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# 4300 WUXGA Installation Projector

VPL-FH30



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**BrightEra™**  
Long Lasting Optics



## Installation flexibility and trouble-free maintenance with a stylish "blend-in" design

Packing the most advanced projector technologies into an "blend-in" design, the VPL-FH30 is an excellent choice for universities, corporates, museums and medical (DICOM) applications. Delivering a dramatic colour brightness of 4300 lumens and ultra high-quality images with WUXGA resolution, the VPL-FH30 offers peace of mind operation, amazing installation flexibility and hassle-free maintenance in a stylish design that blends into any decor.

The maintenance cycles of the lamp and cleaning filters are synchronised and exceptionally long, which cuts maintenance time and cost. In addition, the VPL-FH30 is designed to deliver a low total cost of ownership and includes environmentally conscious features, thanks to its long-lasting lamp and low power consumption.

### Features

#### High Picture Quality

##### High Picture Quality and Bright Images

By combining a new-generation optical system that uses Sony's BrightEra™ Long Lasting Optics technology\* and a 3LCD projection system, the VPL-FH30 offers high picture quality in WUXGA (1920 x 1200) resolution and a high brightness of 4300 lumens.

\* BrightEra with Long Lasting Optics is the brand name for a new generation of optical system, which is a more advanced version of Sony's original BrightEra technology. In addition to the adoption of LCD panels that have pixels with large aperture ratios and inorganic alignment layers, BrightEra with Long Lasting Optics technology also uses an inorganic layer for polarisation plates to greatly enhance reliability.

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#### "Blend-in" design

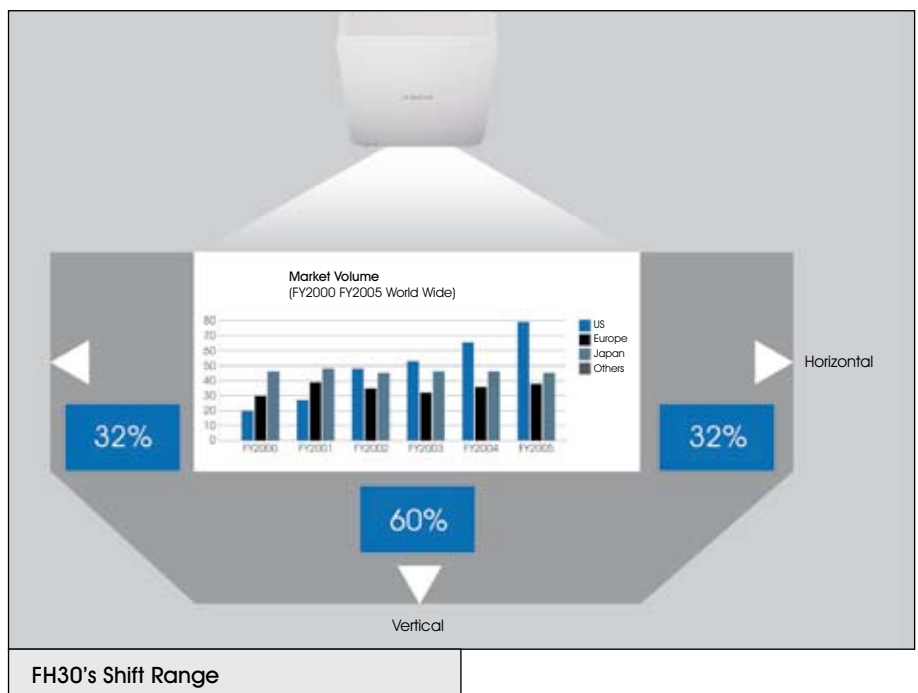
The VPL-FH30 showcases a newly designed low profile chassis, so the projector appears to blend into the ceiling on which it is mounted. The connector panel is located on the front of the unit so its cables cannot be seen by the audience, to further ensure the projector fits elegantly into the installation environment.



#### Installation Advantages

##### Lens Shift Functions

The VPL-FH30 is equipped with horizontal and vertical lens shift functions for greater installation flexibility. Using this function, the position of the projected image can be moved vertically by up to 60% and horizontally from -32% through to +32%. Images can be easily adjusted to the desired settings during installation.



## Features

### Excellent Total Cost of Ownership and ECO-friendly Features

#### Long-lasting Lamp

By incorporating a newly developed high-performance lamp and advanced lamp-control technology, the projectors offer the recommended lamp replacement time of approximately 4,000 hours.\*

\* In Standard mode.

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Conventional Model



Longer Lamp Exchange Time\*1

\*1 These values are approximate

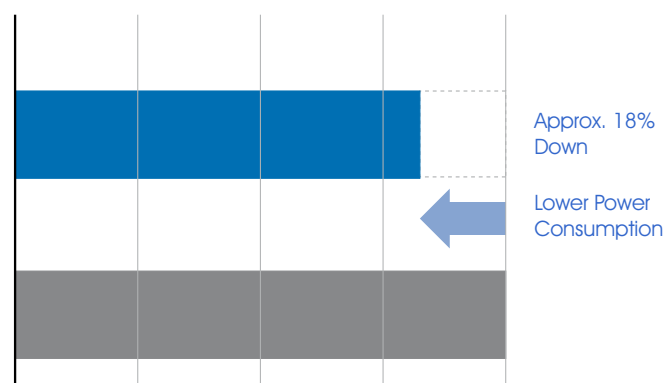
#### Low Power Consumption

The projector offers remarkably low power consumption, allowing users to make significant savings on electricity expenses.

#### VPL-FH30



Conventional Model



Higher Energy Efficiency

## ECO MODE

Eco Mode optimises combinations of the following functions.

#### • Lamp mode

"High / Standard"

- Saving the consumption of lamp wattage.

#### • Power Saving mode

"Lamp Cutoff / Projector Standby"

- When set to "On", the projector goes into power saving mode if there is no operation for 10 minutes without any signal input.

Lamp Cutoff ; The lamp goes off. The lamp lights again when a signal is input or any key is pressed.

Projector Standby ; "Standard / Low"  
In "Standard", power consumption is 12W and is reduced to 0.3W in "Low".

\*Network function cannot be operated

## ECO MODE Key

With a single push of the ECO MODE key on either the projector or the supplied Remote Commander™ unit, the user can select an energy-saving setting in the ECO Mode menu.



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### Excellent Throw Ratio Coverage for Old Projector Replacement

The 1.6x zoom and 1.39 to 2.23 throw ratio standard lens enables installation flexibility when replacing an existing projector with the VPL-FH30 there's no need to change ceiling mount positions. For applications where more than a standard lens is needed, the projector is compatible with the optional VPLL-Z1024PK and VPLL-Z1032PK accessory lenses designed for Sony's current VPL-FX40 Series.



### Presentation Functions

#### Freeze Function

Freezes the projected image

#### Digital Zoom Function

Enlarges a section of the image

#### Picture Muting Function via Built-in Mechanical Shutter

Mutes the projection of images on screen via a built-in mechanical shutter. This function can be easily operated with just the touch of a button on the supplied Remote Commander unit

#### Other Features

##### Panel Alignment

Allows the user to adjust colour alignment for ultimate picture perfect images

Whole picture alignment - Adjustment range:  $\pm 2.0$  dot by 0.1 dot

Desired Zone alignment: Selects the desired range (H:16 x V:10 = 160 cross points)

Adjustment range:  $\pm 2.0$  dot by 0.1 dot

##### Colour Matching

Allows the user to adjust brightness and colour of the whole projected image to match the original image

##### Quiet Noise Operation

Low frequency sound

##### Closed Captioning

Official teletext broadcasting, developed by the NCI, USA

##### Security Pack

Security lock (password and mechanical), security bar, panel key lock and security label

##### Test Pattern Key

For easy screen adjustment

##### ID Mode

For individual control of multiple projectors

##### Audio Monitor Function

Allows audio to be selected based on input selection

##### Smart APA

Auto pixel alignment

##### Direct Power On/Off

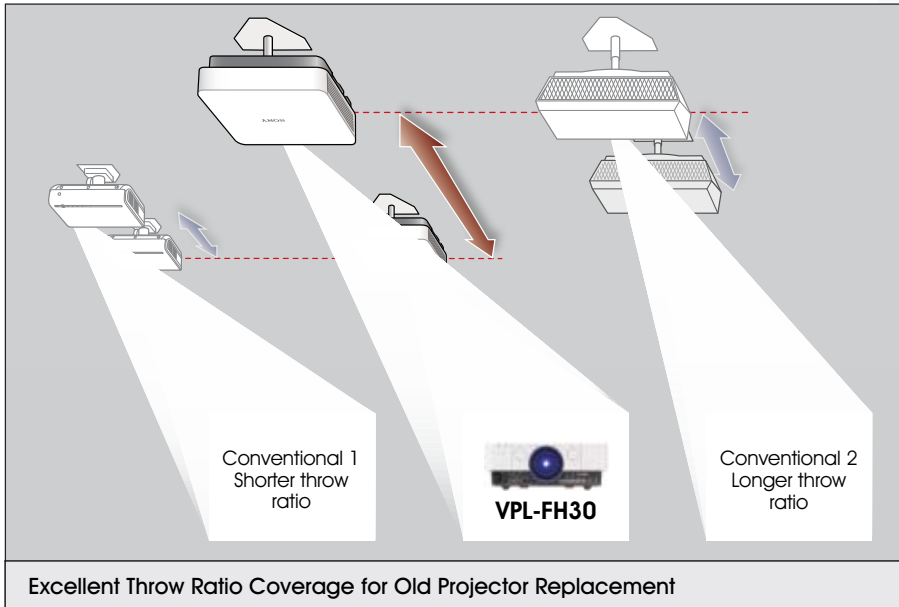
Direct power control using the circuit breaker on the switch board

##### High Altitude Mode

For projector operation at high altitude

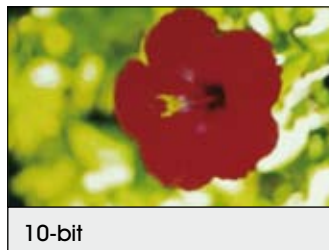
##### Network and Control

Controls and monitors projector status  
Compatible with various control systems



### 12-bit 3D Gamma Correction

The VPL-FH30 incorporates 12-bit 3D Gamma Correction circuitry to perform highly accurate gamma correction, achieving smoother gradations and richer grey-scale.



### I/P Conversion and Film Mode

The video signal processing technology that Sony has incorporated in the VPL-FH30 offers I/P conversion and 2-3 pull-down to generate high-quality images with outstanding clarity.

### Picture-by-Picture

With this feature, users can project two different images at the same time, greatly expanding creative possibilities and enabling exciting new applications.



Picture-by-Picture

simulated image

## Features

### Centered Lens Design

The centered lens provides symmetry for a balanced installation and makes set up very simple.



### Trouble-free Maintenance

#### Easy Lamp and Filter Maintenance

When the air filter must be cleaned, a timely message is clearly displayed on screen. The lamp and the filter are accessible from the same side, so their replacement can be performed without uninstalling the projector. With typical usage, replacement filters have an approximate 15000-hour cleaning cycle. This is achieved by a Quad Filter System enabling both the lamp and the filters to be replaced at the same time, even in tough environments, saving maintenance time and cost. Note: Filters are supplied with replacement lamps for ultimate performance.



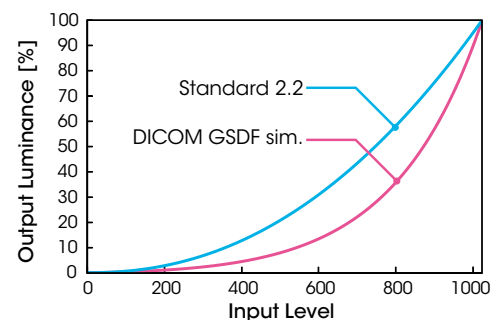
Quad Filter System

### DICOM GSDF Simulation\*

The VPL-FH30 is equipped with a new gamma mode, called DICOM GSDF Simulation. This is ideal for viewing digital medical imagery for non-diagnostic applications.

\* Conforms to GSDF (Grayscale Standard Display Function) medical standards for DICOM (Digital Imaging and Communications in Medicine).

\* This function is for training and reference only, and cannot be used for medical diagnosis.



Gamma curve

## PrimeSupport

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### 3 Years Cover

Freephone telephone helpdesk support **(00800 7898 7898)** in 5 languages. Collection, repair and return anywhere in EU, Norway and Switzerland

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- A 2 year extension to give long-term assurance of expert support and technical assistance
- Provision of a loan unit throughout the 3 year of PrimeSupport cover to minimise disruption to business
- Free replacement lamp throughout the 3 year PrimeSupport cover to reduce unexpected running costs

Prime  
Support

Prime  
Support Plus



Standard 2.2



DICOM GSDF simulation

Simulated image



## Optional Accessories



**LMP-F272**  
Projector Lamp (for replacement)



**PAM-300**  
Projector Suspension Support



**VP LL-Z1024PK**  
Projector Lens supplied with PK-F30LA1 Projector Lens Adapter  
Throw Ratio 2.34 to 3.19



**VP LL-Z1032PK**  
Projector Lens supplied with PK-F30LA1 Projector Lens Adapter  
Throw Ratio 3.18-4.84



**PK-F30LA1**  
Projector Lens Adapter

## Optional Lenses

Projection Lens	VP LL-Z1024PK	VP LL-Z1032PK
Throw ratio	2.34 to 3.19	3.18 to 4.84
Zoom / Focus	Manual / Manual	Manual / Manual
Lens shift	Vertical: Upward 60% to Downward 0% Horizontal: Right 32% to Left 32%	Vertical: Upward 60% to Downward 0% Horizontal: Right 32% to Left 32%
Aperture	f/2.00 to 2.30	f/2.00 to 2.40
Screen size*	40" to 600"	40" to 600"
Dimensions	W 97 x H 87 x D 180 mm (W 3 13/16 x H 3 7/16 x D 7 3/32 in)	W 97 x H 87 x D 177 mm (W 3 13/16 x H 3 7/16 x D 6 31/32 in)
Mass	1.1 kg / 2 lb 7 oz	1.1 kg / 2 lb 7 oz
Required projection lens adapter	PK-F30LA1	PK-F30LA1

\* Viewable area, measured diagonally.

## Preset Signal Chart

Computer Signal			
Resolution	fH [kHz]/ fV [Hz]	Input connector	
		RGB <sup>*1</sup>	DVI-D <sup>*2</sup> /HDMI <sup>*3</sup>
640 x 350	31.5/70	●	—
	37.9/85	●	—
640 x 400	31.5/70	●	—
	37.9/85	●	—
640 x 480	31.5/60	●	●
	35.0/67	●	—
	37.9/73	●	—
	37.5/75	●	—
	43.3/85	●	—
	35.2/56	●	—
800 x 600	37.9/60	●	●
	48.1/72	●	—
	46.9/75	●	—
	53.7/85	●	—
	49.7/75	●	—
832 x 624	48.4/60	●	●
1024 x 768	56.5/70	●	—
	60.0/75	●	—
	68.7/85	●	—
	64.0/70	●	—
1152 x 864	67.5/75	●	—
	77.5/85	●	—
	61.8/66	●	—
1152 x 900	60.0/60	●	●
	75.0/75	●	—
1280 x 960	64.0/60	●	●
	80.0/75	●	—
	91.1/85	●	—
1400 x 1050	65.3/60	●	●
1600 x 1200	75.0/60	●	●
1280 x 768	47.8/60	●	●
1280 x 720	45.0/60	●	●*6
1920 x 1080	67.5/60	—	●*6
1360 x 768	47.7/60	●	●
1440 x 900	55.9/60	●	●
1680 x 1050	65.3/60	●	●
1280 x 800	49.7/60	●	●
1920 x 1200	74.0/60	●*5	●*5
1600 x 900	60.0/60	●*5	●*5
Digital TV Signal			
Signal	fV [Hz]	Input Connector	
		RGB/YPbPr <sup>*4</sup>	DVI-D <sup>*2</sup> /HDMI <sup>*3</sup>
480i	60	●	●
576i	50	●	●
480p	60	●	●
576p	50	●	●
1080i	60	●	●
1080i	50	●	●
720p	60	●	●*6
720p	50	●	●
1080p	60	—	●*6
1080p	50	—	●
1080p	24	—	●
Analogue TV Signal			
Signal	fV [Hz]	Input Connector	
		VIDEO/S VIDEO	
480i	60	●	
576i	50	●	

\*1: INPUT A, INPUT B \*2: INPUT C \*3: INPUT D \*4: INPUT A \*5: Available for VESA Reduced Blanking signals only.

\*6: INPUT C is determined as a computer signal;

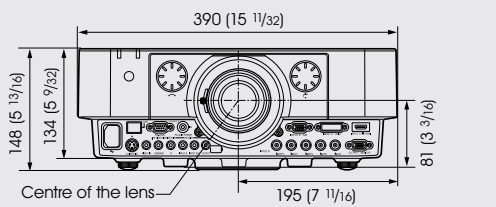
INPUT D is determined as a digital TV signal.

• When a signal other than the signals listed in the table is input, the picture may not be displayed properly.

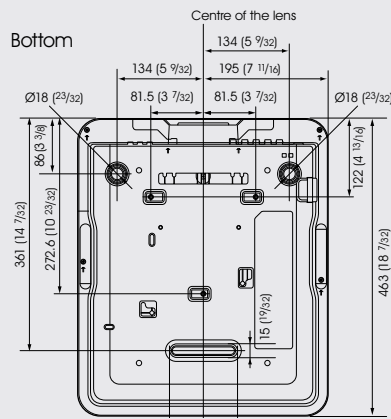
• An input signal meant for a screen resolution different to that of the panel will not be displayed in its original resolution. Text and lines may be uneven.

• Some actual values may differ slightly from the design values given in the table.

## Front



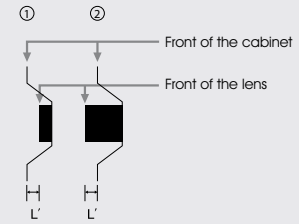
## Bottom



The distance L' is between the front of the lens (centre) and the front of the cabinet

Unit: mm (inches)

Lens	L'	Type
Standard lens	12.2 (15/32)	①
VPLL-Z1024PK	1.6 (1/16)	②
VPLL-Z1032PK	0.3 (1/32)	①

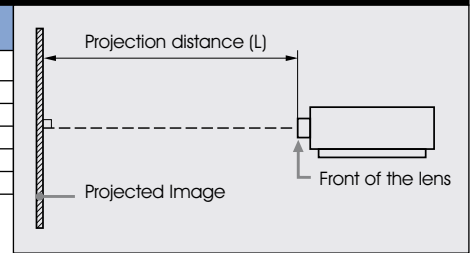


## Dimensions

## Installation Diagram

### Projection Distance

Projection Image Size		Projection Distance (L)		
Diagonal	Width x Height	Standard Lens	VPLL-Z1024PK	VPLL-Z1032PK
80-inch (2.03 m)	1.72 x 1.08 (68 x 42)	2.39 – 3.83 (95 – 150)	4.00 – 5.48 (158 – 215)	5.45 – 8.32 (215 – 327)
100-inch (2.54 m)	2.15 x 1.35 (85 x 53)	3.00 – 4.80 (119 – 189)	5.03 – 6.87 (198 – 270)	6.84 – 10.43 (270 – 410)
120-inch (3.05 m)	2.58 x 1.62 (102 x 64)	3.61 – 5.77 (143 – 227)	6.05 – 8.27 (238 – 325)	8.24 – 12.55 (325 – 494)
150-inch (3.81 m)	3.23 x 2.02 (127 x 79)	4.53 – 7.22 (179 – 284)	7.59 – 10.36 (299 – 408)	10.33 – 15.72 (407 – 619)
200-inch (5.08 m)	4.31 x 2.69 (170 x 106)	6.05 – 9.64 (238 – 379)	10.15 – 13.85 (400 – 545)	13.82 – 21.00 (544 – 827)



## Specifications

### VPL-FH30

Display system		3 LCD system
Display device	Size of effective display area	0.76" (19.3 mm) x 3, BrightEra, Aspect ratio: 16:10
	Number of pixels	6,912,000 (1920 x 1200 x 3) pixels
Projection lens	Zoom	Manual (Approx. 1.6 x)
	Focus	Manual
	Lens shift	Manual, Vertical: Upward 60% to Downward 0% Horizontal: Right 32% to Left 32%
Light source		High-pressure mercury lamp, 275 W type
Recommended lamp replacement time*1		3000 H (Lamp mode: High) 4000 H (Lamp mode: Standard)
Filter cleaning cycle		Max. 15000 H*1 Same time as the lamp replacement is recommended
Screen size		40" to 600" (1.02 m to 15.24 m)*2
Light output		4300 lm (Lamp mode: High) 3400 lm (Lamp mode: Standard)
Colour light output		4300 lm (Lamp mode: High) 3400 lm (Lamp mode: Standard)
Contrast ratio (full white / full black)*2		2000:1
Displayable scanning frequency	Horizontal	14 kHz to 93 kHz
	Vertical	47 Hz to 93 Hz
Display resolution	Computer signal input	Maximum display resolution: 1920 x 1200 dots*3 Panel display resolution: 1920 x 1200 dots
	Video signal input	NTSC, PAL, SECAM, 480/60i, 576/50i, 480/60p, 576/50p, 720/60p, 720/50p, 1080/60i, 1080/50i, 1080/60p, 1080/50p, 1080/24p
Colour system		NTSC3.58, PAL, SECAM, NTSC4.43, PAL-M, PAL-N, PAL60
Keystone correction		Vertical: Max. +/- 5 degrees
OSD language		20-languages (English, Dutch, French, Italian, German, Spanish, Portuguese, Turkish, Polish, Russian, Swedish, Norwegian, Japanese, Simplified Chinese, Traditional Chinese, Korean, Thai, Vietnamese, Arabic, Persian)
Computer and video signal input/output	INPUT A	RGB / Y Pb Pr input connector: 5BNC (female) Audio input connector: Stereo mini jack
	INPUT B	RGB input connector: Mini D-sub 15-pin (female) Audio input connector: Stereo mini jack (shared with INPUT C)
	INPUT C	DVI-D input connector: DVI-D 24-pin (Single link), supported HDCP Audio input connector: Stereo mini jack (shared with INPUT B)
	INPUT D	HDMI input connector: Digital RGB/Y Pb Pr Digital Audio: PCN (32 kHz, 44.1 kHz, 48 kHz, 88.2 kHz, 96 kHz)
	S VIDEO IN	S video input connector: Mini DIN 4-pin Audio input connector: Pin jack (x2) (shared with VIDEO IN)
	VIDEO IN	Video input connector: Pin jack Audio input connector: Pin jack (x2) (shared with S VIDEO IN)
	OUTPUT	Monitor output connector*4: Mini D-sub 15-pin (female) Audio output connector*5: Stereo mini jack (variable out)
	Control signal input/output	RS-232C connector: D-sub 9-pin (female) LAN connector: RJ45, 10BASE-T/100BASE-TX Control S input connector: Stereo mini jack, Plug in power DC 5 V
Operating temperature (Operating humidity)		0°C to 40°C / 32°F to 104°F (35% to 85%; no condensation)
Storage temperature (Storage humidity)		-20°C to +60°C / -4°F to +140°F (10% to 90%)
Power requirements		AC 100 V to 240 V, 4 A to 1.6 A, 50/60 Hz
Power consumption	AC 100 V to 120 V	400 W
	AC 220 V to 240 V	380 W
Standby mode power consumption	AC 100 V to 120 V	9 W (Standby mode: Standard) / 0.15 W (Standby mode: Low)
	AC 220 V to 240 V	10 W (Standby mode: Standard) / 0.3 W (Standby mode: Low)
Heat dissipation	AC 100 V to 120 V	1365 BTU
	AC 220 V to 240 V	1297 BTU
Outside dimensions		W 390 x H 148 x D 477 mm (W 15 11/32 x H 5 13/16 x D 18 25/32 in) W 390 x H 134 x D 463 mm (W 15 11/32 x H 5 9/32 x D 18 7/32 in) (without protrusions)
Mass		8.1 kg / 17 lb 14 oz
Supplied accessories		RM-PJ19 Remote Commander (1), Size AA (R6) batteries (2), AC Power Cord (1), Cable ties (2), Quick Reference Manual (1), Security Label (1), Operating Instructions (1)

\*1 The figures are expected maintenance time and not guaranteed. They will depend on the environment or how the projector is used.

\*2 This value is average. \*3 Available for the VESA Reduced Blanking signal. \*4 From INPUT A and INPUT B. \*5 Works as an audio switcher function. Output from a selected channel; not available in standby.

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