Multiverse Module or Multiverse Receiver Card: How to Decide Which is Right for You

Multiverse®'s patented* wireless DMX/RDM technology is now available to lighting manufacturers and end users alike for the implementation of wireless DMX/RDM into entertainment projects or lighting equipment with Multiverse Module and Multiverse Receiver Card products. This technology allows larger and larger systems to be scaled up without producing harmful amounts of radio energy, at a significant cost savings.

The following chart will help you start thinking about important factors that may affect your wireless DMX implementation, and how Multiverse Module or Multiverse Receiver Card can help you reach your business goals.

	Multiverse Module			Multiverse Receiver Card	
Product Photos (To Scale)	TH M1-9 PAN-9 PAN-	Wiltiverse* P/V 599 Wiltiverse* FCC ID:VU65994 IC:7/480A-5994	7 Multiverse 95 FCC ID:VU65995 IC:7480A-5995	Re (17673) Re (17	FCC ID: VU65990 (C:7480A-5990)
Part Numbers	5990	5991 5994	5995	5906	5907
Frequencies	900MHz**	2.40	GHz	2.4GHz	900MHz**
Ideal User	Lighting manufacturers with engineering capacity, or highly skilled specialty shops			Anyone who wants to implement wireless DMX/RDM into a product or project	
Skill Level	Circuit board design and programming skills required			No special engineering or programming skills to implement; basic hand soldering skills only	
RDM	Allows RDM integration of entities so Multiverse RDM information appears together with fixture RDM information			RDM of device and Multiverse Receiver Card appear as two separate entities	
Outputs	DMX/RDM			DMX/RDM, 0-10V, and four PWM control outputs	
Availability	Sold directly from City Theatrical after signing a City Theatrical Multiverse OEM License Agreement			Sold through any City Theatrical dealer	
Work Required	Requires design and engineering work up front, but very little work in production (surface mount part)			Requires no work up front but some work to install each unit (hand soldering and possibly remoting of indicator lights, depending on your application)	
Cost	Requires purchase of OEM development kit (\$1,000);			List price \$250 each which declines as volume	
	per piece cost varies from \$60 for one piece to under \$20		increases. End users contact your City Theatrical dealer		
	for quantities of multiple thousands			for details. Manufacturers call City Theatrical for quantity pricing.	
Best Choice if:	High volume use is anticipated			Low volume use is anticipated	
Further reading	citytheatrical.com/products/multiverse-module			citytheatrical.com/products/multiverse-receiver-card	

*Multiverse technology is covered by U.S. Patents #7,432,803 B2, #10,129,964 B1, and other patents pending.



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