





# Radio Control Vehicle

# OWNERS MANUAL

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# **Component Checklist**

To protect components from damage, they may be packed in the styrofoam tray out of plain sight. Please search styrofoam tray and remove all of the components listed below.

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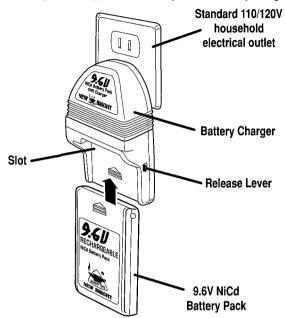
The included New Bright 9.6V NiCd battery pack is *NOT* charged prior to shipment and must be charged before the first use.

- Vehicle
- Battery Charger
- 9.6V NiCd Battery Pack
- Transmitter
- (2) "AA" Batteries
- Vehicle Antenna Tube

# **Charging the Battery Pack**

#### IMPORTANT!

The 9.6V NiCd battery pack is NOT charged prior to shipping and must be charged before the first use. For best results be sure to charge battery pack 8 hours before using. In addition, when charging battery pack for the 2nd time, also charge battery pack for 8 hours. After the initial 2 charges, battery packs need only 4 hours to fully charge.



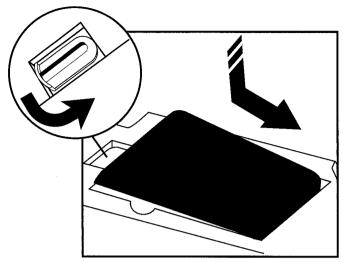
- 1. Insert the supplied 9.6V NiCd Battery Pack securely into the charger as shown above. Make certain that the (+) and (–) on the Battery Pack match the markings on the Charger.
- 2. Plug the Charger into a standard 110/120V indoor electrical outlet.
- **3.** Allow the Battery Pack to charge for a minimum of 8 hours on the initial two charges. Subsequent charges require only 4 hours.
- **4.** Remove Charger and battery from outlet. Lift release lever on the side of the Charger to remove fully charged Battery Pack. Do not leave Charger in electrical outlet when not in use.
- 5. This power unit is intended to be correctly orientated in a vertical or floor mount position.

**NOTE:** Battery Packs will become warm after charging or during use. Make certain to allow the Battery Pack to cool before recharging. Charging a warm Battery Pack will greatly reduce it's life.

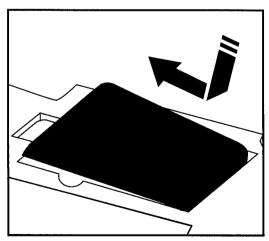
#### ATTENTION PARENTS:

• The battery charger & battery pack need to be periodically examined for potential hazards. Any potentially hazardous parts need to be repaired or replaced.

# **Battery Pack Installation In Vehicle**

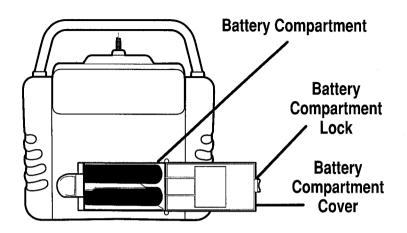


1. Slide supplied POWER CHARGE Battery into battery compartment and lock into place by turning compartment lock (as shown).



2. Turn compartment lock and slide the pack (as shown) to release.

# **Transmitter Battery Installation**



- 1. Locate the Transmitter Battery Compartment, which is on the back of the Transmitter.
- 2. Move the Battery Compartment Lock towards the Battery Compartment and remove the Battery Compartment Cover.
- 3. Insert 2 "AA" batteries. Make certain the plus (+) and minus (-) markings on the batteries are in the same position as the plus (+) and minus (-) markings inside the Battery Compartment.
- 4. Replace Battery Compartment Cover making certain that the Battery Compartment Lock has "snapped" into the locked position.

Note: When replacing Transmitter batteries:

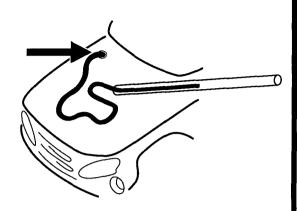
Do not mix old and new batteries.

Do not mix alkaline, standard or rechargeable batteries.

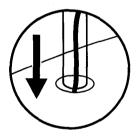
Use alkaline batteries only

### **Vehicle Antenna**

1. Locate the vehicle antenna wire, which leads through an opening on the top of the vehicle.



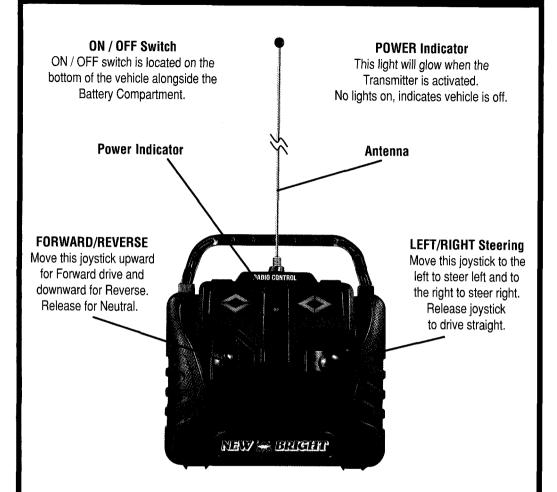
2. Slide the vehicle antenna wire through the Vehicle Antenna Tube. Insert the tube into the opening.



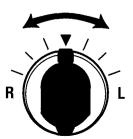
**3.** Tie a simple knot in the antenna wire to hold the Vehicle Antenna Tube in place.



### **Features and Functions**



## **Setting the Trim Control**



Trim adjustment is located under vehicle between front wheels.
Adjust trim to align wheels for straight line driving.

### **Proper Use and Precautions**



Avoid water puddles, wet grass or rain.



Avoid sand, mud and salt.



Avoid collisions with hard surfaces.



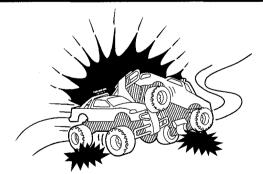
Do not leave vehicle in direct sunlight for long periods as damage may occur.



Store vehicle in cool dry place and away from direct heat sources.



Avoid running on thick pile carpeting.



Each vehicle and transmitter is marked with either 27MHz or 49MHz. A transmitter of one frequency cannot control a vehicle of another frequency. Avoid operating this vehicle within 100 feet of another vehicle of the same frequency. If two vehicles of the same frequency are operated in the same area, loss of control will occur.

#### **FCC CAUTION:**

The manufacturer is not responsible for radio interference caused by unauthorized frequency modification to this equipment. Such modifications could void the user's authority to operate the equipment.

#### Care

Always switch vehicle off when not in use to save battery life.





Brush areas where dirt and dust get trapped.





Do not clean vehicle with chemicals or water.

# **Trouble Shooting and Support**

90% of all difficulties experienced with radio controlled vehicles are due to either weak batteries or batteries that have been installed incorrectly. When batteries become weak, the vehicle may not necessarily stop completely but may exhibit slow response, slow speed or erratic behavior.

#### Problem - Vehicle does not move or moves slowly.

- -Make certain there are fresh alkaline batteries in the transmitter and that they have been installed in the correct position.
- -Are the (+) and (-) markings on the alkaline batteries in the same position as the (+) and (-) markings in the Transmitter Battery Compartment?
- -Has the Battery Pack been installed in the vehicle?
- -Has the rechargeable Battery Pack been fully charged?
- -Are the (+) and (-) markings on the Battery Pack in the same position as the (+) and (-) markings in the Battery Compartment?
- -Are the metal contact tabs touching, rusty or dirty in the transmitter?
- -Make certain that the vehicle ON/OFF switch is in the "ON" position.

#### Problem – Vehicle moves by itself or exhibits low range from the transmitter.

-Make certain there is no outside radio interference in your area. The best way to test this is to take the vehicle as far away from radio towers, electrical lines or tall buildings as possible. If the vehicle operates correctly in the new area, radio interference was the problem.

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Do not recharge Battery Pack if it is Warm to the touch. Allow Battery Pack to cool before recharging. Recharging a warm Battery Pack will shorten the life of the Pack.

Do not recharge a Battery Pack if it appears to be damaged or leaking.

Always unplug Charger when not in use.

Always remove Battery Pack from Battery Compartment when not in use.

Do not dispose batteries in fire. Leakage, explosion and personal injury may occur.

Dispose of NiCd Battery Pack properly.

Do not attempt to disassemble Battery Pack or Charger.

Do not use Battery Charger for any use other than instructed in this booklet.

Recharging batteries should be done by an adult.

**NOTE:** This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class B digital device, pursuant to Part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference in a residential installation. This equipment generates, uses and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instructions, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation. If this equipment does cause harmful interference to radio or television reception, which can be determined by turning the equipment off and on, the user is encouraged to try to correct the interference by one or more of the following measures:

- Reorient or relocate the receiving antenna.
- Increase the separation between the equipment and receiver.
- Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected.
- Consult the dealer or an experienced radio/TV technician for help.