

AV SURROUND RECEIVER

AVR-1709

Owner's Manual

Manuel de l'Utilisateur

□ SAFETY PRECAUTIONS



CAUTION:

TO REDUCE THE RISK OF ELECTRIC SHOCK, DO NOT REMOVE COVER (OR BACK). NO USER-SERVICEABLE PARTS INSIDE. **REFER SERVICING TO QUALIFIED SERVICE PERSONNEL.**



The lightning flash with arrowhead symbol, within an equilateral triangle, is intended to alert the user to the presence of uninsulated "dangerous voltage" within the product's enclosure that may be of sufficient magnitude to constitute a risk of electric shock to persons.



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The exclamation point within an equilateral triangle is intended to alert the user to the presence of important operating and maintenance (servicing) instructions in the literature accompanying the appliance.

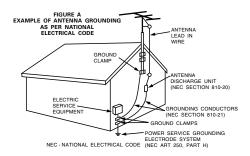
WARNING:

TO REDUCE THE RISK OF FIRE OR ELECTRIC SHOCK, DO NOT EXPOSE THIS APPLIANCE TO RAIN OR MOISTURE.

- 1. Read Instructions All the safety and operating instructions should be read 13. Power-Cord Protection Power-supply cords should be routed so that they before the product is operated.
- 2. Retain Instructions The safety and operating instructions should be retained for future reference.
- 3. Heed Warnings - All warnings on the product and in the operating instructions should be adhered to.
- 4 Follow Instructions - All operating and use instructions should be followed.
- Cleaning Unplug this product from the wall outlet before cleaning. Do not 5. use liquid cleaners or aerosol cleaners.
- 6. Attachments - Do not use attachments not recommended by the product manufacturer as they may cause hazards.
- 7. Water and Moisture Do not use this product near water for example, near a bath tub, wash bowl, kitchen sink, or laundry tub; in a wet basement: or near a swimming pool; and the like.
- 8. Accessories – Do not place this product on an unstable cart, stand, tripod. bracket, or table. The product may fall, causing serious injury to a child or adult, and serious damage to the product. Use only with a cart, stand, tripod, bracket, or table recommended by the manufacturer, or sold with the product. Any mounting of the product should

follow the manufacturer's instructions, and should use a mounting accessory recommended by the manufacturer.

- 9. A product and cart combination should be moved with care. Quick stops, excessive force, and uneven surfaces may cause the product and cart combination to overturn.
- 10. Ventilation Slots and openings in the cabinet are provided for ventilation and to ensure reliable operation of the product and to protect it from overheating, and these openings must not be blocked or covered. The openings should never be blocked by placing the product on a bed, sofa, rug, or other similar surface. This product should not be placed in a built-in or the manufacturer's instructions have been adhered to.
- 11. Power Sources This product should be operated only from the type of power source indicated on the marking label. If you are not sure of the type of power supply to your home, consult your product dealer or local power company. For products intended to operate from battery power, or other sources, refer to the operating instructions.
- 12. Grounding or Polarization This product may be equipped with a polarized alternating-current line plug (a plug having one blade wider than the other). This plug will fit into the power outlet only one way. This is a safety feature. If you are unable to insert the plug fully into the outlet, try reversing the plug. If the plug should still fail to fit, contact your electrician to replace your obsolete outlet. Do not defeat the safety purpose of the polarized plug.



- are not likely to be walked on or pinched by items placed upon or against them, paying particular attention to cords at plugs, convenience receptacles, and the point where they exit from the product.
- 15. Outdoor Antenna Grounding If an outside antenna or cable system is connected to the product, be sure the antenna or cable system is grounded so as to provide some protection against voltage surges and built-up static charges. Article 810 of the National Electrical Code, ANSI/NFPA 70, provides information with regard to proper grounding of the mast and supporting structure, grounding of the lead-in wire to an antenna discharge unit, size of grounding conductors, location of antenna-discharge unit, connection to grounding electrodes, and requirements for the grounding electrode. See Figure A.
- 16. Lightning For added protection for this product during a lightning storm. or when it is left unattended and unused for long periods of time, unplug it from the wall outlet and disconnect the antenna or cable system. This will prevent damage to the product due to lightning and power-line surges.
- 17. Power Lines An outside antenna system should not be located in the vicinity of overhead power lines or other electric light or power circuits, or where it can fall into such power lines or circuits. When installing an outside antenna system, extreme care should be taken to keep from touching such power lines or circuits as contact with them might be fatal.
- 18. Overloading Do not overload wall outlets, extension cords, or integral convenience receptacles as this can result in a risk of fire or electric shock.
- 19 Object and Liquid Entry - Never push objects of any kind into this product through openings as they may touch dangerous voltage points or short-out parts that could result in a fire or electric shock. Never spill liquid of any kind on the product.
- 20. Servicing Do not attempt to service this product yourself as opening or removing covers may expose you to dangerous voltage or other hazards. Refer all servicing to qualified service personnel.
- installation such as a bookcase or rack unless proper ventilation is provided 21. Damage Requiring Service Unplug this product from the wall outlet and refer servicing to gualified service personnel under the following conditions:
 - a) When the power-supply cord or plug is damaged,
 - b) If liquid has been spilled, or objects have fallen into the product,
 - c) If the product has been exposed to rain or water.
 - d) If the product does not operate normally by following the operating instructions. Adjust only those controls that are covered by the operating instructions as an improper adjustment of other controls may result in damage and will often require extensive work by a qualified technician to restore the product to its normal operation,
 - e) If the product has been dropped or damaged in any way, and
 - f) When the product exhibits a distinct change in performance this indicates a need for service.
 - 22. Replacement Parts When replacement parts are required, be sure the service technician has used replacement parts specified by the manufacturer or have the same characteristics as the original part. Unauthorized substitutions may result in fire, electric shock, or other hazards.
 - 23. Safety Check Upon completion of any service or repairs to this product. ask the service technician to perform safety checks to determine that the product is in proper operating condition.
 - 24. Wall or Ceiling Mounting The product should be mounted to a wall or ceiling only as recommended by the manufacturer.
 - Heat The product should be situated away from heat sources such as 25. radiators, heat registers, stoves, or other products (including amplifiers) that produce heat.



SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

FCC INFORMATION (For US customers)

1. PRODUCT

This product complies with Part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) this product may not cause harmful interference, and (2) this product must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

2. IMPORTANT NOTICE: DO NOT MODIFY THIS PRODUCT

This product, when installed as indicated in the instructions contained in this manual, meets FCC requirements. Modification not expressly approved by DENON may void your authority, granted by the FCC, to use the product.

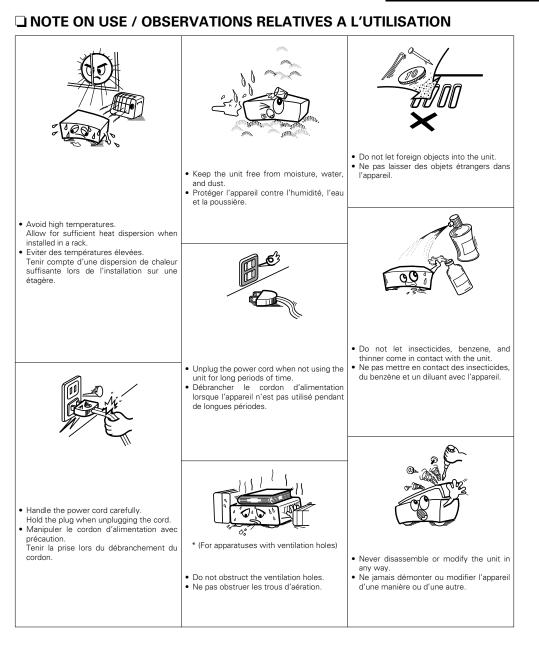
3. NOTE

This product 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 product 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 product does cause harmful interference to radio or television reception, which can be determined by turning the product 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 product into an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected.
- Consult the local retailer authorized to distribute this type of product or an experienced radio/TV technician for help.

This Class B digital apparatus complies with Canadian ICES-003. Cet appareil numérique de la classe B est conforme à la norme NMB-003 du Canada.



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List of preset codes End of this manual

Getting Started

Thank you for purchasing this DENON product. To ensure proper operation, please read this owner's manual carefully before using the product.

After reading them, be sure to keep them for future reference.

Accessories

Check that the following parts are supplied with the product.

① Owner's manual		
2 Getting Started		
(3) Warranty (for North Ame		
(4) Service station list		
(5) Main remote control (RC		
6 R6/AA batteries (for RC-		
(7) Sub remote control (RC-	•	
(8) R03/AAA batteries (for R	C-1108)	2
(9) FM indoor antenna		1
10 AM loop antenna		1
1 Setup microphone		
(DM-A409, Cord length:	Approx. 25 ft /	7.6 m)1
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Getting Started

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Remote Control

Cautions on Handling

Before turning the power switch on

Check once again that all connections are correct and that there are no problems with the connection cables.

 Power is supplied to some of the circuitry even when the unit is set to the standby mode. When traveling or leaving home for long periods of time, be sure to unplug the power cord from the power outlet.

About condensation

If there is a major difference in temperature between the inside of the unit and the surroundings, condensation (dew) may form on the operating parts inside the unit, causing the unit not to operate properly.

If this happens, let the unit sit for an hour or two with the power turned off and wait until there is little difference in temperature before using the unit.

• Cautions on using mobile phones

Using a mobile phone near this unit may result in noise. If so, move the mobile phone away from this unit when it is in use.

• Moving the unit

Turn off the power and unplug the power cord from the power outlet.

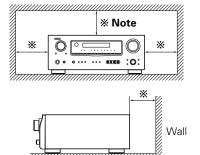
Next, disconnect the connection cables to other system units before moving the unit.

 Note that the illustrations in these instructions may differ from the actual unit for explanation purposes.

Cautions on Installation

Note:

For proper heat dispersal, do not install this unit in a confined space, such as a bookcase or similar enclosure.



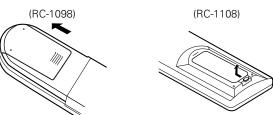
About the Remote Control Unit

In addition to the AVR-1709, the included main remote control unit (RC-1098) can also be used to operate the equipment listed below. ① DENON system components

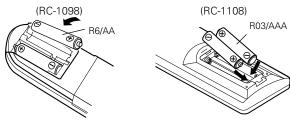
- Non-DENON system components
 - By setting the preset memory (2 page 47 ~ 49)

Inserting the Batteries

① Lift the clasp and remove the rear lid.



② Load the two batteries properly as indicated by the marks in the battery compartment.



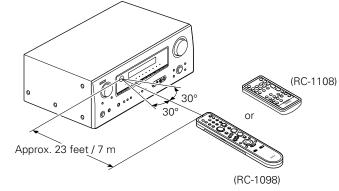
③ Put the rear cover back on.

NOTE

- Replace the batteries with new ones if the set does not operate even when the remote control unit is operated close to the unit.
- The supplied batteries are only for verifying operation.
- When inserting the batteries, be sure to do so in the proper direction, following the " \oplus " and " \ominus " marks in the battery compartment.
- To prevent damage or leakage of battery fluid:
- Do not use a new battery together with an old one.
- Do not use two different types of batteries.
- Do not attempt to charge dry batteries.
- Do not short-circuit, disassemble, heat or dispose of batteries in flames.
- If the battery fluid should leak, carefully wipe the fluid off the inside of the battery compartment and insert new batteries.
- Remove the batteries from the remote control unit if it will not be in use for long periods.
- When replacing the batteries, have the new batteries ready and insert them as quickly as possible.

Operating Range of the Remote Control Unit

Point the remote control unit at the remote sensor when operating it.



NOTE

The set may function improperly or the remote control unit may not operate if the remote control sensor is exposed to direct sunlight, strong artificial light from an inverter type fluorescent lamp or infrared light.

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Multi-Zone

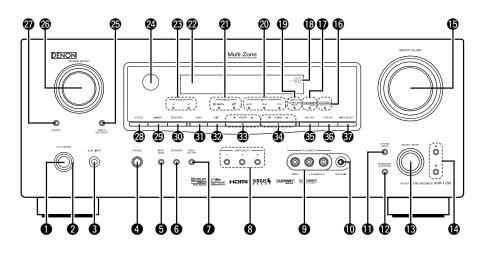
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Part Names and Functions

For buttons not explained here, see the page indicated in parentheses ().

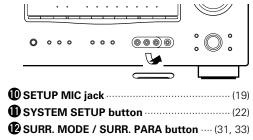
Front Panel



Power operation button (ON/STANDBY)	
2 Power indicator	
3 Power switch (_ON _OFF)	(39, 46)
Headphone jack (PHONES)	
5 INPUT MODE button	
6 SPEAKERS button	(40, 46)
ZONE2 ON/OFF button	
3 QUICK SELECT buttons	
Q V ALLY INPLIT connectors	

SV. AUX INPUT connectors

Remove the cap covering the connectors when you want to use them.



B SELECT/ENTER knob

• The SELECT/ENTER knob on the main unit operates in the same way as the cursor \triangleleft and \triangleright buttons on the main remote control unit.

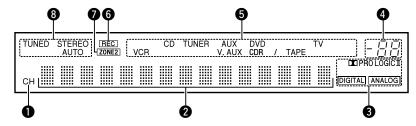


- The control functions in the same way as the cursor \triangleleft button when turned counterclockwise, as the cursor \triangleright button when turned clockwise.
- The control functions in the same way as the **ENTER** button when pressed the knob.

€ Cursor buttons (△▽)
MASTER VOLUME control knob (40)
Dynamic Volume indicator
WultEQ indicator (35)
Master volume indicator
B SURROUND BACK indicator

2 INPUT mode indicators (39)	🚯 D
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SOURCE SELECT knob	is
2 SOURCE button (39)	res
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③ BAND button	by
BHIFT button (41)	roo
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39 TUNING buttons (▲▼)	lev
35 MULTEQ button	• 100 v

Display



1 Signal channel indicator

Lights when the preset channel is displayed at Ø

2 Information display

3 Input signal indicators

4 Master volume indicator

This displays the volume level. The Setup item number is displayed in System Setup.

5 ZONE2/REC OUT source indicators

The indicator for the source selected for ZONE2/ **REC OUT lights.**

GREC SELECT indicator

Lights while selecting the REC SELECT mode. (Off when the "SOURCE" is selected.)

bout Dynamic Volume

udyssey Dynamic Volume[™] solves the problem large variations in volume level between elevision programs, commercials, and between ne soft and loud passages of movies.

udyssey Dynamic EQ[™] is integrated into ynamic Volume so that as the playback volume adjusted automatically, the perceived bass esponse, tonal balance, surround impression, nd dialog clarity remain the same.

bout Dynamic EQ

udyssey Dynamic EQ solves the problem of eteriorating sound quality as volume is decreased y taking into account human perception and oom acoustics. Audyssey Dynamic EQ works in andem with Audyssey MultEQ[®] to provide wellalanced sound for every listener at any volume evel

This indicator lights when the ZONE2 is turned

(Off when the "SOURCE" is selected.)

8 Tuner reception mode indicators

These light according to the reception conditions when the input source is set to "TUNER".

• AUTO

on

- This lights when in the auto tuning mode.
- STEREO

ZONE2 indicator

In the FM mode, this lights when receiving analog stereo broadcasts.

• TUNED

This lights when the broadcast is properly tuned in.

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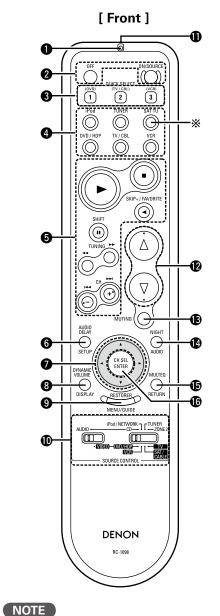
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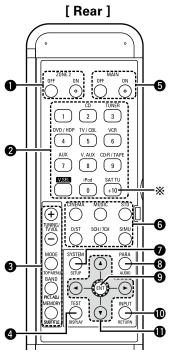
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Remote Control Unit

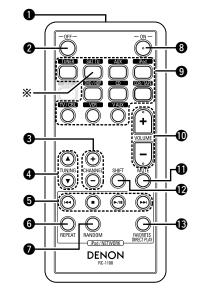
□ Main remote control unit (RC-1098)



1 Indicator
2 Power buttons (39)
OUICK SELECT buttons
 Source select buttons
5 System buttons
6 AUDIO DELAY button (26)
⑦ Cursor buttons (△▽< ▷)
3 DYNAMIC VOLUME button (36)
9 RESTORER button (37)
O SOURCE CONTOROL switches
Remote control signal transmitter
Baster volume control buttons
B MUTING button
WIGHT button (37)
MULTEQ button (35)
Channel select (CH SEL) /
ENTER button



Sub remote control unit for ZONE2 O Remote control signal transmitter (RC-1108)



ZONE2 power buttons(54)
 Source select buttons (39, 54) *: To select "SIRIUS" as the input source, use the SAT TU button
3 Tuner system buttons (40, 41)
4 Test tone button (TEST) (25)
Main zone power buttons (MAIN)
6 Surround mode buttons (31, 32)
System setup button (SYSTEM) (22)
8 Surround parameter button (PARA)… (31, 33)
Enter button (ENT) (22)
Dinput mode button (INPUT)
$\textcircled{0} Cursor buttons (\triangle \nabla \triangleleft \triangleright) \dots (22)$

2 Zone power off button (OFF) (50, 54)
3 CHANNEL buttons (50)
4 TUNING buttons (50)
System buttons (50)
6 REPEAT button (50)
RANDOM button (50)
8 Zone power on button (ON) (50, 54)
Source select buttons
X : To select "SIRIUS" as the input source, use the SAT TU button.
W Volume control buttons (VOLUME) (50, 54)
(50, 54) (50, 54)
BHIFT button (50)

NOTE

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The **DTU** button cannot be used.

The FAVORITES DIRECT PLAY button can function when the control dock for iPod ASD-3N/3W is used.

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If buttons on the front or rear are pressed strongly, the button on the opposite side will be activated too.

Connections

Connections for all compatible audio and video signal formats are described in this owner's manual. Please select the types of connections suited for the equipment you are connecting. With some types of connections, certain settings must be made on the AVR-1709. For details, refer to the instructions for the respective connection items below.

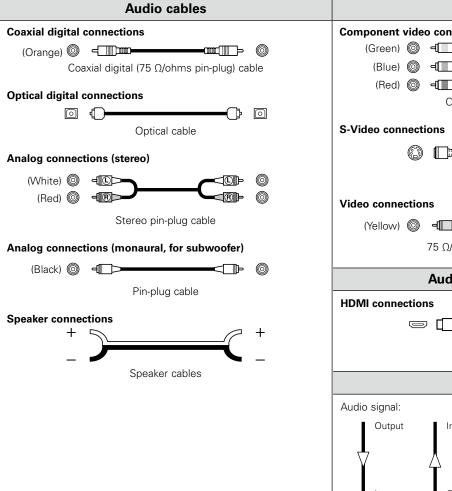
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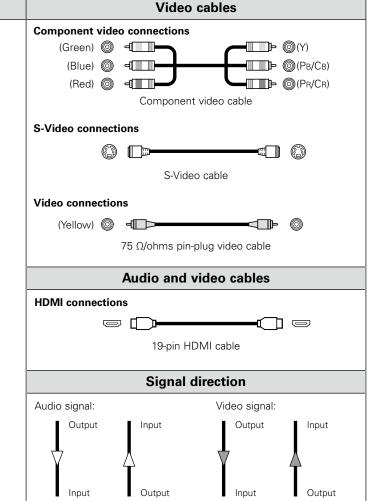
- Do not plug in the power cord until all connections have been completed.
- When making connections, also refer to the operating instructions of the other components.
- Be sure to connect the left and right channels properly (left with left, right with right).
- Do not bundle power cords together with connection cables. Doing so can result in humming or noise.

Preparations

Cables Used for Connections

Select the cables according to the equipment being connected.





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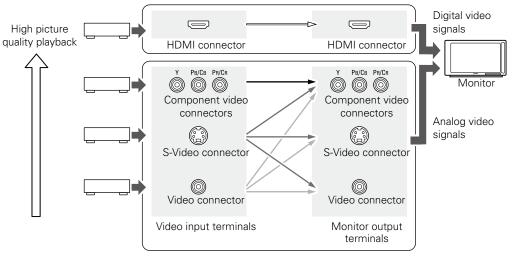
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Video Conversion Function

- This function automatically converts various formats of video signals input to the AVR-1709 into the format used to output the video signals from the AVR-1709 to a monitor.
- The AVR-1709's video input/output circuitry is compatible with the following four types of video signals: Digital video signals: HDMI

Analog video signals: Component video, S-Video and Video

[Flow of video signals inside the AVR-1709]



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When not using this function, connect a monitor output with the same type of connector as the video input connector.

NOTE

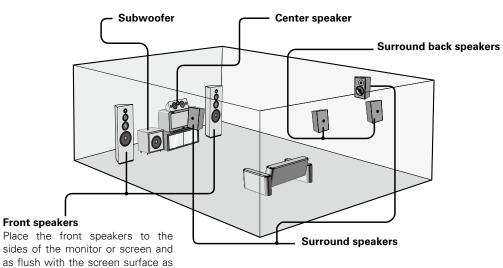
• Analog video signal cannot be converted to HDMI signals.

- Component input video signals cannot be output to anything other than component video connectors.
- When a non-standard video signal from a game machine or some other source is input, the video conversion function might not operate.

Speaker Connections

Speaker Installation

The illustration below shows a basic example of installation of the amplifier combined with 8 speakers and a monitor.



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The table below shows a typical speaker configuration for the AVR-1709.

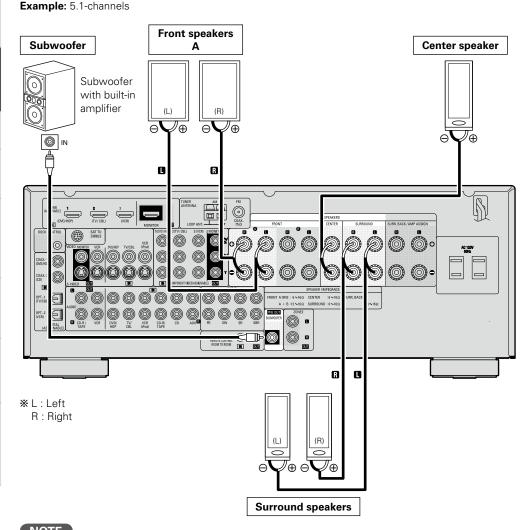
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7.1-channels (FRONT A+B)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	_	0
7.1-channels	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	0
6.1-channels	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	0	0
5.1-channels	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	0
3.1-channels	0	0	0	_	-	-	_	-	0
2.1-channels	0	0	-	_	-	-	_	-	0
2-channels	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	_

Setup Playback Remote Control Multi-Zone Information Troubleshooting

Getting Started Connections Setup Playback **Remote Control** Multi-Zone Information Troubleshooting

Speaker Connections

Example: 5.1-channels



For surround back speakers :

- By default, the AVR-1709's "Amp Assign" setting is set to "ZONE2". To use as the surround back speaker for the main zone, change the "Amp Assign" setting (2) page 28).
- When using just one surround back speaker, connect it to the left channel (SBL).

For ZONE2 speakers :

• For multi-zone connection and operation, see "Amp Assign / Multi-zone Connections and Operations" (CP page 51 ~ 53).

Connecting the Speaker Cables

Carefully check the left (L) and right (R) channels and + (red) and - (black) polarities on the speakers being connected to the AVR-1709, and be sure to interconnect the channels and polarities correctly.

- Peel off about 0.03 ft/10 mm ب of sheathing from the tip of the speaker cable, then either twist the core wire tightly or terminate it.
- Turn the speaker terminal **C** counterclockwise to loosen it.
- **3** Insert the speaker cable's core wire to the hilt into the speaker terminal.

Turn the speaker terminal **4** Turn the speaker term clockwise to tighten it.

When using a banana plug

Tighten the speaker terminal firmly before inserting the banana plug.

NOTE

- Use speakers with an impedance of 6 to 16 Ω /ohms. When using front A and B speakers simultaneously, use speakers with an impedance of 12 to 16 Ω /ohms.
- Connect the speaker cables in such a way that they do not stick out of the speaker terminals. The protection circuit may be activated if the core wires touch the rear panel or if the + and - sides touch each other (1277 "Protection circuit").
- Never touch the speaker terminals while the power supply is connected. Doing so could result in electric shock.

Protection circuit

If the core wires touch the rear panel and the screws etc., or the ± sides touch each other, the protection circuit will be activated and the power indicator will flash red at intervals of 0.5 secs. If the protection circuit is activated, the speaker output is isolated, and the power supply goes to the standby state. If the power supply is turned off, after the power supply cord is withdrawn. please confirm that speaker cable and input cable are connected.

Also, if replaying large sound levels by using a speaker having an impedance less than that specified (eq. 4 Ω /ohms), the temperature will rise, and the protection circuit might be activated. The power supply will go into the standby state, and the power indicator will flash red at 2 second intervals

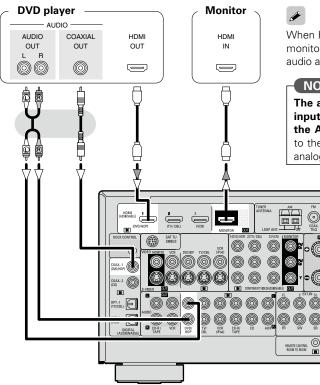
In this case, please switch off the power supply. and wait until the AVR-1709 has cooled down, and the surrounding ventilation is good. Even if there are no problems with the surrounding ventilation and connections, in the event of the protection circuit becoming activated, due to thinking that the AVR-1709 has failed, please contact DENON Service center after switching off.

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Connecting Equipment with HDMI connectors



When HDMI input signals are sent to the monitor as HDMI output, both video and audio are output to the monitor.

The audio signal input to the HDMI input connector cannot be played on the AVR-1709. Input the audio signal to the digital audio input connector or analog audio input connector.

- NOTE
- The AVR-1709 cannot be controlled from another device via the HDMI cable.
- Video signals are not output if the input video signals do not match the monitor's resolution. In this case, switch the DVD player's resolution to a resolution with which the monitor is compatible.
- Use a cable on which the HDMI logo is indicated (a certified HDMI product) for connection to the HDMI connector. Normal playback may not be possible when using a cable other than one on which the HDMI logo is indicated (a non-HDMI-certified product).
- If the monitor or DVD player does not support Deep Color, deep color signal transfer is not possible.
- If the monitor or DVD player does not support xvYCC, xvYCC signal transfer is not possible.

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- The audio and video signals input to the AVR-1709's HDMI input connector are output unchanged from the HDMI output connector. Because of this, the sound is output from the monitor connected using the HDMI connectors, but in order to take full advantage of the AVR-1709's playback sound, turn the TV's volume down.
- If the connected monitor or DVD player only has a DVI-D connector, use an HDMI/DVI converter cable. When using a DVI cable, no audio signals are transmitted.
- Use a Deep Color compatible cable for connection to Deep Color compatible devices.

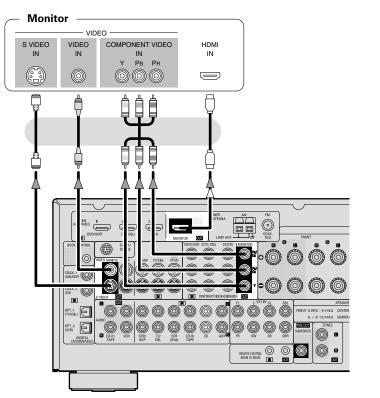
When connecting with an HDMI/DVI converter cable (adapter)

- HDMI video signals are theoretically compatible with the DVI format.
- When connecting to a monitor, etc., equipped with a DVI-D connector, connection is possible using an HDMI/DVI converter cable, but depending on the combination of components in some cases the video signals will not be output.
- When connecting using an HDMI/DVI converter adapter, the video signals may not be output properly due to poor connections with the connected cable, etc.
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- * The AVR-1709 is equipped for HDMI version 1.3a. This version is compatible with other versions. allowing connection to all components equipped with an HDMI connector.
- * The AVR-1709 is compatible with 30- and 36-bit Deep Color.
- * The AVR-1709 can be connected to a device equipped with an HDMI output connector using an HDMI cable.
- * The AVR-1709 is compatible with HDMI Ver. 1.3a Deep Color and xvYCC.

Connecting the Monitor

Select the terminal to use and connect the device (CP page 8 "Video Conversion Function").



NOTE

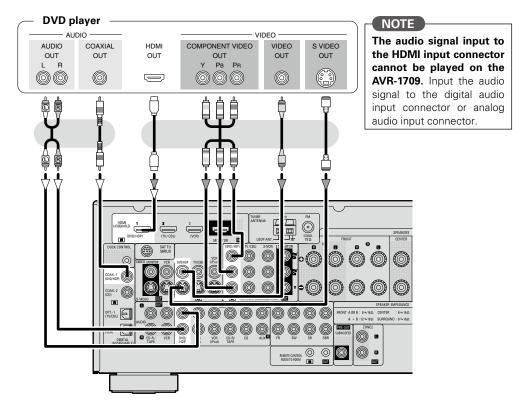
- Video/S-Video or Component Video connections are required to playback analog video devices on TV monitor.
- The component video connectors may be indicated differently on your monitor. For details, see the monitor's operating instructions.
- To play the sound by AVR-1709, make analog or digital audio output connections to AVR-1709's audio input connectors.
- The signals output from the HDMI connectors are only the HDMI input signals.

Connecting the Playback Components

Carefully check the left (L) and right (R) channels and the inputs and outputs, and be sure to interconnect correctly.

DVD Player

Select the terminal to use and connect the device.



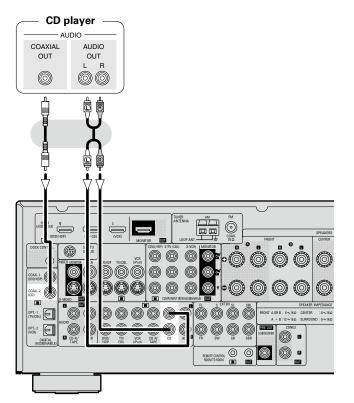
- The same method can be used to connect an HDP (High-Definition Player) such as a Blu-ray Disc player.
- When using a optical cable for the digital audio connection, make the settings at "System Setup" "Input Setup" "Digital In Assign" (1) page 26).

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Select the terminal to use and connect the device.



When using a coaxial cable for the digital audio connection, make the settings at "System Setup" – "Input Setup" – "Digital In Assign" (127) page 26).

iPod®

Use a DENON control dock for iPod (ASD-1R, ASD-3N or ASD-3W, sold separately) to connect the iPod to the AVR-1709. For instructions on the control dock for iPod settings, refer to the control dock for iPod's operating instructions.

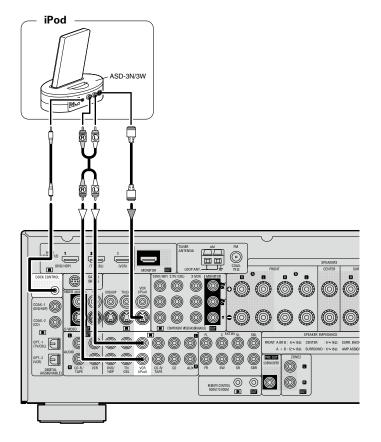
 \bullet With the default settings, the iPod can be used connected to the VCR (iPod) connector.

• To assign the iPod to a connector other than VCR (iPod), make the settings at "System Setup" – "Input Setup" – "iPod Assign" (127) page 26).

NOTE

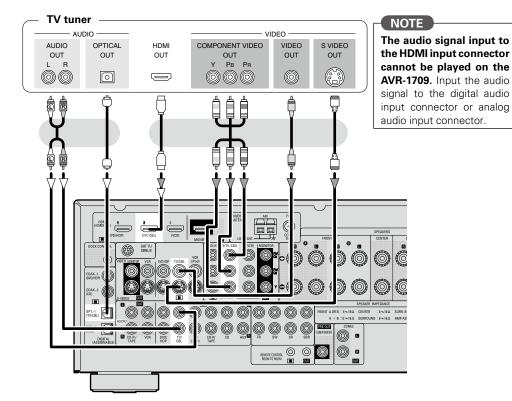
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Video/S-Video or Component Video connections are required to playback iPod Video or Photos on TV monitor.



TV/CABLE Tuner

Select the terminal to use and connect the device.



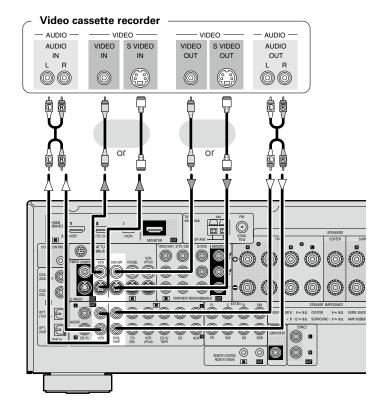
When using a optical cable for the digital audio connection, make the settings at "System Setup" – "Input Setup" – "Digital In Assign" (@ page 26).

Connecting the Recording Components

Carefully check the left (L) and right (R) channels and the inputs and outputs, and be sure to interconnect correctly.

Video Cassette Recorder

Select the terminal to use and connect the device.



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• When recording via the AVR-1709, the playback device's cable must be of the same type as the cable used to connect the AVR-1709's VCR OUT connector.

Example: TV IN \rightarrow S-Video cable : VCR OUT \rightarrow S-Video cable

 $\mathsf{TV}\:\mathsf{IN}\to\mathsf{Video}\:\mathsf{cable}:\mathsf{VCR}\:\mathsf{OUT}\to\mathsf{Video}\:\mathsf{cable}$

 When using a component video cable for the video connection, make the settings at "System Setup" – "Input Setup" – "Component In Assign" (1) page 26).

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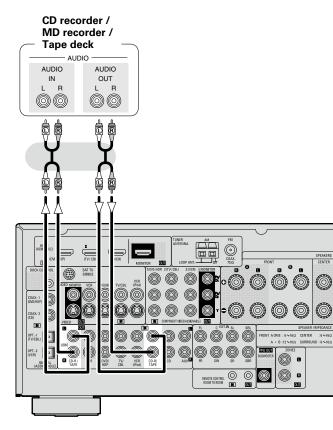
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CD Recorder / MD Recorder / Tape Deck

Select the terminal to use and connect the device.



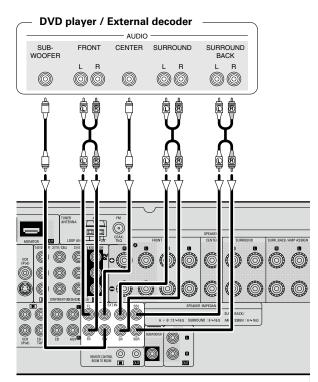
Connections to Other Devices

Carefully check the left (L) and right (R) channels and the inputs and outputs, and be sure to interconnect correctly.

Video Camera / Game Console Select the terminal to use and connect the device. Video camera / Game console - VIDEO -- AUDIO -VIDEO AUDIO OUT OUT L R 0 $\bigcirc \bigcirc$ ġ ġ 0 M i Zone El DISTAL O ллто 0 MAX O PON O Ô Ø 0 ò AUDYSEEY AUDYSEEY AUDYSEEY

Component with Multi-channel Output connectors

Select the terminal to use and connect the device.



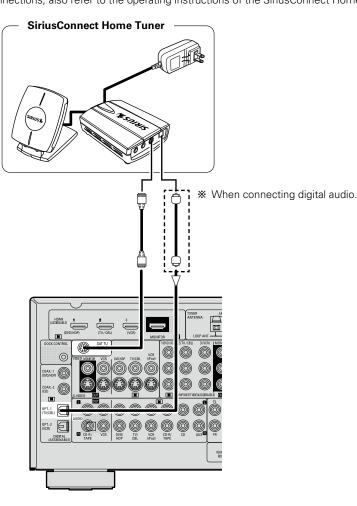
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- To play the analog input signals input to the EXT. IN connectors, press the **INPUT MODE** button on the main unit or the **INPUT** button on the main remote control unit and select "EXT. IN" (IP page 39).
- The video signal can be connected in the same way as a DVD player (127 page 11).
- To play copyright-protected discs, connect the AVR-1709's EXT. IN connector with the DVD player's analog multi-channel output connector.

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SIRIUS connector

- The AVR-1709 is a SIRIUS Satellite Radio Ready[®] receiver. You can receive SIRIUS[®] Satellite Radio by connecting to the SiriusConnect Home Tuner and subscribing to the SIRIUS service.
- Plug the SIRIUS connector on the rear panel.
- Position the Home Tuner antenna near a south-facing window to receive the best signal.
 For details, see "Listening to SIRIUS Satellite Radio Programs" (127 page 42).
 When making connections, also refer to the operating instructions of the SiriusConnect Home Tuner.



When connecting the Optical terminal, set the input Optical terminal allocations for "System Setup" – "Input Setup" – "Digital In Assign", in "SIRIUS".

NOTE

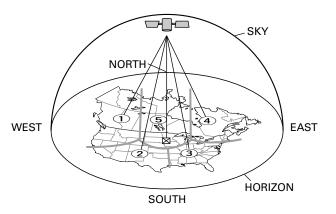
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Keep the power cord unplugged until the SiriusConnect Home Tuner connection have been completed.

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Positioning the Antenna

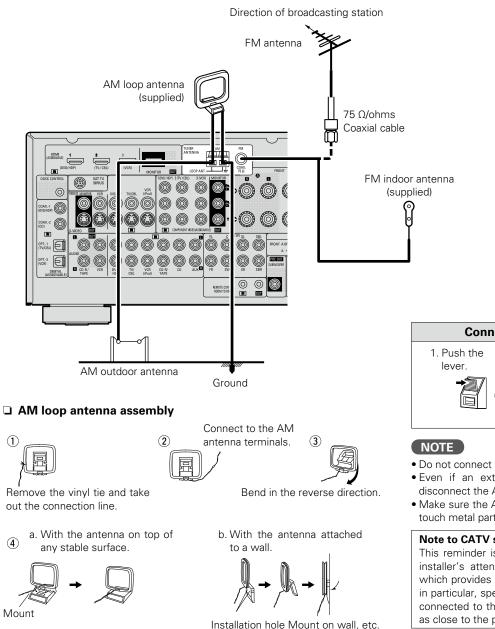
For a consistent satellite signal, the antenna must be positioned correctly. Use the following map to determine which area you are in and position the antenna accordingly.

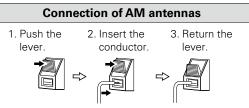


- Area 1 : Point the antenna toward the sky in the east, northeast, or southeast, either through a window or outside.
- Area 2 : Point the antenna toward the sky in the north or northeast, either through a window or outside.
- Area 3 : Point the antenna toward the sky in the north or northwest, either through a window or outside.
- Area 4 : Point the antenna toward the sky in the **west**, **northwest**, or **southwest**, either through a window or outside.
- Area 5 : Put the antenna outside and point it straight up. The antenna cannot be used indoors.

Antenna terminals

An F-type FM antenna cable plug can be connected directly.





- Do not connect two FM antennas simultaneously.
- Even if an external AM antenna is used, do not disconnect the AM loop antenna.
- Make sure the AM loop antenna lead terminals do not touch metal parts of the panel.

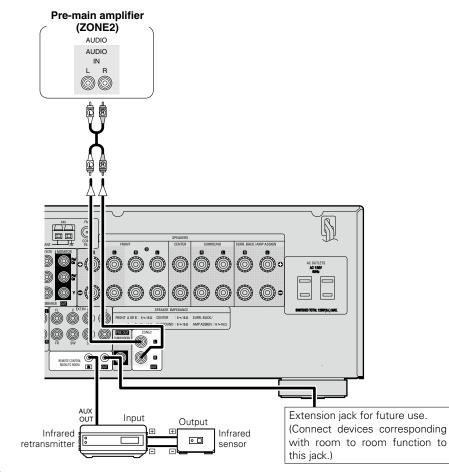
Note to CATV system installer:

This reminder is provided to call the CATV system installer's attention to Article 820-40 of the NEC which provides guidelines for proper grounding and, in particular, specifies that the cable ground shall be connected to the grounding system of the building, as close to the point of cable entry as practical.

Multi-zone

ZONE2 Out Connections

If another pre-main (integrated) amplifier is connected, the ZONE2 out connectors can be used to play a different program source in ZONE2 the same time (1277) page 51 ~ 54).

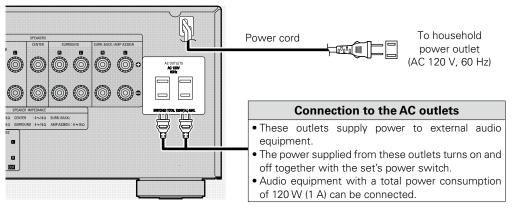


NOTE

- For the audio output, use high quality pin-plug cords so that no induction humming or noise is produced.
- For instructions on installing and operating separately sold devices, refer to the respective devices' operating instructions.
- To conduct multi-zone playback, see "Amp Assign / Multi-zone Connections and Operations" (1277) page 51 ~ 53).

Connecting the Power Cord

Wait until all connections have been completed before connecting the power cord.



NOTE

- Insert the AC plugs securely. Incomplete connections could cause noise.
- Only use the AC outlets to plug in audio equipment. Do not use them as power supplies for hairdryers or anything other than audio equipment.

Once Connections are Completed

Turning the Power On (page 39)

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Menu Map

Some typical examples are described below. Auto Setup (19 ~ 21) * When the setup microphone is connected. Item number Start Menu • Step 1: Speaker Detection Currently selected line Step 2: Measurement • Step 3: Calculation Menu number Step 4: Check HDMI1 DVD • Step 5: Store Current setting System Setup (Proge 22 ~ 30) □ Speaker Setup (27 page 23 ~ 25) □ Input Setup (12) page 25 ~ 27) □ Option Setup (28 ~ 30) Speaker Configuration • HDMI In Assign Amp Assign 22 T.Tone Yes©◀ Press the ⊲ button to select. Subwoofer Mode Setup • Digital In Assign Volume Control iPod Assign Distance Volume Limit • Crossover Frequency • Component In Assign · Power On Level Currently selected line • Test Tone • Video Convert · Mute Level • Restore Audio Delay • ZONE2 Volume Control • EXT. IN Subwoofer Level · ZONE2 Volume Limit Auto Preset Memory · ZONE2 Power On Level Parental Lock · ZONE2 Mute Level • Edit Lock Code 2ch Direct/Stereo Auto Surround Mode • Direct Mode Setup Remote ID Setup

Examples of Front Display

Mode	 Delay Time 	Treble
 Cinema EQ 	 Effect Level 	MultEQ
• D. Comp	Room Size	 Dynamic EQ
• LFE	 SB CH OUT 	 Dynamic Volume
Center Image	 SUBWOOFER ATT. 	DV Setting
Panorama	Subwoofer	RESTORER
Dimension	Tone Control	 Night Mode
 Center Width 	Bass	Default

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Audio Input Signal

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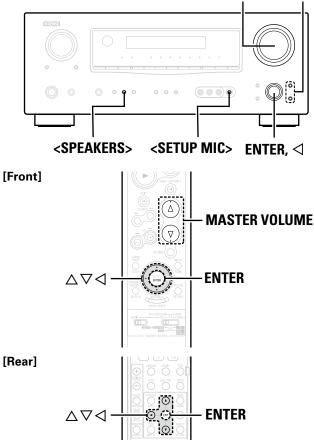
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	Button located on both the main unit and the remote control
	unit
	Button only on the main unit
	Button only on the remote control unit

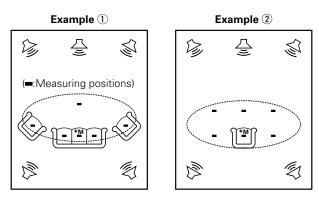
MASTER VOLUME $\triangle \nabla$



- Audyssey MultEQ automatically measures the acoustical problems in the listening environment to create the best audio experience for your home theater.
- Audyssey MultEQ optimizes a large listening area where one or more listeners are seated.

Measurements are performed by placing the calibrated microphone (DM-A409) successively at multiple positions throughout the listening area as shown in **Example** ①. For best results, it is strongly recommended to measure 6 positions so that the measurements have the proper spatial weighting.

Even if the listening environment is small as shown in **Example** (2), measuring at multiple points throughout the listening environment results in more effective correction.



About the main listening position (*M)

The main listening position refers to the most central position where one would normally sit within the listening environment. MultEQ uses the measurements from this position to calculate speaker distance, level, polarity, and the optimum crossover value for the subwoofer.

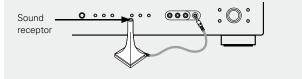
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To make manual adjustments to the settings, see pages 23 ~ 25.

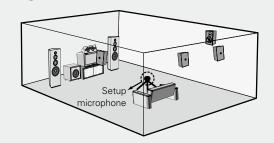
Preparations

- **Press <SPEAKERS>** to select the front speakers Front A, Front B or Front A+B.
- 2 Set "Amp Assign" to define how the amplifier for the
- surround back speaker channels is used (127 page 28).
- $\mathbf{3}$ Connect the included calibrated setup microphone to
<SETUP MIC>.

"Auto Set Start" is displayed.



4 Place the microphone at ear height on a tripod or stand with the microphone pointing directly up towards the ceiling.



* Do not hold the microphone in your hand during measurements. Be sure that the path from microphone to the speakers is not blocked by objects. Avoid placing the microphone close to a seat back or wall as sound reflections may give inaccurate results.

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When using a subwoofer, make the following settings before starting the auto setup procedure:

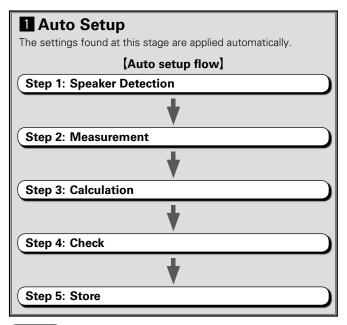
- Defeat the volume and crossover controls if possible
- If this is not possible then set
- Volume: "12 o'clock" position
- Crossover frequency: "Maximum/Highest Frequency"
- Low pass filter: "Off"
- Standby mode: "Off"

NOTE

- Do not disconnect the setup microphone until the auto setup procedure is completed.
- When using headphones, unplug the headphones before starting the auto setup procedure.

Auto Setup

Optimize settings for speakers in use.



NOTE

- Loud test sounds may be played during Audyssey MultEQ automatic speaker setup. This is part of normal operation. If there is background noise in room, these test signals will increase in volume.
- Do not stand between the speakers and setup microphone or allow obstacles in the path while the measurements are being made. This will cause inaccurate readings.
- Make the room as quiet as possible. Background noise can disrupt the room measurements. Close windows, silence cell phones, televisions, radios, air conditioners, fluorescent lights, home appliances, light dimmers, or other devices as measurements may be affected by these sounds.

Cell phones should be placed away from all audio electronics during the measurement process as Radio Frequency Interference (RFI) may cause measurement disruptions (even if the cell phone is not in use).

• Operating **MASTER VOLUME** during the measurements will cancel the measurements.

About the Auto Setup

The Audyssey MultEQ auto setup function detects the presence of each speaker and automatically calculates the speaker size, channel level, distance, and optimal crossover frequency setting. Audyssey MultEQ corrects acoustical distortions within the listening area. Before starting, connect and position all of your speakers.

Once started, MultEQ will play a series of test tones through each speaker.

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If an error message appears during the measurements, check "Error Messages", take the advised action, then start the measurements again (127) page 21).

Step 1 : Speaker Detection

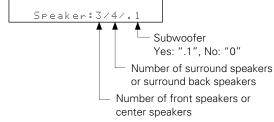
The speaker connection and polarity are detected at the first measurement position (main listening position). The following attributes are also determined at this time: "Speaker Size", "Speaker Distance", "Channel Level", "Crossover Frequency".

(1) Press \triangleleft while "Auto Set<Start" is displayed.

- While the measurements are being conducted "Measure:FL <Ccl" ("FL" indicates the speaker being measured) is displayed.
- When the measurements are completed, "Sp Detect Check" is displayed.

Press ENTER to display the number of speakers detected.

Example : For a 7.1 channel speaker configuration



• To cancel the measurements, press < while "Measure:FL <Ccl" is displayed ("Ccl" stands for "Cancel").

• If the result differs from the actual connection status or an error message appears, use ∇ to display "Retry<" and then press \triangleleft to repeat the measurement.

• If the result still differs from the actual connection status after re-measurement or the error message still appears, it is possible that the speakers are not connected properly. Turn the AVR-1709 off, check the speaker connections and repeat the measurement process from the beginning.

NOTE

Do not change the speaker connections or subwoofer volume after "Step 1".

Step 2 : Measurement

- 1 Press ∇ to select "2nd Start<", then press $\triangleleft.$
 - The measurement of the 2nd position starts.
- (2) Move the microphone to the 3rd position and press \triangleleft .
- The measurement of the 3rd position starts. (3) Perform (2) repeatedly.
- "Calculate<" is displayed when you have completed measurements in 6 positions.
- If you want to stop after measuring just five or fewer positions, use ∇ to display "Calculate<".

After completing a measurement position, move the microphone to the next position.

Measure at 6 positions: the main listening position and 5 other surrounding positions. Although it is allowable to measure less than 6 positions, it is recommended to measure ${\bf 6}$ for best results.

Step 3 : Calculation

The values obtained from the measurements are automatically analyzed and the attributes for each of the speakers in the listening area are determined.

- (1) Press \triangleleft while "Calculate" is displayed.
 - "Calculating" is displayed and analysis begins.

- Analysis takes several minutes to complete.
- The time required for this analysis depends on the number of speakers connected. The greater the number of speakers connected, the longer analysis will take.

NOTE

Do not change the speaker connections or subwoofer volume, or speaker locations after making measurements. If changes are necessary, make the changes and use the Audyssey MultEQ auto setup once again for an updated EQ solution.

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Step 4 : Check

When analysis is complete, "Parameter Check<" is displayed. Press \triangleleft and check the analysis results for the following four items.

- (1) Make your selection using $\Delta \nabla$ and press \triangleleft .
 - Presence and size of speaker "SpConfig. Check<"
 - Distance of speaker from listening position "Distance Check<"
 - Speaker channel level "Ch Level Check<"
 - Crossover Frequency
 - "Crossover Check<"
- (2) Use Δ or ∇ to change which speaker is displayed.

To switch to another analysis result item Press ENTER.

This returns you to analysis results items, so repeat operation ①.

□ To proceed to "Step 5 : Store"

During display of crossover frequency result or analysis results item, press ENTER.

• "Store<" is displayed.

- To proceed to "Step 5" without checking the analysis result, use Δ ∇ to select "Store<" while "Parameter Check<" is displayed.
- Values that are different from the actual distance may be set for speakers with built-in filters (subwoofers, etc). This is because filters add electrical delay to the signal that should be compensated.

Step 5 : Store

The auto setup measurement results are stored in the AVR-1709.

- (1) Press \triangleleft while "Store<" is displayed.
 - "Storing" blinks on the display panel while the results are being stored.
 - When storing is complete, "Completed" is displayed followed by "Disconnect Mic".
- (2) Disconnect the setup microphone from the AVR-1709.

□ To cancel storing

Use \triangle or ∇ to display "Cancel<" while "Store<" is displayed and press \triangleleft

• All the measured auto setup data will be erased.

NOTE

Do not turn the power off while the settings are being stored.

2 Error Messages

If the auto setup procedure could not be completed due to speaker installation, the measuring environment, etc. an error message is displayed. Check the relevant items and be sure to take the necessary measures. After addressing any issues, perform the auto setup procedure over again.

Error messages (examples)	Cause	Measures
Mic or Sp:None	 The included setup microphone is not connected. Not all speakers could be detected. 	 Connect the included setup microphone to <setup mic=""></setup>. Check the speaker connections.
Ambient Noise	accurate measurements to be made.Speaker or subwoofer sound is too	 Either turn off any device generating noise or move it away. Try again when the surroundings are quieter. Check the speaker installation and the direction in which the speakers are facing. Adjust the subwoofer's volume.
Caution: Sp None The messages alternate FR	 Displayed speaker could not be detected. The front L and front R speakers were not properly detected. Only one channel of the surround speakers was detected. Sound was output from the R channel when only one surround back speaker was connected. The surround back speaker was detected, but the surrounds were not detected. 	Check the connections of the displayed speaker.
Caution: Phase The messages alternate SBL	 Displayed speaker connected with the polarities reversed. 	 Check the polarities of the displayed speaker. For some speakers, this error message may be displayed even if the speaker is properly connected. If the connection is correct, use the Δ or ∇ buttons to display "Skip<" and then press <1.

Select "Retry" to make the measurements again.

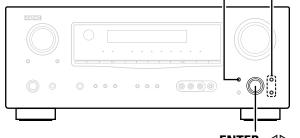


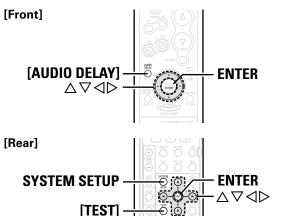
NOTE Be sure to turn the power off before checking speaker connections.

System Setup

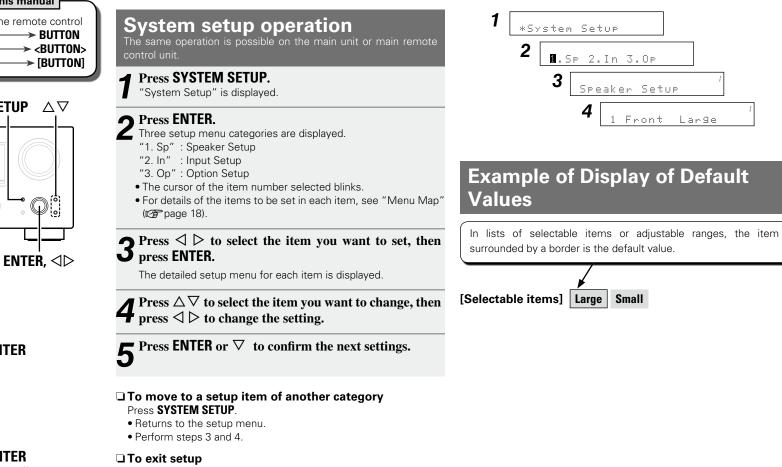
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unit	DN
Button only on the main unit	DN>
Button only on the remote control unit	0N1
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SYSTEM SETUP $\ \bigtriangleup \nabla$



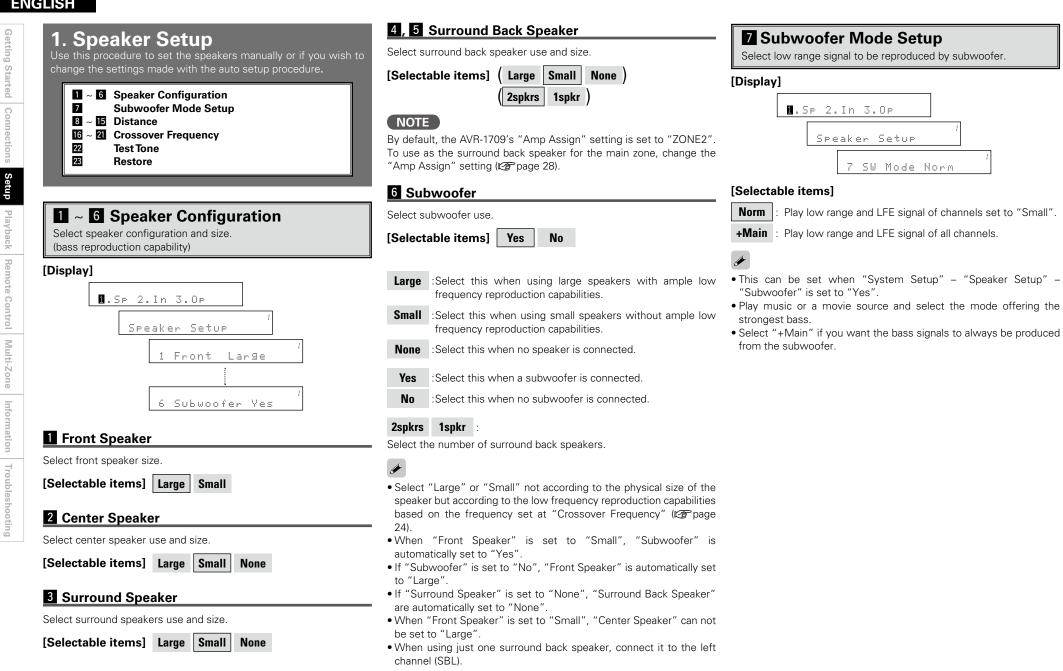


Make detail settings for various parameters.



Press SYSTEM SETUP while the setup menu is displayed.

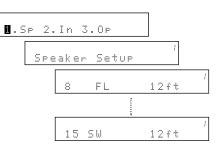
• The display returns to normal.



8 ~ 15 Distance

Set distance from listening position to speakers. Before making the settings, measure the distance from the listening position to the different speakers.

[Display]



Distance measurement

Select the speaker you want to set, then set the distance. Set the value closest to the measured distance.

[Variable range]

Oft ~ 60ft : Settable in units of 1 foot.

Default setting :

- FL / FR / C / SW12 ft
- SL / SR / SBL / SBR 10 ft

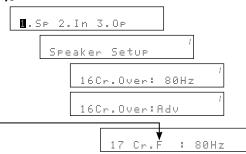
NOTE

Set the distance between the listening position and the various speakers to no more than 20 ft.

16 ~ **21** Crossover Frequency

Select crossover frequency from which subwoofer handles low range signal.

[Display]



 $\mathsf{F}:\mathsf{Front},\,\mathsf{C}:\mathsf{Center},\,\mathsf{S}:\mathsf{Surround},\,\mathsf{SB}:\mathsf{Surround}$ Back, LFE : LFE are displayed.

Only the portion of the bass sound of the various speakers output from the subwoofer that has a frequency below the frequency set here is output.

Set this according to the low frequency reproduction capabilities of the speakers you are using.

[Selectable items]

40Hz	60Hz	80Hz	90Hz	100Hz	110Hz	120Hz	150Hz
200Hz	250Hz	:					

Set the Crossover Frequency of all speakers as one.

Advanced :

Set the Crossover Frequency separately for the different speakers.

① When "Cr.Over:Adv" is displayed, press **ENTER** or ∇ .

② Press ⊲ ▷ to set the crossover frequency of each speaker. The preset speaker changes each time you press ∇.

[Selectable items]

40Hz	60Hz	80Hz	90Hz	100Hz	110Hz	120Hz	150Hz
200Hz	250Hz						

** In the case of "LFE", there are 8 modes: 80Hz, 90Hz, 100Hz, 110Hz, 120Hz, 150Hz, 200Hz, 250Hz.

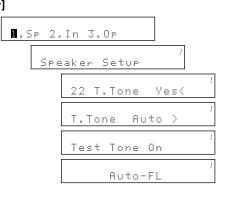
- If in the "Advanced" settings, "Subwoofer Mode Setup" (I page 23) in the "System Setup" is set to "LFE (Normal)", it is possible to make this setting for speakers set to "Small" at "Speaker Configuration". If set to "LFE+Main", this setting can be made regardless of the speaker size.
- For speakers set to "Small", sound below the crossover frequency is cut from the sound output. The cut bass sound is output from the subwoofer or front speakers.
- Always set the crossover frequency to "80Hz". When using small speakers, however, we recommend setting the crossover frequency to a higher frequency.

22 Test Tone

Adjust channel levels to obtain equal volume from all speakers.

[Display]

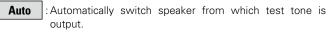
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Test Tone

Select test tone playback method.

[Selectable items]



Manual : Manually switch speaker from which test tone is output.



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Test Tone Start

Press \triangleleft to select "Yes", then press $\triangleleft \triangleright$ to select "Auto" or "Manual". Then press \bigtriangledown . Out put the test tone.

Auto : Press $\triangleleft \triangleright$ to adjust the volume.

Manual: Press $\triangle \nabla$ to select the speaker, then press $\triangleleft \triangleright$ to adjust the volume.

When the adjustments are completed, press **ENTER** to finish the test tone.

[Variable range] -12dB ~ 0dB ~ +12dB

R Operating from the main remote control unit

Adjusting with the main remote control unit using the test tones is only possible in the "Auto" mode and only effective in the STANDARD mode. The adjusted levels for the different modes are automatically stored in the memory.

(Adjusting using test tones) ① Press [TEST].

Test tones are output from the various speakers.

- (2) Use $\triangleleft \triangleright$ to adjust so that the volume is equal for all speakers.
- ③ When the adjustments are completed, press **[TEST]**.

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- When "System Setup" "Speaker Setup" "Surround Back Speaker" setting (127 page 23) is set to "1spkr", the surround back speaker display is "SB".
- Speakers set to "None" in the Speaker Configuration settings are not displayed.
- When "Channel Level" is adjusted, the adjusted values are set for all the surround modes.

23 Restore

After the Auto Setup measurements, it is possible to return those settings to the Auto Setup measurement results after changing the speaker settings (speaker configuration, distance, channel level and crossover frequency) with "System Setup" – "Speaker Setup".

Press ⊲ to start.

[Display]

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It is not possible to return to Amp Assign settings with Restore. After running Auto Setup, if the Amp Assign setting has changed, return to the setting when Auto Setup was run.

2. Input Setup

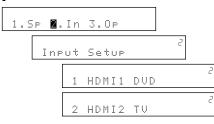
Use this procedure to select the input source and make the settings related to playing input sources.

1 ~ 3	HDMI In Assign
4 ~ 7	Digital In Assign
8	iPod Assign
9 ~ 11	Component In Assign
12 ~ 15	Video Convert
16	Audio Delay
17	EXT. IN Subwoofer Level
18	Auto Preset Memory
19	Parental Lock
20	Edit Lock Code

1 ~ 3 HDMI In Assign

Select HDMI connector to assign to this source.

[Display]



[Input terminals] HDMI1 HDMI2 HDMI3

[Assignable input sources]

 DVD/HDP
 *1
 TV/CBL
 *2
 VCR
 V.AUX
 OFF

*1: "DVD" is displayed.

*2: "TV" is displayed.

Input terminals	HDMI1	2 HDMI2	3 HDMI3
Default setting	DVD/HDP	TV/CBL	VCR

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- With HDMI, the video and audio signals are transferred simultaneously. (The HDMI audio signal is output from the monitor.) At this time, set the input mode to "Auto".
- The audio signals input from the analog, digital and EXT. IN connectors are not output to the monitor.

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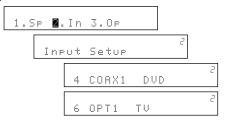
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4 ~ 7 Digital In Assign

Select digital input connector to assign to this source.

[Display]



[Input terminals] COAX1 COAX2 OPT1 OPT2

[Assignable input sources]



SIRIUS OFF

*1: "DVD" is displayed.

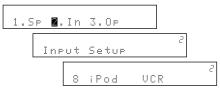
*2: "TV" is displayed.

Input terminals	4	5	6	7
	COAXIAL1	Coaxial2	Optical1	Optical2
Default setting	DVD/HDP	CD	TV/CBL	VCR

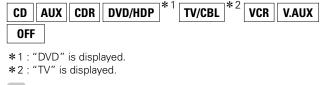
8 iPod Assign

Assign control dock for iPod to this source.

[Display]



[Assignable input sources]



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With the default settings, the control dock for iPod can be used connected to the VCR (iPod) connector.

- 9 ~ 11 Component In Assign
- Select component video input to assign to this source.

[Display]



[Input terminals] Component video1 Component video2 **Component video3**

[Assignable input sources]

DVD/HDP * 1	TV/CBL *2	VCR	V.AUX	OFF
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*1: "DVD" is displayed. *

*2 : "TV" is displaye	ou.

Input terminals	9	10	00
	Component	Component	Component
	video1	video2	video3
Default setting	DVD/HDP	TV/CBL	VCR

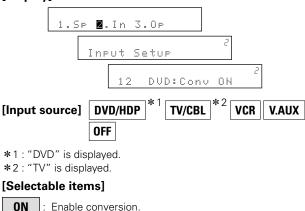
12 ~ 15 Video Convert

Disable conversion.

Automatically convert video input signal to monitor output format.

[Display]

OFF



See "Relationship between Video Signals and Monitor Output" (@ page 62) for details of video signal and monitor output relations.

16 Audio Delay

Compensate for mismatched timing between video and audio.

[Display]

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Delay audio.

This sets the delay time for audio signals.







With a movie source, for example, adjust so that the movement of the actors' lips is synchronized with the sound.

Operating from the main remote control unit Press [AUDIO DELAY]

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- This cannot be adjusted when playing in the EXT. IN, DIRECT or STEREO mode (with "Front Speaker" set to "Large", "Tone Defeat" to "ON" and "MultEQ" to "OFF").
- Store each input source.

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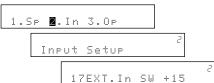
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EXT. IN Subwoofer Level

Set the subwoofer level for playback. Select according to the player in use.

[Display]



[Selectable items]

0dB +5dB +10dB :

Select according to the player in use.

+15dB

This is the recommended level.

13 Auto Preset Memory

Use the auto preset function to program radio stations.

Press ⊲ to start.

- "CH" blinks on the display and searching begins.
- "Completed" appears once searching is completed.

[Display]



If an FM station cannot be preset automatically, select the desired station by tuning it in manually, then preset it manually.

NOTE

"Auto Preset Memory" is displayed when the input source is "FM" and "AM".

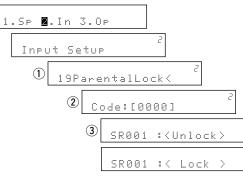
19 Parental Lock

For any channel, set the radio reception limits.

① Press **식**.

- (2) Using $\Delta \nabla \triangleleft \triangleright$, input the password (4 digits number) and press **ENTER**.
- 3 Set the lock by pressing $\Huge{\triangleleft} \emph{\triangleright}.$

[Display]



[Selectable items]

- Unlock : Do not lock selected channel(s).
- Lock : Lock selected channel(s).
- When a Parental Locked channel is tuned, "Code : [displayed, then input the password.

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- The default password is "0000". If you wish to change this password, set the new password with "Edit Lock Code".
- \bullet If the password is incorrectly input, "Incorrect Code" is displayed, and proceed again from step (1).
- If the password input is 3 digits or less, "Enter 4-digit" is displayed, and input again with a 4 digit password.
- While listening to the channel being played, you can also set parental lock (27 page 42).

NOTE

"Parental Lock" is displayed when input source is "SIRIUS" , and connected to SIRIUS Tuner.

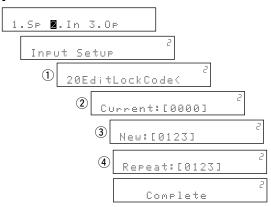
20 Edit Lock Code

Change the password (See "Parental Lock").

1) Press **d**.

- (2) Input old password (4 digits) using $\Delta \nabla \triangleleft \triangleright$, and press **ENTER**.
- (3) Input new password (4 digits) using $\Delta \nabla \triangleleft \triangleright$, and press **ENTER**. Be sure to memorize the password you have entered.
- ④ Input new password (4 digits) again using △∇⊲▷, and press ENTER. If the correct password is input, "Completed" is displayed, and the new password is modified.

[Display]



- If the old password is incorrectly input, "Incorrect Code" is displayed, and proceed again from step ①.
- If the password input is 3 digits or less, "Enter 4-digit" is displayed, and input again with a 4 digit password.
- If the new password is not correctly input, "Disagreement" is displayed and the password does not change.

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"Edit Lock Code" is displayed when the input source is "SIRIUS".

3. Option Setup

Make various other settings.

1	Amp Assign
2 ~ 4	Volume Control
5 ~ 7	ZONE2 Volume Control
8 ~ 14	2ch Direct/Stereo Custom
15	Auto Surround Mode
16	Direct Mode Setup
17	Remote ID Setup

1 Amp Assign

The places where the surround back amplifier are used can be set freely according to the usage environment. This makes it possible to output sound to rooms other than the room (the main zone) where surround playback is performed (multi-zone playback) or play the sound with high quality using the front speakers (bi-amp connections).

[Display]



[Selectable items]

7.1ch : 7.1-channel playback

ZONE2 : 5.1-channel playback + ZONE2 stereo playback

FrontA : Bi-amp (5.1-channel playback)

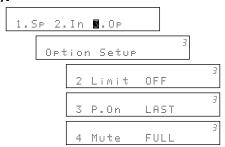
FrontB : Bi-amp (5.1-channel playback)

For details, see "Amp Assign / Multi-zone Connections and Operations" (127) page 51 ~ 53).

2 ~ 4 Volume Control

Set the main zone volume setting.

[Display]



2 Volume Limit

Make a setting for maximum volume.

[Selectable items]



: Do not set a maximum volume. : Set the maximum volume to -20 dB.

- -10dB : Set the maximum volume to -10 dB.
- **0dB** : Set the maximum volume to 0 dB.

3 Power On Level

This sets the volume set when the main zone's power is turned on.

[Selectable items]



- : Use the memorized setting from the last session.
- Always use the muting on condition when power is turned on.

[Variable range]

- **-80dB ~ +18dB** : Set the volume level when the power is turned on in units of 1 dB.
- ** The variable level when upper limit has been set with "Volume Limit" is "-80 dB ~ the set volume level".

4 Mute Level

This sets the amount of attenuation of the volume when the mute mode is set in the main zone.

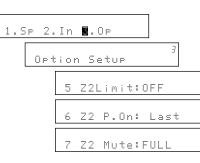
[Selectable items]

- Full : The sound is cut off entirely.
- -40dB : The sound is attenuated by 40 dB.
- -20dB : The sound is attenuated by 20 dB.

5 ~ **7** ZONE2 Volume Control

Set the ZONE2 volume setting.

[Display]



5 ZONE2 Volume Limit

Make a setting for maximum volume.

[Selectable items]

- **OFF** : Do not set a maximum volume.
- -20dB : Set the maximum volume to -20 dB.
- -10dB : Set the maximum volume to -10 dB.
- **0dB** : Set the maximum volume to 0 dB.

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6 ZONE2 Power On Level

This sets the volume set when the ZONE2's power is turned on.

[Selectable items]

Last	: Use the memorized setting from the last session.
	: Always use the muting on condition when power
	is turned on.

[Variable range]

-70dB ~ +18dB : Set the volume level when the power is turned on in units of 1 dB.

* The variable level when upper limit has been set with "Volume Limit" is "-70 dB ~ the set volume level".

7 ZONE2 Mute Level

This sets the amount of attenuation of the volume when the mute mode is set in the ZONE2.

[Selectable items]

Full : The sound is cut off entirely.

-40dB : The sound is attenuated by 40 dB.

-20dB : The sound is attenuated by 20 dB.

"ZONE2 Volume Control" is displayed when "ZONE2" is selected with "Amp Assign" (B page 28).

8 Setting

[Display]

To change the settings, select "ON".

[Selectable items]

OFF : Use the same settings as in "Speaker Setup".

ON : Make separate settings for 2-channel mode.

9 Front

Select front speaker size.

[Selectable items]



10 Subwoofer

Select subwoofer use.

[Selectable items]

Yes No : Select subwoofer use.

11 Subwoofer Mode

Select low range signal to be reproduced by subwoofer.

[Selectable items]

LFE (Normal) LFE+Main : Select subwoofer signal.

12 Distance FL

Set distance from listening position to front left speaker.

[Variable range] Oft ~ 60ft

1³ Distance FR

Set distance from listening position to front right speaker.

[Variable range] 0ft ~ 60ft

Crossover

Select crossover frequency from which subwoofer handles low range signal.

[Selectable items]

40Hz	60Hz	80Hz	90Hz	100Hz	110Hz	120Hz	150Hz
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200Hz 250Hz : Select crossover frequency.

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Make speaker settings for 2-channel mode playback. 1.Sp 2.In 8.Op Option Setup 8 2ch Cstm OFF 8 2ch Cstm ON 9 2ch F Large 10 2ch SW Yes 11 2ch LFE Norm 12 2ch FL 12ft 13 2ch FR 12ft 14 2ch Freq 80

8 ~ 14 2ch Direct/Stereo Custom

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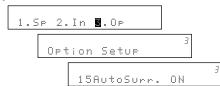
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15 Auto Surround Mode

Make setting for memorizing surround mode setting for each input signal type.

[Display]



[Selectable items]

- **ON** : Memorize settings. Most recently stored surround mode is automatically selected.
- **OFF** : Do not memorize settings. Surround mode does not change according to input signal.

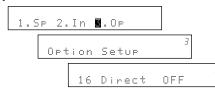
The auto surround mode function lets you store in the memory the surround mode last used for playing the three types of input signals listed below.

- 1 Analog and PCM 2-channel signals (STEREO)
- ② 2-channel signals of Dolby Digital, DTS or other multi-channel format (DOLBY PLIIx Cinema)
- ③ Multi-channel signals of Dolby Digital, DTS or other multichannel format (DOLBY/DTS SURROUND)
- * Default settings are indicated in ().

16 Direct Mode Setup

Select MultEQ use for DIRECT mode playback.

[Display]



[Selectable items]

		Use MultEQ.
OFF	:	Do not use MultEQ

17 Remote ID Setup

Set remote control ID.

[Display]

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Opt	ion	Setup	3	
	17	Remote	ID:1	Э
[Selectable items]	1	2	3	4

NOTE

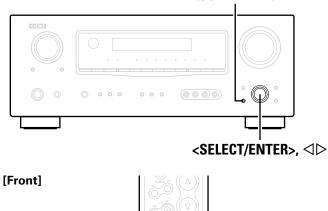
When using the AVR-1709 with only the included remote control unit (RC-1098), there is no need to make settings.

When using a separately sold remote control unit (RC-7000Cl, etc.), this function can be used. Match the ID setting of the remote control unit and the receiver.

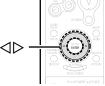
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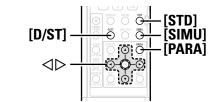
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	Button only on the remote control unit
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<SURR. PARA>









1 Standard Playback

This is the mode for enjoying surround sound according to the program source.

Surround Playback of 2-channel Sources

Selecting the surround mode

Select by turning <SELECT/ENTER> or pressing [STD].

[Selectable items]



: The signals are decoded in DOLBY PLIIx or DOLBY PLII for playback.

- **DTS NE0:6** : The signals are decoded in DTS NEO:6 for playback.
- *: DOLBY PLIIx can be selected when surround back speakers are being used.

 $\ensuremath{\mathsf{DOLBY}}\xspace$ PLII can be selected when surround back speakers are not being used.

Select the mode to suit the source

Press **<SURR. PARA>** or **[PARA]**. Display "Mode" and select your desired mode using $\triangleleft \triangleright$.

DOLBY PLIIx or DOLBY PLII

- **Cinema** : This mode is suited for movie sources.
- **Music** : This mode is suited for music sources.
- **Game** : This mode is suited for games.
- **PL** : This is the Pro Logic playback mode. This can be selected when playing with a DOLBY PLII decoder. When this mode is selected, "DOLBY PL" is displayed.

DTS NEO:6

Cinema : This mode is suited for movie sources.

Music : This mode is suited for music sources.

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Select the "Cinema", "Music", "Game" and "Pro Logic" modes at "Surround Parameter" – "Mode" (27 page 34).

Playing Multi-channel Sources (Dolby Digital, DTS, etc.)

In the case of standard playback of multi channel sources, the AVR-1709 recognizes the format of the multi-channel audio input signal and automatically operates the appropriate decoder for surround sound.

[Selectable items]

Any of the surround modes in the "Display" column in the following table.

- The mode changes depending upon factors such as the
- Input signal
- Whether or not surround back speakers
- are being used.

Inp	out signal	Display
Dolby Digital Source	DOLBY DIGITAL	DOLBY DIGITAL
	(other than 2ch) /	DOLBY DIGITAL EX
	DOLBY DIGITAL EX	DOLBY DIGITAL+PLIIx CINEMA
		DOLBY DIGITAL+PLIIx MUSIC
DTS Surround Source	DTS (5.1ch) / DTS-ES Discrete 6.1 / DTS-ES Matrix 6.1 / DTS 96/24	DTS SURROUND
		DTS+PLIIx CINEMA
		DTS+PLIIx MUSIC
		DTS+NEO:6
		DTS ES MTRX6.1 (*1)
		DTS ES DSCRT6.1 (*2)
		DTS 96/24 (*3)

- *1: This is displayed when the input signal is "DTS-ES Matrix 6.1".
- *2: This is displayed when the input signal is "DTS-ES Discrete 6.1".
- *3 : This is displayed when the input signal is "DTS 96/24".

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For details, see page 60.

[Rear]

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② DSP Simulation Playback

The desired mode according to the program source and viewing situation can be selected from among 7 DENON original surround modes.

The surround parameters can be adjusted ($C\!P$ page 58, 59) to achieve an even more realistic, powerful sound field.

Selecting the surround mode

Select by turning **<SELECT/ENTER>** or pressing **[SIMU]**.

[Selectable items]

*1	This mode is for enjoying stereo sound from all speakers.
:	This mode is for enjoying the atmosphere of a live concert in an arena.
	This mode is for enjoying the atmosphere of a live concert in a jazz club.
*2	This mode is for playing monaural movie sources with surround sound.
:	This mode is suited for achieving surround sound with video games.
:	This mode lets you add a sense of expansion to stereo music sources.
:	This mode is for enjoying surround effects using only the front speakers or headphones.
	: *2

- ★1: "5CH STEREO" is displayed when "Surround Parameter" "SB CH Out" is set to "OFF", and "Amp Assign" is set to "ZONE2" (@ page 35).
- * 2: When playing sources recorded in monaural in the MONO MOVIE mode, the sound will be off balance with a single channel (left or right), so input to both channels.

Depending on the program source being played, it may not be possible to achieve a satisfactory surround effect. In this case, try other modes to achieve a sound field suited to your tastes.

3 Direct Playback

Selecting the mode

Select by turning **<SELECT/ENTER>** or pressing **[D/ST]**.

[Selectable items]

DIRECT

In this mode the signals bypass the tone adjustment circuitry for high quality sound. The sound is output to the same channels as the input signal.

Input signal	Display
Analog signal / PCM (2ch) / Dolby Digital source / DTS source / Other 2-channel digital signals	DIRECT

For details, see page 61.

4 Stereo Playback

Selecting the mode

Select by turning **<SELECT/ENTER>** or pressing **[D/ST]**.

[Selectable items]

STEREO

This is the mode for playing in stereo. The tone can be adjusted. Sound is output from the front left and right speakers and subwoofer.

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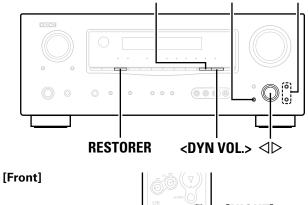
Setup

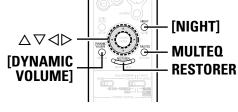
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Parameter

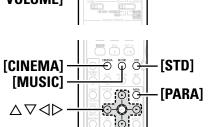
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MULTEQ <SURR. PARA> $\Delta \nabla$





[Rear]



Adjusting the parameters

✓ Press <SURR. PARA> or [PARA]. Parameter is displayed.

 $2 \overset{\text{Use }}{\sim} \Delta \nabla \text{ to select which parameters to adjust.} \\ \text{Only those parameters which can be adjusted under the current}$ playback status are displayed.

3 Use $\triangleleft \triangleright$ to adjust the parameters. Repeat steps 2 and 3 to set each parameter.

To exit adjustment

- Press <SURR. PARA> or [PARA] during adjustment.
- If no adjustment is made for a period of about 5 seconds, the adjustments made up that point are registered and the AVR-1709 returns to the original mode.

Surround Parameter

Adjust surround sound parameters

The parameters (items) which can be adjusted differ depending upon the following conditions.

- Whether an input signal is present (when playing) or not (when stopped, etc.).
- The type of input signal
- The type of surround mode

For details of which parameters can be adjusted in each surround mode, see "Surround Modes and Parameters" (@ page 58, 59).

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1	Mode
2	Cinema EQ
3	D. Comp
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5	Center Image
6	Panorama
7	Dimension
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10	Effect Level
11	Room Size
12	SB CH OUT
13	SUBWOOFER ATT.
14	Subwoofer
15	Tone Control
16	Bass
17	Treble
18	MultEQ
19	Dynamic EQ
20	Dynamic Volume
21	DV Setting
22	RESTORER
23	Night Mode
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24	Default

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1 Mode

PL

Select the mode to match the source (cinema source, music source, etc.).

□ In the PLIIx or PLII mode [Selectable items]

Cinema : This is the mode for cinema source.



Game : This is the mode for game source.

: Dolby Pro Logic playback mode (PLII mode only). (This is the mode for 4-channel playback (front L, front R, center, surround (MONO)).)

□ In the DTS NEO:6 mode

[Selectable items]

Cinema : This is the mode for cinema source.

Music : This is the mode for music source.

Operating from the main remote control unit

You can operate "Cinema" mode or "Music" mode with the main remote control unit.

Press [CINEMA] or [MUSIC].

The "Music" mode is also effective for movie sources including a lot of stereo music.

2 Cinema EQ

Soften the treble range of movie soundtracks for better understanding

[Selectable items]



ON · "Cinema EO" is used

OFF : "Cinema EQ" is not used.

3 D. Comp

Compress dynamic range (difference between loud and soft sounds).

[Selectable items]

- OFF : Turn dynamic range compression off.
- Low : Low setting.
- Mid : Middle setting.
- Hiah : High setting.

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When playing DTS sources, this is only displayed for compatible software.

4 LFE

Adjust the low-frequency effects level (LFE).

[Variable range] -10dB ~ 0dB

For proper playback of the different program sources, we recommend setting to the values below. • Dolby Digital sources: "0 dB"

- DTS movie sources: "0 dB" DTS music sources: "-10 dB"
- 5 Center Image

Assign center channel signal to front left and right channels for wider sound.

[Variable range] 0.0 ~ 0.3 1.0

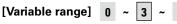
6 Panorama

Assign front L/R signal also to surround channels, for wider sound. If the surround effect seems weak, set "Panorama" to "ON".

[Selectable items] ON OFF

7 Dimension

Shift sound image center to front or rear, to adjust playback balance.



8 Center Width

Assign center channel signal to front left and right channels for wider sound.

[Variable range] 0 ~ 3 ~ 7

9 Delay Time

Adjust delay time to control sound stage size.

[Variable range]

0 ms ~ 30 ms

10 Effect Level

Adjust the strength of the surround effect.

[Variable range]	1	~	10	~	1!
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Set to a lower level if the positioning and sense of phase of the surround signals seems unnatural.

~ 110 ms

11 Room Size

Determine size of acoustic environment.

[Selectable items]

Small	: Simulate acoustics of a small room.
Med-S	: Simulate acoustics of a medium-small room.
Med	: Simulate acoustics of a medium room.
Med-L	: Simulate acoustics of a medium-large room.
Large	: Simulate acoustics of a large room.

NOTE

"Room Size" does not indicate the size of the room in which sources are played.

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12 SB CH OUT (for Multi-channel sources)

Select playback mode for surround back channels.

[Selectable items]

- OFF : No signal is played from the surround back channels.
- MTRX ON : The surround channel signals undergo digital matrix processing and are output from the surround back channels.
- *1 PLIIx C Decoded in Dolby Pro Logic IIx Cinema mode, surround back signal played.
- *2 PLIIx M Decoded in Dolby Pro Logic IIx Music mode. surround back signal played.
- *3 DTS signal played with digital matrix processing. ES MTRX
- ES DSCRT *4 : Signal included in DTS-ES Discrete 6.1-channel sources played.
- *1: This can be selected when "Surround Back Speaker" is set to "2spkrs" at the "System Setup" - "Speaker Setup" setting (C) page 23).
- *2: This can be selected when "Surround Back Speaker" is set to "2spkrs" or "1spkr" at the "System Setup" - "Speaker Setup" settina.
- *3: This can be selected when playing DTS sources.
- *4: This can be selected when playing DTS sources including a discrete 6.1-channel signal identification signal.

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Settings can also be made when [STD] is pressed. When using surround back speakers, adopt the following

settings.

- 1) Adopt "7.1CH" for the AMP Assign setting.
 - The default setting for the Amp Assign mode of AVR-1709 is "ZONE2".
- 2 Adopt a setting other than "OFF" for the "SB CH OUT" setting of "Surround Parameter".

12 SB CH OUT (for 2-channel sources)

Determine whether to use surround back speakers.

[Selectable items]

- ON : The surround back channel signal is played.
- OFF : The surround back channel signal is not played.

I SUBWOOFER ATT.

Attenuate subwoofer level when using EXT. IN mode.

[Selectable items]

- ON : The input from the subwoofer channel is attenuated.
- OFF The input from the subwoofer channel is not attenuated. Usually use in this mode.

Set this to "ON" if the subwoofer channel level seems too high when playing audio signal.

14 Subwoofer

Turn subwoofer output on and off.

[Selectable items]



: The subwoofer is used. **OFF** : The subwoofer is not used.

I Tone Control

Turn tone adjustments off.

[Selectable items]



- Playback without tone adjustment.
- Allow tone adjustment (treble, bass).



The tone cannot be adjusted when in the DIRECT mode.

When the "Dynamic EQ" setting is "ON", setting is not possible.

16 Bass

Adjust low frequency range (bass).



17 Treble

Adjust high frequency range (treble).



"Bass" and "Treble" can be set when "Tone Defeat" is set to "OFF".

+6 dB

18 MultEQ

Select the type of room correction desired from the following list:

[Selectable items]

- **Audvssev** : Optimize frequency response of all speakers.
- Byp. L/R : Optimize frequency response of speakers except front L and R speakers.
- Flat Optimize frequency response of all speakers to flat response.
- **OFF** : Turn equalizer off.



R Operating from the main unit or main remote control unit

Press MULTEO

- When "Audyssey", "Audyssey Byp. L/R" or "Audyssey Flat" is selected, the Audyssey MultEQ indicator lights green.
- After running Auto Setup, if the Speaker Configuration, Distance, Channel Level and Crossover Frequency have changed without increasing the number of speakers measured, the Audyssey MultEQ indicator lights red.

(NOTE)

- "MultEQ" can only be set when Auto Setup has been performed.
- "MultEQ" cannot be set in the following situations.
- · If "Auto Setup" fails to be completed.
- After running Auto Setup, when the number of used speakers has increased from the number of measured speakers.

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- If the settings of speakers for which "None" has been determined at "Auto Setup" are changed, "Audyssey", "Audyssey Byp. L/R" and "Audyssey Flat" cannot be selected. Either perform Auto Setup again, or return to the setting after running Auto Setup with "System Setup" - "Speaker Setup" - "Restore".
- When using headphones, "MultEQ" is set to "OFF".

For details on adjusting individual parameters, see "Adjusting the parameters" (127 page 33).



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19 Dynamic EQ

Audyssey Dynamic EQ solves the problem of deteriorating sound quality as volume is decreased by taking into account human perception and room acoustics. Audyssey Dynamic EQ works in tandem with Audyssey MultEQ to provide well-balanced sound for every listener at any volume level.

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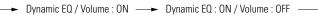
- "Dynamic EQ" can only be set when auto setup has been performed.
- "Dynamic EQ" cannot be set in the following situations.
- If "Auto Setup" fails to be completed.
- After running Auto Setup, when the number of used speakers has increased from the number of measured speakers.
- When "MultEQ" is set to "OFF", "Dynamic EQ" is automatically set to "OFF".
- "Night Mode" and "Tone Control" cannot be used jointly.

[Selectable items]

- **ON** : Use Dynamic EQ function.
- **OFF** : Do not use Dynamic EQ function.

Operating from the main unit or main remote control unit

Press <DYN VOL> or [DYNAMIC VOLUME].



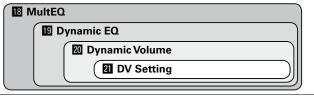
— Dynamic EQ / Volume : OFF 🔸

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Before running Auto Setup and after running Auto Setup, if the number of speakers has increased or you pressed **<DYN VOL>** or **[DYNAMIC VOLUME]**, "Run Audyssey" is displayed. In this case, either perform Auto Setup again, or return to the setting after running Auto Setup with "System Setup" – "Speaker Setup" – "Restore".

Operating conditions for each function

- Dynamic EQ : When "MultEQ" is set to "ON"
- Dynamic Volume : When "Dynamic EQ" is set to "ON"
- DV setting : When "Dynamic Volume" is set to "ON"



20 Dynamic Volume

Audyssey Dynamic Volume solves the problem of large variations in volume level between television programs, commercials, and between the soft and loud passages of movies.

Audyssey Dynamic EQ is integrated into Dynamic Volume so that as the playback volume is adjusted automatically, the perceived bass response, tonal balance, surround impression, and dialog clarity remain the same.

NOTE

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- "Dynamic Volume" can only be set when auto setup has been performed.
- "Dynamic Volume" cannot be set in the following situations.
 - If "Auto Setup" fails to be completed.
- After running Auto Setup, when the number of used speakers has increased from the number of measured speakers.
- When "MultEQ" is set to "OFF", "Dynamic EQ" is automatically set to "OFF".
- "Night Mode" and "Tone Control" cannot be used jointly.

[Selectable items]

- **ON** : Use Dynamic Volume.
 - The Dynamic Volume effect will be at the level of the "DV Setting".
- **OFF** : Do not use Dynamic Volume.

Coperating from the main unit or main remote control unit

Press <DYN VOL> or [DYNAMIC VOLUME].



Before running Auto Setup and after running Auto Setup, if the number of speakers has increased or you pressed **<DYN VOL>** or **[DYNAMIC VOLUME]**, "Run Audyssey" is displayed. In this case, either perform Auto Setup again, or return to the setting after running Auto Setup with "System Setup" – "Speaker Setup" – "Restore".

21 DV Setting (Dynamic Volume Setting)

Set Dynamic Volume effect.

[Selectable items]

- Midnight: High setting affects volume the most, causing all sounds
to be of equal loudness.
- **Evening** : Middle setting prevents loud and soft sounds from being much louder and softer respectively than average sounds.

Day : Low setting provides the least adjustments to the loudest and softest of sounds.

NOTE

- "DV Setting" can only be set when auto setup has been performed.
- "DV Setting" cannot be set in the following situations.
- If "Auto Setup" fails to be completed.
- After running Auto Setup, when the number of used speakers has increased from the number of measured speakers.
- If "Dynamic Volume" setting is "OFF".

About Dynamic EQ

Audyssey Dynamic EQ[™] solves the problem of deteriorating sound quality as volume is decreased by taking into account human perception and room acoustics. Dynamic EQ selects the correct frequency response and surround levels moment-by-moment at any user-selected volume setting. The result is bass response, tonal balance, and surround impression that remain constant despite changes in volume. Dynamic EQ combines information from incoming source levels with actual output sound levels in the room, a prerequisite for delivering a loudness correction solution. Audyssey Dynamic EQ works in tandem with Audyssey MultEQ to provide well-balanced sound for every listener at any volume level.

About Dynamic Volume

Audyssey Dynamic Volume[™] solves the problem of large variations in volume level between television programs, commercials, and between the soft and loud passages of movies.

Dynamic Volume looks at the preferred volume setting by the user and then monitors how the volume of program material is being perceived by listeners in real time to decide whether an adjustment is needed. Whenever necessary, Dynamic Volume makes the necessary rapid or gradual adjustments to maintain the desired playback volume level while optimizing the dynamic range. Audyssey Dynamic EQ is integrated into Dynamic Volume so that as the playback volume is adjusted automatically, the perceived bass response, tonal balance, surround impression, and dialog clarity remain the same whether watching movies, flipping between television channels, or changing from stereo to surround sound content.

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This function restores compressed audio signals to how they were before compression and corrects the sense of volume of the bass and treble to obtain richer playback sound.

[Selectable items]

OFF

Do not use RESTORER.

Mode1 (RESTORER 64):

Optimized mode for compressed sources with very weak highs.

Mode2 (RESTORER 96):

Apply suitable bass and treble boost for all compressed sources.

Mode3 (RESTORER HQ):

Optimized mode for compressed sources with normal highs.

The default setting for "iPod" is "Mode3". All others are set to "OFF".

Operating from the main unit or main remote control unit

Press RESTORER.

► OFF	← Mode 1 ← (RESTORER 64)	
	—— Mode 3 - (RESTORER HQ)	•

About the RESTORER function

- Such compressed audio formats as MP3, WMA (Windows Media Audio) and MPEG-4 AAC reduce the amount of data by eliminating signal components that are hard for the human ear to hear. The RESTORER function generates the signals eliminated upon compression, restoring the sound to conditions near those of the original sound before compression. It also corrects the sense of volume of the bass to obtain richer sound with compressed audio signals.
- This is displayed on the "Surround Parameter" and can be set when the input source is selected to "SIRIUS" or analog signals (including AM/FM signals) or PCM signals (fs = 44.1/48 kHz) are input.

23 Night Mode

Optimized setting for late-night listening. Set the dynamic range compression of the output audio.

[Selectable items]



- Low : Low setting.
- Mid : Middle setting.
- High : High setting.

Operating from the main remote control unit Press [NIGHT].



NOTE

When the "Dynamic EQ" setting is "ON", setting is not possible. When the "Dynamic Volume" setting is "ON", setting is not possible.

24 Default

Resets the settings to the default values.

[Selectable items]

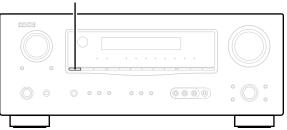


No : Do not reset.

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Symbols used to indicate buttons in	n this manual
Button located on both the main unit and	> BUTTON
unit — Button only on the main unit — Button only on the remote control unit –	> <button></button>





Information on the main unit's various settings (Status) and on input signals (Audio Input Signal) is shown on the display.

The information displayed changes each time you press **<STATUS>**. The information is displayed for several seconds before the display returns to its original condition.

[Items to be checked]

- Surround Mode
- Input signal
- Dialogue normalization
- Input function
- Input digital terminal
- Audio Delay
- Tone Control
- Channel level of each speaker
- CINEMA EQ
- Night Mode
- etc.

Dialogue normalization function

This is automatically activated when playing Dolby Digital sources. This function automatically corrects the standard signal level for individual program sources.

The correction value can be checked using **<STATUS>**.

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The figure is the correction value when the standard level is corrected.

• The items displayed will differ depending upon the current settings, the presence or absence of an input signal or the type of input signal, etc.

• For details of the content of the items displayed, refer to the page containing an explanation of the settings.

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Symbols used to ind	icate buttons in th	is manual
Button located on both t unit		→ BUTTON
Button only on the main Button only on the remo		
<source/> <phones></phones>		VIDEO SELECT>
[Front]	•	[Rear]
[ON/SOURCE] [OFF] [OUICK SELECT] SOURCE SELECT		[MAIN OFF] [TUNER] [TUNER]
[TUNER]		SELECT [V.SEL] TUNING [MODE] BAND [INPUT]
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Turning the Power On

Press **<POWER>**.

The power indicator lights red and the power is set to the standby mode.

• Press <**ON/STANDBY**> or **[ON/SOURCE]**.

- Let The power indicator flashes green and the power turns on.
- * Also press [SOURCE SELECT] when in standby mode, the power turns on. In this case the input source is selected by remote control unit.
- * Also press **[QUICK SELECT]** when in standby mode, the power turns on. In this case Quick Select is selected (12) page 46).

Turning the Power Off

LECT> ①Press <ON/STANDBY> or [OFF].

The power is set to the standby mode. (2) Press **<POWER>**.

The power indicator turns off, and so does the power.

NOTE

- Power continues to be supplied to some of the circuitry even when the power is in the standby mode. When leaving home for long periods of time or when traveling, either press **<POWER>** to turn off the power, or unplug the power cord from the power outlet.
- When the multi-zone power is switched on, and you want to switch off the main zone power, press [MAIN OFF].

Selecting the Input Source

Select the source using SOURCE SELECT.

Turn **<SOURCE SELECT>** or press **[SOURCE SELECT]** to switch between input sources.

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If "Rec Select" is selected for the input source, press **<SOURCE>** before turning **<SOURCE SELECT>**.

Setting the Input Mode

Set the input mode for this source.

Press <INPUT MODE> or [INPUT].

Each time you press the button, the input mode display will change.

Auto	PCM -		DTS	
EXT. IN	•	Analog	•	

[Selectable items]

- Auto : Detect type of digital input signal and decode and play automatically.
- **PCM** : Decode and play only PCM input signals.
- **DTS** : Decode and play only DTS input signals.
- **Analog** : Play only signals from analog input.
- **EXT. IN** : Play only signals from EXT. IN input.

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- When a digital signal is properly input, the "DIGITAL" indicator lights on the display. If the "DIGITAL" indicator does not light, check the digital input connector assignment and the connections.
- \bullet The surround mode cannot be set if the input mode is set to "EXT. IN".
- Only set "PCM" and "DTS" when playing the respective signals.

[SOURCE CONTROL 1] [SOURCE CONTROL 2]

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Adjusting the Master Volume

Either turn <MASTER VOLUME> or press [MASTER VOLUME].

[Variable range] --- -80.0dB ~ +18.0dB

NOTE

The adjustable range will differ depending upon factors such as the type of input signal and the channel level setting.

Turning Off the Sound Temporarily (Muting)

Press [MUTING].

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To cancel, press **[MUTING]** again. Muting can also be canceled by adjusting the master volume.

Listening with Headphones

Plug the headphones into <**PHONES**>.

The sound from the speakers and pre-out connectors is automatically cut.

NOTE

Be careful not to set the volume too high when using headphones.

Switching the front speakers

Press **<SPEAKERS>**.



Video Select Function

Switch video input source while listening to audio signal.

Press **<VIDEO SELECT>** or **[V.SEL]** until the desired picture appears.

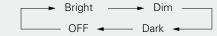
Checking the currently playing program source, etc.

Press **<STATUS>**.

The current program source and various settings are indicated on the display. For details, refer to "Information" (@page 38).

Switching the brightness of the display

Press <DIMMER>.



When setting to "OFF", the display brightness of the menu setting in operation changes to "Dark".

Playing Video and Audio Equipment

Basic Operation

Prepare the equipment.

①Load the DVD, CD or other software in the player.

(CP See the operating instructions of the respective devices.)
(2) To play a video device, switch the monitor input.
(CP See the monitor's operating instructions.)

9 Use SOURCE SELECT to select the input source.

3 Start playback. (Car See the operating instructions of the respective devices.)

The remote control unit can be used to operate external devices. See "Remote Control Unit Operations" (27 page 47).

Listening to FM/AM Broadcasts

Basic Operation

1 Either turn **<SOURCE SELECT>** or press **[TUNER]** to select "TUNER".

• Press BAND to select "FM" or "AM".

Tune in the desired broadcast station.

To tune in automatically (Auto Tuning) Press [MODE] to light the "AUTO" indicator on the display, then use TUNING to select the station you want to hear.

(2) To tune in manually (Manual Tuning) Press [MODE] to turn off the display's "AUTO" indicator, then use TUNING to select the station you want to hear.

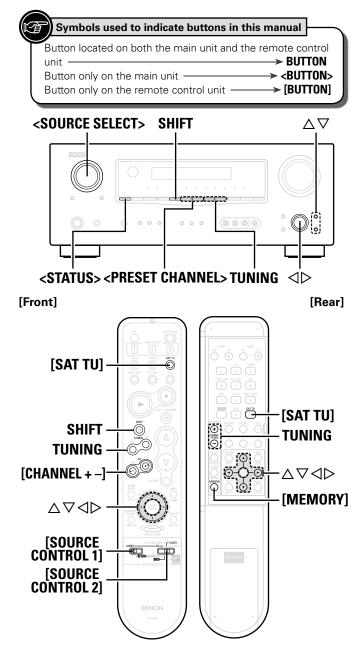
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- If the desired station cannot be tuned in with auto tuning, tune it in manually.
- When tuning in stations manually, press and hold **TUNING** to change frequencies continuously.

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Presetting Radio Stations (Preset Memory)

Your favorite broadcast stations can be preset so that you can tune them in easily. Up to 56 stations can be preset.

Tune in the broadcast station you want to preset.

2 Press [MEMORY].

3 Press **SHIFT** to select the block (A to G) in which the station is to be preset.

4 Press **<PRESET CHANNEL>** or **[CHANNEL + -]** to select the preset number (1 to 8).

5 Press [MEMORY] again to complete the setting.

• To preset other stations, repeat steps 1 to 5.

• Stations can be preset automatically at "System Setup" – "Input Setup" – "Auto Preset Memory" (127) page 27).

NOTE

Preset stations are erased by overwriting them.

Listening to Preset Stations

Press SHIFT to select the memory block (A to G).

2 Press **<PRESET CHANNEL>** or **[CHANNEL + -]** to select the desired preset channel (1 to 8).

Default settings

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	Auto tuner presets
A1 ~ A8	87.5 / 89.1 / 98.1 / 107.9 / 90.1 / 90.1 / 90.1 / 90.1 MHz
B1 ~ B8	520 / 600 / 1000 / 1400 / 1500 / 1710 kHz, 90.1 / 90.1 MHz
C1 ~ C8	90.1 MHz
D1 ~ D8	90.1 MHz
E1 ~ E8	90.1 MHz
F1 ~ F8	90.1 MHz
G1 ~ G8	90.1 MHz

Listening to SIRIUS Satellite Radio Programs

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Basic Operation

1 Either turn **<SOURCE SELECT>** or press **[SAT TU]** to select "SIRIUS".

2 Set [SOURCE CONTOROL 1] to "AUDIO" and [SOURCE CONTOROL 2] to "TUNER".

(CP page 47 "Remote Control Unit Operations")

• Use **TUNING** to search the channel.

When selecting channel, the Channel No. and Channel name are displayed.

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- \bullet The channel switches continuously when $\ensuremath{\textbf{TUNING}}$ is pressed and held.
- SIRIUS Radio stations can be preset using the same procedure as for FM/AM stations (Preset 41 "Presetting Radio Stations (Preset Memory)" and "Listening to Preset Stations").
 * You cannot perform "Auto Preset".
- The track name, artist name, composer name, category and reception level can be checked by pressing **<STATUS>**.
- When tuning a channel to which "Parental Lock" is applied, "Code:
- []" is displayed, so enter the password.

Checking the SIRIUS Signal Strength and Radio ID

Either turn **<SOURCE SELECT>** or press **[SAT TU]** to select "SIRIUS".

• Press **<STATUS>** until "SIG." appears on the display.

The display will switch as shown below, depending on the reception conditions.

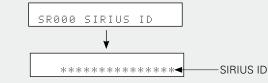
Display	Status
EXCELLENT	Signal strength is excellent
GOOD	Signal strength is good
WEAK	Signal strength is weak
NO SIGNAL	No signal

3 Adjust the position of the antenna until "SIG.: EXCELLENT" is shown on the display.

4 Press **<STATUS>** until the station you want to check (example: "SR001") is displayed.

F Press **TUNING** and select channel 0 (SR000).

Channel No. and SIRIUS ID are alternately shown on the display.



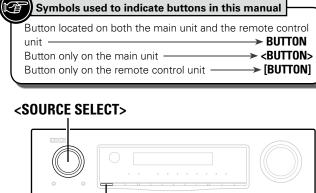
Write your own SIRIUS ID for storage use. SIRIUS ID :_____

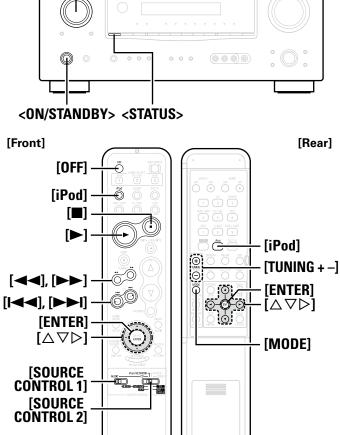
NOTE

You can check Satellite and Terrestrial antenna signal strength each time you press **<STATUS>**. (On the display, "S" indicates Satellite, and "T" indicates Terrestrial.)

Searching Categories	
Press $\triangleleft \triangleright$.	
CATEGORY SEARCH	
CAT: Pops - Channel category	
Use $\triangleleft \triangleright$ to select the category, then use $\triangle \nabla$ to select the desired station.	
UPDATING" is displayed while the encording code is bein	g
odated. SIRIUS UPDATING" is displayed when updating SIRIUS tune	r
mware.	
efer to "Troubleshooting" (🎲 page 65) regarding other messages	
	ır]]
Parental Lock Tune to the channel you want to lock.	
Parental Lock Tune to the channel you want to lock. Press ENTER for at least 3 seconds.	
-]
Parental Lock Tune to the channel you want to lock. Press ENTER for at least 3 seconds. "Code: []" is displayed.	
Parental Lock Tune to the channel you want to lock. Press ENTER for at least 3 seconds. "Code: []" is displayed. Enter the 4-digit lock code using $\Delta \nabla \triangleleft \triangleright$. When you enter the correct code, the corresponding channel is	

- Channels stored in preset memory can be tuned in by the preset channel select operation, even if Parental Lock is applied.
- When a channel to which Parental Lock is applied is being played, Parental Lock for that channel is cancelled by performing Step 2.
- See "Edit Lock Cord" (*** page 27) for the method of changing Parental Lock Cord.
- \bullet You can also set "Parental Lock" from the system setup (12) page 27).





iPod[®] Playback

The music on an iPod can be played by using the control dock for iPod (ASD-1R, ASD-3N or ASD-3W, sold separately).

The operation can also be performed using the buttons on the remote control unit.

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* The iPod may only be used to copy or play contents that are not copyrighted or contents for which copying or playback is legally permitted for your private use as an individual. Be sure to comply with applicable copyright legislation.

Preparations

4 Make the necessary preparations.

①Set the iPod in the DENON control dock for iPod.

(2) Assign the control dock for iPod's operating instruction

The input for the control dock for iPod is assigned to VCR by default.

"System Setup" – "Input Setup" – "iPod Assign" (*** page 26)

2 Either turn **<SOURCE SELECT>** or press [iPod] to select the input source assigned in step 1-2 above.

3 Set [SOURCE CONTROL 1] to "AUDIO" and [SOURCE CONTROL 2] to "iPod/NETWORK".

(CP page 47 "Remote Control Unit Operations")

4 Press [MODE] and hold it down for a 2 seconds or more to select the display mode.

To switch between modes, press and hold down the button. When remote mode is active, "Remote" is displayed.

[Select	able mode]	Browse mode	Remote mode	
Display locat	tion	Main unit display	iPod display	
Playable	Audio file	0	0	
files	Video file	0 *	0	
Active buttons	Remote control unit (AVR-1709)	0	0	
	iPod	×	0	

* : When using an ASD-3N or ASD-3W control dock for iPod.

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- With the default settings, the iPod can be used connected to the VCR (iPod) connector.
- Use the RESTORER mode to expand the low and high frequency components of compressed audio files and achieve a richer sound. The default setting is "Mode3" (27 page 37).
- Press <0N/STANDBY> or [0FF] and set the AVR-1709's power to the standby mode before disconnecting the iPod. Also switch the input source to one to which "iPod Assign" is not assigned before disconnecting the iPod.
- When using an ASD-3N or ASD-3W control dock for iPod, refer to the respective manual to operate.

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Use $[\triangle \nabla]$ to select the item, then press [ENTER] or $[\triangleright]$ to select the music file to be played.

Press [ENTER] or $[\triangleright]$.

Playback starts.

You can perform the following operations also on the sub remote control unit (12) page 50).

Stopping playback temporarily

During playback, press **[ENTER]** or **[>**]. Press again to resume playback.

Given State Forwarding or fast-reversing

During playback, press and hold [

□ To cue to the beginning of a track During playback, press [I◄◀] or [►►I].

🗆 To stop

During playback, either press and hold [ENTER] or press [

□ Playing repeatedly Press [TUNING –].

[Selectable items] All One OFF

Shuffling playback

Press [TUNING +].

[Selectable items] Albums Songs OFF

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- To check the name of the title, the artist or the album when playing in browse mode, press **<STATUS>**.
- The folder name and the file name can be displayed in browse mode. Only alphanumeric characters and certain symbols can be displayed. Any characters that cannot be displayed are replaced with ". (period)".

NOTE

- Depending on the type of iPod and the software version, some functions may not operate.
- DENON will accept no responsibility whatsoever for any loss of iPod data.

Viewing Still Pictures or Videos on the iPod

Photo and video data on the iPod can be viewed on the monitor. Only for iPod equipped with slideshow or video functions.

When using an ASD-1R

1 Press and hold [MODE] to set the Remote mode.

2 Watching the iPod's screen, use $[\triangle \nabla]$ to select "Photos" or "Videos".

3 Press [ENTER] until the image you want to view is displayed.

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"TV Out" at the iPod's "Slideshow Settings" or "Video Settings" must be set to "On" in order to display the iPod's photo data or videos on the monitor. For details, see the iPod's operating instructions.

When using an ASD-3N or ASD-3W

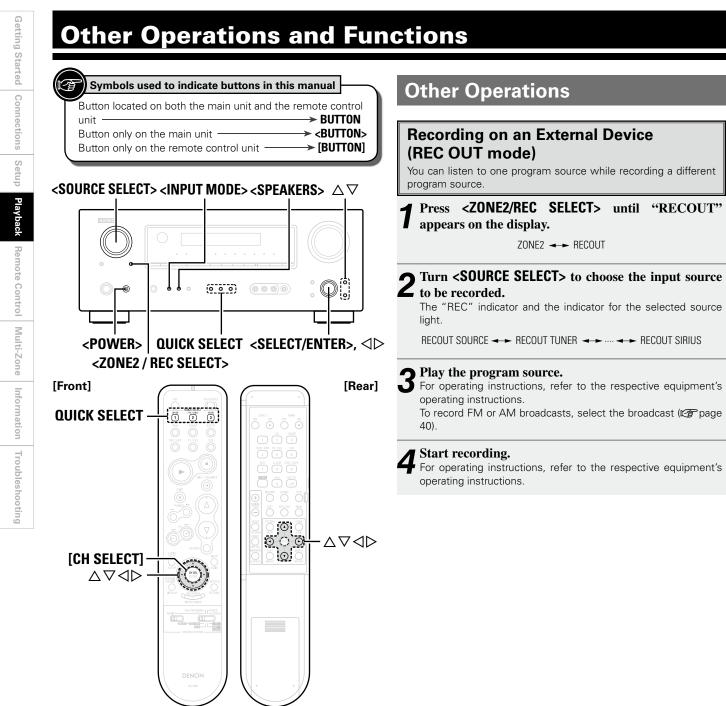
1 Press and hold [MODE] to set the Browse mode.

2 Watching the display, use $[\triangle \nabla]$ to select "iPod", then press $[\triangleright]$ or [ENTER].

3 Use $[\triangle \nabla]$ to select "Video", then press $[\triangleright]$ or **ENTER**].

4 Use $[\Delta \nabla]$ to select the video file to be played, then press [D] or [ENTER].

When viewing a still picture, perform the same operation as with ASD-1R.



- To cancel, press <ZONE2/REC SELECT>, then turn <SOURCE SELECT> until "ZONE2 SOURCE" is displayed.
- Make a test recording before starting the actual recording.
- Sources selected with the REC OUT mode are output from ZONE2 as well.
- In the REC OUT mode, the remote control unit's ZONE2 mode buttons cannot be operated.

NOTE

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- Recordings you make are for your personal enjoyment and should not be used for other purposes without permission of the copyright holder.
- Digital signals are not output from the REC OUT (CDR/TAPE and VCR) connector.

Convenient Functions

Channel Level

You can adjust the channel level either according to the playback sources or to suit your taste, as described below.

Press <SELECT/ENTER> or [CH SELECT].



2 Use $\triangle \nabla$, **SELECT/ENTER**> or [CH SELECT] to select the speaker.

The speaker that can be set switches each time one of the buttons is pressed.

- **3** Use $\triangleleft \triangleright$ to adjust the volume.
 - In the case of a sub woofer, reducing the volume when it is at "-12 dB" will change the setting to OFF (none).

Quick Select Function

With this function, the currently playing input source, volume level, surround mode, MultEQ settings, Dynamic Volume, DV setting and front speaker can be stored in the memory.

Set the input source, input mode, surround mode, MultEQ settings and volume to the conditions you want to store.

2 Press and hold **QUICK SELECT** until "Memory" appears on the display.

The current settings will be memorized.

[Quick Select Defaults]

	Input Source	Volume
Quick Select 1	DVD/HDP	–40 dB
Quick Select 2	TV/CBL	–40 dB
Quick Select 3	VCR	–40 dB

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To call out the settings, press $\ensuremath{\textbf{QUICK}}$ SELECT at which the desired settings were stored.

Personal Memory Plus Function

This function sets the settings (input mode, surround mode, MultEQ, Dynamic EQ, Dynamic Volume, audio delay etc.) last selected for the individual input sources.

When you switch to an input source, the settings are automatically set to the ones that were set the last time that input source was used.

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The surround parameters, tone control, MultEQ settings and the volumes of the different speakers are stored for the individual surround modes.

Last Function Memory

This stores the settings as they were directly before the standby mode was set.

When the power is turned back on, the settings are restored to as they were directly before the standby mode was set.

Backup Memory

The various settings are backed up for about 1 week, even if the power is turned off or the power cord is disconnected.

Resetting the Microprocessor

Perform this procedure if the display is abnormal or if operations cannot be performed.

When the microprocessor is reset, all the settings are reset to their default values.

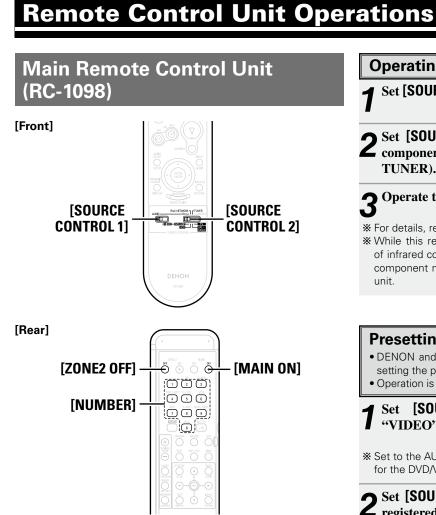
Turn off the power using **<POWER>**.

2 Press **<POWER>** while simultaneously pressing **<INPUT MODE>** and **<SPEAKERS>**.

3 Once the display starts flashing at intervals of about 1 second, release the two buttons.

If in step 3 the display does not flash at intervals of about 1 second, start over from step 1.

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Depending on the model and year of manufacture of your equipment, some buttons may not operate.

Operating DENON Audio Components

Set [SOURCE CONTROL 1] to "AUDIO".

▲ Set [SOURCE CONTROL 2] to the position for the **C** component to be operated (CD, iPod/NETWORK or TUNER).

3 Operate the audio component.

* For details, refer to the component's operating instructions. * While this remote control unit is compatible with a wide range of infrared controlled components, it may be the case that some component models cannot be operated with this remote control unit.

Presetting

- DENON and other makes of components can be operated by setting the preset memory.
- Operation is not possible for some models.

Set [SOURCE CONTROL 1] to "AUDIO" or "VIDEO".

* Set to the AUDIO side for the CD position, and to the VIDEO side for the DVD/VDP, VCR, SAT/CABLE or TV position.

• Set [SOURCE CONTROL 2] to the component to be **C** registered.

• Press [ZONE2 OFF] and [MAIN ON] at the same time. **J** The indicator starts flashing.

Press [NUMBER] and input the 3-digit number of the **4** brand of the component to be preset. The numbers are shown in the Preset Code Table (2 End of this manual).

To store the codes of another component in the **5** To store the codes of and memory, repeat steps 1 to 4.

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- The signals for the pressed buttons are emitted while setting the preset memory. To avoid accidental operation, cover the remote control unit's transmitting window while setting the preset memory.
- Depending on the model and year of manufacture, this function cannot be used for some models, even if they are of makes listed in the list of preset codes.
- Some manufacturers use more than one type of remote control code. Refer to the included list of preset codes to change the number and verify correct operation.
- The preset memory can be set for one component only among the following: DVD/VDP and SAT/CABLE.

Operating Preset Components

✓ Set [SOURCE CONTROL 1] to "AUDIO" or "VIDEO".

* Set to the AUDIO side for the CD position, and to the VIDEO side for the DVD/VDP, VCR, SAT/CABLE or TV position.

Set [SOURCE CONTROL 2] to the component you want **Z** to operate.

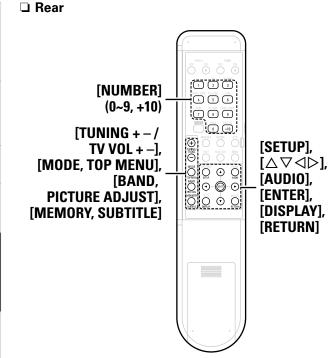
3 Operate the component.

* For details, refer to the component's operating instructions. * Some models cannot be operated with this remote control unit.

Front	Device operated	CD Player	iPod	Tuner	DVD Player	Blu-ray Disc Player	Video Disc Player	Video Deck	Satellite Receiver	Cable TV	TV (Monitor)
	SOURCE CONTROL 1		AUDIO					VIDEO			
	SOURCE CONTROL 2	CD	iPod/ NETWORK	TUNER		DVD / VDP		VCR	SAT /	CABLE	τν
	OFF	-	-	-	Power off	Power off	-	-	-	-	-
	ON/SOURCE	-	-	-	Power on	Power on	Power on / Standby	Power on / Standby	Power on / Standby	Power on / Standby	Power on / Standby
	TUP],	Play	Play / Pause	-	Play	Play	Play	Play			
[TUNING, ◄◄ ►►], [♣; [♠]		Stop	Stop	-	Stop	Stop	Stop	Stop			
	JDIO], [ENTER], SPLAY], SHIFT, II	Pause	-	Shift	Pause	Pause	Paus e	Pause			
	TURN], <, ENU/GUIDE] SKIP + / FAVORITE	Disc skip +	✤ Favorites Direct	_	Disc skip	_	_	_	Punch	Punch	Punch
	DURCE NTROL 2]	Manual search (fast-reverse / fast- forward)	Manual search (fast-reverse / fast- forward)	Tuning down / up	Manual search (fast-reverse / fast- forward)	Manual search (fast-reverse / fast- forward)	Manual search (fast-reverse / fast- forward)	Manual search (fast-reverse / fast- forward)	through	through	through
DENON	I ◀◀ ▶▶ I , CH + −	Auto search (cue)	Auto search (cue)	Tuner Channel – / +	Auto search (cue)	Auto search (cue)	Auto search (cue)	Switch channels (–, +)			
	SETUP	-	-	-	Setup	Setup	-	-	-	-	-
		-	Cursor	-	Cursor operation	Cursor operation	-	-	Cursor operation	Cursor operation	Cursor operation
	AUDIO	-	-	-	Switching the audio signal	Switching the audio signal	-	-	-	-	-
	ENTER	-	Enter	-	Enter setting	Enter setting	-	-	Enter setting	Enter setting	Enter setting
	DISPLAY	-	-	-	Switching the display	Switching the display	-	-	Switching the display	Switching the display	Switching the display
	RETURN	-	-	-	Return	Return	-	-	Return	Return	Return
	MENU / GUIDE	-	-	-	Calling out the menus	Calling out the menus	-	-	Calling out the menus	Calling out the menus	Calling out the menus

* The iPod/NETWORK's **FAVORITE** button can be operated when using a control dock for iPod ASD-3N/3W.

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Device operated	CD Player	iPod	Tuner	DVD Player	Blu-ray Disc Player	Video Disc Player	Video Deck	Satellite Receiver	Cable TV	TV (Monitor)	
SOURCE CONTROL 1		AUDIO					VIDEO				
SOURCE CONTROL 2	CD	iPod/ NETWORK	TUNER		DVD / VDP		VCR	SAT / O	τν		
NUMBER (0 ~ 9, +10)	_	_	_	Number input / Track selection	Number input / Track selection	Number input / Track selection	_	Channels	Channels	Channels	
TUNING (+, -) / TV VOL (+, -)	⊕ CD Random ⊖ CD Repeat	⊕ iPod Random ⊖ iPod Repeat	⊕ Tuning up ⊖ Tuning down	⊕ DVD Random ⊖ DVD Repeat	 ⊕ Blu-ray Disc Random ⊖ Blu-ray Disc Repeat 	⊕ TV Volume ▲ ⊖ TV Volume ▼	⊕ TV Volume ▲ ⊖ TV Volume ▼	⊕ DBS Volume ▲ ⊖ DBS Volume ▼	 ⊕ Cable Volume ▲ ⊖ Cable Volume ▼ 	⊕ TV Volume ▲ ⊖ TV Volume ▼	
MODE, TOP MENU	_	Page search mode (once) and Browse/ Remote mode switching (Press and hold)	Switch search modes	Calling out Calling out the the menus top menus		_	_	Calling out the menus	Calling out the menus	Calling out the menus	
SETUP	-	-	-	Setup	Setup	-	-	-	-	-	
${\triangleleft} {\triangleleft} {\triangleleft} {\triangleleft}$	-	-	-	Cursor operation	Cursor operation	-	-	Cursor operation	Cursor operation	Cursor operation	
AUDIO	-	_	-	Audio	Audio	-	-	_	_	-	
BAND, Picture Adjust	-	%1 Top menu	AM / FM switching	Picture adjust	Picture adjust	-	_	_	-	_	
ENTER	-	_	-	Enter setting	Enter setting	-	-	Enter setting	Enter setting	Enter setting	
MEMORY, SUBTITLE	-	₩1 Favorite memory	Preset memory	Subtitle	Subtitle	-	-	-	-	_	
DISPLAY	-	-	-	Switching the display	Switching the display	-	-	Switching the display	Switching the display	Switching the display	
RETURN	-	-	-	Return	Return	-	-	Return	Return	Return	
Default setting (Preset code)	DENON (111)	_	-	DENON (111)	DENON		HITACHI (108)	_	ABC (007)	HITACHI (134)	
Special Remarks	1	-	-		1), 2		1	1,	3	1,3	

[Special Remarks]

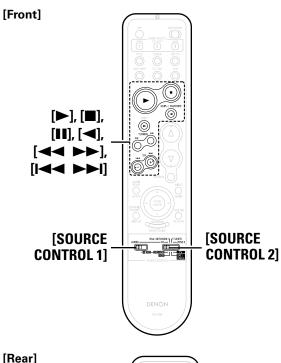
(1) Only one device can be set in the preset memory for each mode. When a new preset code is registered, the existing code is automatically erased.

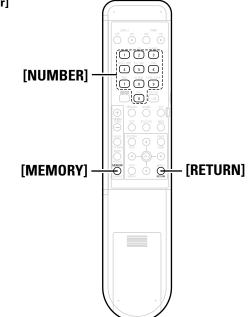
- ② For some brands, the DVD remote control buttons may have different function names. Check beforehand.
- (3) One of the following buttons can be assigned to the TV and satellite receiver or cable TV: CD, iPod/NETWORK, TUNER, DVD/VDP, VCR (127 "Punch Through Function").
- *1: This button can be operated when using a control dock for iPod ASD-3N/3W.
- **%**2: The initial setting of Preset code is 111 (DVD Player).
 - With the Blu-ray Disc Player setting, when you have set the remote controller code to "DENON2", use the Blu-ray Disc Player preset code "121".

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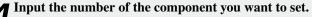




Punch Through Function "Punch Through" is a function allowing you to operate >, =, II, <, ◄◄, ►►, I◄◄ and ►►I on CD, iPod/NETWORK, TUNER, DVD/ VDP or VCR components when in the SAT/CABLE or TV mode. By default, nothing is set. Set [SOURCE CONTROL 1] to "VIDEO". ▲ Set [SOURCE CONTROL 2] to the component to be

registered (SAT/CABLE or TV).

3 Press [MEMORY] and [RETURN] at the same time. The indicator starts flashing.

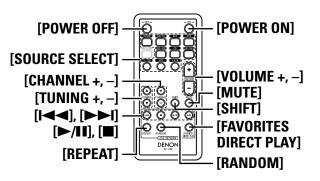


	No.
CD	1
iPod/NETWORK	2
TUNER	3
DVD/VDP	4
VCR	5
No setting	0

Sub Remote Control Unit (RC-1108)

The sub remote control unit (RC-1108) included with the AVR-1709 can be used as the exclusive multi-zone remote control unit.

- * The following describes operation for the selected zone.
- Turning the multi-zone power on and off
- Selecting the input source to be played
- Adjusting and temporarily muting the multi-zone volume
- Listening to the tuner
- Operating an iPod (Note that [FAVORITES DIRECT PLAY] can only be used with the ASD-3N/3W.)



POWER OFF	Power off
POWER ON	Power on
SOURCE SELECT	Switching the input source
VOLUME +, –	Volume control
CHANNEL +, –	Channel + / -
TUNING +, –	Tuning + / -
MUTE	Muting
SHIFT	Switching the memory block
	Auto search (cue)
	Stop
►/II	Play / Pause
REPEAT	1-track / All -track repeat play
RANDOM	1-track / album shuffle play

* When using a control dock for iPod (ASD-1R), the [FAVORITES DIRECT PLAY1 cannot be used.

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Amp Assign / Multi-zone Connections and Operations

The AVR-1709 is compatible with the following types of playback:

- Multi-zone playback (ZONE2)
- Bi-amp playback (front speakers)

NOTE

- For bi-amp playback, use speakers compatible with that type of connection.
- When conducting bi-amp playback, remove the short-circuiting boards (or wires) from the speaker terminals.

Multi-zone Settings with the Amp Assign Function

The amp assign function lets you assign the amplifiers for the different channels built into the AVR-1709 to the speaker outputs for the different zones.

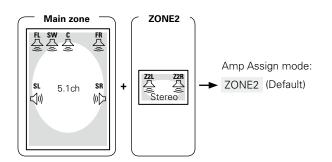
Select the desired playback environment from among "Setting 1" to "Setting 3", then set the corresponding "Amp Assign" mode at "System Setup" – "Option Setup" – "Amp Assign" (12) page 28).

Connect the speakers as described at "Speaker connections and channels outputting to the various speaker terminals".

Setting 1 :

• Multi-zone playback

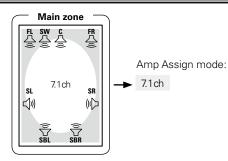
5.1-channel playback + ZONE2 stereo playback



D Speaker connections and channels outputting to the various speaker terminals

Speaker terminal		DNT	CENTER	SURR	OUND	SURROUND BACK/ AMP ASSIGN		
Assign mode	R	L		R	L	R	L	
ZONE2	FR	FL	С	SR	SL	Z2R	Z2L	

Setting 2 : ●7.1-channel playback



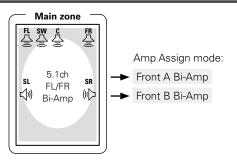
D Speaker connections and channels outputting to the various speaker terminals

Speaker termin: Amp Assign mode		DNT	CENTER	SURR	OUND	SURROUND BACK/ AMP ASSIGN		
Assign mode	R	L		R	L	R	L	
7.1ch	FR	FL	С	SR	SL	SBR	SBL	

Setting 3 :

Making bi-amp connections for the FL and FR channels in the main zone and conducting 5.1-channel playback

(switching with other modes not possible)



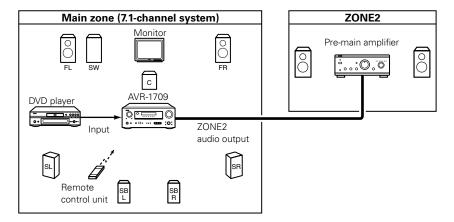
D Speaker connections and channels outputting to the various speaker terminals

Speaker terminal	FRONT-A		FRONT-B		CENTER	SURROUND		SURROUND BACK / AMP ASSIGN	
Assign mode	R	L	R	L		R	L	R	L
Front A Bi-Amp		FL-A	FR-B	FL-B	C	SR	CI.	FR FL-A/FR-/ conne	FL A Bi-Amp ection
Front B Bi-Amp	FR-A	гц-А	гп-D	гL-В	С	SK	SL		FL B Bi-Amp ection

Multi-zone Settings and Operations with Zone Output

Prepare pre-main amplifiers for ZONE2.

	Connectors for audio output	Audio signals
ZONE2	ZONE2 OUT	Stereo



- : Multi-zone audio cable

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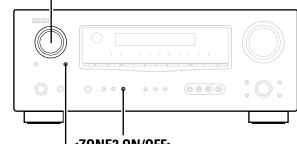
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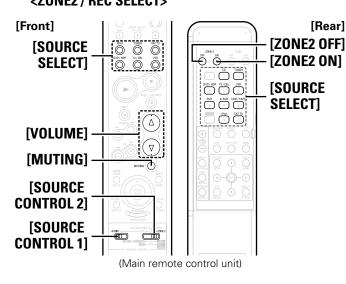
Symbols used to indicate buttons in this manual

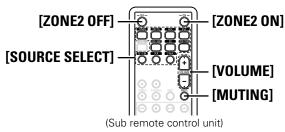
Button located on both the main unit and the remote control	
init> BUTTON	
Button only on the main unit	
Button only on the remote control unit \longrightarrow [BUTTON]	

<SOURCE SELECT>



<ZONE2 ON/OFF> <ZONE2 / REC SELECT>





Multi-zone Operations

Turning the Power On and Off

[Operation on the main unit] Press <ZONE2 ON/OFF> for the zone to be operated.

[Operation on the remote control unit] Press [ZONE2 ON] or [ZONE2 OFF].

When using ZONE2, it is possible to turn the power for the MAIN ZONE only on or off by pressing [MAIN ON] or [MAIN OFF].

Selecting the Input Source

[Operation on the main unit] Press <ZONE2 / REC SELECT>, then turn <SOURCE SELECT>.

(Operation on the remote control unit)

Set [SOURCE CONTROL 1] to "AUDIO" and [SOURCE CONTROL 2] to "ZONE2" (main remote control unit). Press [SOURCE SELECT].

Adjusting the Volume

Set [SOURCE CONTROL 1] to "AUDIO" and [SOURCE CONTROL 2] to "ZONE2" (main remote control unit). Press [VOLUME].

[Variable range] -40dB ~ +18dB --- -70dB

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The ZONE2 volume can be adjusted only when "ZONE2" is selected at "System Setup" - "Option Setup" - "Amp Assign" (12 page 28).

Turning off the Sound Temporarily

Set [SOURCE CONTROL 1] to "AUDIO" and [SOURCE CONTROL 2] to "ZONE2" (main remote control unit). Press [MUTING].

* To cancel, either adjust the volume or press [MUTING] again. The setting is canceled when the zone's power is turned off.

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The source selected for ZONE2 is also output from the recording output connectors.

Digital audio signals input from the COAXIAL or OPTICAL connectors cannot be played in multi-zone.

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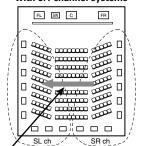
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Surround back speakers

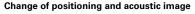
Sound positioning directly to the rear can be achieved easily by adding a surround back speaker to a 5.1-channel system.

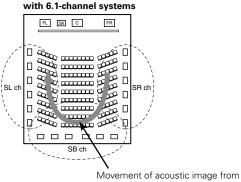
In addition, the acoustic image extending between the sides and the rear is narrowed, thus greatly improving the expression of the surround signals for sounds moving from the sides to the back and from the front to the point directly behind the listening position.

Change of positioning and acoustic image with 5.1-channel systems



Movement of acoustic image from SR to SL





SR to SB to SL

In addition to sources recorded in 6.1-channels, the surround effect of conventional 2- to 5.1-channel sources can also be enhanced.

Number of surround back speakers

We recommend using 2 speakers.

When using dipolar speakers in particular, be sure to use 2 speakers.

Placement of the surround left and right channels when using surround back speakers

We recommend installing the speakers for the surround "L" and "R" channels a bit forward.

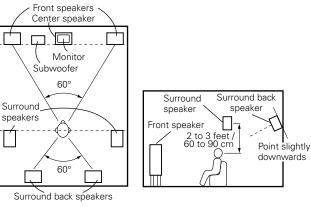
Examples of speaker layouts

Below we introduce examples of speaker layouts. Refer to these to arrange your speakers according to their type and how you want to use them.

[1] Using surround back speaker(s)

1) When mainly playing movies

Recommended when your surround speakers are single or 2-way speakers.



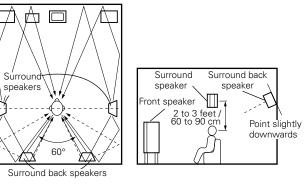
[As seen from above]

[As seen from the side]

2 Setting for primarily watching movies using diffusion type speakers for the surround speakers

For the greatest sense of surround sound envelopment, diffuse radiation speakers such as bipolar types, or dipolar types, provide a wider dispersion than is possible to obtain from a direct radiating speaker (monopolar). Place these speakers at either side of the prime listening position, mounted above ear level.

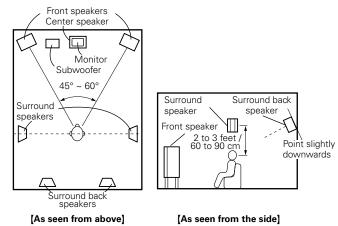
Path of the surround sound from the speakers to the listening position



[As seen from above]

[As seen from the side]

3 When playing movies and music

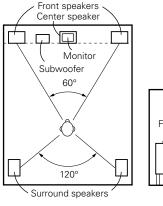


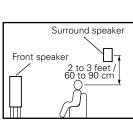
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[2] When not using surround back speakers





[As seen from above]

[As seen from the side]

Surround

The AVR-1709 is equipped with a digital signal processing circuit that lets you play program sources in the surround mode to achieve the same sense of presence as in a movie theater.

Dolby Surround

Dolby Digital

Dolby Digital is a multichannel digital signal format developed by Dolby Laboratories.

A total of 5.1-channels are played: 3 front channels ("FL", "FR" and "C"), 2 surround channels ("SL" and "SR") and the "LFE" channel for low frequencies.

Because of this, there is no crosstalk between channels and a realistic sound field with a "three-dimensional" feeling (sense of distance, movement and positioning) is achieved.

A real, overpowering sense of presence is achieved when playing movie sources in AV rooms as well.

Dolby Pro Logic II

Dolby Pro Logic ${\rm I\!I}$ is a matrix decoding technology developed by Dolby Laboratories.

Regular music such as that on CDs is encoded into 5-channels to achieve an excellent surround effect.

The surround channel signals are converted into stereo and full band signals (with a frequency response of 20 Hz to 20 kHz or greater) to create a "three-dimensional" sound image offering a rich sense of presence for all stereo sources.

Dolby Pro Logic IIx

Dolby Pro Logic $I\!Ix$ is a further improved version of the Dolby Pro Logic $I\!I$ matrix decoding technology.

Audio signals recorded in 2-channels are decoded to achieve a natural sound with up to 7.1-channels.

There are 3 modes: "Music" suited for playing music, "Cinema" suited for playing movies, and "Game" which is optimized for playing games.

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DTS Surround

DTS Digital Surround

DTS Digital Surround is the standard digital surround format of DTS, Inc., compatible with a sampling frequency of 44.1 or 48 kHz and up to 5.1-channels of digital discrete surround sound.

DTS-ES[™] Discrete 6.1

DTS-ES[™] Discrete 6.1 is a 6.1-channel discrete digital audio format adding a surround back (SB) channel to the DTS digital surround sound. Decoding of conventional 5.1-channel audio signals is also possible according to the decoder.

DTS-ES[™] Matrix 6.1

DTS-ESTM Matrix 6.1 is a 6.1-channel discrete digital audio format inserting a surround back (SB) channel to the DTS digital surround sound through matrix encoding. Decoding of conventional 5.1-channel audio signals is also possible according to the decoder.

DTS NEO:6[™] Surround

DTS NEO:6[™] is a matrix decoding technology for achieving 6.1channel surround playback with 2-channel sources. It includes "DTS NEO:6 CINEMA" suited for playing movies and "DTS NEO:6 Music" suited for playing music.

DTS 96/24

DTS 96/24 is a digital audio format enabling high sound quality playback in 5.1-channels with a sampling frequency of 96 kHz and 24 bit quantization on DVD-Video.

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Audyssey MultEQ®

Audyssey MultEQ is a room equalization solution that calibrates any audio system so that it can achieve optimum performance for every listener in a large listening area. Based on several room measurements. MultEQ calculates an equalization solution that corrects for both time and frequency response problems in the listening area and also performs a fully automated surround system setup.

Audyssey Dynamic EQ[™]

Audyssey Dynamic EQ solves the problem of deteriorating sound quality as volume is decreased by taking into account human perception and room acoustics. Audyssey Dynamic EQ works in tandem with Audyssey MultEQ to provide well-balanced sound for every listener at any volume level.

Audyssey Dynamic Volume[™]

Audyssey Dynamic Volume solves the problem of large variations in volume level between television programs, commercials, and between the soft and loud passages of movies.

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HDMI is a digital interface standard for next generation TVs based on DVI (Digital Visual Interface) standards and optimized for use in consumer equipment.

Non-compressed digital video and multi-channel audio signals are transmitted with a single connection.

HDMI is also compatible with HDCP (High-bandwidth Digital Contents Protection), a technology for protecting copyrights that encrypts digital video signals in the same was as with DVI.

Deep Color

Eliminates on-screen color banding, for smooth tonal transitions and subtle gradations between colors.

Enables increased contrast ratio.

Can represent many times more shades of gray between black and white.

At 30-bit pixel depth, a four times improvement would be the minimum. and the typical improvement would be eight times or more.

xvYCC

Next-generation "xvYCC" color space supports 1.8 times as many colors as existing HDTV signals. Lets HDTVs display colors more accurately. Enables displays with natural, vivid colors.

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Surround Modes and Parameters

						Signals	and adjustability	in the differen	t modes						
Surround mode			Channel outpu	t		_	Parameter (default values are shown in parentheses)								
Surround mode	Front L/R	Center	Surround L/R	Surround Back L/R	Subwoofer	D. Comp *1	LFE *2	SB CH OUT	Cinema EQ.	Mode	Room Size	Effect Level	Delay Time	Subwoofer	
DIRECT	0	×	×	×	0	O (OFF)	(0 dB)	×	×	Х	×	×	×	0	
STEREO	0	×	×	×	\bigcirc	O (OFF)	(0 dB)	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	
EXT. IN	0	O	0	O	\bigcirc	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	
DOLBY PRO LOGIC IIx	0	O	0	O	O	O (OFF)	×	(NOTE3)	O (OFF, NOTE1)	0	×	×	×	×	
DOLBY PRO LOGIC II	0	0	0	×	0	O (OFF)	×	×	O (OFF, NOTE2)	0	×	×	×	×	
DTS NEO:6	0	O	O	O	O	O (OFF)	×	(NOTE3)	O (OFF, NOTE1)	0	×	×	×	×	
DOLBY DIGITAL	0	O	0	O	\bigcirc	O (OFF)	(0 dB)	(NOTE3)	O (OFF)	×	×	×	×	×	
DTS SURROUND	0	O	0	O	O	×	(0 dB)	(NOTE3)	O (OFF)	×	×	×	×	×	
5CH / 7CH STEREO	0	O	0	0	O	O (OFF)	(0 dB)	(NOTE3)	×	×	×	×	×	×	
ROCK ARENA	0	O	0	O	\bigcirc	O (OFF)	(0 dB)	(NOTE3)	×	×	O (Medium)	(10)	×	×	
JAZZ CLUB	0	O	0	O	\bigcirc	O (OFF)	(0 dB)	O (NOTE3)	×	×	O (Medium)	(10)	×	×	
MONO MOVIE	0	O	0	O	O	O (OFF)	(0 dB)	O (NOTE3)	×	×	O (Medium)	(10)	×	×	
VIDEO GAME	0	0	0	O	O	O (OFF)	(0 dB)	O (NOTE3)	×	×	O (Medium)	(10)	×	×	
MATRIX	0	O	0	O	\bigcirc	O (OFF)	(0 dB)	O (NOTE3)	×	×	×	×	(30 ms)	×	
VIRTURL	0	×	×	×	\bigcirc	O (OFF)	(0 dB)	imes (NOTE3)	×	×	×	×	×	×	

| ○ : Signal / Adjustable

× : No signal / Not adjustable

© : Turned on or off by speaker configuration setting

○: Enable

 \times : Unable

NOTE1 : This parameter is available when "Surround Parameter" – "Mode" is set to "Cinema" (@ page 34). NOTE2 : This parameter is available when "Surround Parameter" – "Mode" is set to "Cinema" or "PL" (@ page 34).

NOTE3 : "System Setup" - "Speaker Setup" - "Speaker Configuration" - "Surround Back Speaker" are only displayed when "Small" or "Large".

NOTE:

*1: When playing Dolby Digital and DTS signals.

*2: When playing Dolby Digital and DTS.

						Signals and	d adjustability in the	e different modes				
						Parameter (de	fault values are sh	own in parentheses)				
Surround mode	PRO LOGIC II/IIx MUSIC mode only		NEO:6 MUSIC mode only	EXT. IN only	Tone Control	Night Mode	MultEQ	Dynamic EQ	Dynamic Volume	DV Setting		
	Panorama	Dimension	Center Width	Center Image	SUBWOOFER ATT.	(NOTE6)	(NOTE6)	MultEQ	(NOTE7)	(NOTE8)		RESTORER
DIRECT	×	×	×	×	×	×	O (OFF)	O (OFF, NOTE4)	O (ON, NOTE4)	(OFF, NOTE4)	O (MEDIUM, NOTE9)	×
STEREO	×	×	×	×	×	(0 dB)	O (OFF)	O (OFF, NOTE10)	O (ON, NOTE10)	O (OFF, NOTE10)	○ (MEDIUM, NOTE9)	○ (OFF, NOTE11
EXT. IN	×	×	×	×	0	×	×	×	×	×	×	×
DOLBY PRO LOGIC IIx	O (OFF)	(3)	(3)	×	×	(0 dB)	O (OFF)	O (OFF, NOTE10)	O (ON, NOTE10)	○ (OFF, NOTE10)	○ (MEDIUM, NOTE9)	O (OFF, NOTE11
DOLBY PRO LOGIC II	O (OFF)	(3)	(3)	×	×	(0 dB)	O (OFF)	O (OFF, NOTE10)	O (ON, NOTE10)	○ (OFF, NOTE10)	○ (MEDIUM, NOTE9)	○ (OFF, NOTE11
DTS NEO:6	×	×	×	(0.3)	×	(0 dB)	O (OFF)	O (OFF, NOTE10)	O (ON, NOTE10)	O (OFF, NOTE10)	○ (MEDIUM, NOTE9)	○ (OFF, NOTE11
DOLBY DIGITAL	×	×	×	×	×	(0 dB)	O (OFF)	O (OFF, NOTE10)	O (ON, NOTE10)	○ (OFF, NOTE10)	○ (MEDIUM, NOTE9)	×
DTS SURROUND	×	×	×	×	×	(0 dB)	O (OFF, NOTE5)	O (OFF, NOTE10)	O (ON, NOTE10)	O (OFF, NOTE10)	○ (MEDIUM, NOTE9)	×
5CH / 7CH STEREO	×	×	×	×	×	(0 dB)	0	O (OFF, NOTE10)	O (ON, NOTE10)	○ (OFF, NOTE10)	○ (MEDIUM, NOTE9)	O (OFF, NOTE11)
ROCK ARENA	×	×	×	×	×	O (NOTE3)	O (OFF)	O (OFF, NOTE10)	O (ON, NOTE10)	O (OFF, NOTE10)	○ (MEDIUM, NOTE9)	O (OFF, NOTE11)
JAZZ CLUB	×	×	×	×	×	(0 dB)	O (OFF)	O (OFF, NOTE10)	O (ON, NOTE10)	O (OFF, NOTE10)	○ (MEDIUM, NOTE9)	O (OFF, NOTE11
MONO MOVIE	×	×	×	×	×	(0 dB)	O (OFF)	O (OFF, NOTE10)	(ON, NOTE10)	O (OFF, NOTE10)	○ (MEDIUM, NOTE9)	O (OFF, NOTE11
VIDEO GAME	×	×	×	×	×	(0 dB)	O (OFF)	O (OFF, NOTE10)	O (ON, NOTE10)	O (OFF, NOTE10)	○ (MEDIUM, NOTE9)	O (OFF, NOTE11
MATRIX	×	×	×	×	×	(0 dB)	O (OFF)	O (OFF, NOTE10)	(ON, NOTE10)	O (OFF, NOTE10)	○ (MEDIUM, NOTE9)	O (OFF, NOTE11
VIRTURL	×	×	×	×	×	(0 dB)	O (OFF)	O (OFF, NOTE10)	(ON, NOTE10)	O (OFF, NOTE10)	○ (MEDIUM, NOTE9)	O (OFF, NOTE11)

| O: Adjustable

 \times : Not adjustable

NOTE3 : BASS +6 dB, TREBLE +4 dB

NOTE4 : When "System Setup" - "Option Setup" - "Direct Mode Setup" are turned "ON", also after implementing "Auto Setup".

NOTE5 : This parameter is invalid during input of the "DTS 96/24" signal.

NOTE6 : This parameter is not available when "Surround Parameter" – "Dynamic EQ" is set to "ON" (12) page 36). NOTE7 : This parameter is not available when "Surround Parameter" – "MultEQ" is set to "OFF" (12) page 35).

NOTE8 : This parameter is not availabe when "Surround Parameter" - "Dynamic EQ" is set to "OFF" (12 page 36).

NOTE9 : Displayed when "Dynamic Volume" setting is "ON".

NOTE10 : Displays after implementing Auto Setup.

NOTE11 : Displayed when input signal is "Analog" or "PCM 44.1/48 kHz".

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Differences in Surround Mode Names Depending on the Input Signals

Button							Input	signals					
						D	TS			[DOLBY DIGITAL	_	
Surround mode	Note	ANALOG	LINEAR PCM	LINEAR PCM (Multi ch)	DTS ES DSCRT (With Flag)	DTS ES MTRX (With Flag)	DTS (5.1ch)	DTS 96/24	DOLBY DIGITAL EX (With Flag)	DOLBY DIGITAL EX (With no Flag)	DOLBY DIGITAL (5.1/5/4ch)	DOLBY DIGITAL (4/3ch)	DOLBY DIGITAL (2ch
STANDARD													
DTS SURROUND													
DTS ES DSCRT6.1	*1	×	×	×	•	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	×
DTS ES MTRX6.1	*1	×	×	×	×	•	×	×	×	×	×	×	×
DTS SURROUND		×	×	×	O	0	$\bullet \bigcirc$	×	×	×	×	×	×
DTS 96/24		×	×	×	×	×	×		×	×	×	×	×
DTS + PLIIx CINEMA	*2	×	×	×	0	0	0	0	×	×	×	×	×
DTS + PLIIx MUSIC	*1	×	×	×	0	0	0	0	×	×	×	×	×
DTS + NEO:6	*1	×	×	×	×	×	0	0	×	×	×	×	×
DTS NEO:6 CINEMA		0	0	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	0
DTS NEO:6 MUSIC		0	0	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	0
DOLBY Surround													
DOLBY DIGITAL EX	*1	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	0	0	0	0	×
DOLBY DIGITAL		×	×	×	×	×	×	×	0	$\odot \bullet$	$\bigcirc igodot$	$\bigcirc igodot$	×
DOLBY DIGITAL + PLIIx CINEMA	*2	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	•	0	0	0	×
DOLBY DIGITAL + PLIIx MUSIC	*1	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	0	0	0	0	×
DOLBY PRO LOGIC IIx CINEMA		0	0	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	•
DOLBY PLIIX MUSIC		0	0	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	0
DOLBY PLIIx GAME		0	0	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	0
DOLBY PLII CINEMA		0	0	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	0
DOLBY PLII MUSIC		0	0	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	0
DOLBY PLII GAME		0	0	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	0
DOLBY PRO LOGIC		0	0	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	0

NOTE:

*1: This mode is not available when the surround back speaker setup is set to "None".

*2: This mode is not available when the surround back speaker setup is set to "1spkr" or "None".

© : Mode selectable in initial status (Amp Assign: ZONE2 * The default setting is "ZONE2".)

• : Mode selectable in initial status (Amp Assign: 7.1ch)

 \bigcirc : Selectable mode

 \times : Non-selectable mode

Button							Input s	signals					
		ANALOG		DTS					[DOLBY DIGITAL			
Surround mode	Note		LINEAR PCM	LINER PCM (Multi ch)	DTS ES DSCRT (With Flag)	DTS ES MTRX (With Flag)	DTS (5.1ch)	DTS 96/24	DOLBY DIGITAL EX (With Flag)	DOLBY DIGITAL EX (With no Flag)	DOLBY DIGITAL (5.1/5/4ch)	DOLBY DIGITAL (4/3ch)	DOLBY DIGITAL (2ch
DIRECT													
DIRECT		0	0	×	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DSP SIMULATION													
5CH / 7CH STEREO	*3	0	0	×	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ROCK ARENA		0	0	×	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
JAZZ CLUB		0	0	×	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MONO MOVIE		0	0	×	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
VIDEO GAME		0	0	×	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MATRIX		0	0	×	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
VIRTUAL		0	0	×	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
STEREO													
STEREO		•	•	×	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

NOTE :

*3 : If the surround back speaker setup is set to "None", then "5CH STEREO" is displayed.

• : Mode selectable in initial status

 \bigcirc : Selectable mode

 $\times\colon$ Non-selectable mode

Relationship between Video Signals and Monitor Output

		Input signals	6			Monitor	output	
Video Convert	HDMI	COMPONENT	S-VIDEO	VIDEO	HDMI	COMPONENT	S-VIDEO	VIDEO
	Х	×	×	×	×	×	×	×
	Х	×	×	0	×	VIDEO	VIDEO	VIDEO
	Х	×	0	×	×	S-VIDEO	S-VIDEO	S-VIDEO
	Х	×	0	0	×	S-VIDEO	S-VIDEO	VIDEO
	Х	🔿 (480i/576i ~ 720p)	×	×	×	COMPONENT	×	×
	Х	(480i/576i ~ 720p)	×	0	×	COMPONENT	VIDEO	VIDEO
	Х	(480i/576i ~ 720p)	0	×	×	COMPONENT	S-VIDEO	S-VIDEO
	Х	🔿 (480i/576i ~ 720p)	0	0	×	COMPONENT	S-VIDEO	VIDEO
ON	0	×	×	×	HDMI	×	×	×
	0	×	×	0	HDMI	VIDEO	VIDEO	VIDEO
	0	×	0	×	HDMI	S-VIDEO	S-VIDEO	S-VIDEO
	0	×	0	0	HDMI	S-VIDEO	S-VIDEO	VIDEO
	0	(480i/576i ~ 720p)	×	×	HDMI	COMPONENT	×	×
	0	(480i/576i ~ 720p)	×	0	HDMI	COMPONENT	VIDEO	VIDEO
	0	(480i/576i ~ 720p)	0	×	HDMI	COMPONENT	S-VIDEO	S-VIDEO
	0	(480i/576i ~ 720p)	0	0	HDMI	COMPONENT	S-VIDEO	VIDEO

○: Signal input

× : No signal 408i / 576i ~ 720p: 408i / 576i / 480p / 576p / 1080i / 720p

N/1 0 /		Input sig	gnals			Monitor of	output	
Video Convert	HDMI	COMPONENT	S-VIDEO	VIDEO	HDMI	COMPONENT	S-VIDEO	VIDEO
	×	×	×	×	×	×	×	×
	×	×	×	0	×	×	×	VIDEO
	×	×	0	×	×	×	S-VIDEO	×
	×	×	0	0	×	×	S-VIDEO	VIDEO
	Х	0	×	×	×	COMPONENT	×	Х
	×	0	×	0	×	COMPONENT	×	VIDEO
	×	0	0	×	×	COMPONENT	S-VIDEO	×
	×	0	0	0	×	COMPONENT	S-VIDEO	VIDEO
OFF	0	×	×	×	HDMI	×	×	×
	0	×	×	0	HDMI	×	×	VIDEO
	0	×	0	×	HDMI	×	S-VIDEO	×
	0	×	0	0	HDMI	×	S-VIDEO	VIDEO
	0	0	×	×	HDMI	COMPONENT	×	×
	0	0	×	0	HDMI	COMPONENT	×	VIDEO
	0	0	0	×	HDMI	COMPONENT	S-VIDEO	×
	0	0	0	0	HDMI	COMPONENT	S-VIDEO	VIDEO

○: Signal input

× : No signal

I × ∶ Not output

X ∶ Not output

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Getting Started

Troubleshooting

If a problem should arise, first check the following:

- 1. Are the connections correct?
- 2. Is the set being operated as described in the owner's manual?
- 3. Are the other components operating properly?

If this unit does not operate properly, check the items listed in the table below. Should the problem persist, there may be a malfunction.

In this case, disconnect the power immediately and contact your store of purchase.

[General]

Symptom	Cause	Countermeasure	Page
Set does not operate properly.	• External noise or interference is causing the set to malfunction.	Reset the microprocessor.	46
Power does not turn on, or turns off directly after it was turned on.	• Connection of the power cord is faulty.	Check the insertion of the power cord plug.	17
No sound is produced from speakers.	• Connection with the input devices or connection of the speaker cables is faulty.	Check the connections.	9 ~ 17
	• Device you want to play and set input source do not match.	 Select an appropriate input source. 	39
	• Master volume is turned too low.	 Adjust the master volume to an appropriate level. 	40
	Mute mode is set.	 Cancel the mute mode. 	40
	• Headphones are connected.	 Disconnect the headphones. 	40
	 No digital signals are being input. 	 Select an input source for which the digital input setting has been made. 	26
	• The connectors to which the digital inputs are assigned and the settable input modes do not match.	• Set the input mode.	39
Display is off.	• The Dimmer setting is set to "OFF".	 Set to something other than "OFF". 	40
"DOLBY DIGITAL" indicator does not appear on display.	 DVD player's digital audio output setting is not proper. 	 Check the DVD player's audio output setting. For details, read the DVD player's operating instructions. 	-

Symptom	Cause	Countermeasure	Page
Power switches off suddenly while you are using the AVR-1709, the power indicator will flash in red at intervals of approximately 2	• The protection circuit will be activated depending upon the temperature rise in the internal parts of the unit.	and re-apply the power after	9
seconds. Power switches	• Use speakers having impedance	Please use speakers which have	9
off suddenly while	less than that specified.	the specified impedance.	
you are using the AVR-1709, the power indicator will flash red at intervals of approximately 0.5 seconds.	 If speaker cable core wires touch each other or the core wires become disconnected from their terminals, the protection circuit will be activated in the event of core wires coming into contact with the AVR-1709 rear panel. 	• Unplug the power cord, then after twisting the core wires together tightly again, or effecting termination treatments etc, please reconnect once again.	9
Even applying power, the power display flashes red at intervals of approximately 0.5 seconds.	• The AVR-1709 amplifier circuit has failed.	 Switch off the power and please contact the DENON service adviser. 	_

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Symptom	Cause	Countermeasure	Page
Set does not work	• Batteries are worn.	• Replace with new batteries.	3
properly when remote control	• You are operating outside of the specified range.	• Operate within the specified range.	3
unit operated.	• Obstacle between main unit and remote control unit.	• Remove the obstacle.	3
	• The batteries are not inserted in the proper direction, as indicated by the polarity marks in the battery compartment.	proper direction, following the	3
	• The set's remote control sensor is exposed to strong light (direct sunlight, inverter type fluorescent bulb light, etc.).	the remote control sensor will	3
		• Set "Remote ID" for the main unit to "1".	30
	• The SOURCE CONTROL switches are not set in the correct positions.	• Set the SOURCE CONTROL switches to the correct positions according the operation you are applying.	40, 42, 43, 47 ~ 49

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Symptom	Cause	Countermeasure	Page
No sound is produced from center speaker.	 You are playing a monaural source (TV, AM radio broadcast, etc.) in the "STANDARD" (Dolby/ DTS Surround) mode. 	• The mode is set to something other than "STANDARD" (Dolby/ DTS Surround).	31
No sound is produced from surround speakers.	• The surround mode is set to "STEREO" or "DIRECT".	 Set to a surround playback mode. 	32
No sound is produced from surround back	• The surround back speaker's power amplifier is assigned to a different channel.	• Check the setting and change it as necessary.	28
speaker.	• Surround back speaker setting is set to "None".	 Set to something other than "None". 	23
	• The "Parameter" – "Surround Parameter" – "SB CH OUT" settings are "OFF".	 Please set "Parameter" – "Surround Parameter" – "SB CH OUT" to settings other than "OFF". 	35
	• Surround mode not set to a mode for 6.1- or 7.1-channel playback.	 Select a surround playback mode. 	31, 32
No sound is produced from	• Subwoofer's power not turned on.	• Turn on the subwoofer's power.	_
subwoofer.	• The "Subwoofer" setting at "Speaker Setup" is set to "No".	• Set to "Yes".	23
	• The subwoofer is not properly connected.	Check the connections.	9
	• The subwoofer's volume is turned off.	 Adjust the subwoofer's volume to an appropriate level. 	45
No test tones are produced when main remote control unit's TEST button is pressed.	• Surround mode not set to "STANDARD" (Dolby/DTS Surround).	Set to the "STANDARD" (Dolby/ DTS Surround) mode.	31
DTS sound is not output.	• DVD player's audio output setting is not set to bitstream.	 Set the DVD player. For details, refer to the DVD player's operating instructions. 	-
	• DVD player is not compatible with DTS sound playback.	• Use a DTS-compatible player.	-
	• The AVR-1709's "Input Mode" setting is set to other than "DTS".	• Set to the "Auto" or "DTS" mode.	39

[Video]

Symptom	Cause	Countermeasure	Page
No picture	• The connections between the AVR-1709 and monitor are faulty.	Check the connections.	10 ~ 17
appears.	• The monitor's input setting is wrong.	• Set properly.	-
	• The player is connected using the component input connectors, the monitor is connected using the video (yellow) or S-Video output connectors.	is connected to component terminals, if the monitor is not	_
Picture cannot be recorded.	 Input source does not match recorder's video connection connector (video or S-Video). 	• The video conversion function does not work for the REC OUT connectors. Match the input source and recorder connections.	13
DVDs cannot be copied on a VCR.	_	 This is not a malfunction. Most movie software includes copy prevention signals and cannot be copied. 	_

(HDMI)

Symptom	Cause	Countermeasure	Page
HDMI audio signals are not output from speakers.	-	• The audio signal input to the HDMI input connector cannot be played on the AVR-1709. Input the audio signal to the digital audio input connector or analog audio input connector.	10
No picture appears	• The connections to the HDMI connectors are faulty.	Check the connections.	10
with HDMI	HDMI input setting is improper.	Check the HDMI input setting.	25
connections.	• The HDMI format of the player and monitor do not match.	 Match the HDMI format of the player and monitor. 	10
No sound is output from the monitor connected with HDMI connections.	HDMI input setting is improper.	• Check the HDMI input setting.	25

[iPod]

Symptom	Cause	Countermeasure	Page
iPod cannot be played.		 Switch to the input source assigned at control dock for iPod. 	26
	• Cable is not properly connected.	Reconnect.	12
		• Plug the control dock for iPod's AC adapter into a power outlet.	-

[SIRIUS Satellite Radio]

Symptom	Cause	Countermeasure	Page
"CHECK SR TUNER" is displayed in the SIRIUS mode.	 The Sirius Tuner unit is not connected. 	Check that the connections are correct.	15
"ANTENNA ERROR" is displayed in the SIRIUS mode.	 If the Sirius Tuner is not connected, it will be broken. 	• Check that the connections are correct.	15
"NO SIGNAL" is displayed in the SIRIUS mode.	• The signal cannot be received.	Reposition your SiriusConnect HomeTuner antenna.	42
"INVALID CHANNEL" is displayed in the SIRIUS mode.	• Channel is not present.	Select another channel.	42
"NO CH AVAILABLE" is displayed in the SIRIUS mode.	• Even searching categories, if none of the channels are present, the "Parental Lock" is on (locked).	 Please search for other categories. 	42
"ACQUIRING" is displayed in the SIRIUS mode.	 The selected channel is not currently broadcasting. Displays while SiriusConnect Home Tuner is connected. 	Select another channel.	42
"Call SIRIUS"* is displayed in the SIRIUS mode.	• Channels are not subscribed to.	• If you subscribe to the channel, you can receive the channel.	-
"SUB UPDATED" is displayed in the SIRIUS mode.	While updating contract information.	-	-
"Code? []" is displayed in the SIRIUS mode.	 Selected channels are locked. 	Please insert pass word (4 digits) into "[]".	27

* : After scroll displays "Call 888-539-····" twice, displays "Call SIRIUS".

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Specifications

Audio section		Tuner section	[FM]	[AM]
Power amplifier Rated output:	Front (A, B): 80 W + 80 W (8 Ω/ohms, 20 Hz ~ 20 kHz with 0.08 % T.H.D.) 115 W + 115 W (6 Ω/ohms, 1 kHz with 0.7 % T.H.D.)	Receiving Range: Usable Sensitivity: 50 dB Quieting Sensitivity:	(note: μV at 75 Ω/ohms, 0 dBf = 1 x 10 ⁻¹⁵ W) 87.5 MHz ~ 107.9 MHz 1.0 μV (11.2 dBf) MONO 1.6 μV (15.3 dBf)	520 kHz ~ 1710 kHz 18 μV
	Center: 80 W (8 Ω/ohms, 20 Hz ~ 20 kHz with 0.08 % T.H.D.) 115 W (6 Ω/ohms, 1 kHz with 0.7 % T.H.D.) Surround: 80 W + 80 W (8 Ω/ohms, 20 Hz ~ 20 kHz with 0.08 % T.H.D.)	S/N (IHF-A): Total harmonic Distortion (at 1 kHz):	STEREO 23 μV (38.5 dBf) MONO 77 dB STEREO 72 dB MONO 0.15 % STEREO 0.3 %	
Output connectors:	115 W + 115 W (6 Ω /ohms, 1 kHz with 0.7 % T.H.D.) Surround Back: 80 W + 80 W (8 Ω /ohms, 20 Hz ~ 20 kHz with 0.08 % T.H.D.) 115 W + 115 W (6 Ω /ohms, 1 kHz with 0.7 % T.H.D.) Front: A or B 6 ~ 16 Ω /ohms A or B 12 ~ 16 Ω /ohms	General Power supply: Power consumption: Maximum external dimensions:	AC 120 V, 60 Hz 4.6 A 0.3 W (Standby) 434 (W) x 171 (H) x 377 (D) mm (17-3/32" x 6-47	7/64" x 14-27/32")
• Analog	Center, Surround, Surround Back: $6 \sim 16 \Omega$ /ohms	Weight:	11.3 kg (24 lbs 14.6 oz)	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,
Input sensitivity / Input impedance: Frequency response: S/N:	200 mV / 47 kΩ/kohms 10 Hz ~ 100 kHz — +1, -3 dB (DIRECT mode) 98 dB (IHF-A weighted, DIRECT mode)	Batteries: Maximum external dimensions: Weight:	R6/AA Type (two batteries) 52 (W) x 243 (H) x 21 (D) mm (2-3/64" x 9-9/16" 184 g (Approx. 6.5 oz) (including batteries)	x 53/64")
 Video section Standard video connectors 		Sub remote control unit (RC- Batteries:	1108) R03/AAA Type (two batteries)	
Input / output level and impedance: Frequency response: • S-Video connectors	1 Vp-p, 75 Ω/ohms 5 Hz ~ 10 MHz — +1, –3 dB	Maximum external dimensions: Weight:	54 (W) x 115 (H) x 23 (D) mm (2-1/8" x 4-17/32" 80 g (Approx. 2.8 oz) (including batteries)	× 29/32")
Input / output level and impedance: Frequency response:	Y (brightness) signal — 1 Vp-p, 75 Ω/ohms C (color) signal — 0.286 Vp-p, 75 Ω/ohms 5 Hz ~ 10 MHz — +1, –3 dB	* For purposes of improvement, specificat	ions and design are subject to change without not	ce.
Color component video connectors Input / output level and impedance:	Y (brightness) signal — 1 Vp-p, 75 Ω/ohms Pв / Cв signal — 0.7 Vp-p, 75 Ω/ohms Pr / Cr signal — 0.7 Vp-p, 75 Ω/ohms			
Frequency response:	5 Hz ~ 60 MHz — +0, –3 dB			

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