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ZORRO
Quick start guide

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Introduction

Thank you for purchasing the RadioMaster ZORRO radio system. Advanced and highly versatile, ZORRO is adaptable for pilots of any skill level. To ensure safe and reliable operations, please read this manual carefully

prior to use. As the software and hardware are constantly improved, the information contained in this manual is subject to change without prior notice. Please visit our website for up-to-date information and radio firmware. ZORRO is an open-sourced, ergonomic radio with powerful multi-protocol capability. Able to bind to most contemporary protocols on the market, this is one radio to rule them all! ZORRO runs OpenTX, an open-sourced operating system; for more information, please visit the OpenTX link below. -The RadioMaster team



Safety Information

Radio-controlled models commonly contain sharp components like propellers, rotating at high RPMs; when operating or maintaining the model, always use common sense and proceed with caution. Always disconnect power to the model AND remove propellers (if applicable) during the assembly or maintenance process.

Never operate the ZORRO radio system in the following conditions:

- In severe weather or strong windy conditions, such as rain, hail, snow, storms or electromagnetic environments.
- In limited visibility
- In the proximity of other people, property, high-voltage power lines, public roads, vehicles or animals
- When feeling unwell or under the influence of drugs or alcohol.
- If the ZORRO radio system/model is damaged or showing signs of interference.
- In areas with high 2.4GHz interference or where 2.4GHz radios are prohibited.
- When the TX/RX battery is low.
- In areas where local regulations prohibit the use of R/C aircraft.



Manual and firmware download

ZORRO is pre-installed with factory-approved OpenTX or EdgeTX firmware. To download the latest manual or stock factory firmware, please visit the RadioMaster website: <https://www.radiomasterrc.com>

To download the latest OpenTX firmware for your ZORRO radio system, please visit the OpenTX website: <https://www.open-tx.org>

To download the latest EdgeTX firmware for your ZORRO radio system, please visit the EdgeTX website: <https://www.edgetx.org>

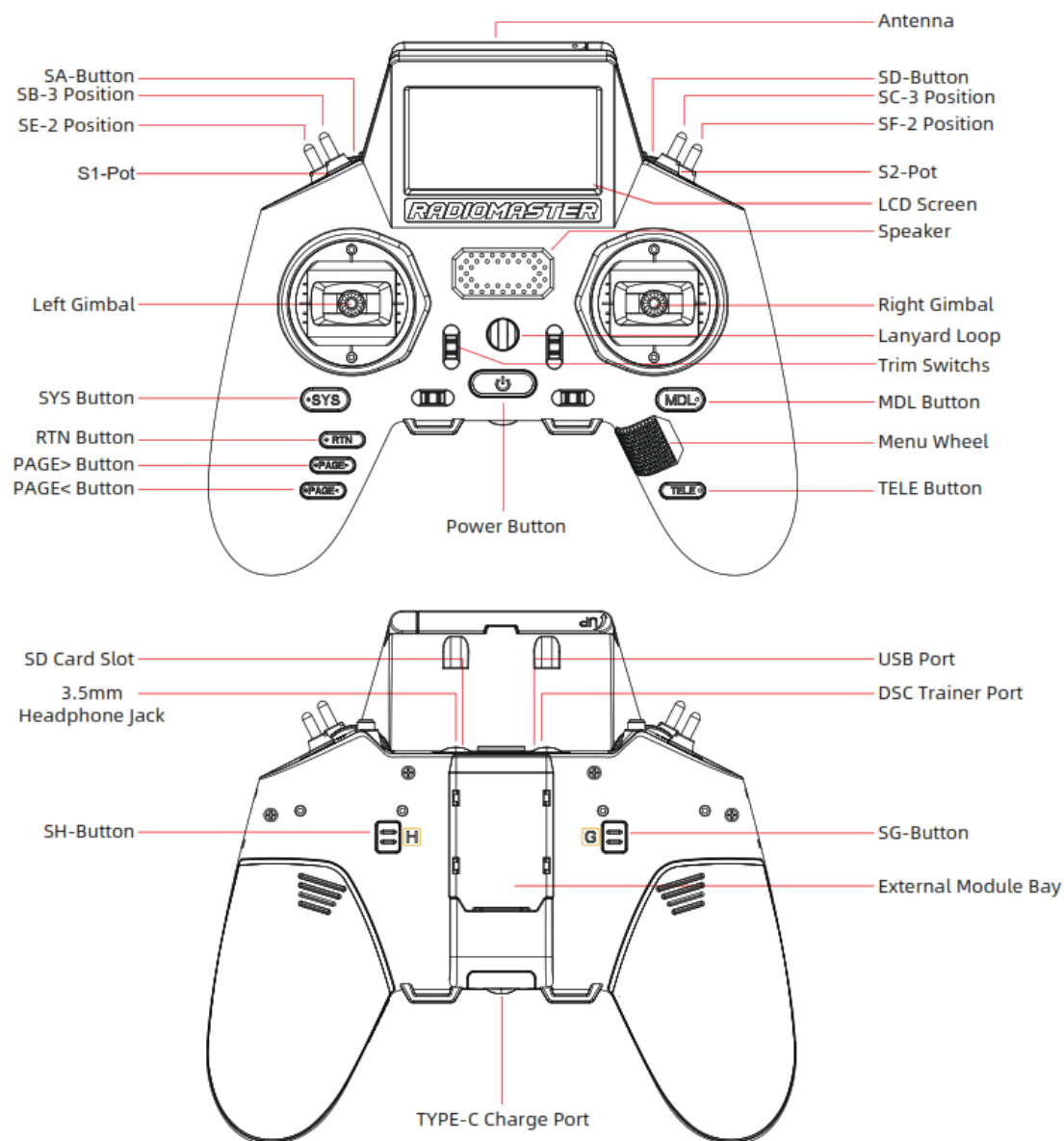


Important

Zorro is pre-installed with the most stable firmware at the factory at the time of release. please only attempt to update the firmware if you are confident in the process. Incorrect firmware updates may cause the remote control to become inoperable. Damage as a result of the improper firmware updates may not be covered under warranty.



Remote control overview



ZORRO is powered by 2x 3.7V 18350 Lithium-Ion cells and is charged using the built-in USB-C port. The charging circuitry is designed for charging 2x 3.7V Lithium-Ion batteries only. The nominal voltage is 3.7V and the maximum charging voltage is 4.2V.

Never charge 3.6V LiFe and 3.6V 18350 Lithium-Ion packs with the onboard charger. Charging or using the wrong battery chemistry/polarity may cause permanent damage to the PCB and in certain situations cause fires.

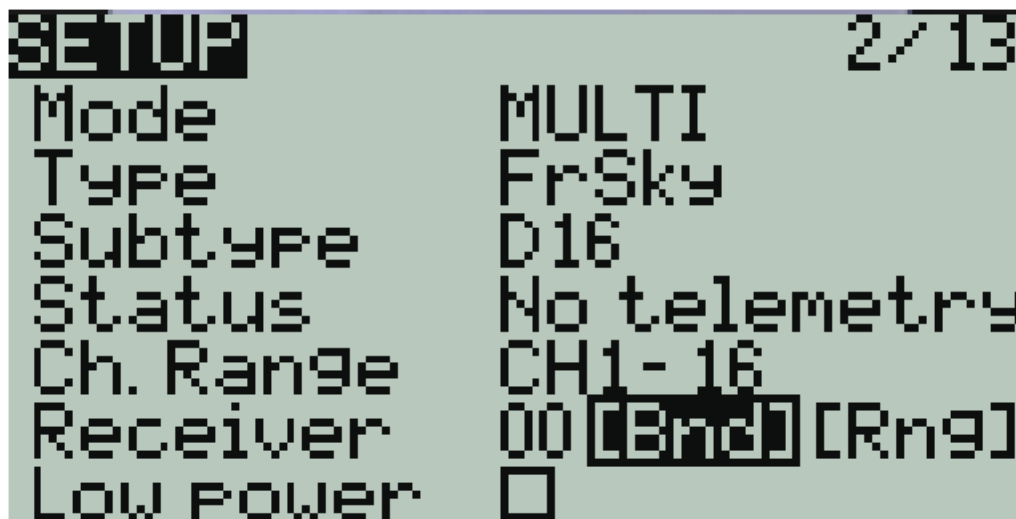
Check the voltage and condition of the battery regularly and never charge the device unattended. Only charge in safe areas away from combustible materials. Refrain from charging the radio unit if it was exposed to water or was damaged in any way. RadioMaster does not assume any responsibility for any adverse consequences caused by the use or misuse of this product.



Model selection and protocol selection

Depending on the package purchased, Zorro has a 4-in-1 quad-chip or a CC2500 single-chip multi-protocol module built-in.

To view the latest list of all compatible protocols, please visit <https://www.multi-module.org/> Please note that new protocols will be constantly updated and added to the latest firmware. Some new protocols may require firmware upgrades.



Long press the MDL button to enter the model settings, select MULTI in the SETUP page, and select the desired protocol in the sub-options. The system will automatically turn on the corresponding RF module according to the RF protocol you selected.

- Bind [BND] is used to start the binding process.
- Range [RNG] button can reduce the power to 1/30 to facilitate testing of remote-control distance.
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Notes

OpenTX software is highly versatile and has a large number of programming and mixing functions. Please download the comprehensive software installation guide from the link below for more detailed instructions:

<https://www.open-tx.org> or <https://www.radiomasterrc.com>



Specifications

Physical dimensions 170*159*108mm

Weight 350 grams

Operating frequency 2.400GHz-2.480GHz

Internal RF Options CC2500 multi-protocol / 4-in-1 multi-protocol / ELRS 2.4GHz

Supported protocols Module dependent

RF power CC2500 and 4-in-1: 20dBm max. / ELRS: 24dBm max.

Antenna gain Folding 2db

operational current: 160mA for cc2500 and 4 in 1. 400mA for ELRS 250mw .

Operational voltage 6.6-8.4v DC

Control distance > 2km @ 20dBm

Operating system OpenTX / EdgeTX Compatible

Control channels Maximum 16 (Rx dependent)

Display 128*64 Monochrome LCD

Battery 2 x 18350 (Not included)

Charging Built in USB-C Charging

Firmware Upgrade method Via USB or SD card (SD Not included)

Gimbal Hall-effect

Module bay Nano size (Compatible with TBS Nano Crossfire / Nano Tracer / IRC Ghost)



Warranty and repair

Should any issues arise with your radio system's hardware, please keep the proof of purchase and contact the retailer where you made the ZORRO purchase. . You may also visit our warranty support page <https://www.radiomasterrc.com/contact>

The limited warranty covers defects in workmanship for one year from the date of purchase

Manual

To view the full manual for the ZORRO radio system, please visit the Radiomaster website <https://www.radiomasterrc.com>



EU Simple Declaration of Conformity

RadioMaster declares the radio equipment ZORRO is in compliance with EU directives Directive 2014/53/EU. Full text of the declaration of conformity is available at the following website www.radiomasterrc.com

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FCC ID: 2A337ZORRO FCC ID: 2A337ZORRO

FCC Information

This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for Part 15 of the FCC rules.

This device complies with part 15 of the FCC rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) This device may not cause harmful interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation. Full text of the declaration of conformity is available at the following website www.radiomasterrc.com



CAUTION:

Changes or modifications not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate the equipment. This product contains a radio transmitter with wireless technology which has been tested and found to be compliant with the applicable regulations governing a radio transmitter in the 2.400GHz to 2.4835GHz frequency range.

Antenna Separation Distance

When operating your RadioMaster transmitter, please be sure to maintain a separation distance of at least 20 cm between your body (excluding fingers, hands, wrists, ankles and feet) and the antenna to meet RF exposure safety requirements as determined by FCC regulations.

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