Chroma Keying

★ In chroma key, the key signal is created using a specific hue of the key fill signal as a reference.
For instance, the color of the background is sampled (detected) from the image of a person standing in front of a specific background color so that the key signal is created, and a different background is combined. As the color of the background, green or blue is commonly used.



(Selecting the key materials)

- ① Press KEY-F/S button (Fig.1-A) to set the crosspoint buttons to key bus selection mode (KEY-F/S button lights up).
- ② Using the B bus buttons, select the key fill signal. (Fig.1-B)
 - * The chroma key functions as the self key, so the key fill signal is used as the key source signal.
- ③ Press KEY-F/S button to release the key bus selection mode of crosspoint buttons.



(Figure 1: AW-HS50 Control Panel)

(Key setup)

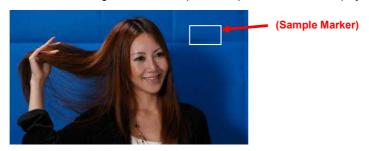
- ⑤ Hold down the OSD ON button (Fig.1-C) to open the menu. (To close it, hold down the button again.)
- ⑥ Use the OSD/TIME dial (Fig.1-D) to set the key type to [Chroma] and the fill type to [Bus].
 - [4] KEY Setup Menu > 1. Key Type => [Chroma] (Fig.2)
 - [4] KEY Setup Menu > 2. Fill => [Bus] (Fig.2)
- ⑦ An image with key effects added can be output for PVW image to adjust and check the key.
 - * Put the setting for output signal to [MV], etc. in advance so that PVW can be checked.
 - [4] KEY Setup Menu > 3. PVW => [On] (Fig.2)

(Figure 2: AW-HS50 Menu Display Screen)

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[4] KEY Setup Menu
         AW-HS50 Main Menu
                                                                                               Chroma
TIME/CBGD Menu
                                                                                                Bus
WIPE Menu
PinP Menu
KEY Setup Menu
KEY Adjust Menu
ChromaKey Menu
MultiView Pattern Menu
MultiView Out/Frame Menu
                                                                                               White
                                                                                                                   0.0|L 100.0
                                                                             Fill Col
                                                                                                      0.0|5
                                                                   6.Edge Type
7.Edge Direction
                                                                              Width
          Assign Menu
                                                                      Set Edge Col
                                                                                               Black
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(Chroma key adjustment)

- ® To sample the chroma components, set the sample marker to [ON].
 - [6] ChromaKey Menu > 1. Marker => [ON] (Fig.3)
 - * On PVW screen, "the image selected at Step2 + sample marker" will be displayed.



- Adjust the position (X: coordinate, Y: coordinate) and size (S) of the marker so that it is placed on the area (color) to be sampled.
 - [6] ChromaKey Menu > 3. Marker Pos => [X, Y, S] (Fig.3)
- * By adjusting the setting below, the aspect ratio of sample marker can be changed.
 - [6] ChromaKey Menu > 4. Marker Aspect (Fig.3)
- ⁽¹⁾ Sample the hue components of the area selected by the sample marker
 - [6] ChromaKey Menu > 2. Sample => Execute [Start]. (Fig.3)
- ① Press KEY ON button (Fig.1-E) to combine the key material.

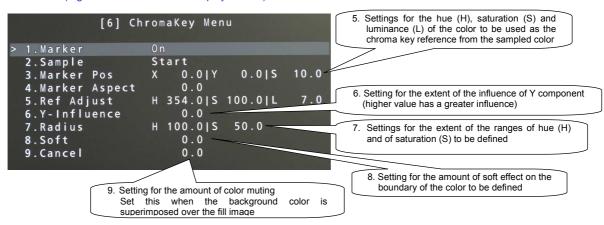
(Figure 3: AW-HS50 Menu Display Screen)

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[6] ChromaKey Menu
        AW-HS50 Main Menu
TIME/CBGD Menu
WIPE Menu
PinP Menu
                                                                                                                0.0|5
                                                                                                                           10.0
                                                                     Marker Pos
    Setup Menu
Adjust Menu
                                                                     Marker Aspect
                                                                                                   0.0
                                                                                             H 354.0|S 100.0|L
                                                                                                                             7.0
KEY Adjust menu
ChromaKey Menu
MultiView Pattern Menu
MultiView Out/Frame Menu
XPT SW Assign Menu
Y
                                                                    Ref Adjust
                                                                     Y-Influence
                                                                                                   0.0
                                                                                             H 100.0|S
                                                                                                              50.0
                                                                   . Radius
                                                                    Soft
                                                                    Cancel
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★ By adjusting the settings in the following menu items, you can adjust how the chroma key is to be defined.

Set or adjust the settings for the menu items in [6] ChromaKey Menu. – (Fig.4)

(Figure 4: AW-HS50 Menu Display Screen)



^{*} For the details of each item, please see pp. 15 – 16 of Operating Instructions < Operations and Settings>.