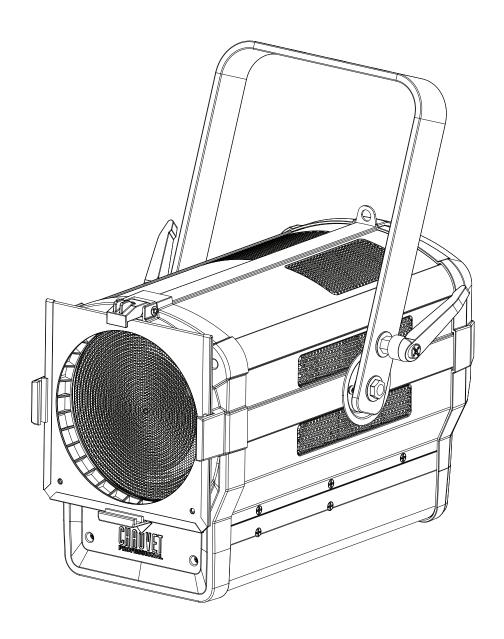
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User Manual







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1. Before You Begin

What Is Included

- Ovation F-915FC
- Neutrik[®] powerCON[®] power cord
- Gel frame holder (7.5 in/191 mm accessories)
- Quick Reference Guide

Claims

Carefully unpack the product immediately and check the container to make sure all the parts are in the package and are in good condition.

If the box or the contents (the product and included accessories) appear damaged from shipping, or show signs of mishandling, notify the carrier immediately, not Chauvet. Failure to report damage to the carrier immediately may invalidate customer's claim. In addition, keep the box and contents for inspection.

For other issues, such as missing components or parts, damage not related to shipping, or concealed damage, file a claim with Chauvet within 7 days of delivery.

Manual Conventions

Convention	Meaning		
1–512 A range of values			
50/60 A set of values of which only one can be chosen			
<set></set>	A button on the product's control panel		
Settings	A product function or a menu option		

Symbols

Symbol	Meaning
4	Electrical warning. Not following these instructions may cause electrical damage to the product, accessories, or the user.
<u></u>	Critical installation, configuration, or operation information. Not following these instructions may make the product not work, cause damage to the product, or cause harm to the operator.
(i)	Important installation or configuration information. The product may not function correctly if this information is not used.
	Useful information.



The term "DMX" used throughout this manual refers to the USITT DMX512-A digital data transmission protocol.

FCC Compliance

This device complies with Part 15 Part B of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions:

- 1. This device may not cause harmful interference, and
- 2. This device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

Any changes or modifications not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate the equipment.



Safety Notes

Read all the following safety notes before working with this product. These notes contain important information about the installation, usage, and maintenance of this product.



This product contains no user-serviceable parts. Any reference to servicing in this User Manual will only apply to properly trained, certified technicians. Do not open the housing or attempt any repairs.



All applicable local codes and regulations apply to proper installation of this product.

Personal Safety

- Avoid direct eye exposure to the light source while the product is on.
- Always disconnect the product from the power source before cleaning or replacing the fuse.
- Always connect the product to a grounded circuit to avoid the risk of electrocution.
- Do not touch the product's housing when operating because it may be very hot.

Mounting and Rigging

- This product is not intended for permanent installation.
- This product is for indoor use only! Do not operate this product outdoors or in any location where dust, excessive heat, water, or humidity may affect it (IP20).
- Do not leave any flammable material within 50 cm of this product while operating or connected to power.
- CAUTION: When transferring product from extreme temperature environments, (e.g., cold truck to warm, humid ballroom) condensation may form on the internal electronics of the product. To avoid causing a failure, allow product to fully acclimate to the surrounding environment before connecting it to power.
- Mount this product in a location with adequate ventilation, at least 20 in (50 cm) from adjacent surfaces.
- When hanging this product, always secure to a fastening device using a safety cable.
- Use only the hanging/mounting bracket to carry this product.

Power and Wiring

- Ensure that the power cord is not crimped or damaged.
- Always ensure that the product is connected to proper voltage in accordance with the specifications in this manual or on the product's specification label.
- Make sure to replace the fuse with another of the same type and rating.
- Never connect the product to a dimmer pack or rheostat.
- Never disconnect this product by pulling or tugging on the power cable.

Operation

- Do not operate this product if there is damage on the housing, lenses, or cables. Have the damaged parts replaced by an authorized technician at once.
- Do not cover the ventilation slots when operating to avoid internal overheating.
- The maximum ambient temperature is 113 °F (45 °C). Do not operate the product at higher temperatures.
- The minimum startup temperature is -4°F (-20°C). Do not start the product at lower temperatures.
- The minimum ambient temperature is -22°F (-30°C). Do not operate the product at lower temperatures.
- In the event of a serious operation problem, stop using this product immediately!



If your Chauvet product requires service, contact Chauvet Technical Support.

Expected LED Lifespan

LEDs gradually decline in brightness over time, primarily because of heat. LEDs that are arranged in clusters experience higher operating temperatures than single LEDs. For this reason, operating clustered LEDs at their fullest intensity significantly reduces the LEDs' lifespan. Under normal conditions, this lifespan is 40,000 to 50,000 hours. If extending this lifespan is vital, lower the operating temperature by improving the ventilation around the product, thus reducing the ambient temperature. In addition, limiting the overall projection intensity may extend the LEDs' lifespan.



2. Introduction

Description

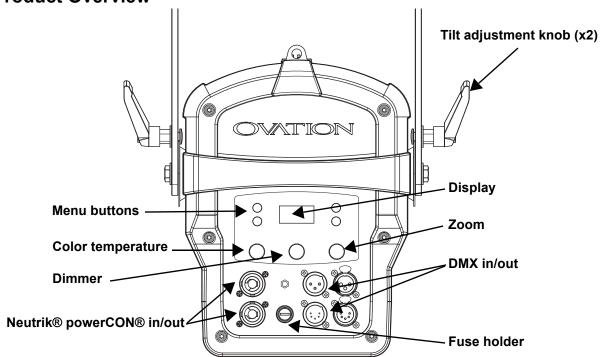
The Ovation F-915FC is a full-color Fresnel-style LED lighting fixture with 16-bit dimming resolution for smooth fades. It delivers a beautiful flat, even field of light. Its motorized zoom, with a range between 30° and 85°, is controlled either manually or via DMX. Simple and complex DMX channel profiles offer programming versatility. Virtually silent operation makes it ideal for use in any situation.

Features

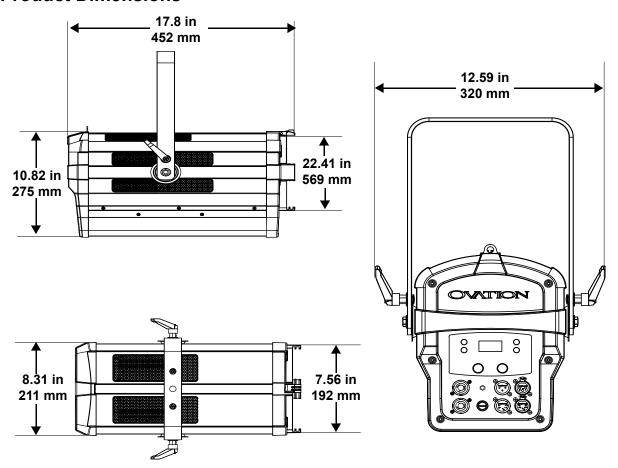
- Operating modes:
 - · 2-channel: dimmer, red shift
 - 4-channel: dimmer, virtual color wheel, color temperature, red shift
 - 5-channel: RGBAL control
 - 8-channel: dimmer, RGBAL control, strobe, red shift
 - 12-channel: 16-bit dimmer, RGBAL control, strobe, virtual color wheel, color temperature, zoom, red shift
 - 14-channel: 16-bit dimmer, RGBAL control, strobe, red shift
 - 15-channel: dimmer, RGBAL control, strobe, virtual color wheel, color temperature, auto programs, auto speed, dimmer speed mode, zoom, motor reset, red shift
 - 18-channel: 16-bit dimmer, 16-bit RGBAL, strobe, virtual color wheel, color temperature, zoom, motor reset, red shift
 - HSV: hue, saturation, value
- Full color LED (RGBAL) Fresnel-style lighting fixture for theater, film, and production
- Smooth, motorized zoom from 30° to 85°
- Beautiful 16-bit dimming of master dimmer and individual colors
- · Easy-to-use on-board control of color, zoom, and dimming
- · Virtual color wheel with color matched to popular gel colors
- Color temperature presets from 2800 K to 6500 K
- RDM (remote device management) for added flexibility
- Adjustable PWM (pulse width modulation) to avoid flickering on camera
- Virtually silent operation for use in studio and theater applications



Product Overview



Product Dimensions





3. Setup

AC Power

Each Ovation F-915FC has an auto-ranging power supply that works with an input voltage range of 100 to 240 VAC, 50/60 Hz. To determine the power requirements for each Ovation F-915FC, refer to the label affixed to the product or to the <u>Technical Specifications</u> chart in this manual.

The listed current rating indicates the maximum current draw during normal operation. For more information, download Sizing Circuit Breakers from the Chauvet website: www.chauvetprofessional.com.



- Always connect the product to a protected circuit (a circuit breaker or fuse). Make sure the product has an appropriate electrical ground to avoid the risk of electrocution or fire.
- To eliminate unnecessary wear and improve its lifespan, during periods of non-use completely disconnect the product from power via breaker or by unplugging it.



Never connect the product to a rheostat (variable resistor) or dimmer circuit, even if the rheostat or dimmer channel serves only as a 0 to 100% switch.

AC Plug

The Ovation F-915FC comes with a power input cord terminated with a Neutrik® powerCON® connector on one end and an Edison plug on the other end (U.S. market). If the power input cord that came with the product has no plug, or if the plug needs to be changed, use the table below to wire the new plug.

Connection	Connection Wire (U.S.) AC Live Black AC Neutral White AC Ground Green/Yellow		Screw Color	
AC Live			Yellow or Brass	
AC Neutral			Silver	
AC Ground			Green	

Power Linking

The product supports power linking. It is possible to power link up to 6 products at 120 V, up to 10 products at 208 V, or up to 12 products at 230 V. This product comes with a power input cord. Power-linking cables are available for purchase from Chauvet.

Fuse Replacement

- 1. Disconnect this product from the power outlet.
- 2. Using a Phillips #2 head screwdriver, unscrew the fuse holder cap from the housing.
- 3. Remove the blown fuse and replace with another fuse of the same type and rating (T 3.15 A, 250 V).
- 4. Screw the fuse holder cap back in place and reconnect power.



Make sure to disconnect the product's power cord before replacing a blown fuse. Always replace the blown fuse with another of the same type and rating.

DMX Linking

The Ovation F-915FC can be linked to a DMX controller using a 3- and 5-pin DMX connection. If using other DMX-compatible products with this product, it is possible to control each individually with a single DMX controller.

DMX Personalities

The Ovation F-915FC uses a 3- and 5-pin DMX data connection for the **HSV**, **2Ch**, **4Ch**, **5Ch**, **8Ch**, **12Ch**, **14Ch**, **15Ch**, and **18Ch** DMX personalities.

- Refer to the Introduction for a brief description of each DMX personality.
- Refer to the <u>Operation</u> chapter to learn how to configure the Ovation F-915FC to work in these personalities.
- The <u>DMX Values</u> section provides detailed information regarding the DMX personalities.



For information about DMX standards, Master/Slave connectivity, or the DMX cables needed to link this product to a DMX controller, download the DMX Primer from the Chauvet website: www.chauvetprofessional.com.

Remote Device Management (RDM)

Remote Device Management, or RDM, is a standard for allowing DMX-enabled devices to communicate bi-directionally along existing DMX cabling. Check with the manufacturer or the DMX controller's User Manual, as not all DMX controllers have this capability. The Ovation F-915FC supports RDM protocol that allows feedback to make changes to menu map options.



Master/Slave Connectivity

The Master/Slave mode allows an Ovation F-915FC (the master) to control one or more Ovation F-915FC products (the slaves) without a DMX controller. One Ovation F-915FC becomes the master when running an auto or custom program, or in Static mode.

Each slave's control panel must be configured to operate in Slave mode. During Master/Slave operation, the slaves will operate in unison with the master.



DO NOT connect a DMX controller to products operating in Master/Slave mode. The DMX controller signals may interfere with the signals from the master.



- The Operation section of this manual provides detailed instructions on how to configure the master and slaves.
- For more information about DMX standards or the DMX cables needed to link this product to a DMX controller, download the DMX primer from the Chauvet website: www.chauvetprofessional.com.

Mounting

Before mounting the product, read and follow the safety recommendations indicated in the <u>Safety Notes</u>. For CHAUVET Professional line of mounting clamps, go to: http://trusst.com/products/.

Orientation

Always mount this product in a safe position, ensuring that there is adequate room for ventilation, configuration, and maintenance.

Rigging

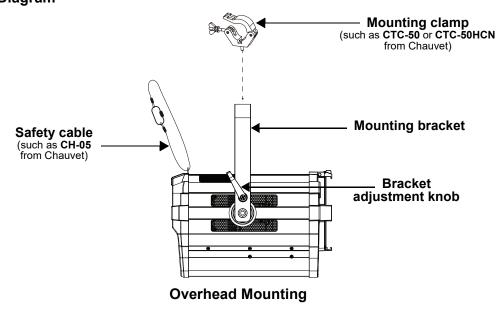
Chauvet recommends using the following general guidelines when mounting this product:

- Before deciding on a location for the product, make sure there is easy access to the product for maintenance and programming purposes.
- Make sure that the structure onto which the product will be mounted can support the product's weight. See the <u>Technical Specifications</u> for weight information.
- When mounting the product overhead, always use a safety cable. Mount the product securely to a rigging point, whether an elevated platform or a truss.
- When rigging the product onto a truss, use a mounting clamp of appropriate weight capacity.
- · When power linking multiple products, mount the products close enough for power-linking cables to reach.
- The bracket adjustment knobs allow for directional adjustment when aiming the product to the desired angle. Only loosen or tighten the bracket knobs manually. Using tools could damage the knobs.

Procedure

The Ovation F-915FC comes with a double-bracketed yoke that can be used as a floor stand or to which mounting clamps can be attached for hanging. Mounting clamps must be purchased separately. Ensure that the clamps can support the weight of this product. Use at least one mounting point per product where necessary.

Mounting Diagram





4. Operation

Control Panel Operation

Button	Function	
<menu></menu>	Exits from the current menu or function	
<enter></enter> Enables the currently displayed menu or sets the currently selected value in to function		
<up></up>	Navigates upward through the menu list or increases the numeric value when in a function	
<down></down>	Navigates downward through the menu list or decreases the numeric value when in a function	
<color Temperature></color 	Push twice, then turn to select the color temperature	
<dimmer></dimmer>	Push twice, then turn to increase or decrease the dimmer	
<zoom></zoom>	Push twice, then turn to increase or decrease the zoom	

Control Options

Set the Ovation F-915FC starting address in the 001-512 DMX range. This enables control of up to 12 products in the 18-channel personality.

Programming

Refer to the Menu Map to understand the menu options. The menu map shows the main level and a variable number of programming levels for each option.

- To go to the desired main level, press <MENU> repeatedly until the option shows on the display.
 Press <ENTER> to select. This will show the first programming level for that option.
- To select an option or value within the current programming level, press <UP> or <DOWN> until
 the option shows on the display. Press <ENTER> to select. This will show either the first option if
 there is another programming level, or the selected value.
- Press **<MENU>** repeatedly to exit to the previous main level.

Configuration (DMX)

Use DMX configurations to operate the product with a DMX controller.

DMX Personalities

This setting allows the user to choose a particular DMX personality.

- 1. Go to the **DMX Channel** main level.
- Select the desired personality (2Ch, 4Ch, 5Ch, 8Ch, 12Ch, 14Ch, 15Ch, 18Ch, and HSV).



- See the <u>Starting Address</u> section for the highest starting address suggested for each personality.
- Make sure that the starting addresses on the various products do not overlap due to the new personality setting.

Starting Address

In this mode, each product will respond to a unique starting address from the DMX controller. All products with the same starting address will respond in unison.

- 1. Go to the **DMX Address** main level.
- Select Address.
- 3. Set the starting address (001–512).

The highest recommended starting address for each DMX mode is as follows:

DMX Personality	DMX Personality DMX Address		DMX Address
2Ch 511		12Ch	501
4Ch	509	14Ch	499
5Ch	508	15Ch	498
8Ch	505	18Ch	495



Menu Map

Main Level	Programmii	ng Levels	Description		
DMX Address 001-512*		Selects DMX address (*highest channel restricted to personality chosen)			
		Virtual Color Wheel			
		Color Temperature Manual Color Mixer	2-channel: dimmer, red shift		
	4CI		4-channel: dimmer, virtual color wheel color temperature, red shift		
	5Ch		5-channel: RGBAL control		
	8Ch		8-channel: dimmer, RGBAL control, strobe, red shift		
DMX	12Ch		12-channel: 16-bit dimmer, RGBAL control, virtual color wheel, color temperature, strobe, red shift		
Channel	14Ch		14-channel: 16-bit RGBAL control, 16-bit dimmer, strobe, red shift		
	15Ch		15-channel: dimmer, RGBAL control, strobe, virtual color wheel, color temperature, auto show, auto speed, dimmer speed mode, zoom, motor reset, red shift		
	18Ch	h	18-channel: 116-bit RGBAL control, 16-bit dimmer, strobe, virtual color wheel, color temperature, zoom, motor reset, red shift		
	HS'	V	3-channel: hue, saturation, value		



Main Level		Programmir	ng Levels		Description	
Virtual Color Wheel	Virtual Color Wheel	C3050 - Md C3040 - Lt Y C3240 - Am C2340 - VLt C2040 - Lt A C2050 - Md C2060 - Dk C1050 - Lt F C1080 - Md C1020 - NC C1030 - Md C1020 - NC C1030 - Md C1650 - May C6170 - Dk C6020 - Lt L C5030 - Lt E C5020 - VLt C5030 - Lt E C5070 - Blu C5050 - Md C5060 - Dk C5060 - Dk C5060 - Dk C5080 - VDl C4370 - Yel C4070 - Gre C4550 - Tur C4560 - Aqu C4570 - Blu	Yellow Yellow b Yellow Amber Amber Amber Amber Red Pink Pink Pink Red Amber genta Magenta avender Blue Blue Blue igo k Blue k Blue Green een quoise ua e Green	Dimmer 0–255	Virtual Color Wheel simulates the output of each gel color. Refer to the Virtual Color Wheel Chart for specific values.	
	Color Temperature	300 320 350 400 450 500 600 650	00K 00K 00K 00K 00K 00K 00K 00K 00K	Dimmer 0–255	Preset white color temperatures. Emulates a tungsten lamp at the specified color temperature. Refer to the Color Temperature Chart for specific values.	
	Manual Color Mixer	Gro Bl Am	ed een lue nber me	0–255	Combines red, green, blue, amber, and lime to make a custom color (0–100%)	
Auto Show	Auto	1–5	1–10	00	Selects automatic programs and auto	
Zoom		0-255			program speed Controls zoom	
=	0-255 On					
Red Shift	Off			Mimics halogen lamp dimming		



Main Level	Programming Levels		Description			
Master/	Master			Receives DMX signal from the DMX controller (master)		
Slave	Slavo			Receives DMX signal from the master unit		
	Linear					
Dimmer	Square				Sets the dimmer curve	
Curve		I Square				
		SCurve				
Dimmer		Off	f		Linear dimmer	
Mode		Dimme	r 1–3		Dimming curves, from fast (Dimmer 1) to slow (Dimmer 3)	
		Off	=		Uses factory default white setting	
			ed		Sets red LED maximum value	
White		_	een	1	Sets green LED maximum value	
Balance	Manual		lue	125–255	Sets blue LED maximum value	
			nber	1	Sets amber LED maximum value	
			me		Sets lime LED maximum value	
		600H				
	1200Hz					
_ LED	2000Hz			Sets the PWM frequency		
Frequency	4000Hz			Solo ine i vvivi nequency		
	6000Hz					
	25KHz					
	Auto			Sets the fan to auto mode		
Fan Mode	On			Sets the fan to always on		
	Off			Sets the fan to always off		
	Silent			Sets the fan to silent		
	10\$			Turns off display backlight after 10 seconds of inactivity		
Back Light	30S			Turns off display backlight after 30 seconds of inactivity		
	2Min			Turns off display backlight after 2 minutes of inactivity		
		Always On			Display backlight always on	
Information	Fixture I	ure HoursH			Shows total hours the product has been powered on	
Information	Versi	Version V		Shows current firmware version		
	UID			Shows product UID		
Reset Zoom		No)		Keeps zoom in last position when powered on	
w/ Power	Yes			Resets zoom to home position when powered on		
Reset Factory	No Yes			Resets the product to factory default settings		



Configuration (Standalone)

Use standalone configuration to operate the product without a DMX controller.

Static Mode

The Static mode allows for an unchanging color without a DMX controller.

Virtual Color Wheel

- 1. Go to the Virtual Color Wheel main level.
- 2. Select Virtual Color Wheel.
- 3. Select the desired gel color (see Virtual Color Wheel Chart).
- 4. Select the desired output level (0-255).

Color Temperature

To select a color temperature, do the following:

- 1. Go to the Virtual Color Wheel main level.
- 2. Select Color Temperature.
- 3. Select the desired color temperature (see Color Temperature Chart).
- 4. Select the desired output level (0–255).

Manual Color Mixer

To do color mixing without a DMX controller, follow the instructions below:

- 1. Go to the **Static** main level.
- 2. Select Manual Color Mixer.
- 3. Select the color to edit (Red, Green, Blue, Amber, or Lime Green).
- 4. Select the desired output level for that color (0-255).
- 5. Repeat steps 3 and 4 until product outputs as desired.

Auto Programs

Auto programs allow for dynamic blinder effects without a DMX controller.

- 1. Go to Auto Show main level.
- 2. Select the desired auto program (Auto 1–5).
- 3. Select the desired speed (1-100).

Zoom

This setting allows standalone control of the motorized zoom. To adjust, do the following:

- 1. Go to **Zoom** main level.
- 2. Select the desired output level (0-255).

Red Shift

The Red Shift function causes the amber LEDs to imitate the appearance of a halogen lamp when dimming. To adjust the Red Shift function, do the following:

- Go to the Red Shift main level.
- Select On or Off.

Master/Slave

The Master/Slave mode allows a group of Ovation F-915FC products (the slaves) to simultaneously duplicate the output of another Ovation F-915FC (the master) without a DMX controller.

To set each of the slaves:

- 1. Go to the Master/Slave main level
- Select Slave.

To set the master:

- 1. Go to the Master/Slave main level
- 2. Select Master.
- Select a static setting.



- The master is the one that runs a program whether in Auto or Static mode.
- Do not connect a DMX controller to the products configured for Master/Slave operation. The DMX controller may interfere with signals from the master.
 - The master should be the first product in the daisy chain.

Dimmer Curve

To set the dimmer curve, follow the instructions below:

- 1. Go to the Dimmer Curve main level.
- Select the desired option (Linear, Square, I Squa, or SCurve).



Dimmer Profiles

This setting determines how fast the output of the Ovation F-915FC changes when the output value is modified. It provides four different options to simulate the dimming curve of an incandescent lighting product. To select a specific dimmer profile, do the following:

- Go to the **Dimmer Mode** main level.
- 2. Select a dimmer curve (Off, Dimmer 1, Dimmer 2, or Dimmer 3).



Off: The output is proportional (linear) to the dimmer channel value. **Dimmer 1-3:** The output follows the dimmer value based on the corresponding dimmer curve, **Dimmer 1** being the fastest.

White Balance

This setting determines the maximum output values for each color, which affects the appearance of a full output white.

- Go to the White Balance main level.
- Select Off (the product will use a default setting) or Manual.
- 3. For Manual mode, select the color value to edit (Red, Green, Blue, Amber, or Lime Green).
- 4. Set the maximum value for the selected color (125–255).
- 5. Repeat steps 3 and 4 until the product outputs as desired.

LED Frequency

This option changes the Pulse Width Modulation (PWM) frequency of the LEDs on the Ovation F-915FC. To do so, follow the instructions below:

- 1. Go to the **LED Frequency** main level.
- 2. Select PWM Frequency (600Hz, 1200Hz, 2000Hz, 4000Hz, 6000Hz, or 25Khz).

Fan Mode

This setting determines how the fan speed on the Ovation F-915FC is set.

- 1. Go to the Fan Mode main level
- 2. Select **Auto** (fan speed will increase or decrease based on product temperature), **Off** (fan will stay off. Product output will decrease based on product temperature), **Silent** (fan will maintain a constant silent speed), or **On** (fan speed will always be at maximum).



NOTICE: When operating in Fan Mode: Off, the output of the fixture will be reduced and will not reach the same levels as when using other fan modes.



WARNING: When operating in Fan Mode: Off, the fixture will become hotter to the touch than when using other fan modes. Use proper protective equipment to prevent burns. Keep a safe distance from flammable objects.

Back Light

This setting allows for selection of the amount of time the backlight on the Ovation F-915FC's display stays on after the last button is pressed on the control panel.

- 1. Go to the **Back Light** main level.
- 2. Select 10S (10 seconds), 30S (30 seconds), 2Min (2 minutes), or Always On (remains on).

System Information

This option displays the total number of hours the product has run, the installed software version, and the product's UID.

- 1. Go to the **Information** main level.
- Select Fixture Hours, Version, or UID.

Zoom Reset

This setting determines whether the zoom resets when power is applied to the Ovation F-915FC. To adjust, do the following:

- 1. Go to the **Reset Zoom w/ Power** main level.
- Select No (zoom stays in last command position when power was removed) or Yes (zoom resets when power is applied to the product).

Factory Reset

This option restores the Ovation F-915FC to factory default settings.

- 1. Go to the **Reset Factory** main level.
- Select No or Yes.



Virtual Color Wheel (VCW)

The Ovation F-915FC includes a feature called the Virtual Color Wheel (VCW). This feature is available as a standalone control mode for manual use and as a control channel in select DMX personalities. More than 30 premixed colors, custom blended by Chauvet engineers, are available to call up for easier programming. The DMX values used to mix these colors are provided below. The overall intensity of the Ovation fixture can be adjusted to more closely replicate familiar industry-standard colors. A chart is available at www.chauvetprofessional.com to compare Chauvet's premixed colors with popular gel colors. This chart is for comparison purposes only and is not an assertion that Chauvet's premixed colors match any of the gel colors listed.

Virtual Color Wheel Chart

	Virtual Color Villeer Chart							
DMX Channel Value Display Readout Red Value Green Value Blue Value Amber Value Lim	ne Value							
000 ⇔ 005 000 000 000 000	000							
	255							
014 ⇔ 021	231							
022 \Leftrightarrow 028	255							
029 \Leftrightarrow 035	213							
036 ⇔ 043	155							
044 \Leftrightarrow 051	194							
052 \Leftrightarrow 059	150							
060 \(\phi \) 067	038							
068 ⇔ 075	000							
076 ⇔ 083	255							
084 ⇔ 091	195							
092 ⇔ 099	210							
100 ⇔ 107	055							
	030							
116 \Leftrightarrow 121	115							
122 ⇔ 130	000							
131 ⇔ 138	255							
	255							
147 ⇔ 154	255							
155 ⇔ 162	243							
163 ⇔ 170	036							
171 ⇔ 178	181							
179 ⇔ 186	118							
	055							
	040							
203 ⇔ 210	045							
	104							
	090							
227 ⇔ 234	245							
235 ⇔ 242	255							
	053							
251 <code-block></code-block>	000							



Note: The colors above are simulated renditions of the color output produced compared with other similar incandescent products. Chauvet makes no guarantee of the color output accuracy.

Color Temperature Chart

DMX Channel Value	Display Readout	Red Value	Green Value	Blue Value	Amber Value	Lime Value		
000 ⇔ 005		000	000	000	000	000		
006 ⇔ 025	2800K	237	120	036	255	255		
026 ⇔ 050	3000K	220	128	050	255	255		
051 ⇔ 075	3200K	176	128	057	255	255		
076 ⇔ 100	3500K	154	128	080	255	255		
101 ⇔ 125	4000K	128	128	112	255	255		
126 ⇔ 150	4500K	108	128	133	255	255		
151 ⇔ 175	5000K	097	128	152	255	255		
176 ⇔ 200	5600K	087	128	170	255	255		
201 ⇔ 225	6000K	075	128	177	255	255		
226 ⇔ 250	6500K	066	128	187	255	255		
251 ⇔ 255		000	000	000	000	000		



Note: The color temperatures above are simulated renditions of the color output produced compared with a tungsten lamp at the specified color temperature. Chauvet makes no guarantee of the color output accuracy.



DMX Values

18Ch

Channel	Function	Value	Percent/Setting
1	Dimmer	000 ⇔ 255	0–100%
2	Dimmer fine	000 ⇔ 255	0–100%
3	Red	000 ⇔ 255	0–100%
4	Red fine	000 ⇔ 255	0–100%
5	Green	000 ⇔ 255	0–100%
6	Green fine	000 ⇔ 255	0–100%
7	Blue	000 ⇔ 255	0–100%
8	Blue fine	000 ⇔ 255	0–100%
9	Amber	000 ⇔ 255	0–100%
10	Amber fine	000 ⇔ 255	0–100%
11	Lime	000 ⇔ 255	0–100%
12	Lime fine	000 ⇔ 255	0–100%
13	Strobe	000 🗢 010	No function
13	Strobe	011 ⇔ 255	Strobe, slow to fast
14	Virtual color wheel	000 ⇔ 255	Refer to Virtual Color Wheel Chart
15	Color temperature	000 ⇔ 255	Refer to Color Temperature Chart
16	Zoom	000 ⇔ 255	Narrow to wide
		000 ⇔ 200	No function
17	Motor reset	201 ⇔ 220	Motor reset
		221 ⇔ 255	No function
		000 ⇔ 010	No function
18	Red shift	011 ⇔ 127	On
		128 ⇔ 255	Off



15Ch

Channel	Function	Value	Percent/Setting
1	Dimmer	000 ⇔ 255	0–100%
2	Red	000 ⇔ 255	0–100%
3	Green	000 ⇔ 255	0–100%
4	Blue	000 ⇔ 255	0–100%
5	Amber	000 ⇔ 255	0–100%
6	Lime	000 ⇔ 255	0–100%
7	Strobe	000 🗇 010	No function
,	Strobe	011 ⇔ 255	Strobe, slow to fast
8	Virtual color wheel	000 ⇔ 255	Refer to Virtual Color Wheel Chart
9	Color temperature	000 ⇔ 255	Refer to Color Temperature Chart
		000 🖘 010	No function
		011 🗢 060	Auto program 1
40	Auto programs	061 ⇔ 110	Auto program 2
10		111 🖈 160	Auto program 3
		161 ⇔ 210	Auto program 4
		211 <code-block> 255</code-block>	Auto program 5
11	Auto speed	000 ⇔ 255	0–100%
	-	000 ⇔ 051	No function
	Dimmer speed mode	052 ⇔ 101	Linear dimmer
12	(Hold for 3 seconds:	102 ⇔ 152	Nonlinear dimming curve 1 (fastest)
	Overrides and changes menu selection)	153 ⇔ 203	Nonlinear dimming curve 2
	mena selection)	204 ⇔ 255	Nonlinear dimming curve 3
13	Zoom	000 ⇔ 255	Narrow to wide
		000 ⇔ 200	No function
14	Motor reset	201 <code-block> 220</code-block>	Motor reset
		221 ⇔ 255	No function
		000 🖘 010	No function
15	Red shift	011 ⇔ 127	On
		128 255	Off

14Ch

Channel	Function	Value	Percent/Setting
1	Dimmer	000 ⇔ 255	0–100%
2	Dimmer fine	000 ⇔ 255	0–100%
3	Red	000 ⇔ 255	0–100%
4	Red fine	000 ⇔ 255	0–100%
5	Green	000 ⇔ 255	0–100%
6	Green fine	000 ⇔ 255	0–100%
7	Blue	000 ⇔ 255	0–100%
8	Blue fine	000 ⇔ 255	0–100%
9	Amber	000 ⇔ 255	0–100%
10	Amber fine	000 ⇔ 255	0–100%
11	Lime	000 ⇔ 255	0–100%
12	Lime fine	000 ⇔ 255	0–100%
13	Strobe	000 ⇔ 010	No function
13	Strobe	011 ⇔ 255	Strobe, slow to fast
		000 ⇔ 010	No function
14	Red shift	011 ⇔ 127	On
		128 ⇔ 255	Off



12Ch

Channel	Function	Value	Percent/Setting
1	Dimmer	000 ⇔ 255	0–100%
2	Dimmer fine	000 ⇔ 255	0–100%
3	Red	000 ⇔ 255	0–100%
4	Green	000 ⇔ 255	0–100%
5	Blue	000 ⇔ 255	0–100%
6	Amber	000 ⇔ 255	0–100%
7	Lime	000 ⇔ 255	0–100%
8	Strobe	000 ⇔ 010	No function
· ·	Strobe	011 ⇔ 255	Strobe, slow to fast
9	Virtual color wheel	000 ⇔ 255	Refer to Virtual Color Wheel Chart
10	Color temperature	000 ⇔ 255	Refer to Color Temperature Chart
11	Zoom	000 ⇔ 255	Narrow to wide
		000 ⇔ 010	No function
12	Red shift	011 <code-block></code-block>	On
		128 ⇔ 255	Off

8Ch

Channel	Function	Value	Percent/Setting
1	Dimmer	000 ⇔ 255	0–100%
2	Red	000 ⇔ 255	0–100%
3	Green	000 ⇔ 255	0–100%
4	Blue	000 ⇔ 255	0–100%
5	Amber	000 ⇔ 255	0–100%
6	Lime	000 ⇔ 255	0–100%
7	Strobe	000 🗇 010	No function
,	Strobe	011 ⇔ 255	Strobe, slow to fast
		000 🖘 010	No function
8	Red shift	011 ⇔ 127	On
		128 ⇔ 255	Off

5Ch

Channel	Function	Value	Percent/Setting
1	Red	000 ⇔ 255	0–100%
2	Green	000 ⇔ 255	0–100%
3	Blue	000 ⇔ 255	0–100%
4	Amber	000 ⇔ 255	0–100%
5	Lime	000 ⇔ 255	0–100%



4Ch

Channel	Function	Value	Percent/Setting
1	Dimmer	000 ⇔ 255	0–100%
2	Virtual color wheel	000 ⇔ 255	Refer to Virtual Color Wheel Chart
3	Color temperature	000 ⇔ 255	Refer to Color Temperature Chart
		000 ⇔ 010	No function
4	Red shift	011 <code-block> 127</code-block>	On
		128 ⇔ 255	Off

2Ch

Channel	Function	Value	Percent/Setting
1	Dimmer	000 ⇔ 255	0–100% (color set through menu)
2	Red shift	000 ⇔ 010 011 ⇔ 127 128 ⇔ 255	No function On Off

HSV

Channel	Function	Value	Percent/Setting
1	Hue	000 ⇔ 255	0–100%
2	Saturation	000 ⇔ 255	0–100%
3	Value	000 ⇔ 255	0–100%



5. Technical Information

Product Maintenance

To maintain optimum performance and minimize wear, clean this product frequently. Usage and environment are contributing factors in determining the cleaning frequency.

Clean this product at least twice a month. Dust build-up reduces light output performance and can cause overheating. This can lead to reduced light source life and increased mechanical wear.

To clean the product:

- 1. Unplug the product from power.
- 2. Wait until the product is at room temperature.
- Use a vacuum (or dry compressed air) and a soft brush to remove dust collected on the external vents.
- Clean all transparent surfaces with a mild soap solution, ammonia-free glass cleaner, or isopropyl alcohol.
- 5. Apply the solution directly to a soft, lint-free cotton cloth or a lens-cleaning tissue.
- 6. Softly drag any dirt or grime to the outside of the transparent surface.
- 7. Gently polish the transparent surfaces until they are free of haze and lint.



Always dry the transparent surfaces carefully after cleaning them.



6. Technical Specifications

Dimensions and Weight

Length	Width	Height	Weight
22.41 in (569 mm)	12.59 in (320 mm)	10.82 in (275 mm)	19 lb (8.6 kg)

Note: Dimensions in inches rounded to the nearest hundredth.

Power

Power Supply Typ	pe F	Range	Voltage Selection
Switching (interna	il) 100 to 240	VAC, 50/60 Hz	Auto-ranging
Parameter	120 V, 60 Hz	208 V, 60 Hz	230 V, 50 Hz
Consumption	260 W	260 W	260 W
Operating Current	2.15 A	1.25 A	1.12 A
Power-linking current (products)	13.6 A (6 products)	13.6 A (10 products)	13.6 A (12 products)

Power I/O	U.S./Canada	Worldwide
Power input connector	Neutrik® powerCON® A	Neutrik® powerCON® A
Power output connector	Neutrik® powerCON® B	Neutrik® powerCON® B
Power cord plug	Edison (U.S.)	Local plug

Light Source

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Туре	Color	Quantity	Power	Current	Lifespan
LED	Red Green Blue Amber Lime green	18 18 16 16 21	3 W	1.13 A	50,000 hours

Photometrics

Parameter	Value
Beam angle	17° to 54°
Field angle	30° to 85°
Zoom angle	30° to 85°
Illuminance @ 5 m (30°)	1,980
Illuminance @ 5 m (85°)	433

Thermal

Maximum External Temperature	Cooling System
113 °F (45 °C)	Convection

DMX

I/O Connector	Channel Range
3- and 5-pin XLR	2. 4. 5. 8. 12. 14. 15. 18. and HSV

Ordering

Product Name	Item Code	UPC Number
Ovation F-915FC	03031500	781462218485







Photometrics Charts

Narrow (30°)			Light Source (Imperial)						Wide (85°)			
Distance	17° Beam Diameter		Footcandle							Footcandle	54° Beam Diameter	
15 ft	4.48 ft	8.04 ft	220							48	15.29 ft	22.20 ft
20 ft	5.98 ft	10.72 ft	124							27	20.38 ft	29.60 ft
30 ft	8.97 ft	16.08 ft	55							12	30.57 ft	44.40 ft
40 ft	11.96 ft	21.44 ft	31							7	40.76 ft	59.20 ft
50 ft	14.95 ft	26.79 ft	20							4	50.95 ft	74.00 ft
75 ft	22.42 ft	40.19 ft	9				1 111 11			2	76.43 ft	110.99 ft
100 ft	29.89 ft	53.59 ft	5							1	101.91 ft	147.99 ft
125 ft	37.36 ft	66.99 ft	3							1	127.38 ft	184.99 ft
150 ft	44.84 ft	80.38 ft	2							0	152.86 ft	221.99 ft

Field

Beam

Field

Light Source (Metric) Narrow (30°) Wide (85°) 17° Beam 30° Field 54° Beam 85° Field Distance Diameter Diameter **Diameter Diameter** Lux Lux 1 m 0.30 m 0.54 m 49,500 10,825 1.02 m 1.48 m 2 m 0.60 m 1.07 m 12,375 2,706 2.04 m 2.96 m 1.49 m 2.68 m 1,980 433 5 m 5.10 m 7.40 m 8 m 2.39 m 4.29 m 773 169 8.15 m 11.84 m 10 m 2.99 m 5.36 m 495 108 10.19 m 14.80 m 4.48 m 220 48 15 m 8.04 m 15.29 m 22.20 m 20 m 5.98 m 10.72 m 124 27 20.38 m 29.60 m 25 m 7.47 m 13.40 m 79 17 25.48 m 37.00 m 30 m 8.97 m 16.08 m 55 12 30.57 m 44.40 m

Field

Beam

Field



Returns

To get support or to return a product, contact:

- If you are located in the U.S., contact Chauvet World Headquarters.
- If you are located in the U.K. or Ireland, contact Chauvet Europe Ltd.
- If you are located in Benelux, contact Chauvet Europe BVBA.
- If you are located in France, contact Chauvet France.
- If you are located in Germany, contact Chauvet Germany.
- If you are located in Mexico, contact Chauvet Mexico.
- If you are located in any other country, DO NOT contact Chauvet. Instead, contact your local distributor. See www.chauvetprofessional.com for distributors outside the U.S., U.K., Ireland, Benelux, France, Germany, or Mexico.



If you are located outside the U.S., U.K., Ireland, Benelux, France, Germany, or Mexico, contact your distributor of record and follow their instructions on how to return Chauvet products to them. Visit our website www.chauvetprofessional.com for contact details.

Call the corresponding Chauvet Technical Support office and request a Return Merchandise Authorization (RMA) number before shipping the product. Be prepared to provide the model number, serial number, and a brief description of the cause for the return.

To submit a service request online, go to www.chauvetprofessional.com/service-request.

Send the merchandise prepaid, in its original box, and with its original packing and accessories. Chauvet will not issue call tags.

Clearly label the package with the RMA number. Chauvet will refuse any product returned without an RMA number.



Write the RMA number on a properly affixed label. DO NOT write the RMA number directly on the box.

Before sending the product, clearly write the following information on a piece of paper and place it inside the box:

- Your name
- Your address
- Your phone number
- RMA number
- A brief description of the problem

Be sure to pack the product properly. Any shipping damage resulting from inadequate packaging will be your responsibility. FedEx packing or double-boxing are recommended.



Chauvet reserves the right to use its own discretion to repair or replace returned product(s).



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