# Digital Video User's Guide



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Amino (Black) Remote Control Layout			
TV AV Source Select		STB Power	
Toggles AV source		Turn STB on/off	
TV Power		Record	
Turn TV on/off		Begin recording	
Playback Controls		Function Buttons	
Control playback of		Info SAP	
DVD or DVR		- Guide - Exit	
DVR		MENU	
Displays recordings		Display main menu	
OK Enter a choice you	MENU	Display information	
have selected		about the current	
Arrow Keys	$X \rightarrow 1$	program	
Move the highlight in	( 0K ) ►	X (Exit)	
menu screens		Exit current menu	
Back	(3) (+)	GUIDE	
Return to the	GUIDE	Display the guide	
previous channel	(+) (+)	CH + / -	
or menu	VOL CH	Change the channel	
VOL Up/Down		Page Up / Down	
Adjust volume		Move guide listings a	
MUTE		full page up or down	
Toggle audio on/off		Previous Channel Select	
Number Pad Enter a channel	123@abcdef	Displays previous	
	4 5 6 mno	channel	
number or PIN	ghi jki mno	TITLES Toggles subtitles	
TEXT Reserved for	7 pqrs 8 tuv 9 wxyz	on/off	
future use			

#### ADB Potenza Remote Control Layout

Device Selection	POWER
Send commands	Turn a selected
to TV, audio, DVD,	device on or off
auxiliary device or	Playback Controls
set top box	Control playback of
RCU SETUP	DVD or DVR
Setup remote	RECORD
DVR LIST	Begin DVR recording
Display recordings	INFO
MENU	Display the Infobar
Displays Menubar	OK
Arrow Keys	Enter a choice you
Move the highlight in	have made
menu screens	EXIT
GUIDE	Close any screen
Displays Guide	and return to TV
DAY - / DAY +	PG + / -
Jumps Guide 12	Jump Guide 1 page
hours ahead or back	up or down
Function Buttons	CH +/-
Reserved for future use + +	Change the channel
VOL + / - VOL CH	VoD
Adjust volume	Reserved for future use
MUTE	LAST
Turn sound on or off	Return to previous
Number Pad	channel
Enter a channel	Additional Buttons
number or PIN	Reserved for future use
INPUT 7pqrs 8tuv 9wxyz	
Change input on device	/
PHONE	
Display Caller ID Log	
TV:VUEO INPUT PHONE WWW SAP	

#### Amino (Silver) Remote Control Layout

MUTE	POWER
Turn sound on or off	Turn a selected device
VCR POWER	on or off
Send commands	TV
to the VCR	Send commands
TV AV Source Select	to the TV
Toggles AV source	STB
VOL Up/Down	Send commands
Adjust volume	to the STB
Tools	MENU
Reserved for future use	Display main menu
Info Tools Guide	CH Up/Down
Display information	Change the channel
about the current	GUIDE
program	Display the guide
Pg Up	or menu
iviove guide listings a	Exit
full page up	Exit current menu
Pg Back Pg Up Pg Down Pg Back Pg Fwd	Arrow Keys
iviove guide listings a	Move the highlight in
full page back	menu screens
Number Pad	OK
Enter a channel number or PIN	Enter a choice you have selected
Return to previous	Pg Down Move guide listings a
channel	full page down
Playback Controls	Pg Fwd
Control playback of	Move guide listings a
DVD or DVR	full page forward
Record CEO	Refresh
Begin recording	Refresh a menu or a list
Record Pause Rewind Fast Fwg	DEL
Record Pause Rewind Past Fwg	Delete a number or
	character you
	have entered
	Home

Reserved for future use

#### Turn Your Set Top Box or TV On or Off

#### Potenza & Amino Silver Remote

The device selection buttons tell your remote whether you want to control your set top box or your television.

To turn your TV on or off, press the **TV** button then the **POWER** button.

To turn your set top box on or off, press the **STB** button and then the **POWER** button.

If pressing **POWER** turned the wrong device on or off, press the **POWER** button again, press the appropriate device selection button (**TV**, **AUD**, **DVD**, **AUX** or **STB**) and press **POWER** once more.

#### Amino Black Remote

To turn your TV on or off, press the **TV Power** button.

To turn your set top box on or off, press the STB Power button.

Note: It is not necessary to turn your set top box off.

Note: Your remote control must have the remote code programmed in before it can send the correct signals for your TV. If the list of TV brand codes was not included in your installation pack, please contact customer service.

#### **Change Channels**

The CH+/- button will change channels up or down one at a time.

The **Number Pad** can be used to directly enter a channel number.

**GUIDE** will display Guide so you can find a program you like. If the program is on now, you tune to the channel showing it. If not, you can set a scheduled event to remind you when it does come on. If your set top box supports recording, you can schedule a recording for the program.

For more information on Guide, see section 5 Guide.

For more information on setting Reminders, Autotunes and Recordings, see **Setting a Reminder, Autotune or Recording** in section **6 Guide - Alerts & Recording**.

#### Adjust Volume

The VOL+/- button will adjust the volume gradually.

The **MUTE** button will toggle the sound on and off.

#### System Buttons

There are a number of buttons on your remote that display different features of your service.

**MENU** displays the Menubar when in cable [STB] mode, and in [TV] mode you will see your TV's menu. The Menubar provides quick access to every feature supported by your service.

For more information about the Menubar, see section 4 Menubar.

**INFO** displays the Infobar, a feature that lets you see information on what you're watching, what's coming on next, and what's on other channels.

For more information on the Infobar, see section 3 Infobar.

**EXIT** causes your set top box to exit whatever screen you are seeing and return you to normal TV viewing. If you ever get lost on a screen, it is always safe to press **EXIT** and then start over.

# 2 How To Use This Book

#### Layout

Instructions are paired with screen shots to illustrate the process and provide confirmation of what you should see on your TV.

Section headings and on-screen text, such as screen titles, messages and options are shown in **Deep Blue Bold Type**.

Buttons on the remote control are represented by a graphic of that button, or **Red Bold Type** when a graphic cannot be shown.

#### **Color-codes & Icons**

Reminder

Series-Record\*

Program listings may display icons based on settings for a particular program.

### **Program Attributes**



Autotune



Record\*

Series Record Episode Skipped\*

Folder for Series Recordings\*



Whole Home DVR

#### \*Record and Series Record only appear if your set top box supports recording.

All menubar icons and explanations are in 4 Menubar.

# 3 Infobar

Paycheck 7:00 pm - 9:30 pm, Drama, PG-13, (2003)	X	WGN 23
After learning that his memory has been erased, a technic on the run to piece together clues from his his past.	cal wizard goes	Live TV
Price \$4.55 📮 🛺 📖	Subscribed 🛇	7:20PM

#### **Introducing The Infobar**

The Infobar is a quick way of finding information about the show you are watching, what comes on later, and what is on other channels.

#### Go To The Infobar

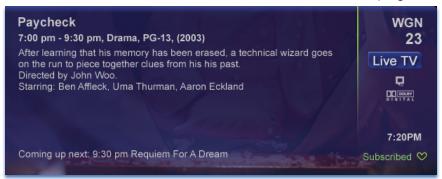
There are three ways to make the basic Infobar appear.

Press **INFO** on your remote control.

Press the Up or Down Arrow Keys on your remote control.

The basic Infobar will also appear any time you change channels.

Once the Infobar is active, press **INFO** again to display the detailed Infobar. It adds information on directors, actors and the name of the next program.



# 3 Infobar



#### 1 Channel Name and Number

The name and number of the channel currently listed in the Infobar.

- 2 Current Time
- 3 Favorite List Currently In Use
- 4 Program Name
- 5 Program Start Time, End Time and Rating Includes original release date in Detailed View.
- 6 Program Synopsis
- 7 Additional Program Details

This area will indicate details such as if this program is Live TV, Recorded using DVR, or Blocked. If Dolby Digital audio or Secondary Audio Program are available, it will also be shown here. Finally, an HDTV program will be indicated here.

- 8 Director and Actor Information
- 9 Coming Up Next

The start time and title of the next program to be shown on the channel currently listed in the InfoBar.

# 3 Infobar

#### Using the Infobar

#### Step 1: Go To The Infobar

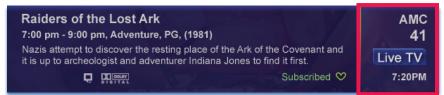
Press INFO, the Up or Down Arrow Keys, or change channels.



#### Step 2a: See What's On Other Channels

Press the **Up or Down Arrow Keys** to scroll the Infobar through what is showing on other channels without actually changing channels.

If you find something you would rather watch on another channel, press **OK** to tune to that channel.



#### Step 2b: See What's On Later

Press the **Right Arrow Key** to scroll ahead to upcoming programs for the channel listed on the Infobar.

Press OK while viewing info on a future program to bring up these options.



Press the Left Arrow Key to scroll back to the current channel listing. To exit the Infobar completely, press Exit on your remote.

Note: Recording options will not be available if your set top box doesn't support those features.

# 4 Menubar

#### Introducing the Menubar



The Menubar is a quick and easy way to access any feature of your service.

#### Go To the Menubar

To display the Menubar, press **MENU** on your remote control. Press the **Left/Right Keys** on your remote control to move the highlight through the menu. Press **Menu** again to exit or press **Exit** on your remote control.

#### **Understanding the Menubar**

#### Guide

**Guide** will bring up the program guide. For information on Guide, please see section **5 Guide**. To record or edit a recording, please see section **6 Guide - Alerts & Record**.

#### DVR

**DVR** allows you to watch existing recordings, access a list of scheduled recordings, and edit and sort both. You can also create a recording (Schedule Event) and prioritize conflicting series recordings. For information on DVR, see section **8 DVR** 

#### My Library

My Library provides quick access to previously purchased programs, Reminders you have scheduled, messages regarding your service, and Caller ID history. For more information on My Library, see section **10 My Library**.

# 4 Menubar

#### Settings

**Settings** offers access to creating parental controls and setting blocked channels, determining how things appear on the screen (such as TV caller ID), and creating, editing and deleting user accounts. For information on **Settings**, see section **11 Settings**.

#### Favorites

**Favorites** allows you to choose, edit, create or delete a favorite channel list. For information on Favorites, see section **13 Favorites**.

#### Search

Search allows you to search program listings or Video on Demand rentals by title or key words. For information on Search, see section **14 Search**.

#### Sign Out

Sign Out allows you to sign out of the current user account. This only appears if you are using the Enable Login option under Settings/ Preferences, have multiple user accounts, and have signed in with a user name and password. For information on user accounts, see User Settings in section 11 Settings.



# 5 Guide

#### Introducing Guide

Guide is the place to quickly find out what's on now and what's playing later. You can set Reminders or Recordings for upcoming programs in Guide.

#### Go To Guide

There are two ways to go to Guide.

Press GUIDE or Press MENU, scroll to Guide icon, and press OK.

#### **Getting Around Guide**

To navigate Guide...

- Move to a channel by entering the channel with the Number Pad (0-9).
- Use the **Arrow Keys** on the remote to move the highlight through the Guide, channel by channel.
- Press the **Up** or **Down Arrows** to move the highlight to view what programs are currently showing on different channels.
- Press the Left or Right Arrows to move the highlight to view what future programs will be showing up to 7 days into the future.
- Press Page Up or Page Down to jump up or down one screen of listings.
- Press OK to preview a current highlighted show on the Guide in the upper-left corner of your TV screen. To view the program full screen, press OK again.
- Continuing to press the **Guide** key on your remote will switch the **Favorite** list to **All**, **Subscribed**, **HD**, and any **Favorites** lists that you create. This causes Guide to only display the channels included on each list. Cycling to **All** will display all available programming.
- Press **EXIT** to leave the Guide.

#### Favorites List in Guide

A Favorites list allows you to select channels you watch most often, placing them on a list that is quickly accessed in **Guide**. **If you can only scroll through a limited number of channels, verify that your Guide is set to All or Subscribed. Guide choice presets are: All, Subscribed, SD, HD, PPV, and any favorites that you set.** For more details about creating, editing, or naming a Favorites list, see section 13 Favorites.

#### **HDTV Programming**

Programs available in HD will appear in Guide with a blue HD icon HD next to the name of the program. In order to watch HD programming, you will need an HDTV-capable set top box and TV, and may need to subscribe to an HD channel package.

# 5 Guide



#### **Guide Layout**

#### **Favorites List**

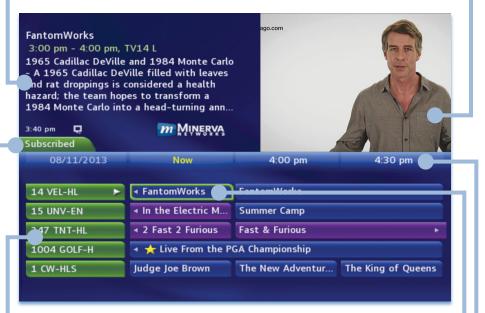
Indicates the Favorites list currently in use.

#### Info Area

Provides information about the currently highlighted program.

#### Picture-in-Picture

Allows you to watch TV while you are in Guide.



#### Highlight =

Indicates what program listing is currently in focus.

#### **Program Listings**

Shows channel number, channel abbreviation, and program listings for each channel. Program listings may include icons to indicate a setting or feature for a particular program.

#### Listing Date/Time

Shows the date and time (divided into 30-minute increments) for the programs currently shown in Guide.



#### Introducing Guide & Recording

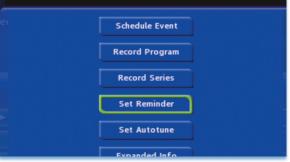
In this section, you will learn about setting or scheduling a recording, recording a series, and editing it. You will view the recordings under the DVR icon.

A Reminder informs you a program is about to come on. An Autotune automatically changes the channel when the program is about to start. A Recording will automatically record the program to your set top box. On the **Schedule Event** screen, you can edit the channel number, time, type of timer (**Recording, Reminder**, or **Autotune**), and frequency of the event. See **7 Recording** and **8 DVR** for more details on **Schedule Event**.

#### Setting a Reminder, Autotune or Recording



#### What would you like to do with the selected program FantomWorks



#### Step 1: Pick a Program

Pull up the Guide and find the future program you want. Highlight its listing and press **OK**. A pop-up menu will appear.

Note: The pop-up may appear different depending if your STB is DVR-enabled, or what type of program you selected to record.

#### Step 2: Set the Reminder, Autotune or Record

Highlight and Record Program, Set Autotune, or Set Reminder and press **OK**. You will then be returned to Guide.

See **7** Recording - Quick Recording for how to record a currently playing program.

# 6 Guide - Alerts & Recording



abscribea		Ger (
08/11/2013	Now	4:00 pm
14 VEL-HL	◀ FantomWorks	C FantomWorks
15 UNV-EN	In the Electric M	Summer Camp
247 TNT-HL	✓ 2 Fast 2 Furious	Fast & Furious
1004 GOLF-H	◄ ★ Live From the PGA Championship	
1 CW-HLS	Judge Joe Brown The New Adve	
	Judge joe brown	The fren Auvene

Program Reminder. Press

info to view details.

#### Step 3: Return to Guide

The program listing now shows an icon.



Autotune set



#### Step 4a: Your Reminder

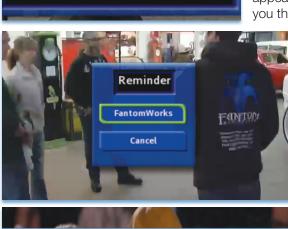
A few minutes before your program comes on, a box will appear on your screen telling you that you have a Reminder.

Press **INFO** to display the Reminder.

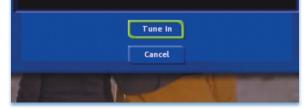
Highlight the button showing the program name and press **OK** to watch the program. Highlight **Cancel** and press **OK** to ignore the Reminder.

#### Step 4b: Your Autotune

Just before the program begins, a message will display, giving you the option to tune in or cancel.



Program How It's Made: Dream Cars has started on channel 14.



#### Step 4c: Your Recording

If you set a future recording, your set top box will record it for you once your program begins (see **7 Recordings** for more details).

To watch your recording, go to 8 DVR - Recordings.

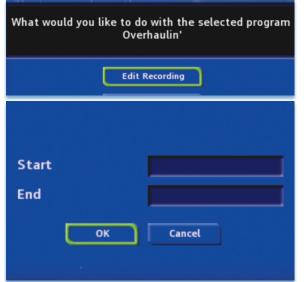
#### Editing a Recording

#### Note: Recording is not available if your set top box doesn't support it.

Once you have created a recording, you can adjust when the recording begins or ends. This ensures nothing is missed in case the broadcaster's time doesn't precisely match up with yours.



Step 1: Pick an Upcoming Recording Locate the program to be recorded. Highlight its listing and press OK.



Step 2: Edit Recording From the options shown for this program, highlight Edit Recording and press OK.

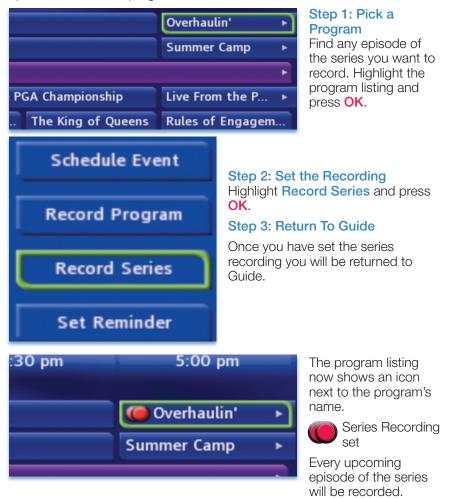
Step 3: Select Start & End Times Arrow Up or Down to choose Start or End and press OK. Once you see arrows above and below the Start or End box, Arrow Up or Down to adjust the Start or End time.



#### Setting a Series Recording

#### Note: Recording is not available if your set top box doesn't support it.

If you choose to record a program that is part of a regular series, you will be offered the option to record the series. This allows you to record every episode of a favorite program.





#### **Editing a Series Recording**

#### Note: Recording is not available if your set top box doesn't support it.

Once you have created a series recording, you can adjust which episodes of the series are recorded and which are skipped.

	Overhaulin' 5:00 pm - 6:00 pm, TVG Challenging Dodge - The team works on the 1971 Dodge Challenger James received from his father as a graduation present years ag. 3:50 pm All		
08/11/2013 4:00 pm 4:30 pm	5:00 pm		
14 VEL-HL C FantomWorks	🗘 FantomWorks 🥼 Overhaulin' 🔹		
15 UNV-EN Summer Camp	Summer Camp 🕨		
247 TNT-HL Fast & Furious			
1004 GOLF-H 🔹 🛧 Live From the PGA Championship	ৰ 🌟 Live From the PGA Championship 🛛 Live From the P 🕨		
1 CW-HLS F The New Adventur The King of Que	eens Rules of Engagem		

#### Step 1: Pick a Series Recording

Locate any program in the series to be recorded. Highlight its listing and press **OK**.

#### What would you like to do with the selected program Overhaulin'



# ChannelsVEL-HL 14PreferenceStandardEpisodesAllStartCancel

#### Step 2: Edit Series Recording

From the options shown for this program, highlight **Edit** Series Recording and press OK.

#### Step 3: Adjust Series Recording Options Arrow Up or Down

to choose an option and press **OK**. Once you see arrows above and below the options setting box, **Arrow Up** or **Down** to adjust that setting.



**Channels** determines whether the series is recorded when aired on the channel originally set to record, or record the series on whatever channel airs it.

**Preference** determines whether to record the program when shown in standard definition or only when shown in high definition.

**Episodes** determines whether to record re-runs and new episodes of the series or only new episodes.

Start and End determines how much time to add at the start and end time of the recording so that none of the program is missed.

Limit To determines how many episodes of the series are saved. If set to anything other than all, the system will delete the oldest recorded episode of the series once the limit is reached.

Once you have adjusted the series settings, highlight OK and press OK to save your changes.

#### Skipping an Episode

Once you have created a series recording, you can manually skip any episode.



# Step 1: Pick the Episode

Locate the episode in the series you want to skip. Highlight its listing and press **OK**.

#### Step 2: Skip the Episode Highlight Skip Episode



and press **OK**. You will be returned to Guide and the red dots on the episode listing will turn grey to indicate you are skipping that episode. If you decide to record this episode after all, repeat this procedure and choose **Record Episode** from the options shown and press **OK**. The dots will become red again.



#### Canceling an Autotune, Reminder, Recording or Series Recording

You can cancel any event you have previously scheduled directly from Guide.



Step 1: Pick the Program Highlight the program with the event you want to cancel and press OK.



#### Step 2: Cancel the Event

Depending on the type of event you are canceling, your options will be:



Highlight the option you want and press OK.

#### Step 3: Return to Guide

After you press **OK**, you will return to the Guide.

#### Additional Information on Canceling Events

A list of your Reminders and Autotunes is located in **10 My Library** - **Reminders** and can be canceled from there.

To cancel scheduled recordings, see 8 DVR - To Record.

#### Recordings

Creating recordings and pausing live TV both require a DVR (Digital Video Recorder). There are several ways to record besides those covered in 6 Guide - Alerts & Recording. They are listed here.

#### **Quick Recording**

The fastest and easiest way to begin recording is to use the **RECORD** button on your remote control.

#### Step 1: Start Recording

While watching a program, press **RECORD**. Recording will begin immediately.



You can also start a quick record in Guide.

Highlight a program you want to record using the **Arrow Keys** and press **RECORD**.

If the program is currently on, recording will begin immediately. The program will be recorded until it is scheduled to finish.

To manually stop the recording before it is finished, press **STOP**. If the program comes on in the future, your system will record the program for you automatically.

#### **General Guidelines About Recordings**

Your TV can even be turned off and recording will take place.

You can record one program and watch a different program simultaneously.

Check with your service provider to see additional multiple recording options.

#### Pausing Live TV (PLT)

Recording capability also allows you to pause live TV (PLT). While watching a channel, PLT will temporarily store what you have watched so you can pause a program and then press play to resume watching.

#### **Controlling Live TV**

While watching a recorded program or live TV, you can use the **Playback Control Buttons** to control playback.

Press **PAUSE** on your remote control to pause the program. Programs can be paused as long as the current channel is not changed.

Press **PLAY** to resume watching.

Press **REWIND** or **FAST FORWARD** to reverse or advance playback from the current point. Press repeatedly to increase **FAST FORWARD** or **REWIND** speed.



Press **STOP** to exit playback of the program.

The PLT bar appears whenever you pause, rewind or fast forward live TV.

The center area indicates the amount of TV saved. The "I-bar" shows where you are within that range.

The far left box indicates the current playback function.

The far right box indicates the current time.

#### **DVR Playback Controller**



Any time you press one of the **Playback Control Buttons** while watching a previously recorded program, the DVR playback controller is displayed.

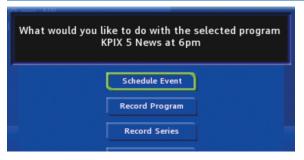
The box to the left indicates the playback function in use.

The bar in the middle gives a visual representation of where you are in the recording. The lighter section indicates how much of the recording has been played.

#### **Schedule Event**

With **Schedule Event**, you can select the channel, date, start and stop time, duration, and frequency of a recording. It is helpful when you want to record or watch a portion of a program on a reoccurring basis.

#### Accessing the Schedule Event Screen



There are two ways to access the screen.

#### Option 1:

When you select a future program in **Guide** and press **OK**, select the **Scheduled Event** option from the pop-up menu.

The **Schedule Event** screen is populated from the channel you were watching and will change when you select a future program in the Guide.

#### Option 2:

Press **MENU** on your remote control, navigate to **DVR**, then scroll down to **Schedule Event**, and press **OK**.

#### Configuring the Schedule Event Screen



The information (the date, program name, channel, time and frequency of recording) is listed on the **Scheduled Event** screen.

If information is incorrect, highlight it and press **OK**. **Arrow Up** and **Down** on your remote to enter the correct information and press **OK**.



Set Type of Event

**Arrow Down** and highlight **Type** and press **OK**. The highlight will become left/right arrows.

Arrow Left or Right until you see the event type you want (Recording, Autotune, Reminder), then press OK.



#### Set Event Frequency

**Arrow Down** on your remote and highlight **Freq** and press **OK**. The highlight will become left/right arrows.

Arrow Left or Right on your remote until you see the frequency you want (Single, Weekly, M-F, Every Day), then press OK.

Arrow Down on your remote and highlight OK on the Schedule Event screen and press OK on your remote. You will be returned to DVR menu and press Exit to return to the Guide.

See 8 DVR - Schedule Event for details on editing the Schedule Event screen.

#### Record By Search

Navigate to the Menubar by pressing the Menu button, highlighting the Search icon, and press OK. (See 14 Search for complete details on Search.)

Once the Search topic is found, navigate to the program you want to record. Then highlight it and press **OK**.

Arrow Down to Record Program for a one-time recording and press OK. Or Arrow Down and highlight Record Series to record all episodes of the show.

See 14 Search for more details.

Note: To view your recordings, go to chapter 8 DVR - Recordings.



#### Introducing DVR

In DVR, you can view current recordings, see a list of future scheduled recordings, edit and cancel recordings, sort and prioritize recordings, lock recordings, and schedule a future event. Schedule Event is the only DVR feature that enables recordings.

#### Go To DVR

Press MENU, highlight DVR and press OK.

#### The DVR Menu Quick Reference

Recordings	<b>Recordings</b> lists programs you have already recorded. Go here to watch, sort, lock or delete these recorded programs. VIEW RECORDINGS
To Record	<b>To Record</b> lists all Recording events you have scheduled, and allows you to sort, or cancel any future recording events. VIEW FUTURE RECORDINGS
Schedule Priority	Schedule Priority allows you to give priority for one series recording over another in the event of a scheduling conflict.
Schedule Event	Schedule Event allows you to create a Recording, Reminder or Autotune event for individual or recurring programs.
Record History	<b>Record History</b> is a log of when recordings start, complete or are canceled.

#### Recordings



Highlight **Recordings** and press **OK**.

A list of your recorded programs appears to the right.



Series Recording Folder

At the bottom of the info area, a percentage full item is shown. This indicates the percentage of total recording space used.



Recordings not yet watched are listed with white text; those you have watched are listed with grey text. If a program is still being recorded a red dot icon will appear to the left of the program's name.

The Whole Home icon means that the recorded program can be viewed from any set top box in the house and will appear to the left of the program's name. (See the end of this DVR section for more details about Whole Home DVR.)

#### **Recordings: Watching a Recorded Program**

#### Step 1: Pick a Recording

Highlight the recording you want to watch and press OK.



Step 2: Play the Recording Highlight Play Recording and press OK.

#### Step 3: Watch the Recording

You will exit to your recording as it begins playing. The Infobar will appear for a few seconds with a green icon to the right to indicate you are playing a recording.

While watching your recording, you can use any of the **Playback Control Buttons** on your remote just as you would if watching a videotape or DVD.

#### **DVR Playback Controller**



Any time you press one of the **Playback Control Buttons** while watching a previously recorded program, the DVR playback controller is displayed.

The box to the left indicates the playback function in use.

The bar in the middle gives a visual representation of where you are in the recording. The lighter section indicates how much of the recording has been played.



#### Step 4: Return To Live TV

When the recording ends, you will be prompted to keep or delete the recording and then returned to live TV.

If you want to return to live TV before your recording has ended, press **STOP** (■). See **Playback Controls** on your remote.

#### **Recordings: Sorting Recordings**

Highlight **Recordings** and press **OK** to bring up your recording list. The first listing will be highlighted. You can sort your recordings alphabetically by title, by the date recorded, by channel that originally aired the program, or by whether you have or have not viewed the recording.



To sort your recordings by any of those categories, press the **Left Arrow Key** to shift the highlight to the left. Highlight the category you want to use to sort and press **OK**.

For example, if you highlight **Date** and press **OK**, your

recordings will be sorted by the date recorded with oldest at the top and newest at the bottom.

You can reverse the sort order for any category by pressing **OK** again on that category. Using the above example, pressing **OK** again on **Date** would put your newest recordings at the top and oldest at the bottom.

#### Recordings: Locking or Unlocking a Recording

Locking a recording prevents the system from deleting a program to make space for new recordings.

# Note: You can still manually delete a locked recording. Locking only prevents the system from automatically deleting it.

#### Step 1: Pick a Recording

Highlight the recording you want to lock and press OK.





#### Step 2a: Lock the Recording Highlight Lock and press OK.

Once a program is locked, a 📩 appears on the recording's listing.

#### Step 2b: Unlock the Recording

If you select a locked program in Step 1, the Lock option will instead be Unlock.

Highlight Unlock and press OK.

When the program is unlocked, the padlock icon is removed.

#### **Recordings: Deleting a Recording**

#### Step 1: Pick a Recording

Highlight the recording you want to delete and press OK.



Step 2: Delete the Recording Highlight Delete Recording and press OK.

Step 3: Confirm Delete Highlight Yes and press OK to confirm, or No if you change your mind.

Step 4: Recording Deleted Once you confirm the deletion, the entry for that recording is removed from the list.

Note: Once a recording has been deleted, there is no way to get it back.

#### Recordings: Stopping a Program Currently Recording

#### Step 1: Pick a Recording

Highlight the recording event you want to stop and press OK.

#### Step 2: Stop the Recording

Highlight Stop Recording and press OK.

#### To Record

You can easily review and cancel programs to be recorded. Highlight **To Record** and press **OK**.



#### To Record: Sort Future Recordings

A list of your scheduled future recordings will appear to the right.

The list of programs to be recorded can be sorted by title, date to be recorded, channel airing the program to be recorded, or recordings to be skipped or not.

For more information on sorting items in this list, see Sort Recordings earlier in this section.

#### To Record: Canceling a Future Scheduled Recording

Step 1: Pick a Future Scheduled Recording

Highlight the recording event you want to cancel and press OK.

Step 2: Cancel the Recording Event Highlight Cancel Recording and press OK.

#### Step 3: Recording Canceled

Once you have canceled the recording event, the entry for that recording event is removed from the list.

#### Schedule Priority

When you create series recordings for different programs that may be scheduled for the same time, Schedule Priority allows you to pre-determine which program you want to be recorded instead of another. To go to Schedule Priority, highlight Schedule Priority and press OK.

#### Schedule Priority: Changing Schedule Priority



Schedule Priority lists all series recordings with the highest priority listed first.

This program will always be recorded in preference to any other series recording.

To adjust the priority for a series, highlight the program you want to change and press **OK**.

You can Move Up or Move Down the

program in priority. Highlight the option you want and press OK. If necessary, repeat this procedure until each series is in the order of priority you want.



#### **Schedule Event**

Highlight Schedule Event and press OK. Setting a Schedule Event is covered in 7 Recordings. Editing instructions are covered here.

#### Schedule Event: Editing a Scheduled Event



You can edit the channel number, date, time, and type of timer and frequency of the event.

Highlight the setting you want to change by Arrowing to the item and press OK. Use the Right and Left Arrow Keys to change the settings and press OK on the remote to end the edit.

When all screens are completed, press **OK** on the screen to enter your information.

#### **Record History**

Record History is a log of all events related to your recordings such as recording started, recording completed or recording canceled. Scroll down the **DVR** listings and highlight **Record History** and press **OK**.

#### **Record History: Reviewing Record History**

FantomWorks 08/11/2013 3:54 pm Rec Stop			
4:38 pm Home 6% Full, Netwo	m Minerva rk 0% Full		
DVR			1 of 25
Recordings	Rec Stop:	FantomWorks	08/11/2013
To Record	Rec Start:	FantomWorks	08/11/2013
Schedule Priority	Rec Stop:	FantomWorks	08/11/2013
Schedule Event	Rec Start:	FantomWorks	08/11/2013
Record History 🕨	Rec Stop:	Pawn Stars	12/17/2012

Press the **Up and Down Arrow Keys** on the remote to scroll through your record history.

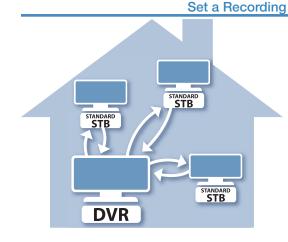
When you Arrow to a Recording that is labeled Record Stop and push OK on your remote, the date and start time of the recording appears above. The same process works for Record Start.

# 8 DVR



### Whole Home DVR

As the name suggests, with Whole Home DVR all set top boxes in the household can record programs and view live or pre-recorded shows from any room in the house. You can also stop a recorded program in one room and continue watching it in another.



You can set a recording from all set top boxes in the household, not just the DVR. Of course, you need one DVR in the household because it actually does the recording functions for all the non-DVR set top boxes. (See 6 Guide - Alerts & Recording and 7

**Recording** for more details about recording.)

Note: You cannot control Pause Live TV from a non-DVR set top box.

### Non-DVR Set Top Box Recordings List

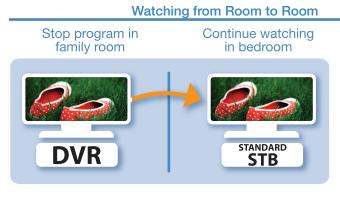


To view the list of Whole Home DVR recordings go to the Menubar, select the DVR icon and press OK on your remote. Recordings appears as the first listing under DVR. Select it and press OK to bring up the list. When viewing the list of Whole Home DVR recordings on a

non-DVR set top box, the Whole Home icon icon will appear next to the program's name. All set top boxes (including the DVR) will have access to the recording.



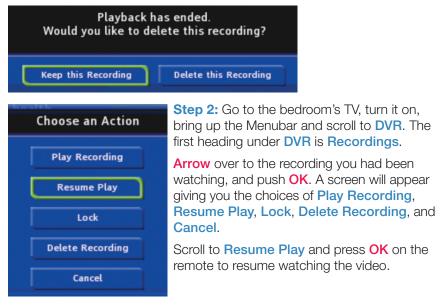
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If you start watching a recorded program in one room (family), and wish to move to another room (bedroom) you can view the recording there.

**Step 1:** Stop the recording playing in the family room by pushing the **stop button** on your remote. (See the **Playback Controls** on your remote).

A screen will appear giving you a choice to either Keep this Recording (highlighted) or Delete this Recording. Click OK on the highlighted Keep this Recording. You will then be returned to the DVR screen and the video will now be available in other rooms.



9 Pay Per View



#### Introducing Pay Per View (PPV)

Pay Per View allows you to watch exclusive content in the comfort and privacy of your home. Forget long lines, big crowds, expensive concessions and seats in the "nose bleed" section.

#### Go To Pay Per View

Using the Arrow Keys on your remote, scroll the menubar to PPV, then press **OK**. The PPV list will appear on the Guide menu.

#### Jack Reacher 5:00 pm - 7:30 pm. PG-13 Action 2012 - A defense attorney hires an enigmatic ex- Army investigator to to tackle the case of a highly trained sniper who apparently murdered .. Tom Cruise, Rosamund Pike 1:30 pm m Minerva All 08/11/2013 4:00 pm 5:00 pm 901 IN1 Snitch Jack Reacher 902 IN2 Pain & Gain I Had a Dream Fast & Furious 6 903 IN3 ◄ I Love My Cat 904 IN4 905 IN5 Live Forever Rules of Engagem.. What would you like to do with the selected program **Jack Reacher Expanded Info** Buy Next PPV

Cancel

### **Buying Pay Per View**

Note: Use these steps to purchase **PPV Events and Pay** Per Block.

#### Step 1: Pick the Program

Highlight the Pay Per View program you want to buy in Guide and press OK.

### Step 2: Buy PPV

Highlight Buy PPV and press OK.



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	To purchase th select the Buy		
<b>PPV Events</b>	Event: Jack Reacher		
Be	Show Time: 2:00 pm		
Price: \$3.99	Channel:	901	
	Enter PIN	****	
		Buy	Cancel

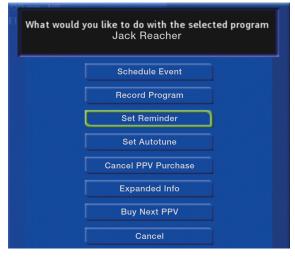
#### Step 3: Confirm Your Purchase

Highlight the box next to Enter PIN and enter your Pay Per View PIN using the Number Pad (0-9). For more information on PINs, see section 11 Settings.

Finally, highlight the **Buy** button and press **OK**.

### Step 4: Watch Your Pay Per View

You can now watch your Pay Per View Event at the scheduled show time on that channel.



If you purchased your Pay Per View program in advance, a list of options will appear. You can schedule an Autotune or Reminder so that you don't miss it.

Your event will also be listed in **My Library**, which is accessed through the menubar.

For more information on setting Reminders and Autotunes, see **Setting a Reminder, Autotune or Recording** earlier in **6 Guide - Alerts & Recordings**.



#### Introducing My Library

My Library stores all purchased programming, a list of your scheduled Reminder and Autotune events, messages about your service, and a log of your Caller ID.

#### The My Library Menu

PPV Event	<b>PPV Events</b> allows you to view previously purchased Pay Per View movies.
Pay Per Block	<b>Pay Per Block</b> allows you to view purchased Pay Per View programming in blocks of time rather than for an entire program.
Reminders	<b>Reminders</b> lists all Reminder and Autotune events you have created. From here, you can cancel a Reminder or Autotune.
Messages	Messages allows you to view any messages about your service. Messages may inform you of promotional offers, upcoming Video on Demand events, service upgrades or billing alerts.
Caller ID	<b>Caller ID</b> offers access to a log of all calls you have received through Caller ID. You can review Caller ID entries and delete individual entries.
	Go To My Library

Press MENU on your remote control, highlight My Library and press OK.

### **Introducing PPV Events**

Pay Per View (PPV) times can range from one showing, to 24 hours, to several days. PPV Events allows you to view a previously purchased program. Highlight **PPV Events** and press **OK**.



#### Go To PPV or Pay Per Block

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Pa	y Per Block	Ch 803	The Maverick	08/30/2013	5:00 pm	ir
Spo	rts Packages	Ch 885	Chad's Event	09/02/2013	2:00 pm	0
F	Reminders	Ch 702	The Winter Ox	09/04/2013	2:00 pm	Ŭ
\$	Messages					

Arrow down to your topic and press OK. All purchased Pay Per View programs are listed to the right. Highlight the event you want to watch and press OK for information and viewing options.

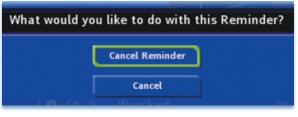
#### **Introducing Reminders**

Reminders lists all Reminder and Autotune events you have created. From here you can cancel a Reminder or Autotune.

#### **Go To Reminders**

Highlight Reminders and press OK. A list of your Reminders () and Autotunes () appears to the right. **Cancel a Reminder or Autotune** Step 1: Pick the Wrecked Program 5:30 pm - 6:00 pm, TVPG L Old Dogs, New Tricks - Car wrapped around pole; semi stuck in mud on railroad tracks; dump truck takes a spill. Highlight the Reminder or Autotune you want to cancel and press 4:58 pm m Minerva OK. My Library Reminders 1 of 4 **PPV** Events 🕓 Ch: 9 Wrecked Ô Pay Per Block 🕔 Ch: 13 Top Chef Masters 🐠 Ch: 15 The Unit Sports Packages Reminders 🗩 🧑 Ch: 1004Golf 휸 Messages





Step 2: Cancel the Autotune or Reminder Highlight Cancel Autotune or Cancel Reminder depending on the type of event you are canceling and press OK.

#### Introducing Messages

Messages may inform you of promotional offers, upcoming Video on Demand events, service upgrades or billing alerts.



Whenever you receive a new message an alert will appear on your screen. Press **INFO** on your remote to display the message, or press **EXIT** to ignore the alert and view the message later.

### Go To Messages

Highlight Messages and press OK.

A list of all available messages appears to the right.



#### Reading a Message

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	My Library	Messages	1 of 4
全	PPV Events	Citizens Appreciate	es you being a loyal 11/21/2013
	Pay Per Block	Citizens Appreciate	es you being a loyal 11/20/2013
	Sports Packages	Citizens is proud to	o announce Premier 11/20/2013
	Reminders	Citizens is proud to	o announce Premier 11/20/2013
₽	Messages 🕨		

Highlight the message listing you want to read. The full message will be displayed in the Info Area in the upper left-hand corner of your screen.

#### **Introducing Caller ID**

Caller ID offers access to the Caller ID call log. You can review log entries and delete individual entries.

#### Note: You must subscribe to Caller ID to access this feature. Additionally, only certain set top boxes support on-screen Caller ID. Please contact customer service for more information.

Whenever you receive a call, an alert will appear in the upper corner of your screen. This alert will be removed after a few seconds.

(555) Date: 4	Phone VA 555-1234 %/28/2013 10:44 μm			
	My Library	Caller ID		1 of 4
순	Day Day Black			
	Pay Per Block	Cell Phone	VA	(555)555-1234
	Sports Packages	Cell Phone Cell Phone		(555)555-1234 (555)555-4321
			VA	
	Sports Packages	Cell Phone	VA VA	(555)555-4321

#### Go To Caller ID

Highlight Caller ID and press OK.

A list of received calls appears to the right.

Highlighting a Caller ID log entry will display the name and number of the caller, and the date and time of the call.

#### **Deleting a Caller ID Entry**

Highlight the Caller ID listing you want to delete and press OK. Highlight Delete and press OK to remove the entry, or Cancel if you want to keep it.



#### **Introducing Settings**

**Settings** gives you control over your video service. You can choose to share purchased programs, change how alerts appear on your screen, create parental controls and block programs by channel or ratings. You can also create accounts for members of your family.

#### Go To Settings

Press **MENU** and highlight **Settings**. Then enter your password, highlight **OK** and press **OK**. There are two main sections of **Settings**: **Preferences** and **Users**. Both are used for setting up parental controls.

Settings	Main Preferences
Preferences Users	
Share Rentals Require Login Enable Caller ID Channel Blocking Parental Control	Autotune Alert 0 seconds Caller ID Timeout 5 seconds Theme English - swidts 4
Hardware Settings	Submit Cancel

#### **Activating Parental Control**

Arrow to Parental Control under Main Preferences and press OK to check the box. Arrow to Submit and press OK. You will be returned to live TV. Navigate back to Settings and enter your account password.

### **Selecting Parental Control Settings**

Settings			Parental Control
Preferences	Users		
Movie Rating	R	Block Unrated	
TV Rating	TVMA		
Unlock Timeout	30 minutes		
🔲 S - Sexual Sit	uations	🔲 L - Language	
🔲 D - Suggestiv	e Dialogue	📕 F - Fantasy Violence	
V - Violence			
		Submit	t Cancel

Arrow Down to Users and press OK. Arrow Right and highlight Parental Control and press OK.

A new screen appears listing the **Parental Control** topics.

Arrow Up and Down to check the controls you want to set for your household.

Both Movie and TV Ratings should be set. Setting one will not block the



other's content. For more information about **Movie** and **TV Ratings**, see the ratings definitions in the appendix of this guide.

Movie and TV ratings determine the highest rating for programs that will be blocked.

Unlock Timeout (Only Available on Master Account)

Unlock Timeout determines how long parental controls will remain disabled.

Unlock Timeout 30 minutes

To set Unlock Timeout, highlight the option box next to Unlock

Timeout and press OK. Use the Right/Left Arrow Keys to select the amount of time wanted, then press OK.

### Block Unrated

Block Unrated (Only Available on Master Account)

Block Unrated allows or blocks any program that does not have a rating.

To turn Block Unrated on or off, highlight the check box and press OK.



### **Content Rating**

To block a particular type of content, highlight the check box to the left of that item and press **OK**.

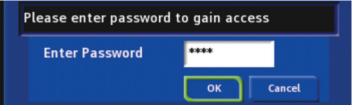
### **Turning Parental Controls On and Off**

Once you have finished your selections, **Arrow Down** to **Submit** and press **OK**. Parental Controls will now be turned on. To turn off Parental Controls, go to **Guide** and select the **Restricted** program replacing the program's title, highlight, and press **OK** on your remote.



A dialog box pops up that says Unlock Parental Controls and Cancel.

If you choose unlock, then you're prompted for your password and parental controls are unlocked for the duration specified by the **Unlock Timeout** feature.





You set the amount of time you want for the **Unlock Timeout** to be in effect under the **Parental Controls** settings as explained earlier in this section. To turn Parental Controls off indefinitely, uncheck the check box marked **Parental Controls** in **Settings Preferences**.

#### Working With Additional Preferences

#### Share Rentals

Available in the future.

#### **Require Login**

Require Login determines if a user name and password must be entered before being able to use your TV service.



Share Rentals

To turn Require Login on or off, highlight the check box and press **OK**. This ensures that the additional users or sub accounts must log in to watch programs.

#### Enable Caller ID

Enable Caller ID turns on or off screen alerts for incoming Caller ID.



To turn Enable Caller ID on or off, highlight the check box and press **OK**.

#### Caller ID Timeout

Caller ID Timeout determines how long Caller ID notifications remain on the screen.

### Caller ID Timeout 5 seconds

To set Caller ID Timeout, highlight the option box to the right of Caller ID Timeout and press OK. Then press the Right or Left Arrow Key to rotate to the

amount of time you want the alert displayed, then press OK.

#### **Channel Blocking**

Channel Blocking enables or disables the list of channels you have blocked. Blocked channels do not appear in Guide.

Channel Blocking



To turn Channel Blocking on or off, highlight the check box and press OK.

To edit the list of channels that are blocked, highlight the Edit button and press OK.

**Channel Blocking Edit** displays a list of all channels available. You can then block or unblock any channel. Blocked channels WILL NOT APPEAR in channel lineup. This can be a Parental Control feature or a stand-alone.

**Channel Blocking** 

Edit

To block channels, highlight the **Channel Blocking Edit** button and



#### press OK.

If no changes have been made on the **Preferences** screen, you will go directly to the list of all available channels. If any changes *have* been made to the main **Preferences** screen and you have not already updated them, a **Save Changes** box will appear. Highlight **YES** and press **OK** if you wish to save these changes. The **Settings Successfully Updated** notice will then appear. Highlight **OK**, and press the **OK** button.

_			Channel Block
ł	Preferences	Users	
1	CW-HLS	MN-HLS-HAR-CW	
2	BBCW-H	MN-HLS-HAR-BBCW	
3	NFL-HL	MN-HLS-HAR-NFL	
4	CBS-HL	MN-HLS-ENV-CBS	
5	AE-HLS	MN-HLS-HAR-AE	
6	NBC-HL	MN-HLS-ENV-NBC	
7	TRAV-H	MN-HLS-HAR-TRV	
8	ID-HLS	MN-HLS-ELE-ID	

The **Channel Blocking** list will appear.

To block/unblock a channel, highlight the channel entry and press **OK**.

To go to the next screen of channels, press the **Up or Down Arrow Key**. When complete, **Arrow** to update and press **OK**.

#### Autotune Alert

Autotune Alert determines how early an Autotune will be shown once you set an Autotune.

Autotune Alert

0 seconds

To set Autotune Alert, highlight the option box to the right of Autotune Alert and press OK. Then press the

**Right or Left Arrow Key** to display **0 seconds, 30 seconds, 2 minutes** or **5 minutes**, then press **OK**.

0 seconds will display your Autotune at the exact time the program begins. Any of the other settings will trigger the Autotune that many seconds or minutes before the program begins.

Hardware Settings



For service provider only.



#### Working With Settings/Users



User accounts allows you to have separate parental controls, purchase limits and themes for different family members.

#### **Users/Settings**

allows you to add a user account, edit an existing user account, change parental controls for a user account, or delete a user account.

Note: The master account is the first account listed and is shown in yellow rather than white. You cannot delete the master account and cannot change the login name for the master account.

Add Edit	Parental	Control	Delete	Cancel
Settings			Cr	eate New User
Preferences	Users			
New Login		Allowance	\$	
New Password		Enter PIN		_
Confirm Password		Enable C	aller ID	
New User PIN		Email		
Confirm User PIN		Internet		
Theme English -	Swirl5.4			
			Continue	Cancel

Adding a User Account

To create a new user account, highlight the Add button and press OK.

Highlight New Login to enter the name for the new account and press OK. An onscreen keyboard appears.



Settings									Greate	e New	User
Preferences	Users										
New Login	CHAD			owa				\$			
New Password			En	ter F	'IN						
Confirm Password			~	Ena	ıble (	Caller	۰ID				
New User PIN				Inc	emet	_		_		_	
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Use the Arrow Keys to highlight a letter or number and press OK to add it to the login name.

Once you have entered the desired name, highlight **Done** and press **OK** to return to the Create New User screen.

Highlight New Password to enter the password for the new account. Use the Number Pad on your remote to enter the password.

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New Login New Password Confirm Password New User PIN Confirm User PIN	CHAD	Allowance Enter PIN I Enable Caller ID Email I Internet	\$100
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#### **Confirm Password**

Highlight **Confirm Password** to re-enter the password for the new

account. Use the Number Pad on your remote to re-enter the password.

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#### Theme



For service provider use only.

### Allowance



Highlight Allowance \$ to enter a limit to the amount of programs

that can be purchased per month for the new account. Use the **Number Pad** on your remote to enter a whole dollar amount (e.g. 200 to limit the account to \$200.00).



# Enable Caller ID

Enter PIN

Highlight the Enable Caller ID check box and press OK to enable or disable Caller ID alerts to appear on the screen for this user account.

# Highlight Enter PIN to enter the master account's PIN as a further

way of verifying the master account holder is creating this account. Use the **Number Pad** on your remote to enter the PIN.

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Now highlight **Continue** and press **OK** to go to the next Add User Account screen.



The second Add User Account screen allows you to create parental controls specific to this user.

These parental control settings are identical to the settings shown earlier with the exception that there is no Unlock Timeout or Block Unrated setting.

Once you have entered the settings for the new account, highlight **Submit** and press **OK**.

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#### Editing a User Account

To edit a user account, highlight the user account and press OK, then highlight the Edit button and press OK.

Note: The master account is the first account listed and is shown in yellow rather than white.



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### Using the **Number**

Pad on your remote, enter the current password for this account.

New Login

CHAD

Highlight New Login and press OK on your remote if you wish to change

your login name. An on-screen keypad will appear to complete the entry.

New Password

Now highlight New Password to change the password. Use the

Number Pad on your remote to enter a numeric password.

**Confirm Password** 

Highlight Confirm Password to re-enter the password. Use the Number Pad

on your remote to exactly re-enter the password.



Highlight New User PIN and enter a new PIN for this account.

Highlight Confirm User PIN to re-enter the new PIN.

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Highlight Allowance and enter the user's desired allowance for

purchase programming.

Enter PIN

Highlight Enter PIN and enter the account's existing PIN.

Enable Caller ID Highlight Enable Caller ID and press OK if the user wishes to view incoming calls. Email and Internet are not currently offered.

Once you have made all changes to this account, highlight Submit and press OK.



### Sign Out / Sign In

This function is typically only used if there are more than one user account, usually when a parent adds a child as a new user. The parent's account (master account) controls the child's account (sub account).



### Go To Sign Out / Sign In

Press the **MENU** button on the remote. Scroll the menubar to the **Sign Out** icon and click **OK**.

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You will then be signed out of your account, and the Sign In screen will appear. Highlight the Name entry box and press OK.

Use the **Up/Down** Arrows Keys to select the name for the desired account. Then highlight the

Password entry box and enter the password used for the desired account, highlight Sign In and press OK.

When a new user signs in, parental controls and other set restrictions for that account will be imposed.



# **13 Favorites**

#### **Introducing Favorites**

Save time and enjoy the channels you watch the most. Each Favorites list contains just the TV channels you wish to view. You can create multiple Favorites lists and quickly change the Guide to show them.

#### Go To Favorites

Press MENU and highlight Favorites, then press OK.

A screen will appear with options to choose, edit, create or delete a list, or cancel.

#### Choosing a Favorites List

There are two ways to choose a Favorites list:

#### **Option 1: Favorites From the Menubar**

Follow the steps above in "Go To Favorites," then highlight **Choose** and press **OK**. Then highlight the Favorites list you want and press **OK**.

### **Option 2: Favorites From Guide**



While in Guide, you can cycle through your Favorites lists by pressing GUIDE repeatedly. Each press will activate the next Favorites list. Cycling to All will display all available programming.

The name of the active Favorites list is shown below the picture-inpicture area. This causes **Guide** to only display the channels included on that Favorites list.

Pressing **GUIDE** once you have cycled through all Favorites lists will exit **Guide**.



#### Creating or Editing a Favorites List

#### Step 1: Create or Edit

Follow the steps in "Go To Favorites," highlight **Create** or **Edit**, and press **OK** to bring up the **Favorites** create/edit screen. This screen displays every channel offered.

#### Step 2: Name Your Favorites List

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3	NFL-HL	MN-HLS-HAR-NFL									
4	CBS-HL	MN-HLS-ENV-CBS									
5	AE-HLS	MN-HLS-HAR-AE									
6	NBC-HL	MN-HLS-ENV-NBC	A B	С	D	E	F	G	н	-	
7	TRAV-H	MN-HLS-HAR-TRV	K L	м	N	0	P	Q	R	s	T
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The **Name:** box is already highlighted. Press **OK** to use the on-screen keyboard to change the name for your Favorites list.

First, highlight Clear All and press OK to clear the default name.

Highlight each letter in the new name and press **OK**. Once you have entered the name, highlight **Done** and press **OK**.

#### Step 3: Choose Your Favorite Channels

Arrow Up and Down and select the channels to add or remove from your Favorites list and press OK. A channel included in the Favorites list shows a heart icon  $\heartsuit$  to the right of the channel info.

To save your Favorites list, Arrow Right and highlight Update and press OK.

To cancel your Favorite list without saving it, highlight the **Cancel** button at the bottom right of your screen and press **OK**.

### **Delete a Favorites List**

#### Step 1: Select Delete

Follow the steps in "Go To Favorites," then highlight **Delete** and press **OK**.

#### Step 2: Select the Favorites List to Delete

Highlight the Favorites list you want to delete and press **OK**. A box will appear asking you to confirm that you want to delete the selected Favorites list. Highlight **Yes** to delete or **No** to cancel, and press **OK**.



# 14 Search

#### Introducing Search

Search allows you to enter the name or partial name of a program or video and find any program matching the text you entered.

### Go To Search

#### Press MENU and highlight Search, then press OK.

#### Search for a Program

#### Step 1: Enter the Program Title



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When the Search screen appears, the highlight will be on the Search text box

Press **OK** and a keyboard will appear to the right of the screen.

Usually the first three or four letters in the name will be enough to find your program.

Use the Up/Down/ Left/Right arrows to highlight the letters on the on-screen keyboard to enter your search keyword.

If you enter a wrong letter, highlight **Del** and press **OK** to go back one space.

If you need to start over, highlight Clear All and press OK. When complete, highlight Done and press OK.

# 14 Search



#### Step 2: Search

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Highlight **Search** and press **OK** to perform a system-wide search of all programs that match your search criteria.

The search results appear in order on the right side of the screen.

#### Step 3: Pick a Result



You can highlight any TV program or rental listing and press **OK** and a menu will appear, enabling you to...

(1) Schedule an Event (recording - see **8 DVR**).

(2) Watch or record a program if it's on now.

(3) Set a Reminder or Autotune for a program if it comes on later (see **6 Guide - Alerts & Recording** and **7 Recording**).

(4) View Expanded Info.

(5) **Cancel** from this menu.

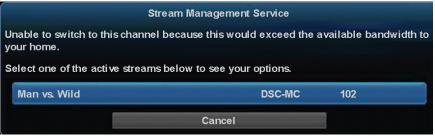
Note: You cannot set a Reminder, Autotune or Recording for Video on Demand rentals. The only options that come up when you search for a VoD is Rent, Expand Info, and Cancel.

### Stream Management

Stream Management lets you decide which channels to watch when you've exceeded your subscribed bandwidth to the home.

When a requested stream exceeds the available bandwidth, the requesting STB displays messages that:

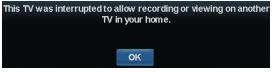
- explain that the stream request exceeds available bandwidth.
- offer alternative viewing options for the subscriber.



Once you select an active stream to manage, the following options are presented:

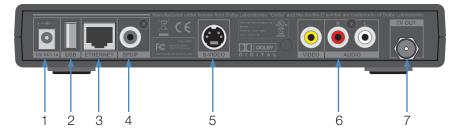
- Join this Channel: the STB auto-tunes to the selected active channel.
- Watch a Program from your DVR: the STB displays the available DVR listings you can watch.
- Interrupt this Channel: the STB tunes to the channel you wanted and interrupts the other STB from its current channel viewing.
- Cancel: the message window closes and no video will stream on the channel. You must go to Guide or Menu or press OK to display the Stream Management options again.





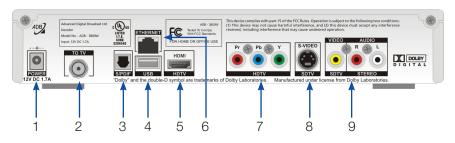
If the Interrupt this Channel option is selected, this is the message other TVs that have been interrupted in the household will see.

### ADB 2500



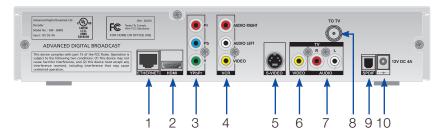
- 1. Power 12V DC 1.1A Provides power to the set top box.
- 2. **USB** (Universal Serial Bus) Connects the set top box to technician's equipment and other devices.
- 3. Ethernet Connects the set top box to the video service using a CAT5 Ethernet cable.
- 4. **SPDIF** Connects the set top box to a home theater system to provide surround sound audio provides audio only.
- 5. **S-Video** Connects the set top box to your TV to provide high-quality video provides video only.
- Video/Stereo Audio R/L (Video/Audio Left/Audio Right) Connects the set top box to your TV or VCR to provide good quality video and stereo audio.
- 7. **TV Out** Connects the set top box to your TV using a standard coax cable provides audio and video.

### ADB 3800



- 1. Power 12V DC 1.7A Provides power to the set top box.
- 2. To TV Connects the set top box to your TV using a standard coax cable provides audio and video.
- 3. **S/PDIF** Connects the set top box to a home theater system to provide surround sound audio provides audio only.
- 4. **USB** (Universal Serial Bus) Connects the set top box to technician's equipment and other devices.
- 5. **HDTV HDMI** (High Definition Media Interface) Connects the set top box to your HDTV using an HDMI cable - provides audio and video.
- 6. Ethernet Connects the set top box to the video service using a CAT5 Ethernet cable.
- HDTV Pr/Pb/Y (Component Video) Connects the set top box to your TV to provide very high-quality video - provides video only.
- 8. **SDTV S-Video** Connects the set top box to your TV to provide highquality video - provides video only.
- SDTV Video/Stereo Audio R/L (Video/Audio Left/Audio Right) Connects the set top box to your TV or VCR to provide good quality video and stereo audio.

### ADB 5810



- 1. Ethernet Connects the set top box to the video service using a CAT5 Ethernet cable.
- 2. **HDMI** (High Definition Media Interface) Connects the set top box to your HDTV using an HDMI cable provides audio and video.
- Pr/Pb/Y (Component Video) Connects the set top box to your TV to provide very high-quality video - provides video only.
- 4. VCR Audio Right/Audio Left/Video Connects the set top box to your VCR to provide good quality stereo audio and video.
- 5. **S-Video** Connects the set top box to your TV to provide high-quality video provides video only.
- 6. **TV Video** Connects the set top box to your TV to provide good quality video.
- TV Audio R/L (Audio Left/Right) Connects the set top box to your TV to provide good quality stereo audio.
- 8. **To TV** Connects the set top box to your TV using a standard coax cable provides audio and video.
- 9. **S/PDIF** Connects the set top box to a home theater system to provide surround sound audio provides audio only.
- 10. 12V DC 4A Provides power to the set top box.



You can also use the front panel buttons of the ADB 5810 set top box to replace the basic remote control functions. Use **MENU** to display the Main Menu, **EPG** to display Guide, **RES** to change screen resolutions, and the **arrow** and

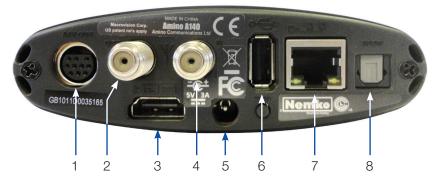
**OK** buttons as you would those on the remote control.

#### Amino 110



- 1. **5V DC** Provides power to the set top box.
- 2. Network Connects the set top box to the video service using a CAT5 Ethernet cable.
- 3. **USB** (Universal Serial Bus) Connects the set top box to technician's equipment and other devices.
- SPDIF Digital Out Connects the set top box to a home theater system to provide surround sound audio - provides audio only.
- Audio Visual Out (Composite Video and Stereo Audio) Connects the set top box to your TV or VCR to provide good quality video and stereo audio - custom Amino cable has 10-pin connector at set top box end and yellow, red and white RCA connectors at TV/VCR end.
- 6. Out Connects the set top box to the TV using a standard coax cable provides video and audio.
- 7. In Connects the set top box to the video service using a standard coax cable provides audio and video.

### Amino A140



- Audio Visual Out (Composite Video and Stereo Audio) Connects the set top box to your TV or VCR to provide good quality video and stereo audio - custom Amino cable has 10-pin connector at set top box end and yellow, red and white RCA connectors at TV/VCR end.
- 2. Out Connects the set top box to the TV using a standard coax cable provides video and audio.
- 3. **HDMI** (High Definition Media Interface) Connects the set top box to an HDTV to provide best quality HDTV provides video and audio.
- 4. In Connects the set top box to the video service using a standard coax cable provides audio and video.
- 5. **5V DC** Provides power to the set top box.
- 6. **USB** (Universal Serial Bus) Connects the set top box to technician's equipment and other devices.
- 7. **Network** Connects the set top box to the video service using a CAT5 Ethernet cable.
- 8. **Phone** Connects the set top box to telephone service to provide onscreen Caller ID.

### Amino 540



- 1. Out Connects the set top box to the TV using a standard coax cable provides video and audio.
- Audio Visual Out (Composite Video and Stereo Audio) Connects the set top box to your TV or VCR to provide good quality video and stereo audio - custom Amino cable has 10-pin connector at set top box end and yellow, red and white RCA connectors at TV/VCR end.
- 3. **Optical Audio** (S/PDIF) Connects the set top box to a home theater system to provide surround sound audio provides audio only.
- 4. **HDMI** (High Definition Media Interface) Connects the set top box to an HDTV to provide best quality HDTV provides video and audio.
- 5. **USB** (Universal Serial Bus) Connects the set top box to technician's equipment and other devices.
- 6. **Network** Connects the set top box to the video service using a CAT5 Ethernet cable.
- 7. Power Provides power to the set top box.

# **Movie Ratings**

### MPAA (Motion Picture Association of America) Ratings System

# G GENERAL AUDIENCES

#### G – General Audience

This is a film which contains nothing which would, in the view of the MPAA Rating Board, be

offensive to parents whose younger children view the film.

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#### PG – Parental Guidance Suggested

The theme of a PG-rated film may itself call for parental guidance. There may be some profanity

in these films. There may be some violence or brief nudity. But these elements are not deemed so intense as to require that parents be strongly cautioned beyond the suggestion of parental guidance. There is no drug use content in a PG-rated film.



### PG-13 – Parents Strongly Cautioned

A PG-13 film is one which, in the view of the MPAA Rating Board, leaps beyond the

boundaries of the PG rating in theme, violence, nudity, sensuality, language, or other contents, but does not quite fit within the restricted R category. Any drug use content will initially require at least a PG-13 rating.



#### **R – Restricted**

An R-rated film may include hard language, or tough violence, or nudity within sensual scenes,

or drug abuse or other elements, or a combination of some of the above, so that parents are counseled to take this advisory rating very seriously.



#### NC-17 – No Children 17 or Under

NC-17 does not necessarily mean "obscene or pornographic" in the often accepted or legal

meaning of those words. The MPAA Review Board does not and cannot mark films with those words. These are legal terms and for courts to decide. The reasons for the application of an NC-17 rating can be violence or sex or aberrational behavior or drug abuse or any other elements which, when present, most parents would consider too strong and therefore offlimits for viewing by their children.

# **TV Ratings**

### TV Parental Guidelines Ratings System

The TV Parental Guidelines ratings provide program ratings and content ratings. This provides a clearer idea of the reason for a program's rating.

### **Program Ratings**

#### TV-Y – All Children

This program is designed to be appropriate for all children.



#### TV-Y7 – Directed to Older Children

This program is designed for children age 7 and above. It may include mild fantasy violence or comedic violence.

TV-G – General Audience

Most parents would find this program suitable for all ages.



#### TV-PG – Parental Guidance Suggested

This program contains material that parents may find unsuitable for younger children.

### TV-14 – Parents Strongly Cautioned

This program contains some material that many parents would find unsuitable for children under 14 years of age.

### TV-MA – TV Mature Audience Only

This program is specifically designed to be viewed by adults and therefore may be unsuitable for children under 17.

### **Content Ratings**

Content Ratings are shown just below the program rating.

### FV: Fantasy Violence (only applied to TV-Y7)

For those programs where fantasy violence may be more intense or more combative than other programs in this category.

The meaning of a content rating increases as the program rating increases.

- V: Violence TV-PG: Moderate; TV-14: Intense; TV-MA: Graphic
- TV-PG: Some; TV-14: Intense; TV-MA: Explicit S: Sexuality
- TV-PG: Infrequent; TV-14: Strong; TV-MA: Crude L: Language
- **D:** Dialogue TV-PG: Some: TV-14: Intense: TV-MA: Not used

For more information on TV Parental Guidelines Monitoring Board and its rating system, please visit www.tvguidelines.org.

# Notes





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