb (5kg)	96W Twin Lamps (8)

# Fixture Specifications



**VistaBeam 610  
Center Mount**

**Model: VIS-610C**

VistaBeam 610 DMX Center Mount

**Power Requirements:** 120VAC or 230VAC

**Amperage:** 8.0 amps at 120VAC

4.7 amps at 230VAC

**Lamp Switching:** 1~6

**Output Switching:** HO/Std

**Weight w/ lamps:** 46.5 lb / 21kg

**Dimensions:** 37.5 x 35.5 x 8.5"

(95.5 x 90 x 21.5cm)

**Lamp type:** 96W CFL



**VistaBeam 610  
Yoke Mount**

**Model: VIS-610Y**

VistaBeam 610 DMX Yoke Mount

**Power Requirements:** 120VAC or 230VAC

**Amperage:** 8.0 amps at 120VAC

4.7 amps at 230VAC

**Lamp Switching:** 1~6

**Output Switching:** HO/Std

**Weight w/ lamps:** 46.5 lb / 21kg

**Dimensions:** 41 x 39.5 x 8.5"

(104 x 100.5 x 21.5cm)

**Lamp type:** 96W CFL



**VistaBeam 610  
Pole-Op**

**Model: VIS-610P**

VistaBeam 610 DMX Pole-Op

**Power Requirements:** 120VAC or 230VAC

**Amperage:** 8.0 amps at 120VAC

4.7 amps at 230VAC

**Lamp Switching:** 1~6

**Output Switching:** HO/Std

**Weight w/ lamps:** 49 lb / 22kg

**Dimensions:** 41 x 39.5 x 8.5"

(104 x 100.5 x 21.5cm)

**Lamp type:** 96W CFL



**VistaBeam 310  
Center Mount**

**Model: VIS-310C**

VistaBeam 310 DMX Center Mount

**Power Requirements:** 120VAC or 230VAC

**Amperage:** 4.0 amps at 120VAC  
2.4 amps at 230VAC

**Lamp Switching:** 1~3

**Output Switching:** HO/Std

**Weight w/ lamps:** 28.5 lb / 13kg

**Dimensions:** 37.5 x 20 x 9"  
(95.5 x 51.5 x 23cm)

**Lamp type:** 96W CFL



**VistaBeam 310  
Yoke Mount**

**Model: VIS-310Y**

VistaBeam 310 DMX Yoke Mount

**Power Requirements:** 120VAC or 230VAC

**Amperage:** 4.0 amps at 120VAC  
2.4 amps at 230VAC

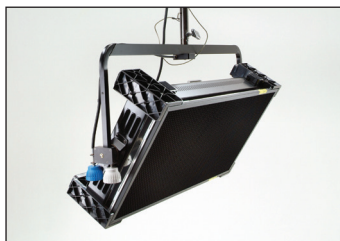
**Lamp Switching:** 1~3

**Output Switching:** HO/Std

**Weight w/ lamps:** 28 lb / 13kg

**Dimensions:** 41 x 23.5 x 8.5"  
(104 x 60 x 21.5cm)

**Lamp type:** 96W CFL



**VistaBeam 310  
Pole-Op**

**Model: VIS-310P**

VistaBeam 310 DMX Pole-Op

**Power Requirements:** 120VAC or 230VAC

**Amperage:** 4.0 amps at 120VAC  
2.4 amps at 230VAC

**Lamp Switching:** 1~3

**Output Switching:** HO/Std

**Weight w/ lamps:** 30.5 lb / 14kg

**Dimensions:** 41 x 23.5 x 8.5"  
(104 x 60 x 21.5cm)

**Lamp type:** 96W CFL

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**Environmental: Disposal of Old Electrical & Electronic Equipment.**



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