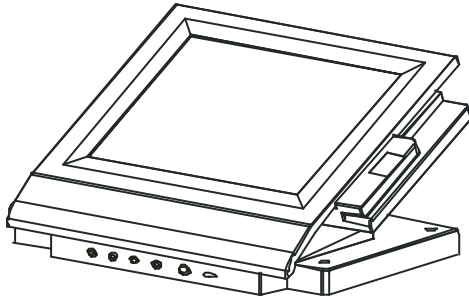


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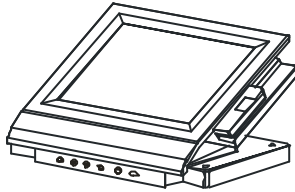


12.1" TFT LCD Monitor



POS 112 User's Manual

This Manual was written for installation purposes. There are basic guidelines for front desk users operating this machine. The POS 112 User's Manual is also available in the manufacturer website. The user can access this online in the internet.



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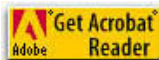
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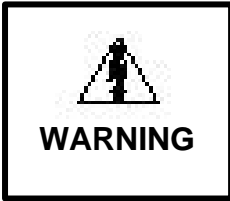
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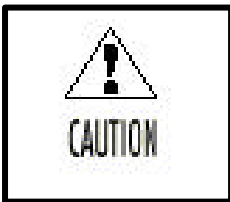
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Chapter 1

Introduction

1.1 Introduction

The POS 112 touchscreen monitor offers the fabulous image quality in a 12.1" monitor screen with the most advanced touchscreen from the world's leading provider of touch technology. The POS 112 touchscreen monitor system comes with a card reader (MCR) for retail application (MCR is an abbreviation of Magnetic Card Reader). The POS 112 touchscreen monitor is well-suited for applications utilizing touchscreen interface in industries covering retail Point-of-Sale, hospitality, interactive kiosks, information, medical, and other industrial environment. Point-of-Sale is widely used in environments covering hospitals, schools, tourist destination and any retail locations.

The POS 112 monitor has a dymo viewing angle from 20° to 60°, that is best suited for front desk operators. Setup is fairly easy and automatic for the image size and position. The POS 112™ had no pixel defects, but there were noticeable dark areas along the bottom edge and upper-right corner – does not affect the viewing angle in most LCD Display Panel. The automatic settings required some small adjustments to eliminate jitter. Color performance is smoother in the dark shades, making this panel better at displaying images with shadows. Text and video image quality are good. It has an appealing offer for retail locations that allows point-to-point services.

Our standard POS 112 touchscreen monitor utilizes the resistive touch technology that allows gloved hand interface, as well as operation in an environment where dust and moisture are present. Therefore, this technology is ideally suited for restaurant and Point-Of-Sale applications.

The POS 112 touchscreen monitor has its purpose of combining technology with meeting demands of online user's in different corner of retail business transaction. Today, the touchscreen has been transformed the early complication in PC into a more user-friendly environment by replacing the robust computer keyboard and mouse. With the touchscreen technology, people with little or no computer experience can instantly work with complex software programs, without even being aware they're doing it. And computers can go to work in places where a keyboard or mouse would be too cumbersome, fragile, or impractical.

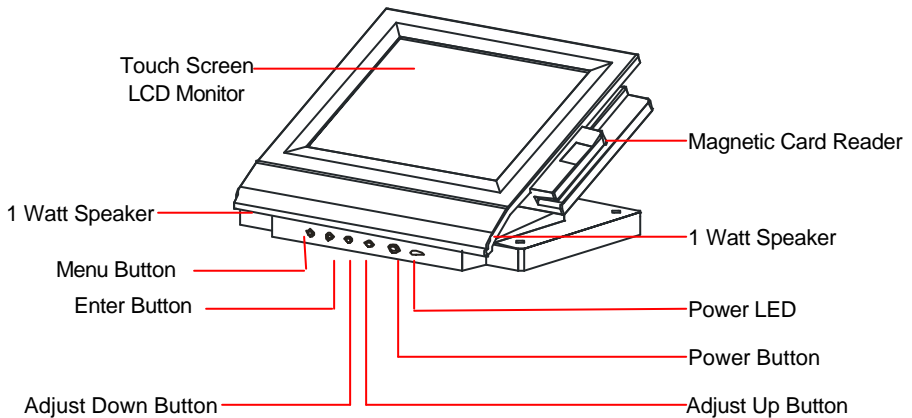
The POS 112 touchscreen monitor is actually the world's most economical PC Retail System that is equipped with (1) Touchscreen and (2) Magnetic Card Reader. MCR is sometimes known as MSR that stands for Magnetic Stripe Reader, and can be referred to as a smart card reader that is best suited for Country club membership. Easily and ready for on-site maintenance with an external connection of keyboard and a second VGA monitor, without moving the system out of its location.

Note: For more info about Elo Touchscreen, please refer to Elo website, <http://www.elotouch.com/>.

The MCR (Magnetic Card Reader) unit is tested and supplied to the customer at your request. This MCR is removed during transportation and can be connected by the user following the direction as indicated in Chapter 2 Setup, section 2.4. Installing a MCR Module (option).

1.2 Hardware Outlook – Front View

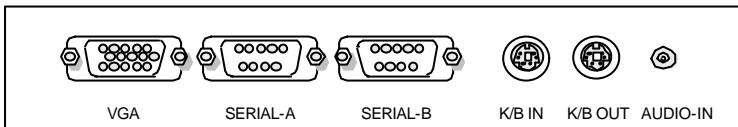
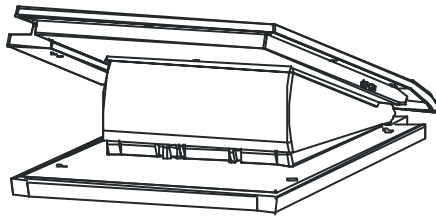
The illustration shown below defines the part names of this product.



Front View

1.3 Hardware Outlook – Rear View

Looking at the Base unit of the POS 112 LCD Monitor, you can find the following connectors available for connection to your PC system.



Rear View

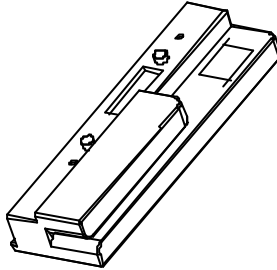
Connectors Assignment

Name of Connector	For connection to
1. VGA	External VGA Monitor
2. SERIAL-A	Touchscreen
3. SERIAL-B	Magnetic Card Reader (RS-232C type interface)
4. K/B IN	Magnetic Card Reader (PS/2 type interface)
5. K/B OUT	External Keyboard
5. AUDIO-IN	For Speaker(s) use only

Note: When connecting to a PC system, attach the VGA cable to VGA connector, then connect SERIAL-A to either one of COM1~COM4 of the PC system. To connect to COM5/6, please check the system BIOS before connection.

1.4 Hardware Outlook – Option Module View

In some cases, user can purchase our barebone hardware system with the exclusion MCR module. In case of future requirement, the MCR can be sold as an option. And you are advised not to do the installation alone with proper technical training. Contact your dealer for authorized technician support.



MCR Module (option)

1.5 Handling Guidelines

Warning and Precaution

The notes on the precautions in this manual are identified by the level of their importance. Definitions are listed below.

WARNING

This note provides the information that must be observed to prevent harm to the user (though such harm is not life-threatening).

CAUTION

This note provides information that must be observed to prevent damage to the equipment or loss of data.

NOTE

This note provides an important information and useful tips on handling the equipment.

Chapter 2

Getting Started

2.1 Setup

This chapter explains on how to set up your hardware. For adjustment of display, please see the next chapter for On-Screen Display (OSD).

2.2 Precautions for Setup

This section describes the important steps when setting up the POS 112. In addition to the above, observation on the warning instructions and precautions are necessary at each work stage. These instructions are given with an explanation.

△ CAUTION

1. Be sure to turn off the power of all equipment including the POS 112 and it's peripherals before setup. Otherwise, the peripherals units may be damaged during setup.
2. Before setup, be sure to discharge the static electricity on your body. Defects may result on the product if you do not allow static electricity to discharge. Find and touch your body (hand) to a grounded metal surface to allow static electricity to discharge.
3. Do not touch the connectors with your fingers, to prevent the dirt residue from causing malfunction.

⚠ WARNING

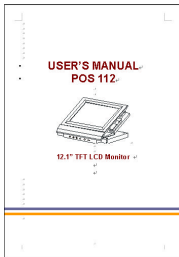
1. Do not attempt to repair this product by yourself.
 - Improper repair can be dangerous.
2. Do not disassemble or modify this product.
 - Tampering with this product may result in injury, fire, or electric shock.
3. Do not insert or disconnect the power cord plug with wet hands.
 - Doing this may result in severe shock.
4. Do not allow foreign objects to fall into this product.
 - Penetration of foreign objects may lead to fire or shock.
5. Do not place multiple loads on the power outlet (wall outlet).
 - Overloading the outlet may lead to fire.
6. Do not spill water or other liquid subject into this product. If it happens, turn off the power switch of the System Unit and unplug the power cable immediately.
 - Continuing usage may lead to fire or shock.
7. Always supply power directly from a standard domestic power outlet.
8. Handle the power cable with care without scratching the outer protective rubber insulation. Do not place the cable under a heavy object.

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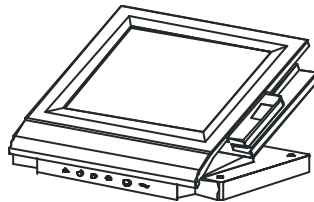
2.3 Unpacking POS 112

1. Open the transport carton box and take out your POS 112 monitor unit. Check if the unit is properly secure in the plastic bag and clutch with two PE foam subjects .
2. Check the contents of the carton box:
 - POS 112 – 12.1" TFT LCD Monitor unit
 - Power Cord x1
 - VGA Cable x1
 - RS232 Serial Cable x1
 - User' s Manual
 - CD Driver Bank
 - Audio cable
3. The carton box should contain the following:

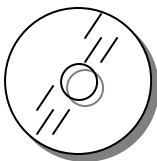
← Installation Guide



↑ POS 112 Hardware system



→ CD Driver Bank



↓Cables



VGA Cable



Power Cord

Power Cord



RS232 Serial cable x 1



Audio in Cable

- Check the glass surface of the LCD panel display on the POS 112 is sealed with a protective film.

Note : Remember to save your original box and packing material to transport or ship the monitor.

Standard Accessory Bag

Name of Accessory	Q'ty	Length	From	To
1. Installation Guide	1			
2. CD Driver Bank	1			
3. Power cord	1	180 cm	3-pin Outlet Connector cable	3-pin Inlet Connector
4. VGA cable	1	90 cm	15-pin D-sub connector cable	15-pin D-sub connector
5. RS232C Serial cable	1	90 cm	9-pin D-sub connector Flat cable	9-pin D-sub connector.
6. Audio cable	1	90 cm	3C male plug cable	3C male plug connector

Option 1: Keyboard-in MCR Accessory Kit

Name of Accessory	Q'ty	Length	From	To
1. Magnetic Card Reader	1	--	3-Tracks/PS/2 type	
2. PS/2 cable	1	90 cm	6-pin Mini-Din connector cable	6-pin Mini-Din connector.

Note : The MCR kit can be order separately and installed at the Dealer site.

Option 2: Serial-in MCR Accessory Kit

Name of Accessory	Q'ty	Length	From	To
1. Magnetic Card Reader	1	--	3-Tracks/D-Sub type	
2. RS232C Serial cable	1	90 cm	9-pin D-sub connector Flat cable	9-pin D-sub connector.

Note : The MCR kit can be order separately and installed at the Dealer site.

- Now you are ready to install your LCD monitor to the PC system.

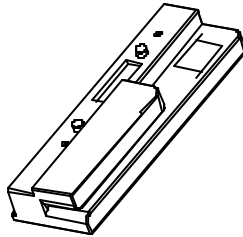
2.4 Installing the MCR Module (option)

2.4.1 Installing the MCR Module

The LCD module and touchscreen are equipped with an interface for a connection to a Magnetic Card Reader (MCR). Unless specified, the factory installed MCR interface of RS-232C. The other type of interface is through PS/2 mini-DIN (Keyboard connector).

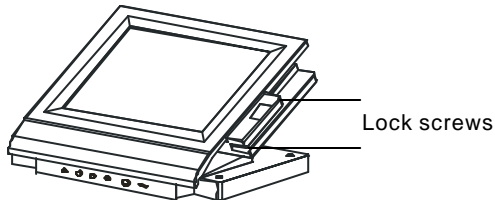
Mount the MCR module by following the procedure described below.

1. Open the MCR module on the package and check it.




MCR Module (option)

2. Connect the MCR module to the right side of LCD module and lock it using two screws.



2.4.2 Removing an MCR module:

To remove the MCR module, reverse the installation steps.

 **NOTE:** When you remove the screws and then want to fix them again, first turn off the power.

2.5 Quick Start

To attach your POS112 LCD monitor to your PC system, follow these instructions:

1. Turn off the power of your computer.
2. Choose the appropriate type of VGA cable for the desired PC system
For the PC :Connect the 15-pin high density D-SUB connector of the appropriate signal cable to the connector of the display card in your system (Figure 2.5A). Tighten all screws.
3. Attach and connect the 15-pin mini D-SUB of the VGA cable and the AC Adapter cable.

NOTE: Incorrect cable connections may result in irregular operation, damage the LCD module and shorten the module' s life.

4. Connect one end of the power cord to the AC Adapter and the other end to the power outlet (Figure 2.5B).

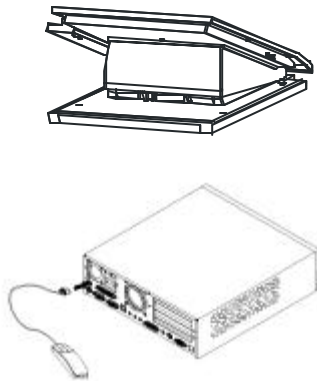


Figure 2.5A

5. Turn on the power of the monitor (Figure 2.5B). and the computer.

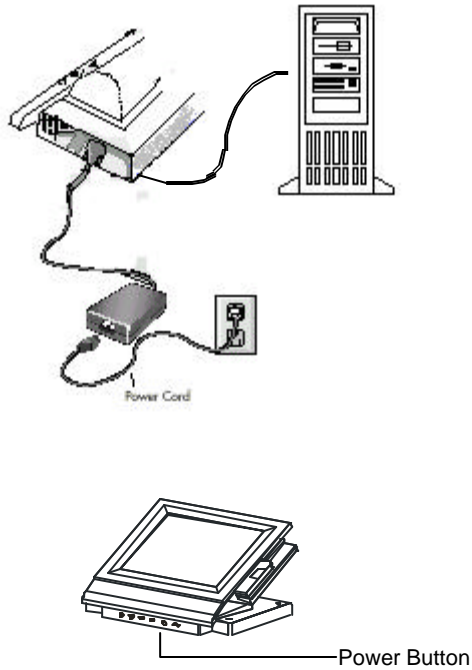


Figure 2.5B

6. Refer to your CD Driver bank for Touch installation; look for the EloTouch Driver and install this at the System under Control Panel Icon (in Add new hardware). You may also refer to the Elo website --<http://www.elotouch.com/>.

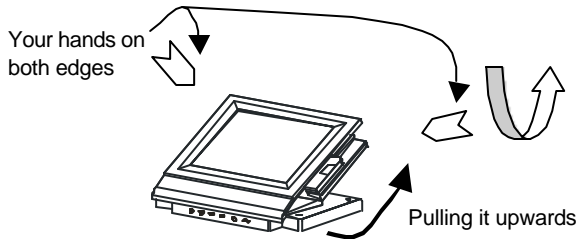
NOTE: If you have any problems, please refer to the Troubleshooting section of this User' s Manual.

△ CAUTION

1. Be sure to check that your power adapter meets the relevant safety standards and includes a PE terminal (power-system ground terminal).
2. Be sure to check that this equipment is set on a firm flat horizontal surface. Otherwise, the product may break or cause injury when it falls.
3. Be sure to check that all the front and back covers is secure properly after installing the peripheral options.
4. Do not attempt to use the product in locations that are subject to high humidity or dust levels. Excessive humidity and dust can cause this product to damage, to cause fire or shock.
5. Do not place heavy objects on top of this product. The product may collapse or slip to the side and fall, causing breakage and possible injury.
6. Do not drop, bump or subject this product to strong vibration or impact.
7. For safety reasons, please unplug this product when you leave it unattended or unused for an extended period of time.

2.6 Adjustable View Angle

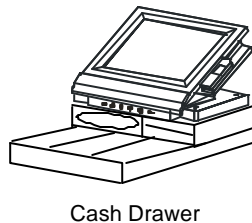
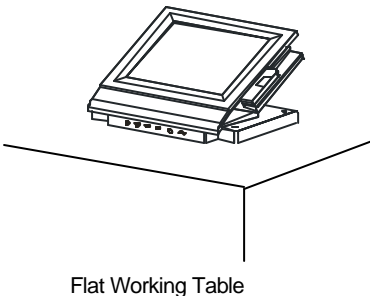
Grasp both sides of the monitor screen with your hands and adjust it by tilting it upwards as desired (See Figure Below).



Note: There is a Tilt-raising mechanism that locks on as you release the monitor screen downwards after you have stop raising it upwards.

2.7 Mounting the LCD monitor

The monitor can be mounted either on top of the working table or atop a cash drawer in retail POS application depending on it' s purpose of use.

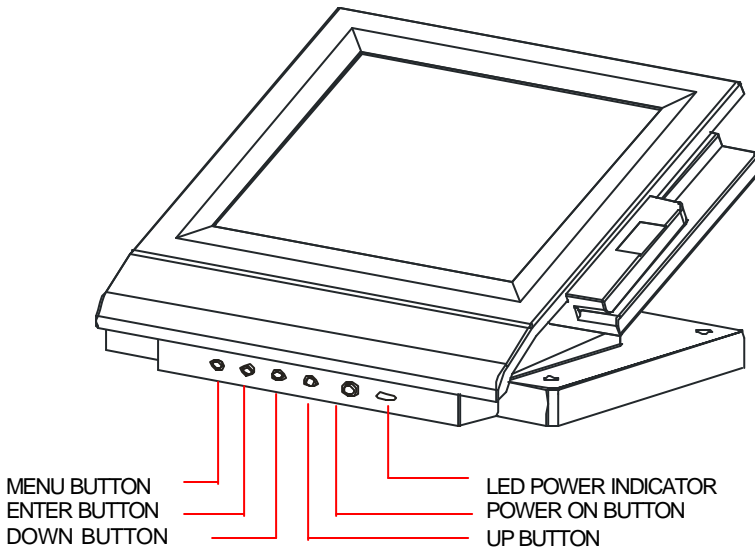


1. Be sure that the LCD monitor is place on a flat table or a cash drawer (use in retail application). The edges of the monitor must not exceed the surface of sitting. This is to prevent from falling off and causing damage to the monitor.
2. Check all cables are connected properly before use.
3. Now you have the monitor ready for use.

Control Buttons

3.1 OSD (On-ScreenDisplay) Control Buttons

OSD control buttons are on the front side of the LCD monitor (see figure below).



3.2 Function Definition Table

The Function of the control buttons are indicated in the two tables below

TABLE A: INDICATOR AND SWITCH BUTTON:

Viewing the front side control panel from Right to Left. To access the OSD, press the MENU button. And Press ENTER to exceed the OSD.		
LED POWER INDICATOR	Green for VGA signal .	Amber for no video or no connection to system.
POWER-ON	To turn the power on.	To turn the power off

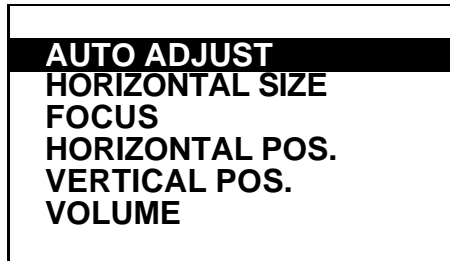
TABLE B: MENU SELECT AND ADJUSTMENT BUTTON

		Main Menu	Sub-Menu
UP	σ	Moves the highlighted area up to select a control menu.	Moves to the Right , to increment the value of the number.
DOWN	τ	Moves the highlighted area down to select a control menu..	Moves to the Left, to decrement the value of the number.
ENTER		Moves to the next sub-menu	
MENU		Moves to the Language selection Menu	Moves to the Main Menu
NOTE: (1) To save a function, press ENTER button. (2) If you do not use or change any value of the control function, the OSD will be disappear in 16 seconds.			

OSD (On-Screen Display)

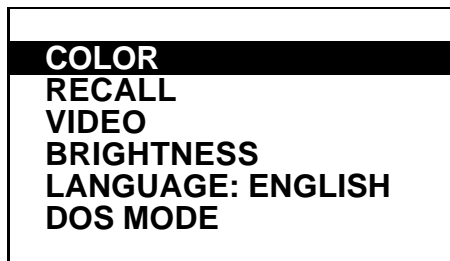
4.1 ABOUT THE MAIN MENUs

1. The OSD has two page of Main Menu. Press the MENU button once to bring up the first page menu and enter to **M1** (**MAIN MENU #1**) as shown below.



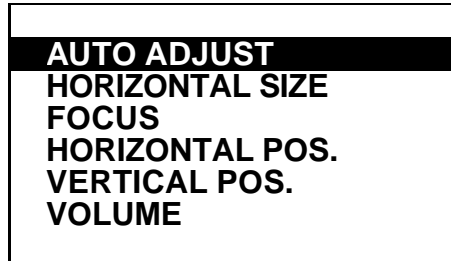
The above screen display is the **M1** or **MAIN MENU #1**.

2. To enter the second page menu, **M2** or **MAIN MENU #2**, press the Menu button twice (see the screen display diagram below).



4.2 MAIN MENU#1 (M1)

1. In the **MAIN MENU #1**, select your desired Control Function (move the highlighted area using the **UP/DOWN** button) and press **ENTER** button to proceed.



4.3 AUTO ADJUST SUB-MENU

1. Select **AUTO ADJUST** and press **ENTER** button to go the sub-menu. Press **ENTER** button to make the necessary adjustments of the display focus and Htotal and V-total for adequate viewing. Press **MENU** button to cancel and get back to the **MAIN MENU #1**.

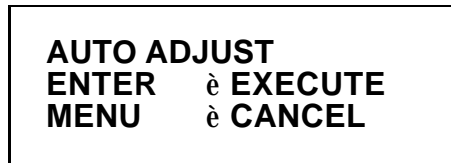


Figure 1-AA

2. When the **ENTER** button, a screen display showing **AUTO ADJUST** is displayed during the operation and will get back to the original screen in Figure 1AA.



3. When the operation is completed, another screen display showing COMPLETE will be shown for 3 seconds and disappear.

COMPLETE

4.4 HORIZONTAL SIZE SUB-MENU

1. In the **MAIN MENU #1**, you may choose to select the next function – **HORIZONTAL SIZE**, by moving the **UP/DOWN** buttons. and press **ENTER** button to proceed.

AUTO ADJUST
HORIZONTAL SIZE
FOCUS
HORIZONTAL POS.
VERTICAL POS.
VOLUME

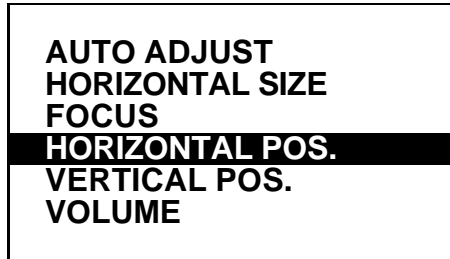
2. In the sub-menu of the **HORIZONTAL SIZE** function, make the necessary adjustment by pressing the **UP/DOWN** button to decrease/increase the size; **DOWN** button for **NARROW** mode and **UP** button for **WIDE** mode respectively.

HORIZONTAL SIZE
NARROW ◀ ▶ WIDE

After making the change, press the **ENTER** button to go back the **MAIN MENU#1**.

4.6 HORIZONTAL POSITION SUB-MENU

1. In the **MAIN MENU#1**, you may choose to select the next function – **HORIZONTAL POS.**, by moving the **UP/DOWN** buttons. And press **ENTER** button to proceed.



2. In the sub-menu of the **HORIZONTAL POS.** function, make the necessary adjustment by pressing the **UP/DOWN** button to SHIFT the screen display from **RIGHT** to **LEFT** for better viewing at the centerpoint of your vision.

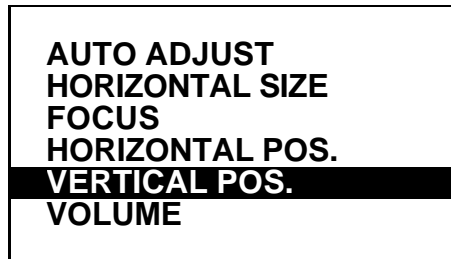


NOTE: The **HORIZONTAL POS.** controls Horizontal Image Position within the display area of the LCD.

After making the change, press the **ENTER** button to go back the **MAIN MENU#1**.

4.7 VERTICAL POSITION SUB-MENU

1. In the **MAIN MENU#1**, you may choose to select the next function – **VERTICAL POS.**, by moving the **UP/DOWN** buttons. And press **ENTER** button to proceed.



2. In the sub-menu of the **VERTICAL POS.** function, make the necessary adjustment by pressing the **UP/DOWN** button to SHIFT the screen display UP and DOWN LEFT for better viewing at the centerpoint of your vision.

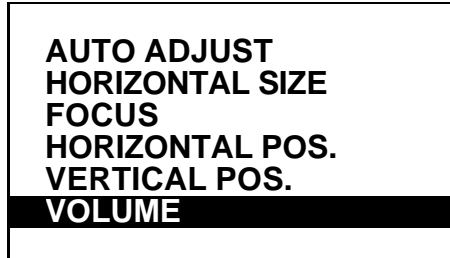


NOTE: The **VERTICAL POS.** controls Vertical Image Position within the display area of the LCD.

3. After making the change, press the **ENTER** button to go back the **MAIN MENU#1**.

4.8 VOLUME SUB-MENU

1. In the **MAIN MENU#1**, you may choose to select the next function – **VOLUME**, by moving the **UP/DOWN** buttons. And press **ENTER** button to proceed.



2. In the sub-menu of the **VOLUME** function, make the necessary adjustment by pressing the **UP/DOWN** button to increase or decrease the sound of the volume.



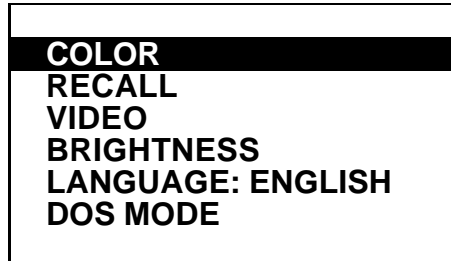
3. After making the adjustment, press the **ENTER** button to go back the **MAIN MENU#1**. Depress **ENTER** button to save the current changes and move out of the OSD Menu.

① Information

While the display is capable of other resolutions (as with all flat panel displays), it is a fixed matrix of pixels and best used at its native resolution – 800 x 600. For further information, please refer to your display card or system manual.

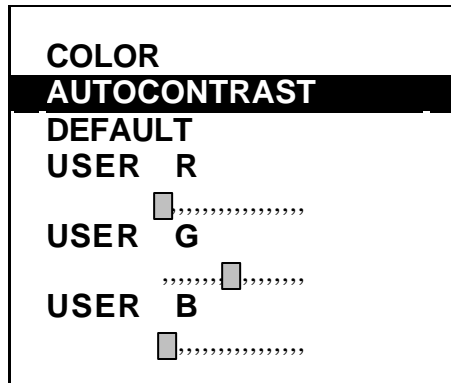
4.9 MAIN MENU #2 (M2)

1. Press the **MENU** button twice to proceed to the second page menu **M2**. Below is the **MAIN MENU #2** that you selected. Select **COLOR** and press **ENTER** button.



4.10 COLOR SUB-MENU

1. When **COLOR** menu is selected, a screen display showing –



2. When you choose **AUTOCONTRAST** by depressing the **ENTER** button, a screen display will be shown to make the changes.



3. Select **ENTER** for AUTOCONTRAST execution on the R-G-B color. Otherwise, select MENU to cancel and default execution, and get back to the previous screen display as shown in Figure 2-AC.

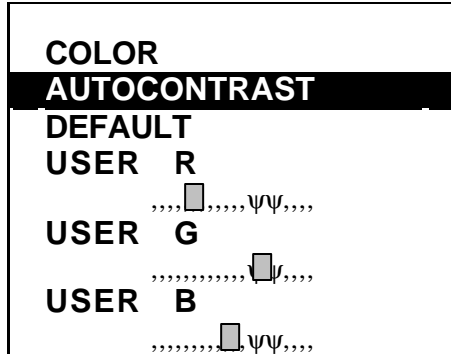
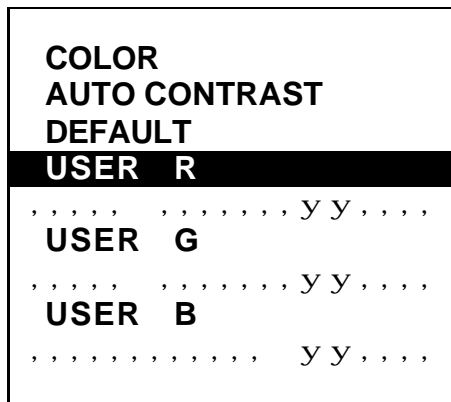


Figure 2-AC

4. In the **COLOR** sub-menu, you may also choose to make an individual separate adjustment for **R-G-B** by moving the **UP/DOWN** button, to any **USER R**, **USER -G** or **USER B** like the screen display as shown in the next page –



5. Same thing is done for USER G (Green color) and USER B (Blue color). Adjust to the desired **COLOR** and press **ENTER** button. Move the cursor to your right using **UP** button to Increments, and **DOWN** button to your left for decrements

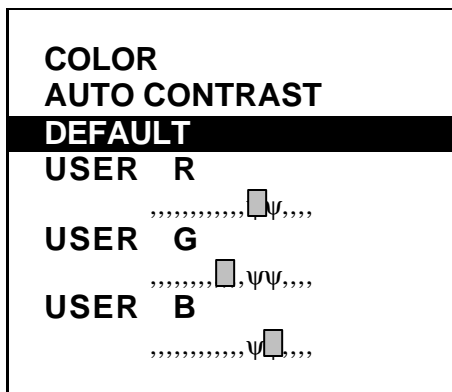
Notes for the following functions –

AUTOCONTRAST: Adjust the image displayed for non-standard video inputs.

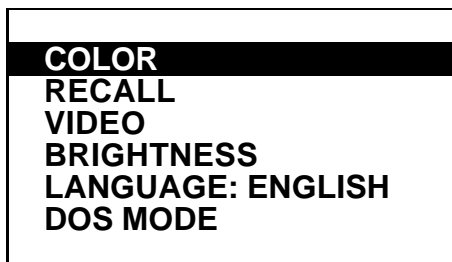
CONTRAST: Adjusts the image brightness in relation to the background.

R,G,B: Increases or decreases Red, Green or Blue color depending upon which is selected. The change in color will appear on screen and the direction (increase or decrease) will be shown by the bars.

6. To quit or get back to the **MAIN MENU #2**, move the highlighted area to **DEFAULT**, and press **ENTER** button.

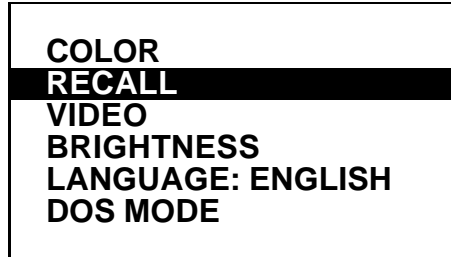


7. Shown below is the screen display of the **MAIN MENU #2**:

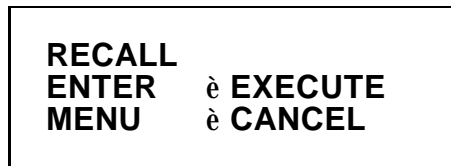


4.11 RECALL SUB-MENU

1. Move the highlighted area down to select **RECALL** function, press **ENTER** button to proceed to the next second sub-menu.



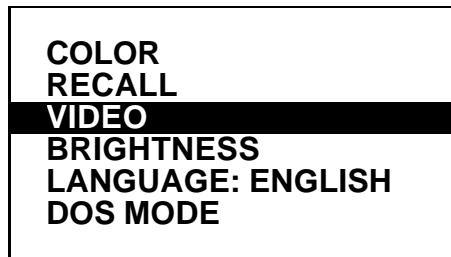
2. In the sub-menu of **RECALL** function, press **ENTER** button to EXECUTE and get back to the previous settings and setup before making any changes.



Press **MENU** button to CANCEL the RECALL function, and get back the MAIN MENU#2.

4.12 VIDEO SUB-MENU

1. Move the highlighted area down to select **VIDEO MODE** function, press **ENTER** button to proceed to the next second sub-menu.



2. In the sub-menu of the **VIDEO** function, press **ENTER** button to check the display setting information.

VERT. SYNC	56.4HZ
HOR. SYNC	35.2KHZ
VERT. POLARITY	P
HOR. POLARITY	P
RESOLUTION	800X600

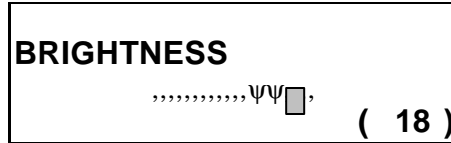
4. Press **MENU** button to go back to MAIN MENU #2 screen display.

4.13 BRIGHTNESS SUB-MENU

1. Move the highlighted area down to next function to select **BRIGHTNESS** function, press **ENTER** button to proceed to the next second sub-menu.

COLOR
RECALL
VIDEO
BRIGHTNESS
LANGUAGE: ENGLISH
DOS MODE

2. In the sub-menu of the **BRIGHTNESS** function, move the cursor to your right using **UP** button to increments, and **DOWN** button to your left for decrements.

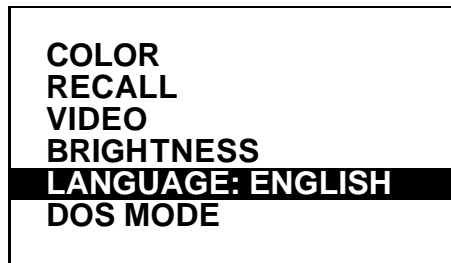


Press **ENTER** button once to save the current changes and adjustment. Press **MENU** button for the second time, and leave the **MAIN MENU #2**.

NOTE: BRIGHTNESS – is set to adjust the overall image and background screen brightness.

4.14 LANGUAGE SUB-MENU

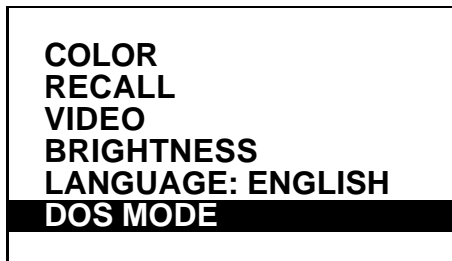
1. Move the highlighted area down to select **LANGUAGE** function, press **ENTER** button to proceed to the next second sub-menu.



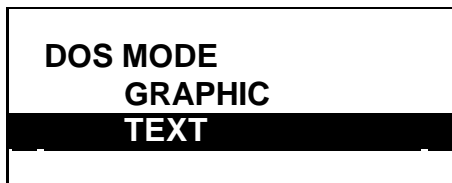
2. Using **UP/ DOWN** button to select your desired language. Press **ENTER** button to save the change, and leave the **MAIN MENU #2**.

4.15 DOS MODE SUB-MENU

1. You may choose to select and to move the highlighted area down to select **DOS MODE** function, press **ENTER** button to proceed to the next second sub-menu.



3. The sub-menu of the **DOS MODE** function can be executed in VGA resolution 640*400 and 720*400. move the cursor using **UP** button to select **GRAPHIC** mode or **DOWN** button for **TEXT** mode.



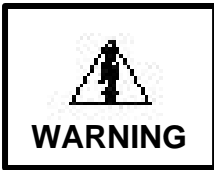
Press the **enter** button to go save your selection. Press **MENU** button for the second time, and go back to **MAIN MENU #2**.

Chapter 5

Proper Use

5.1 Safety Precautions

Safety precaution must be strictly taken into account before doing any repair or maintenance. To ensure threaten and hazard to human body, be sure to contact your supplier for authorized technician support.



FOR OPTIMUM PERFORMANCE, PLEASE NOTE THE FOLLOWING INSTRUCTION AND SETUP NOTES BEFORE USING THE POS 112 LCD COLOR MONITOR.



- **NEVER OPEN THE COVER OF YOUR MONITOR BY ALL MEANS.**
There are no user serviceable parts inside the monitor. Opening the covers may expose you to dangerous shock hazards or other risks. Contact your supplier for authorized servicing technician.
- Do not place the monitor on a slope or any unstable surface or cart, the monitor may fall to cause serious damage.
- Do not spill any form of liquids on the surface of the monitor or it's cabinet. Prevent use of monitor near the water.
- Do not insert foreign objects into the cabinet slots, to prevent from touching dangerous voltage pins, which can be harmful to the human body with electric shock. When this happens, you monitor is subjected to equipment failure.
- Do not place any heavy objects on the power cord. Damage to the cord may cause shock or fire.
- Do not block the ventilated openings in order to allow adequate ventilation for heat dissipation by the LCD monitor. Do not put anything on top of monitor.
- Do not place the LCD monitor near a radiator or other heat sources.
- When operating the POS 112 LCD monitor with its AC100~240V universal power supply, use a power supply cord that matches the power supply voltage of the AC power outlet being used. The power supply cord must comply with the safety standards of your country. In UK, use a BS-approved power cord with molded plug having a black (SA) fuse installed for use with this monitor. If a power cord is not supplied with this monitor, please contact your supplier.

- Use the supplier's AC Power Adapter. Do not place any objects on the connecting pins of the Adapter. Do not use the Adapter outdoors.
- The LCD monitor should be installed close to a power outlet which is easily accessible. The power cable connector is the primary means of detaching the system from the power supply.
- Handle with care when transporting. Save the packaging for transporting.
- To dispose the LCD monitor, please check and follow the bylaws of your local municipality. Please take note that the LCD monitor has a fluorescent tube inside that contains mercury.

5.2 Maintenance Conditions

Unplug your monitor immediately from the wall outlet when you encountered the following conditions –

- The power supply cord or plug is damaged.
- The LCD monitor has been exposed to rain or water.
- The LCD monitor has been dropped or the cabinet is damaged.
- The LCD monitor does not operate normally by following operating instructions.
- The ventilated holes of the LCD monitor has been subjected to the entry of fallen foreign objects or spilled liquid.

NOTE: Refer the servicing to an authorized technician.

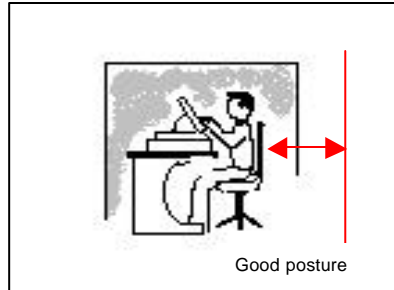
5.3 Healthy Tips Considerations



ADEQUATE SITTING POSTURE, PROPER ADJUSTMENT AND CORRECT PLACEMENT OF THE MONITOR CAN REDUCE EYE, SHOULDER AND NECK FATIGUE.

CHECK THE FOLLOWING STEPS WHEN YOU POSITION THE MONITOR:

- For optimum performance, allow the LCD monitor to warm-up for 20 minutes.
- Adjust the monitor height so that your eyes should look slightly downward when viewing the middle of the screen. (the top of the screen is slightly below eye level).
- Position your monitor no closer than 16 inches and no further away than 28 inches from your eyes. The optimal distance is 21 inches.
- Rest your eyes periodically by focusing on an object at least 20 feet away. Blink often.
- Position the monitor at a 90° angle to windows and other light sources to minimize glare and reflections. Adjust the monitor tilt so that ceiling lights do not reflect on your screen.
- If reflected light makes it hard for you to see your screen, use an anti-glare filter.
- Clean the LCD monitor surface with a lint-free, non-abrasive cloth. Avoid using any cleaning solution or glass cleaner!
- Adjust the monitor's brightness and contrast controls to enhance readability.
- Use a document holder placed close to the screen.
- Position whatever you are looking at most of the time (the screen or reference material) directly in front of you to minimize turning your head while you are typing.
- Avoid displaying fixed patterns on the monitor for long periods of time to avoid image persistence (after-image effects).
- Get regular eye checkups.



5.4 Ergonomics Concern

For maximum ergonomics benefits, we recommend you to follow the procedure as stated below:

- Adjust the Brightness until the background raster disappears
- Do not set the contrast control to its maximum setting
- Do not use primary color blue on a dark background, as it is difficult to see and may produce eye fatigue to insufficient contrast
- Use the preset Size and Position
- Use the preset Color Setting
- Use non-interlaced signals with a vertical refresh rate (60-75Hz).

Chapter 6

Specifications

6.1 Monitor Specification – POS 112 Monitor

LCD Panel	Type: 12.1" TFT color LCD Panel Display Display Area: 246 x 184.5 mm (9.64 x 7.26 inches) Surface: Anti-glare Brightness cd/m ² : 250 cd/m ² Touch Screen: Elo Resistive type	Active matrix; thin film transistor (TFT) liquid crystal display (LCD); 0.30 mm dot pitch, Anti-glare: 100cd/m ² white luminenc
Input Signal	Video: Analog 0.7vp-p/75 Ohms Sync: Separate sync. TTL Level; Vertical sync. Positive/Negative; Composite sync. (Positive/Negative)(TTL Level); Sync on Green video (Positive) 0.7Vp-p and sync. Negative 0.3Vp-p	
Display Colors	Analog input: 262,144 colors	Depends on display card used.
Viewing Angle	: 10-40°	
Synchronization Range	Horizontal: 24.8KHz to 60KHz Vertical: 56.2Hz to 75Hz	
Resolutions supported	Landscape: 720 x 400 VGA Text 640 x 480 at 60Hz to 75Hz 800 x 600 at 56Hz to 75Hz	
I/O connectors	VGA: 1 x 15-pin D-SUB female VGA connector Serial Port: 2 x 9-pin D-SUB female connector (for Touch screen & Card Reader) Audio In: 3-pin Line in PS/2 Keyboard: 1 x 6-pin Mini-DIN PS/2 Keyboard connector	
Panel Controls	Buttons Power, Menu, Enter, Up, Down	<Enter> Button is used for function selection, while <Up> & <Down> buttons for adjustment purposes.
Speaker	2 x 1Watts @ 8-ohm stereo speaker	
Option	Magnetic Card Reader: 2 tracks (track I/II) or 3 tracks	
Power Supply	AC 90-240V, 50/60Hz, DC Output: 35W, 12V @ 3A	
Dimensions	Measurement: 363 mm (W) x 286 mm (H) x 195 mm(D) 14.3 inches (W) x 11.3 inches (H) x 7.7 inches (D) Height Adjustment: 55 mm / 2.2 inches	
Weight	4.5 Kg. / 9.9 lbs.	
Environmental Considerations	Operating Temp.: 5°C to +35°C / 41°F to 95°F Humidity : 30% to 80% Altitude: 0 to 10,000 Feet Storage Temp.: -10°C to +60°C / 14°F to 140°F Humidity : 10% to 85 Altitude: 0 to 45,000Feet	

NOTE: (1)Technical specifications are subject to change without notice. (2)For more info about Elo Touchscreen, please refer to Elo website, <http://www.elotouch.com/>.

Troubleshooting

7.1 Troubleshooting

No picture display

- Check if the VGA signal cable is connected to the display card of the computer.
- Check if the display card should be completely seated in its slot.
- Check if the Power Button and computer power switch is ON position.
- Check to make sure that a supported mode has been selected on the display card or system being used. (Please consult the display card or system manual to change graphics mode.)
- Check the monitor and your display card with respect to compatibility and recommended settings.
- Check the signal cable connector for bent or pushed-in pins.

The monitor does not lit

- Check if the Power LED indicator is green.
- Check if the Power button is in the ON position and power cord should be connected.
- Make certain the computer is not in a power-saving mode (touch the keyboard or mouse). This mode is detected when the Power LED is amber color.

No Power

- Check if the Power button of the LCD monitor is responding by turning On/Off for a couple of times.
- Unplug the power cord of the monitor from the AC outlet to turn off and reset the monitor, or simultaneously press the RESET and Power

Unstable Image, poor or swimming focus

- Check if the VGA signal cable is completely attached to the computer.
- Use the OSD controls adjust the image display by increasing or decreasing the FOCUS control. Settings may need to be re-adjusted to attain adequate focus, use the Auto Adjust OSD.
- Check the compatibility of the monitor and your display card with respect the recommended signal timings.
- If your text is garbled, change the video mode to non-interlace and use 60Hz refresh rate.

Poor Display image size

- Use the OSD controls to increase or decrease the Horizontal Size.
- Make sure to check that a supported mode and signal timing has been selected on the display card or system being used. (Please refer to your display card or system manual if you intend to change the graphics mode or refresh rate.)

Poor resolution display

- Proceed to the OSD menu and check if the appropriate Display Resolution is properly selected.
- buttons.

Image persistence

Image persistence happens when a “ghost” of an image remains on the screen even after the monitor has been turned off. Unlike the CRT monitors, LCD monitors’ s image persistence is not permanent. If an image was on the monitor for one hour and a “ghost” of that image remains, the monitor should be turned off for one hour to erase the image. The supplier recommends that all personal display devices to use a screen saver at regular intervals whenever the screen is idle.

Glossary

LCD: Shorthand for color “**Liquid Crystal Display**”, the LCD uses the liquid crystals and polarizers to manipulate light. Some LCD panels use two polarizers with the same alignment so that a charge applied to a liquid crystal cell results in light that’s blocked because it’s twisted. There are two methods used to apply charges to liquid crystal cells. The **Passive matrix** use only a relatively few electrodes arranged as strips along the liquid crystal layer and rely on timing to make sure the correct cells are charged. The charges in passive matrix cells fade quickly, causing the colors to look faded. The **Active matrix displays**, such have individual transistors for each of the cells. The individual transistors provide a more precise and stronger charge, creating more-vivid colors. But active matrix is more expensive to produce because about 80 percent of the displays are currently rejected due to malfunctioning transistors.

Pixel: Shorthand for “picture elements”, pixels are small dots of colored light that a monitor uses to compose an image. Each pixel actually is a group of three illuminated phosphors: red, green, and blue. For most part, your eye interprets each pixel as a bright dot. Most monitors can display in several pixels-per-inch (ppi) modes: 640x480, 800x600,1024x768, 1280x1024, and more.

Dot Pitch: The gray space between the phosphor pixels that create a monitor’s image is call the dot pitch. A higher dot pitch means there’s more gray space between dots, yielding a fuzzier image that’s harder on the eyes.

Color Depth: Also known as bit depth, simply means the number of colors that the video card can generate and display on-screen (most can display at more than one bit depth).

- **4-bit (16 colors):** Most video can handle more than 16 colors today, and in fact, Windows 95 doesn’t look too great with only 16 colors. Only a couple of years ago, most laptop systems only offered a 16-color display.
- **8-bit (256 colors):** Even though most systems are capable of displaying more colors now, 256 is enough for most computing tasks.
- **16-bit (65,536 or 64K colors):** If you’re planning to use newer edutainment CD-ROMs or dabble in graphics,16-bit color looks great. The 16-bit color is also called **high color** (some adapter also offer 15-bit depth – 32,768 or 32K colors).
- **24-bit (16,777,216 or 16.8M colors):** For professionals and other color connoisseurs, this is the best display possible. It’s so good, it’s also referred to as **true color**.

VGA and SVGA: Video cards some times are labeled according to industry standard names. VGA (Video Graphics Array) cards handle up to 640x480 resolution and 256 colors. SVGA (Super VGA) displays handle resolutions of at least 800x600 and up to 256 colors

Touchscreen: The first touchscreen was created by adding a transparent surface to a touch-sensitive graphics digitizer and sizing it to fit a computer monitor. The purpose was to increase the speed data could be entered into a computer. Today, the touchscreen has been transformed into a more user-friendly and environmentally robust replacement for the computer keyboard and mouse. Because of that, touch is changing the world. With a touchscreen, people with little or no computer experience can instantly work with complex software programs, without even being aware they're doing it. And computers can go to work.

Base Stand: Allows the users to adjust the monitor to the position that best fits their application; the wide screen Landscape orientation and adjustable viewing angle makes it perfect to work at changing shifts for different height of personnel.

Wider Compatibility: The POS 112 LCD monitor is analog VGA signal, so it does not require special analog to digital display or interface cards but can accept RGB input directly.

Reduced Footprint: The POS 112 LCD monitor is an ideal solution for environments requiring superior image quality but with size and weight limitations. The monitor's small footprint and low weight allow it to be moved or transported easily from one location to another.

OSD (On-Screen Display): Allow you to quickly and easily adjust all elements of your screen image via simple to use on-screen menus.

Plug and Play: The Microsoft® solution with the Windows® 95/98/2000 operating system facilitates setup and installation by allowing the monitor to send its capabilities (such as screen size and resolutions supported) directly to your computer, automatically optimizing display performance.

Power Management System: Provides innovative power-saving methods that allow the monitor to shift to a lower power consumption level when on but not in use, saving two-thirds of your monitor energy costs, reducing emissions and lowering the air conditioning costs of the workplace.

Multiple Frequency Technology: Automatically adjusts monitor to the display card's scanning frequency, thus displaying the resolution required.

VESA Standard Mounting Interface: Allows users to connect their MultiSync monitor to any VESA standard third party mounting arm or bracket. Allows for the monitor to be mounted on a wall or an arm using any third party compliant device.

Appendix B

LCD Panel Display

Liquid Crystal Displays (LCDs) are categorized as non-emissive display devices, in that respect, they do not produce any form of light like a Cathode Ray Tube (CRT). LCDs either pass or block light that is reflected from an external light source or provided by a back/side lighting system. There are two modes of operation for LCDs during the absence of an electric field (applied Power); a mode describes the transmittance state of the liquid crystal elements. Normal White mode: the display is white or clear and allows light to pass through and Normal Black Mode: the display is dark and all light is diffused. Virtually all displays in production for PC/Workstation use are normal white mode to optimize contrast and speed.

A dot matrix LCD display works as follows: A twisted nematic (TN) LC display consists of two polarizers, two pieces of glass, some form of switching element or electrode to define pixels, and driver Integrated Circuits (ICs) to address the rows and columns of pixels. To define a pixel (or subpixel element for a color display), a rectangle is constructed out of Indium Tin Oxide -- a semi-transparent metal oxide (ITO) and charge is applied to this area in order to change the orientation of the LC material (change from a white pixel to a dark pixel).

Polarizers Polarizers are an integral part of a LCD display, possessing the unique property of only passing light if it is oriented in a specific (oriented) direction. To utilize this phenomena in TN LC displays, the bottom polarizer orients incoming light in one direction. The oriented light passes through the LC material and is either unaltered or "bent" 90 degrees. Depending on the orientation of the top polarizer, this light will either pass through or be diffused. If the light is diffused, it will appear as a dark area. Figure 3 is a simple illustration of the sequence of events that occur when light passes through a simple twisted nematic LC display.

Passive and Active Matrix Displays Addressing and color technology describes the method employed to transfer charge (data or the display image) from the outside world to the display. Unlike a CRT, which is just a surface of phosphors scanned with a beam of electrons in a vacuum, a liquid crystal display is an array of conductors with metal (or metal like) lines running in both horizontal and vertical directions. For the case of a CRT, the electrons travel through a resistance free medium (vacuum) and deliver a clear consistent signal. The charge traveling through the metal lines of a LCD matrix is affected by the properties of the metal. As a result, the magnitude and waveform of the applied charge can vary from one end of the display to the other. This variation imposes limitations on display quality and capabilities. Active matrix displays can cost twice as much as an equivalent passive matrix display and add more than \$1000 to the cost of a notebook form-factor computer. However, active matrix displays produce a stunning and bright image without

ghosting or artifacts that rivals the quality of CRTs.

Contrast is defined as the ratio of black to white, more simply put, how black is black when next to a white or clear pixel. In terms of numbers, passive matrix LCDs are usually able to produce a contrast ratio of approximately 13 - 20:1; in real terms you get a set of different grays and blues but no true blacks.

Color filter works by absorbing specific wavelengths of light and only passing light of a certain wavelengths (In other words, a red filter will remove all wavelengths of light except for red -- thus it looks red!). White light is made up of a spectrum of wavelengths, so it can yield the red, green, and blue for displays. However, when filtering out the unwanted wavelengths, the overall brightness is reduced.

Pixel is described as one element on a display screen. For a monochrome screen this is an adequate description. However a color pixel is actually made up of three subpixels: a red, green, and blue pixel. This is sometimes called a pixel triad. Therefore care must be taken in describing pixels. In terms of this document, a pixel is the entire element consisting of red, green, and blue sub-elements. A subpixel consists of the individual red, green, or blue elements. Gray scales for LC displays are always calculated as a function of subpixels.

Understanding Digital Color Pixels 4 Bits, 8 Bits, 16 Bits, 24 Bits Just how many colors can they actually generate? Digital video divides the number of colors or gray scales into a distinct number of points. Based on these "POINTS" the system can generate a fixed number of colors or gray scales. Manufacturers tend to play games with numbers, so sometimes it is very difficult to understand "BIT" color talk. First of all, the bit system is based on the binary system so: 1 Bit color, which is 2 raised to the first power is 2. In other words a black & white display where the pixel has a state of being either on or off. This can currently be extended to 24 bits which (at 2 to the 24 power) yields more than 16 million gray scales.

Analog video Unlike digital or bit based video analog video is based on a continuous flow of data. The wave form can be thought of as a continuous wave of points with the distance between points so small that it is impossible to differentiate between them. In other words, it can theoretically provide an infinite number of gray scales. VGA is an analog system and VGA CRTs are analog displays. The advantage of an analog display is that when you upgrade your video card and drivers to handle more colors, your existing monitor should be able to operate with the extended color ranges. NEC makes an analog XVGA TFT LCD, but due to power handling requirements, it is not suitable for battery based portable computers.

Why are TFT Color Displays Expensive? There are numerous reasons for this. As discussed above, displays with large numbers of defective pixels can not be sold and as a result, yield is usually thought to be the major problem. In reality, one should be aware that the largest cost of TFT displays are the materials utilized for production. Since Japanese manufacturers have not standardized the size of displays yet, each manufacturer has specific material needs (glass, holders for machines, robots, and etc.). This fact alone keeps display prices extremely high since material and machine suppliers can not make standard parts for an entire industry at this time.

Basic Principles of TFT Operation For all intensive purposes, a TFT can simply be considered a switch; when selected (on) it allows charge to flow through it and when off it acts as an barrier preventing or at least restricting the flow of charge. As mentioned earlier, a TFT is a MOS FET device or a Metal Oxide Semiconductor Field Effect Transistor. The gate line can be considered the "switch" of the transistor, with this you turn it on, partially on, or off. The Source and drain are the entrance and exit, respectively, for the charge you want to pass through the switch. In the case of a display, this is the charge that you want to appear on the pixel. A MOS FET that fits this description (you turn it on) is called an enhancement device. When a positive charge is placed on the gate line, electrons (or negatively charged particles) will begin to collect in the area above the gate, on the other side of the Silicon Nitride (SiNx) in the a-Si. When the charge on the gate is increased to a certain point, called the V_T or threshold voltage, enough electrons will have collected in the a-Si to change it from an insulator to a conductor. In other words, you build up a channel of electrons, so if there are electrons at the source (high) and nothing at the drain (low), the electrons will begin to move through the electron filled channel until the charge is the same at both sides or you turn the transistor off. The result is a charging of the pixel and a change in the state of the liquid crystals. The unique aspect of this device is the nonlinear characteristics after the TFT passes through V_t . It exponentially moves to a conduction state (usually 6 to 8 orders of magnitude) and makes it very easy to turn a TFT on or off around the V_t value.

Touchscreen Technology

Touchscreen: The first touchscreen was created by adding a transparent surface to a touch-sensitive graphics digitizer and sizing it to fit a computer monitor. The purpose was to increase the speed data could be entered into a computer. With a touchscreen, people with little or no computer experience can instantly work with complex software programs, without even being aware they're doing it. And computers can go to work. A touchscreen is the simplest, most direct way for a person to interact with a computer. Though it is a relatively new technology – brought to market in the 1970s by Elo TouchSystems – the basic way users interact with a touchscreen is age-old: You point to what you want. It's intuitive for virtually every child and adult in the world today.

How Does touchscreen system Works?

Most of the technologies discussed here operate on the principle of dividing the screen image area into a predetermined grid (dependent upon screen size and resolution capabilities). Touching one of the quadrants, of the menu selection, causing a subroutine to execute in the same manner as typing the command at the prompt line or you would with a mouse.

There are Five basic elements make up a complete touchscreen system:

- The touchscreen itself.
- A computer (typically a PC) whose display is fitted with the touchscreen.
- A controller card, which drives the touchscreen and converts each touch into coordinates.
- A software driver program, which communicates between the controller card and the computer's operating system.
- Application-development software, which enables developers of touch programs to build their own applications and/or customize existing touch applications.

Companies in a broad cross-section of industries have successfully harnessed the power of a touchscreen for a wide variety of applications. Airlines use them to simulate aircraft cockpits and train their pilots to fly. Realtors use them to put full-color images of homes for sale a fingertip away from home buyers. Greeting card companies use them to let customers create their own one-of-a-kind cards. Restaurants use them to simplify their point-of-sale terminals. Medical schools use them to teach student nurses how to respond to crisis situations. **Touch** is used in areas like industrial environments, In hospitals, In retail locations, At tourist destinations and In schools.

Who is Purchasing Touchscreens?

Original equipment manufacturers (OEMs) is a diverse group of customers (the largest group), purchases touchscreens to simplify computers and speed access to information for users of their programs. Many OEMs recognize the value in eliminating keyboards from their customers' installations and replacing them with a more intuitive and user-friendly touchscreen interface. OEMs develop touch-based applications in a range of environments, including hospitals, restaurants, factories, gaming establishments, and public facilities such as malls and tourist centers.

Value-Added Resellers (VARs), along with Systems Integrators (SIs) such as IBM, DEC, Apple, and EDS, also purchase touchscreens as part of the systems they design and install for their customers. In many cases, the added value a VAR or SI delivers lies in utilizing the best touchscreen interface available for a given solution or environment (primarily because they want to simplify the **man-machine interface**.)

Large companies also purchase touchscreens as part of the information-technology solutions they develop in-house. For example, many large financial institutions make use of touchscreens at the trading desk, and major retailers like Macy's and J.C. Penny Co. have invested in touchscreens for various in-store applications.

What are the basic components used in touchscreen?

There are five basic components associated with touch technology.

1. Touch Sensor: Capacitive, Resistive, SAW, WAV, etc.
2. Monitor: Either Cathode Ray Tube (CRT), LCD or Plasma on which the sensor can be fitted.
3. Controller: Which enables the sensor to work like any other peripheral.
4. Software Drive: Which allows the controller and the computer-operating system to communicate and helps the controller recognize input.
5. A computer (usually a PC) which is interfaced to the touch panel and will run the selected option for the enduser when accessed.

Of course, a software application is needed which will enable you to develop new or customize existing touch applications to meet specific applications.

SUMMARY: The Power of Touchscreen

Regardless of the industry or application, the essential benefits touchscreen technology provides remain unchanged:

- Touchscreens enable people to use computers instantly, without any training whatsoever.
- Touchscreens virtually eliminate operator errors because users select from clearly defined menus.
- Touchscreens eliminate keyboards and mice, which many find intimidating and cumbersome to use.

- Touchscreens are rugged enough to stand up to harsh environments where keyboards and mice often get damaged.
- Touchscreens provide fast access to any and all types of digital media, with no text-bound interface getting in the way.
- Touchscreens ensure that no space—on the desktop or elsewhere—is wasted, as the input device is completely integrated into the monitor.