

## Sidewinder Portable is a “Personal Moving Light Console” small enough to be at your side when you need it.

The Sidewinder family of products provide the DMX processing power behind the award-winning Figment DMX software for Palm OS PDAs.

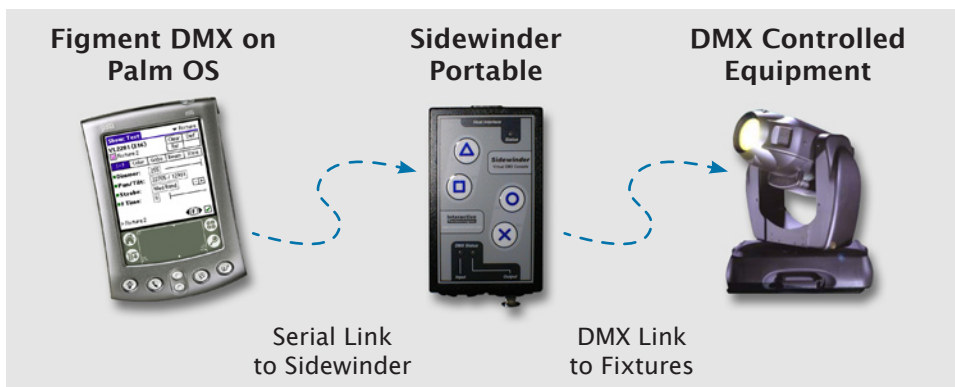
Sidewinder Portable is designed to be the most compact and capable DMX lighting console available for use in applications such as self-contained show playback, remote focus, console backup, DMX troubleshooting and more.

Sidewinder is the result of miniaturizing the electronics of a moving-light console and removing nearly all of the typical front-panel controls. Instead of wasting space with large keyboards and encoder wheels, the Sidewinder concept is to access all of these user-interface elements by attaching a low-cost Palm OS based PDA to act as Sidewinder’s screen and keyboard.

**Use Sidewinder Portable to “tech” moving lights, produce quick self-playing shows, diagnose DMX problems, view real-time console output, back up a show and more.**

Whether Sidewinder Portable is being used as a miniature console or a technician’s tool, it’s thoughtful combination of practical features and ease of use will surely become one of the most useful DMX playback devices in your arsenal of lighting control tools.

### Typical Connection Diagram:



### Features:

- Small enough to fit in your pocket
- Four user-definable macro buttons
- Controlled by the award-winning Figment DMX software
- Runs on “AA” batteries or an AC Adaptor
- Serial interface connects to nearly any Palm OS PDA from Palm, Sony, Handspring and others
- Optional “stand-alone” show playback memory (typically up to 350 cues)
- 5-pin XLR DMX Input and Output jacks
- Make wireless with optional Sidewinder Bluetooth Module

## Ordering Information:

### Portable Sidewinder

SD-250 Sidewinder DMX 2 Portable

### Portable Sidewinder Kits

SD-250-KBK Sidewinder DMX 2 Kit (Black)  
(Sidewinder, Soft Carrying Case and AC Adaptor packaged in Hard Storage Case)

SD-250-KFB Sidewinder DMX 2 Kit (Fluorescent Blue)  
(same as above in a Fluorescent Blue case)

SD-250-KFO Sidewinder DMX 2 Kit (Fluorescent Orange)  
(same as above in a Fluorescent Orange case)

SD-250-KFY Sidewinder DMX 2 Kit (Fluorescent Yellow)  
(same as above in a Fluorescent Yellow case)

### Accessories

SD-BTM Sidewinder Bluetooth Module

SD-SCC Sidewinder Soft Carrying Case

SD-HSC-BK Sidewinder Hard Storage Case (Black)

SD-HSC-FB Sidewinder Hard Storage Case (Fluorescent Blue)

SD-HSC-FO Sidewinder Hard Storage Case (Fluorescent Orange)

SD-HSC-FY Sidewinder Hard Storage Case (Fluorescent Yellow)

SD-ACU MicroTech AC Adaptor, North American  
(110VAC, 60Hz)

SD-ACE MicroTech AC Adaptor, European  
(220VAC, 50Hz)

### Portable Sidewinder Options

SD-SAM Sidewinder Portable Stand-Alone Memory Upgrade

SD-250-Exx Sidewinder DMX Kit with Euro (220VAC) Power Supply  
(change the 'K' for an 'E' in part number)

## Specifications:

### Interface Mode (with Figment software or by serial commands)

Please refer to Figment Specifications for capabilities when being controlled by Figment application.

#### DMX Output

- Playback Fader with Dipless Crossfading
- Submaster Array
- Grand Master Control
- Channel Profile Matrix
- Live Output Overlay Buffer
- Normal and Power-Saving Output Modes

#### DMX Input

- Automatic DMX Merge with DMX Output
- Fully Buffered DMX Input Polling
- Capture and Console Backup Modes

#### DMX Diagnostics

- Flicker Finder Processor
- DMX Statistics Accumulator
  - Channel Count (Packet Length)
  - Update Rate (Hz)
  - Break Time (0.25µs resolution)
  - MAB Time (0.25µs resolution)
  - Start Code Listing
- DMX Test Packet Generator
- Double-Ended Cable Test

#### Front Panel

- Macro Button Triggering
- Status LED Control

#### System Management

- Device Status
- Session Management
- Non-Volatile Memory Management

### Stand-Alone Playback Mode (available with Stand-Alone Upgrade only)

- 350+ Cue capacity (512 channels each)
- More cues (up to 1000) when fewer than 512 channels recorded
- Each cue recorded includes timing and links
- Up to 99 macros
  - Assignable to four physical macro buttons
  - Assignable to "Power-Up" event
  - Up to 64 steps each
- External triggering from RS-232 port
- Automatic show start

### Front Panel

- 4 Physical User-Definable Macro Buttons
- 3 Tri-State Status LEDs
  - Host Status
  - DMX Input
  - DMX Output
- Main Power On/Off

### Rear / End Panel

- Male DB-9 RS-232 Serial Port
- 2.1mm DC Input Jack
- 9VDC
- 5-pin Male DMX Input Port
- 5-pin Female DMX Output Port

### Non-Volatile Memory System

- 2.25 Mbit Flash Memory Array
- 15 Year Data Retention Without Power
- 100,000 Erase/Reprogram Cycles Minimum
- User-Upgradeable Flash ROM Firmware (Using Update Application)

### Electrical Characteristics

#### Power Supply

- 2 "AA" Size Batteries
- 15 Hour Continuous Operation Time with Alkaline Batteries
- Longer Operation Time with NiMH or Lithium Ion Type Batteries
- 2.1 mm Barrel Type DC Input Jack, Tip Positive
- DC Input accepts 6VDC - 9VDC @ 200 mA

#### Serial Port

- Male DB-9 with fixed coupling threads
- Requires Null modem cable for connection to host computer
- Uses standard Palm serial HotSync Cradle or HotSync Cable to connect to Palm OS based PDA
- Meets or Exceeds EIA-232-F
- +/- 30V Input Levels
- ESD Protection Exceeds 2000 V Per MIL-STD-883, Method 3015

#### DMX Input/Output Ports

- Neutrik D Series 5-pin XLR Jacks
- Full DMX-512/1990 Compliance
- Electrically Compliant With RS-485
- Slew-Rate Limited for Errorless Transmission
- 7V to +12V Common-Mode Input Voltage Range
- Current Limited and Thermal Shutdown for Overload Protection

### Physical Characteristics

- Length: 3.97" (101 mm) without cables connected
- Width: 2.38" (60 mm)
- Height: 1.50" (38 mm)
- Weight: 7.3 oz. (209 g) including 2 "AA" batteries

### Environmental

- Operating Temperature
  - 22°F to 158°F
  - 30°C to 70°C
- 0 to 95% humidity, non-condensing

**Note:** In order to maintain the highest possible product quality, Interactive Technologies reserves the right to change specifications without notice. Some of the available functions may be altered over the life of the product and functions not described here may be added.