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MODEL: NBDVR222

Brand: NEXT BASE

1. INTRODUCTION

The Nextbase 222 Dash Cam is designed to provide reliable video recording of your journeys, offering enhanced security and peace of mind. This manual provides detailed instructions for setting up, operating, maintaining, and troubleshooting your dash cam.

The 222 Dash Cam records in Full 1080p HD at 30 frames per second, capturing a wide 140-degree view of the road. It features an Intelligent Parking Mode, G-Sensor for incident detection, and a convenient magnetic mount for easy installation and removal.



Image: Front and rear view of the Nextbase 222 Dash Cam, highlighting its compact design and award recognition.



8.2cm

4.6cm



2.5cm

Compact Design

Small and discreet so it won't intrude on your driving view.

Image: The Nextbase 222 Dash Cam shown with its compact dimensions (8.2cm x 4.6cm) and a coin for size comparison, emphasizing its discreet design.

2. WHAT'S IN THE BOX

Upon opening your Nextbase 222 Dash Cam package, you should find the following components:

- Nextbase 222 Dash Cam unit
- Click&Go PRO Mount
- 4-meter Car Power Cable
- USB Cable
- Fitting Tool
- 3M Adhesive Mount (additional)



Image: All components included in the Nextbase 222 Dash Cam package, laid out for clear identification.

3. SETUP AND INSTALLATION

3.1 Initial Setup

Before installation, ensure you have a compatible microSD card (Class 10 or U1 recommended, not included) inserted into the dash cam. Format the card using the dash cam's menu settings for optimal performance.

3.2 Mounting the Dash Cam

The Nextbase 222 uses a Click&Go PRO magnetic mount for secure attachment to your windshield. This allows for easy removal of the dash cam while leaving the mount in place.

1. Clean the area of your windshield where you intend to mount the dash cam using the provided wet and dry wipes. Ensure the surface is completely dry before proceeding.
2. Attach the Click&Go PRO mount to the dash cam.
3. Position the dash cam on the windshield, ensuring it does not obstruct your view and the lens has a clear line of sight to the road. The ideal position is typically behind the rearview mirror.
4. Once the position is confirmed, remove the protective film from the adhesive pad on the mount and firmly press it onto the windshield for 5-10 seconds to ensure maximum contact.



Image: Close-up of the Click&Go PRO mount, showing its magnetic connection point for easy attachment and detachment of the dash cam.

3.3 Power Connection

Route the included 4-meter car power cable from the dash cam mount around your windshield and dashboard to your vehicle's 12V power socket. This cable is long enough to be discreetly tucked away along the edges of your car's interior.

Video: Official Nextbase Fitting Video demonstrating the step-by-step process of installing the dash cam and routing the power cable in a vehicle.

Video: A quick guide titled 'Installation in Minutes' showing the efficient setup of the dash cam, including mount attachment and cable management.

4. OPERATING YOUR DASH CAM

4.1 Automatic Recording

Once powered on, the Nextbase 222 Dash Cam will automatically begin recording when your vehicle starts. Recordings are saved in continuous loop segments, with older files being overwritten as the memory card fills up.



Image: View from inside a car showing the Nextbase 222 Dash Cam recording in Full HD 1080p at 30 frames per second, capturing a wide 140-degree angle.

4.2 Intelligent Parking Mode and G-Sensor

The Intelligent Parking Mode automatically records any physical movement or bump to your vehicle when it is parked. The integrated G-Sensor detects sudden impacts and automatically protects the current recording from being overwritten, ensuring critical footage is saved.

*Nextbase Hardwire
Kit required



Parking Mode

Records any bump or physical movement on the vehicle while your car is parked*.

Image: The Nextbase 222 Dash Cam in Parking Mode, illustrating its ability to record incidents like a car bump while parked.



G-Sensor

If the event of an incident, the dash cam will protect the footage which cannot be overwritten.

Image: The G-Sensor feature highlighted with an image of a car collision, indicating that the dash cam will protect footage in the event of an incident.

4.3 MyNextbase App and Player

Manage your dash cam footage and settings using the MyNextbase app on your smartphone or the MyNextbase Player software on your computer. This allows for easy viewing, editing, and sharing of your recorded videos.



Image: A user interacting with the MyNextbase app on a smartphone, demonstrating connectivity and ease of access to dash cam features.

Video: A tutorial on using the MyNextbase PC / Mobile application to manage and view dash cam footage, including firmware updates and video playback features.

5. MAINTENANCE

5.1 SD Card Care

It is crucial to use a high-quality, branded Class 10 or U1 microSD card with your Nextbase Dash Cam. Regularly format your microSD card (at least once a month) using the dash cam's menu to maintain optimal recording performance and prevent data corruption.

5.2 Cleaning

To ensure clear video quality, regularly clean the dash cam lens with a soft, lint-free cloth. Avoid using abrasive cleaners or solvents that could damage the lens or casing.

6. TROUBLESHOOTING

6.1 Dash Cam Not Powering On

- Ensure the car power cable is securely connected to both the dash cam mount and the vehicle's 12V socket.
- Check the vehicle's 12V socket for power by testing it with another device.
- Verify the fuse in the 12V power adapter is intact.

6.2 Recording Issues (Skipping, Freezing, Corrupted Files)

- Ensure you are using a compatible Class 10 or U1 microSD card.
- Format the microSD card regularly (monthly) using the dash cam's format function.
- Try a different, known-good microSD card to rule out card issues.

6.3 Mount Not Sticking to Windshield

- Ensure the windshield surface is clean and dry before applying the adhesive mount.
- Apply firm pressure to the mount for the recommended duration (5-10 seconds) during installation.
- Avoid repositioning the mount frequently, as this can reduce adhesive effectiveness.

7. SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Specification
Model Name	NBDVR222
Video Capture Resolution	1080p
Viewing Angle	140° (approximate, derived from product description)
Product Dimensions	2 x 4 x 5 inches
Item Weight	12 ounces
Batteries	1 Lithium Polymer batteries required (included)
Special Features	App, rechargeable battery, hidden discreet, wireless
Connectivity Technology	Powerline
Mounting Type	Wall (referring to windshield mount)

8. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

This product is tested and certified to look and work like new. For specific warranty details and technical support, please refer to the documentation included with your product or visit the official Nextbase website. Contact information for customer service is typically provided in the Quick Start Guide or on the manufacturer's support page.