



This training course provides service technician training for the Poloaris-PJ1 series.



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Y058/Y059/Y060/Y061/ Y070/Y071/Y072/Y073 Service Training

Product Overview

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This section provides an overview of the machine, and the options that can be installed.



What Models are there in the Series?

- Mizar-PJ1 cw (Y058 / Y060):
 PJ WX5460 / PJ K5600
 - 4100 lumens, WXGA resolution
- Mizar-PJ1 cx (Y059 / Y061):PJ X5460 / PJ K5200
 - 4000 lumens, XGA resolution
- Mizar-PJ1 HD (Y070 / Y071):PJ HD5450 / PJ HD5800
 - 3500 lumens, XGA resolution
- Mizar-PJ1 HDL (Y072 / Y073):PJ HD1080 / PJ HD1082
 - 2000 lumens, XGA resolution
- Described in red are China only models.
- ☐ These are compact entry-level models with standard features.
- The models in this series cannot be used as network projectors.
 - These models do not work with 'Network Utility', 'Projector Management Utility', or @Remote.

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Main Specifications								
	Mizar-PJ1 cw	Mizar-PJ1 cx	Mizar-PJ1hd	Mizar-PJ1hdl				
Туре	WIZAI-PJTCW	DLP	WilZai-PJTilu	Wilzar-P3 i ilui				
Color wheel type	6 segments							
Brightness	4100 lm 4000 lm 3500 lm 20							
Lamp type	260W high-pressure mercury							
Resolution	WXGA XGA HD							
Projectionlens	For SVGA/XGA: F# 2.41 ~ 2.55, f=21.8 ~ 24 mm, 1.10X Mechanical Zoom Lens For WXGA: F# 2.50 ~ 2.67, f=21.8 ~ 24 mm, 1.10X Mechanical Zoom Lens							
Dimensions (W×D×H)	314.3 × 223.6 × 88.2 (without feet) 314.3 × 223.6 × 101.7 (with feet)							
Weight	2.6 kg (5.75 lbs)							
Standby Power Consumption	Eco mode: Typical 232W, Max 255W @110Vac							
Keystone	Vertical (Manual)							
Speaker	10W x 1							
Wireless LAN	No							
Wired LAN	No							
USB	Service Use Only							
HDMI	1.4 (x1) 1.4 (x2)							



Features

- ☐ This product can be installed by users, except when mounted on a ceiling.
- ☐ This product is designed for user maintenance. Regular on-site maintenance is not needed.
- ☐ There is no display panel, but LEDs show the symptoms for troubleshooting (blinking/lit, number of times the LEDs blink, etc).
- ☐ A service mode is available.

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Low Energy Consumption

- □ 3,000 hour lamp life in normal mode and 4,000 hour in Eco mode
- ☐ 0.5W power consumption in standby mode

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□ Note that in the service mode menu, Eco Mode is referred to as 'Low Mode'.



Consumables and Options

- ☐ Replacement lamp (Y223)
 - 260W mercury lamp
 - Life: 3,000 hours (normal mode), 4,000 hours (Eco mode)
 - » There may be a 50% decrease in brightness at the end of the lamp's life.
- □ 3D glasses (Y107)
 - Will also be usable with other DLP-type projector models to be released in the near future.

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Reliability Information

- ☐ Average monthly projection time: 58.3 hrs/month
 - 2.65 hrs/day x 22 working days/month
- □ Failure Rate
 - 1st year: 0.0024 cases/unit/month
 - 2nd year: 0.0029 cases/unit/month
 - 3rd year: 0.0036 cases/unit/month
 - The failure rate of a projector increases with its total power-up time. This is due in part to the failure characteristics of optical engines in projectors.
- □ Lamp Life

Normal Mode: 3,000 hrsEco Mode: 4,000 hrs

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Lamp Near-end/End Alerts

☐ There is no near-end alert.

- The lamp end alert occurs when the machine calculates that the life time has expired.
- End alert will appear 30 hours (in Normal mode) before suggested replacement of lamp.
- If the user switches between modes, the machine calculates when to display the alert based on how long the lamp was used in each mode.

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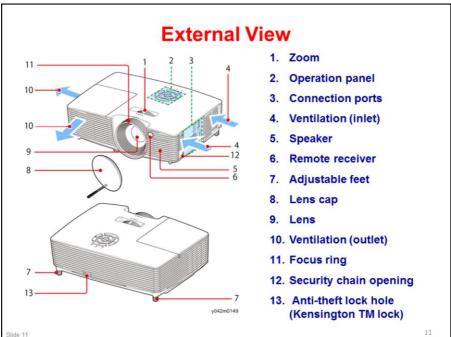


Disposal of Broken Lamps

- ☐ Projector lamps normally contain mercury vapour.
- ☐ These lamps can rupture due to impact or being used longer than their life expectancy.
 - The time that the breakage will occur differs widely for each lamp and its circumstances of use.
- ☐ These lamps must be disposed of in accordance with local environmental regulations.

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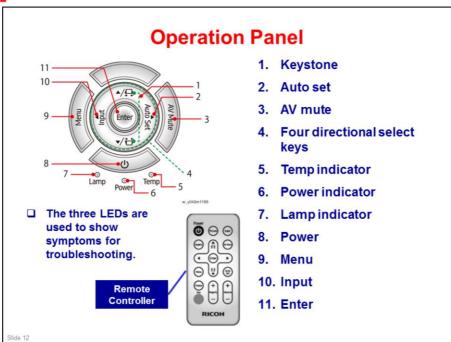




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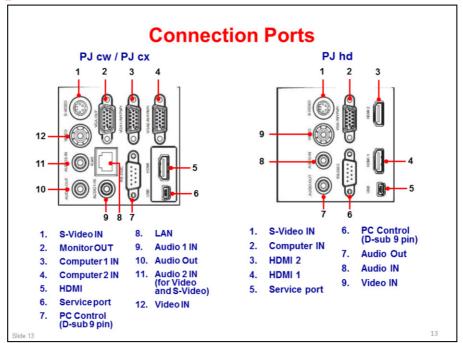
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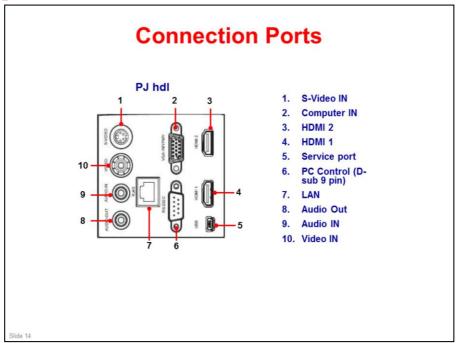




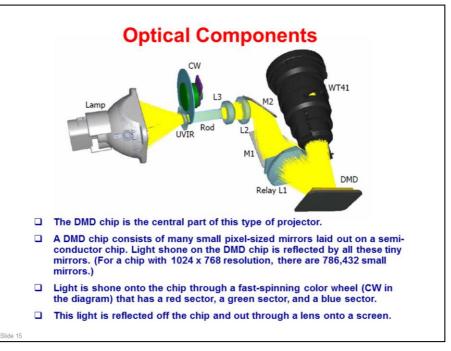
- □ S-VIDEO IN Connector: Input for S video signals from video equipment.
- MONITOR OUT Connector: Output for analog RGB signals or component video signal (Y/PB/PR) to another device.
- □ COMPUTER IN 1/2: Input for analog RGB signals from a computer or a component video signal (Y/PB/PR) from video equipment.
- ☐ AC IN: Connect the supplied power cord.
- ☐ HDMI Connector: Input for digital signals from a HDMI (High-Definition Multimedia Interface) compatible digital source
- □ SERVICE Port: Use this port to update the firmware.
- □ PC Control
- □ AUDIO IN Jack 1/2: Input for audio signals from a computer or video equipment.
- □ AUDIO OUT Jack: Output for audio signals from the projector.
- □ VIDEO IN Connector: Input for video signals from video equipment.

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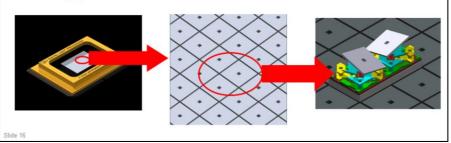


- ☐ Lamp: Light source
- UV-IR Filter: Lets visible light through (wavelengths between 380~780nm) and prevents UV and IR damage to other optical parts.
- ☐ CW (Color wheel): The wheel has a red segment, a green segment, and a blue segment. The wheel rotates to provide red, green, and blue light (the color of the output beam changes from red, to green to blue)
- ☐ Integrating Rod: Gives the light a uniform luminous flux.
- ☐ L3: Condensing lens. Condenses divergent light.
- ☐ L2: Condensing lens. Works with L3 to condense divergent light.
- ☐ M1: Mirror 1. Changes the light direction.
- ☐ M2: Mirror 2. Changes the light direction.
- □ Relay L1: Condenses and magnifies divergent light before it goes to the DMD.
- □ DMD Chip: Contains micro mirrors to generate the image
- ☐ Projection Lens (WT41 in the diagram): Projects the image onto the screen.



DMD Chip

- R, G, and B signals from the image generating device are sent to the DMD chip, and timed so that the red signal arrives at the same time that the red part of the wheel is in the beam path, and similarly for the green and blue signals.
- ☐ The DMD chip generates the R, G, and B images by re-positioning the micromirrors using micromachined hinges to make different pixelated images for each colour (meaning that each micromirror has an ON and an OFF position).
- ☐ For SVGA resolution, the mirrors are 16-micrometer squares, with a gap of about 0.8 micrometers between each mirror.





Boards

- Main board (MB): Power/signal control and processing
- □ DMD board (DMD BD): Image signal processing and DMD control
- □ LVPS (DC-DC): Power supply, passes signals between boards
 - LVPS means Low Voltage Power Supply
- ☐ Lamp driver (Ballast): Starts the lamp
 - When the lamp is being lit, the voltage is over 10,000V.

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Basic Points about Service

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This section explains the basic points about servicing the machine.



Swap and Repair

- ☐ This product is intended for 'swap-and-repair'.
- ☐ If the projector needs repairs, it is taken away from the customer site and a temporary replacement is provided to the customer.

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Antistatic Clothing

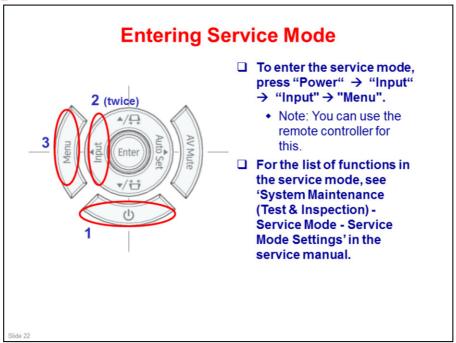
☐ To protect the components from damage, wear anti-static clothing when you disassemble the machine.

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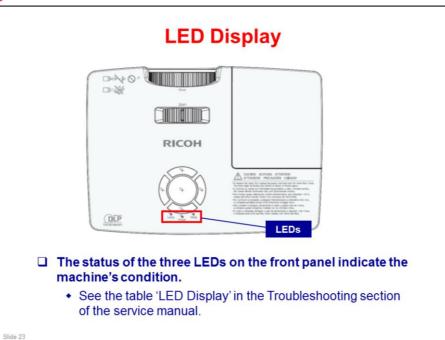


Parts Replacement Hierarchy This flow chart describes the order in which the parts need to be removed for replacements/ maintenance from the top. The higher the level, the lesser the parts, and vice versa.











Parts Replacement

- After replacing parts, some adjustments may be needed. See the table below.
 - This table and the procedures are in the following section of the service manual: Replacement and Adjustment Electrical Adjustment Adjustment Points vs Part Replaced
 - Whenever you replace a component, check this table to see if you have to do any of these procedures. The text in the Replacement and Adjustments procedures does not always refer to this table.

		-				
	Change parts				Software	
Action after repair	Optical engine/ Main board assembly	Lamp module	Blower fan	Color wheel	After firmware update	
Firmware update	V				V	
ADC calibration	V				V	
Color wheel index	V			V		
OSD reset		V			V	
Re-write lamp usage hours	V					
Fan calibration	V		V		V	

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□ OSD: On Screen Display



Replacing the Lamp

☐ To replace the lamp, unplug the power cord and then wait for 60 minutes.



Replacing the Main Board

- ☐ The main board contains a record of the lamp usage hours.
- ☐ If you have to change the main board, make a note of the lamp hours before you remove the board.
- ☐ Then use 'Rewrite Lamp Hours' after you install the new board, to store this number in the new board.

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Optics Engines

- ☐ These are not the same for each model.
 - The lenses are different, for a start.
- Make sure that you have the correct assembly for the model that you are working on.
- ☐ The optics engine contains the DMD board, DMD chip, lens, and rod.
- ☐ These cannot be replaced as individual parts.

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Replacing the Color Wheel

☐ Avoid touching the glass parts of the color wheel.

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Colo	r W	neel	Index	Adj	ust	ment

- ☐ Do this after replacing the color wheel.
- ☐ Also, do this adjustment if color appears abnormal after changing the main board.

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☐ The adjustment is in service mode. Note that the adjustment appears in two different menus. These adjustments are the same.

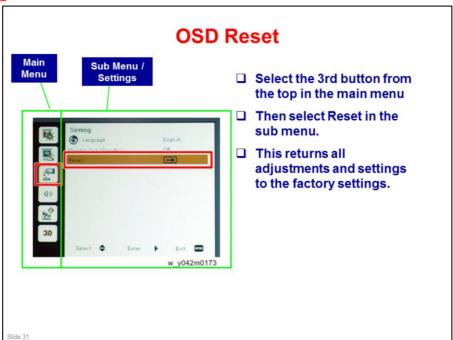


Rod Adjustment

□ Adjust if there are yellowish or bluish parts in the image.

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Burn-in Test

- ☐ After repairing each unit, a burn-in test is necessary.
- ☐ In a burn-in test, the lamp is turned on for a set period of time (such as 50 minutes), then off for another set period of time (such as 10 minutes).
- ☐ This can be accessed in the service mode.
 - For the procedure, see 'System Maintenance Functional Tests Burn-in Test' in the service manual.
 - The lamp on and off durations can be set before starting the test
- ☐ This procedure takes a number of hours to complete, so should not be done at the customer site.
 - After a normal repair: 2 hours
 - If the cause of the malfunction cannot be detected: 4 hours
 - After solving a problem that causes the power to automatically turn off: 6 hours

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☐ The Functional Tests section of the manual contains a lot of test and measurement procedures. Take a quick look to see what kind of adjustments and measurements are available.



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Updating Firmware

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This section explains the basic points about updating the firmware.



Updating the System Firmware - 1

- ☐ Equipment needed
 - Software
 - » DLP Composer Lite 11.2
 - » Firmware (*.img)
 - » 11.2 FlashDeviceParameters
 - Hardware
 - » Projector
 - » Power cord
 - » USB Cable mini USB to USB (A)
 - » PC or Laptop

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☐ The detailed procedure is in the System Maintenance - Firmware Update section of the service manual.



Updating the System Firmware - 2

□ Preparation

- Install DLP Composer Lite
- · Install a USB driver for the DLP device
- · Enter the Firmware Update Mode
 - » Hold the "Power" button and plug in the power cord.
 - » After the Power LED lights pink and Lamp/Temp LEDs light red, release the "Power" button.
- · Connect the Projector to the PC
 - » Use a mini USB cable

■ Update the firmware

- · Use DLP Composer Lite.
 - » The procedure takes several minutes.
- When "Download completed" appears on the screen:
 - » Unplug the mini USB cable and power cord.
 - » Plug in the power cord, then restart the projector and get into Service mode to check the system firmware version.

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Types of Projectors

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☐ This section briefly explains the various projector technologies on the market.



Types of Projectors

☐ There are 4 main types.

- CRT projectors: These use three cathode ray tubes (blue, green, and red).
- LCD projectors: These use three LCD filters to create red, green, and blue images.
- DLP projectors: DLP (Digital Light Processing) was developed by Texas Instruments. It uses micro-mirror devices and rotating color wheels
- LCOS projectors: LCOS (liquid crystal on silicon) uses liquid crystals as mirrors, instead of filters

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CRT Projectors

- ☐ These use three cathode ray tubes (blue, green, and red).
- ☐ They have better contrast than LCD and DLP projectors.
- ☐ They also have good resolution. But they are bulky, heavy, and difficult to adjust.

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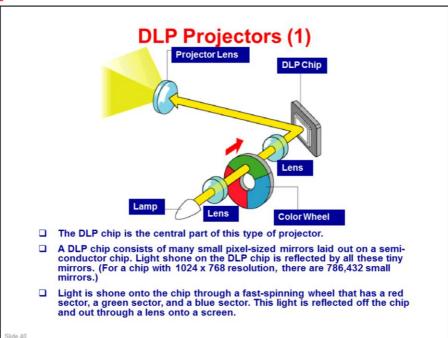


LCD Projectors

- ☐ LCD projectors appeared during the early 1990s, and are now the main type of projector.
- ☐ Three LCDs receive electrical signals from an imagegenerating device. One receives signals for the red part of the image, one the green, and one the blue. In this way, each LCD holds a pattern of pixels.
- ☐ Then, red light is shone through the LCD with the red part of the image, and green and blue light are used for the other two LCDs.
- ☐ After passing through the LCD filters, the three beams are combined and projected.
- □ LCD projectors give bright, high-resolution output, and they are easy to adjust. They are also cheap.

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- □ DLP (Digital Light Processing) was developed by Texas Instruments in 1987.
- ☐ The DLP chip is also known as a Digital Micromirror Device (DMD).
- □ DLP technology uses light reflection, which leads to a brighter image than a light-transmission type of device such as an LCD projector.



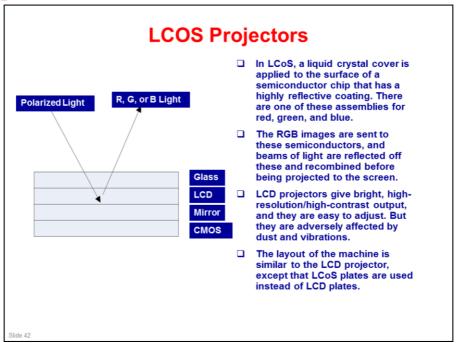
DLP Projectors (2)

- R, G, and B signals from the image generating device are sent to the DLP chip, and timed so that the red signal arrives at the same time that the red part of the wheel is in the beam path, and similarly for the green and blue signals.
- ☐ The DLP chip generates the R, G, and B images by re-positioning the micromirrors using micromachined hinges to make different pixelated images for each colour (meaning that each micromirror has an ON and an OFF position).
- ☐ The mirrors can switch over every 15 microseconds, so moving images can be projected.
- ☐ For SVGA resolution, the mirrors are 16-micrometer squares, with a gap of about 0.8 micrometers between each mirror. Below, we can see the size of the mirrors compared to a grain of table salt.



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- ☐ LCOS: Liquid Crystal on Silicon
- ☐ The diagram shows a simplified cross section of an LCoS panel.

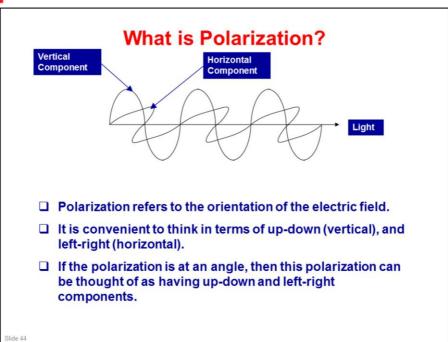


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Polarization

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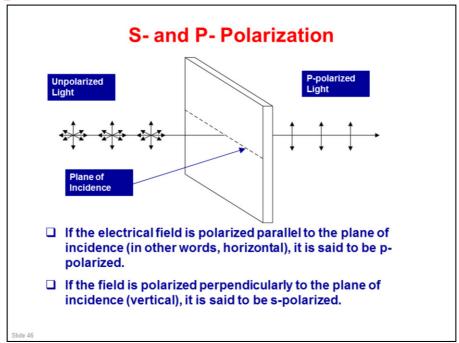


Polarizing Filter

- □ In a polarizing filter, the arrangement of the molecules allows (for example) the up-down component to pass through, but not the left-right component.
 - Think of a rope passing through a picket fence (with vertical slits).
 - If you vibrate the rope in a horizontal direction, the fence will block the vibrations.
 - If you vibrate the rope in a vertical direction, the vibrations in the rope will pass thought the gaps in the fence.

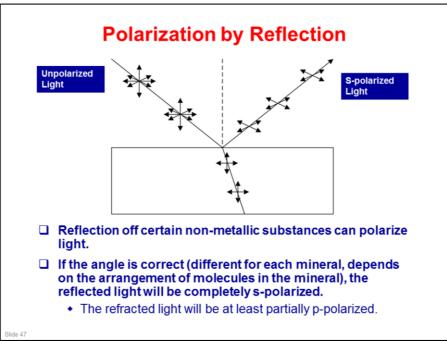
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☐ This diagram shows the case of a p-polarizing filter.







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Terms and Definitions

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☐ Some details in this section may not apply to this model.



□ Aspect Ratio

 This is the ratio of the horizontal to vertical dimensions of the screen. For a normal television, the aspect vratio is 4:3.
 For HDTV, it is 16:9. For SXGA, it is 5:4.

□ Resolution

- This is expressed as the number of dots across the image versus the number of dots down the image. the larger the number, the higher the resolution.
- Here are the resolutions of some common video graphic standards.
 - » VGA (Video Graphic Array): 40 x 480
 - » SVGA (Super VGA): 800 x 600
 - » XGA (Extended Graphic Array): 1024 x 768
 - » WXGA (Wide VGA): 1280 x 800
 - » SXGA (Super XGA): 1280 x 1024
 - » UXGA (Ultra XGA): 1600 x 1200

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□ Dichroic Mirror

- A dichroic mirror reflects light of a certain frequency range and allows all other light to pass through.
- LCD projectors contain two of these mirrors, to split the light up into three beams.

□ Polarized Light

- Light waves oscillate in the same way as sound waves.
- If the waves oscillate in one plane only, the light is said to be polarized.
- Light reflected by a polarizing screen is polarized, and is brighter than light reflected from a non-polarizing screen.

■ Residual Image

- When an image on a display changes, a residual image of the previous image can remain for some time.
- In serious cases, it can last for more than 1 minute.
- LCD panels normally do not have this problem.

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Air Filter

- Air is drawn into the projector to cool its internal components. The air filter prevents dust from being pulled into the projector with this air. If the filter becomes dirty, air cannot pass through properly, and it will become hot inside the projector.
- the projector.

 Every 100 hours, a message will appear, asking the user to clean the air filter.
- Do not operate the projector without the filter.
- The message will appear the first time the user switches the power on after the 100-hour limit has been reached. The message will stay on-screen for 30 seconds, or until the user operates the projector.
- □ Brightness and Focus of Outer Parts of the Projected Image
 - Generally, when an image is projected, there are differences between the center of the image and the outer parts. The center is typically brighter than the outer parts. The focus can be better or worse at the center than at the edges.

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■ Suspension from the Ceiling

- This machine can be suspended from the ceiling, if the required metal supports are fitted.
- These metal supports are not supplied with the projector.

□ Changing the Lamp

- The first time that the power is turned on after the lamp has been used for 3000 hours, a message is displayed for the user.
- The message disappears if you press the center part of the circular 'arrow' button.
- The hours of lamp use are calculated as follows:
 Lamp use time + Normal mode usage time Eco mode usage time.

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☐ Eco mode is the lower brightness mode that can be selected by the user. It is not an Energy Star function.



- Lux, Lumen, Candela
 - The brightness of a lamp is generally measured in lumens, and ambient brightness and light reflected from a screen is generally expressed in lux.
 - Lumen
 - This ANSI unit is used to measure the amount of light emitted from a light source. In the ANSI procedure for measuring the brightness of a source, the light is directed onto a screen. The area of the screen is divided by 9, and the brightness at the center of each of these is measured. The average of these is taken to be the brightness of the source in lumens.
 - Lux (lx)
 - This is a measure of the intensity of illumination. It can be expressed as lumens/square meter.
 - Outside on a sunny day, the intensity is 15,000 to 20,000 lux.
 Inside a room with electric light, it is 1,500 lux.
 In a room lit by candlelight, it is 2 lux.
 - Candela
 - This is often used for projectors with a built-in light source, such as a television. It is normally expressed as candelas per square meter. The candela is a measure of the strength of a light source, and cd/m2 expresses its brightness. $cd/m2 = (lumens \ x \ screen \ gain)/(screen \ area \ m2 \ x \ \pi)$

 - » Screen gain: Brightness increases with screen size.

- ☐ Example of conversion between lumen, lux, candela
 - > 1. From lumen (lm) to lux (lx)

For a 40-inch screen with a 4:3 aspect ratio, the area is about 0.5 m2.

For 1000 ANSI lumens, the amount in lux is: =1000/0.5, = 2000 lux

2. From lumen (lm) to candelas (cd/m2)

For a 40-inch projector with a screen gain of 2 (double that of an OHP projector screen), cd/m2 is:

 $(1000x2)/(0.5 \times 3.14) = 2000/1.57 = 1274 \text{ cd/m}2$



Uneven colour

 This term is used when the contrast and color of the image is not constant. There are many possible causes for this.

Gradation

 Between white and black, there are shades of grey. The number of levels between white and black are called gradations. The higher the number of gradations, the greater effect on the image, but if the contrast is not high, this effect is cancelled.

□ Color Separation

 A computer video signal is separated into a black-and-white signal and a colour signal. In a projector, it is separated into three colors (red, green, blue). The condition of the components that separate the light will have an effect on the quality of the image.

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□ Contrast

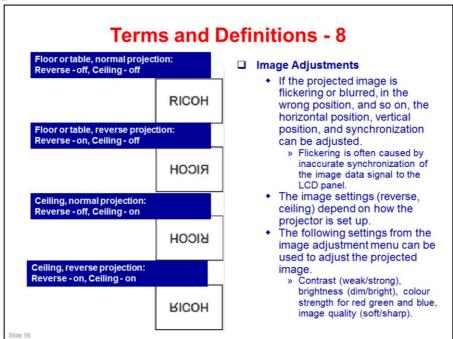
 In general, this is the ratio between the bright and dark parts of an image. A high contrast gives a clear image. A projector with an internal light source is unaffected by external light sources gives a high contrast image that is clear.

☐ Jitter, Flickering

- Jitter is noise in the image that is mainly caused by temporary fluctuations in the movement of rotating components, such as the motors that drive the heads in a VCR unit. The effects can be seen on vertical lines in the image.
- Flickering of the image also can occur.

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☐ Reverse, ceiling: These are in the customer settings menu.



□ Gamma correction

 This adjusts the signal level to get the correct VT response characteristics (V: input voltage, T: amount of transmitted light).

☐ Trapezoidal image correction (Keystone correction)

- Depending on the angle of projection, the projected image will be distorted into a trapezoidal shape, instead of a rectangular shape.
- The projector contains a sensor that detects the angle of projection in 15-degree increments, and the image is automatically corrected. This is known as Keystone Correction.

□ Projection Distance

This is the distance from the projection lens to the screen.
 For a larger screen, the distance becomes longer (the distance is directly proportional to the screen size).

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□ Screen Gain

- A measure of how brightly a screen displays an image.
- The higher the screen gain, the brighter the screen.

□ Relation between Screen Gain and Brightness

- Generally, the larger the screen, the darker it is. If you choose a screen with a higher gain, the brightness is preserved to some extent.
- Also, choose a screen to suit the room. In a long room, use a high luminance screen. In a wide room, a high viewing angle screen.

	White screen for OHP projection	High viewing angle screen	High luminance screen		
Viewing angle (horizontally)	1 (wide)	2	3		
Brightness	3 (dark)	2	1		
Price	1 (cheap)	2	3		
Screen gain	3 (low)	2	1		

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Screen Size Conversion Table

□ Screen size (inches) is measured diagonally across the screen from top left to bottom right.

	4:3		16:9			4:3		16:9	
Size (in)	L (mm)	W (mm)	L (mm)	W (mm)	Size (in)	L (mm)	W (mm)	L (mm)	W (mm)
30	457	610	374	664	170	2591	3454	2116	3757
40	610	813	498	885	180	2743	3648	2240	3978
50	762	1016	623	1107	190	2896	3861	2365	4199
60	914	1219	747	1328	200	3048	4064	2489	4420
70	1067	1422	871	1547	210	3200	4267	2614	4641
80	1219	1626	996	1768	220	3353	4470	2738	4862
90	1372	1829	1120	1989	230	3505	4674	2863	5083
100	1524	2032	1245	2210	240	3658	4877	2987	5304
110	1676	2235	1369	2431	250	3810	5080	3112	5525
120	1829	2438	1494	2652	260	3962	5283	3236	5745
130	1981	2642	1618	2873	270	4115	5486	3360	5966
140	2134	2845	1742	3094	280	4267	5690	3485	6187
150	2286	3048	1867	3315	290	4420	5893	3609	6408
160	2438	3251	1991	3536	300	4572	6096	3734	6629



■ Ad hoc mode and Infrastructure mode

- There are two ways to connect to a PC using W-LAN.
- Ad hoc mode is used to connect to a PC without using a W-LAN access point.
- Infrastructure mode is used to connect to a PC through a W-LAN access point. In this mode, connection to the internet is possible, so security is provided by means of MAC address filtering.

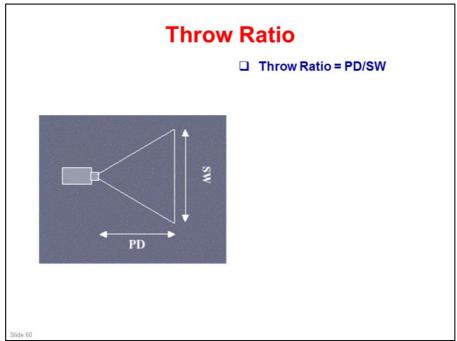
■ JPEG Joint Photographic Experts Group

· This is a compression technology to facilitate the storage and transmission of still colour images. The data is reduced in a manner that is not visible to the eye, but a compression of 1/100 is achieved

■ MPEG Motion Picture Experts Group

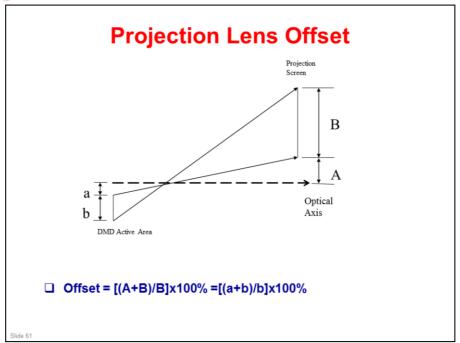
- This is a compression technology to facilitate the storage and transmission of moving colour images. There is more data than in a still image, so compression is important for efficient storage and transmission.
- Depending on the degree of compression, there are MPEG-1, MPEG-2, and MPEG-4 standards.
 MPEG-2 gives better results than MPEG-1, but a dedicated circuit
- is required for playing the image.





No additional notes







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