

## VARI\***LITE** TECHNICAL BULLETIN

SUBJECT: <b>VL550 Wash Luminaire Software Initial Release</b>	SERIES: <b>500</b>
DISTRIBUTION: <b>Service Centers, End Users</b>	STATUS: <b>Routine</b>

## Introduction

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### Embedded Software Initial Release

The initial software release for VL550 Wash Luminaires is now available. Software version **10/14/10** (file name, **VL550-500\_101410.bin**) is now available for download from the Support section of the Vari-Lite web site ([www.vari-lite.com](http://www.vari-lite.com)). Please review this bulletin in its entirety before downloading and installing the software.

- All VL550 Wash Luminaires manufactured on and after **10/14/10** will have this software installed.
- For instructions on downloading and installing VARI\***LITE** luminaire software, refer to luminaire's user manual.
- For more information on the USB Luminaire Programming Kit (Vari-Lite part number 28.8500.0054), please contact your Authorized VARI\***LITE** Dealer or Vari-Lite customer service.

If you have any questions regarding this release or your VARI\***LITE** product, please contact Vari-Lite Customer Service at 1-877-VARILITE (or +1-214-647-7880) or via e-mail at [entertainment.service@philips.com](mailto:entertainment.service@philips.com).

## Release Notes

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### New Version (Initial Release)

#### **VL550 Wash Luminaires:**

- This version is the initial release of this software and contains added functionality and setup menus for all VL550 wash luminaires (including VL550CD luminaire).
- Vari-Lite has changed (lowered) the holding current for the DICRO\***TUNE** color system motors to reduce audible noise when the motors are at rest.
- This software can also be installed and used in VL500 wash luminaires (all models).