



# **SIERA** User Manual

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Heliospectra Horticulture Fixtures

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## Precautions

Our product is an advanced and safe LED fixture. However, for proper operation and for your safety, please read and follow the below precautions:

When unpacking the luminaire make sure to have a sturdy surface to work on. Damage to the unit can occur if dropped.

Do not immerse the fixture in water or clean the fixture with a high pressure water jet or strong detergents.

Never operate the fixture with the lens directly on a flat surface (e.g. table) as this may damage the lens. A minimum distance of 0.2m/8in should be kept to other objects.

The product is for indoor use only.

Always allow a free flow of air around the fixture.

This fixture may only be serviced by a trained technician. In the case of a suspected malfunction contact your distributor or Heliospectra directly.

The light source contained in this luminaire shall only be replaced by the manufacturer or his service agent or a similar qualified person.

The luminaire should be positioned so that prolonged staring into the luminaire at a distance closer than 1 meter/ 40 inches is avoided.

Do not stare into the light source. LED grow lights may contain potentially harmful light radiation. Please use UV blocking eye-wear when working in and around the illuminated area.

Only connect the fixture to properly grounded mains that complies with the voltage rating on the fixture (see power label).

Only operate the fixture with an undamaged power cord, power plug and electrical outlet.

Never unplug the fixture by pulling on the power cord.

For proper performance of the unit the ambient air temperature shall be no higher than 40° C.

#### Le produit est un appareil moderne et sûr. Mais pour une bonne utilisation et pour votre sécurité, veuillez lire les informations ci-dessous:

Quand vous déballez le luminaire assurez-vous d'avoir une surface solide sur laquelle travailler. L'appareil peut être endommagé si on le fait tomber.

N'immergez pas l'appareil dans l'eau et n'essayez pas de le nettoyer avec un jet d'eau à haute pression.

Ne pas mettre en marche l'appareil avec la lentille posée à plat sur quelconque surface (par exemple : une table), cela pourrait l'endommager.

Le produit ne s'utilise qu'en intérieur.

Assurez-vous qu'il y ait un minimum d'air autour de l'appareil.

Cet appareil ne peut être entretenu que par un technicien expérimenté. Si vous avez un soupçon sur le mauvais fonctionnement de celui-ci, contactez votre distributeur ou Heliospectra directement.

La source de lumière contenue dans ce luminaire ne doit-être remplacée que par le fabricant ou ses agents de services ou une personne similaire qualifiée pour le faire.

Le luminaire doit être positionné de telle sorte que le fixer longuement à une distance d'1 mètre/ 40 pouces soit évité.

Ne pas fixer la source de lumière. Les éclairages LED pourraient potentiellement contenir des radiations lumineuses nocives. Portez des lunettes anti-rayons UV quand vous travaillez sous ou à proximité de l'endroit éclairé

Ne connectez l'appareil que sur une prise reliée à la terre et dont le voltage correspond à celui de l'appareil.

L'appareil doit être mis en marche avec rien d'autre qu'une prise, un cordon électrique ou une prise secteur non endommagés.

Ne jamais déconnecter l'appareil en tirant sur le cordon électrique.

Pour une utilisation optimale de l'appareil, la température ambiante ne doit pas dépasser 40°C.



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# Product Overview SIERA Light Bar





### LEGEND

- 1. Heat sink
- 2. Clear plastic cover
- 3. Silicone potting material
- 4. T-Slot for mounting
- 5. Connection ports and separate cables for serial connection

#### NOTE!

When unpacking and installing your SIERA light bars make sure to have a sturdy surface to work on. Damage can occur to the light bar if dropped.



## **1.2. SIERA Power Supply Unit**



### LEGEND

- 1. Heat Sink
- 2. Vent
- 3. Fuse
- 4. Status Indicator LED
- 5. Mounting slot
- 6. Power cable with in-line connector
- 7. 0-10V dimming cable with in-line connector (not pictured)
- 8. SIERA light bar connection ports with protective caps

#### NOTE!

When unpacking and installing the SIERA power supply make sure to have a sturdy surface to work on. Damage can occur to the unit if dropped.



# **2. Installation2.1 Mounting**

The support structure needs to be sturdy enough to support the weight of the light bars and any additional equipment. **The power cord cannot be used to support the weight of the unit.** Air must be able to flow freely around the SIERA light bar and power supply unit, they are cooled using passive, convection cooling.

The SIERA heat sink is designed to support your chosen bracket or standard DIN M6 screw/bolt (or local equivalent), by way of the T-slot, to attach to your shelving unit

Once mounted verify that it is secure and hanging at the recommended mounting height.





# 2.2 Connecting light bars to the power supply unit

Your SIERA light bars need to be connected to the SIERA power supply unit with the power cables provided in the SIERA power supply unit box. The illustrations below illustrate how to remove the protective caps that come on the ports and then attach the cables. If some of the ports are not in use, please replace the cap on it to prevent moisture entering the power supply unit.



The SIERA power supply unit has four ports. The SIERA light bar should be connected in series. No more than five SIERA light bars can be connected to each connection port and no more than twelve, in total, can be connected to the SIERA power supply unit.

The status LED indicator on the front of the SIERA power supply unit will change from green to red if there is an issue e.g. if you attach too many bars to the power supply, or to any of the connection ports. To resolve this, disconnect the SIERA power supply unit from the main power source and remove the extra light bars, before turning it back on.

#### NOTE!

Do not attach the light bars when the power supply unit is turned on, if you do this the SIERA power supply unit may shut down to protect itself. If this happens disconnect from the mains power and then re-connect to reboot the power supply unit.



## **2.3 Electrical installation**

### Heliospectra AB requires that the electrical installation is conducted by a locally licensed electrician or electrical engineer and completed according to local electrical standards.

The SIERA power supply unit runs on the main power voltage between 100 and 240 VAC, depending on your country's specific standard.

The SIERA power supply unit is delivered with a power cable (three wires; one blue neutral, one brown live and one yellow and green ground) with an in-line connector on the end. Your electrician can use this connector to attach the power supply unit to a mains power cable in the most suitable and safest way.

The second cable coming from the SIERA power supply unit includes two wires (brown + and blue - ), this is a 0-10V dimming control signal input. The cable comes with an in-line connector on the end for simple connection to your chosen dimming solution. What dimming solutions supported and how to connect them are described on the next page.



#### **NOTE!** Only use the SIERA power supply unit to power the SIERA light bars. Any unauthorized connections to other systems could damage or significantly reduce the lifespan of the products.

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## 2.3.1 Dimming Operations

#### ※ 3 in 1 dimming function (for Blank-Type)

- Output constant current level can be adjusted by applying one of the three methodologies between DIM+ and DIM-: 0 ~ 10VDC, or 10V PWM signal or resistance.
- $\boldsymbol{\cdot}$  Direct connecting to LEDs is suggested. It is not suitable to be used with additional drivers.
- Dimming source current from power supply: 100µA (typ.)
- ◎ Applying additive 0 ~ 10VDC



#### O Applying additive 10V PWM signal (frequency range 100Hz ~ 3KHz):



"DO NOT connect "DIM- to -V"

#### O Applying additive resistance:









## 2.4 Surge protection

Heliospectra AB requires that the fixtures are installed with adequate surge protection according to the local recommended practice. In North America IEEE 1100-2005 contains the recommended practice for powering and grounding electronic equipment. In Europe the applicable standard is IEC 62305 – Protection Against Lightning. If you are outside of North America or Europe please use your local standard.

All installations should utilize surge protection devices (SPDs), to provide maximum protection regardless of the source of the surge. The three zones include:

• The first zone is at the service entrance where the most robust SPD is placed to divert surges coming from external sources such as lightning. SPDs installed here are listed as Type-1, SPD devices.

• The second zone of protection is within the facility at locations identified as susceptible to surges. SPDs at these locations are listed as Type-2, SPD devices and are installed on equipment such as switchboards, panel-boards, motor-control centers.

• The third zone of protection is at the outlet or point of use. SPDs installed here are listed as Type-3, SPD devices.

It is strongly recommended that a professional engineer, experienced with surge suppression technology, be retained to design the protection system for your facility to ensure all SPDs are properly sized and coordinated.





# 3. Operation

The SIERA light bars are static spectrum fixtures. You can use a dimmer, attached to the signal cable on the power supply unit, to control the intensity of light emitted.

The fixture can be connected to a timer, to set the photo-period which the fixtures are to be active within.

# 4. Maintenance4.1 Cleaning

To ensure optimal performance and lifespan of the lamp it is important to clean regularly. If you see a build up of dirt or residue anywhere on the SIERA lamp, this needs to be cleaned.

To clean the SIERA most effectively please follow these simple steps.

- 1. Make sure the fixture is turned off and not connected to the mains power.
- 2. Light dust and dirt can be cleaned with low-pressure compressed air.
- 3. More heavily polluted fixtures could be cleaned with a soft cloth using water and soap.
- 4. Wipe everything dry, or let the fixture dry fully by itself before reconnected to the mains power.

DO NOT (!) disassemble the SIERA light bar or SIERA power supply unit in order to clean it, disassembling them will invalidate your warranty.



# 5. Specifications

	LB460PR Propagation	LB420IN Indoor Production	LB420IR IZAR				
Electrical							
Typical Power Consumption	0-46 W	0-42 W	0-43 W				
Max Current	0.95 A	0.87 A	0.90 A				
	Physical						
Heat Value	Up to 157 BTUs/hr	Up to 143 BTUs/hr	Up to 147 BTUs/hr				
Lifetime	(rated life to 90% of initial photon flux) (rated life to 90%		46 000 hrs (rated life to 90% of ini- tial photon flux)				
Weight	1 kg (2.2 lbs)						
Size	1165 x 50 x 25 mm (46in x 2in x 1in)						
Temperature	Operating: -10 to 40°C (14 to 104 F)   Storage: -20 to 70°C (-4 to 158 F)						
Humidity	Operating: 90% (max) relative humidity, non condensing Storage: 95% (max) relative humidity, non condensing						
IP Rating	IP67						
Beam Angle (half)	38 degrees						
Controllable	Yes, 0-10v diming available through the power supply						
Cooling	Passive - Convection cooled						
Housing Material	Durable ABS plastic and Anodized Aluminum Diffuser : Highly transmissive acrylic glass						
Luminaire	Class I Equipment						
Hanging Attachments	None - Built in T-slot						
Compliance	CE and ROHS, cETLus						



LBPSU12				
Power Supply Unit				
Electrical				
Max Power Consumption	600 W			
Operating Voltage Range	100-240 VAC			
Frequency	50/60Hz			
Current	5 A @ 120 VAC   2.5 A @ 240 VAC			
Physical				
IP rating	IP66			
Dimming	Yes - fixed 0-10V dimming cable			
Weight	8kg (17.64 lbs)			
Size	400 x 256 x 100 (15.7 x 10.1 x 3.9 in)			
Heat Value (BTU/h)	Up to 2047 BTUs/hr			
Cooling	Passive - Convection cooled			
Cable Length	2 m (6 ft 5 in) Fixed Cable			
Cord Attachment	Type Y Attachment			
Plug options	Open ended			
Housing Material	Anodized Aluminum			
Compliance	CE and ROHS, cETLus			



# 6.Warranty Information

## 6.1 Warranty

Heliospectra top lights carry a warranty that the hardware components of Heliospectra Products will be free from defects in material and workmanship for a period of five (5) years for the MITRA series and three (3) years for other products, from the date of delivery. The warranty extends only to the original Buyer of the Product and may not be transferred or assigned by the original Buyer.

The warranty only applies to sales directly through Heliospectra or any authorized reseller. If the Product was purchased through an authorized reseller, the same terms shall apply, but any claim shall be made via the reseller who sold the Products to the original Buyer.

If the Product fails to comply with the terms of this warranty, Heliospectra, at its option, will repair and return the original unit or provide a reconditioned unit as a replacement. The warranty excludes labor and equipment required to remove and/or reinstall original or replacement parts. Warranty claims must be reported and returned to Heliospectra within the warranty period and no later than thirty (30) days after discovery of the suspected defect. All warranty claims must be submitted in writing and have gone through the official Heliospectra Return Material Authorization (RMA) process. If Heliospectra chooses to replace the Product and is not able to do so because it has been discontinued or is not available, Heliospectra may refund the Buyer or replace the Product with a comparable Product.

Any non-Heliospectra equipment or products that have been acquired through a Heliospectra purchase are not covered under this warranty, but instead will carry the manufacturer's standard warranty.

Heliospectra shall pay for shipping costs for valid warranty claims. The Buyer is responsible for the shipping costs associated with returning the Product to Heliospectra if the warranty is voided or otherwise rejected.

If applicable, software warranty and any instructions thereto will be provided to the Buyer separately. If applicable, Heliospectra warrants that embedded software in the Product shall perform substantially in accordance with the specifications contained in the applicable Product manual under normal authorized use and in accordance with instructions provided by Heliospectra. In no event does Heliospectra warrant that the software is error free or that the Buyer will be able to operate the software without problems or interruptions.



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## 6.2 Terms and Conditions

## 6.2.1 Electrical Installation Quality Requirements and Conditions

Heliospectra requires that the installation of the Product is conducted by a licensed electrician with adequate surge protection according to the requirements below. If the surge protection requirement is not implemented, a proof of electrical quality reading must be performed by a third party and presented as proof of adequate electrical quality.

## 6.2.2 Surge Protection Requirements

#### NORTH AMERICA

Heliospectra requires that Products are installed with adequate surge protection according to the IEEE 1100-2005 recommended practice for Powering and Grounding Electronic Equipment. Considering that surges can originate from both internal and external sources, surge protection devices ("SPDs") are to be installed to provide maximum protection regardless of the source location. The three zones include:

- The first zone is at the service entrance where the most robust SPD is placed to divert surges coming from external sources such as lightning. SPDs installed here are listed as Type-1, SPD devices.
- The second zone of protection is within the facility at locations identified as susceptible to surg es. SPDs at these locations are listed as Type-2, SPD devices and are installed on equipment such as switchboards, panelboards, motor-control centers.
- The third zone of protection is at the outlet or point of use. SPDs installed here are listed as Type-3, SPD devices.



#### EUROPE

Heliospectra requires that all fixtures should be protected by adequate surge protection, in accordance with the following standard: IEC 62305 – Protection Against Lightning. This standard stipulates the following:

- PDs (Surge Protection Devices) should be installed when crossing from one lightning protection zone to another
- Lighting is not the only threat; switching of loads, which are more frequent than lightning strikes, also create high voltage transients that can damage electrical or electronic equipment over time.
- Risk assessments are required to be carried out to assess the requirements of any building for SPDs.
- Ensure that the 3 Lightning Protection Zones (LPZ) zones and types 1, 2, 3 of Surge Protection Devices are used correctly.

For other installation locations, please advise local electrical standards that are equivalent.

### 6.2.3 Warranty Limitations

This warranty does not apply under any of the following circumstances:

- a. The Product has been opened or altered by anyone other than Heliospectra or an authorized representative
- b. The Product has not been installed (including proper electrical and WiFi equipment and installation), operated or maintained in accordance with instructions supplied by Heliospectra
- c. The Product has developed defects due to damage in transport, storage or any other circumstances that are beyond the immediate control of Heliospectra
- d. The Product has been installed in applications outside the operating intervals in the product specification
- e. The Product has been damaged, defaced, exposed to corrosive environment, subjected to misuse or vandalism, abnormal service or handling or by any other circumstances attributable to the Buyer, its buyers, end-users or any third party
- f. The Product is licensed for beta, evaluation, testing or demonstration purposes
- g. The Product has been repaired or attempted to be repaired by anyone other than Heliospectra or a Heliospectra authorized representative
- h. The Product has been subjected to natural disasters that have caused defects such as lightning strikes, floods, hurricanes, earthquakes, etc.
- i. The Product has been subjected to electric line power surges, unstable electrical supply conditions, ripple current or other electrical infrastructure malfunctions
- j. The Product has not been installed by a licensed electrician with adequate surge protection.
- k. For MITRA LED components: 85% or more of the light emitting diodes illuminate.

Heliospectra reserves the right to make the final decision on the validity of any warranty claim.

## 6.2.4 Warranty Claim Process

Before returning any Product, a Return Material Authorization ("RMA") reference number must be obtained from Heliospectra. A reference number is obtained by completing an RMA form and provided by Heliospectra once the validity of the claim is preliminarily assessed by Heliospectra.

The claim process depends on A) Warranty is valid or B) Warranty is voided

- A. If a claim is made within the warranty period and none of the warranty limitations described above have been breached, then
  - a. Heliospectra will arrange for retrieval of the fixture(s) from the customer location
  - b. A failure analysis will be conducted at the Heliospectra Repair Center. If the agent at the repair center finds that the cause of the issue is attributed to one or more of the warranty limitations/exclusions described above, the warranty will be deemed as void and the pro cess will be handled as described in column B after informing the customer
  - c. The fixture(s) will be repaired according to the failure analysis
  - d. The fixture(s) will be returned to the customer along with the failure analysis report and a description of the repairs made to the unit(s)
  - e. No cost will be attributed the customer
- **B.** If the warranty period has lapsed or the warranty has been voided due to one of more of the warranty limitations/exclusions described above, then
  - a. A cost estimate of the shipping and repairs will be first sent for approval to the customer
  - b. Upon approval, Heliospectra will retrieve the fixture(s) from the customer location
  - c. A failure analysis will be conducted at the Heliospectra Repair Center
  - d. An updated final cost of repairs along with the failure analysis will be sent to the customer for approval to move forward
  - e. The fixture(s) will then be repaired according to the failure analysis
  - f. A final invoice will be sent to the customer for the repair service and shipping
  - g. Upon receipt of payment from customer, the fixture(s) will be returned to the customer along with the failure analysis report and a description of the repairs made to the unit(s)

The official Heliospectra Return Material Authorization (RMA) process is initiated by submitting an online support request per instructions found at https://support.heliospectra.com/portal/ home.

The following is required by Heliospectra to complete an RMA assessment:

- 1. Date of purchase
- 2. Product designation and number
- 3. Product serial number
- 4. Description of defect and occurrence
- 5. Adequate records of operating history, maintenance, and/or testing to substantiate that the Product has failed to comply with its intended performance
- 6. Original or equivalent packaging to ship the unit(s) to the Heliospectra Repair Center



## 6.3 Implied or Other Warranties

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Got questions? Or need info related to how to set your new SIERA? Visit our Support Portal for User Manauals, articels and videos. <u>https://support.heliospectra.com/portal/en/home</u>

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