

Z3

LED Video Controller

Specification v1.0



Overview

Z3 is a professional LED video controller of the latest generation. Its strong capabilities of UHD image processing and LED screen control allow for ultra-low latency, HDR and wide color gamut display effects, bringing an authentic audio-visual feast to users. It can be massively applied in live events, broadcast, television, filming and other scenarios.

Features

Input

- Full 4K inputs: HDMI2.0, DP1.2, 12G-SDI.
- Up to 4096×2160@60Hz on a single channel.
- Support 8/10-bit video signal input.
- Support HDCP1.4/HDCP2.2.
- 23.98Hz to 240Hz input frame rate.

Output

- Maximum loading capacity of 8.84 million pixels, with up to 16,384 pixels in width and 8192 pixels in height.
- 6× 5G Ethernet ports outputs or 3× 10 Gigabit fiber ports output.
- 23.98Hz to 240Hz output frame rate.
- Support both Ethernet port redundancy and controller redundancy.

Video processing

- Video signal cropping, switching, and broadcasting level scaling.
- Single window display.
- Low latency, a minimal latency of one frame.
- HDR10/HLG display.
- Genlock.

Color adjustment

- Picture adjustment: support adjusting the hue, saturation, contrast, and brightness compensation of the device's output.
- Brightness adjustment: support adjusting brightness by Ethernet port group.
- Color temperature adjustment: support adjusting color temperature accurately and RGB component individually.

Control

- USB port for control and cascading.

- RS232 serial communication protocol.
- LAN port for TCP/IP control.

Appearance

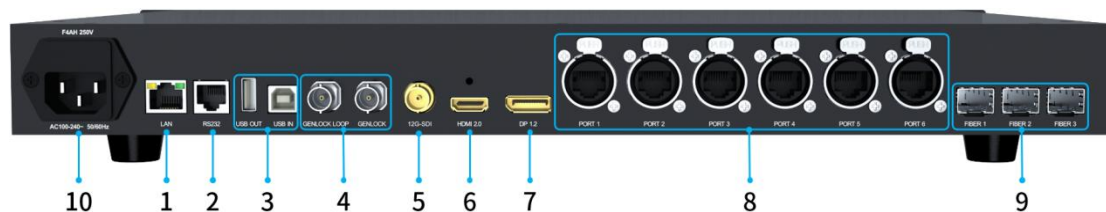
Front panel



No.	Item	Description
1	LCD screen	Display operation menu and system information.
2	Knob	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Press to enter sub-menu or confirm selection. • Rotate to select menu item or tune parameters.
3	ESC key	Exit current interface.
4	Function keys	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bright: Tune brightness. • Black: Send output screen to black. • Freeze: Freeze screen. • SDI: Switch to SDI signal. • HDMI: Switch to HDMI signal. • DP: Switch to DP signal. • Lock: Lock the keys on the front panel.
5	Power switch	Power on/off the device.

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Rear panel



Control		
1	LAN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> RJ45 port for accessing local area network.
2	RS232	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> RJ11(6P6C) port* for connecting to central control.
3	USB IN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> USB2.0 Type-B port, enabling connection to a PC for debugging or cascading input.
	USB OUT	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> USB2.0 Type-A port for cascading output.
Genlock		
4	GENLOCK	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1× BNC port, male, for the input of an external synchronization source. Support Bi-level and Tri-level sync. Support 23.98~60Hz frame rates.
	GENLOCK LOOP	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1× BNC port, male. Loop out Genlock sync signal.
Input		
5	12G-SDI	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1× BNC port. Comply with SMPTE 2082/2081/424M/292M standards, and support HD/3G/6G-SDI/12G-SDI (2SI format) / Level A/B. Maximum resolution: 4096×2160@60Hz. Support de-interlaced display. Not support EDID settings.
6	HDMI2.0	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1× HDMI Type A port. Comply with HDMI 2.0 standard, support HDCP2.2 and compatible with HDCP1.4. Maximum resolution: 4096×2160@60Hz, minimum resolution: 800×600@60Hz, maximum pixel clock: 600MHz. Custom resolution: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Maximum width: 8192 (8192×1080@60Hz). - Maximum height: 8192 (1080×8192@60Hz). Support HDR.

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Support independent EDID settings and comply with EDIDV1.3 standard. • Not support audio input. • Not support interlaced signal inputs.
7	DP1.2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1× DisplayPort1.2. • Comply with DP1.2 standard, support HDCP2.2 and compatible with HDCP1.4. • Maximum resolution: 4096×2160@60Hz, minimum resolution: 800×600@60Hz, maximum pixel clock: 600MHz. • Custom resolution: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Maximum width: 8192 (8192×1080@60Hz). - Maximum height: 8192 (1080×8192@60Hz). • Support HDR. • Support independent EDID settings and comply with EDIDV1.3 standard. • Not support audio input. • Not support interlaced signal inputs.
Output		
8	PORT 1-6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 6× Neutrik Ethernet ports with a single-port transmission rate of 5 Gb/s, working with 5G receiving card. • Total pixel capacity: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Up to 16,384 pixels in width and 8192 pixels in height. - 60Hz output, 8-bit: 8.84 million pixels, 10-bit: 6.63 million pixels. - 120Hz output, 8-bit: 4.42 million pixels, 10-bit: 3.31 million pixels. - 240Hz output, 8-bit: 2.21 million pixels, 10-bit: 1.65 million pixels. • Pixel capacity per port: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 60Hz output, 8-bit: 2.8 million pixels, 10-bit: 2.1 million pixels. - 120Hz output, 8-bit: 1.4 million pixels, 10-bit: 1.05 million pixels. - 240Hz output, 8-bit: 0.7 million pixels, 10-bit: 0.52 million pixels. - Redundancy supported. - Shielded cable recommended (CAT6 and above), maximum run length of 80 meters.
9	FIBER 1-3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3× 10G output fiber ports (optional 10G SFP+ optical module. Transmission distance depends on optical module specifications). • Automatically back up the output of the 6× 5G Ethernet ports. FIBER 1 corresponds to PORT 1-2, FIBER 2 to PORT 3-4, and FIBER 3

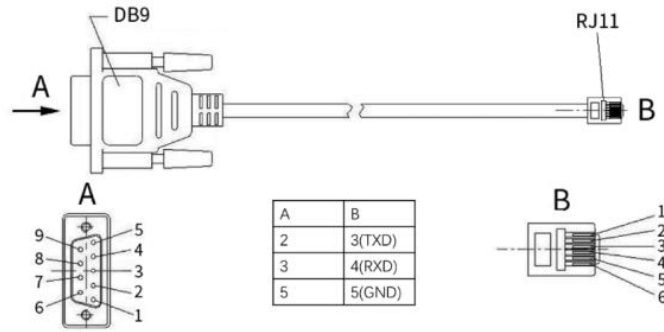
		to PORT 5-6. • Output mode (Ethernet or fiber optic) to be manually selected.
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Power

10	AC100-240V	Mains input, 100-240V~, 50/60Hz, built-in power protector.
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* The schematic of RJ11 (6P6C) to DB9 cable is shown as follows:



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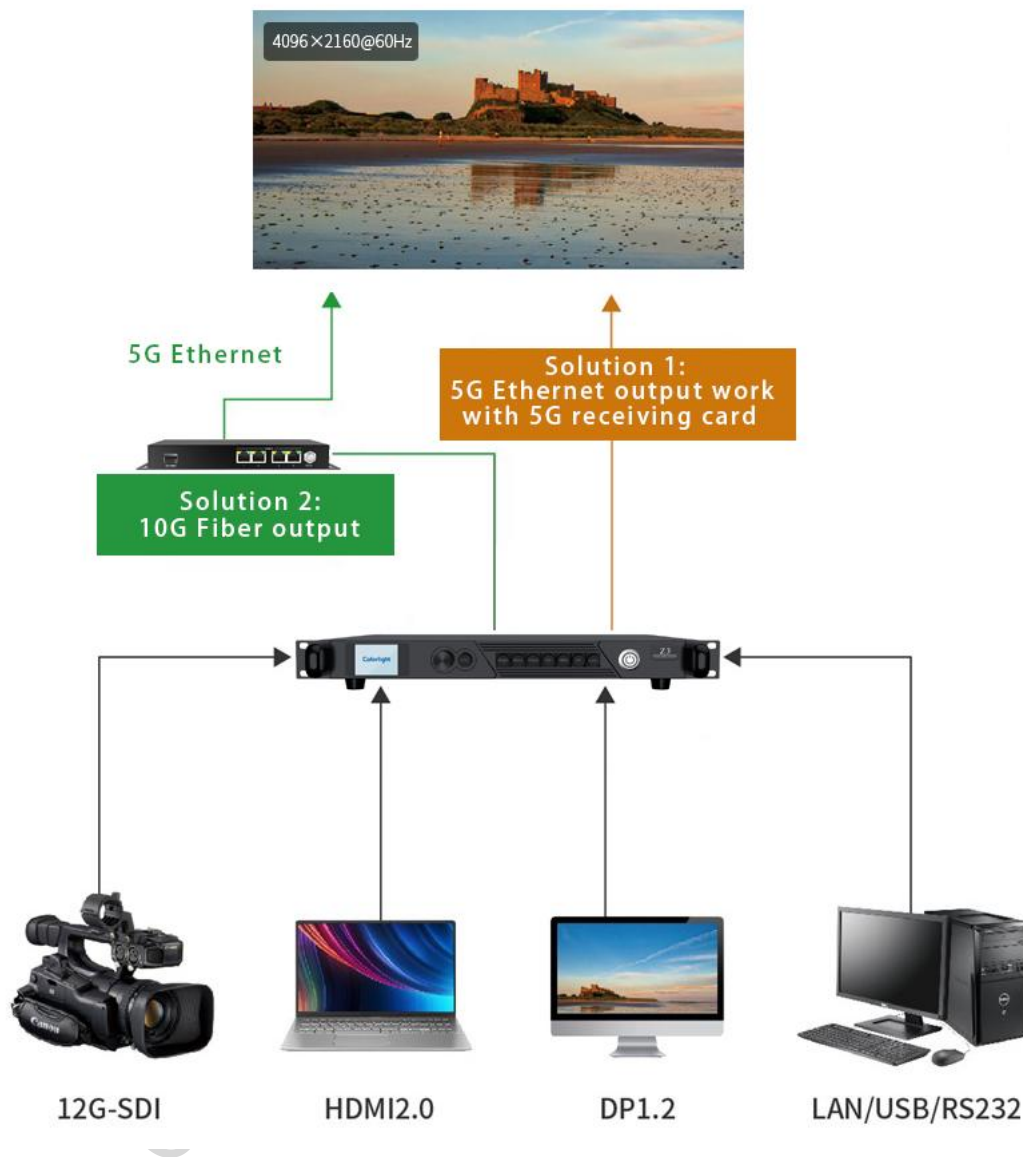
Signal format

HDMI2.0					
Input	Color space	Sampling	Color depth	Max. resolution	Frame rate
4K	YCbCr	4:2:2	8/10bit	4096 × 2160@60Hz	23.98,30,50,59.94,60
	YCbCr/RGB	4:4:4	8bit	4096 × 2160@60Hz	
	YCbCr/RGB	4:4:4	10bit	4096 × 2160@30Hz	
2K	YCbCr	4:2:2	8/10bit	1920 × 1200@60Hz	23.97,24,30,50,59,94,60,100,120,144
	YCbCr/RGB	4:4:4	8bit	1920 × 1200@60Hz	
	YCbCr/RGB	4:4:4	10bit	1920 × 1200@30Hz	
HD	YCbCr	4:2:2	8/10bit	1280 × 1200@60Hz	23.97,24,30,50,59,94,60,100,120,144,240
	YCbCr/RGB	4:4:4	8/10bit	1280 × 1200@30Hz	
Only part of the regular resolutions are listed above.					
DP1.2					
Input	Color space	Sampling	Color depth	Max. resolution	Frame rate
4K	YCbCr	4:2:2	8,10bit	4096 × 2160@60Hz	23.98,24,25,29.97,30,50,59.94,60
	YCbCr/RGB	4:4:4	8bit	4096 × 2160@60Hz	
	YCbCr/RGB	4:4:4	10bit	4096 × 2160@30Hz	
2K	YCbCr	4:2:2	8/10bit	1920 × 1200@60Hz	23.97,24,30,50,59,94,60,100,120,144
	YCbCr/RGB	4:4:4	8bit	1920 × 1200@60Hz	
	YCbCr/RGB	4:4:4	10bit	1920 × 1200@30Hz	
HD	YCbCr	4:2:2	8/10bit	1280 × 1200@60Hz	23.97,24,30,50,59,94,60,100,120,144,240
	YCbCr/RGB	4:4:4	8/10bit	1280 × 1200@30Hz	
Only part of the regular resolutions are listed above.					
12G-SDI					
Input	Color space	Sampling	Color depth	Max. resolution	Frame rate
12G	YCbCr	4:2:2	10bit	4096 × 2160p@60Hz	23.98,24,25,29.97,30,50,59.94,60
6G	YCbCr	4:2:2	10bit	4096 × 2160p@30Hz	
3G Level A/B	YCbCr	4:2:2	10bit	2048 × 1080p@60Hz	
HD	YCbCr	4:2:2	10bit	2048 × 1080p@30Hz	
	YCbCr	4:2:2	10bit	1920 × 1080i@60Hz	
	YCbCr	4:2:2	10bit	1280 × 720p@60Hz	
Only part of the regular resolutions are listed above.					

Specifications

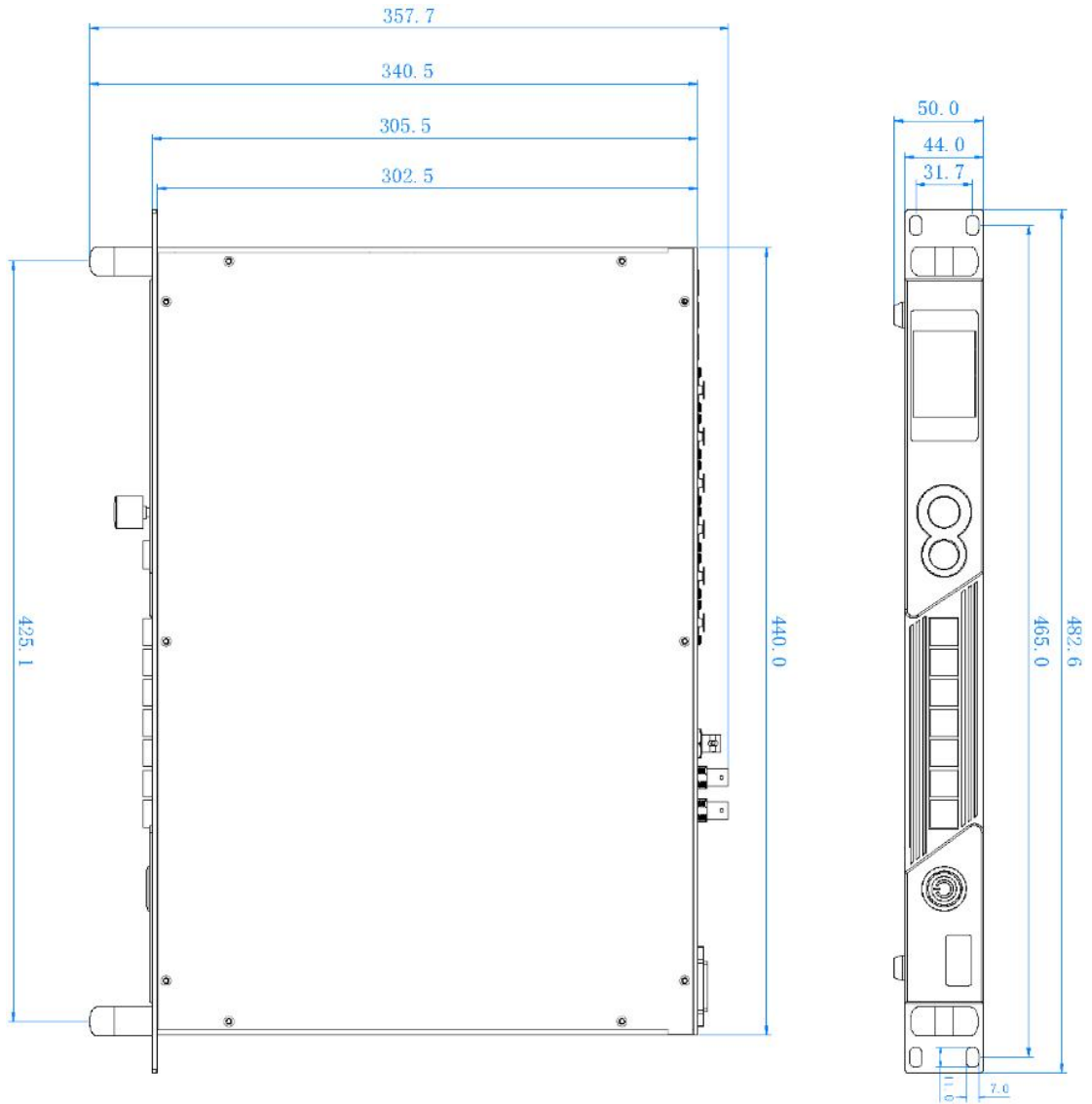
Dimensions (W×H×D)	
Device	482.6mm(19.0")×44.0mm(1.7")×357.7mm(14.1"), 1U, not including rubber feet
Packing	541.0mm(21.3")×518.0mm(20.4")×500mm(19.7")
Weight	
Net	2.96kg (6.53lbs)
Gross	4.3kg (9.48lbs)
Electrical parameters	
Power supply	AC100-240V, 50/60Hz
Rated power	50W
Operating environment	
Temperature	-20°C~50°C (-4°F~122°F)
Humidity	0%RH-90%RH, non-condensing
Storage environment	
Temperature	-30°C~80°C (-22°F~176°F)
Humidity	0%RH-90%RH, non-condensing
Certifications	
CE, FCC, CB, IC, cTUVus	
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Application



Reference dimensions

Unit: mm



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