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# 6V DP BOAT

for future reference: they contain important information.

## II. VEHICLE

### Top View

- ① ON/OFF Switch
- ② Battery Door Cover
- ③ Battery Door Latches (2)
- ④ Battery Compartment
- ⑤ Battery Compartment Latch
- ⑥ Steering Adjuster (adjust for straight vehicle tracking if necessary)

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### Side View

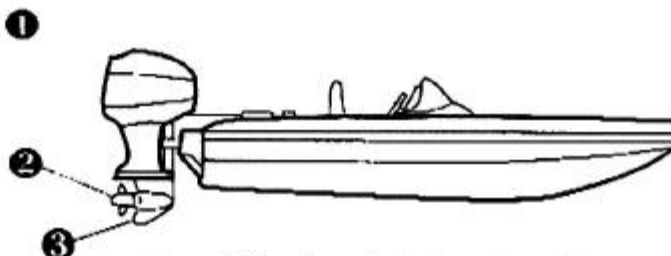
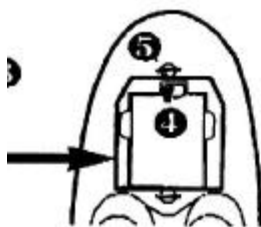
- ① Powerful Outboard Motor
- ② "Turbo" Propeller Drive
- ③ Rudder

## III. TRANSMITTER

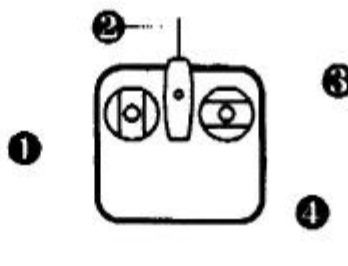
**NOTE:** Your transmitter is equipped with a special automatic -ON battery-saving feature. Just turn your vehicle ON. Then push either transmitter stick and you will be able to run and control your vehicle.

- ① Left Stick Controls Forward & Reverse
- ② Whip Antenna
- ③ Right Stick Controls Left & Right Turns
- ④ Power Indicator Light

Refer to label on transmitter and vehicle for frequency. Don't operate near vehicles with the same frequency.



Store vehicle on foam display base when not in use.



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### Battery Contacts

Bent or dirty contacts may result in loss of power. If battery does not fit correctly, gently bend back metal contact as shown in diagram.

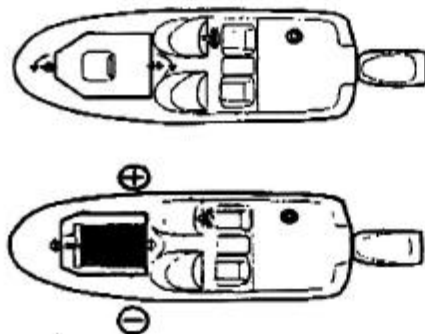
### IMPORTANT DISPOSABLE BATTERY INFORMATION

- ✓ Insure that battery polarity is correct.
- ✓ Use only batteries of the type recommended (or equivalent).
- ✓ Do not mix old and new batteries.
- ✓ Do not mix alkaline, standard (carbon-zinc), or rechargeable (nickel-cadmium) batteries.
- ✓ Remove used-up batteries immediately. Remove batteries if vehicle will not be used for a long period.
- ✓ For best performance use alkaline batteries

(where disposable batteries are called for). Battery life may vary depending on battery brand.

- ✓ Do not recharge non-rechargeable batteries.
- ✓ Do not short-circuit terminals.
- ✓ Remove rechargeable batteries before recharging. Recharge batteries only under adult supervision.
- ✓ Dispose of batteries safely.

NOTE: The batteries used in the 8V DP Power Clip will gradually lose power over their lifetime. You will notice a decrease in performance as this occurs. The 8.0V Jet Turbo rechargeable NiCd battery pack will run at a sustained high power level for virtually its entire run time.



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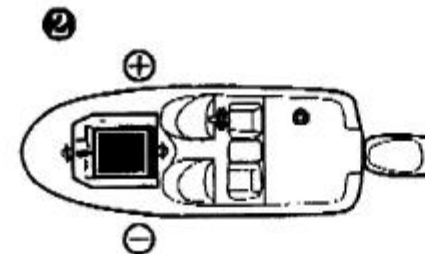
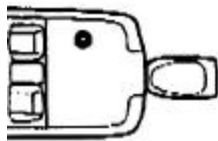


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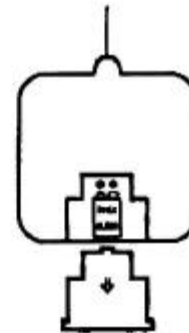
3. Insert battery pack into battery compartment and slide battery pack away from latch.
4. Make sure Power Clip snaps securely in place, turn battery compartment latch and lock Power Clip in place.
5. Replace battery door. Turn battery door latches until they click securely into place.
6. To remove battery pack: open battery door, following steps above. Turn battery compartment latch, slide battery pack away from latch and lift out.



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### TRANSMITTER

1. Slide battery door open.
2. Install one 9-volt battery with polarity (+/-) as shown inside battery compartment.
3. Replace battery door.



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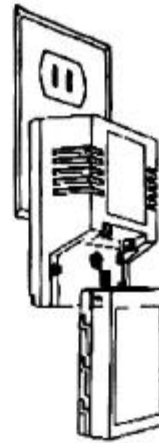
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5. New battery packs must be charged for 5 1/2 hours the first two times charged.

Subsequent charges will require only 4 hours. Charging the battery pack for more than 4 hours will not give you a longer running time. 4 hours is all that is required for a fully charged battery pack.

6. Unlike alkaline batteries, where the power loss is gradual, a NiCd (Nickel-Cadmium) battery will run for its normal running time and then lose most of its power at once. It is time to recharge the battery pack.

7. After use, the battery pack will be hot! Wait at least 20 minutes until the battery pack cools before recharging. Recharging a warm or hot battery pack will greatly reduce the number of times your battery pack can be recharged.



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✓ DO NOT RECHARGE NON-RECHARGEABLE BATTERIES.

✓ DO NOT USE THE 6V DP POWER CLIP WITH THE 6.0V JET TURBO CHARGER.

### SPECIAL NOTE TO ADULTS:

- Remove rechargeable batteries before recharging. Recharge batteries only under adult supervision.
- Regularly examine for damage to the plug, enclosure and other parts. In the event of any damage, the toy must not be used with the transformer until the damage has been repaired.
- This toy is not intended for children under 3 years old. The transformer is not a toy.
- Press RED Button on side of charger to

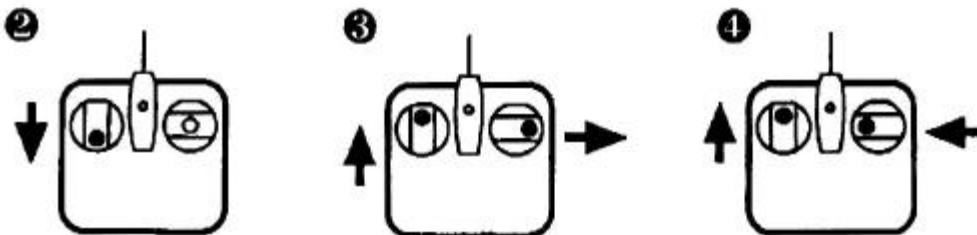
release battery pack.

- This vehicle uses a Nickel-Cadmium rechargeable battery pack. Must be recycled or disposed of properly.

### SPECIAL CONTROLS & DRIVING MODES

Your vehicle may vary.

- 1 FORWARD
- 2 REVERSE
- 3 RIGHT TURN
- 4 LEFT TURN



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or a full charge).  
Remove transmitter  
from your vehicle.  
Turn vehicle  
off and remove all batteries for

vehicle and trans-  
mitter. Store vehicle or  
transmitter in a cool, dry  
place, away from direct  
sunlight, rain, water or mois-  
ture. Clean with a soft,  
dry cloth.  
Use in calm, clear  
weather. Ponds are recom-  
mended. Do not use in  
salt water. Do not use  
unless the battery cover is  
properly closed and

running time, you  
must turn your vehicle's  
switch off. It's close to the  
water, your vehicle will be  
powered by its own power.  
Turn the transmitter to the  
OFF position and

remove batteries when not in use.

- When your vehicle runs erratically, the problem is usually the result of interference caused by high tension wires, CB radios, or other R/C vehicles running nearby on the same frequency as yours. You may have to choose an alternative place to race.
- Do not expose the transmitter to water. If the transmitter is accidentally exposed to water, remove the transmitter battery and allow the transmitter to air-dry. Replace with a fresh battery before resuming operation.

### Safety Precautions

Adults, this toy is recommended for children 5 years of age and older. To ensure that the child's play is both safe and fun, please review the operating instructions and these general safety rules with your child. **WARNING:** Never allow young children to play in or around water without adult supervision.

### Caution

**DO NOT** pick up vehicle while in motion.  
Keep fingers, hair and loose clothing away from the propeller drive while the vehicle is switched ON.

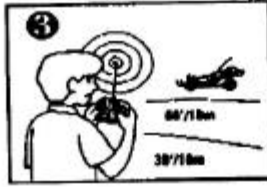
Adult supervision is recommended when this vehicle is being operated.

To avoid accidental operation, remove all batteries when not in use.

Do not operate near swimmers. Stand away from the water's edge when operating.

### IV. QUICK TIPS

- When your vehicle starts to lose power, it may lose functions or performance. It's time for fresh batteries (or a recharge). Your vehicle's running time may change depending on your driving style.
- Radio interference can make your vehicle run badly. Interference can be caused by other R/C vehicles running on the same frequency; electrical wires; large buildings; or CB radios. Try to stay away from these!
- Point your transmitter antenna up - not down toward your vehicle. If your vehicle gets too far away, it won't work properly.
- Your vehicle is designed for operation in fresh water. **AVOID SALT WATER OPERATION. DO NOT EXPOSE THE TRANSMITTER TO WATER.**
- Don't store your vehicle near heat or in direct sunlight. Always turn switches OFF and remove all batteries for storage.



not run.

transmitter does not light.

short range possible.

short battery life.

### ■ PROBABLE CAUSE

- Loose battery connection or vehicle switch not ON.
- Weak or uncharged rechargeable NiCd battery.
- Weak AA batteries (Power Cell) or 9-volt transmitter battery.
- Transmitter battery weak or not connected.
- Radio interference likely.
- Battery not fully charged.

### ■ CORRECTION

- Check battery connector and vehicle switch.
- Charge battery or replace.
- Replace with fresh alkaline battery.
- Check connections and replace battery if required.
- Change location (see point 2 - Quick Tips).
- Recharge vehicle battery.

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THIS DEVICE COMPLIES WITH PART 15 OF FCC RULES. OPERATION OF THIS DEVICE IS SUBJECT TO THE FOLLOWING TWO CONDITIONS:  
(1) THIS DEVICE MAY NOT CAUSE HARMFUL INTERFERENCE.  
(2) THIS DEVICE MUST ACCEPT ANY HARMFUL INTERFERENCE THAT MAY CAUSE UNDESIRABLE OPERATION.  
This device generates and uses radio frequency energy and if not used properly may cause interference to radio and television reception. It has been tested and found to comply with the limits

set by the FCC, which are designed to provide reasonable protection against such interference.  
**CAUTION:** FCC Regulations state that changes or modifications to this product not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate the equipment.

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