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DVD Recorder
Model 50550/HTDVDRE 31

Quick Guide

Important!

In addition to this quick guide, please read the supplied operating instructions carefully. Only by doing so will you be able to use all the functions safely and with certainty.

Welcome to this quick guide for your new DVD Recorder. Here you will find a short and simple overview for setting up the DVD Recorder. Follow the steps below to set up the device.

Connecting the DVD Recorder

Connecting the DVD Recorder to your aerial or cable-TV connection

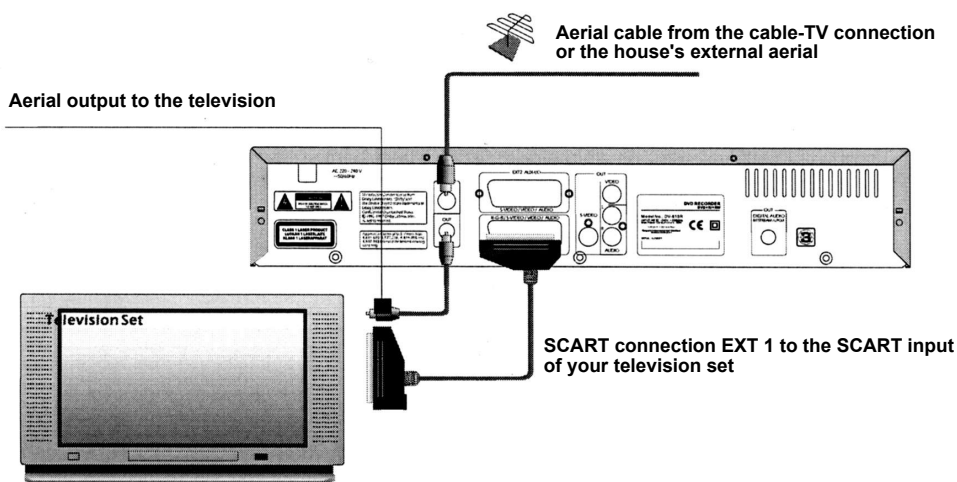
Connect the aerial input (12) using an aerial cable (not included) to the house's aerial connection or cable-TV connection.

Connecting the DVD Recorder to the television set using a SCART cable

Use a SCART cable (see Specialist Terms) to connect the DVD Recorder to your television set. Use the SCART cable to connect the EXT 1 socket (15) of the DVD Recorder to a SCART socket on your television set.

You will achieve a very high picture quality if you use this type of connection.

For information on connecting the DVD Recorder to the television set using an S-Video (Y/C) cable or a video RCA cable (CVBS), please refer to the operating instructions for that particular device.



Connecting audio devices

Analog receiver with Dolby Pro Logic decoder or a normal stereo sound system

Use an RCA cable to connect your stereo sound system to the analog audio output (17) (red and white jacks).

If you are operating the DVD Recorder with just a stereo sound system, set the analog output to stereo in the audio settings section of the system menu.

If you have connected the DVD Recorder to a Dolby Surround system, set the analog output to the surround setting.

Dolby Digital system, AV receiver, digital 2-channel amplifier

To enjoy digital 5.1 sound, connect your Dolby Digital system to the digital output of the DVD Recorder.

Use a single RCA cable to connect the coaxial digital output (18) of the DVD Recorder to the coaxial digital input of your system. Configure your system to use the coaxial digital input.

Getting ready for use

Remote control

Insert two UM4 type-AAA batteries and make sure that the polarity is correct as indicated inside the battery compartment.

Connect the device to a 230V/50 Hz supply socket using the permanently attached mains power cable.

Switch on the device using the Power button (1). Switch channels on your television set so that it uses the input of the DVD Recorder.

Installing for the first time

Select the appropriate items using the navigation buttons ▲ ▼ (20) and then confirm your choice with OK (23).

DVD playback

Open the DVD compartment by pressing the open button (7), and insert a DVD/CD with its label side uppermost (printed side). Press the open button again to close the DVD compartment.

Original DVDs will cause the player to start playing automatically, otherwise press the play button (8).

Function buttons



Power



Play



Stop



Skip/Search forwards/backwards



Record

Recording

You can use this DVD Recorder to record external video signals or television programmes.

Preparation:

- Connect the DVD Recorder to the television or other external device from which you want to record.
 - Please remember to use a DVD+RW or DVD+R that has not yet been finalised or used.
1. Switch on the DVD Recorder and the television (or other devices).
 2. Press the EJECT button to open the tray.
 3. Place a writable DVD+RW or DVD+R onto the tray.
 4. Press the EJECT button to close the tray.
 5. Press the CHANNEL +/- buttons or the numerical buttons to select the channel that you want to record from.
 6. Press RECORD button on the remote control to start recording.
 7. Press STOP button on the remote control to stop recording.

This is how you play your recordings:

1. Press the ▲ ▼ buttons to select the recording, which you have just recorded, from the main menu.
2. Press the OK button to play the selected recordings.

For further information, please refer to the operating instructions.



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