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Brightstar Replacement Remote Control User Manual

For Onkyo AV Receiver Models: RC-645S, RC-681M, RC-682M, RC-608M, RC-646S, RC-651M

INTRODUCTION

This manual provides instructions for the Brightstar replacement remote control, designed to operate various Onkyo AV receiver models. This remote offers direct functionality without the need for complex programming, allowing for immediate use upon battery installation.

SETUP AND BATTERY INSTALLATION

The Brightstar replacement remote control is designed for ease of use. No programming is required. Simply install batteries to begin operation.

- Open the Battery Compartment:** Locate the battery compartment cover on the back of the remote control. Slide or lift the cover to open it.
- Insert Batteries:** Insert two (2) AAA batteries (not included) into the compartment, ensuring the positive (+) and negative (-) terminals align correctly with the indicators inside the compartment.
- Close the Compartment:** Replace the battery compartment cover, ensuring it clicks securely into place.
- Test Functionality:** Point the remote control towards your Onkyo AV receiver and press the **STANDBY/ON (I/O)** button to verify operation.





Figure 1: Overview of the Brightstar Replacement Remote Control. The remote features a standard layout with power, input selectors, volume controls, navigation, and playback buttons. The top section includes power and remote mode buttons. The middle section contains TV controls, navigation, and menu access. The bottom section provides listening

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

This section details the functions of the buttons on your Brightstar replacement remote control.

Power and Mode Selection

- **STANDBY/ON (I/O)**: Powers the receiver on or off.
- **ZONE2**: Activates or deactivates Zone 2 audio output.
- **REMOTE MODE (RECEIVER, DVD, MD/CDR, CD, DOCK, TV, VCR, CABLE, SAT)**: Selects the device to be controlled by the remote. Press the corresponding button for your desired component.

Input Selection

- **INPUT SELECTOR (1-9, +10, 0, CLR)**: Directly selects input sources such as VCR/DVR, CB/SAT, GAME/TV, AUX, MULTI CH, DVD, TAPE, TUNER, CD. Use the numeric buttons for direct input selection.
- **DTUN/-.-**: Digital tuner control.

Audio and Display Controls

- **VOL (+/-)**: Adjusts the master volume level.
- **MUTING**: Mutes or unmutes the audio output.
- **DIMMER**: Adjusts the display brightness of the receiver.
- **SLEEP**: Sets the sleep timer for automatic power off.
- **LISTENING MODE (STEREO, SURROUND)**: Selects between stereo and various surround sound modes.
- **AUDIO**: Cycles through available audio tracks or settings.
- **TEST TONE**: Initiates a test tone for speaker setup.
- **CH SEL**: Selects channels.
- **LEVEL- / LEVEL+**: Adjusts individual channel levels.
- **DISPLAY**: Changes the information shown on the receiver's display.
- **LNIGHT**: Activates or deactivates late night listening mode.
- **CINE FLTR**: Activates or deactivates Cinema Filter.

Navigation and Menu Controls

- **GUIDE/TOP MENU**: Accesses the on-screen guide or top menu.
- **PREVIOUS MENU**: Returns to the previous menu screen.
- **SETUP**: Accesses the system setup menu.
- **RETURN**: Exits a menu or returns to the previous screen.
- **Directional Arrows (Up, Down, Left, Right)**: Navigates through menus and options.
- **ENTER**: Confirms a selection in menus.

Playback Controls

- **PLAY MODE (VCR, DVD, HDD)**: Selects the playback device.
- **PLAY (▶)**: Starts playback.
- **PAUSE (⏸)**: Pauses playback.
- **STOP (■)**: Stops playback.
- **REWIND (⏮)**: Rewinds playback.
- **FAST FORWARD (⏭)**: Fast forwards playback.
- **SKIP BACK (⏮)**: Skips to the beginning of the current track or previous track.

- **SKIP FORWARD ():** Skips to the next track.
- **SUBTITLE:** Toggles subtitles on/off or cycles through subtitle options.
- **RANDOM:** Activates or deactivates random playback.
- **REPEAT:** Activates or deactivates repeat playback.
- **PLAYLIST/CAT:** Accesses playlist or category functions.

COMPATIBLE ONKYO MODELS

This Brightstar replacement remote control is compatible with the following Onkyo AV receiver and home theater system models:

- **RC-681M Series:** HT-CP807, HT-R508, HT-R550, HT-R550S, HT-R557, HT-SP904, HT-SP908, HT-SR750, HT-SR750S, HT-SR800, HT-SR800B, HT-SR800S, TX-SR505, TX-SR505S, TX-SR575, TX-SR575S
- **RC-682M Series:** TX-SR605, TX-SR605S, TX-SA605, TX-SA8560
- **RC-608M Series:** HT-R530, HT-S780, HT-S3100
- **RC-645S Series:** HT-S4100, HT-S4100S, HT-SR700, HT-SR700S, TX-SR304, TX-SR304S
- **RC-646S Series:** HT-R340, HT-R340S, HT-R3100, HT-R3100S, HT-S590, HT-S590S, HT-SR600, HT-SR600S
- **RC-651M Series:** TX-SR604S, TX-SR674S, TX-SR604, TX-SR604E, TX-SR674, TX-SR674E, TX-SR8460, TX-SR8467

TROUBLESHOOTING

If you experience issues with your remote control, please refer to the following common solutions:

- **Remote Not Responding:**
 - Ensure batteries are inserted correctly with proper polarity (+/-).
 - Replace old batteries with new ones. Weak batteries are a common cause of remote control malfunction.
 - Ensure there is a clear line of sight between the remote control and the infrared sensor on your Onkyo receiver. Obstructions can block the signal.
 - Confirm the remote is set to the correct **REMOTE MODE** for the device you intend to control (e.g., **RECEIVER**).
- **Intermittent Functionality:**
 - If the remote works intermittently, try removing the batteries, waiting a few seconds, and then reinserting them. This can sometimes reset the remote's internal circuitry.
 - Clean the remote's infrared emitter (the clear plastic at the front) and the receiver's IR sensor with a soft, dry cloth to ensure no dust or debris is interfering with the signal.
- **Specific Buttons Not Working:**
 - Verify that the remote is in the correct **REMOTE MODE** for the function you are trying to perform. For example, TV volume buttons may only work when the remote is in TV mode.
 - Some functions may require specific menu navigation on your receiver. Refer to your Onkyo receiver's original manual for detailed operation of advanced features.

SPECIFICATIONS

Brand	Brightstar
Connectivity Technology	Infrared

Compatible Devices	TV, AV Receiver, Set Top Box
Max Number of Supported Devices	1 (controls one device at a time based on selected mode)
Special Feature	Ergonomic design
Item Weight	2.99 ounces (approx. 85 grams)
Package Dimensions	7.87 x 2.24 x 0.87 inches (approx. 20 x 5.7 x 2.2 cm)
ASIN	B01M19YMDV
Date First Available	September 29, 2016

WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

This Brightstar replacement remote control is covered by a standard manufacturer's warranty. For specific warranty details, returns, or technical support, please refer to the documentation provided with your purchase or contact the retailer directly. Keep your proof of purchase for warranty claims.