



# LCD ESC Programming Box

## Instruction Manual

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The following terms are used throughout the product literature to indicate various levels of potential harm when operating this product:

**WARNING:** Procedures, which if not properly followed, create the probability of property damage, collateral damage, and serious injury OR create a high probability of superficial injury.

**CAUTION:** Procedures, which if not properly followed, create the probability of physical property damage AND a possibility of serious injury.

**NOTICE:** Procedures, which if not properly followed, create a possibility of physical property damage AND little or no possibility of injury.

**WARNING:** Read the ENTIRE instruction manual to become familiar with the features of the product before operating. Failure to operate the product correctly can result in damage to the product, personal property and cause serious injury.

This is a sophisticated hobby product. It must be operated with caution and common sense and requires some basic mechanical ability. Failure to operate this Product in a safe and responsible manner could result in injury or damage to the product or other property. This product is not intended for use by children without direct adult supervision. Do not use with incompatible components or alter this product in any way outside of the instructions provided by Horizon Hobby, LLC. This manual contains instructions for safety, operation and maintenance. It is essential to read and follow all the instructions and warnings in the manual, prior to assembly, setup or use, in order to operate correctly and avoid damage or serious injury.

**Age Recommendation: Not for children under 14 years. This is not a toy.**

**NOTICE:** This product is only intended for use with unmanned, hobby-grade, remote-controlled vehicles and aircraft. Horizon Hobby disclaims all liability outside of the intended purpose and will not provide warranty service related thereto.

## Specifications

<b>Dimensions (L x W x H)</b>	105.6mm (Length) mm x 59mm (Width) x 24.4mm (Including wheel height)
<b>Weight</b>	85g
<b>Input Voltage</b>	DC 5V-12.6V

## Set the Parameters of the ESC as an Independent Device

- Navigation Wheel:** Select the target menu by rotating the wheel up and down, press the wheel to enter the item.
- Save:** Save button, to save parameter settings.
- Back/Cancel:** Return button is used to return to the previous menu. If you press and hold this button for about 2 seconds, you will be returned back to the home page.
- ESC (S + -):** This interface is used to connect to the programming interface of the ESC.

**Notice:** Different types of ESCs may have different programming interfaces. For example, some ESCs have an independent programming port, some ESCs share the interface with the fan, and some ESCs have a throttle signal line. Please check the manual of the ESC and use the correct programming interface to connect with the program box.

- 5-12.6V (+ -): The power supply interface of the program box. Please use an independent battery or UBEC supplies power to the program box from

## Set the Parameters of the ESC as an Independent Device

- Determine the programming interface of the ESC (check the ESC manual) and use the corresponding connection method.
  - The ESC has an independent programming interface: use a programming cable (JR/DuPont connectors at both ends) to connect the programming port of the ESC to the "ESC" interface on the program box.
  - The programming interface of the ESC is shared with the fan interface: take off the fan plug of the ESC and use the programming cable (JR/DuPont connectors at both ends) to connect the fan interface of the ESC to the "ESC" interface on the program box.
  - The programming port for the ESC is the throttle cable: pull out the ESC cable from the receiver and insert it into the "ESC" socket of the program box.
- Determine whether the programming interface of the ESC has voltage output, and if the program box needs

a separate power supply (check the ESC manual). The majority of Trinity ESCs have voltage output equipped. This does not require an external power source. However, there are also a few older ESCs whose programming interface does not have voltage output. In that case, you would need to use an independent battery or UBEC on the "5-12.6V (+ -)" interface of the program box to power the device.

- Connect the battery to the ESC and turn on the ESC switch (if there is a switch). The program box will display the homepage interface. Select the corresponding function menu according to your needs.

## Computer USB Connection (WINDOWS ONLY), connect the ESC to a computer for parameter setting and firmware update

Connect the program box to the ESC according to the connection method introduced in the points above. Next, connect the program box to the computer using a USB cable. Open the Trinity Link application software on the computer and connect the ESC to a battery. Finally, turn on

the ESC switch (if any), and the Trinity Link software on the computer can establish a connection with the ESC. Establish parameter settings and firmware upgrades on the computer. (Trinity link software can be downloaded from Trinity official website, <https://www.teamtrinity.com>)

## As an OTA Wireless module, set parameters, update firmware, and read data for ESCs

- Connect the ESC to the program box according to the correct connection method (as described in the points above).
- Download the official Trinity Link App on the smart device. For iOS, search for Trinity directly in the App Store; for Android, search for Trinity in Google Play, or download it from the Trinity official website (<https://www.teamtrinity.com>).
- Power on the ESC, and open the app. When you enter the app for the first time, you will be prompted to choose wireless connection or WiFi connection. Here, choose wireless connection. If you want to switch

to wireless connection after using WiFi connection, please click "Select Connection Method" in the "System Settings" to change the settings. Click the ESC logo on the upper right-hand corner of the app. The wireless devices that can be connected will pop up. Click the wireless name inside the program box to connect (wireless factory default name: TRI\_BLE\*\*\*\*, factory default password: 888888). After the connection is successful, you can make parameter adjustments, firmware update, data reading, and other operations on the connected ESC.

## As a battery voltage detector (Monitor), measure and display the overall voltage of the battery pack and the voltage of the single cell

**Measuring range:** 2-8S Li-Polymer/Li-Lon/Li-Fe

**Measurement accuracy:** ±0.1V

**How to use:** Insert the battery balancing plug into the "BATTERY CHECK" port of the program box separately (the negative pole of the battery balance port corresponds to the negative pole symbol on the shell of the program box), as shown in the figure, after the battery is connected, the program box will automatically display the total battery voltage and the voltage of each cell.

## Introduction to menu functions

- Parameter Settings:** Click to view and set the ESC parameters.
- Data Record:** Click to view the recorded data such as "maximum temperature of ESC", "maximum temperature of motor", "minimum voltage of battery" and "maximum rpm of motor" recorded by the ESC.
- Notice:** The ESC needs to support the data recording function in order to be viewed.
- Mode Setting:**
  - Profile switching: Refers to switching the application mode (profile) of the ESC, suitable for ESCs with multiple application modes.
  - Import setup file: This is the sharing function for settings. Import the setting file of a certain ESC stored in the program box to another ESC of the same model. Use the scroll button to select and click a file to import, view, copy, delete, and

- rename. Press and hold the scroll button to delete all files with one click.
- Add setup file: This is the function of saving the setting file. Store and name the setting table of the current ESC separately in a file.

- System Settings:**
  - Language settings: English/ Chinese/Japanese and other languages are switchable.
  - Brightness: Set the brightness of the screen.
  - On/Off Sound: Turn on and off the beeping sound during operation.
  - Device information: View the version information of the ESC and the program box.
  - Reset: "Only reset default setting" is to restore the system settings of the program box. "Full recovery" is to restore the system settings and database of the program box.

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Due to the continuous update of the ESC function and the use of the LCD program box, it is recommended to upgrade to the latest firmware of the LCD program box if necessary. There are two methods:

- Use a USB cable to connect the LCD program box to the computer. Run the Trinity USB Link software. Select "LCD Program Box" under the "Device" menu. On the "Firmware Update" page, select the latest version of the firmware program and click "Upgrade". As shown in Figure 1.
- Power the LCD program box (it can be powered through the esc programming interface or power supply interface), and open the Trinity Link app on the mobile

phone, click on the connection icon in the upper right corner of the app homepage to connect to the program box via wireless, and then click on: (Settings-Setting of the wireless Module-Firmware Update) to upgrade the firmware of the program box.

**Notice:** Trinity USB Link computer software or Trinity Link mobile app can be downloaded from the official website of Trinity Technology: <https://www.teamtrinity.com>

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	Horizon Product Support (Product Technical Assistance)	<a href="mailto:productsupport@horizonhobby.com">productsupport@horizonhobby.com</a>	
		877-504-0233	
	Sales	<a href="mailto:websales@horizonhobby.com">websales@horizonhobby.com</a> 800-338-4639	

## FCC Information

This equipment complies with FCC and IC radiation exposure limits set forth for an uncontrolled environment. This equipment should be installed and operated with minimum distance 20cm between the radiator and/or antenna and your body (excluding fingers, hands, wrists, ankles and feet). This transmitter must not be co-located or operating in conjunction with any other antenna or transmitter.

**Supplier's Declaration of Conformity**  
**Trinity LCD ESC Programming Box (TRI-2020):**

**FC** This device complies with part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) This device may not cause harmful interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

**CAUTION:** Changes or modifications not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate the equipment.

able for arranging return shipment of the un-serviced Product, through a carrier of the sender's choice and at the sender's expense. Horizon will hold non-compliant Product for a period of 60 days from notification, after which it will be discarded.

**NOTE:** This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class B digital device, pursuant to part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference in a residential installation. This equipment generates, uses and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instructions, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation. If this equipment does cause harmful interference to radio or television reception, which can be determined by turning the equipment off and on, the user is encouraged to try to correct the interference by one or more of the following measures:

- Reorient or relocate the receiving antenna.
- Increase the separation between the equipment & receiver.
- Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected.
- Consult the dealer or an experienced radio/TV technician for help.

**NOTE:** The Grantee is not responsible for any changes or modifications not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance. such modifications could void the user's authority to operate the equipment.

The device has been evaluated to meet general RF exposure requirement. To maintain compliance with FCC's RF exposure guidelines, the distance must be at least 20 cm between the radiator and your body, and fully supported by the operating and installation

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## IC Information

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- This device may not cause interference.
- This device must accept any interference, including interference that may cause undesired operation of the device.

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- (2) Cet appareil doit accepter toute interférence, y compris celles qui peuvent entraîner un fonctionnement indésirable de l'appareil.

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