

OPERATING YOUR VEHICLE

Quick Start

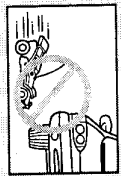
1. Start with fresh batteries (for a full charge).
2. Turn vehicle switch ON. Press transmitter controls to run and control your vehicle.
3. When you are driving, turn vehicle switch OFF. Remove all batteries for storage.

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 the child.

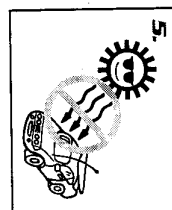
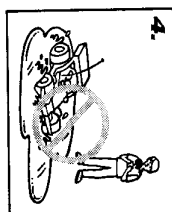
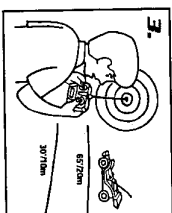
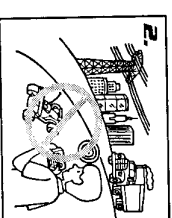
Caution

- NEVER drive your vehicle on a street. They're for real cars!
- DO NOT pick up vehicle while in motion.
- Keep fingers, hair and loose clothing away from the wheels while the vehicle is switched ON.
- If this toy is being operated in the presence of children under 5 years of age, adult supervision is recommended.
- To avoid accidental operation, remove all batteries when not in use.



Quick Tips

1. When your vehicle starts to lose power, it may lose functions or performance. It's time for fresh batteries (for a recharge). Your vehicle's running time may change depending on your driving style.
2. 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.
3. Point your transmitter antennas up - not down toward your vehicle. If your vehicle gets too far away, it won't work properly.
4. Don't drive your vehicle in sand or through water or snow.
5. Don't store your vehicle near heat or in direct sunlight. Always turn switches OFF and remove all batteries for storage.



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PROBLEM? - SOLUTIONS!

SYMPTOM	PROBABLE CAUSE	CORRECTION
Vehicle won't start	• Loose battery connection at vehicle switch • Not ON • Weak AA batteries (Power Clip) or 9-volt transmitter battery • Transmitter battery weak or not connected	• Check battery connector and vehicle battery • Charge battery or replace • Replace with fresh alkaline battery • Check connections and replace battery if required
Vehicle won't run	• Radio interference likely • Battery not fully charged • Water in the electronics area	• Change location (see point 2 - Quick Tips) • Recharge vehicle battery • Vehicle will take several hours to dry • Avoid driving in water and snow

CONSUMERS WITH REGISTRATION

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CAUTION: FCC regulations state the 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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If you have questions or difficulty operating this vehicle, DO NOT RETURN IT TO THE STORE! Call toll-free 1-888-557-1700 (1-888-557-4626) for expert technical help and MATEL parts and service assistance.

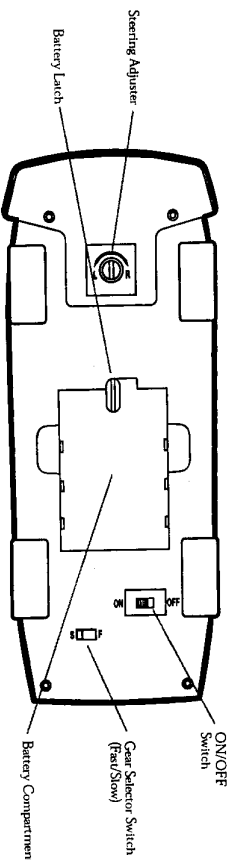
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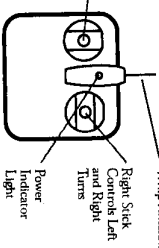
Your chassis may look slightly different, depending on your vehicle.



Refer to label on transmitter and vehicle for frequency. Do not use vehicles with the same frequency.

TRANSMITTER

NOTE: Your transmitter is designed to operate on two different power systems: the included 6V DPM Power Clip, which uses 4 AA batteries (not included); and the 6.0V Jet Turbo™ rechargeable NiCd battery pack. You'll find detailed instructions about both systems in this Owner's Manual.

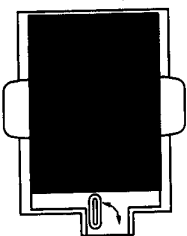
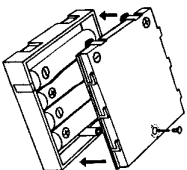


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POWER OPTION ONE - 6V DP™ POWER CLIP

(4 AA BATTERIES NOT INCLUDED)

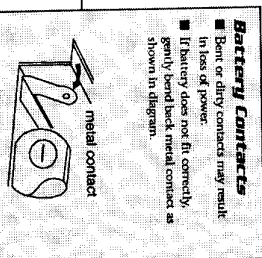
1. Unscrew Power Clip cover screw and remove cover. Insert 4 AA batteries, with polarity (+/-) as shown inside Power Clip. Replace cover.
2. Release battery compartment latch.
3. Insert Power Clip into battery compartment and slide Power Clip away from latch.
4. Make sure Power Clip straps securely in place, turn battery compartment latch and lock Power Clip in place.
5. To remove Power Clip, turn latch, slide Power Clip toward latch and lift out.



IMPORTANT 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. Battery life may vary depending on battery brand, toy adult supervision.
- Recharge batteries only under adult supervision.
- Dispose of batteries safely.
- Do not recharge non-rechargeable batteries.
- Do not short-circuit terminals.
- Remove rechargeable batteries before recharging.
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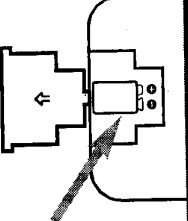
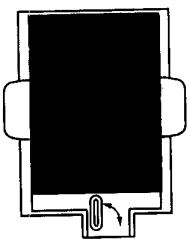
NOTE: The batteries used in the 6V DP Power Clip will gradually lose power over their lifetime. You will notice a decrease in performance as this occurs. The 6.0V Jet Turbo rechargeable NiCd battery pack will run at a sustained high power level for virtually its entire run time.



POWER OPTION TWO - 6.0V JET TURBO™ RECHARGEABLE NiCd BATTERY PACK

Please read Battery Charging/Care on the next page.

1. Release battery compartment latch.
2. Insert battery pack into battery compartment and slide battery pack away from latch.
3. Make sure battery pack straps securely in place, turn battery compartment latch and lock battery pack in place.
4. To remove battery pack, turn latch, slide battery pack toward latch and lift out.



TRANSMITTER

1. Slide battery door open.
2. Install one 9-volt (6LR61) battery with polarity (+/-) as shown inside battery compartment.
3. Replace battery door.

BATTERY CHARGING/CARE - 6.0V JET TURBO™ BATTERIES AND CHARGER NOT INCLUDED

- This economical system is the only rechargeable NiCd battery pack and charger made to power your TTCO's RC vehicle.
 - Rechargeable up to 1000 times!
 - This vehicle uses a Nickel-Cadmium rechargeable battery pack. Must be recycled or disposed of properly.
1. Plug wall pack charger into standard wall outlet.
 2. Click the battery pack into the charger. Make certain the battery pack is secure in charge.
 3. To disconnect, push the red button on the side of charger and simultaneously slide battery pack out.
 4. After charging for 4 hours, the battery will feel warm. This condition is normal for fully charged batteries.
 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.
 6. 4 hours is all that is required for a fully charged battery pack.
 7. 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 now time to recharge the battery pack. 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.

CAUTIONS

- DO NOT RECHARGE BATTERY PACK IF IT'S HOT. ALLOW IT TO COOL BEFORE RECHARGING.
 - DO NOT DISASSEMBLE THE BATTERY PACK THAT SHOWS LEAKAGE OR CORROSION.
 - DO NOT DISPOSE OF THE BATTERY PACK IN FIRE.
 - EXERCISE CAUTION IN HANDLING A HOT BATTERY PACK.
 - IF BATTERY PACK AND/OR CHARGER ARE WET, THOROUGHLY DRY BEFORE CHARGING.
 - 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 until the damage has been repaired.
 - This toy is not intended for children under 3 years old. The transformer is not a toy.

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SPECIAL CONTROLS & DRIVING MODES

Your vehicle may vary.

