

BarcoView

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Barco Introduces 28" Rugged Flat Display for Operational Decision-making

EUROSATORY, Villepinte, France, June 17, 2002 – Barco is pleased to introduce its 28" rugged flat display at this year's Eurosatory exhibition. The FD 471, which displays highly detailed images at a resolution of 2048 x 2048, offers a new degree of operator comfort and greatly facilitates operational decision-making.

Barco's FD 471 is a 28" rugged LCD display, which presents an ergonomic, light-weight solution for military ATC applications and C4I operational decision-making. The rugged LCD displays images at 2K x 2K resolution and features Barco's unique APA (Automatic Phase Adjust) functionality to eliminate image artifacts (e.g. pixel noise). The 28" panel's high-bright light output shows more detailed information, offers enhanced user comfort and counteracts eye fatigue.

Barco's FD 471 features four field-replaceable backlight trays for consistent image quality and reduced life cycle cost. The display's low weight, low power and small volume and high brightness allow console designers a new degree of freedom to reduce costs and improve operator comfort and performance.

About BarcoView:

BarcoView with operation facilities in Kortrijk (Belgium), Toulouse (France), Atlanta, Georgia and Portland, Oregon (USA) designs and manufactures high-resolution display systems, displays, graphics controllers and display subsystems for highly demanding niche markets such as C4I, avionics, vessel and air traffic control, vehicle electronics, publishing and medical imaging applications.

Alongside Barco Projection Systems and BarcoVision, BarcoView is one of the three strategic activities of the BARCO Group, which are all active in Image Processing. Barco Projection is in various markets of large screen visualization, whereas BarcoVision develops systems for visual inspection and quality control. In 2001, the entire BARCO group delivered a turnover of 792 million EURO. BARCO has a network of subsidiaries, distributors and agents in 97 countries throughout the world. BARCO has been quoted on the Brussels Stock Exchange since 1986, and is now quoted on Brussels/Euronext. BARCO is a BEL 20 and a Next 150 company and is a member of the Dow Jones Sustainability Indexes.

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