

## RCA RCR160SBM1

# RCA RCR160SBM1 Directv TV Remote Control Instruction Manual

Model: RCR160SBM1

Brand: RCA

## INTRODUCTION

This manual provides comprehensive instructions for the setup, operation, and maintenance of your RCA RCR160SBM1 Directv TV Remote Control. This remote is designed to work with specific models, including DSM635RH and DRD435RH, as well as CMT1496, CMT2097, CMT2195, CMT2196, CMT2198, DSM535RH, and DSM586RH. Please read this manual thoroughly to ensure proper use and to maximize the functionality of your remote control.

## SETUP

### 1. Battery Installation

1. Locate the battery compartment on the back of the remote control.
2. Slide the battery compartment cover downwards or in the direction indicated by an arrow to open it.
3. Insert two AAA batteries (not included), ensuring the positive (+) and negative (-) terminals align with the markings inside the compartment.
4. Replace the battery compartment cover by sliding it back into place until it clicks securely.

### 2. Initial Setup / Programming (if required)

This remote is designed to work with specific DIRECTV models. In most cases, it should function immediately with compatible DIRECTV receivers. If the remote does not respond, or if you wish to control other devices (like a TV or DVD player), programming may be required. Refer to your DIRECTV receiver's user manual for specific remote programming instructions, or visit the official RCA support website for universal remote programming codes and methods.

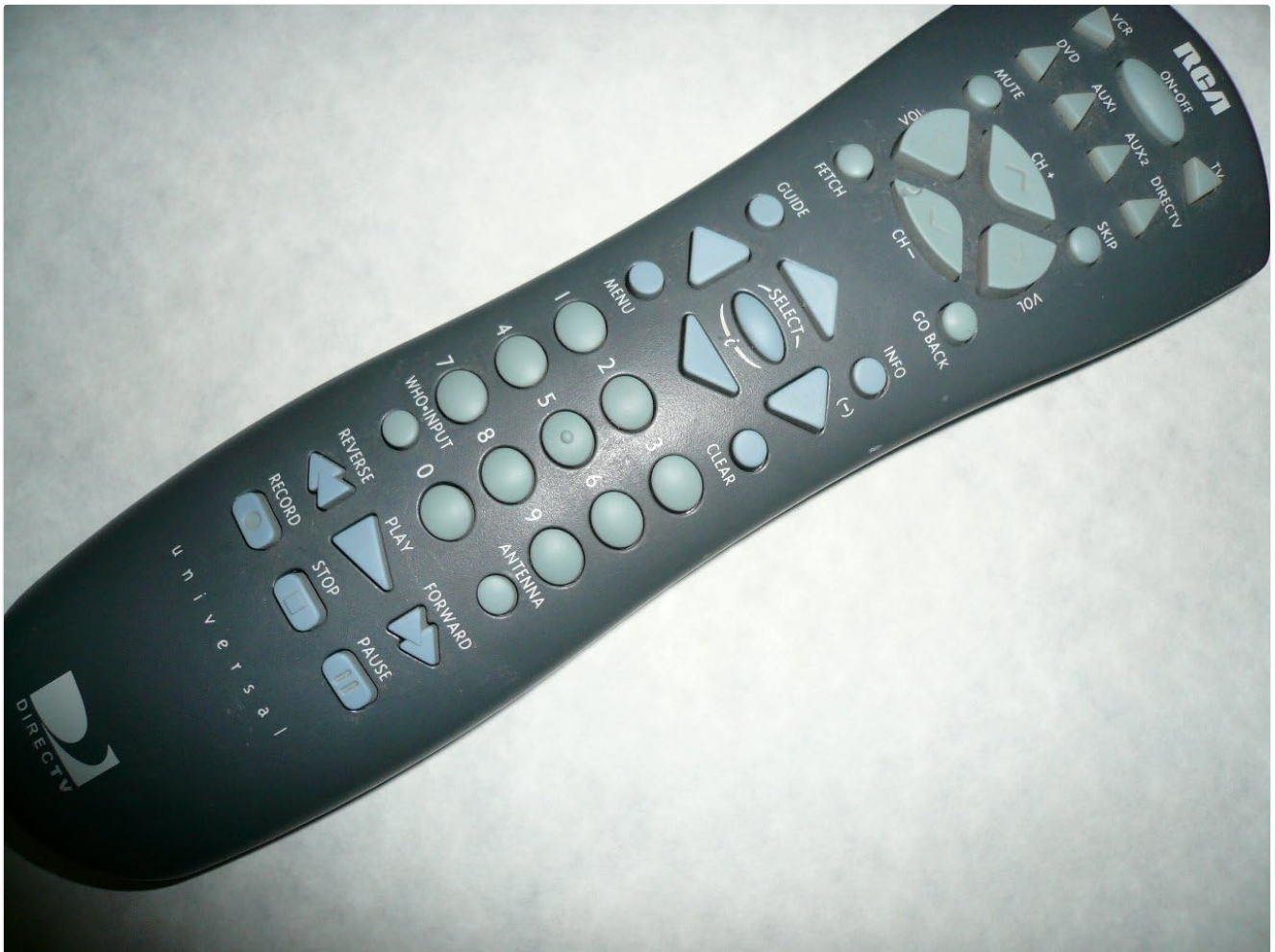
- **For DIRECTV Receivers:** Ensure your receiver is powered on. Point the remote at the receiver and press any

button. If it responds, no further programming is needed for the receiver.

- **For Other Devices (TV, DVD, VCR):** Programming typically involves entering a specific code for your device's brand. Consult the RCA support website or the original remote's manual for code lists and programming steps.

## OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

This section details the functions of the buttons on your RCA RCR160SBM1 remote control.



*Image: Top-down view of the RCA RCR160SBM1 Directv TV Remote Control. The remote is dark gray with light gray buttons. The top right features the RCA logo and device selection buttons. The center has navigation and channel/volume controls. The lower section includes number pad, playback controls, and Directv branding.*

## Button Functions

- **Device Selection Buttons (Top Right):**
  - **VCR:** Selects VCR mode.
  - **DVD:** Selects DVD player mode.
  - **AUX1 / AUX2:** Selects auxiliary device modes.
  - **DIRECTV:** Selects DIRECTV receiver mode.
  - **TV:** Selects Television mode.
- **Power & Mute:**

- **ON-OFF:** Powers the selected device on or off.
- **MUTE:** Mutes or unmutes the audio.
- **Navigation & Channel/Volume:**
  - **VOL +/-:** Adjusts the volume up or down.
  - **CH +/-:** Changes the channel up or down.
  - **Arrow Buttons (Up, Down, Left, Right):** Navigates menus and guides.
  - **SELECT:** Confirms a selection in menus.
- **Menu & Information:**
  - **MENU:** Opens the main menu of the selected device.
  - **GUIDE:** Displays the program guide.
  - **INFO:** Displays information about the current program or selected item.
  - **GO BACK:** Returns to the previous screen or menu.
  - **FETCH:** (Specific function, may vary by device) Often used to recall previous channel or information.
  - **SKIP:** Skips forward in content or through channels.
- **Number Pad (0-9):**
  - Used to directly enter channel numbers or other numerical inputs.
- **Playback Controls:**
  - **RECORD:** Initiates recording of the current program.
  - **STOP:** Stops playback or recording.
  - **PLAY:** Starts playback of content.
  - **PAUSE:** Pauses playback.
  - **REVERSE:** Rewinds content.
  - **FORWARD:** Fast forwards content.
- **Other Buttons:**
  - **WHO-INPUT:** (Specific function, may vary by device) Often used to switch video inputs or display input information.
  - **ANTENNA:** (Specific function, may vary by device) May switch between antenna and cable/satellite inputs.
  - **CLEAR:** Clears entered numbers or dismisses on-screen messages.

## MAINTENANCE

### Cleaning the Remote

To maintain the appearance and functionality of your remote control, clean it regularly:

- Use a soft, dry cloth to wipe the surface of the remote.
- For stubborn dirt, slightly dampen the cloth with water or a mild, non-abrasive cleaner. Do not spray cleaner directly onto the remote.
- Avoid using harsh chemicals, solvents, or abrasive cleaning pads, as these can damage the remote's finish or

internal components.

## Battery Replacement

Replace batteries when the remote's performance degrades or it stops responding. Refer to the "Battery Installation" section under Setup for detailed steps. Always use new batteries of the specified type (AAA) and dispose of old batteries responsibly according to local regulations.

## TROUBLESHOOTING

If you encounter issues with your remote control, try the following solutions:

Problem	Possible Cause / Solution
Remote is not responding.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Batteries:</b> Check if batteries are inserted correctly with correct polarity. Replace old or dead batteries with new ones.</li><li>• <b>Line of Sight:</b> Ensure there are no obstructions between the remote and the device. Point the remote directly at the device's IR sensor.</li><li>• <b>Device Selection:</b> Make sure the correct device button (e.g., DIRECTV, TV, DVD) is selected for the device you are trying to control.</li></ul>
Remote has limited range or intermittent response.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Low Batteries:</b> Replace batteries.</li><li>• <b>Interference:</b> Strong light sources (like direct sunlight or fluorescent lights) can interfere with the IR signal. Try using the remote in a different lighting condition.</li></ul>
Certain buttons do not work.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Device Mode:</b> Ensure you are in the correct device mode for the button's function (e.g., TV volume buttons may only work in TV mode).</li><li>• <b>Programming:</b> If the remote was programmed for multiple devices, ensure the programming is correct for all functions. Re-program if necessary.</li><li>• <b>Stuck Button:</b> Check if the button is physically stuck or damaged.</li></ul>
Remote does not control my specific DIRECTV receiver/TV.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Compatibility:</b> Verify that your device model is listed as compatible with the RCA RCR160SBM1 remote.</li><li>• <b>Programming:</b> The remote may need to be programmed or paired with your specific DIRECTV receiver or TV. Consult your device's manual or RCA's support resources for programming codes and instructions.</li></ul>

## SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Model Number	RCR160SBM1

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Brand	RCA
Compatible Devices	Television, VCR, DVD, DIRECTV receivers (e.g., DSM635RH, DRD435RH, CMT1496, CMT2097, CMT2195, CMT2196, CMT2198, DSM535RH, DSM586RH)
Connectivity Technology	Infrared (IR)
Controller Type	Button Control
Special Feature	Ergonomic design
Power Source	Batteries (typically AAA, not included)
Item Weight	4 ounces
Package Dimensions	10 x 2 x 1 inches
Manufacturer	RCA Parts
Date First Available	November 4, 2014

## WARRANTY INFORMATION

RCA products typically come with a limited warranty covering defects in materials and workmanship. The duration and terms of the warranty may vary. Please retain your proof of purchase for warranty claims. For detailed warranty information specific to your RCA RCR160SBM1 remote control, please refer to the documentation included with your purchase or visit the official RCA support website.

## CUSTOMER SUPPORT

For further assistance, technical support, or to inquire about replacement parts, please contact RCA customer support:

- **Online Support:** Visit the official RCA website for FAQs, troubleshooting guides, and contact information. [www.rca.com/support](#) (Note: This is a placeholder URL, please refer to actual RCA support site)
- **Phone Support:** Check the RCA website or product packaging for customer service phone numbers.

When contacting support, please have your product model number (RCR160SBM1) and purchase details ready.

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