**Manual Talion XQ38**



# About the device

## Description

**Talion** thermal imaging riflescopes are designed for use both at night-time and during the day and provide exceptional image quality even in adverse weather conditions (fog, smog, rain) and beyond obstacles like branches, tall grass, dense foliage, etc. known to hinder target detection.

Unlike riflescopes based on electrical-to-optical converters, thermal imaging riflescopes do not require an external light source and are resistant to high levels of illumination.

These riflescopes are designed for hunting, target shooting and recreational shooting, observation and orientation.

To get started, see the sections:

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[**Battery Installation**](#_Battery_Installation)

[**Mounting on the Rifle**](#_Mounting_on_the)

[**Powering on and Image Setting**](#_Powering_on_and)

[**Zeroing**](#_Zeroing)

## Package Contents

* Thermal imaging riflescope Talion
* Removable rubber eyecup
* АPS5 Battery Pack
* Adapter for APS5 battery (2 pcs.)
* APS5 battery charger
* Power adapter
* USB Type-C cable with USB Type-A adapter
* Carrying case
* Lens-cleaning cloth
* Quick User Manual
* Warranty card

## Features

* Built-in 3-axis accelerometer gyroscope (slope angle indication)
* 3 levels of sensitivity enhancement: Normal, High, Ultra
* 3 calibration modes: manual, semi-automatic and automatic
* Smooth Digital Zoom
* Multiple reticle options
* Scalable reticles (proportional to Zoom)
* 5 zeroing profiles (10 distances per profile)
* One-shot “Freeze-Zeroing” function
* Precise “Zoom zeroing” (reducing the MOA per click when zooming in)
* 8-colour display palette
* Pixel repair function
* “Display-Off” function
* Integrated Wi-Fi for remote control and personal device connectivity
* Device firmware update using the free Stream Vision 2 App
* Recoil rated to .375H&H, 9.3x64 and 12-gauge

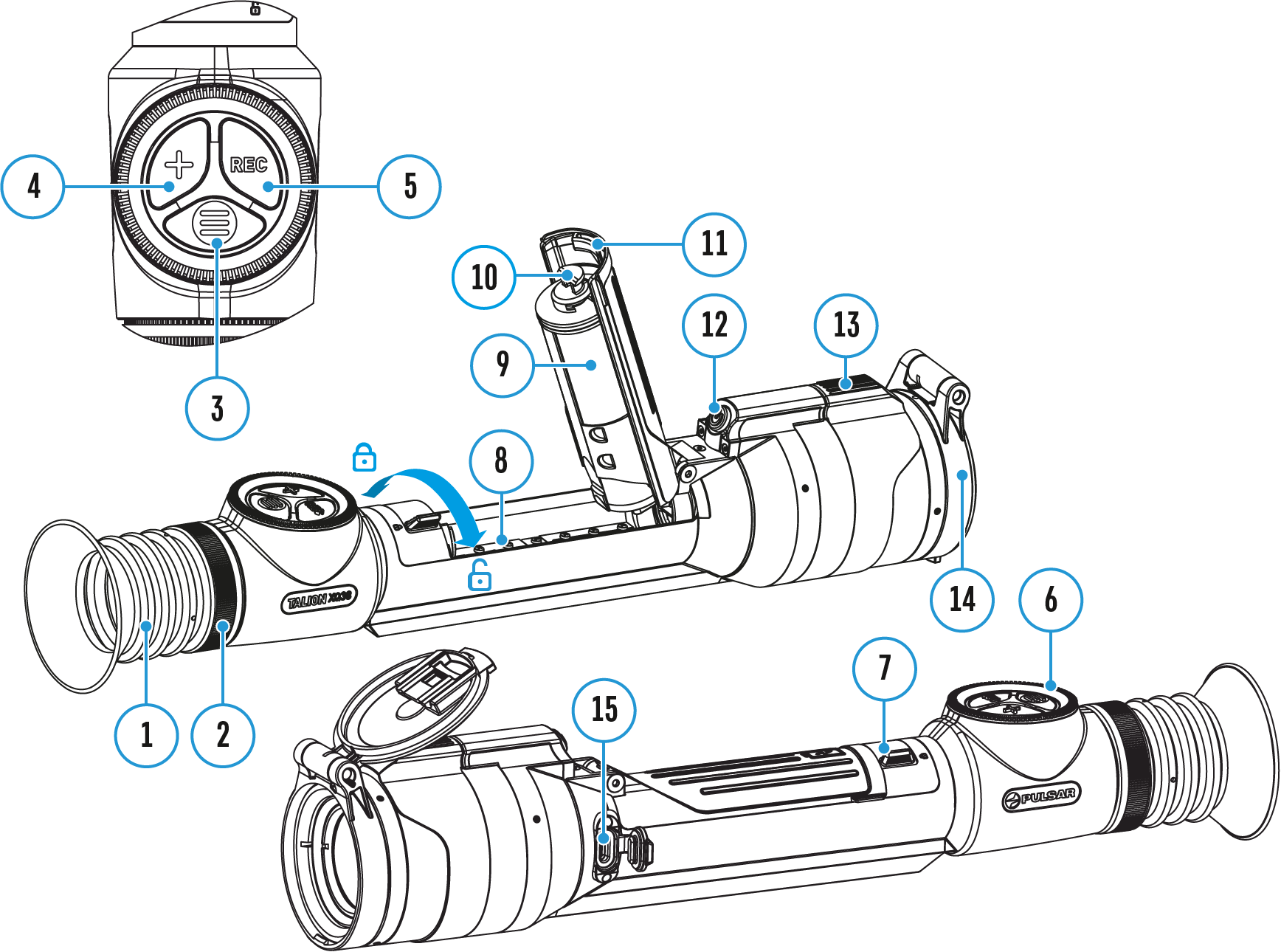
#### **Video Recording**

* Built-in photo and video recorder with audio
* 16 GB internal memory
* iOS and Android compatible
* Storing photos and videos in Cloud when using the Stream Vision 2 App

#### **Battery Pack**

* Quick-change rechargeable Li-Ion 4900 mAh Battery Pack APS5
* Charging via USB Type-C port

## Components and Controls



1. Eyecup
2. Eyepiece diopter adjustment ring
3. MENU button
4. ZOOM button
5. REC button
6. Controller
7. Battery compartment cover lock
8. Battery compartment
9. Battery APS 5
10. APS 5 adapter
11. Battery compartment cover
12. ON/OFF button
13. Lens focus control
14. Lens cap
15. USB Type-C port

## Specifications

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| **Model** | **XQ38** | **XG35** |
| SKU | 76561 | 76563 |
| **Microbolometer** |  | |
| Type | uncooled | |
| Resolution, pixels | 384x288 | 640x480 |
| Pixel Pitch, µm | 17 | 12 |
| NETD, mK | < 40 | |
| Frame refresh rate, Hz | 50 | |
| **Optical Specifications** |  | |
| Lens, mm | F38 F/1.2 | F35 F/1.0 |
| Magnification, x | 2.5-10 | 2-16 |
| Eye relief, mm/inch | 50/1.96 | |
| Field of view (H), °/m@100 | 9.8/17.2 | 12.5 / 21.9 |
| Diopter adjustment, D | -3/+4 | |
| Detection distance (Object of "deer" type), m/y | 1350/1476 | 1750 / 1914 |
| **Aiming Reticle** |  | |
| Click value (H/V), mm@100 m – when magnifying, x | 17 – 2.5х  8.5 – 5х  4.25 – 10х | 21 – 2х  10.5 – 4х  5.25 – 8х  2.6 – 16х |
| Click range, mm@100 m (H/V) | 3400/3400 | 4200/4200 |
| **Display** |  | |
| Type | AMOLED | |
| Resolution, pixels | 1024х768 | |
| **Operating Features** |  | |
| Diameter of the riflescope body to assemble the mounting rings, mm | 30 | |
| Power Supply, V | 3–4.2 | |
| Battery type / Capacity / Rated Output Voltage | Li-Ion Battery Pack АPS5 / 4900 mAh / DC 3.7 V (removable) | |
| External Power Supply | 5 V, 9 V (USB Type-C Power Delivery) | |
| Battery Pack operating time at temp. = 22 °C, hrs\*\* | 9 | 7 |
| Max. recoil power on rifled weapon, Joules | 6000 | |
| Max. recoil power on smoothbore weapon, caliber | 12 | |
| Degree of protection IP code (IEC60529) | IPX7 | |
| Operating temperature, °С / °F | -25 – +50 / -13 – +122 | |
| Dimensions with an eyecup, mm/inch | 330x57x67 / 12.99x2.24x2.64 | |
| Weight (without removable battery), kg/oz | 0.7 / 24.69 | |
| **Video Recorder** |  | |
| Photo / video resolution, pixels | 1024x768 | |
| Video / photo format | .mp4 / .jpg | |
| Built-in memory | 16 GB | |
| **Wi-Fi Channel\*\*\*** |  | |
| Frequency | 2.4/5 GHz | |
| Standard | IEEE 802.11 b/g/n/ac | |

\* Purchased separately.

\*\* Actual battery life may vary depending on the use of Wi-Fi and the built-in video recorder.

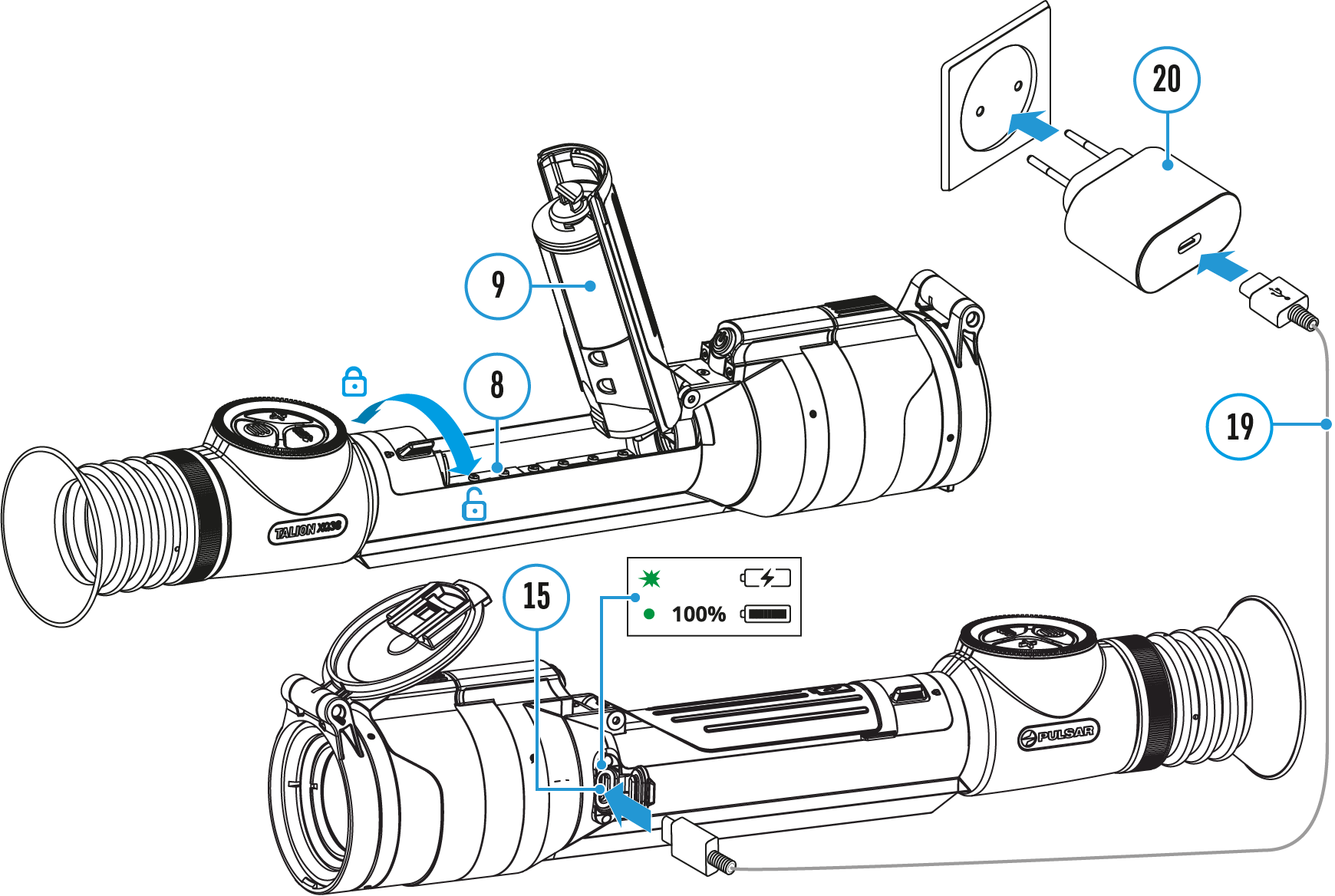
\*\*\* The reception range may vary depending on various factors: obstacles, other Wi-Fi networks.

# Power supply

## Battery Charging

**Talion**thermal imaging riflescopes come with a built-in rechargeable lithium-ion Battery Pack APS5. The batterу should be charged before first use.

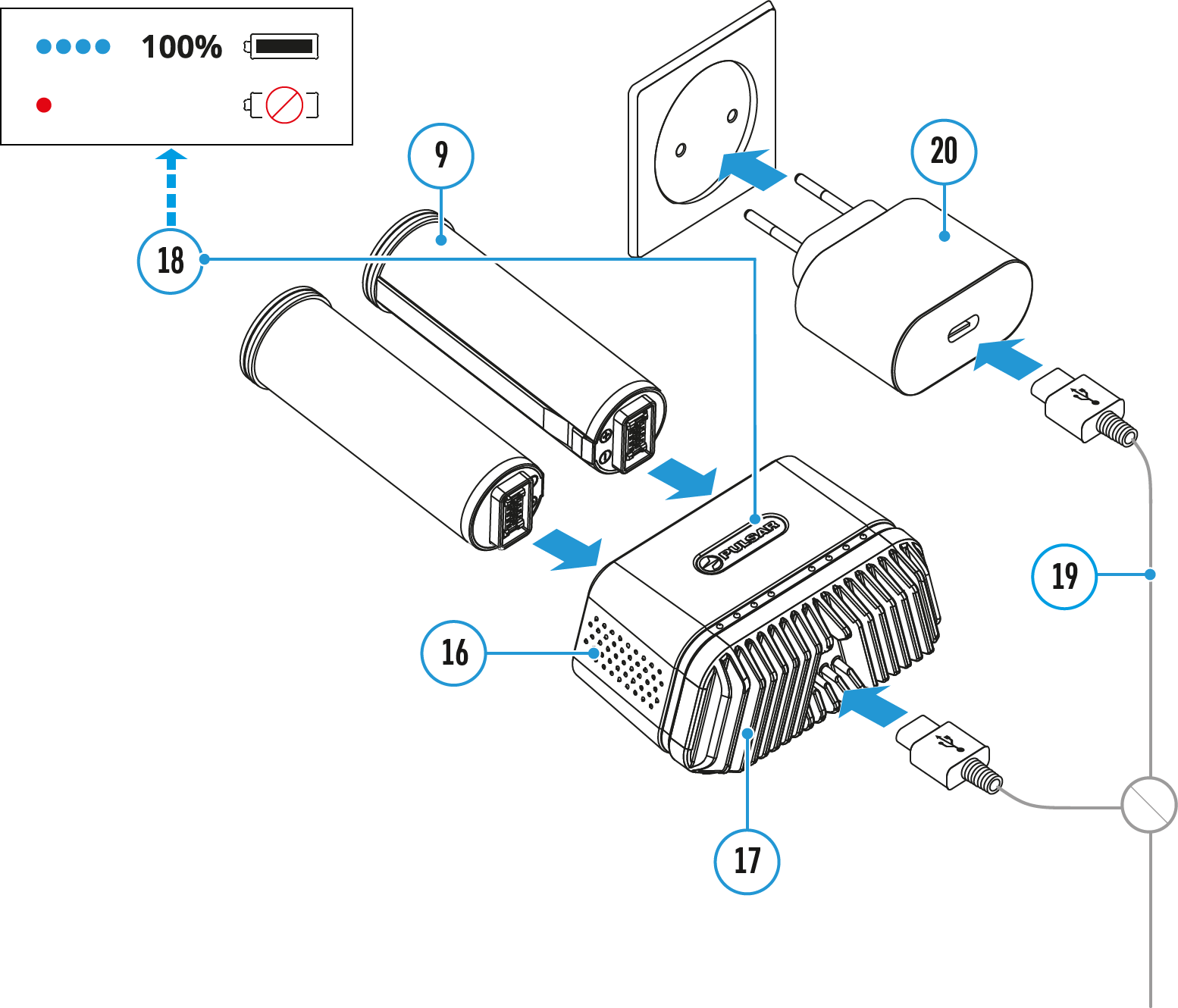
#### **Option 1**



1. [**Install**](#_Battery_Installation) the APS 5 battery **(9)** in the battery compartment **(8)** of the device.
2. Connect the USB Type-C cable **(19)** to the USB Type-C connector **(15)** of the device.
3. Connect the other end of the USB Type-C cable **(19)** to the Power Adapter **(20)** by removing the USB Type-A adapter.
4. Plug the Power Adapter **(19)** into a 100-240 V socket**.**
5. Wait until the battery is fully charged (indication in the status bar: https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2021/12/axionf_battery_icon4x.png ).

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| **LED indication** | **Battery charge status** |
|  | Battery is charging |
| https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2020/12/d1_led_green4x.png | Battery is fully charged |

#### **Option 2**



1. Insert the APS 5 battery **(9)** along the guide into the APS 5 charger\* **(16)** slot as far as it will go. The APS 5 charger is supplied with your device or purchased separately.
2. Connect the other end of the USB Type-C cable **(19)** to the Power Adapter **(20)** by removing the USB Type-A adapter.
3. Plug the Power Adapter **(20)** into a 100-240 V socket**.**
4. Connect the other end of the USB Type-C cable **(19)** to the USB Type-C connector **(17)**of the charger.
5. LED indicators **(18)** will display the battery charge level (see Table).
6. Wait until the battery is fully charged (LED indication **(18)**: https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2020/12/led_blue4x.pnghttps://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2020/12/led_blue4x.pnghttps://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2020/12/led_blue4x.pnghttps://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2020/12/led_blue4x.png).

Note: Two batteries\* can be charged at the same time, a second slot is provided for it.

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| **LED indication (18) in the battery charging mode** | **Battery Level** |
|  | Battery charge level is from 0% to 25% |
| https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2020/12/led_blue4x.png | Battery charge level is from 26% to 50% |
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| https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2020/12/led_red4x.png | Defective battery. **Do not use the battery!** |

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| **LED indication (18) in the standby mode**\*\* | **Battery Level** |
|  | Battery charge level is from 0% to 25% |
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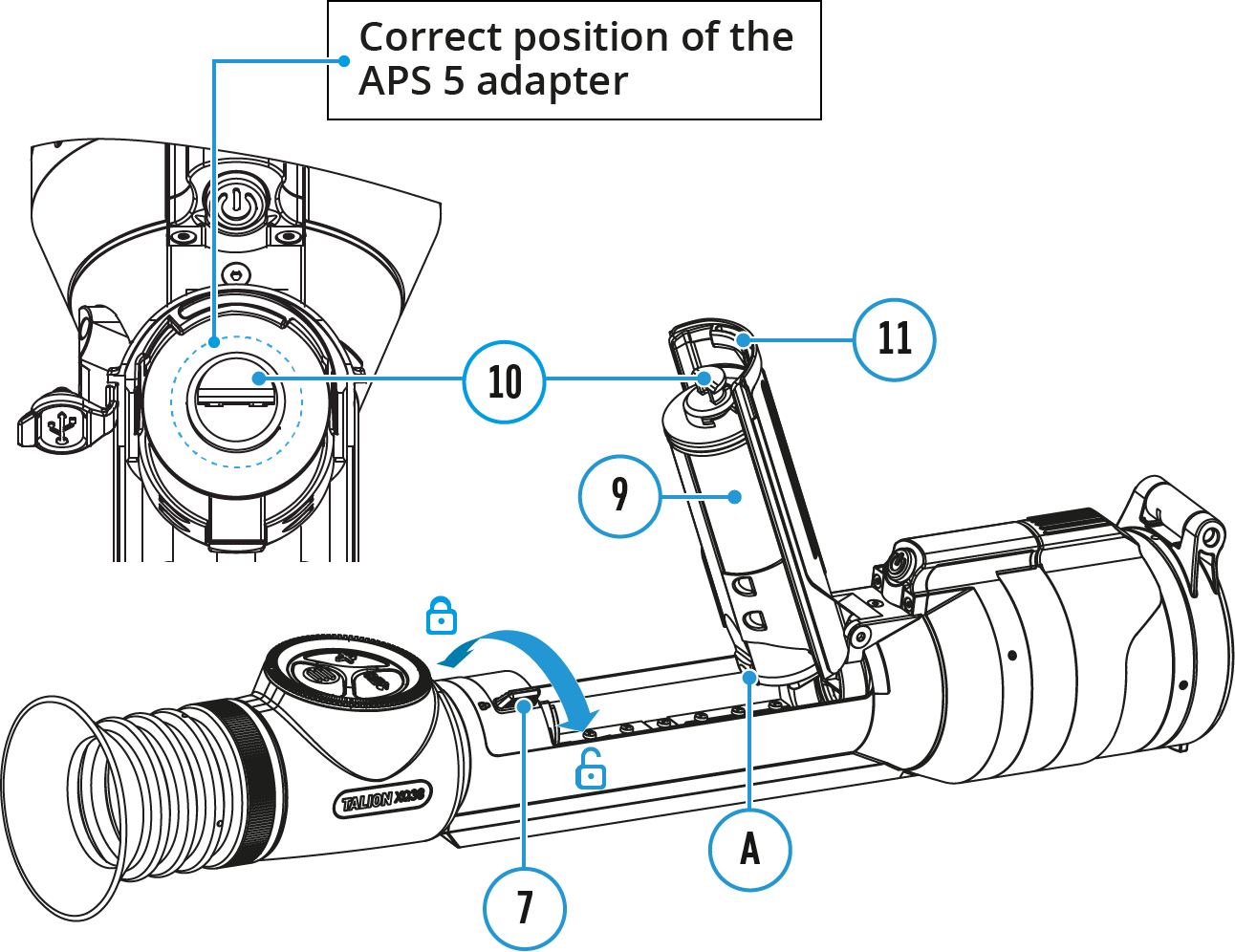
\* Available separately

\*\* Standby mode is when the batteries are in the charger but the Power Adapter is not connected. In this mode, the indicators are only on for 10 seconds.

**Attention!** When using a Power Adapter that does not support USB Power Delivery fast charging technology, the flicker frequency of the LED indicators decreases by a factor of 3 and the charge time increases.

**Attention!** The charger heats up during fast charging. Excess heat is removed through the radiator and does not affect the device operation.

## Battery Installation



1. Set the battery compartment lock **(7)** to the far right position https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2022/01/talion-lock-open4x.png.
2. Open the battery compartment cover **(11)**.
3. Insert the APS5 battery **(9)** with the attached APS5 adapter**(10)** into the battery compartment as shown in the image. The protrusion**(A)** on the battery should fit into the groove between the fasteners under the battery compartment cover**(11)**.
4. Close the battery compartment cover **(11)**.
5. Move the lock **(7)** to the far left position https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2022/01/talion_lock-closed4x.png.

## External Power Supply

External power can be supplied from an external source, such as a Power Bank (5 V, 9 V).

1. Connect the external power supply to the micro USB Type-C port **(15)** of the riflescope.
2. The riflescope switches to external power source, while the APS5 Battery Pack will gradually recharge.
3. A rechargeable battery icon https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2020/12/d1_battery-charging4x.png indicating a percentage of the battery life will appear in the status bar.
4. If the riflescope operates on external power supply but the Battery Pack is not installed, an icon https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2020/12/external_power4x.png is shown.
5. When external power supply is disconnected, the riflescope switches to the APS5 battery pack without powering off.

**Warning!** Charging APS5 batteries at air temperatures below 0° C (32° F) may reduce battery life. When using external power, connect the Power Bank to the device after it has been turned on and working for several minutes.

## Precautions

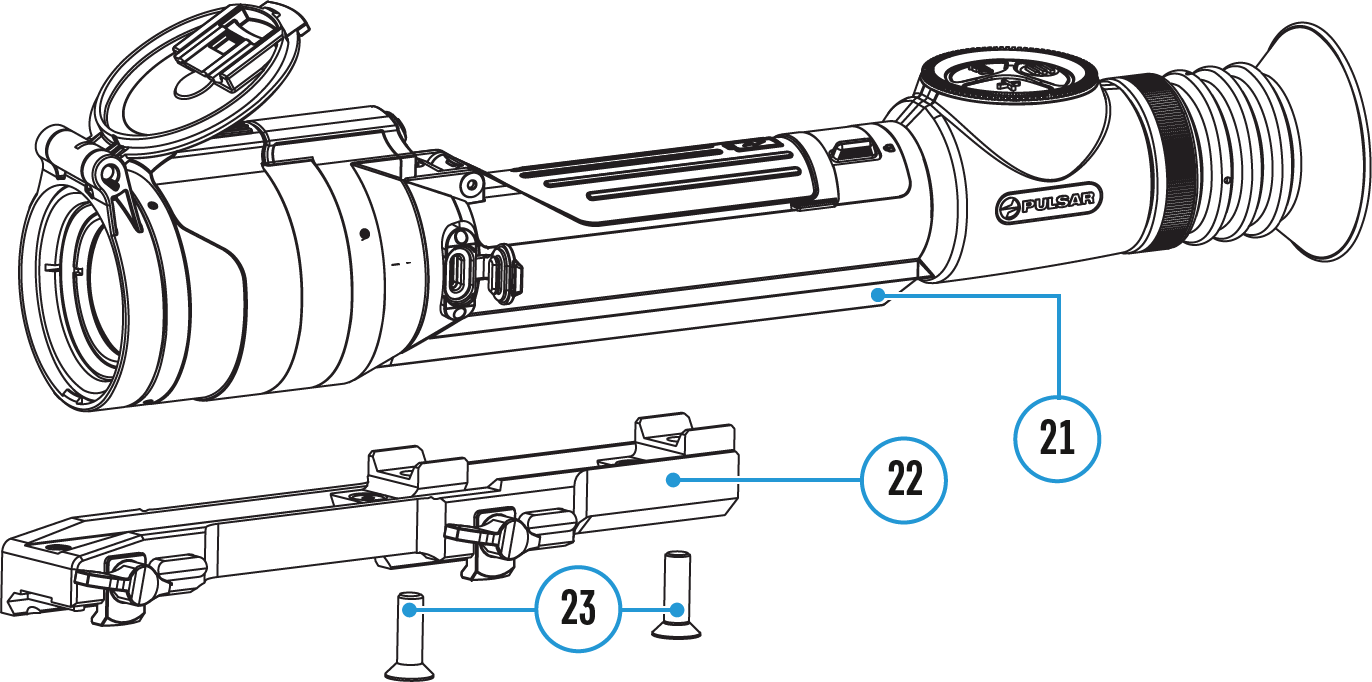
* Always use the APS 5 charger supplied with the device (or purchased separately) to charge the APS 5 Battery Pack. The use of any other charger may irreparably damage the Battery Pack or the charger and may cause fire.
* Do not charge the Battery Pack immediately after bringing it from a cold environment to a warm one. Wait for 30-40 minutes for the Battery Pack to get warm.
* Do not leave the Battery Pack unattended while charging.
* Never use a modified or damaged charger.
* Do not leave the Battery Pack with a charger connected to the power adapter after charging is complete.
* Do not expose the Battery Pack to high temperatures or an open flame.
* Do not submerge the Battery Pack in water.
* Do not connect an external device with a current consumption that exceeds permitted levels.
* Do not dismantle or deform the Battery Pack.
* Do not drop or hit the Battery Pack.
* Keep the Battery Pack out of the reach of children.

## Recommendations for Use

* The battery should be partially charged for long-term storage – 50 to 80 %.
* Charge the Battery Pack at a temperature from 0° C to +45° C (32° F to +113° F), otherwise the battery life will decrease significantly.
* When using the Battery Pack at sub-zero (sub 32° F) temperatures the battery capacity decreases. This is normal and is not a defect.
* Do not use the Battery Pack at temperatures above those shown in the table – this may decrease battery life.
* The Battery Pack is short circuit protected; however, any situation that may cause short-circuiting should be avoided.

# Getting Started

## Mounting on the Rifle

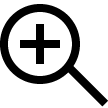


To ensure accurate shooting the **Talion**riflescope should be properly mounted on the rifle.

1. Secure the support\* **(22)** on the riflescope mount **(21)** using a hex key\* and two screws\* M6x20 mm **(23).**
2. Choosing the position of the mount helps to ensure the correct eye relief, depending on the type of rifle.
3. Install the riflescope with the mount on the rifle and check if the position is suitable for you, then remove it.
4. Unscrew the screws **(23)** halfway, apply some thread sealant onto the thread of the screws **(23)** and tighten them fully. Let the sealant dry for the time specified in the instructions. The riflescope is ready to be installed on a rifle and to be zeroed.
5. Before using the riflescope (especially for hunting), follow instructions in the [**Zeroing**](#_Zeroing) section.

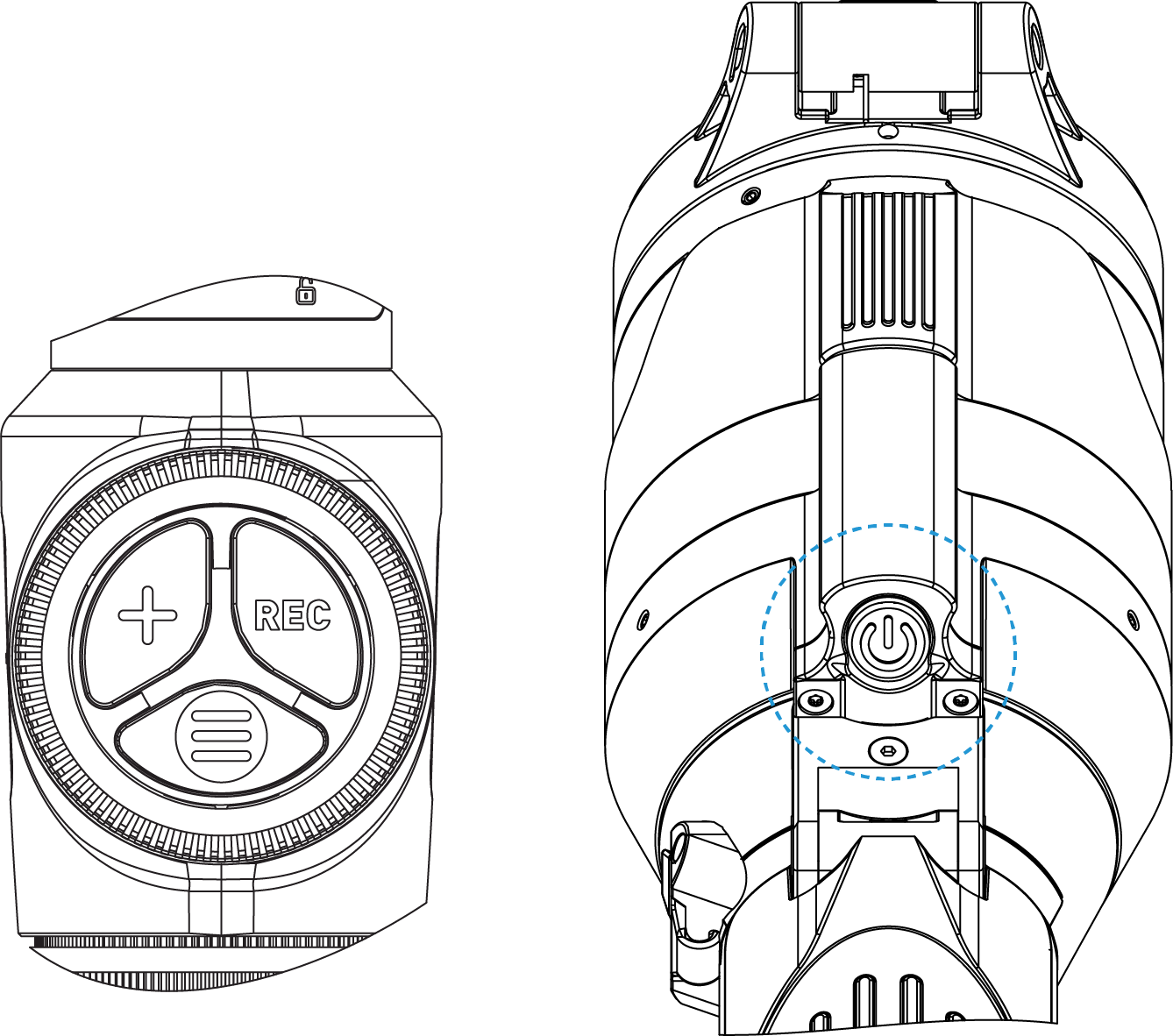
\* Available separately

## Powering on and Image Setting

1. Remove the lens cover **(14)**.
2. Turn the unit on with a short press of the**ON/OFF (12)** button.
3. Adjust the sharpness of the symbols on the display by rotating the dioptre adjustment ring of the eyepiece **(2)**.
4. Rotate the lens focus control **(13)** to focus on visual target.
5. Enter the main menu with a long press of the **MENU** **(3)**button and select the desired **calibration mode** by rotating the controller: manual **(M)**, semi-automatic **(SA)** or automatic **(A)**.
6. Calibrate the image with a short press of the **ON/OFF (12)** button (when calibration mode **SA** or **M** has been selected). Close the lens cap before manual calibration.
7. Activate the quick menu by briefly pressing the **MENU (3)** button to select the amplification level (**“Normal” https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2022/01/aplification_level_normal4x.png, “High” https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2022/01/aplification_level_high4x.png, “Ultra” https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2022/01/aplification_level_ultra4x.png**), adjust the brightness and contrast (see the [**Quick Menu**](#_Quick_Menu_Functions) section).
8. Press the **ZOOM (4)** button successively to change the magnification ratio of the riflescope. While the icon  is visible on the screen, rotate the controller **(6)** for smooth digital zooming from the current magnification.
9. Power the device off with a long press of the **ON/OFF (12)** button.

**Warning!** Never point the lens at intensive energy sources such as laser radiation emitting devices or the sun. It can damage electronic components in the device. The warranty does not cover damage arising from failure to comply with operating instructions.

## Button Operation

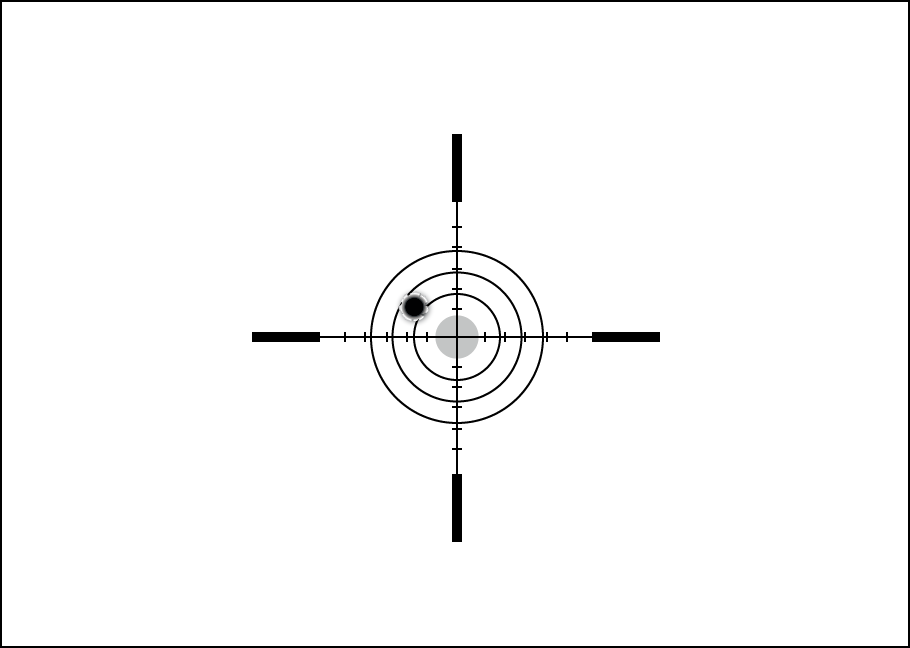


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| **Operation** | **Button** |
| Power device on | https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2020/12/on_button4x.pngshort press |
| Power device oﬀ | https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2020/12/on_button4x.pnglong press for 3 secs |
| Turn display oﬀ | https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2020/12/on_button4x.pnglong press for less than 3 secs |
| Turn display on | https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2020/12/on_button4x.pngshort press |
| Calibrate the microbolometer | https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2020/12/on_button4x.pngshort press |
| Control discrete digital zoom | https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2020/12/zoom_button4x.pngshort press |
| Smooth Zooming | https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2022/01/talion-controller4x.pngrotation |
| PiP on/oﬀ | https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2020/12/zoom_button4x.pnglong press |
| **Video Recorder** | **Button** |
| Start/pause/resume video recording | https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2020/12/d1_rec_button_thermion-digex4x.pngshort press |
| Stop video recording | https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2020/12/d1_rec_button_thermion-digex4x.pnglong press |
| Switch to video / photo mode | https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2020/12/d1_rec_button_thermion-digex4x.pnglong press |
| Capture Photo | https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2020/12/d1_rec_button_thermion-digex4x.pngshort press |
| **Main Menu** | **Button** |
| Enter main menu | https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2022/01/talion_menu-button4x.pnglong press |
| Navigation through menu | https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2022/01/talion-controller4x.pngrotation |
| Enter menu items | https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2022/01/talion_menu-button4x.pngshort press |
| Confirm value | https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2022/01/talion_menu-button4x.pngshort press |
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| **Quick Menu** | **Button** |
| Enter quick menu | https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2022/01/talion_menu-button4x.pngshort press |
| Switch between quick menu options | https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2022/01/talion_menu-button4x.pngshort press |
| Parameter change | https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2022/01/talion-controller4x.pngrotation |
| Exit quick menu | https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2022/01/talion_menu-button4x.pnglong press |

## Zeroing

Zeroing at a temperature close to the riflescope’s operating temperature is recommended.

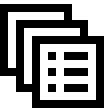
**Step 1. Take a shot**

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**1.** Shooting from a benchrest is recommended.

**2.** Set a target at a known distance.

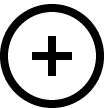
**3.** Adjust the riflescope according to the [**Powering on and Image Setting**](#_Powering_on_and) section.

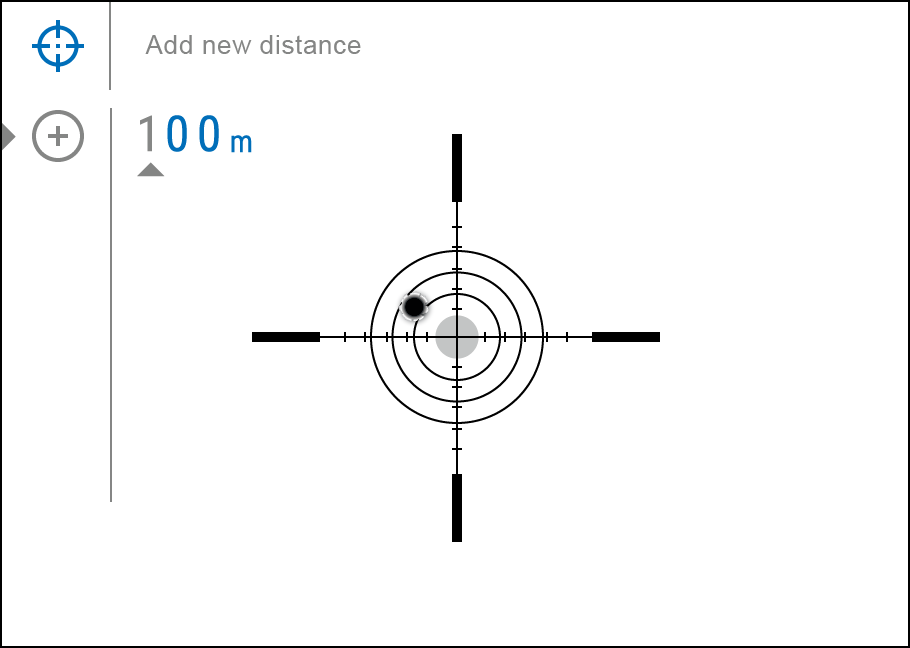
**4.** Select the zeroing profile (see **Reticle & Zeroing  ->**[**Zeroing Profile**](#_Zeroing_Profile)  main menu item)

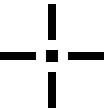
**5.** Point the rifle at the center of the target and shoot.

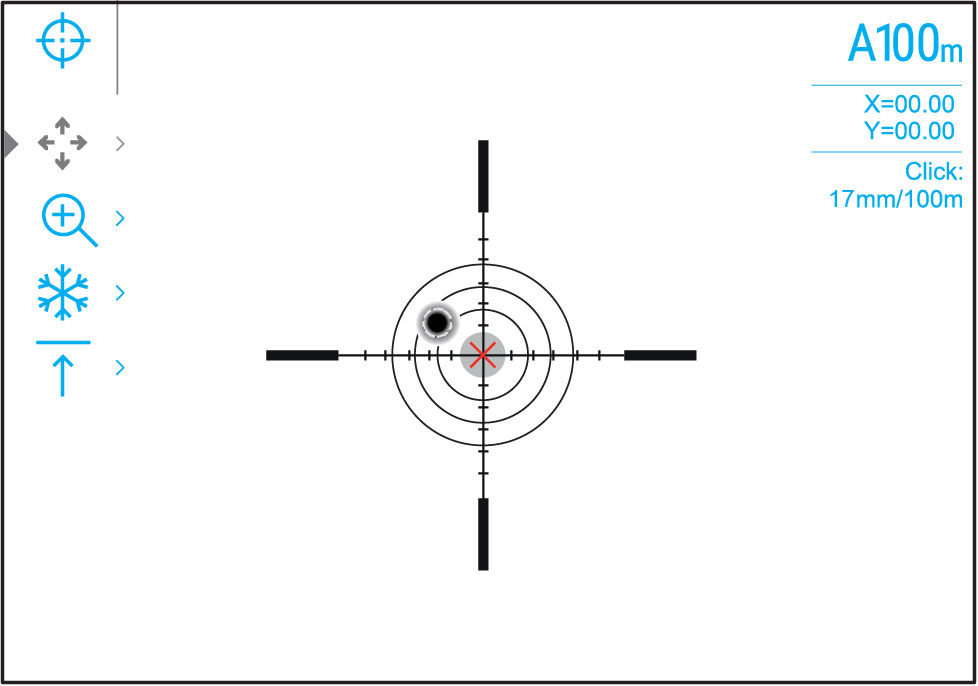
**Step 2. Align the reticle with the point of impact**

**1.** Press and hold the**MENU (3)**button to enter the main menu.

**2.** Add the distance you are aiming at (e.g. 100 meters):**Reticle & Zeroing  ->**[**Add New Distance**](#_Add_New_Distance) . Select the value for each distance digit by rotating the controller**(6)**. Press the **MENU (3)**button briefly to switch between digits. After setting the required distance, press and hold the **MENU (3)**button to save it.

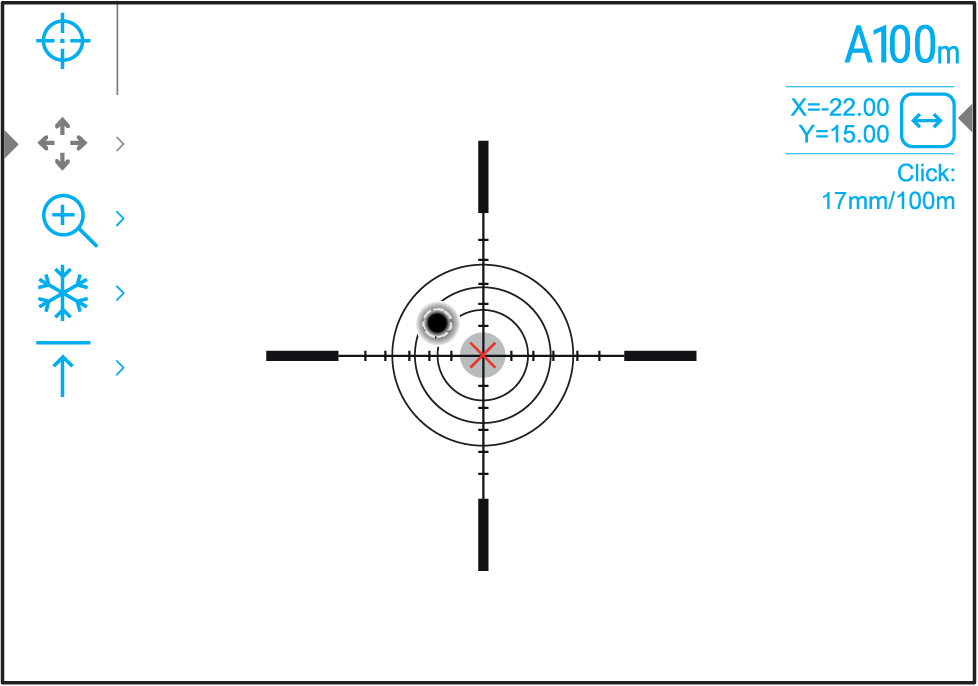


**3.** After adding the distance, it will switch to the **Zeroing parameters settings** menu . An auxiliary cross https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2020/12/zeroing_cross_hairs4x.png will appear in the center of the display, and X and Y coordinates of the auxiliary cross will appear in the upper right corner.



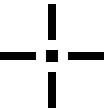
**4.** Press the **MENU (3)**button briefly to enter the **Windage/Elevation**https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2020/12/d1_windage-elevation4x.png submenu.

**5.** While holding the reticle at the aiming point, move the auxiliary cross https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2020/12/zeroing_cross_hairs4x.png until it is aligned with the impact point by rotating the controller **(6)**.



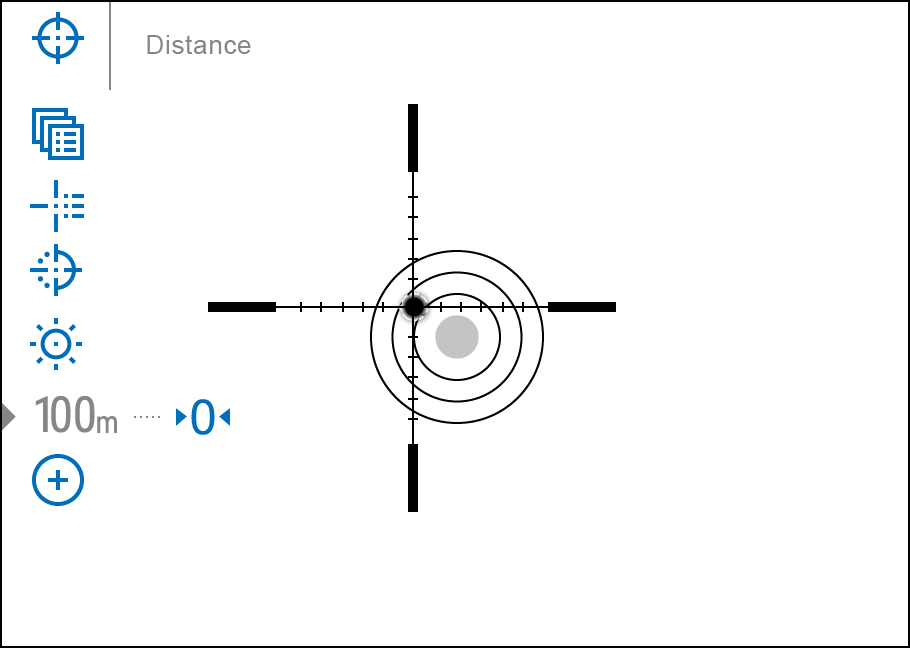
**6.** To change the direction of the auxiliary cross movement from horizontal to vertical, press the **MENU (3)**button briefly.

**One-shot "Freeze Zeroing" function:**

Using the [**Freeze**](#_Freeze) function allows you to make adjustments without the need to hold the rifle precisely at the initial aiming point – freezing the zeroing screen (refer to **Reticle & Zeroing ** menu item => **Distance** submenu => **Zeroing Parameters Settings** submenu => **Freeze https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2020/12/d1_freeze4x.png** submenu or short pressing of the **ON/OFF (12)** button. The image will “freeze” and the **https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2020/12/d1_freeze4x.png** icon will appear.

**Step 3. Save the coordinates**

**1.** Press and hold the **MENU (3)**button to save a new position for the reticle. The reticle will be aligned with the impact point and it will exit the **Windage/Elevation**https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2020/12/d1_windage-elevation4x.png submenu.



**2.** Press and hold the **MENU (3)**button again to exit the zeroing settings menu - the message “Zeroing coordinates saved” appears, confirming the successful operation.

**3.** Fire a second shot - now the point of impact and the aiming point must be matched.

# Interface

## Status Bar

https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2022/01/talion_status_bar2x.png

The status bar at the bottom of the display shows current operating statuses via icons, including:

1. Colour Mode (shown only when the Black Hot colour mode is selected)
2. Actual zeroing profile (e.g., A)
3. Zeroing distance (e.g., 100 m)
4. Amplification level (e.g., Normal)
5. Smoothing Filter (displayed when the function is on)
6. Calibration mode (a countdown timer https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2020/12/calibration_timer4x.png will appear instead of the calibration icon when in automatic calibration mode with 3 seconds remaining until automatic calibration)
7. Magnification
8. Microphone
9. Wi-Fi connection
10. Auto Shutdown function (e.g., 5 min.)
11. Clock
12. Power Indication:

https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2020/12/battery_level4x.png - charge level if the device is powered by a battery

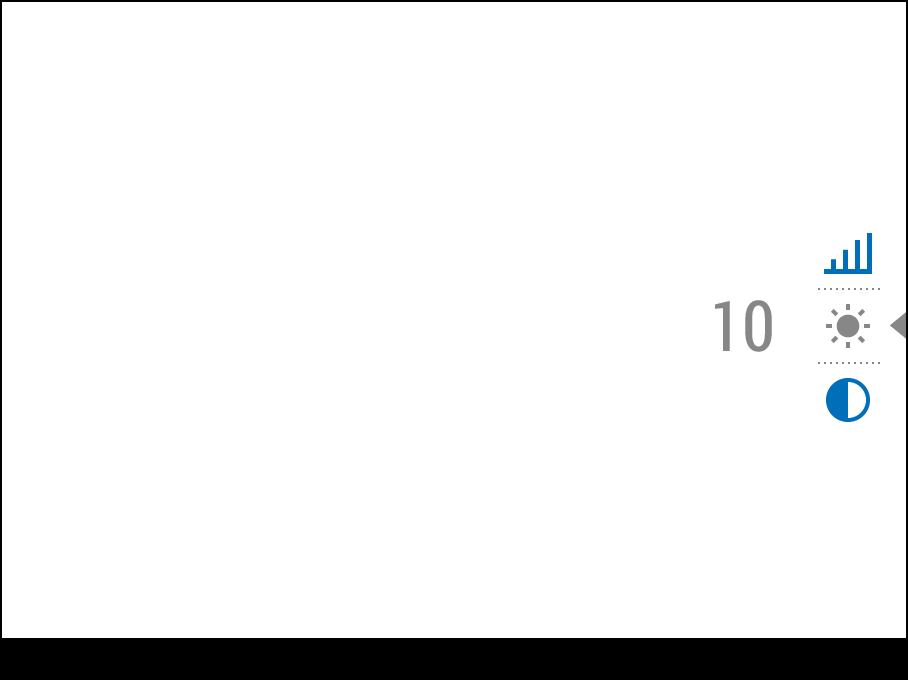
https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2020/12/d1_battery-charging4x.png - charge level if the device is charging and powered by a battery

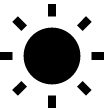
https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2020/12/external_power4x.png - no battery, the device is connected to an external power supply

## Quick Menu

The quick menu allows you to control the main settings of the riflescope (brightness, contrast), select the sensitivity amplifying level, measure the distance using a stadiometric rangefinder and change the zeroing distance (if there are several) to another one in the current profile.

* Press the **MENU (3)**button briefly to enter the quick menu.
* A short press of the **MENU (3)**button enables you to switch between functions, as described below.



**Brightness** – rotate the controller **(6)** to change the display brightness value from 00 to 20.

**Contrast**https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2020/12/d1_contrast4x.png – rotate the controller **(6)** to change the image contrast value from 00 to 20.

 – information on the current profile and zeroing distance in this profile (e.g., profile A, zeroing distance of 100 m). This information is always displayed in the status bar. Rotate the controller **(6)** to switch between the zeroing distances in the selected profile. This function is available if there are two or more distances in the profile.

**Amplification Levels ** – allows you to select one of three [**amplifying levels of sensitivity**](#_Amplification_Level)(Normal https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2022/01/aplification_level_normal4x.png, High https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2022/01/aplification_level_high4x.png, Ultra https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2022/01/aplification_level_ultra4x.png).

*Note:* To maintain brightness and contrast settings when changing amplifying levels, activate [**User Mode**](#_User_Mode).

**Stadiametric rangefinder** https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2020/12/d1_stadiametric-rangefinder4x.png – rotating the controller **(6)**, change the distance between the special mark points to determine the distance to the observed object (for more details on the rangefinder, see the [**Stadiametric Rangefinder**](#_Stadiametric_Rangefinder) section).

* Press and hold the **MENU (3)**button to exit the menu or wait 10 seconds to exit automatically.

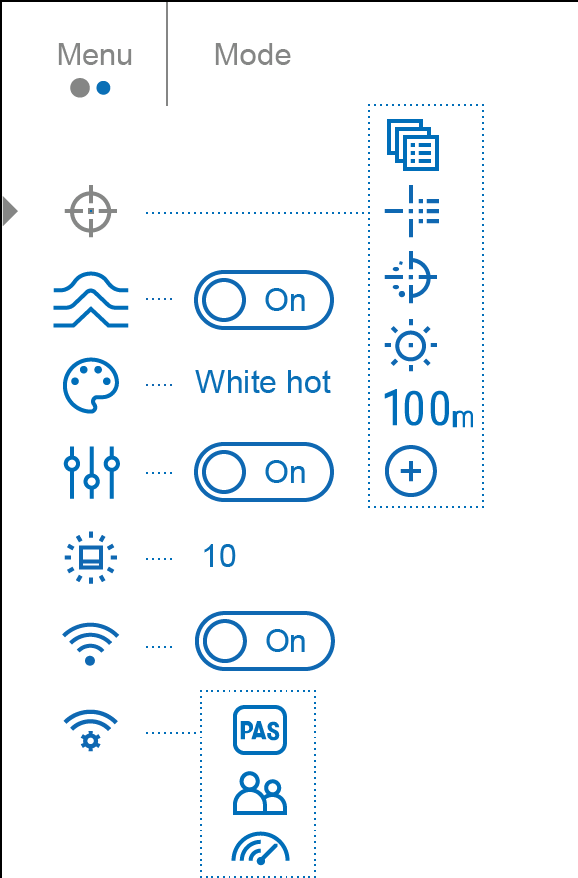
## Main Menu

### Enter the Main Menu

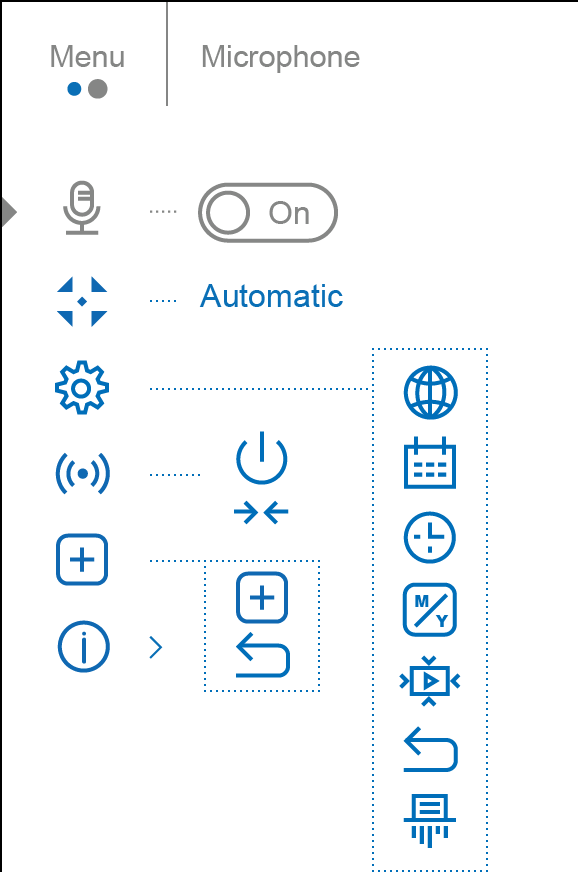
1. Enter the main menu with a long press of the **MENU (3)**button.
2. To move through the main menu items, rotate the controller **(6)**.
3. Press the **MENU (3)**button briefly to open subitems of the main menu.
4. Press and hold the **MENU (3)**button to exit from a subitem of the main menu.
5. Automatic exit from the main menu occurs after 10 seconds of inactivity.

#### **General View of the Menu**

###### **Tab 1**



###### **Tab 2**



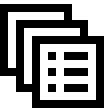
### Reticle & Zeroing

#### Zeroing Profile

This item of the main menu allows you to select one of five profiles (А, В, С, D, E) to use. Each profile stores information on the following parameters:

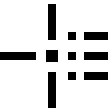
* A set of zeroed distances
* Reticle colour
* Reticle type

Different profiles can be used when using the riflescope on different rifles or when shooting with different bullets.

1. Press and hold the **MENU (3)** button to enter the main menu.
2. Rotate the controller **(6)** to select the **Reticle & Zeroing ** menu item.
3. Press the **MENU (3)** button briefly to enter the Reticle & Zeroing submenu.
4. Press the **MENU (3)** button briefly to enter the **Zeroing Profile** ****submenu.
5. Rotate the controller **(6)** to select one of the zeroing profiles (marked with the letters A, B, C, D, E).
6. Confirm your selection with a short press of the **MENU (3)** button.
7. The name of the selected profile appears in the status bar at the bottom of the display.

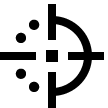
#### Reticle Type

Selection of the aiming reticle shape.

1. Press and hold the **MENU (3)** button to enter the main menu.
2. Rotate the controller **(6)** to select the **Reticle & Zeroing ** menu item.
3. Press the **MENU (3)** button briefly to enter the Reticle & Zeroing submenu.
4. Rotate the controller **(6)** to select the **Reticle Type**  submenu.
5. Press the **MENU (3)** button briefly to enter the Reticle Type submenu.
6. Rotate the controller **(6)** to select the desired aiming reticle shape from the list that appears. The reticle type changes as the cursor goes down the reticle list.
7. Press the **MENU (3)** button briefly to confirm the selection.

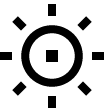
#### Reticle Colour

Selection of reticle colour.

1. Press and hold the **MENU (3)** button to enter the main menu.
2. Rotate the controller **(6)** to select the **Reticle & Zeroing ** menu item.
3. Press the **MENU (3)** button briefly to enter the Reticle & Zeroing submenu.
4. Rotate the controller **(6)** to select the **Reticle Colour**  submenu.
5. Press the **MENU (3)** button briefly to enter the Reticle Colour submenu.
6. Rotate the controller **(6)** to select one of the colour options for the reticle: Black/Red, White/Red, Black/Green, White/Green, Red, Green, Yellow, Blue, Orange, Black/White, White/Black.
7. Press the **MENU (3)** button briefly to confirm the selection.

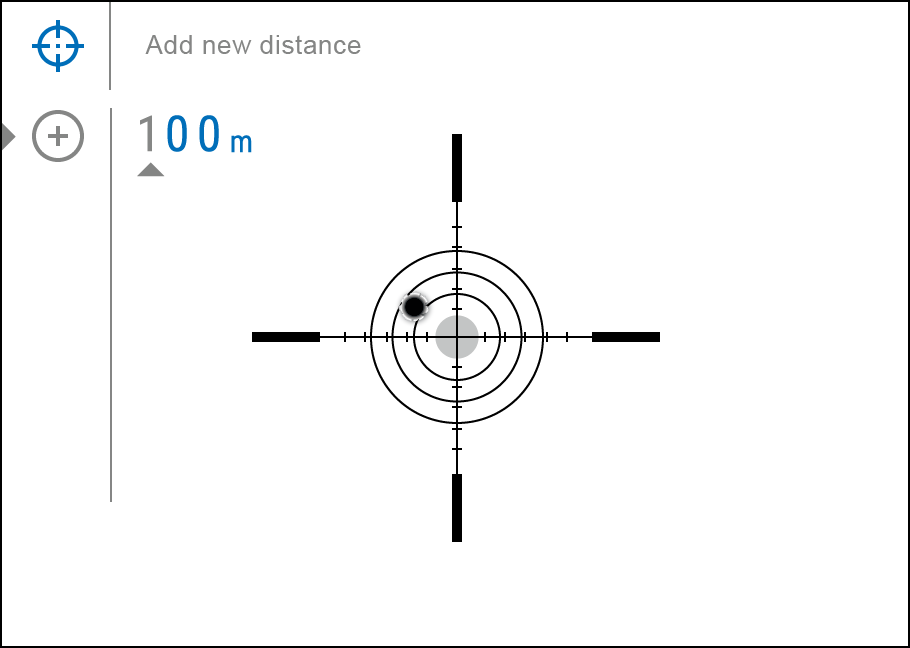
#### Reticle Brightness

Adjust the brightness level of the aiming reticle.

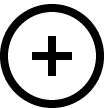
1. Press and hold the **MENU (3)** button to enter the main menu.
2. Rotate the controller **(6)** to select the **Reticle & Zeroing ** menu item.
3. Press the **MENU (3)** button briefly to enter the Reticle & Zeroing submenu.
4. Rotate the controller **(6)** to select the **Reticle Brightness**  submenu.
5. Press the **MENU (3)** button briefly to enter the Reticle Brightness submenu.
6. Rotate the controller **(6)** to set the desired brightness level (1 to 10).
7. Press the **MENU (3)** button briefly to confirm the selection.

#### Zeroing

##### Add New Distance



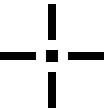
To zero your riflescope, you need to set a zeroing distance first in the range of 1 to 910 m (955 yards).

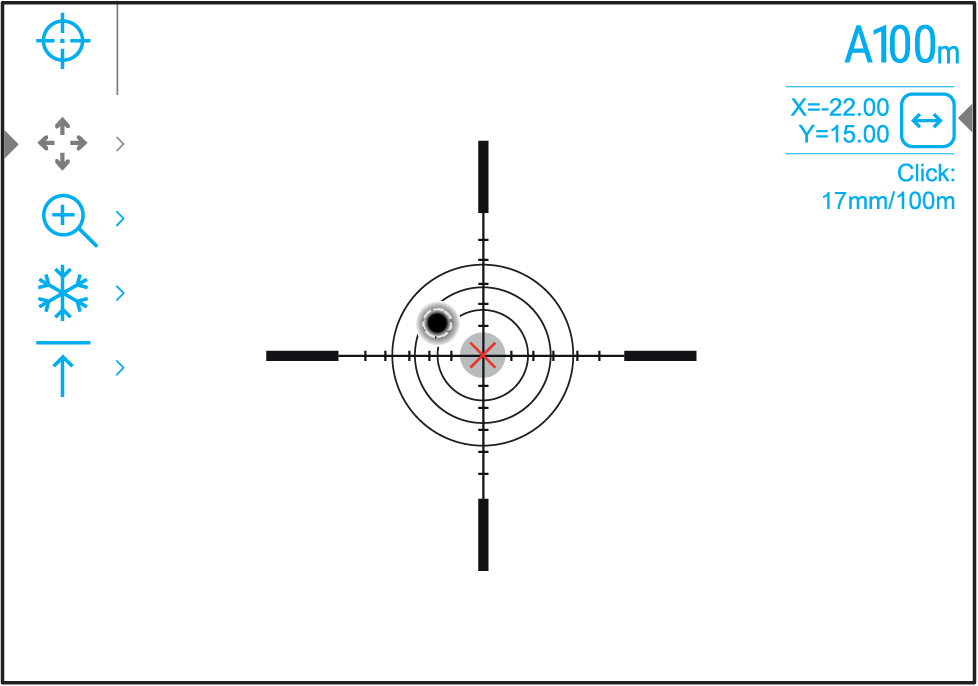
1. Press and hold the**MENU (3)**button to enter the main menu.
2. Rotate the controller **(6)** to select the **Reticle & Zeroing ** menu item.
3. Press the **MENU (3)**button briefly to enter the Reticle & Zeroing submenu.
4. Rotate the controller **(6)** to select **Add New Distance**  menu item.
5. Press the **MENU (3)**button briefly to enter the submenu.
6. Rotate the controller **(6)** to select a value for each digit. Press the **MENU (3)**button briefly to switch between digits .
7. Having set the desired distance, press and hold the **MENU (3)**button to save it.

The distance you set first becomes a **primary distance** – shown with icon https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2020/12/d1_primary-distance4x.png on the right to the distance value.

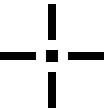
*Note:* Maximum number of zeroing distances is 10 for each profile.

##### Zeroing Parameters Settings

1. Press and hold the **MENU (3)** button to enter the main menu.
2. Rotate the controller **(6)** to select the **Reticle & Zeroing** menu item and enter by briefly pressing the **MENU (3)** button – zeroed distances are displayed at the bottom.
3. The values (e.g., +7.0) shown on the right of the distance values, stand for the number of clicks along the Y axis, at which the reticle position at other distances differs from the reticle position in the primary distance.
4. To zero at any distance again, rotate the controller **(6)** to select the required distance and briefly press the **MENU (3)** button.
5. Rotate the controller **(6)** to select the **Zeroing Parameters Settings** and enter by briefly pressing the **MENU (3)** button.
6. [**Zeroing**](#_Zeroing) screen, which allows the change of zeroing coordinates, will appear:

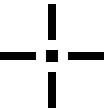
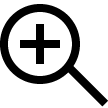


##### Windage/Elevation

The **Windage/Elevation https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2020/12/d1_windage-elevation4x.png** additional menu item in the [**Zeroing Parameters Settings**](#_Zeroing_Parameters_Settings) menu allows you to adjust the reticle position. For a detailed description of the reticle adjusting, refer to the [**Zeroing**](#_Zeroing) section.

##### Magnification (when Zeroing)

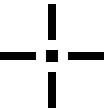
Magnification allows you to magnify via the device’s digital zoom when zeroing, which reduces the MOA-per-click values of adjustments and improves zeroing accuracy.

1. In the [**Zeroing Parameters Settings**](#_Zeroing_Parameters_Settings)  menu, rotate the controller **(6)** to select the **Magnification**  submenu item and enter by briefly pressing the **MENU (3)** button.
2. Rotate the controller **(6)** to select a digital magnification value of the riflescope (e.g., x4).
3. Press the **MENU (3)** button briefly to confirm your selection.

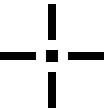
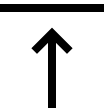
The minute of angle click when using the Magnification function is indicated in the Table of [**Technical Specifications**](#_Specifications).

##### Freeze

The “freeze” function allows the user to freely move or manipulate the rifle without losing reticle placement on the point of aim during adjustments.

1. In the [**Zeroing Parameters Settings**](#_Zeroing_Parameters_Settings)****menu, rotate the controller **(6)** to move the cursor to the **Freeze** https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2020/12/d1_freeze4x.png function.
2. Align the reticle with the point of aiming and press the **MENU (3)**button or the **ON/OFF (12)** button. A screenshot will be taken, an icon https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2020/12/d1_freeze4x.png will appear.
3. Go to the additional [**Windage/Elevation**](#_Windage/Elevation) https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2020/12/d1_windage-elevation4x.png submenu and adjust the position of the reticle (see the [**Zeroing**](#_Zeroing) section).
4. Select the **Freeze**https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2020/12/d1_freeze4x.png submenu item again and briefly press the **MENU (3)**button or **ON/OFF (12)** button - the image will “unfreeze”.

##### Name Distance

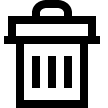
1. In the [**Zeroing Parameters Settings**](#_Zeroing_Parameters_Settings)**** menu, rotate the controller **(6)** to select the **Name Distance**  submenu item and enter it by briefly pressing the **MENU (3)**button​.
2. Rotate the controller**(6)** to select a value for each digit. Press the **MENU (3)**button briefly to switch between digits.
3. Press and hold the **MENU (3)**button to confirm the selection.

##### Change Primary Distance

1. Press and hold the **MENU** **(3)**button to enter the main menu.
2. Rotate the controller **(6)** to select the **Reticle & Zeroing**  menu item and enter by briefly pressing the **MENU** **(3)**button – zeroed distances are displayed at the bottom.
3. Select a non-primary distance and enter the submenu for operating the distance with a brief press of the **MENU** **(3)**button.
4. Select **Change Primary Distance** https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2020/12/d1_primary-distance4x.png item.
5. Press the **MENU** **(3)**button briefly.
6. Icon https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2020/12/d1_primary-distance4x.png next to the selected distance confirms the change of primary distance.

There will also be a recalculation of corrections in clicks for other distances relative to the new primary distance.

##### Delete Distance

1. Press and hold the **MENU** **(3)**button to enter the main menu.
2. Rotate the controller **(6)** to select the **Reticle & Zeroing** menu item and enter by briefly pressing the **MENU** **(3)**button – zeroed distances are displayed at the bottom.
3. Select the distance you wish to delete and enter the submenu for operating the distances with a brief press of the **MENU** **(3)**button.
4. Select **Delete Distance ** item.
5. Press the **MENU** **(3)**button briefly.
6. Select *“Yes”* in the appeared dialog box to delete a distance. *“No”* – to cancel deletion.
7. Press the controller button **(6)** briefly to confirm your selection.

**Attention!** If the primary distance is deleted, the first distance on the list automatically becomes the new primary distance.

### Smoothing Filter

Used to reduce digital distortion while maintaining a high level of sensitivity.

1. Press and hold the **MENU (3)** button to enter the main menu.
2. Rotate the controller **(6)**to select the **Smoothing Filter**https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2022/01/smoothing-filter4x.png icon.
3. Press the**MENU (3)** button briefly to turn the filter on/off.

### Colour Modes



Colour mode selection.

*White hot* is a default display mode for an observed image.

The Colour Modes menu item allows you to select an alternative palette:

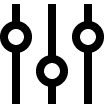
1. Press and hold the **MENU (3)**button to enter the main menu.
2. Select the **Colour Modes** https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2020/12/d1_color-mode4x.png menu item.
3. Press the **MENU (3)**button briefly to enter the Colour Modes submenu.
4. Rotate the controller **(6)** to select one of the palettes described below.
5. Press the **MENU (3)**button briefly to confirm your selection.

* White hot – a black and white palette (the black colour corresponds to cold temperature, the white colour – hot temperature)
* Black hot – a black and white palette (the white colour corresponds to cold temperature, the black colour – hot temperature)
* Red Hot
* Red Monochrome
* Rainbow
* Ultramarine
* Violet
* Sepia

**Attention!** The device does not measure the temperature of objects being observed. The image is formed based on the temperature differences of the objects.

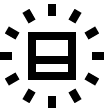
### User Mode

This mode is used to save the user’s brightness and contrast settings. The selected settings are retained after restarting the device.

1. Press and hold the **MENU (3)** button to enter the main menu.
2. Rotate the controller **(6)**to select the **User Mode** **** icon.
3. Press the**MENU (3)** button briefly to turn the filter on/off.

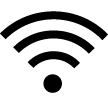
### Icon Brightness

Adjust the brightness level of the icons and screensavers (Pulsar, Display off) on the display.

1. Press and hold the **MENU (3)**button to enter the main menu.
2. Rotate the controller **(6)** to select the **Icon Brightness**  menu item.
3. Press the **MENU (3)**button briefly to enter the Icon Brightness submenu.
4. Rotate the controller **(6)** to set the desired brightness level (1 to 10).
5. Press the **MENU (3)**button briefly to confirm the selection.

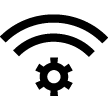
### Wi-Fi Activation

Turn on/off Wi-Fi

1. Press and hold the **MENU (3)**button to enter the main menu.
2. Rotate the controller **(6)** to select the **Wi-Fi Activation**  menu item.
3. To turn Wi-Fi on, briefly press the **MENU (3)**button.  https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2020/12/switch_on4x.png
4. To turn Wi-Fi off, briefly press the **MENU (3)**button.  https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2020/12/switch_off4x.png

### Wi-Fi Settings

This item enables you to set up your riflescope for operation in a Wi-Fi network.

1. Press and hold the controller **MENU (3)** button to enter the main menu.
2. Rotate the controller **(6)** to select the **Wi-Fi Settings**  submenu.
3. Press the **MENU (3)** button briefly to enter the submenu
4. Rotate the controller **(6)** to select the desired menu item.

#### **Password Setup**

This item enables you to set a password to access the riflescope from an external device. The password is used to connect an external device (i.e. smartphone) to the riflescope.

1. Press the **MENU (3)** button to enter the **Password Setup** https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2020/12/d1_password-setup4x.png submenu.
2. The default password (12345678) will appear on the screen.
3. Rotate the controller **(6)** to set the desired password. Press the **MENU (3)** button to toggle through the digits.
4. Press and hold the **MENU (3)** button to save the password and exit from the submenu.

#### **Access Level Setup**

This sub-function enables you to configure the appropriate level of access to your device made available to the Stream Vision 2 application.

**Owner level**. A Stream Vision 2 user has full access to all the device’s functions.

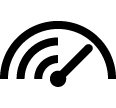
**Guest level**. A Stream Vision 2 user can only view video footage from the device in real time.

1. Press the **MENU (3)** button to enter the **Access Level Setup** https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2020/12/access-level-setup4x.png submenu.
2. Rotate the controller **(6)** to select **Owner** or **Guest**.
3. Confirm your selection with a short press of the **MENU (3)** button.

#### WiFi Bandwidth

This setting helps to solve a smartphone connection issue in the following cases:

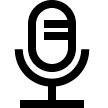
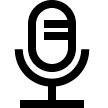
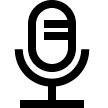
* If your smartphone does not support 5 GHz WiFi band, switch to 2.4 GHz band.
* Many WiFi networks may cause interference. In this case, switching between WiFi bands can improve the connection between the device and smartphone.

1. Press the **MENU (3)** button to enter the **WiFi Bandwidth**  submenu.
2. Rotate the controller **(6)** to select the WiFi bandwidth – **5 GHz** or **2.4 GHz**.
3. Confirm your selection with a short press of the **MENU (3)** button.

### Microphone

Turning on/off Microphone.

This item allows you to enable (or disable) the microphone for recording sound during video recording.

1. Press and hold the **MENU (3)**button to enter the main menu.
2. Rotate the controller **(6)** to select the **Microphone** menu item.
3. To turn on the microphone, briefly press the controller **MENU (3)**button.  https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2020/12/switch_on4x.png
4. To turn off the microphone, briefly press the controller **MENU (3)**button.  https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2020/12/switch_off4x.png

### Calibration Mode

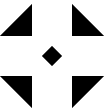
Calibration mode selection.

Calibration eliminates image flaws (such as vertical bars, phantom images, grainy field of view, etc.) by equalizing the microbolometer background temperature.

There are three calibration modes: **manual, semi-automatic** and **automatic**.

The selected calibration mode is displayed in the status bar (see [**Status Bar**](#_Status_Bar) section).

Select the required mode in the Calibration Mode item:

1. Press and hold the **MENU (3)**button to enter the main menu.
2. Rotate the controller **(6)** to select the **Calibration Mode**  menu item.
3. Press the **MENU (3)**button briefly to enter the Calibration Mode submenu.
4. Rotate the controller **(6)** to select one of the calibration modes described below.
5. Press the **MENU (3)**button briefly to confirm your selection.

#### **M mode (manual)**

* Close the lens cover **(14)** and press the **ON/OFF (12)** button briefly.
* Open the cover after the calibration is completed.

#### **SA mode (semi-automatic)**

* The user independently determines the need for calibration (according to the image being observed).
* Press the **ON/OFF (12)** button briefly to activate calibration.
* There is no need to close the lens cover (internal shutter covers the microbolometer).

#### **A Mode (automatic)**

* The riflescope is calibrated autonomously according to the software algorithm.
* There is no need to close the lens cover (internal shutter covers the microbolometer).
* In this mode, the riflescope may be calibrated by the user with the **ON/OFF (12)** button.

Note: a display image freezes until the calibration is in progress.

### General Settings

1. Press and hold the **MENU (3)** button to enter the main menu.
2. Rotate the controller **(6)** to select the **General settings** https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2020/12/d1_general-settings4x.png menu item.
3. Press the **MENU (3)** button briefly to enter the submenu.
4. Rotate the controller **(6)** to select the desired menu item.

This menu item allows you to configure the following settings:

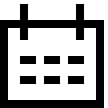
#### **Language**

Language selection:

1. Press the **MENU (3)** button briefly to enter the **Language** https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2020/12/d1_language4x.png submenu.
2. Rotate the controller **(6)** to select one of the available interface languages: English, German, Spanish, French, Russian, Italian, Portuguese, Dutch, Danish, Norwegian, Swedish, Polish, Czech, Hungarian.
3. Confirm your selection with a short press of the **MENU (3)**button.
4. Press and hold the **MENU (3)** button to save your selection and exit from the submenu.

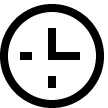
#### **Date**

Date Setting:

1. Press the **MENU (3)** button briefly to enter the **Date** submenu. The date is displayed in dd/mm/yyyy format.
2. Rotate the controller **(6)** to select the desired year, month and date. Press the **MENU (3)** button briefly to switch between digits.
3. Press and hold the **MENU (3)** button to save your selected date and exit from the submenu.

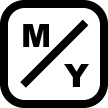
#### **Time**

Time Setting:

1. Press the **MENU (3)** button briefly to enter the **Time** submenu.
2. Rotate the controller **(6)** to select the time format - 24 or AM/PM.
3. Press the **MENU (3)** button to proceed to the hour setting.
4. Rotate the controller **(6)**to select the hour value.
5. Press the **MENU (3)**button to proceed to the minute setting.
6. Rotate the controller**(6)** to select the minutes value.
7. Press and hold the **MENU (3)** button to save your selected time and exit from the submenu.

#### **Units of Measure**

Units of measurement selection:

1. Press the **MENU (3)** button briefly to enter the **Units of Measure**  submenu.
2. Rotate the controller **(6)** to select the unit of measurement - meters or yards, press the **MENU (3)** button.
3. Return to submenu will happen automatically.

#### **Video Compression**

When set to ON, standard video compression is applied so the video file size is reduced.

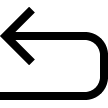
When set to OFF, minimal video compression is applied. In this case, the quality of the recorded video is better, but its size is significantly increased.

**Warning!** Larger video file size results in shorter total video recording time. This may lead to longer download times for video files through the Stream Vision 2 mobile application**.**

Enable/disable video compression:

1. Press and hold the **MENU (3)** button to enter the main menu.
2. Rotate the controller **(6)**to select the **Video Compression **menu item.
3. To turn on video compression, briefly press the **MENU (3)** button. https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2020/12/switch_on4x.png
4. To turn off video compression, briefly press theт**MENU (3)** button. https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2020/12/switch_off4x.png

#### **Default Settings**

1. Press the **MENU (3)** button briefly to enter the **Default Settings**  submenu.
2. Rotate the controller **(6)** to select “Yes” to restore default settings or “No” to cancel the action.
3. Confirm your selection with a short press of the **MENU (3)**button.

* If “Yes” is selected, display will show “Do you want to restore default settings?” and “Yes” and “No” options. Select “Yes” to restore default settings.
* If “No” option is selected: the action will be aborted and you will return to the submenu.

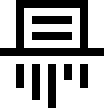
**The following settings will be returned to their defaults:**

* **Video Recorder Mode** – Video
* **Amplification Level** – Normal
* **Smoothing Filter**– Off
* **User Mode**- Off
* **Calibration Mode** – automatic
* **Interface Language** – English
* **Wi-Fi** – off (default password)
* **Magnification** – initial value (without digital zoom)
* **PiP** – Off
* **Colour Mode** – White hot
* **Units of Measurement** – metric
* **Side Incline** – Off
* **Zeroing Profile** – A
* **Reticle selection from the riflescope’s memory** – 1
* **WiFi Bandwidth –**5 GHz

**Attention!** After restoring default settings, the date, time and user pixel map as well as the zeroing profiles data entered by the user are saved.

#### **Format**

This menu option allows you to format the device's memory card. All files will be deleted.

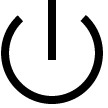
1. Press the **MENU (3)**button briefly to enter the **Format** submenu.
2. Rotate the controller **(6)**to select “Yes” to format the memory card, or “No” to return to the submenu.
3. Confirm your selection by pressing the **MENU (3)** button.

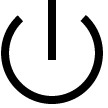
* If the “Yes” option has been selected, the "Do you want to format memory?" message and “Yes” and “No” options will appear on the display. Select “Yes” to format the memory card.
* If “No” option is selected: formatting is cancelled and return to the submenu.

### Accelerometer

#### Auto Shutdown

This item allows you to activate auto shutdown function for riflescope in a non-operating position (tilt up or down at an angle of more than 70°, right or left - at an angle of more than 30°). In this event, the controls (buttons, controller) are disabled.

1. Press and hold the **MENU (3)**button to enter the main menu.
2. Rotate the controller **(6)** to select the **Accelerometer**https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2020/12/accelerometer4x.png submenu.
3. Confirm the selection by briefly pressing the **MENU (3)**button.
4. Rotate the controller **(6)** to select **Auto Shutdown** .
5. Press the **MENU (3)**button to enter the submenu.
6. Rotate the controller **(6)** to select the time period **(1 min, 3 min, 5 min)** upon expiry of which the riflescope will automatically shut down, or select **Switch off** if you wish to deactivate Auto Shutdown.
7. Confirm your selection with a short press of the **MENU (3)**button.

*Note:* If the automatic shutdown function is activated, the status bar shows an icon ​and shutdown time period as  1 min.

#### Side Incline

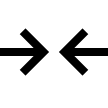
This item allows you to turn on/off the indication of horizontal (side) incline of the rifle. Side incline is indicated by “sector” arrows to the right and left of the reticle. Arrows show the direction in which you should move your rifle to eliminate incline.



There are three modes of incline:

* 5°-10° – one sector arrow;
* 10°-20° - two sector arrow;
* > 20° - three sector arrow.

A side incline of less than 5° is not displayed.

1. Press and hold the **MENU (3)**button to enter the main menu.
2. Rotate the controller **(6)** to select the **Accelerometer**https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2020/12/accelerometer4x.png menu item.
3. Press the **MENU (3)**button briefly to enter the Accelerometer submenu.
4. Rotate the controller **(6)** to select**Side Incline** .
5. Press the **MENU (3)**button briefly to enter the Side Incline submenu.
6. Rotate controller **(6)** to select *On* for turning on the incline indication or *Off* for turning it off.
7. Confirm your selection with a short press of the **MENU (3)**button**.**

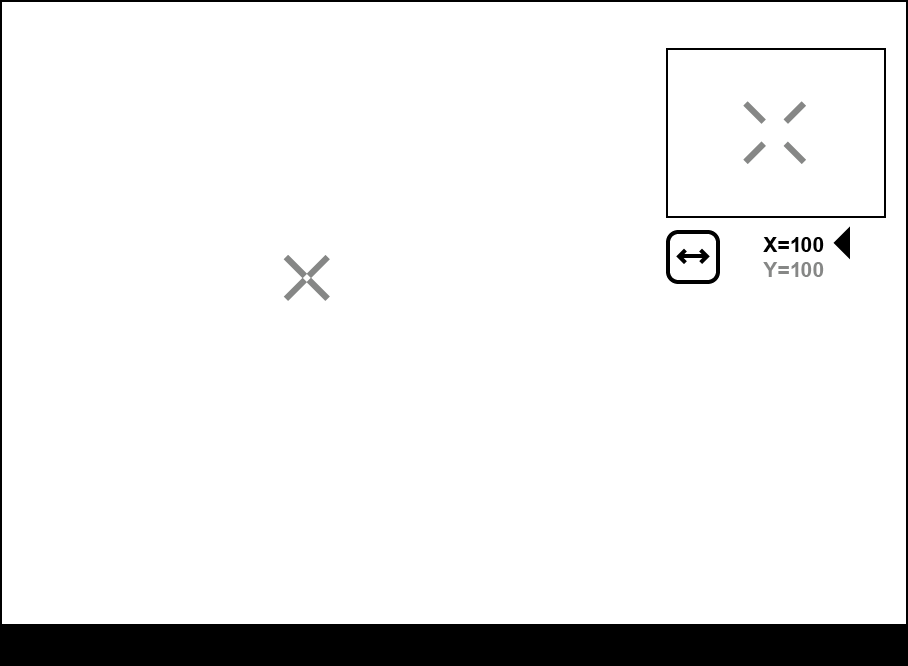
### Defective Pixel Repair

#### Defective Pixel Repair

When using the device, defective (dead) pixels may appear on the microbolometer. These are bright or dark points of a constant brightness that are visible on the image.

Defective pixels on the microbolometer can increase in size relative to the digital-zoom power.

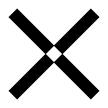
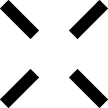
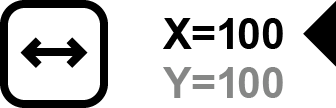
The **Talion**thermal riflescope allows the user to remove any defective pixels on the display, as well as cancel removal, via the device’s firmware.



#### **Step 1. Enter the menu to fix the defective pixels**

1. Press and hold the **MENU (3)**button to enter the main menu.
2. Rotate the controller **(6)** to select the **Defective Pixel Repair** https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2020/12/pixel-repair4x.png menu item.
3. Press the **MENU (3)**button to open the submenu.
4. Press the **MENU (3)**button briefly to select the icon https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2020/12/pixel-repair4x.png.

#### **Step 2. Select the defective pixel**

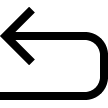
1. A marker  will appear on the left side of the display. A “magnifying glass” will appear on the right side of the display — a rectangle with an enlarged view of the marker  for precise pixel selection — and marker coordinates under the “magnifying glass” .
2. Rotate the controller **(6)** to move the marker to align its center with the defective pixel.
3. Press the **MENU (3)**button shortly to switch the marker direction from the horizontal to the vertical and vice versa.
4. Rotate the controller **(6)** to align the defective pixel with the fixed cross in the frame – the pixel should disappear.

#### **Step 3. Remove the defective pixel**

1. Delete the defective pixel with a short press of the **ON/OFF (12)** button.
2. Where the pixel has been successfully deleted, the OK message will appear on the screen for a short time.
3. Then, by moving the marker across the display, you can delete the next defective pixel.
4. Press and hold the **MENU (3)**button to exit the Defective Pixel Repair function.

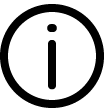
#### Restore Default Pixel Map

This option allows the user to return all previously disabled defective pixels to their original state.

1. Press and hold the **MENU (3)** buttonto enter the main menu.
2. Rotate the controller **(6)** to select the **Defective Pixel Repair https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2020/12/pixel-repair4x.png** icon.
3. Press the **MENU (3)** button to enter the submenu.
4. Rotate the controller **(6)** to select the **Restore Default Pixel Map ** icon.
5. Activate the function by briefly pressing the **MENU (3)** button**.**
6. Rotate the controller **(6)** to select *Yes*if you want to return to the factory pixel map or select *No*if you do not.
7. Confirm your selection with a short press of the **MENU (3)** button.

**Attention!**One or two pixels on the display of the device in the form of bright white, black or coloured (blue, red or green) points may appear. These points cannot be removed and are not a defect.

### Device Information

1. Press and hold the **MENU (3)** button to enter the main menu.
2. Rotate the controller **(6)** to select the **Device Information**  menu item.
3. Press the **MENU (3)** button briefly to enter the Device Information submenu.

This item allows the user to view the following information about the riflescope:

* Full name of the riflescope
* SKU number
* Serial number of the riflescope
* Riflescope firmware version
* Hardware version
* Service information
* Battery information

# Functions

## Amplification Level

Sensitivity enhancement levels (Normal, High, Ultra) are software algorithms that enhance the quality of detection and recognition in various observation conditions. When the temperature contrast decreases (fog, precipitation, high humidity), it is recommended to increase the amplification level. To optimize the image, activate the [**Smoothing Filter**](#_Smoothing_Filter) in the main menu.

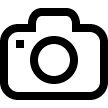
1. Press and hold the **MENU (3)**button to enter the quick menu.
2. By short pressing the **MENU (3)**button select the menu item **Amplification level **.
3. Rotate the controller **(6)** to select one of the levels: Normal https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2022/01/aplification_level_normal4x.png, High https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2022/01/aplification_level_high4x.png, Ultra https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2022/01/aplification_level_ultra4x.png.
4. Press and hold the **MENU (3)**button to exit the menu or wait for 3 seconds to exit automatically.

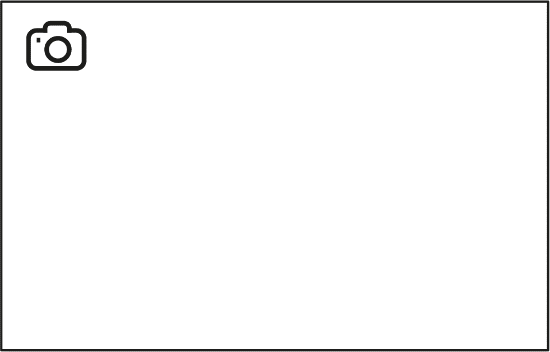
## Video Recording and Photography

The riflescope is equipped with a function for video recording (photography) of the observed image that is saved on the built-in memory card.

Before using the photo and video functions, read the **Date**and **Time**subsections of the [**General Settings**](#_General_Settings) section.

Built-in recorder operates in two modes:

* **Photo** (photography; the icon  is displayed in the upper left corner of the display).



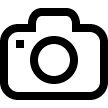
* **Video** (video recording; the icon https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2021/12/viceo-mode-icon2x.png is displayed in the upper left corner of the display, the total remaining recording time is given taking into account the current resolution in the HH:MM format (hours:minutes).



Toggle (switch) between the riflescope operating modes with a long press of the **REC (5)** button. Switching between the modes is cyclical (**Video**–> **Photo**–> **Video**...).

**Photo mode. Capturing an image**

**1.** Switch to the **Photo**mode with a long press of the **REC (5)** button.

**2.** Press the **REC (5)** button briefly to capture a photo. The icon  flashes – the photo file is being saved to the built-in SD card.

**Video mode. Recording a video**

**1.** Switch to the **Video** mode with a long press of the **REC (5)** button.

**2.** Press the **REC (5)** button briefly to start video recording.

**3.** When the video recording starts, the icon https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2021/12/viceo-mode-icon2x.png will disappear, instead of it the **REC** icon as well as the video recording timer displayed in the MM:SS (minutes:seconds) format will appear .



**4.** Pause/continue recording by briefly pressing the **REC (5)** button.

**5.** Press and hold the **REC (5)** button to stop video recording.

Video files are stored in the built-in memory card:

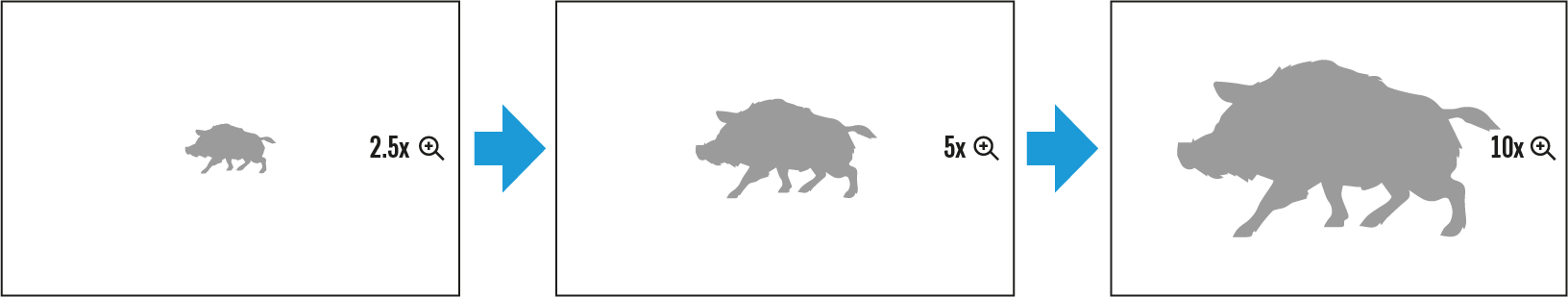
* After turning off the video recording;
* Upon powering the riflescope off if recording was on;
* When the memory card is overfilled during recording (Memory Full message appears on the display).

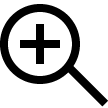
*Notes:*

* You can enter and navigate the menu during video recording.
* Recorded videos and photos are saved to the built-in memory card of the riflescope in the format img\_xxx. jpg (for photos); video\_xxx. mp4 (for video).
* Maximum duration of a recorded video file is 5 minutes. After this time expires, the video is recorded to a new file. The number of recorded files is limited by the capacity of unit’s internal memory.
* Regularly check free memory within the built-in memory card and move the footage to other storage media to free up the memory card space.

## Discrete Digital Zoom

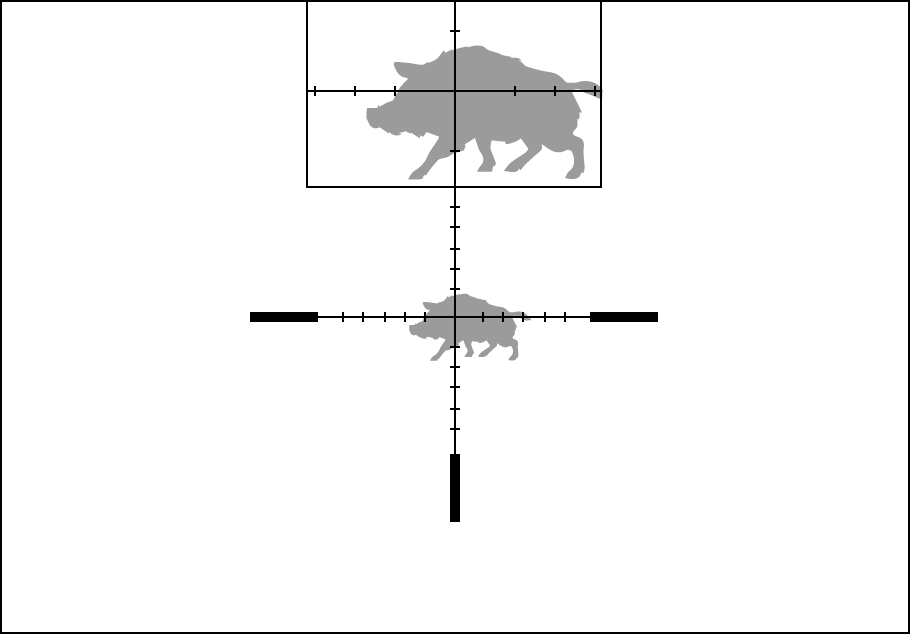
Discrete digital zoom allows you to quickly increase the basic magnification (see **Magnification** line in the table of [**Technical Specifications**](#_Specifications)) by 2x or 4x, as well as return to the basic magnification.

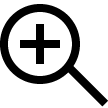


* Press the **ZOOM (5)** button successively to change the magnification ratio of the riflescope.
* While the icon  is visible on the screen, rotate the controller ring **(6)** for smooth digital zooming from the current magnification.

## PiP Function

The PiP function (Picture-in-Picture) allows you to see both a magnified image in a particular dialog box and the main image.



1. Press and hold the **ZOOM (4)** button to turn on/off the PiP function.
2. To change the digital zoom in the PiP window, briefly press the **ZOOM (4)**button or rotate the controller **(6)** until the icon is visible on the screen  .
3. The magnified image is displayed in a particular dialog box, with the full magnification being used.
4. The rest of the image is displayed only with the optical zoom (digital zoom is off).
5. When PiP is turned off, the display shows the full magnification set for the PiP mode.

## Display-Off Function

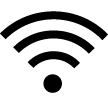
This function deactivates the image transmission to the display by minimizing its brightness. This helps prevent accidental disclosure. However, the device stays on.



1. When the device is on, press and hold the **ON/OFF (12)** button for less than 3 seconds. The display will turn off, the current time and the **"Display off"**icon will appear.
2. Press the **ON/OFF (12)** button briefly to turn on the display.
3. When you press and hold the **ON/OFF (12)** button, the display shows the **"Display off"**icon with a countdown. Holding the button down for the duration of the countdown will power the device off completely.

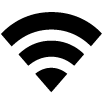
## Wi-Fi Function

The riflescope has a function for wireless communication with mobile devices (smartphone or tablet) via Wi-Fi.

1. To enable the wireless module, enter the main menu by long pressing the **MENU (3)**button.
2. Rotate the controller **(6)** to select the **Wi-Fi Activation ** menu item.
3. Press the **MENU (3)**button briefly to turn on/off the Wi-Fi module.

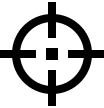
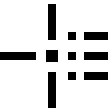
Wi-Fi is displayed in the status bar as follows:

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| **Indication in the Status Bar** | **Connection Status** |
| https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2020/12/wifi-off4x.png | Wi-Fi is switched off |
| https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2020/12/d1_wifi_connecting4x.png | Wi-Fi is switched on by the user, Wi-Fi connection in the riflescope is in progress. |
| https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2020/12/wifi-on-no-connection4x.png | Wi-Fi is switched on, there is no connection to the riflescope |
| https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2020/12/d1_wifi-on-connected4x.png | Wi-Fi is switched on, there is connection to the riflescope |

* An external device recognizes the riflescope under the name Talion\_XXXX, where XXXX are the four last digits of the serial number.
* After entering the password (**default: 12345678**) on a mobile (see **Password Setup** subsection of the [**Wi-Fi Settings**](#_Wi-Fi_Settings) section for more information on setting a password) and setting up a connection, the icon  in the riflescope status bar changes to https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2020/12/d1_wifi-on-connected4x.png.

## Scalable Reticles

This function is designed to preserve ballistic properties of the scalable reticles X51Fi-300, M56Fi, M57Fi for all magnifications.

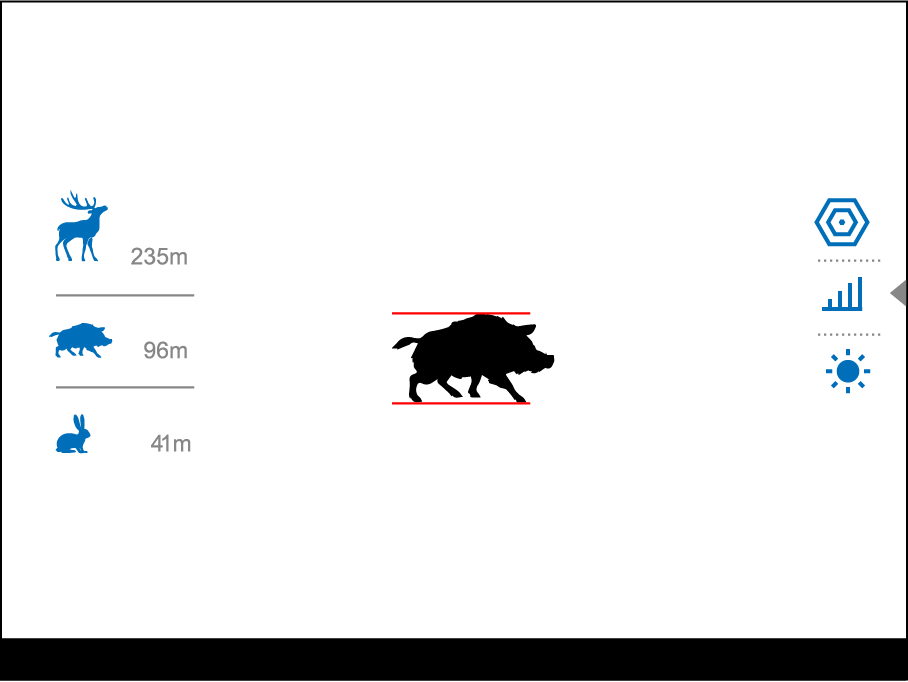
1. Enter the main menu with a long press of the **MENU** **(3)**button.
2. Enter submenu **Reticle & zeroing** **->**[**Reticle Type**](#_Reticle_Type)**.**
3. Select the reticle X51Fi-300, M56Fi, M57Fi.

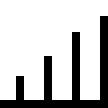
*Notes:*

* When zooming in and out the image, the selected reticle on the display and in the recorded video changes its geometrical size according to the magnification selected.
* The reticle scale changes both on the main display and in the PiP mode.

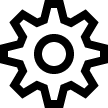
## Stadiametric Rangefinder

Thermal imaging riflescopes are equipped with a stadiametric rangefinder, which allows you to determine the approximate distance to an object, if its size is known.

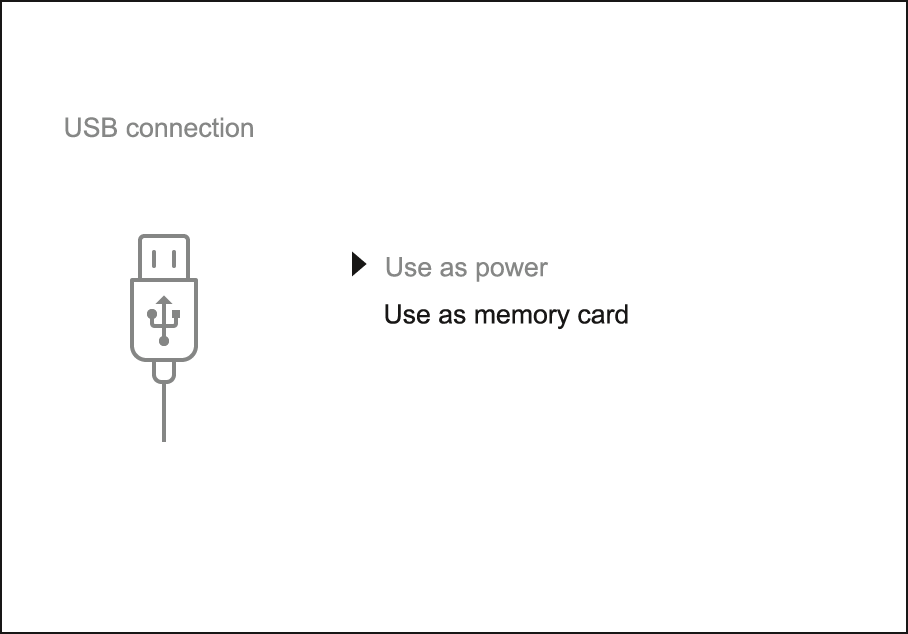


1. To select the **Stadiametric Rangefinder** function, enter the [**Quick Menu**](#_Quick_Menu) by briefly pressing the **MENU (3)**button.
2. Press the **MENU (3)**button briefly to select the icon .
3. The display will show the lines for measurements, the icons and numbers of the measured distance for three objects.
4. Place the bottom fixed line under the object.
5. Rotate the controller **(6)**to move the upper line relative to the lower horizontal fixed line so that the object is located directly between the lines. A target range automatically recalculated along with movement.
6. To exit the rangefinder mode, briefly press the **MENU (3)**button or wait 10 seconds to exit automatically.

**Notes:**

* There are three predefined values for objects: Hare – 0.3 m high, Boar – 0.7 m high, Deer – 1.7 m high.
* The measured range value is rounded off before being displayed – for large range values up to 5 m, for shorter range – up to 1 m.
* To select a unit of measurement (meters or yards), go to the [**General Settings**](#_General_Settings) menu item => **Units of Measure** https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2020/12/units-of-measure4x.png submenu.

## USB Connection



1. Press the **ON/OFF (12)** button briefly to power the riflescope on (the computer will not detect the riflescope if it is turned off).
2. Connect one end of the USB cable to the USB Type-C **(15)** connector of the riflescope, the other one to the port on your computer using a USB Type-A adapter.
3. The riflescope is detected by the computer automatically and no installation of drivers is required.
4. After a few seconds, two connection options appear on the display: **Power** and **Memory card**.
5. Rotate the controller**(6)** to select the connection mode.
6. Press the controller**MENU** **(3)** briefly to confirm your selection.

#### **Power**

* Upon choosing this mode, your PC is used as an external power supply. An icon https://www.pulsar-nv.com/data/public/uploads/2020/12/external_power4x.png will appear in the status bar.
* The riflescope continues operating and all functions are accessible.
* A battery recharge feasibility depends on your computer's USB port.

#### **Memory Card**

* When selecting this mode, the computer recognizes the riflescope as a memory card. This mode is designed to manage the files saved in riflescope’s memory.
* The riflescope’s functions are not available in this mode; the riflescope turns on. The device continues to operate after being disconnected from the computer.
* If a video was being recorded at the moment of connection, the recording will stop and will be saved.

#### **USB Disconnection**

* When the USB is disconnected from the riflescope, connected as the **Power** mode, the riflescope continues operating from the rechargeable battery if sufficiently charged.
* When the USB is disconnected from the riflescope connected in the **Memory Card** mode, the riflescope remains switched on.

# Software

## Stream Vision 2

Install the Stream Vision 2 application to download files, update firmware, control the device by remote control and broadcast images from your device to a smartphone or a tablet via WiFi.

We recommend using the latest version – Stream Vision 2.



You can find further guidelines on Stream Vision 2 [**here**](https://www.pulsar-nv.com/glo/products/33/software-applications/stream-vision-version-2/)**.**

[**Download**](https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=com.yukon.streamvision2) from Google Play

[**Download**](https://apps.apple.com/us/app/stream-vision-2/id1511736862) from App Store

Find answers to frequently asked questions about using Stream Vision 2 [**here**](https://www.pulsar-nv.com/glo/support/faq/79/how-to-stream-vision-2/f28/).

## Firmware Update

1. Download free Stream Vision 2 App in [Google Play](https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=com.yukon.streamvision2) or [App Store](https://apps.apple.com/us/app/stream-vision-2/id1511736862).
2. Connect your Pulsar device to your mobile device (smartphone or tablet).
3. Launch Stream Vision 2 and go to section “Settings”.
4. Select your Pulsar device and press “Check firmware update”.
5. Wait for the update to download and install. Pulsar device will reboot and will be ready to operate.

**Important**:

* if your Pulsar device is connected to phone, please turn on mobile data transfer (GPRS/3G/4G) to download update;
* if your Pulsar device is not connected to your phone but is already listed in “Settings” > “My devices” section, you may use Wi-Fi to download update.

# Maintenance

## Technical Inspection

It is recommended to carry out a technical inspection each time before using the riflescope. Check the following:

* The riflescope appearance (there should be no cracks on the body).
* The state of the lenses of the objective, eyepiece and rangefinder (there should be no cracks, greasy spots, dirt or other deposits).
* The state of the rechargeable battery (it should be fully charged) and the electric contacts (there should be no signs of salts or oxidation).
* The controls should be in working order.

## Technical Maintenance

The maintenance should be carried out at least twice a year and includes the following steps:

* Wipe the exterior surfaces of metal and plastic parts off dust and dirt with a cotton cloth. To avoid damage to the paint coating, do not use chemically active substances, solvents, etc.
* Clean the electric contacts of the battery pack and battery slots on the riflescoepe using a non-greasy organic solvent.
* Check the battery charge (must be charged to 50-80%). Recharge the battery if necessary.
* Check the lenses of the eyepiece, objective and rangefinder. If necessary, remove dust and sand from the optics (it is preferable to use a non-contact method). Cleaning of the exterior surfaces of the optics should be done with cleaners designed especially for this purpose.

# Troubleshooting

## The device does not turn on

**Possible cause**

The Battery Pack is empty

**Solution**

Charge the Battery Pack

## The device does not operate from an external power source

**Possible cause**

USB cable is damaged.

**Solution**

Replace USB cable.

**Possible cause**

The external power supply is discharged.

**Solution**

Charge the external power supply.

## The image is fuzzy. There are distortions in the form of bars of different widths lying in different directions, or dots of different size and brightness.

**Possible cause**

Calibration is required.

**Solution**

Perform image calibration according to [**Calibration Mode**](#_Calibration_Mode) section.

## Black screen after calibration

**Solution**

If the image does not clear after calibration, you need to recalibrate.

## The reticle is blurred and cannot be focused with the dioptre ring

**Possible cause**

The dioptre adjustment range is not enough for your eyesight.

**Solution**

If you wear glasses with a range of -3/+4, keep glasses on when looking through the eyepiece.

## Coloured lines appeared on display or image has disappeared

**Possible cause**

The device was exposed to static electricity during operation.

**Solution**

After exposure to static electricity, the device may either reboot automatically, or require turning off and on again.

## The image is too dark

**Possible cause**

Brightness or contrast level is too low.

**Solution**

Adjust the brightness or contrast in the [**Quick Menu**](#_Quick_Menu_Functions)**.**

## The reticle is crisp but an object at least 30 m away is blurry

**Possible cause**

Dust and condensation are covering the outside or inside optical surfaces.

**Solution**

Wipe the outer surface of the objective lens with a soft cotton cloth. Dry the riflescope. Let it stand for four hours in a warm room.

**Possible cause**

The lens is not focused.

**Solution**

Adjust the clarity of the picture by rotating the lens focus control.

## The point of impact shifts after firing rounds

**Possible cause**

The riflescope is not mounted securely or the mount was not fixed with thread sealant.

**Solution**

Check that the riflescope has been securely mounted.

Make sure that the same cartridge type and load bullets are being used as when the scope was initially zeroed.

If your riflescope was zeroed during the summer, and is now being used in the winter (or the other way round), in the day or night, or through extreme temperature changes) slight shifts in points of impact are possible. Double-checking your zero before hunting is recommended.

## The riflescope will not focus

**Possible cause**

Wrong settings.

**Solution**

Adjust the riflescope according to the [**Powering on and Image Setting**](#_Powering_on_and) section.

Check the outer surfaces of the objective lenses and eyepiece and, where necessary, wipe away dust, condensation, frost, etc. In cold weather, you can use special anti-fogging coatings (e.g., the same as for corrective glasses).

## Smartphone or tablet cannot be connected to the device

**Possible cause**

Password in the riflescope was changed.

**Solution**

Delete network and connect again inserting the password saved in the riflescope.

**Possible cause**

There are too many Wi-Fi networks in the area where the riflescope is located which may cause signal interference.

**Solution**

To ensure stable Wi-Fi performance, move the riflescope to an area with few or no Wi-Fi networks.

**Possible cause**

The device has a 5 GHz network enabled, but the smartphone only supports 2.4 GHz.

**Solution**

[**Switch**](#_WiFi_Bandwidth) the device's WiFi bandwidth to 2.4 GHz.

More information on solving problems with connection to Stream Vision 2 by following the [**link**](https://www.pulsar-nv.com/glo/support/faq/79/how-to-stream-vision-2/f28/).

## Wi-Fi signal is missing or interrupted

**Possible cause**

Smartphone or tablet is out of range of a strong Wi-Fi signal. There are obstacles between the device and the smartphone or tablet (e.g., concrete walls).

**Solution**

Relocate smartphone or tablet into the Wi-Fi signal line of sight.

## The image of the object being observed is missing

**Possible cause**

Observation through glass.

**Solution**

Remove the glass from the field of vision.

## Poor image quality / Reduced detection distance

**Possible cause**

These problems may occur during observation in adverse weather conditions (snow, rain, fog etc.).

## There are several light or black dots (pixels) on riflescope’s display or microbolometer

**Solution**

The presence of dots is caused by peculiarities of microbolometer or display production technology and is not a defect.

## When the device is used in low temperature conditions the image quality is worse than in positive temperatures.

**Possible cause**

In positive temperature conditions, objects being observed (surroundings and background) heat up differently because of thermal conductivity, thereby generating a high temperature contrast. Consequently, the image quality produced by the thermal imager will be better.

In low-temperature conditions, objects being observed (background) will cool down to roughly the same temperature, which leads to a greatly reduced temperature contrast and a degraded image quality. This is normal for all thermal imaging devices.

# Legal Compliances and Disclaimers

**Attention!** Talion thermal imaging riflescopes require a licence when exported outside your country.

**Electromagnetic compatibility.** This product complies with the requirements of European standard EN 55032: 2015, Class A.

**Caution:**operating this product in a residential area may cause radio interference.

Improvements may be made to the design of this product to enhance its user features.

Repair of the device is possible within 5 years.

