

# Baja Screamer

OWNER'S MANUAL — Please read before using this equipment.

Pop wheelies, drive on two wheels, and spin circles around your friends!

Your RadioShack Baja Screamer is a 4-wheelin' stunt machine! Built to 1/12 scale, it can reach speeds of up to 720 feet per minute. The vehicle's precise steering gives you great control so you can go almost anywhere and perform cool stunts!

Your Baja Screamer comes in two frequencies (27 MHz and 49 MHz), so you and your friends can drive together. Check the box to see which frequency you have.

## THE FCC WANTS YOU TO KNOW

Your Baja Screamer might cause TV or radio interference even when it is operating properly. To determine whether your Baja Screamer is causing the interference, turn off your Baja Screamer. If the interference goes away, your Baja Screamer is causing it. Try to eliminate the interference by:

- moving your Baja Screamer away from the receiver
- contacting your local RadioShack store for help

If you cannot eliminate the interference, the FCC requires that you stop using your Baja Screamer.

This device complies with Part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) this device may not cause harmful interference, and (2) this device must ac-

cept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

Changes or modifications to this product not expressly approved by RadioShack, or operation of this product in any way other than as detailed by the Owner's Manual, could void your authority to operate the product.

## INSTALLING BATTERIES

**Warning:** Dispose of batteries promptly and properly. Do not burn or bury them.

### Cautions:

- Use only fresh batteries of the required size and recommended type.
- If you do not plan to use the vehicle for a week or more, remove the batteries from the transmitter and the vehicle. Batteries can leak chemicals that can damage electronic parts.
- Never leave dead or weak batteries in the vehicle or transmitter.

## In the Transmitter

You need one 9V battery to power the transmitter. For the best performance and longest life, we recommend a RadioShack alkaline battery.

1. Slide the transmitter's OFF/ON switch to OFF.



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2. Slide the battery compartment cover in the direction of the arrow and lift it off.
3. Put the battery in the compartment as indicated by the polarity symbols (+ and -) marked inside.
4. Replace the cover and snap it shut.

When the transmitter's range decreases, replace its battery.

### In the Baja Screamer

You need one 9.6-volt rechargeable battery pack to power the motor. Before you use the battery pack, you must charge it using a battery charger (neither supplied, available at your local RadioShack store). Follow the charger's directions to charge the battery pack.

1. Slide OFF/ON/SOUND ON under the left front fender to OFF.
2. Press the tab on the battery compartment cover and slide off the cover in the direction of the arrow.
3. Attach the battery pack's connector to the vehicle's matching connector. Do not force them! They fit together only one way.
4. Place the connectors in the groove on the side of the compartment, then place the battery pack in the compartment.
5. Close the cover and snap it shut.

When the vehicle's turns get wider, change the battery pack or recharge it according to the battery charger's instructions.

#### Cautions:

- Use only the recommended battery pack and charger.
- Do not charge or recharge the battery pack while it is in the vehicle.

#### Notes:

- When you disconnect the battery pack from the charger, do not pull on the connector's wires. This can damage the battery pack.
- Do not recharge a battery pack immediately after use (while it is still hot). Allow it to cool first.
- To easily remove the battery pack, press down on the end near the battery connector. The battery pack pops out.

**Important:** The EPA certified RBRC® Battery Recycling Seal on the nickel-cadmium (Ni-Cd) battery indicates RadioShack is voluntarily participating in



an industry program to collect and recycle these batteries at the end of their useful life, when taken out of service in the United States or Canada. The RBRC program provides a convenient alternative to placing used Ni-Cd batteries into the trash or the municipal waste stream, which may be illegal in your area. Please call 1-800-THE-SHACK (1-800-843-7422) for information on Ni-Cd battery recycling and disposal bans/restrictions in your area. RadioShack's involvement in this program is part of the company's commitment to preserving our environment and conserving our natural resources.

### DRIVING THE SCREAMER

**Warning:** Never play with your Baja Screamer in the street.

1. Thread the antenna into the transmitter's antenna connector. Make sure the connection is tight.
2. Place the rider on the Baja Screamer. Slide his hands onto the handles and his feet onto the footrests. Rotate the pedal clips to secure his feet to the footrests.

3. Fully extend the transmitter's antenna. Hold the transmitter with the antenna straight up, as high as possible.
4. Slide the transmitter's OFF/ON switch to ON.
5. Slide OFF/ON/SOUND ON on the vehicle to ON to drive without sound effects, or to SOUND ON to drive with sound effects.
6. Use the transmitter's control levers to drive and steer the Baja Screamer.

#### Left Control Lever

- Push forward to move forward.
- Push all the way forward for maximum speed.
- Pull backward to move back.
- Pull all the way back for maximum speed in reverse.
- While pushing forward, pull quickly backward to make the brake sound (with the OFF/ON/SOUND ON switch set to SOUND ON).

#### Right Control Lever

- Push left to turn left.
  - Push right to turn right.
  - Release to go straight.
7. When you finish driving the Baja Screamer, slide OFF/ON/SOUND ON on the vehicle and OFF/ON on the transmitter to OFF.

#### Cautions:

- The motor gets hot during use. Do not touch the motor immediately after driving the vehicle.
- If the vehicle gets stuck under an object, immediately slide ON/OFF on the transmitter to OFF. Then retrieve the vehicle.

#### Stunt Tips

**Rockin' Tilt** — Rock the Screamer from side to side as it moves forward or backward by moving the right control lever rapidly from right to left.

**The Big Wheelie** — Pop big wheelies by driving backward, then quickly moving forward.

**Super Spins** — Pop a wheelie. Then quickly move the right control lever to the right or left to make the Screamer spin. You hear a spinning sound when OFF/ON/SOUND ON is set to SOUND ON.

#### HELPFUL HINTS

- Do not drive the vehicle in puddles, on a wet floor, on sand, or in mud, rain, or snow. These can damage it.
- Running your vehicle continuously for long periods generates high heat levels. Heat causes wear and tear on the motor. To help keep heat levels down, when your vehicle's battery pack dies, let the vehicle cool at least 10 minutes before installing a newly charged battery pack.
- If you set OFF/ON/SOUND ON to ON and keep the left control lever in one position for 30 seconds, the transmitter automatically shuts off to prolong battery life. If this happens, move the left control lever to another position to continue driving.
- If someone uses a CB nearby, it might interfere with control of the vehicle. If this happens, move the vehicle and the transmitter away from the CB.
- You cannot operate your vehicle near devices with transmitters that use the same frequency as your vehicle (27 or 49 MHz). Check the box to see which frequency you have.

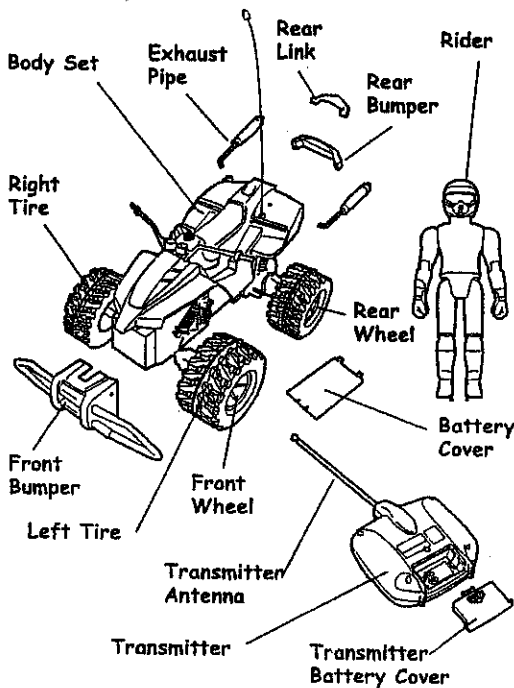
- Be sure the vehicle is not out of the transmitter's range. Obstructions such as buildings, fences, and so on, between the transmitter and the vehicle, reduce the range.
- If the vehicle moves slowly and you have installed a fully charged battery pack, check the wheel mechanisms for lint, thread, hair, or dust.

## CARE

Modifying or tampering with the Baja Screamer's internal components can cause a malfunction and might invalidate its warranty and void your FCC authorization to operate it. If your Baja Screamer is not performing as it should, take it to your local RadioShack store for assistance.

## USER-REPLACEABLE PARTS

You can order these parts for your Baja Screamer at your local RadioShack store. Simply identify the part(s) you need from this exploded view, then find the part number in the list.



Part	PSU #
Body Set (27MHz)	12338232
(49MHz)	12338240
Front Bumper	12338257
Rear Bumper	12338265
Rear Link	12338273
Exhaust Pipe Set	12342002
Front Wheel	11964467
Rear Wheel	11964475
Battery Cover	12338422
Left Tire	12051413
Right Tire	12051405
Rider	12338430
Transmitter (27 MHz)	12338448
(49 MHz)	12338455
Transmitter Antenna	12338463
Transmitter Battery Cover	11964616
Service Manual	12338471
Owner's Manual	12338489

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