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# ***CHECKPOINT-DCA***

*Portable Document Checking System*

*A front-line system for the verification of passports and visas at border control points, Police Stations and Licensing Departments*

## ***Features:***

- Lightweight*
- DC & mains power*
- Large Examination area*
- Five light sources*
- Optional carrying case*
- Hands free working*
- Safety features*





## Checkpoint - DCA Specification

The Checkpoint-DCA with five integral light sources is the most economical in the Checkpoint-DC range, but still may be used for the examination of the most common security safeguards on the latest passports and visas, as well as also offering the facility to check for alterations and additions to documents.

Power can be from the local mains supply or from any 12 volt dc source, allowing the Checkpoint-DCA to be used in patrol vehicles, and for transportation a padded carrying case is available as an option.

### LIGHT SOURCES

#### Overhead incident white

Two lamps give even illumination of the working area for the visual examination of print quality and for checking for evidence of tampering.

#### Overhead incident Ultraviolet

4 x 6-watt black light blue lamps produce intense Longwave Ultraviolet illumination for the highlighting of most often used security safeguards or for exposing alteration and staining.

#### Diffuse White Transmission

A light source housed behind a diffusing window in the examination area gives even illumination of the whole examination area; for the verification of transmission security safeguards such as threads, watermarks, perfect resolution printing and embedded fibres.

#### Oblique

A lamp mounted at the rear of the examination area provides glancing illumination over the working area for the examination of erasures, dry stamps and indented writing.

#### Coaxial

A lamp to reveal retroreflective security safeguards in laminates. A narrow beam of light is reflected off the front window of Checkpoint-DCA to produce a beam onto the document which is coaxial with the operator's eyes and so hidden images may be seen.

#### Intensity Adjustment

The overhead incident light, oblique, and coaxial lamps may be adjusted in brightness with a simple push button control.

#### Lamp Switching

All the lamps are controlled from a single navigation switch assembly; a lamp is selected by pressing the up/down buttons and then pressing the OK button; the selected lamp may be switched off by either pressing the OK button again or selecting another lamp.

The left/right buttons of the navigation switch adjust the brightness of the overhead incident light, oblique and coaxial lamps.



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### MAGNIFICATION

#### Magnifier

An integral 75mm circular magnifier with 3X magnification and with a local area of 6X magnification. The magnifier is attached to the Checkpoint-DCA with a chain so that it may be used anywhere inside or outside the examination area. This allows maximum flexibility not provided by a fixed position magnifier; when not in use the magnifier is stored on the side of the Checkpoint-DCA.

#### Loupe

A 10X stand loupe with a removable reticule for the checking of fine print and microprinting; the loupe is stored in a clip on the rear of the Checkpoint-DC when not in use or for transport.

### POWER

A switched mode external power supply with mains cable is supplied with each system. Specification: Power input 100 to 240 volts ac at 1.8 amps, power output 12 volts dc at 5 amps. A cable is supplied to suit local power outlets.

Alternatively, any 12 volt dc power supply capable of sourcing 5 amps may be used, and with suitable connecting cables the Checkpoint-DC may be run from a vehicle supply.

Two additional cables are supplied for connecting the Checkpoint-DC to either the cigarette lighter socket of a vehicle or to a battery using clips.

### MECHANICAL

Footprint: 358mm (width) x 328mm (depth)

Height: 300mm including handle

Weight: 6kg

Examination area: 300mm (width) x 230mm (depth) - A4 size

### DOCUMENT HOLDING

The Checkpoint-DCA has a unique document holding feature which allows hands-free document examination. Two pairs of embedded magnets behind the transmission window are used with two flexible steel strips to hold documents firmly in place whilst being checked, particularly useful when examining open passport pages.

### SAFETY

The front observation window is UV blocking so minimal UV radiation reaches the operator.

### OPTIONS

#### Carry case

A soft carrying case with a shoulder strap is available for transporting the Checkpoint-DCA. The case has a tool pouch for housing the power supply and power cables and other examination tools.

To order this option specify Checkpoint-DCR + case

