

# Vortex8 Release Notes 1.0.30

## How to update

1. Copy the file to a USB drive.

*Note: Only one \*.sfb update file should be copied onto the drive at a time.*

2. Insert USB drive into USB connector on Vortex.

3. Power up Vortex8 and it will automatically update to the version copied on the USB drive.

*Note: Installing will take 1-2 minutes.*

4. Safely remove USB drive once the update is complete.

**i** *Recommended USB drives include EMTEC, Kingston and Toshiba. Drives will need to be formatted as FAT32. If the Vortex8 fails to read the USB drive, please try one from a different manufacturer.*

## What's new

### Changes from 1.0.24 to 1.0.30

- Reduced startup time by around 5 seconds
- Added "Lumen Radio Enabled" option under LINK->DMX SETUP menu
- Changed DMX Address and Mode Icons
- Added transmission of Creampackets - if multiple units are connected via DMX, they will auto-slave to each other (if no DMX or LumenRadio signal present).
- Added Status Bar icons for different modes (High Speed, Fan Mode, Dimming Curve etc)
- Fixed bug where would not remember if light was OFF or ON after reset
- Fixed bug in all DMX modes with Colour Bump
- Saves settings immediately after they have been changed rather than only on exiting the menu
- Added priority for different DMX sources, so multiple sources won't fight. Priority from highest to lowest: Wired DMX, Lumen Radio, Remote plugged into Accessory port
- FX Icon changes Orange when an Effect is selected
- Added shortcut key to get between Colour Parameters and FX Parameters - first push on Mode or FX key will change between parameter screens, second press will access menu to choose mode or effect.

### What to expect in future updates

- sACN and ArtNET
- WiFi support
- More Effects