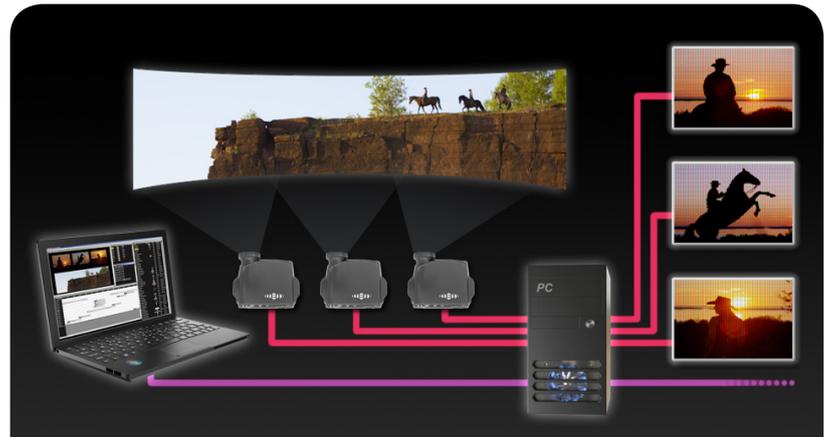# WATCHOUT

Dataton WATCHOUT is a software-based production and playback system for multi-display applications. The license key is the physical part of the system and plugs into the USB port of the computer. Download the latest version of WATCHOUT to start producing your WATCHOUT show.
Important: This key is compatible with version 5.5 and above.

A typical WATCHOUT rig features a production computer running the latest WATCHOUT software connected to an unlimited number of display computers, all on a standard Ethernet network.

Each computer in the rig requires a WATCHOUT license key. Each display computer can drive up to six display media, such as LCD screens, projectors or LEDs, depending on hardware capabilities.

WATCHOUT is fully scalable, Windows platform and requires no proprietary hardware. Windows 7 is required for full functionality.

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Latest features: WATCHOUT version 5.5

» WATCHPAX compatible.
Hardware-assisted synchronization. WATCHOUT now supports hardware synchronization for frame-accurate rendering across multiple display computers.

» Frame blending.

» Named display computers and clusters. Lets you address computers and entire clusters by name.

» Display web images. In addition to loading images from a file on disk, or from the Dynamic Image Server, you can now load an image from a URL, too.

» Available in several languages. Latest languages to be added are Italian and Russian.

» Check out the *Release Notes* in the software download.

Upgrade and warranty policy

Minor software upgrades are usually available for free download from www.dataton.com. Major upgrades are subject to a fee. Information on upgrades is posted on the WATCHOUT forum, Dataton website and social media.

Dataton's standard two-year warranty applies against manufacturing faults in the physical license key.

Useful links

Latest WATCHOUT software, including manual
www.dataton.com/watchout/downloads
WATCHOUT forum, monitored by Dataton AB
www.dataton.com/forum
WATCHOUT training movies, case studies, downloads
www.dataton.com/watchout
WATCHOUT cookbook, application tips
academy.dataton.com
More about WATCHPAX media player with built-in WATCHOUT license key
www.dataton.com/WATCHPAX
More about WATCHNET software for custom control of WATCHOUT shows from external panels
www.dataton.com/watchout/information/watchnet

Industry awards for WATCHOUT include the 2013 Rental and Staging Award (Best Show Control), and 2012 Commercial Integrator BEST award (Media Servers)

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