



# DIESEL LOCOMOTIVE OPERATOR'S MANUAL & SOUND GUIDE



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#### Handli

Athearn® Genesis® models are created to represent the prototype equipment as accurately as possible, and therefore many of the details are delicate due to their scale sizes. Because of this, these models require careful handling. By following a few simple care and handling guidelines, you should be able to enjoy years of modeling enjoyment from your new locomotive. It is also recommended that you read through this instruction manual to help familiarize yourself with the basic components of the model, as well as its general care and handling. One basic guideline that is applicable to this, and many other diesel locomotive models, is to never grab the model by its handrails! The handrails on the Athearn Genesis locomotives are molded in engineering plastic for flexibility and have been designed to securely fit onto the locomotive, but they can be distorted and/or separated from the locomotive with rough or excessive handling. When handling the model, such as when removing it from the packaging or placing it on the track. it is best to handle the model by the fuel tank. When performing maintenance on the model that requires disassembly, it is recommended that the model is gently laid upside-down on a soft foam cradle (which are available from most hobby dealers, or can be crafted from bulk foam material available from many craft supply stores) to help protect its details and finish.

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If the model will not be used for an extended period of time, it is recommended to store it in its original packaging, away from direct sunlight and extreme temperatures, to protect its details and finish.

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Recommended Tools

The following is a list of tools we recommend to have on hand in order to perform any minor maintenance, if needed, on this or any other model railroad product. Many of these basic tools are available from most hobby dealers and some hardware stores. As always, please follow the manufacturer's safety guidelines when using any small hand tool.

- Small Phillips-head Screwdriver
- Tweezers (curved-type and/or straight are useful)
- Miniature Needle-Nose Pliers

- •Small Flat-head Screwdriver
- Screw Grabber
- Hobby Knife

#### Disassembly

In order to remove the body shell, the small Phillips-head screws must be removed. Most four-axle locomotive models have two (2) screws that hold on the couplers. Most six-axle locomotive models, in addition to the coupler screws that must be removed, have two (2) additional screws in the frame (fore and aft of the fuel tank) which also need to be removed. Begin by laying the model upside-down on a soft surface, such as a foam cradle. Locate and remove the body shell screws by using a small Phillips screwdriver. Set the screws aside in a small container or dish. From experience, those small screws can easily roll off a table or workbench and seemingly disappear, so be careful! Carefully remove and set aside the coupler pocket assemblies by pulling them out from each end of the model. Next. if necessary (on six-axle locomotives), locate the final pair of screws securing the shell to the frame. There is one near each end of the fuel tank, semi-recessed into the frame; you may have to swivel each truck slightly to clearly locate and remove each screw. Once they are removed and set aside, the shell can be removed from the frame by gently pulling the body (taking care not to grip it by its handrails) from the chassis. It is best to grip the chassis by the fuel tank area when doing this.

**NOTICE:** Use care when removing the body shell or damage to the air reservoir, air plumbing details, or other details on the bottom of the walkway may occur.

Please note that the headlight and any other effect lighting leads (if applicable) must be disconnected from the DCC adapter board, in non-sound units, or SoundTraxx® Tsunami2® Digital Sound Decoder (DSD) board, in sound-equipped units, in order to completely remove the shell from the chassis. This board is the rectangular printed-circuit board mounted on top of the motor/flywheel assembly.

To disconnect these wires, carefully remove the small black wire locks from each of the lighting lead tabs on the DCC adapter or SoundTraxx Tsunami2 boards. Set the wire locks aside, noting that the wire locks used on the ends of the board are slightly larger than those used on the sides of the board, and are not interchangeable. On non-sound and sound-equipped models, the front and rear headlights are connected to the inner pair of tabs located at each end of the board. On non-sound models, the

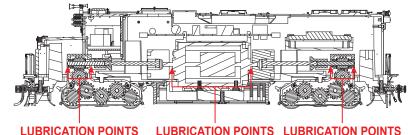
effect lights (Gyralite/MARS lights, ditch lights, etc.), if equipped, are on the right side of the board, opposite the pair of motor leads. On SoundTraxx Tsunami2 sound-equipped models, note that one of their effect lighting wires are connected to the tabs marked F3, F4, F5, and/or F6 and the other wire is connected to a V+ tab. Once this is done, the wires can be pulled free from the tabs, and the shell set aside. Take care to mark the wire bundles, such as by labeling their ends with small pieces of masking tape, to help ensure they are re-installed at their proper tabs on the circuit boards. If wires accidentally get mixed up during disassembly, don't worry; you can test your LED lights by using a 3V power source such as a DC power pack set to 3V or a battery pack containing 2 AA sized batteries creating an output of 3V. to help determine where each set of wires is supposed to be connected to (e.g., headlight wires to the end tabs of the board).

#### Lightin

Your Athearn Genesis locomotive has been equipped with LEDs to provide the effect lighting of the locomotive. Under normal circumstances and operation, LEDs require no maintenance and should not burn out. However, should your LEDs need attention, please contact Athearn Product Support. To do so, please visit our website at www.athearn.com

#### Lubrication

Athearn Genesis models require minimal lubrication. It is important to use hobby lubricants that are formulated for use on model trains and are plastic compatible. Refer to the drawing to locate the lubrication points and apply a drop to each. Light or medium oils should be used for bearings and heavier oils or greases can be used sparingly on the gears. Be careful to avoid over oiling your model, as excessive lubrication can leak from the drive train and possibly mar the finish. If any small leaks are noted, carefully wipe up any excess lubricant before operating your model.



#### Care and Cleaning

Dust and debris are among the leading contributors to poor operation of any miniature mechanism. To maintain the quality performance of your locomotive. inspection and cleaning should be performed on a regular basis. A soft bristle brush should be used to remove dust from the superstructure. The use of soaps. solvents or detergents is not recommended for this purpose as they will have a tendency to mar the finish.

#### Replacement Parts

Athearn parts are available to our customers and we strive to continue to offer spare parts for many of the models in our extensive line to modelers for repair and other uses. For information on parts ordering, please visit www.athearn.com

For the best possible service, please have the item number (located on the end of the original box of your model) as well as the part numbers and/or descriptions of the parts you would like to order. Please allow 4–6 weeks for delivery upon placement of your order. Also, please be aware that parts availability is dependent upon current production schedules and that certain parts for a particular locomotive type may only be available after they are introduced on certain roadnames and/or schemes for a short time.

#### Aftermarket Decoder Installation

Athearn Genesis non-sound locomotives feature a DCC Adapter Board that allows the modeler to easily install a 21-pin decoder of their choice. To install, simply remove the body shell (see the "Disassembly" section), exposing the DCC Adapter Board mounted above the motor. Carefully pull off the "dummy" plug from the 21-pin connector extending from the top of the Adapter Board. then install the 21-pin decoder of your choice.

Note that the number 1 pin, on the right (engineer's side) front corner of the 21-pin connector is marked by a small triangle printed on the PCB. Be sure to test the decoder for satisfactory operation before replacing the locomotive body

#### Operating a Tsunami2 equipped locomotive in DC (analog) Mode Using a DC Power Pack

While the Tsunami2 sound system installed in your Athearn model is first and foremost a DCC decoder, it may be used on a DC powered layout. The Tsunami2 will automatically sense if it is operating in DC or DCC. When operating in DC, you may control your locomotive using an ordinary power pack, though operation will be a bit different compared to non-sound non-decoder equipped locomotives. With the power pack's throttle set to zero. Tsunami2 will be silent as it has no power. The throttle must be turned up to about 7V or so to provide sufficient voltage to power up the internal circuitry of the decoder. At this point, you will hear the prime mover start up and settle into a steady idle. Increasing the throttle further to approximately 9 volts will set the locomotive in motion, increasing speed as the throttle is increased.

Note that the direction can only be changed when the locomotive is stopped.

When operating in DC mode, be careful not to exceed the decoder's input voltage rating of 27 volts. When your track voltage exceeds 22 volts, Tsunami2 will automatically shut off the sound and motor and flash the front and rear lights 10 times. Reduce throttle immediately.

**IMPORTANT:** Tsunami2 will work best in DC mode when using a high quality, electronically regulated power pack, preferably one that supplies smooth filtered DC power. Older rheostat style power packs and pulse power packs will result in erratic and unreliable operation and should not be used with the Tsunami2 sound decoder. If your power pack provides a pulse power switch. leave it in the "Off" position. Depending on the quality of the power pack's track voltage, some automatic sound functions may require a higher sensitivity setting than needed for DCC operation to avoid continual triggering of the sound effect

#### Automatic Sound Configuration Register

CV 197 selects which automatic sound functions, automatic bell, and/or automatic brake release are enabled when the decoder is operating DC mode. The Automatic Brake Release sound effect has been preset from the factory to operate on your model.

Automatic Bell - The sound decoder will turn the bell on and off at preset speed points, such as when passing through a yard or station platform. In addition to CV 197, you will need to set CVs 193 (Auto-Bell On Set Point) and 194 (Auto-Bell On Time) to configure the auto-bell sound effect. CV 193 is used to determine the speed step at which the bell sound effect will be automatically turned on and CV 194 (Auto-Bell On Time) is used to adjust the duration in seconds that elapses before the bell sound effect will be automatically turned off.

Setting Up Automatic Signals - You may want to use CVs 1.384-1.512 to enable automatic forward, reverse, and stop whistle signals. The following example details setting CV 1.407 (Forward Whistle Signal Auxiliary Map Register), CV 1.408 (Reverse Whistle Signal Auxiliary Map Register), and CV 1.409 (Stop Whistle Signal Auxiliary Map Register) to enable automatic whistle signals:

- 1) Enter a value of 1 into CV 407 to enable automatic forward signals when the locomotive is forward-driving
- 2) Enter a value of 2 into CV 408 to enable automatic reverse signals when the locomotive is reverse-driving
- 3) Enter a value of 12 into CV 409 to enable automatic stop signals when the locomotive is standing (regardless of direction).

Please refer to the Flex-Map Function Mapping Examples found in the SoundTraxx User's Guide at:

http://www.soundtraxx.com/manuals/tsu2 diesel usersquide.pdf

- 1 The short horn function can be changed to a grade crossing horn sequence by changing CV 37 to 0. If you would like to re-map the short horn function to another key using SoundTraxx's Flex-Map™ function mapping, CV 37 must also be set to 0 to prevent the short horn function from being activated with function key 3.
- 2 On locomotives with Dynamic Brakes.
- 3 On locomotives without Dynamic Brakes.
- 4 If your locomotive's prototype is equipped with flashing ditch lights, they will flash when the horn button (F2) is depressed.
  5 Functional braking is not enabled by default; to enable, see "Enabling Tsunami2 Braking Rates on your Locomotive" elsewhere in this quide.

#### Operating with DCC

From the factory, the SoundTraxx Tsunami2 decoder installed in your Genesis model is programmed with a default address of 3. Getting up and running is easy—simply set your controller to address 3, place the locomotive on the mainline, and away you go!

Additionally, the SoundTraxx Tsunami2 has many features built-in to allow you even more audio and operational enjoyment. While we will cover as much as possible in this manual, there is much more than we can completely cover in this limited space. If you have not done so already, it is highly recommended that you refer to the SoundTraxx Tsunami2 User's Guide, which will cover in finer detail the various aspects of programming the SoundTraxx Tsunami2 decoder installed in your Athearn Genesis locomotive model. Also, the Tsunami2 Technical Reference provides supplemental information on the various Configuration Variables (CVs) available, and their exact function and make-up for those that wish to have a complete reference for advanced programming techniques. These documents are available as free downloads online on the Athearn website, at the following address:

#### www.athearn.com/dcc/

Additional support documents, also free, for the decoders installed in various Athearn models can also be found on the SoundTraxx website. at the following address:

#### https://soundtraxx.com/reference/decoder-selector

Please note that these are .pdf files and a computer equipped with Adobe Acrobat Reader software is needed to open and print these files. This software is also available as a free download on the Adobe website at www.adobe.com

#### Programming and Reading CVs

Some command stations allow you to read a CV during Service Mode Programming, which is useful to verify current settings. If you have trouble reading or verifying CVs, the problem may be due to the design of your command station and not the Tsunami2 decoder itself. If your DSD is otherwise working properly (i.e., responds properly on the mainline to speed and direction commands) but your command station is having trouble reading CV data from the DSD, it may be due to incompatibilities between the electrical requirements of the DSD (which are different from conventional decoders due to the added audio circuitry) and the electrical characteristics of your programming track. Unlike the Tsunami DSD, the Tsunami2 DSD no longer requires a Programming Track Booster to program CVs. The Tsunami2 line of decoders also does not give a 'pulse' notification of the motor in response to a CV change

#### Basic CV Settings

While your new Athearn SoundTraxx Tsunami2 equipped locomotive is ready to operate right of the box with sound CVs set at the factory, please note that many of these sound CVs, ranging from a value of 0 to 255, can be adjusted by the user to suit their personal tastes. Some of the more basic sound CV settings are listed below:

#### **Basic Volume Controls and CVs:**

<ul> <li>CV 128, Master Volume Control</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CV 134, Radiator Fan</li> </ul>	• CV 140, Brake Release	
• CV 129, Horn	<ul> <li>CV 135, Alarm Bell</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CV 143, Poppet Valve</li> </ul>	
• CV 130, Bell	<ul> <li>CV 137, Coupler</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CV 144, Steam Generate</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>CV 131, Prime Mover</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CV 138, Train Brake</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CV 148, Emergency Stop</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>CV 132, Air Compressor</li> </ul>	Apply/Release	• CV 149, Uncouple	
<ul> <li>CV 133. Dvnamic Brake</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CV 139. Brake Squeal</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CV 153. Clickety-Clack</li> </ul>	

Please be aware that we cannot provide directions on usage of your DCC system. Please contact your DCC system's manufacturer, and/or refer to the documentation provided with your DCC system for guidelines on reprogramming CVs and operating your model.

<u>Horn:</u>	CV 120 Value	Horn:	V 120 Valu
<ul> <li>Nathan K3LA (Version 1)</li> </ul>	0	<ul> <li>Leslie A125-3E</li> </ul>	20
<ul> <li>Nathan K3LA (Version 2)</li> </ul>	1	Leslie A200	21
Nathan K3L	2	<ul> <li>Leslie A200/S3L Combo</li> </ul>	22
<ul> <li>Nathan K5HL</li> </ul>	3	<ul> <li>Leslie RS3L</li> </ul>	23
<ul> <li>Nathan K5LA (Version 1)</li> </ul>	4	<ul> <li>Leslie RS5T</li> </ul>	24
<ul> <li>Nathan K5LA (Version 2)</li> </ul>	5	<ul> <li>Leslie S2M</li> </ul>	25
<ul> <li>Nathan K5LA (Version 3)</li> </ul>	6	<ul> <li>Leslie S2M/A200 Combo</li> </ul>	26
Nathan K5LH	7	<ul> <li>Leslie S2M/S3L Combo</li> </ul>	27
<ul> <li>Nathan K5LLA</li> </ul>	8	<ul> <li>Leslie S3L</li> </ul>	28
<ul> <li>Nathan M3</li> </ul>	9	<ul> <li>Leslie S5T</li> </ul>	29
<ul> <li>Nathan M5</li> </ul>	10	<ul> <li>Leslie S5T/A200 Combo</li> </ul>	30
<ul> <li>Nathan P3</li> </ul>	11	<ul> <li>Wabco A2</li> </ul>	31
<ul> <li>Nathan P5 (Early)</li> </ul>	12	<ul> <li>Wabco AA2</li> </ul>	32
<ul> <li>Nathan P5 (Modern)</li> </ul>	13	<ul> <li>Wabco E2 (Version 1)</li> </ul>	33
Nathan P5A	14	<ul> <li>Wabco E2 (Version 2)</li> </ul>	34
<ul> <li>Nathan P5A (3rd Generation</li> </ul>	15	<ul> <li>Wabco 2 Chime</li> </ul>	35
Holden M3H	16	<ul> <li>Hancock 4700 Air Whist</li> </ul>	le 36
<ul> <li>Holden K5H</li> </ul>	17	<ul> <li>Leslie S4T</li> </ul>	37
Leslie A125	18	<ul> <li>Leslie S3LR</li> </ul>	38
<ul> <li>Leslie A125/200 Combo</li> </ul>	19	<ul> <li>Leslie RS3K</li> </ul>	39

For example, if you would like your locomotive to have the sound of a Nathan K5LLA horn, you would set CV 120 to a value of 8.

The default bell programmed from the factory is set to match the prototype whenever possible; however, if you would like to change the bell sound on your locomotive, the available options for CV 122 are listed below:

Bell:	Ring Rate	CV 122 Value
• Alco #1	Slow, Med./Slow, Med./Fast, Fast	0 - 3
• Alco #2	Slow, Med./Slow, Med./Fast, Fast	4 - 7
• Alco #3	Slow, Med./Slow, Med./Fast, Fast	8 - 11
• EMD #1	Slow, Med./Slow, Med./Fast, Fast	12 - 15
• EMD #2	Slow, Med./Slow, Med./Fast, Fast	16 - 19
• EMD #3	Slow, Med./Slow, Med./Fast, Fast	20 - 23
• EMD #4	Slow, Med./Slow, Med./Fast, Fast	24 - 27
<ul> <li>Fairbanks-Morse</li> </ul>	Slow, Med./Slow, Med./Fast, Fast	28 - 31
• GE FDL	Slow, Med./Slow, Med./Fast, Fast	32 - 35
<ul> <li>Graham White Electronic Bell</li> </ul>	Slow	36
<ul> <li>Western Cullen Hayes Gong Bell</li> </ul>	Slow, Med./Slow, Med./Fast, Fast	37 - 40
RGS Galloping Goose	Slow, Med./Slow, Med./Fast, Fast	41 - 44
<ul> <li>Canadian Brass Bell</li> </ul>	Slow, Med./Slow, Med./Fast, Fast	45 - 48
Prime Electronic Bell		49

For example, if you would like your locomotive to have the sound of an EMD #3 bell with a medium-fast ring rate, you would set CV 122 to a value of 22.

The default prime mover programmed from the factory is set to match the prototype whenever possible; however, if you would like to change the prime mover sound on your locomotive, the available options for CV 123 are listed

Since the Tsunami2 sound board has enough memory for multiple prime movers, the Athearn Tsunami2 sound boards have been divided by the series of prime movers. This means that EMD 567 series prime movers are grouped onto one sound board, EMD 645 series prime movers are grouped onto one sound board, EMD 710 series (and newer) prime movers are grouped onto one sound board, and GE prime movers are grouped onto one sound board (excluding the Gas Turbine Electric). For example, if you have purchased an Athearn Genesis GP9, you will **not** be able to assign a GE prime mover sound.

Below you will find the breakdown of prime movers by their grouping.

#### FMD 567 Series

Prime Mover:	CV 123 Value	
<ul> <li>EMD 567 Non-Transition Switcher</li> </ul>	0	
<ul> <li>EMD 567 Non-Transition 12 Cylinder</li> </ul>	1	
<ul> <li>EMD 567 (Version 1)</li> </ul>	2	
<ul> <li>EMD 567 (Version 2)</li> </ul>	3	
• EMD 567D Turbo	4	

#### FMD 645 Sories

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Prime Mover:	CV 123 Value
EMD 645 8 cyl. Turbo	0
<ul> <li>EMD 645 12 cyl. Non-Turbo</li> </ul>	1
EMD 645 16 cyl. Non-Turbo	2
<ul> <li>EMD 645 12 cyl. Turbo</li> </ul>	3
<ul> <li>EMD 645 16 cyl. Turbo (Version 1)</li> </ul>	4
EMD 645 16 cyl. Turbo EFI	5
<ul> <li>EMD 645 16 cyl. Turbo (Version 2)</li> </ul>	6
• EMD 645 20 cyl. Turbo	7

### **EMD 710 Series & Newer**

Prime Mover:	CV 123 Value	
<ul> <li>EMD 710 12 cyl.</li> </ul>	0	
<ul> <li>EMD 710 16 cyl. (Version 1)</li> </ul>	1	
<ul> <li>EMD 710 16 cyl. (Version 2)</li> </ul>	2	
• EMD 710 16 cyl. ACe	3	
<ul> <li>EMD 265-H 16 cyl.</li> </ul>	4	

#### **General Electric Series**

Prime Mover:	CV 123 Value
• FDL-12	0
• FDL-16	1
7FDL-16 Freight	2
Dual FDL-16	3
• GEVO G-12	4
<ul> <li>7 FDL-16 Passenger w/HEP</li> </ul>	5

The default air compressor programmed from the factory is set to match the prototype whenever possible; however, if you would like to change the air compressor sound on your locomotive, the available options for CV 124 are listed below:

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Air Compressor:	CV 124 Value
Engine Driven	0
<ul> <li>GE "Whooping"</li> </ul>	1
GE "GEVO Series"	2
EMD Shaft Driven	3

The default train air handling system programmed from the factory is set to match the prototype whenever possible, however, if you would like to change the air handling system on your locomotive the available options for CV 125 are listed below

Air Handling:	<u>CV 125 Value</u>
Poppet Valve	0
Air Dryer	1

The default coupler sound programmed from the factory is set to match the protype whenever possible; however, if you would like to change the coupler sound on your locomotive, the available options for CV 126 are listed below:

Coupler:	<u>CV 126 Valu</u>
Light Coupler	0
Heavy Coupler	1
• Link & Pin	2

#### Prime Mover Pitch Shift - CV223

CV 223 is used to alter the tone and pitch of the prime mover sound effect. This feature allows you to create unique sounding locomotives in a consist, all while using the same prime mover sound selection. This change in tone and pitch is measured in cents, which describes the ratio between two very close frequencies. Changing the value in CV 223 can replicate this effect and give each of your locomotives their own unique sound.

Entering a value from 1 to 127 into CV 223 will lower the pitch of the prime mover sound effect. Entering values between 129 and 255 will increase the pitch of the prime mover effect. A value of 128 has no effect on the tone or pitch of the prime mover sound.

A great example for how to configure this feature is a consist of 3 EMD F-units. Each locomotive will be using the "EMD 567 Non-Turbo" sound selection to replicate the chug and whine of these iconic locomotives. If you were to program CV 223 to a value of 168 in the lead "A" unit, 128 (default) in the trailing "B" unit and 88 in the rear facing "A" unit, each prime mover exhaust sound effect will play back at slightly different (WORD MISSING). This will allow for slight variations in the tone and pitch between multiple locomotives using the same prime mover selection running together in a consist. You can also use CV 223 to adjust the tone of the prime mover to reflect a recently serviced locomotive or one that has seen thousands of miles of service on your railroad

Note: Changes to this CV are recommended to be made in increments or decrements of 30-40as smaller changes can be hard to notice.

#### Flashing Ditch Light Options

Please note that the ditch lights on your Genesis Locomotive are configured per prototype (flashing or non-flashing) when the horn is blown; however, if you desire your model to have flashing front ditch lights, this can be done by changing the following CVs from their defaults to the following values:

CV 55, FX7 Configuration 201 CV 56, FX8 Configuration

If you desire your model to have flashing rear ditch lights, this can be done by changing the following CVs from their defaults to the following values:

CV 53, FX5 Configuration CV 54. FX6 Configuration

To configure your model to non-flashing ditch lights, simply set the CVs 55, 56, 53 and 54 to a value of 0 for constantly lit ditch lights for incandescent bulb use. It is recommended that you keep notes for any CVs that you may change for future reference. If you are unhappy with any CV changes you may have made, you can restore the factory CV settings by programming CV8 to a value of 8, then momentarily toggling the power to the locomotive off and back on again (allowing the decoder to reset). This will restore any user-made changes back to the factory default settings as well as reset the locomotive address back to 3.

#### **Advanced Sound Features**

There are many sound features found in your new Athearn SoundTraxx Tsunami2 equipped locomotive, which can be adjusted to suit your personal preferences. You can adjust the volume of each sound effect individually with the Tsunami2 built-in mixer. The short horn effect will allow you to more easily incorporate signaling practices into your operations. There is also the option of replacing the short horn function with an alternate horn if a particular prototype is equipped with dual sets of horns. For those with limited function keys, you may wish to enable the automatic signal feature. This will activate stop, forward reverse, and grade crossing whistle signals automatically in response to train

#### Calibrating SoundTraxx Dynamic Digital Exhaust (DDE)

The SoundTraxx Tsunami2 DSD found in your new Athearn Genesis locomotive is equipped with a cutting-edge new version of Dynamic Digital Exhaust. We highly recommend you automatically calibrate the DDE settings before adjusting throttle and braking control CVs, as this will create an amazingly accurate representation of prototypical operation. When calibrated, DDE will allow the decoder to produce more prototypical prime mover responses when encountering changes in both grade and number of cars during operation. This feature is not turned on by factory default.

Follow the steps below to enable and automatically calibrate DDE load compensation:

- Enter a value of 2 into CV 32 to select Indexed CV Page 2. This allows you to adjust DDE control CVs by accessing CVs 503-512 from your command station.
- Set CV 512 (DDE Load Sensitivity) to a value of 16.
- Run the locomotive at a moderate speed for a minute or two before continuing. If there is any build-up of lubrication or oil in the drive. running the locomotive first will provide better results during the calibration procedure.
- Set the throttle to speed-step 1
- When your locomotive is on straight and level track, enter a value of 255 into CV 503 (DDE Load Offset) to automatically calibrate the nominal low-speed load level.
- Increase the throttle to an appropriate moderate speed for your layout (generally between speed-step 25 and speed-step 40).
- When your locomotive is on straight, level track, enter a value of 255 into CV 504 (DDE Load Slope) to automatically calibrate the nominal high-speed load level.

*Important:* If, after the calibration is complete, you feel the need to increase or decrease the sensitivity, you can do this with CV 512.

#### A note about Tsunami2 Dynamic Brakes

the independent or train brakes.

Although you adjust the braking rates in CVs 116, 117, and 118 the same way. the dynamic brake function differs from the independent and train brake functions. For instance, the independent and train brake functions will bring the locomotive to a stop, whereas the dynamic brake function will not. You will hear the sound of the light dynamic brake without a change in locomotive speed the first time you turn on the dynamic brake function. When the throttle setting is above speed-step 8 (of 128), pressing the function key again will produce the heavy dynamic brake sound effect and reduce locomotive speed to speed-step 8 according to the rate in CV 116. Pressing the function key a third time will reapply the light dynamic brakes. By pressing the function key a fourth time, the dynamic brakes will turn off.

control of the brakes with function key 4 for dynamics and function key 11 for

**Important:** Contrary to the independent and train brake functions, the dynamic brake will have no effect or sound when the locomotive is stopped.

http://www.soundtraxx.com/manuals/tsu2 diesel usersguide.pdf

For more information about prototypical brake application, please reference the SoundTraxx Tsunami2 users quide at

#### Operating your new Tsunami2 locomotive with previous Genesis locomotives

Tsunami2 features a vastly improved motor control system, which produces much finer operation at lower speeds. When operating your new Genesis locomotive with previously released versions equipped with the original Tsunami decoder, you may notice some differences in the locomotive's speed between the two decoders. Never fear! A custom speed curve has been pre-loaded into your new Tsunami2 equipped locomotive to help ensure that it runs well with the rest of your Genesis models.

To access this custom pre-loaded speed curve, simply program CV 25 to a value of 16 and enable the "Speed Table Enable" bit found within CV 29. To enable the bit, simply add 16 to the current value in CV 29. To obtain this value, simply read back the CV on a dedicated programming track or enter the proper value in CV 29 based on info below:

#### Values when running in DC

Short address (1-127) 28/128 speed steps and a custom speed table = 22 Long Address (128-9999), 28/128 and a custom speed table = 54

Values when running in DCC Short Address (1-127) 28/128 speed steps and a custom speed table = 18 Long Address (128-9999) 28/128 speed steps and a custom speed table = 50 The following CVs are listed for the more advanced user to know what the different CVs are able to change. Since many of these can have adverse effects on sound or performance, it is highly recommended that only experienced DCC users adjust these settings.

As these values change from model to model, the default values will not be listed in this book.

#### PRIMARY CVs

CV 1, Primary Address

CV 2. Vstart CV 3. Baseline Acceleration CV 4, Baseline Braking Rate CV 5. Vmax CV 6. Vmid CV 7. Manufacturer Version Code CV 8. Manufacturer ID Code MOTOR CONTROL CVs CV 10. Back EMF Cutout CV 11. Packet Time-out Value ANALOG MODE CVs CV 12. Alternate Power Source CV 13, Analog Mode Functions 1 CV 14, Analog Mode Functions 2 SECURITY CVs CV 15. CV Unlock Code

CV 23 Consist Acceleration CV 24. Consist Braking Rate CV 25. Speed Table Select CV 29. Configuration Byte 1 CV 30. Error Information CV 31. CV Page Index (MSB) CV 32. CV Page Index (LSB) **FUNCTION MAPPING CVs** CV 33. FL(f) Output Location CV 34. FL(r) Output Location CV 35, F1 Output Location CV 36. F2 Output Location CV 37. F3 Output Location CV 38. F4 Output Location CV 39. F5 Output Location CV 40. F6 Output Location CV 41. F7 Output Location CV 42. F8 Output Location CV 43. F9 Output Location CV 44. F10 Output Location CV 45. F11 Output Location CV 46. F12 Output Location

CV 16. CV Lock ID

**EXTENDED OPERATION CVs** 

CV 17. Extended Address (MSB)

CV 18. Extended Address (LSB)

CV 21. Consist Function Active

CV 22. Consist FL Func. Active

CV 19 Consist Address #1

CV 49, HL Lighting Control Register CV 50. BL Lighting Control Register CV 51, FX3 Configuration CV 52. FX4 Configuration CV 55. FX7 Configuration CV 56. FX8 Configuration CV 57 Fwd Directional Control CV 58. Rev Directional Control CV 59. Lighting Flash Rate CV 60, Grade Crossing Hold Time CV 61. Brightness Register CV 62. Brightness Register 2 CV 63. Dimmer Level Register CV 64. Master Brightness **SPEED TABLE CVs** CV 65 Kick Start CV 66 Forward Trim CV 67 - 94. Speed Table CV 95 Reverse Trim FIRMWARE REVISION INFORMATION CVs. CV 105. Major Firmware Revision CV 106 Minor Firmware Revision PRIMARY SOUND CONTROL CVs CV 112. Sound Configuration CV 113. Quiet Mode Control 2

CV 117, F11 Braking Rate

CV 118, F11 Independent Brake

**LIGHTING CONTROL CVs** CV 142. Channel 13 Mixer Level CV 143, Channel 14 Mixer Level (Poppet Valve) CV 114. Engine Exhaust Control CV 144. Channel 15 Mixer Level (Steam Generator) CV 116. Dynamic Braking Rate CV 145. Channel 16 Mixer Level (Cab Door)

CV 119. Max Recovery Speed SOUND SELECTION CVs CV 120 Horn Select CV 121. Auxiliary Horn Select CV 122. Bell Select CV 123 Exhaust Select CV 124. Air Compressor Select CV 125. Poppet CV 126. Coupler Select MIXER CVs CV 128 Master Volume Control CV 129. Channel 0 Mixer Level (Horn) CV 130. Channel 1 Mixer Level (Bell) CV 131, Channel 2 Mixer Level (Engine) CV 132. Channel 3 Mixer Level (Air Comp) CV 133. Channel 4 Mixer Level (Dynamic Brake) CV 134. Channel 5 Mixer Level (Fan) CV 135. Channel 6 Mixer Level (Alarm Bell) CV 136 Channel 7 Mixer Level CV 137, Channel 8 Mixer Level (Coupler) CV 138, Channel 9 Mixer Level (Train Brake) CV 139. Channel 10 Mixer Level (Brake Squeal) CV 140. Channel 11 Mixer Level (Brake Release) CV 141 Channel 12 Mixer Level

CV 146 Channel 17 Mixer Level

CV 147. Channel 18 Mixer Level (Relays)

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	CV 207, Task 6 Prob. Level (Air	CV 236, Reverb Feedback
	Conditioner)	CV 241, Analog Mode Fu
	CV 208, Task 7 Prob. Level (Relays)	CV 242, Analog Mode Fu
	ADVANCED MOTOR CONTROL CVs	CV 243, Analog Mode Fu
	CV 209, PID Kp Coefficient	CV 245, Consist Function
	CV 210, PID Ki Coefficient	CV 246, Consist Function
	CV 211, Low Speed Compensation	CV 247, Consist Enable
	CV 212, BEMF Feedback Intensity	<b>IDENTIFICATION CVs</b>
	CV 213, BEMF Sample Period	CV 253, ID Byte 1
	CV 214, BEMF Sample Window Size	CV 254, ID Byte 2
	CV 215, BEMF Reference Voltage	CV 255, ID Byte 3
	CV 216, Motor Speed Step Deadband	CV 256, ID Byte 4
	CV 217, Motor Control Register	<b>EFFECT MAPPING CVs</b>
	CV 218, Analog Motor Start Voltage Offset	CV 1.257, Headlight
	CV 219, Analog Sound Start Voltage Offset	CV 1.258, Backup Light
	CV 220, Constant Brake Distance	CV 1.259, FX3 Effect
	CV 223, Pitch Shift	CV 1.260, FX4 Effect
	<b>EQUALIZER &amp; REVERB CONTROL CVs</b>	CV 1.261, FX5 Effect
	CV 224, High-Pass Filter Cutoff	CV 1.262, FX6 Effect
	CV 225, EQ Control Register	CV 1.263, FX7 Effect
	CV 226, 62 Hz Cut/Boost	CV 1.264, FX8 Effect
	CV 227, 125 Hz Cut/Boost	CV 1.265 - 1.272, Reserv
	CV 228, 250 Hz Cut/Boost	CV 1.273, Dimmer
	CV 229, 500 Hz Cut/Boost	CV 1.274, Mute
	CV 230, 1 kHz Cut/Boost	CV 1.275, Independent/T
	CV 231, 2 kHz Cut/Boost	CV 1.276, Half-Speed
	CV 232, 4 kHz Cut/Boost	CV 1.277, Momentum Ov
	CV 233, Reverb Control Register	CV 1.278, Grade Crossin
	CV 234, Reverb Output Level	CV 1.279, Forward Horn
	CV 235, Reverb Delay Time	CV 1.280, Reverse Horn

CV 236, Reverb Feedback Gain Level
CV 241, Analog Mode Function 3
CV 242, Analog Mode Function 4
CV 243, Analog Mode Function 5
CV 245, Consist Function Enable F13-20
CV 246, Consist Function Enable F21-28
CV 247, Consist Enable Stop/Drive Functions
IDENTIFICATION CVs
CV 253, ID Byte 1
CV 254, ID Byte 2
CV 255, ID Byte 3
CV 256, ID Byte 4
EFFECT MAPPING CVs
CV 1.257, Headlight
CV 1.258, Backup Light
CV 1.259, FX3 Effect
CV 1.260, FX4 Effect
CV 1.261, FX5 Effect
CV 1.262, FX6 Effect
CV 1.263, FX7 Effect
CV 1.264, FX8 Effect
CV 1.265 - 1.272, Reserved
CV 1.273, Dimmer
CV 1.274, Mute
CV 1.275, Independent/Train Brake
CV 1.276, Half-Speed
CV 1.277, Momentum Override
CV 1.278, Grade Crossing Signal
CV 1.279, Forward Horn Signal
CV 1.280, Reverse Horn Signal
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CV 1.281, Stop Horn Signal
                                        CV 1.387, FX3 Effect
CV 1.282, Reserved
                                        CV 1.388, FX4 Effect
CV 1.283. Brake Select
                                        CV 1.389, FX5 Effect
                                        CV 1.390, FX6 Effect
CV 1.284. Alternate Mixer
CV 1.285. RPM+
                                        CV 1.391, FX7 Effect
CV 1.286. RPM-
                                        CV 1.392, FX8 Effect
CV 1.287 - 1.296, Reserved
                                        CV 1.393 - 1.400. Reserved
CV 1.297, Horn
                                        CV 1.401. Dimmer
CV 1.298. Bell
                                        CV 1.402, Mute
CV 1.299, Dynamic Brake
                                        CV 1.403, Brakes
CV 1.300. Short Horn
                                        CV 1.404. Half-Speed
CV 1.301, Straight-to-8
                                        CV 1.405. Momentum Override
CV 1.302, General Service
                                        CV 1.406, Grade Crossing Signal
CV 1.303, HEP
                                        CV 1.407, Forward Horn Signal
CV 1.304, Cab Chatter
                                        CV 1.408, Reverse Horn Signal
CV 1.305, Coupler
                                        CV 1.409, Stop Horn Signal
CV 1.306. Uncouple
                                        CV 1.410. Reserved
CV 1.307. SReserved
                                        CV 1.411. Brake Select
CV 1.308, Hand Brake
                                        CV 1.412, Alternate Mixer
CV 1.309. Sander Valve
                                        CV 1.413. RPM+
CV 1.310. Reserved
                                        CV 1.414. RPM-
                                        CV 1.415 1.424. Reserved
CV 1.311, All Aboard/Coach Doors
CV 1.312. Steam Generator
                                        CV 1.425. Horn
CV 1.313, Fuel Loading
                                        CV 1.426, Bell
CV 1.314 - 1.320, Reserved
                                        CV 1.427, Dynamic Brake
CV 1.321, E-Brake Application
                                        CV 1.428, Short Horn
                                        CV 1.429, Straight-to-8
CV 1.322 - 1.384. Reserved
                                        CV 1.430. General Service
EFFECT AUXILIARY MAPPING CVs
                                        CV 1.431. HEP
CV 1.385, Headlight
CV 1.386, Backup Light
                                        CV 1.432, Cab Chatter
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CV 1.433, Coupler
CV 1.434, Uncouple
CV 1.435, Reserved
CV 1.436, Hand Brake
CV 1.437, Sander Valve
CV 1.438, Reserved
CV 1.439, All Aboard/Coach Doors
CV 1.440, Steam Generator
CV 1.441, Fuel Loading
CV 1.442 - 1.448, Reserved
CV 1.449, E-Brake Application
CV 1.450 - 1.512, Reserved
ALTERNATE MIXER CVs
CV 2.289, Ch. 0 Alt. Mixer Level (Horn)
CV 2.290, Ch. 1 Alt. Mixer Level (Bell)
CV 2.291, Ch. 2 Alt. Mixer Level (Engine)
CV 2.292, Ch. 3 Alt. Mixer Level (Air Compressor)
CV 2.293, Ch. 4 Alt. Mixer Level (Dynamic Brake)
CV 2.294, Ch. 5 Alt. Mixer Level (Fans)
CV 2.295, Ch. 6 Alt. Mixer Level (Alarm Bell)
CV 2.296, Ch. 7 Alt. Mixer Level
CV 2.297, Ch. 8 Alt. Mixer Level (Coupler)
CV 2.298, Ch. 9 Alt. Mixer Level (Train Brake)
CV 2.299, Ch. 10 Alt. Mixer Level (Brake Squeal)
CV 2.300, Ch. 11 Alt. Mixer Level (Brake Release) CV 2.301. Ch. 12 Alt. Mixer Level
CV 2.302, Ch. 13 Alt. Mixer Level CV 2.303, Ch. 14 Alt. Mixer Level (Poppet Valve)
CV 2.304, Ch. 15 Alt. Mixer Level (Steam Gen)
CV 2.305, Ch. 16 Alt. Mixer Level (Cab Door)
CV 2.303. CII. 10 AII. WINEI LEVEL (Cab DOUL)

CV 2.306. Ch. 17 Alt. Mixer Level CV 2.307, Ch. 18 Alt. Mixer Level (Relays) CV 2.308, Ch. 19 Alt. Mixer Level (E-Stop) CV 2.309, Ch. 20 Alt. Mixer Level (Uncouple) CV 2.310. Ch. 21 Alt. Mixer Level (AllAbrd/Drs) CV 2.311. Ch. 22 Alt. Mixer Level CV 2.312. Ch. 23 Alt. Mixer Level CV 2.313. Ch. 24 Alt. Mixer Level (Click-Clack) CV 2.314, Ch. 25 Alt. Mixer Level (Sander) CV 2.315. Ch. 26 Alt. Mixer Level (Fuel Loading) CV 2.316, Ch. 27 Alt. Mixer Level (Air Cond) CV 2.317, Ch. 28 Alt. Mixer Level (Wrench) CV 2.318, Ch. 29 Alt. Mixer Level (PneumaticOil) CV 2.319. Ch. 30 Alt. Mixer Level (Toilet) CV 2.320, Ch. 31 Alt. Mixer Level (Cab Chatter) **DIESEL ENGINE SOUND LIMITS & DDE CVs** CV 2.503, DDE Load Sensing Offset CV 2.504, DDE Load Sensing Slope CV 2.507, Exhaust Low Volume Limit CV 2.508, Exhaust High Volume Limit CV 2.509. DDE Attack Time Constant CV 2.510. DDE Release Time Constant CV 2.511. DDE Throttle Gain CV 2.512. DDE Motor Load Gain CLICKETY-CLACK CVs CV 3.257, Clickety-Clack Axle Configuration CV 3.258, Clickety-Clack Rate

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## BASIC TROUBLESHOOTIN

## <u>Warranty</u>

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#### DC (analog)

**Problem:** No sound and/or locomotive will not operate when placed on the track in analog.

**Solution:** Check that your power supply is on and, if using block control, that the block your model is in is switched "on"

**Solution:** For sound-equipped locomotives, they will remain silent and non-functioning until the throttle is turned up to about 7.5 volts. You will get the most consistent operation at voltages in the 9–14V range

**Problem:** Locomotive runs, but there is no sound when operating in analog.

**Solution:** Check to see if the master volume has been turned down. Access to a DCC system will be needed to check this. The master volume CV is 128; try adjusting its value (range, lowest to highest, is 0–255) until sounds are heard.

**Problem:** Locomotive operates, but very erratically. **Solution:** Check the wheels and track for any dirt that may be interrupting electrical contact. There are many commercially available wheel cleaning solutions, tools, and various techniques to help keep your wheels and track clean, which is vital for smooth, reliable operation in analog or DCC.

#### DCC

**Problem:** No sound and/or locomotive will not operate when placed on the track when using DCC.

**Solution:** Check that your power supply and DCC system are on and supplying track power.

Solution: Make sure the proper address is entered on your DCC system. All Athearn Genesis Tsunami2-equipped models have a default address of 3.

**Problem:** Locomotive sound and lights function, but locomotive will not move.

**Solution:** Make sure the locomotive is still not set up in a consist from previous operation. For more information about consisting, consult your DCC System's owners manual.

**Problem:** Locomotive runs, but there is no sound when using a DCC system.

Solution: Check that the locomotive sounds have not been muted. Try toggling mute on/off with the F8 function on your DCC controller.

Solution: Check to see if the master volume has been turned down. The master volume CV is 128; try adjusting its value (range, lowest to highest, is 0–255) until sounds are heard.

Problem: Locomotive runs, but the lights do not operate

**Solution:** The headlights are controlled by the F0 function, and the ditchlights are typically controlled by the F5 function. Try toggling these functions on/off with your controller.

If you are having problems with your locomotives operation or non-operation, please try resetting the Decoder to Factory Defaults before contacting Athearn Help for assistance.

## Resetting the Decoder to Factory Defaults

All Tsunami2 sound decoders can be reset to their factory values easily. If you have changed some CVs and are not happy with the results, or your locomotive is not responding normally, this is the first troubleshooting step that you should try.

To do this, set CV 8 to a value of 8. Once you have done this, cycle the DCC system's power off for approximately 5–10 seconds, then turn it back on. You should observe the locomotive's lights blinking 16 times after a delay of about 10 seconds, indicating a successful factory reset, your locomotive will respond to address 3 and all CV values will be returned to their factory supplied default values.

For technical assistance, please contact Athearn Product Support. For information on how to do so, please visit our web site at: www.athearn.com. For further Tsunami2 technical assistance, please contact SoundTraxx Support at 1-888-789-7637 (toll-free), or via email at support@soundtraxx.com

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Questions, Assistance, and Services Your local hobby store and/or place of purchase cannot provide warranty support or service. Once assembly, setup or use of the Product has been started, you must contact Horizon's Athearn office directly or your local distributor outside of North America. This will enable us to better answer your questions and service you in the event that you may need any assistance. For questions or assistance, visit our site at: www.Athearn.com/About/Contact.aspx.

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Inspection or Services: If this Product needs to be inspected or serviced, please do the following

1) Obtain an RMA number: go to www.athearn.com/about/contact.aspx and select the "Technical support, product information and warranty RMA" option or call us at the service phone listed. Provide the requested information, and in the comments section describe the nature of the problem, Athearn stock number, your name, return address, and a phone number where you may be reached during business hours. We will respond via e-mail with your RMA number.

- phone number where you may be reached during business hours. We will respond via e-mail with your RMA number.

  2) Pack the unaltered, original Product carefully and securely using the original plastic shell, foam packing, any axle spacers, and plastic slip sheets top and bottom into the original box with the Athearn label with item and description on the box end, inside an outer shipping carton, being careful to use adequate void fill materials to prevent movement in shipping and any associated damage. Damage in transit is not a covered warranty repair and will have to be photographed and communicated to you, and can only be corrected with pre-payment which will cause significant delay. Please note that original boxes are not designed to withstand the rigors of shipping without additional protection. When sending product to Horizon's Athearn office, you must include inside the box: the RMA number, a description of the problem, Athearn stock number of included items, your name, return address, and a phone number or you can just include a printout of your Athearn RMA e-mail. A copy of your original sales receipt must be included for warranty consideration.
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Be sure to include inside the carton a printout of your RMA e-mail with your legibly written name, return address, the nature of the defect, and RMA number. Make sure your carton also has your return address and RMA number legibly written on the exterior. Shipping, packing, and packaging costs to Horizon Athearn for warranty repair are not a covered expense.

PRODUCTS NOT MEETING THE ABOVE REQUIREMENTS WILL BE REFUSED FOR DELIVERY.

Warranty Requirements: For Warranty consideration, you must include your original sales receipt verifying the proof-of-purchase date. Provided warranty conditions have been met, your Product will be serviced or replaced free of charge. Service or replacement decisions are at the sole discretion of Horizon.

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ATTENTION: Horizon service is limited to Product compliant in the country of use and ownership. If received, a non-compliant Product will not be serviced. Further, the sender will be responsible for arranging return shipment of the un-serviced Product, through a carrier of the sender's choice and at the sender's expense. Horizon will hold non-compliant Product for a period of 60 days from notification, after which it will be discarded.

## Supplier's Declaration of Conformity 47 CFR § 2.1077 Compliance Information

Model Name: Athearn Genesis Tsunami2 8-function Model Description: TSU-GN-2208 Responsible Party – U.S. Contact Information Horizon Hobby, LLC 2904 Research Rd., Champaign, IL 61822

Email: compliance@horizonhobby.com

Web: HorizonHobby.com

FCC Compliance Statement 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. CAUTION: CHANGES OR MODIFICATIONS NOT EXPRESSLY APPROVED BY THE PARTY RESPONSIBLE FOR COMPLIANCE COULD VOID THE USER'S AUTHORITY TO OPERATE THE EQUIPMENT.

For a Class B digital device or peripheral, the instructions furnished the user shall include the following or similar statement, placed in a prominent location in the text of the manual:

Note: This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class B digital device, pursuant to part 15 of the FCC Rules.

These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference in a residential installation.

This equipment generates, uses and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instructions, may cause harmful interference to radio communications.

However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation. If this equipment does cause harmful interference to radio or television reception, which can be determined by turning the equipment off and on, the user is encouraged to try to correct the interference by one or more of the following measures:

- · Reorient or relocate the receiving antenna
- Increase the separation between the equipment and receiver
- Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected
- Consult the dealer or an experienced radio/TV technician for help