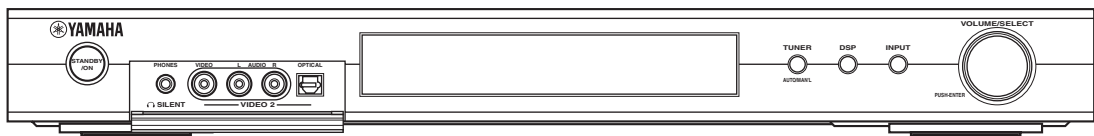


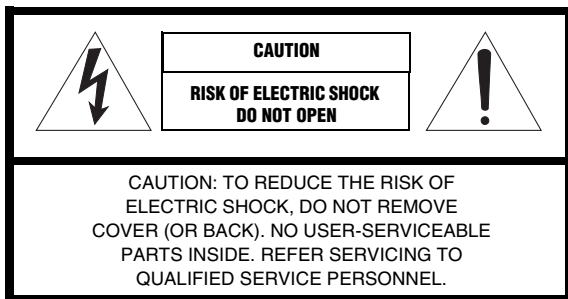
AV RECEIVER

# RX-SL100

*OWNER'S MANUAL*



# IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS



## • Explanation of Graphical Symbols



The lightning flash with arrowhead symbol, within an equilateral triangle, is intended to alert you to the presence of uninsulated “dangerous voltage” within the product’s enclosure that may be of sufficient magnitude to constitute a risk of electric shock to persons.



The exclamation point within an equilateral triangle is intended to alert you to the presence of important operating and maintenance (servicing) instructions in the literature accompanying the appliance.

- 1** Read Instructions – All the safety and operating instructions should be read before the product is operated.
- 2** Retain Instructions – The safety and operating instructions should be retained for future reference.
- 3** Heed Warnings – All warnings on the product and in the operating instructions should be adhered to.
- 4** Follow Instructions – All operating and use instructions should be followed.
- 5** Cleaning – Unplug this product from the wall outlet before cleaning. Do not use liquid cleaners or aerosol cleaners. Use a damp cloth for cleaning.
- 6** Attachments – Do not use attachments not recommended by the product manufacturer as they may cause hazards.
- 7** Water and Moisture – Do not use this product near water – for example, near a bath tub, wash bowl, kitchen sink, or laundry tub; in a wet basement; or near a swimming pool; and the like.
- 8** Accessories – Do not place this product on an unstable cart, stand, tripod, bracket, or table. The product may fall, causing serious injury to a child or adult, and serious damage to the product. Use only with a cart, stand, tripod, bracket, or table recommended by the manufacturer, or sold with the product. Any mounting of the product should follow the manufacturer’s instructions, and should use a mounting accessory recommended by the manufacturer.
- 9** A product and cart combination should be moved with care. Quick stops, excessive force, and uneven surfaces may cause the product and cart combination to overturn.

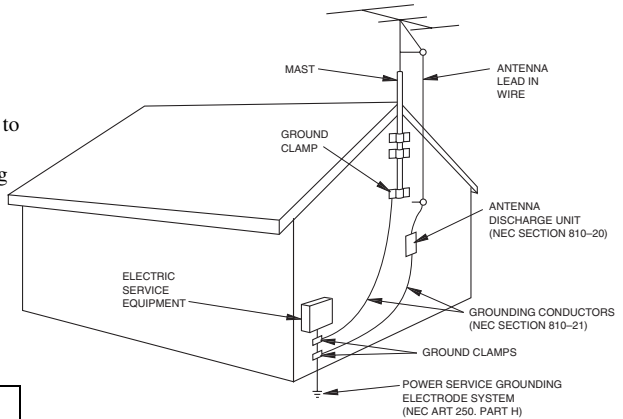


- 10** Ventilation – Slots and openings in the cabinet are provided for ventilation and to ensure reliable operation of the product and to protect it from overheating, and these openings must not be blocked or covered. The openings should never be blocked by placing the product on a bed, sofa, rug, or other similar surface. This product should not be placed in a built-in installation such as a bookcase or rack unless proper ventilation is provided or the manufacturer’s instructions have been adhered to.
- 11** Power Sources – This product should be operated only from the type of power source indicated on the marking label. If you are not sure of the type of power supply to your home, consult your product dealer or local power company. For products intended to operate from battery power, or other sources, refer to the operating instructions.
- 12** Grounding or Polarization – This product may be equipped with a polarized alternating current line plug (a plug having one blade wider than the other). This plug will fit into the power outlet only one way. This is a safety feature. If you are unable to insert the plug fully into the outlet, try reversing the plug. If the plug should still fail to fit, contact your electrician to replace your obsolete outlet. Do not defeat the safety purpose of the polarized plug.
- 13** Power-Cord Protection – Power-supply cords should be routed so that they are not likely to be walked on or pinched by items placed upon or against them, paying particular attention to cords at plugs, convenience receptacles, and the point where they exit from the product.
- 14** Lightning – For added protection for this product during a lightning storm, or when it is left unattended and unused for long periods of time, unplug it from the wall outlet and disconnect the antenna or cable system. This will prevent damage to the product due to lightning and power-line surges.
- 15** Power Lines – An outside antenna system should not be located in the vicinity of overhead power lines or other electric light or power circuits, or where it can fall into such power lines or circuits. When installing an outside antenna system, extreme care should be taken to keep from touching such power lines or circuits as contact with them might be fatal.
- 16** Overloading – Do not overload wall outlets, extension cords, or integral convenience receptacles as this can result in a risk of fire or electric shock.
- 17** Object and Liquid Entry – Never push objects of any kind into this product through openings as they may touch dangerous voltage points or short-out parts that could result in a fire or electric shock. Never spill liquid of any kind on the product.
- 18** Servicing – Do not attempt to service this product yourself as opening or removing covers may expose you to dangerous voltage or other hazards. Refer all servicing to qualified service personnel.
- 19** Damage Requiring Service – Unplug this product from the wall outlet and refer servicing to qualified service personnel under the following conditions:
  - a)** When the power-supply cord or plug is damaged,
  - b)** If liquid has been spilled, or objects have fallen into the product,
  - c)** If the product has been exposed to rain or water,

- d) If the product does not operate normally by following the operating instructions. Adjust only those controls that are covered by the operating instructions as an improper adjustment of other controls may result in damage and will often require extensive work by a qualified technician to restore the product to its normal operation,
  - e) If the product has been dropped or damaged in any way, and
  - f) When the product exhibits a distinct change in performance - this indicates a need for service.
- 20 Replacement Parts** – When replacement parts are required, be sure the service technician has used replacement parts specified by the manufacturer or have the same characteristics as the original part. Unauthorized substitutions may result in fire, electric shock, or other hazards.
- 21 Safety Check** – Upon completion of any service or repairs to this product, ask the service technician to perform safety checks to determine that the product is in proper operating condition.
- 22 Wall or Ceiling Mounting** – The unit should be mounted to a wall or ceiling only as recommended by the manufacturer.
- 23 Heat** – The product should be situated away from heat sources such as radiators, heat registers, stoves, or other products (including amplifiers) that produce heat.

- 24 Outdoor Antenna Grounding** – If an outside antenna or cable system is connected to the product, be sure the antenna or cable system is grounded so as to provide some protection against voltage surges and built-up static charges. Article 810 of the National Electrical Code, ANSI/NFPA 70, provides information with regard to proper grounding of the mast and supporting structure, grounding of the lead-in wire to an antenna discharge unit, size of grounding conductors, location of antenna discharge unit, connection to grounding electrodes, and requirements for the grounding electrode.

EXAMPLE OF ANTENNA GROUNDING



NEC – NATIONAL ELECTRICAL CODE

**Note to CATV system installer:**

This reminder is provided to call the CATV system installer’s attention to Article 820-40 of the NEC that provides guidelines for proper grounding and, in particular, specifies that the cable ground shall be connected to the grounding system of the building, as close to the point of cable entry as practical.

**FCC INFORMATION (for US customers)**

**1 IMPORTANT NOTICE : DO NOT MODIFY THIS UNIT!**

This product, when installed as indicated in the instructions contained in this manual, meets FCC requirements. Modifications not expressly approved by Yamaha may void your authority, granted by the FCC, to use the product.

- 2 IMPORTANT :** When connecting this product to accessories and/or another product use only high quality shielded cables. Cable/s supplied with this product **MUST** be used. Follow all installation instructions. Failure to follow instructions could void your FCC authorization to use this product in the USA.

- 3 NOTE :** This product has been tested and found to comply with the requirements listed in FCC Regulations, Part 15 for Class “B” digital devices. Compliance with these requirements provides a reasonable level of assurance that your use of this product in a residential environment will not result in harmful interference with other electronic devices.

This equipment generates/uses radio frequencies and, if not installed and used according to the instructions found in the users manual, may cause interference harmful to the operation of other electronic devices.

Compliance with FCC regulations does not guarantee that interference will not occur in all installations. If this product is found to be the source of interference, which can be determined by turning the unit “OFF” and “ON”, please try to eliminate the problem by using one of the following measures:

Relocate either this product or the device that is being affected by the interference.

Utilize power outlets that are on different branch (circuit breaker or fuse) circuits or install AC line filter/s.

In the case of radio or TV interference, relocate/reorient the antenna. If the antenna lead-in is 300 ohm ribbon lead, change the lead-in to coaxial type cable.

If these corrective measures do not produce satisfactory results, please contact the local retailer authorized to distribute this type of product. If you can not locate the appropriate retailer, please contact Yamaha Electronics Corp., U.S.A. 6660 Orangethorpe Ave, Buena Park, CA 90620.

The above statements apply **ONLY** to those products distributed by Yamaha Corporation of America or its subsidiaries.

# CAUTION: READ THIS BEFORE OPERATING YOUR UNIT.

- 1 To assure the finest performance, please read this manual carefully. Keep it in a safe place for future reference.
- 2 Install this sound system in a well ventilated, cool, dry, clean place — away from direct sunlight, heat sources, vibration, dust, moisture, and/or cold. Allow ventilation space of at least 5 cm on the top, 5 cm on the left and right, and 10 cm on the back of this unit.
- 3 Locate this unit away from other electrical appliances, motors, or transformers to avoid humming sounds.
- 4 Do not expose this unit to sudden temperature changes from cold to hot, and do not locate this unit in an environment with high humidity (i.e. a room with a humidifier) to prevent condensation inside this unit, which may cause an electrical shock, fire, damage to this unit, and/or personal injury.
- 5 Avoid installing this unit where foreign object may fall onto this unit and/or this unit may be exposed to liquid dripping or splashing. On the top of this unit, do not place:
  - Other components, as they may cause damage and/or discoloration on the surface of this unit.
  - Burning objects (i.e. candles), as they may cause fire, damage to this unit, and/or personal injury.
  - Containers with liquid in them, as they may fall and liquid may cause electrical shock to the user and/or damage to this unit.
- 6 Do not cover this unit with a newspaper, tablecloth, curtain, etc. in order not to obstruct heat radiation. If the temperature inside this unit rises, it may cause fire, damage to this unit, and/or personal injury.
- 7 Do not plug in this unit to a wall outlet until all connections are complete.
- 8 Do not operate this unit upside-down. It may overheat, possibly causing damage.
- 9 Do not use force on switches, knobs and/or cords.
- 10 When disconnecting the power cord from the wall outlet, grasp the plug; do not pull the cord.
- 11 Do not clean this unit with chemical solvents; this might damage the finish. Use a clean, dry cloth.
- 12 Only voltage specified on this unit must be used. Using this unit with a higher voltage than specified is dangerous and may cause fire, damage to this unit, and/or personal injury. YAMAHA will not be held responsible for any damage resulting from use of this unit with a voltage other than specified.
- 13 To prevent damage by lightning, disconnect the power cord from the wall outlet during an electrical storm.
- 14 Do not attempt to modify or fix this unit. Contact qualified YAMAHA service personnel when any service is needed. The cabinet should never be opened for any reasons.
- 15 When not planning to use this unit for long periods of time (i.e. vacation), disconnect the AC power plug from the wall outlet.
- 16 Be sure to read the “TROUBLESHOOTING” section on common operating errors before concluding that this unit is faulty.
- 17 Before moving this unit, press STANDBY/ON to set this unit in the standby mode, and disconnect the AC power plug from the wall outlet.

## WARNING

TO REDUCE THE RISK OF FIRE OR ELECTRIC SHOCK, DO NOT EXPOSE THIS UNIT TO RAIN OR MOISTURE.

This unit is not disconnected from the AC power source as long as it is connected to the wall outlet, even if this unit itself is turned off. This state is called the standby mode. In this state, this unit is designed to consume a very small quantity of power.

## FOR CANADIAN CUSTOMERS

To prevent electric shock, match wide blade of plug to wide slot and fully insert.

This Class B digital apparatus complies with Canadian ICES-003.

## IMPORTANT

Please record the serial number of this unit in the space below.

MODEL:

Serial No.:

The serial number is located on the rear of the unit.

Retain this Owner's Manual in a safe place for future reference.

## We Want You Listening For A Lifetime

YAMAHA and the Electronic Industries Association's Consumer Electronics Group want you to get the most out of your equipment by playing it at a safe level. One that lets the sound come through loud and clear without annoying blaring or distortion - and, most importantly, without affecting your sensitive hearing.

Since hearing damage from loud sounds is often undetectable until it is too late, YAMAHA and the Electronic Industries Association's Consumer Electronics Group recommend you to avoid prolonged exposure from excessive volume levels.



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# FEATURES

## Built-in 6-channel original Yamaha digital power amplifier

- ◆ Minimum RMS output power (0.9% THD, 1 kHz, 6Ω)  
Front: 70 W + 70 W  
Center: 70 W  
Surround: 70 W + 70 W  
Surround Back: 70 W
- ◆ (10% THD, 1 kHz, 4Ω)  
Front: 75 W + 75 W  
Center: 75 W  
Surround: 75 W + 75 W  
Surround Back: 75 W

## Sound field features

- ◆ Proprietary YAMAHA technology for the creation of sound fields
- ◆ Dolby Digital/Dolby Digital EX, DTS/DTS-ES Matrix 6.1, Discrete 6.1, DTS Neo:6, Dolby Pro Logic/Dolby Pro Logic II/Pro Logic IIx decoder
- ◆ Virtual CINEMA DSP
- ◆ SILENT CINEMA™

## Sophisticated AM/FM tuner

- ◆ 40-station random access preset tuning
- ◆ Automatic preset tuning

## Graphical User Interface (GUI)

- ◆ Large on-screen display output to your TV monitor
- ◆ “SET MENU” which provides you with items for optimizing this unit for your audio/video system
- ◆ Easy to use

## Other features

- ◆ 96-kHz/24-bit D/A converter
- ◆ Slim-line design
- ◆ Optical and coaxial digital audio signal jacks
- ◆ Sleep timer
- ◆ Night listening mode
- ◆ Remote control with preset manufacturer codes

• \* indicates a tip for your operation.

- Some operations can be performed by using either the buttons on the main unit or on the remote control. In cases when the button names differ between the main unit and the remote control, the button name on the remote control is given in parentheses.
- This manual is printed prior to production. Design and specifications are subject to change in part as a result of improvements, etc. In case of differences between the manual and product, the product has priority.



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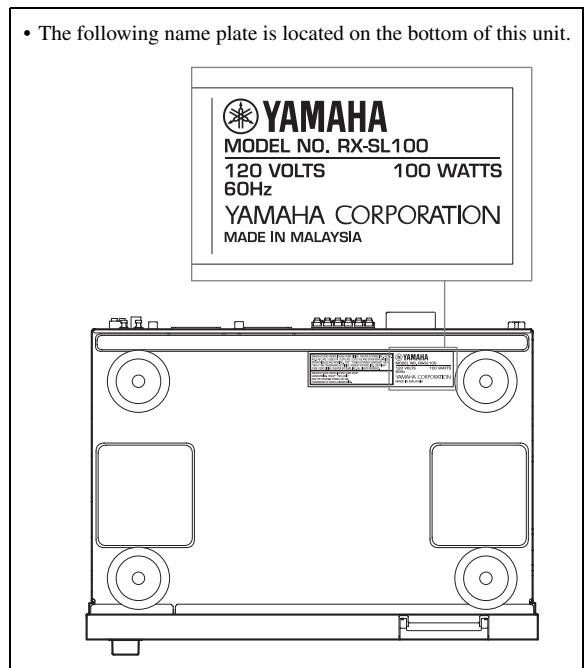
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“DTS” and “DTS-ES Digital Surround” and “Neo:6” are trademarks of Digital Theater Systems, Inc.

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- The following name plate is located on the bottom of this unit.

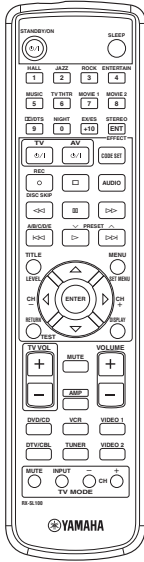


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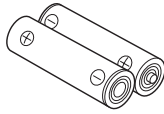
## Supplied accessories

Please check that you received all of the following parts.

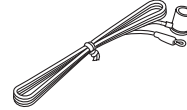
### Remote control



### Batteries (2) (AA, R6, UM-3)



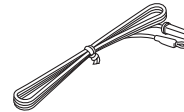
### Indoor FM antenna (U.S.A., Canada, Asia and General models)



### AM loop antenna



### (U.K., Europe and Australia models)

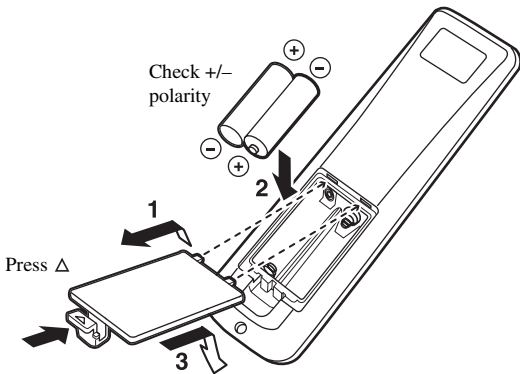


### Cable tags (6 pairs)



## Installing batteries in the remote control

Insert the batteries in the correct direction by aligning the + and - marks on the batteries with the polarity markings (+ and -) inside the battery component.



- 1 Remove the back cover.
- 2 Insert the two supplied batteries (AA, R6, UM-3) into the battery compartment.
- 3 Close the back cover.

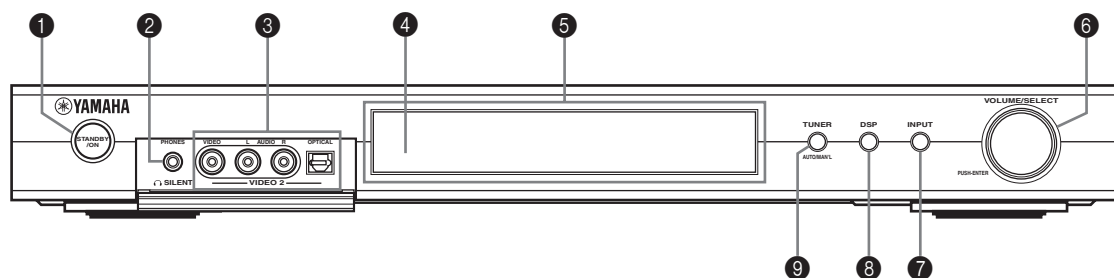
### Notes on batteries

- Change all of the batteries if you notice that the operation range of the remote control has decreased.
- Do not use old batteries together with new ones.
- Do not use different types of batteries (such as alkaline and manganese batteries) together. Read the packaging carefully as these different types of batteries may have the same shape and color.
- If the batteries have leaked, dispose of them immediately. Avoid touching the leaked material or letting it come into contact with clothing, etc. Clean the battery compartment thoroughly before installing new batteries.

If the remote control is without batteries for more than 3 minutes, or if exhausted batteries remain in the remote control, the contents of the memory may be cleared. When the memory is cleared, insert new batteries, set up the manufacturer code and program any acquired functions that may have been cleared.

# CONTROLS AND FUNCTIONS

## Front panel



### 1 STANDBY/ON

Turns on this unit or sets it to the standby mode. When you turn on this unit, you will hear a click and there will be a 4 to 5-second delay before this unit can reproduce sound.

#### Note

In standby mode, this unit consumes a small amount of power in order to receive infrared-signals from the remote control.

### 2 SILENT (PHONES jack)

Outputs audio signals for private listening with headphones. When you connect headphones, no signals are output to the OUTPUT jacks or to the speakers. All Dolby Digital and DTS audio signals are mixed down to the left and right headphone channels.

### 3 VIDEO 2 jacks

Input audio and video signals from a portable external source such as a game console. To reproduce source signals from these jacks, select VIDEO 2 as the input source.

### 4 Remote control sensor

Receives signals from the remote control.

### 5 Front panel display

Shows information about the operational status of this unit.

### 6 VOLUME/SELECT

Adjusts the volume. Also selects stations, sound field programs or input sources (etc.) when used together with TUNER, DSP or INPUT. If no operation is performed within 5 seconds of pressing TUNER, DSP or INPUT, the VOLUME/SELECT function automatically returns to volume.

### 7 INPUT

Activates the input select mode. Activates the AM, FM or preset tuning mode when TUNER is selected as the input source.

### 8 DSP

Activates the DSP sound field select mode or STEREO mode.

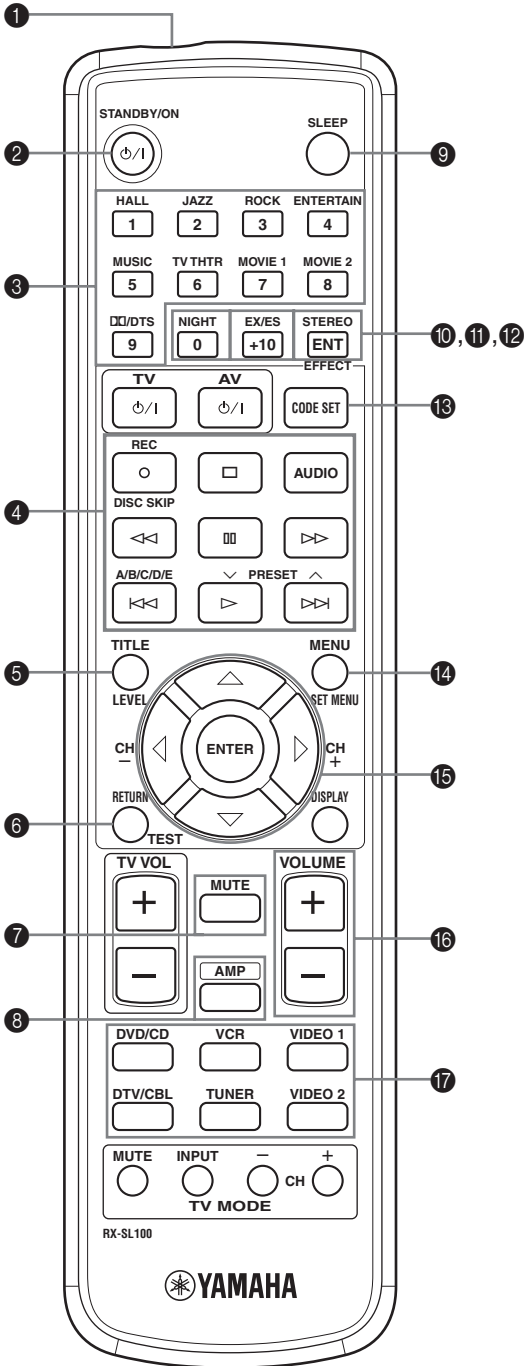
### 9 TUNER (AUTO/MAN'L)

Activates the tuning mode when TUNER is selected as the input source. Press before turning VOLUME/SELECT to tune in frequencies or preset radio stations. Switches the AM/FM tuning mode between automatic ("AUTO" indicator on) and manual ("AUTO" indicator off) tuning.



## Remote control (AMP mode)

Make sure that the AMP mode is selected before starting operation.



### ❶ Infrared window

Outputs infrared control signals. Aim this window at the component you want to operate.

### ❷ STANDBY/ON

Switches the unit on and sets it in the STANDBY mode.

### ❸ DSP program / Numeric buttons

Use to select sound field programs or input numbers according to the current control area.

### ❹ Operation buttons

Provide functions such as play, stop, skip, etc. for use when operating other components.

### ❺ LEVEL

Selects the speaker channel to be adjusted and sets the level.

### ❻ TEST

Outputs the test tone to adjust the speaker levels.

### ❼ MUTE

Mutes the sound. Press again to restore the audio output to the previous volume level.

### ❽ AMP

Sets the remote control to the AMP mode for controlling this unit (instead of the component selected using the input selector buttons).

### ❾ SLEEP

Sets the sleep timer.

### ❿ NIGHT

Turns night listening mode on or off.

### ⓫ EX/ES

Turns the Dolby Digital EX or DTS-ES decoder on or off.

### ⓬ STEREO/EFFECT

Switches between normal stereo and DSP effect reproduction.

### ⓭ CODE SET

Used to set up manufacturer codes.

**14 SET MENU**

Turns the SET MENU on or off.

**15 Multi control section**

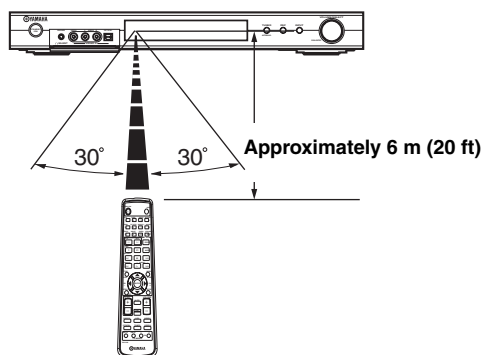
Use to select and adjust DSP program parameters or SET MENU items.

**16 VOLUME +/-**

Increases or decreases the volume level.

**17 Input selector buttons**

Use to select the input source and change the control area.

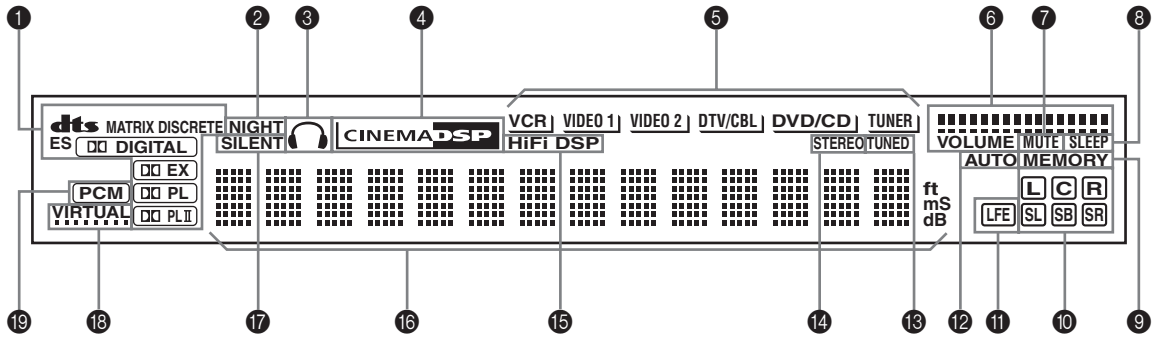
**Using the remote control**

The remote control transmits a directional infrared beam. Be sure to aim the remote control directly at the remote control sensor on the main unit during operation.

**■ Handling the remote control**

- Do not spill water or other liquids on the remote control.
- Do not drop the remote control.
- Do not leave or store the remote control in the following types of conditions:
  - high humidity such as near a bath
  - high temperature such as near a heater or stove
  - extremely low temperature
  - dusty places

## Front panel display



### 1 Processor indicators

When any of this unit's decoders function, the respective indicator lights up.

### 2 NIGHT indicator

Lights up when you select NIGHT LISTENING mode.

### 3 Headphones indicator

Lights up when headphones are connected.

### 4 CINEMA DSP indicator

Lights up when you select a CINEMA DSP sound field program.

### 5 Input source indicators

A cursor lights to show the current input source.

### 6 VOLUME level indicators

Indicate the volume level.

### 7 MUTE indicator

Flashes while the MUTE function is on.

### 8 SLEEP indicator

Lights up while the sleep timer is on.

### 9 MEMORY indicator

Flashes to show a station can be stored in memory.

### 10 Input channel indicators

Indicates the channel components of the input digital signal.

### 11 LFE indicator

Lights up when the input signal contains the LFE signal.

### 12 AUTO indicator

Shows that this unit is in the automatic tuning mode.

### 13 TUNED indicator

Lights up when this unit is tuned into a station.

### 14 STEREO indicator

Lights up when this unit is receiving a strong signal for an FM stereo broadcast while the "AUTO" indicator is lit.

### 15 HiFi DSP indicator

Lights up when you select a HiFi DSP sound field program.

### 16 Multi-information display

Shows the current sound field program name and other information when adjusting or changing settings.

### 17 SILENT indicator

Lights up when headphones are connected and a sound field program is selected (see page 20).

### 18 VIRTUAL indicator

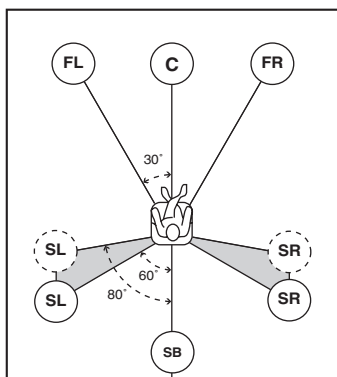
Lights up when Virtual CINEMA DSP is active (see page 32).

### 19 PCM indicator

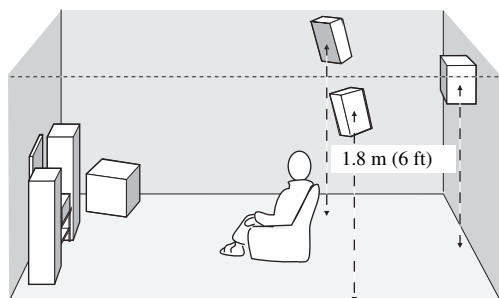
Lights up when this unit is reproducing PCM (pulse code modulation) digital audio signals.

# SPEAKER SETUP

## Speaker placement



The speaker layout above shows the standard ITU-R speaker setting.



### Front speakers (FR and FL)

The front speakers are used for the main source sound plus effect sounds. Place these speakers an equal distance from the ideal listening position. The distance of each speaker from each side of the video monitor should be the same.

### Center speaker (C)

The center speaker is for the center channel sounds (dialog, vocals, etc.). If for some reason it is not practical to use a center speaker, you can do without it. Best results, however, are obtained with the full system. Align the front face of the center speaker with the front face of your video monitor. Place the speaker centrally between the front speakers and as close to the monitor as possible, such as directly over or under it.

### Surround speakers (SR and SL)

The surround speakers are used for effect and surround sounds. Place these speakers behind your listening position, facing slightly inwards, about 1.8 m (6 ft) above the floor.

### Surround back speaker (SB)

The surround back speaker supplements the surround speakers and provide for more realistic front-to-back transitions. Place this speaker directly behind the listening position and at the same height as the surround speakers.

### Subwoofer

The use of a subwoofer, such as the YAMAHA Active Servo Processing Subwoofer System, is effective not only for reinforcing bass frequencies from any or all channels, but also for high fidelity reproduction of the LFE (low-frequency effect) channel included in Dolby Digital and DTS software. The position of the subwoofer is not so critical, because low bass sounds are not highly directional. But it is better to place the subwoofer near the front speakers. Turn it slightly toward the center of the room to reduce wall reflections.

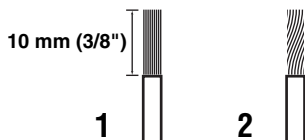
## Speaker connections

Be sure to connect the left channel (L), right channel (R), “+” (colored) and “-” (black) properly. If the connections are faulty, no sound will be heard from the speakers, and if the polarity of the speaker connections is incorrect, the sound will be unnatural and lack bass.

### CAUTION

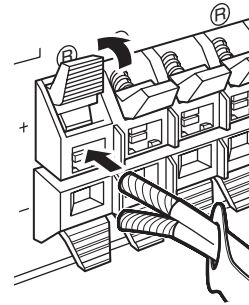
- Before connecting the speakers, make sure that the power of this unit is off.
- Do not let the bare speaker wires touch each other or do not let them touch any metal part of this unit. This could damage this unit and/or speakers.
- Use magnetically shielded speakers. If this type of speakers still creates the interference with the monitor, place the speakers away from the monitor.

A speaker cord is actually a pair of insulated cables running side by side. One cable is colored or shaped differently, perhaps with a stripe, groove or ridges. Connect the striped (grooved, etc.) cable to the “+” (colored) terminals on this unit and your speaker. Connect the plain cable to the “-” (black) terminals.



- 1 Remove approximately 10 mm (3/8") of insulation from each of the speaker cables.**
- 2 Twist the exposed wires of the cable together to prevent short circuits.**
- 3 Press and hold the tab to insert the speaker wire.**

- 4 Return the tab to secure the wire.**



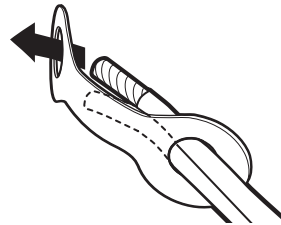
Colored: positive (+)  
Black: negative (-)

### ■ Cable tags

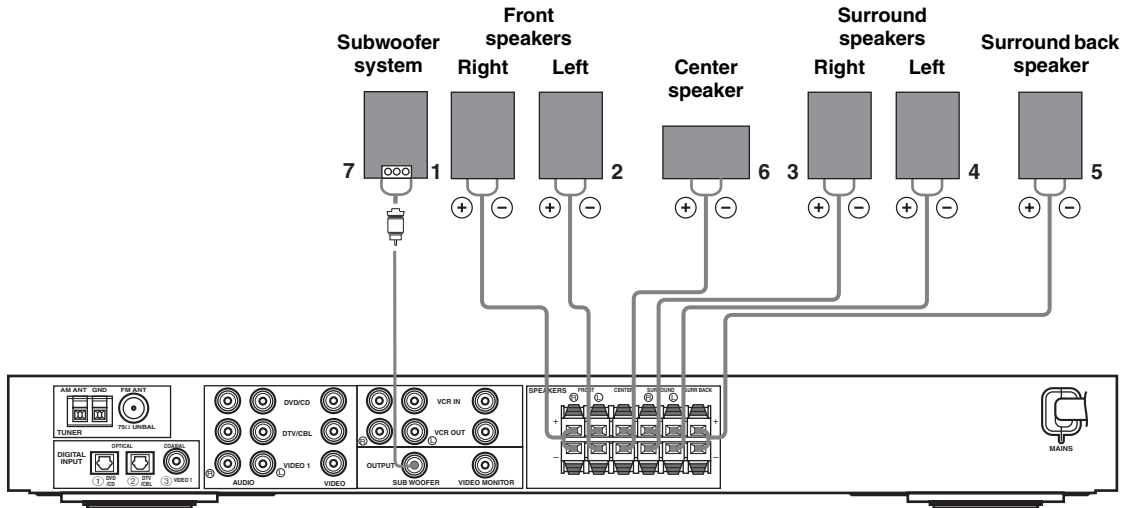
6 pairs of different colored cable tags are provided with this product. The colors of the cable tags and their respective speaker cables are as follows:

- Red: Front right speaker cable
- White: Front left speaker cable
- Green: Center speaker cable
- Gray: Surround right speaker cable
- Blue: Surround left speaker cable
- Brown: Surround back speaker cable

To make it easier to distinguish the various speaker cables, attach the colored tags to the appropriate speaker cables as shown below.



■ **Speaker connections**



- The surround back speaker outputs the surround back channel included in Dolby Digital EX and DTS-ES software and only operates when the Dolby Digital EX or DTS-ES decoder is turned on.

■ **FRONT terminals**

Connect your speaker system to these terminals.

■ **SURROUND terminals**

Connect surround speakers to these terminals.

■ **SURROUND BACK terminals**

Connect a surround back speaker to these terminals.

■ **CENTER terminals**

Connect a center speaker to these terminals.

■ **SUBWOOFER OUTPUT jack**

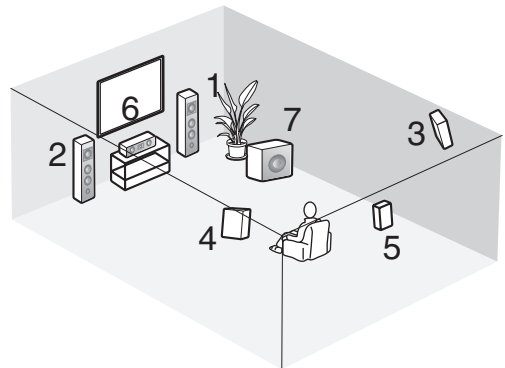
Connect a subwoofer with built-in amplifier, such as the YAMAHA Active Servo Processing Subwoofer System, to this jack.



You can easily distinguish between the cable pairs by attaching a supplied cable tag to each end of the respective speaker cable (see page 9).

**Notes**

- The cut-off frequency for the SUBWOOFER jack is 90 Hz.
- If you are not using a subwoofer, allocate the signals to the front left and right speakers by changing the setting item "LFE/Bass Out" to FRONT on the SOUND menu.
- Use the control on the subwoofer to adjust its volume level. You can also adjust the volume level using this unit's remote control (see page 34).



**Speaker layout**

# CONNECTIONS

## Before connecting components

### CAUTION

Do not connect this unit or other components to the mains power until all connections between components are complete.

- Make sure that all connections are made correctly - that is to say, L (left) to L, R (right) to R, “+” to “+” and “-” to “-”. Some components require different connection methods and have different jack names. Refer to the operating instructions for each component you wish to connect to this unit.
- After you have completed all connections, check them again to make sure they are correct.
- The jack names correspond to the names on the input selector.

### Signal directions and cable indications

audio signal direction 

video signal direction 

#### For analog signals

left analog cables 

right analog cables 

#### For digital signals

optical cables 

coaxial cables 

#### For video signals

video cables 

### Analog jacks

You can input analog signals from audio components by connecting audio pin cable to the analog jacks on this unit. Connect red plugs to the right jacks and white plugs to the left jacks.

### Digital jacks

This unit has digital jacks for direct transmission of digital signals through either coaxial or fiber optic cables. You can use the digital jacks to input PCM, Dolby Digital and DTS bitstreams. All digital input jacks are compatible with 96-kHz sampling digital signals.

### Notes

- This unit handles digital and analog signals independently. Thus audio signals input to the digital (OPTICAL or COAXIAL) jacks are not output to the analog VCR OUT (REC) jacks.
- The OPTICAL jacks on this unit conform to the EIA standard. If you use a fiber optic cable that does not conform to this standard, this unit may not function properly.

### Dust protection cap

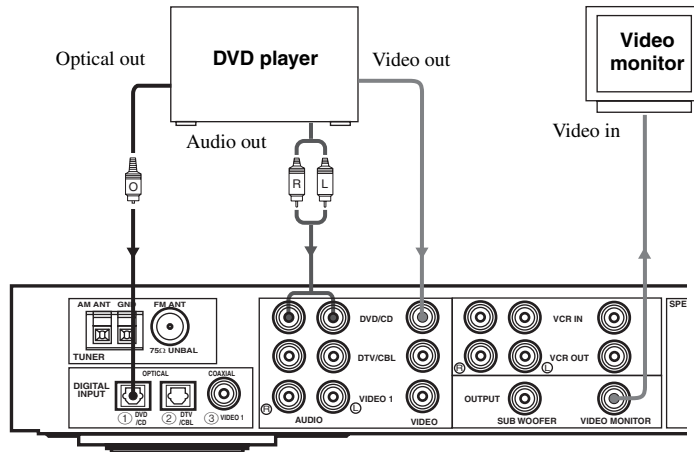
Pull out the cap from the optical jack before you connect the fiber optic cable. Do not discard the cap. When you are not using the optical jack, be sure to put the cap back in place. This cap protects the jack from dust.



## Connecting other components

### ■ Connections for DVD playback

Connect your DVD player and video monitor to the jacks on the rear panel of this unit.

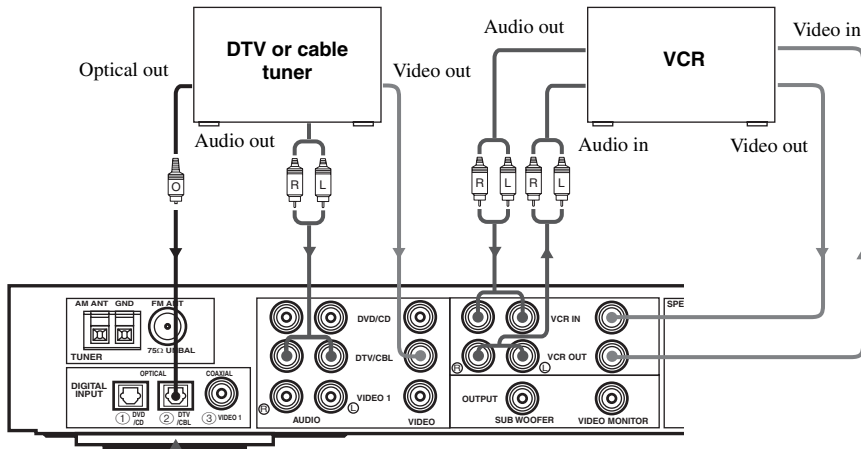


#### Note

You may experience some image distortion if your DVD player is connected to this unit through your VCR rather than being directly connected to this unit.

### ■ Connections for other AV components

Connect the desired component(s) to the jacks on the rear panel of this unit.

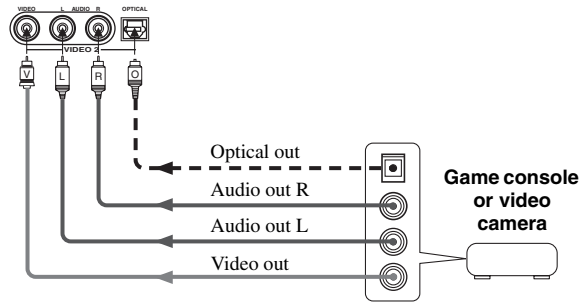


You can assign how this unit's DIGITAL INPUT jacks correspond to the component to be used if this unit's initial settings do not meet your needs (see page 41).



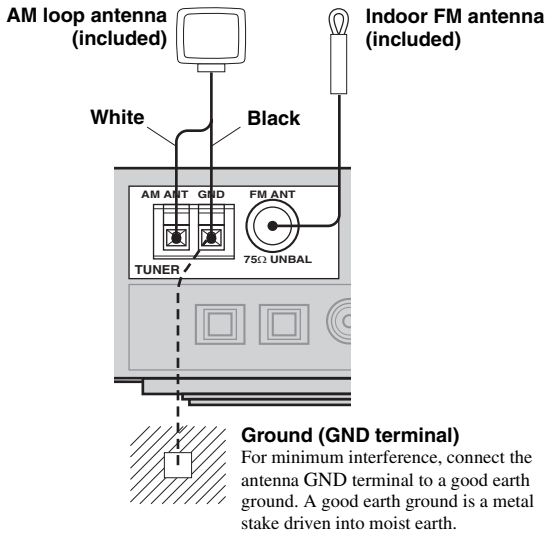
■ VIDEO 2 jacks (on the front panel)

Use these jacks to connect any video source, such as a game console or video camera, to this unit.



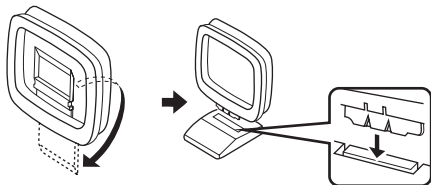
## Connecting the antennas

Both AM and FM indoor antennas are included with this unit. In general, these antennas should provide sufficient signal strength. Connect each antenna correctly to the designated terminals.

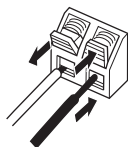


### ■ Connecting the AM loop antenna

- 1 Set up the AM loop antenna, then connect it to the terminals on this unit.



- 2 Press and hold the tab to insert the white cord into the AM ANT terminal and the black cord into the GND terminal.



- 3 Orient the AM loop antenna for the best reception.



### Notes

- The AM loop antenna should be placed away from this unit and all speaker cords.
- The AM loop antenna should always be connected, even if an outdoor AM antenna is connected to this unit.
- A properly installed outdoor antenna provides clearer reception than an indoor one. If you experience poor reception quality, an outdoor antenna may improve the quality. Consult the nearest authorized YAMAHA dealer or service center about outdoor antennas.

### ■ Frequency Step (Asia and General models only)

Because the interstation frequency spacing differs in different areas, set the FREQUENCY STEP (using the on-screen display operations) according to the frequency spacing in your area (see page 43).

- North, Central and South America: 100 kHz/10 kHz
- Other areas: 50 kHz/9 kHz

## Connecting the power

### ■ Connecting the AC power

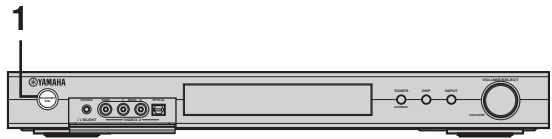
After all other connections are complete, plug the power cord to an AC wall outlet.

### ■ Memory back-up

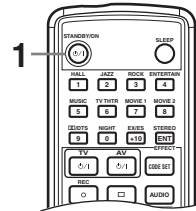
The memory back-up circuit prevents the stored data from being lost even if this unit is in the standby mode. However if the power cord is disconnected from the AC wall outlet, or the power supply is cut for more than one week, the stored data will be lost.

## Turning on the power

When all connections are complete, turn on the power of this unit.



or



- 1 Press **STANDBY/ON** on the front panel or remote control to turn on the power of this unit.



or



The level of the main volume, and then the current sound field program name appear on the front panel display.

- 2 Turn on the video monitor connected to this unit.

# BASIC SETUP

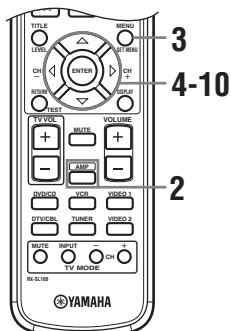
The BASIC setup feature is a useful way to set up your system quickly and with minimal effort. The BASIC setup items are displayed on both the front panel of this unit and your video monitor. By using the GUI (on your video monitor), you can easily make any necessary settings.



- In addition to using the BASIC menu, you can use the detailed parameters in the SOUND menu (page 38) to manually configure this unit using more precise adjustments.
- Altering any parameters in the BASIC menu will reset parameters in the SOUND menu.
- The explanations in this document are based on the GUI. The characters shown in the front panel display may differ from those on the GUI.

## Using BASIC setup

### ■ Speaker Set Up



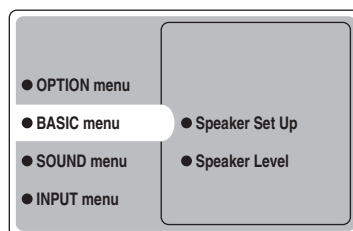
- 1 Switch on the receiver and video monitor.**  
Make sure the OSD is displayed on your video monitor.

- 2 Press AMP.**

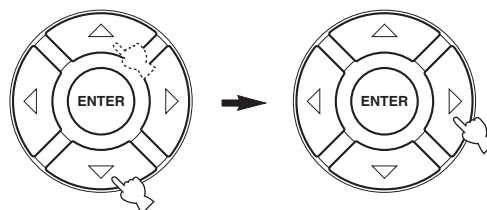


- 3 Press SET MENU.**

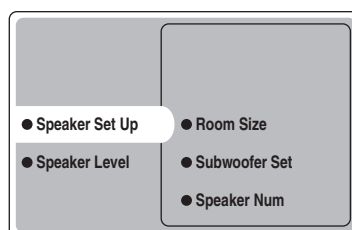
The top display appears on your video monitor.



- 4 Press  $\Delta/\nabla$  repeatedly to select BASIC menu, then press  $\triangleright$ .**



- 5 Press  $\Delta/\nabla$  repeatedly to select Speaker Set Up, then press  $\triangleright$ .**



**6 Press  $\Delta/\nabla$  repeatedly to select Room Size, then press ENTER.**

Use  $\Delta/\nabla$  to select the size of the room you have installed your speakers in, then press ENTER. Roughly speaking, the room sizes are defined as follows:

[U.S.A. and Canada models]	
S (small)	16 x 13 ft, 200 sq. ft (4.8 x 4.0 m, 20 m <sup>2</sup> )
M (medium)	20 x 16 ft, 300 sq. ft (6.3 x 5.0 m, 30 m <sup>2</sup> )
L (large)	26 x 19 ft, 450 sq. ft (7.9 x 5.8 m, 45 m <sup>2</sup> )

[Other models]	
S (small)	3.6 x 2.8 m, 10 m <sup>2</sup>
M (medium)	4.8 x 4.0 m, 20 m <sup>2</sup>
L (large)	6.3 x 5.0 m, 30 m <sup>2</sup>





















**7 Press  $\Delta/\nabla$  repeatedly to select Subwoofer Set, then press ENTER.**

Use  $\Delta/\nabla$  to select Yes or None, then press ENTER.

Yes	If you have a subwoofer in your system.
None	If you do not have a subwoofer in your system.

**8 Press  $\Delta/\nabla$  repeatedly to select Speaker Num, then press ENTER.**

Use  $\Delta/\nabla$  to select the number of speakers connected to the unit, then press ENTER. The choices vary as follows:

Choices	Display	Speakers
2 spk	 	Front L/R
3 spk	  	Front L/R, Center
4 spk	   	Front L/R, Surround L/R
5 spk	    	Front L/R, Center, Surround L/R
6 spk	     	Front L/R, Center, Surround L/R, Surround back

**9 After you have finished the settings, press  $\nabla$  repeatedly to select Setting OK?, then press ENTER.**

Use  $\Delta/\nabla$  to select Set or Cancel, then press ENTER.

Set	To apply the changes and start the test tone.
Cancel	To cancel the changes and return to Speaker Set Up.

Use the test tone to check the speaker levels. If you selected Set, the display changes to “CHECK: Test Tone”, and the unit outputs a test tone from each speaker in turn. When the test tone begins, the display changes to “CHECK OK: YES”.

**Notes**

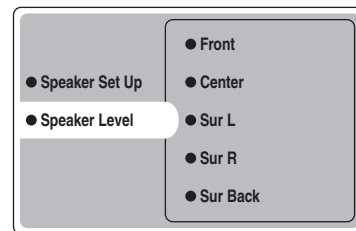
- The unit cycles the test tone around each of the speakers in turn twice.
- The indicator of the speaker currently outputting the test tone flashes on the front panel display.

**10 Press  $\Delta/\nabla$  repeatedly to select Yes or No, then press ENTER.**

Yes	To return to Speaker Set Up.
No	To enter Speaker Level.

**Speaker Level**

Use this menu to compare and adjust the test tone output from each speaker to the output from the left front (or left surround) speaker so that the volume level for all speakers is identical.



**Press ENTER to enter the Speaker Level adjustment menu, then press  $\Delta/\nabla$  to select a speaker and adjust the balance using  $\triangleleft/\triangleright$ .**

The unit outputs the test tone from the selected speaker and the left front (or left surround) speaker in turn. The indicator of the speaker currently outputting the test tone flashes on the front panel display.

**Front** Adjusts the balance between the front left and right speakers.

**Center** Adjusts the balance between the front left and center speakers.

**Sur L** Adjusts the balance between the front left and surround left speakers.

**Sur R** Adjusts the balance between the surround left and surround right speakers.

**Sur Back** Adjusts the balance between the surround left and surround back speakers.

**Subwoofer** Adjusts the balance between the front left speaker and the subwoofer.



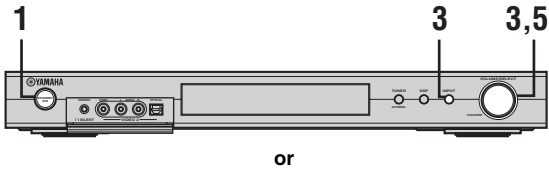
You can also make test tone setting adjustments by pressing TEST on the remote control.

**Memory back-up**

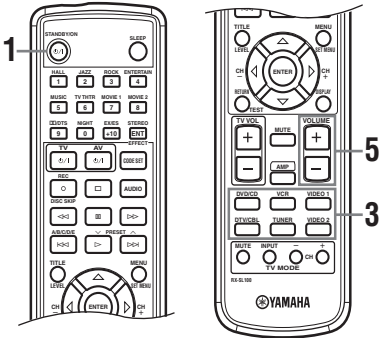
The memory back-up circuit prevents the stored data from being lost even if this unit is in the standby mode. However, if the power cord is disconnected from the AC outlet, or the power supply is cut for more than one week, the stored data will be lost. If so, adjust the items again.

# PLAYBACK

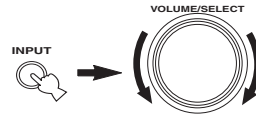
## Basic operations



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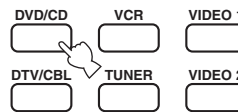


- 3 Press **INPUT**, then rotate **VOLUME/SELECT** within 5 seconds to select the input source (or press an input selector button on the remote control).



Front panel

or



Remote control

The current input source name and input mode appear in the front panel display for a few seconds.



Selected input source

Input mode

- 1 Press **STANDBY/ON** to turn on the power.



or



- 2 Turn on the video monitor connected to this unit.

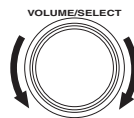
### Note

If no operation is performed within 5 seconds of pressing **INPUT** on the front panel, the function of **VOLUME/SELECT** switches back to volume.

- 4 Start playback or select a broadcast station on the source component.

Refer to the operation instructions for the component.

- 5 Adjust the volume to the desired output level.



or



**To listen with headphones (SILENT CINEMA)**

The SILENT CINEMA mode allows you to enjoy multi-channel music or movie sound, including Dolby Digital and DTS surround, through ordinary headphones. SILENT CINEMA activates automatically whenever you connect headphones to the PHONES jack while listening to CINEMA DSP or HiFi DSP sound field programs. The “SILENT CINEMA” indicator lights up on the front panel display. (If the sound field programs are off, you listen with normal stereo reproduction.)

**To mute the sound**

Press MUTE on the remote control. “MUTE” blinks on the front panel display.

To resume the audio output, press MUTE again (or press VOLUME +/-). “MUTE” disappears from the display.

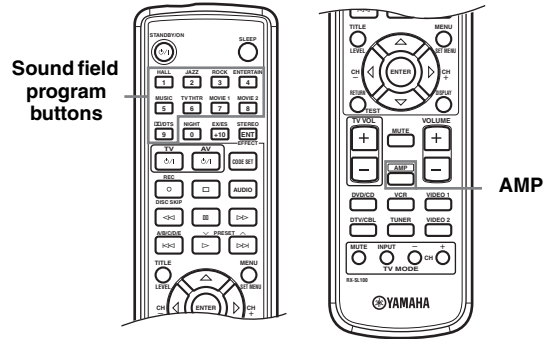


You can adjust the muting level (see page 43).



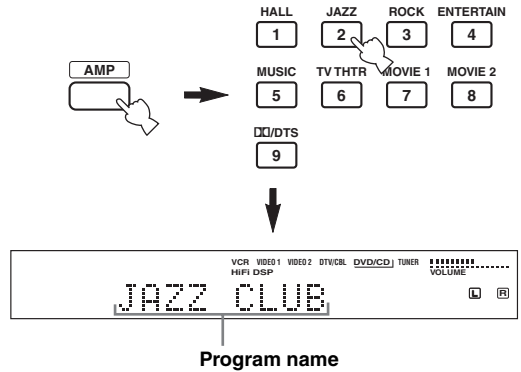
**Selecting sound field programs**

■ Remote control operation



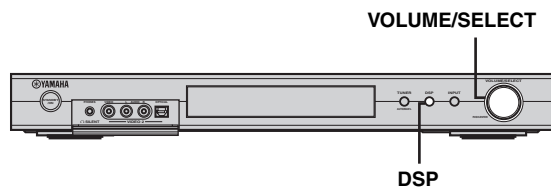
**Press AMP to select the AMP mode, then press one of the sound field program buttons repeatedly to select the desired program.**

The name of the selected program appears on the front panel display.



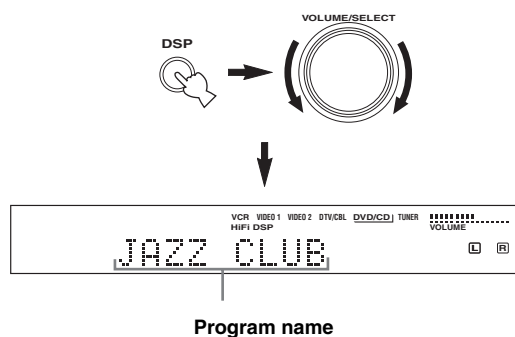


## ■ Front panel operation



Press **DSP**, then rotate **VOLUME/SELECT** within **5 seconds**.

The name of the selected program appears on the front panel display.



Choose a sound field program based on your listening preference, and not on the name of the program.

### Notes

- If no operation is performed within 5 seconds of pressing DSP on the front panel, the function of VOLUME/SELECT switches back to volume.
- There are 9 programs with sub-programs available with this unit. However, the selection depends on the input signal format and not all sub-programs can be used with all input signal formats.
- The acoustics of your listening room affect the sound field program. Minimize the sound reflections in your room to maximize the effect created by the program.
- When you select an input source, this unit automatically selects the last sound field program used with that source.
- When you set this unit in standby mode, it stores the current source and sound field program in memory and automatically selects them when you turn on the power again.
- If the unit receives a Dolby Digital or DTS signal when the input mode is set to AUTO, the CINEMA DSP sound field programs automatically switches to the appropriate decoding program.
- When the unit is reproducing a monaural source with PRO LOGIC, PRO LOGIC Enhanced, PRO LOGIC II Movie or PRO LOGIC IIx Movie, no sound is output from the front and surround speakers. Sound can only be heard from the center speaker. (If "Center" on the SOUND menu is set to None, the center channel sound is output from the front speakers.)

## ■ Listening at night

This mode reproduces dialogue clearly while reducing the volume of loud sound effects for easier listening at low volumes or at night.

Press **NIGHT** on the remote control.

The NIGHT indicator in the front panel display lights up.

Press NIGHT again to cancel. The NIGHT indicator goes off.

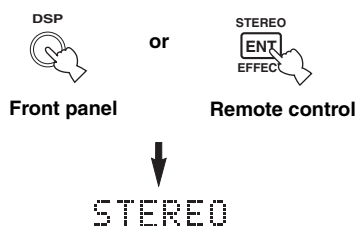


- You can use the night listening mode with any sound field program.
- Night listening mode may vary in effectiveness depending on the input source and surround sound settings you use.

## ■ Normal stereo reproduction

Press **DSP** on the front panel (or press **STEREO/EFFECT** on the remote) to select **STEREO**.

Press again so that "STEREO" disappears from the display when you want to turn the sound effect back on.



### Notes

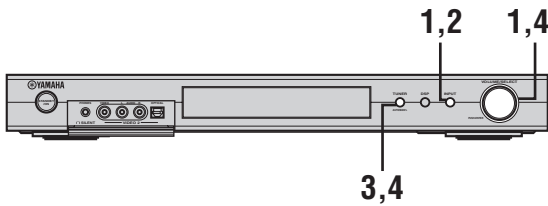
- If you turn off the sound effects, no sound is output from the center speaker, surround speakers, or surround back speaker.
- If you turn off the sound effects while the unit is reproducing sound from a Dolby Digital or DTS signal, the dynamic range of the signal is automatically compressed and the unit downmixes the sound of the center and surround speaker channels to output them from the front speakers.
- The volume may be greatly reduced when you turn off the sound effects or if you set Dynamic Range to "MIN" (see page 40). In this case, turn on the sound effect.

# TUNING

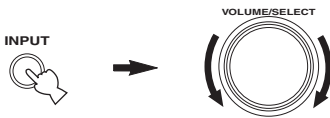
## Automatic and manual tuning

There are 2 tuning methods; automatic and manual. Automatic tuning is effective when station signals are strong and there is no interference.

### Automatic tuning



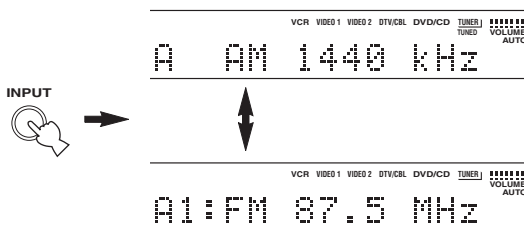
- 1 Press **INPUT**, then rotate **VOLUME/SELECT** within 5 seconds to select **TUNER**.



#### Note

If no operation is performed within 5 seconds of pressing **INPUT** on the front panel, the function of **VOLUME/SELECT** switches back to volume.

- 2 Press **INPUT** repeatedly on the front panel to select the reception band you want to tune. "FM" or "AM" and the current frequency appear on the front panel display.



- 3 Hold down **TUNER (AUTO/MAN'L)** for more than 1 second so that the "AUTO" indicator lights up on the front panel display.

If "AUTO" is already lit up on the front panel display, you do not need to perform this step. In this case, skip to step 4.



- 4 Press **TUNER (AUTO/MAN'L)**, then rotate **VOLUME/SELECT** within 5 seconds to begin automatic tuning.

Rotate rightward to tune to a higher frequency, or rotate leftward to tune to a lower frequency.



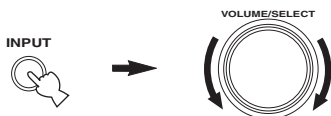
#### Note

When tuned into a station, the "TUNED" indicator lights up and the frequency of the received station is shown on the front panel display.

## Manual tuning

If the signal from the station you want to select is weak, you must tune into it manually.

### 1 Press INPUT, then rotate VOLUME/SELECT within 5 seconds to select TUNER.

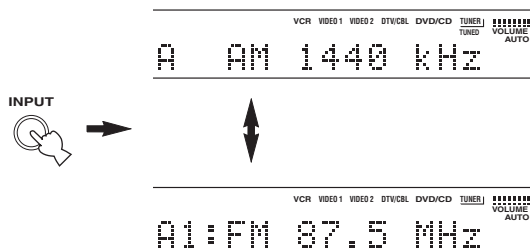


#### Note

If no operation is performed within 5 seconds of pressing INPUT on the front panel, the function of VOLUME/SELECT switches back to volume.

### 2 Press INPUT repeatedly on the front panel to select the reception band you want to tune.

“FM” or “AM” and the current frequency appear on the front panel display.



### 3 Hold down TUNER (AUTO/MAN'L) for a few seconds until the “AUTO” indicator disappears from the front panel display.

If “AUTO” is not shown on the front panel display, you do not need to perform this step. In this case, skip to step 4.



Disappears

### 4 Press TUNER (AUTO/MAN'L), then rotate VOLUME/SELECT within 5 seconds to tune into the desired station manually.

Rotate rightward to tune to a higher frequency, or rotate leftward to tune to a lower frequency.



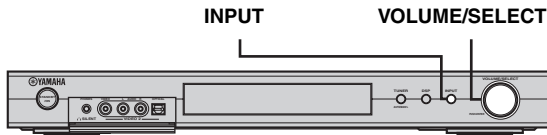
#### Notes

- Manually tuning to FM stations will automatically change the reception mode to monaural to increase the signal sensitivity.
- When tuned into a station, the “TUNED” indicator lights up and the frequency of the received station is shown on the front panel display.

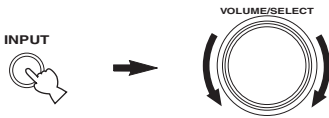
## Presetting stations

### ■ Automatically presetting FM stations

You can use the automatic preset tuning feature to store FM stations. This function enables this unit to automatically tune in to FM stations with strong signals, and to store up to 40 (8 stations x 5 groups) of those stations in order. You can then recall any preset station easily by selecting the preset station number.



#### 1 Press INPUT, then rotate VOLUME/SELECT within 5 seconds to select TUNER.



#### Note

If no operation is performed within 5 seconds of pressing INPUT on the front panel, the function of VOLUME/SELECT switches back to volume.

#### 2 Press INPUT repeatedly on the front panel to select the FM band you want to preset.

“FM” appears on the front panel display.



#### 3 Hold down VOLUME/SELECT for more than 6 seconds.

The “AUTO” and “MEMORY” indicators flash in the display and after about 5 seconds, automatic presetting starts from the lowest frequency, proceeding to higher frequencies.



When automatic preset tuning is completed, the front panel display shows the frequency of the last preset station.

#### Notes

- Any stored station data existing under a preset number is cleared when you store a new station under that preset number.
- If the number of the received stations does not reach E8, automatic preset tuning automatically stops after searching all stations.
- Only FM stations with sufficient signal strength are stored automatically by automatic preset tuning. If the station you want to store is weak in signal strength, tune in to it manually in the monaural mode, and store it by following the procedure in “Manually presetting stations”.

#### Memory back-up

The memory back-up circuit prevents the stored data from being lost even if this unit is set in the standby mode, the power cord is disconnected from the AC outlet, or the power supply is temporarily cut due to power failure. However, if the power is cut for more than one week, the preset stations may be cleared. If so, store the stations again by using the presetting station methods.

## Manually presetting stations

You can also store up to 40 stations (8 stations x 5 groups) manually.

### 1 Tune into a station.

See page 22 for tuning instructions.



When tuned into a station, the front panel display shows the frequency of the station received.

### 2 Hold down VOLUME/SELECT for approximately 3 seconds to activate the manual tuning mode.

The colon (:) blinks and the “MEMORY” indicator flashes in the display.



Rotate VOLUME/SELECT to select a preset station number (A1 to E8) while “MEMORY” is flashing. Rotate rightward to select a higher preset station number, or rotate leftward to select a lower preset station number.

#### Note

When presetting an FM station, pressing VOLUME/SELECT for an extended period activates the automatic preset tuning feature (see page 24).

### 3 Press VOLUME/SELECT to set the selected preset station number.

The station band and frequency appear on the front panel display with the preset group and number you have selected.



Repeat steps 1 to 3 to store other stations.

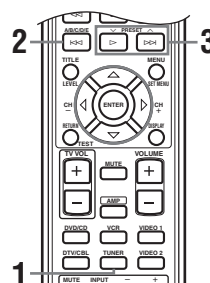
#### Notes

- Any stored station data existing under a preset number is cleared when you store a new station under that preset number.
- The reception mode (stereo or monaural) is stored along with the station frequency.

## Selecting preset stations

You can tune into any desired station simply by selecting the preset station number under which it was stored.

### Remote control operation



### 1 Press TUNER to select TUNER.

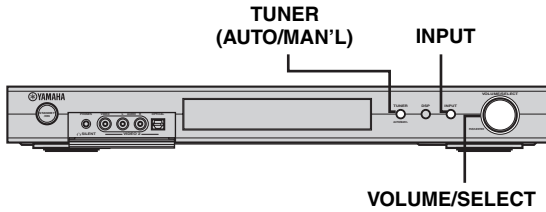
### 2 Press A/B/C/D/E to select the preset station group.

The preset group letter appears on the front panel display and changes each time you press the button.

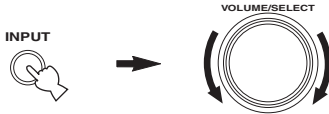
### 3 Press ^ PRESET v (or use the numeric buttons) to select a preset station number (A1 to E8).

The preset group and number appear on the front panel display along with the station band, frequency and the “TUNED” indicator lights up.

■ Front panel operation

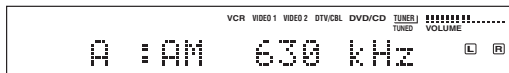


- 1 Press **INPUT**, then rotate **VOLUME/SELECT** within 5 seconds to select **TUNER**.



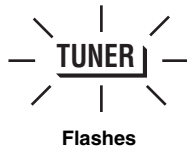
- 2 Press **INPUT** repeatedly to select preset tuning mode.

A colon (:) appears on the front panel display in front of the station band and frequency.



- 3 Press **TUNER (AUTO/MAN'L)**.

The "TUNER" indicator flashes for about 5 seconds, and **VOLUME/SELECT** shifts to the preset number selection mode.



Flashes

- 4 Rotate **VOLUME/SELECT** to select a preset station while the "TUNER" indicator is flashing.

# RECORDING

Recording adjustments and other operations are performed from the recording components. For details, refer to the operation instructions for those components.

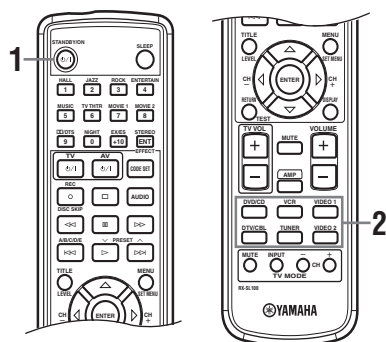
Before you begin, make sure you have connected all components properly.

## Notes

- It is not possible to record signals input through the DIGITAL INPUT jacks.
- Do a test recording before you start an actual recording.
- The volume, speaker level, and sound field program settings do not affect the recorded material.



or



**1** Turn on the power of this unit and all connected components.

**2** Press **INPUT**, then rotate **VOLUME/SELECT** within 5 seconds (or press an input selector button on the remote control) to select the source component (input source) you want to record from, such as “VIDEO 1”, “DTV/CBL”, or “DVD/CD” (see page 19).

**3** Start playback (or select a broadcast station) on the source component.

**4** Start recording on the recording component.

## Notes

- When this unit is set in the standby mode, you cannot record between other components connected to this unit.
- The setting of **TONE CONTROL**, **VOLUME**, **SP LEVEL** (page 17) and programs does not affect the recorded material.
- The **VCR IN** signal is not output from the **VCR OUT** jacks.
- Check the copyright laws in your country to record from records, CDs, radio, etc. Recording of copyrighted material may infringe copyright laws.

If you playback a video source that uses scrambled or encoded signals to prevent it from being dubbed, the picture itself may be disturbed due to those signals.

# SOUND FIELD PROGRAM DESCRIPTIONS

This unit is equipped with a variety of precise digital decoders that allow you to enjoy multi-channel playback from almost any sound source (stereo or multi-channel). This unit is also equipped with a YAMAHA digital sound field processing (DSP) chip containing several sound field programs which you can use to enhance your playback experience. Most of these sound field programs are precise digital recreations of actual acoustic environments found in famous concert halls, music venues, and movie theaters.



The YAMAHA CINEMA DSP modes are compatible with all Dolby Digital, DTS, and Dolby Surround sources. Set Input Mode to Variable(Auto) (see page 42) to enable this unit to automatically switch to the appropriate digital decoder according to the input signal.

## For Hi-Fi DSP programs

You can select from the following sound fields when playing music sources, like CD, FM/AM broadcasting, tapes, etc.

Source type	Remote button	Program	Sub program	Features
For music sources	HALL 1	CONCERT HALL	–	HiFi DSP processing. A large round concert hall with a rich surround effect. Pronounced reflections from all directions emphasize the extension of sounds. The sound field has a great deal of presence, and your virtual seat is near the center, close to the stage.
	JAZZ 2	JAZZ CLUB	–	HiFi DSP processing. This is the sound field at stage front in “The Bottom Line”, a famous New York jazz club. The floor can seat 300 people to the left and right in a sound field offering a real and vibrant sound.
	ROCK 3	ROCK CONCERT	–	HiFi DSP processing. The ideal program for lively, dynamic rock music. The data for this program was recorded at LA’s “hottest” rock club. The listener’s virtual seat is at the center-left of the hall.
	ENTERTAIN 4	ENTERTAINMENT	Disco	HiFi DSP processing. This program recreates the acoustic environment of a lively disco in the heart of a big city. The sound is dense and highly concentrated. It is also characterized by high-energy, “immediate” sound.
		ENTERTAINMENT	6ch Stereo	Use to increase the output stereo sources (in stereo) from all speakers. This provides a larger sound field and is ideal for background music at parties, etc.
	DOLBY/DTS 9	PRO LOGIC II	PLII Music	Dolby Pro Logic II processing for 2-channel music software.
			PLII Game	Dolby Pro Logic II processing for 2-channel game software.
		PRO LOGIC IIx	PLIIx Music	Dolby Pro Logic IIx processing for 2-channel music software.
			PLIIx Game	Dolby Pro Logic IIx processing for 2-channel game software.
DTS	Neo:6 Music	DTS processing for music software.		



## For CINEMA-DSP programs

You can select from the following sound fields when playing movie or video sources, like DVD, digital TV, video tapes, etc.

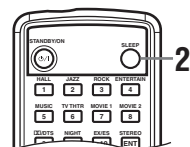
Source type	Remote button	Program	Sub program	Features
For audio-video sources	ENTERTAIN 4	ENTERTAINMENT	Game	CINEMA DSP processing. This program adds a deep and spatial feeling to video game sounds.
	MUSIC 5	MUSIC VIDEO	–	CINEMA DSP processing. This program produces an enthusiastic atmosphere and lets you feel as if you are at an actual jazz or rock concert.
	TV THTR 6	TV THEATER	Mono Movie	CINEMA DSP processing. This program is provided for reproducing monaural video sources (such as old movies). The program produces the optimum reverberation to create sound depth using only the presence sound field.
For movie programs	MOVIE 1 7	MOVIE THEATER 1	Spectacle	CINEMA DSP processing. This program creates the extremely wide sound field of a 70-mm movie theater. It precisely reproduces the source sound in detail, making both the video and the sound field incredibly real. This is ideal for any kind of video source encoded with Dolby Surround, Dolby Digital or DTS (especially large-scale movie productions).
			Sci-Fi	CINEMA DSP processing. This program clearly reproduces dialog and sound effects in the latest sound form for science fiction films, thus creating a broad and expansive cinematic space amid silence. You can enjoy science fiction films in a virtual-space sound field that includes Dolby Surround, Dolby Digital and DTS-encoded software employing the most advanced techniques.
	MOVIE 2 8	MOVIE THEATER 2	General	CINEMA DSP processing. This program is for reproducing sounds from 70-mm and multi-channel soundtrack films, and is characterized by soft and extensive sound field. The presence sound field is relatively narrow. It spatially spreads all around and toward the screen, restraining the echo effect of conversations without losing clarity.
			Adventure	CINEMA DSP processing. This program is ideal for precisely reproducing the sound design of the newest 70-mm and multi-channel soundtrack films. The sound field is made to be similar to that of the newest movie theaters, so the reverberations of the sound field itself are restrained as much as possible.
	DOLBY/DTS 9	DOLBY DIGITAL	–	Standard 5.1-channel processing for Dolby Digital sources.
			ENHANCED	CINEMA DSP Enhanced processing for Dolby Digital sources.
		DTS	–	Standard 5.1-channel processing for DTS sources.
			ENHANCED	CINEMA DSP Enhanced processing for DTS sources.
		PRO LOGIC	–	Standard processing for Dolby Surround sources.
			ENHANCED	CINEMA DSP Enhanced processing for Dolby Surround sources.
PRO LOGIC II		PLII Movie	Dolby Pro Logic II processing for 2-channel movie software.	
PRO LOGIC IIX		PLIIX Movie	Dolby Pro Logic IIX processing for 2-channel movie software.	
DTS	Neo:6 Cinema	DTS processing for movie software.		

# ADVANCED OPERATIONS

## Using the sleep timer

Use this feature to automatically set this unit in the standby mode after a certain amount of time. The sleep timer is useful when you are going to sleep while this unit is playing or recording a source.

### ■ Setting the sleep timer

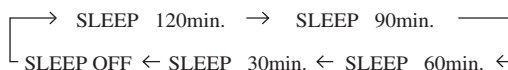


**1** Select a source and start playback on the source component.

**2** Press **SLEEP** repeatedly on the remote control to set the amount of time.

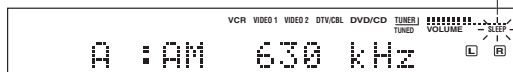


Each time you press **SLEEP**, the front panel display changes as shown below. The **SLEEP** indicator flashes while switching the amount of time for the sleep timer.



The “**SLEEP**” indicator lights up on the front panel display after the sleep timer has been set.

Lights



### ■ Canceling the sleep timer

Press **SLEEP** repeatedly on the remote control until “**SLEEP OFF**” appears on the front panel display. After a few seconds, “**SLEEP OFF**” disappears, and the “**SLEEP**” indicator goes off.

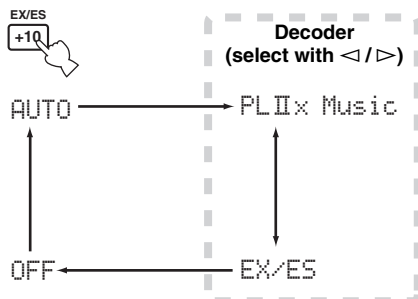


The sleep timer setting can also be canceled by pressing **STANDBY** on the remote control (or **STANDBY/ON** on the front panel) to set this unit to the standby mode.

## Enjoying multi-channel software

If you connected a surround back speaker, use this feature to enjoy 6.1-channel playback for multi-channel sources using the Dolby Digital Pro Logic IIX, Dolby Digital Surround EX or DTS-ES decoders.

Press **EX/ES** on the remote control to switch between 5.1- and 6.1-channel playback.



To select a decoder, press **</>** repeatedly when **PLIIX Music** (etc.) is displayed.

### AUTO

When a signal (flag) that can be recognized by the unit is input, the unit selects the optimum decoder for playing back the signal in 6.1 channels. If the unit cannot recognize the flag or no flag is present in the input signal, it cannot automatically be played in 6.1 channels.

### Decoders (select with </>)

You can select from the following modes depending on the format of the software you are playing.

#### PLIIX Music

For playing back Dolby Digital or DTS signals in 6.1 channels using the Pro Logic IIX decoder.

#### EX/ES

For playing back Dolby Digital signals in 6.1 channels using the Dolby Digital Surround EX decoder.

DTS signals are played back in 6.1 channels using the DTS-ES decoder.

#### OFF

For playing back Dolby Digital or DTS signals in 5.1 channels.

**Notes**

- Some 6.1-channel compatible discs do not have a signal (flag) which this unit can automatically detect. When playing these kinds of discs with 6.1-channel, select “ON”.
- 6.1-channel playback is not possible even if EX/ES is pressed in the following cases:
  - When Surround Back is set to “None” (see page 39).
  - When the sound effect is turned off.
  - When the source being played does not contain surround L/R channel signals.
  - When Dolby Digital KARAOKE source is being played.
  - When headphones are connected.
  - When “6ch Stereo” is selected.
- When the power of this unit is turned off, the input mode will be reset to AUTO.
- The Pro Logic IIx decoder cannot be used in the following cases:
  - When Surround Back is set to “None” (see page 39).
  - When Speaker Num is not set to “6 spk” (see page 17).

**Enjoying 2-channel software**

Signals input from 2-channel sources can also be played back on multiple channels.

**Press DDD/DTS on the remote control to select the decoder.**



You can select from the following modes depending on the type of software you are playing and your personal preference.

**PRO LOGIC**

Standard processing for Dolby Surround sources.

**PRO LOGIC ENHANCED**

CINEMA DSP enhanced processing for Dolby Surround sources.

**PRO LOGIC IIx Movie (PRO LOGIC II Movie)\***

Dolby Pro Logic II/IIx processing for movie sources.

**PRO LOGIC IIx Music (PRO LOGIC II Music)\***

Dolby Pro Logic II/IIx processing for music sources.

**PRO LOGIC IIx Game (PRO LOGIC II Game)\***

Dolby Pro Logic II/IIx processing for games.

**DTS Neo:6 Cinema**

DTS processing for movie sources.

**DTS Neo:6 Music**

DTS processing for music sources.

\* Use the PLII/PLIIX parameter to select the Pro Logic II or Pro Logic IIx decoders (see page 48).

**Notes**

- The Pro Logic IIx decoder cannot be used in the following cases:
  - When Surround Back is set to “None” (see page 39).
  - When Speaker Num is not set to “6 spk” (see page 17).
- You cannot play back DTS 2ch stereo sources with the PLIIX decoder.

## Virtual CINEMA DSP

Virtual CINEMA DSP allows you to enjoy the CINEMA DSP programs without surround speakers. It creates virtual speakers to reproduce the natural sound field. If you do not connect surround speakers, Virtual CINEMA DSP activates automatically whenever you select a CINEMA DSP sound field program.

### Note

Virtual CINEMA DSP will not activate, even when Surround L/R is set to "None" (see page 39), in the following cases:

- When the 6ch Stereo, DOLBY DIGITAL, Pro Logic, Pro Logic II, or DTS program is selected.
- When the sound effect is turned off.
- When a digital signal with a sampling frequency greater than 48 kHz is input to this unit.
- When using the test tone; or effect.
- When headphones are connected.

## Selecting input modes

This unit comes with a variety of input jacks. Do the following to select the type of input signals you want to use.

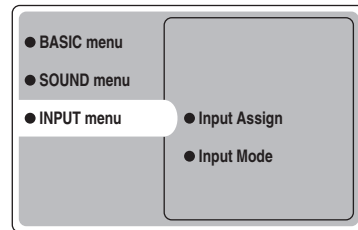
Use this feature to designate the input mode for sources connected to the DIGITAL INPUT jacks when you turn on this unit (see page 42 for details about the input mode).

Use this menu to manually adjust any input setting.

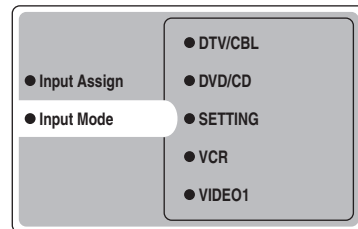
**1 Press AMP.**

**2 Press SET MENU.**

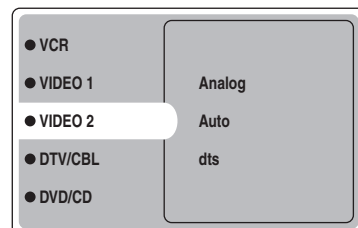
**3 Press  $\Delta/\nabla$  repeatedly to select INPUT menu, then press  $\triangleright$ .**



**4 Press  $\Delta/\nabla$  repeatedly to select Input Mode, then press  $\triangleright$ .**



**5 Press  $\Delta/\nabla$  repeatedly to select an input source (VCR, VIDEO 1, VIDEO 2, DTV/CBL, DVD/CD), then press ENTER.**



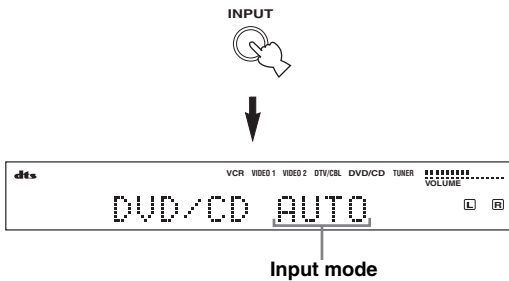
**6 Press  $\Delta/\nabla$  repeatedly to select the desired input mode, then press ENTER.**

- Analog Selects only analog signals. If no analog signals are input, no sound is output.
- Auto Automatically selects input signals in the following order:  
1) Digital signals\*  
2) Analog signals
- dts Selects only digital signals encoded in DTS. If no DTS signals are input, no sound is output.

\* If this unit detects a Dolby Digital or DTS signal, the decoder automatically switches to the appropriate sound field program.

**■ Front panel operation**

Press INPUT repeatedly until the desired input mode is shown on the front panel display.



- Analog In this mode, only analog input signals are selected, even the unit is receiving digital signals at the same time.
- Auto In this mode, the input signal is selected automatically as follows:  
1) Digital signal  
2) Analog signal
- dts In this mode, only digital input signals encoded with DTS are selected, even if the unit is receiving another signal simultaneously.



You can adjust the default input mode this unit selects when the power is turned on with the SETTING parameter in Input Mode (see page 42).

**Notes**

- When the SETTING parameter in Input Mode is set to Fixed, you cannot switch the input mode by pressing INPUT (see page 42).
- When Auto is selected, this unit automatically determines the type of signal. If it detects a Dolby Digital or DTS signal, the decoder automatically switches to the appropriate setting.
- When playing a disc encoded with Dolby Digital or DTS on some LD or DVD players, there is a delay in sound output for a moment when playback resumes after a search, because the unit must select the digital signal again.
- When playing an LD source that has not been digitally recorded, the unit may not output any sound for some LD players. In this case, set the input mode to Analog.

**■ Notes on digital signals**

The digital input jacks of this unit can handle 96 kHz sampling digital signals. Note the following when a digital signal with a sampling frequency greater than 48 kHz is input to this unit:

- You cannot use any DSP programs.
- The unit will output sound as 2-channel stereo from the front left and right speakers only. Therefore, you cannot adjust the level of the surround speakers while listening to such a source.

**■ Notes on playing DTS-CD/LDs**

- If the digital output data of the player has been processed in any way, the unit may not be able to perform DTS decoding even if there is a digital connection between this unit and the player.
- If you play a source encoded with a DTS signal and set the input mode to Analog, the unit may reproduce the noise of an unprocessed DTS signal. In this case, connect the source to a digital input jack on this unit and set the input mode to Auto or dts.
- If you switch the input mode to Analog while playing a source encoded with a DTS signal, the unit does not output any sound.
- If you play a source encoded with a DTS signal with the input mode set to Auto:
  - The unit automatically switches to the DTS decoding mode (The “**dts**” indicator lights up) after detecting the DTS signal. When playback of the DTS source is completed, the “**dts**” indicator may flash. While this indicator is flashing, the unit can only reproduce DTS source. If you want to play a normal PCM source immediately, change the input mode back to Auto.
  - When the input mode is set to Auto and a search or skip operation is performed during playback of a DTS source, the “**dts**” indicator may flash. If this state continues for longer than 30 seconds, the unit will automatically switch from “DTS-decoding” mode to PCM digital signal input mode. The “**dts**” indicator will turn off.

■ **Displaying information about the input source**

You can display the type, format and sampling frequency of the current input signal.

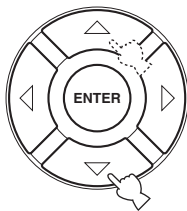
**1 Press AMP.**

**2 Press STEREO/EFFECT so that “STEREO” appears in the display.**



STEREO

**3 Press  $\Delta/\nabla$  to display the following information about the input signal.**



- (Format) Signal format display. When the unit cannot detect a digital signal it automatically switches to analog input.
- in Number of source channels in the input signal. For example, a multi-channel soundtrack with 3 front channels, 2 surround channels and LFE, is displayed as “3/2/LFE”.
- fs Sampling frequency. When the unit is unable to detect the sampling frequency “Unknown” appears.
- rate Bit rate. When the unit is unable to detect the bit rate “Unknown” appears.
- flg Flag data encoded with DTS or Dolby Digital signals that cue this unit to automatically switch decoders.

**Manually adjusting speaker levels**

You can adjust the output level of each speaker while listening to a music source. Please note that this operation will override the level adjustments made in the Speaker Level section of BASIC setup (see page 17) and “Using the test tone” (page 35).

**1 Press AMP to select the AMP mode.**



**2 Press LEVEL repeatedly to select the speaker you want to adjust.**



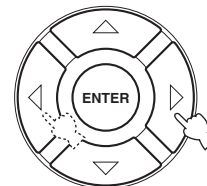
- FRONT L Front left speaker level
- CENTER SP Center speaker level
- FRONT R Front right speaker level
- SUR.R Surround right speaker level
- SUR.B Surround back speaker level
- SUR.L Surround left speaker level
- SWFR Subwoofer level



Once you press LEVEL, you can also select the speaker by pressing  $\Delta/\nabla$  on the remote control.

**3 Press  $\triangleleft/\triangleright$  to adjust the speaker output level.**

- The control range is from +10 dB to -10 dB.

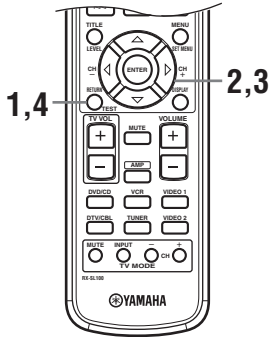


**Note**

When inputting digital signals with sampling frequencies higher than 48 kHz, only the subwoofer level can be adjusted.

## Using the test tone

You can use the test tone feature to manually balance your speaker levels. Please note that this operation will override the level adjustments made in the Speaker Level section of BASIC setup (page 17). Use the test tone to set speaker levels so that the volume from each speaker is identical when heard from your listening position.



- 1 Press TEST on the remote control.**

The unit will output a test tone.



- 2 Press  $\Delta/\nabla$  repeatedly on the remote control to select the speaker you want to adjust.**

TEST LEFT	Front left speaker
TEST CENTER	Center speaker
TEST RIGHT	Front right speaker
TEST R SUR.	Surround right speaker
TEST SUR. BACK	Surround back speaker
TEST L SUR.	Surround left speaker
TEST SUBWOOFER	Subwoofer

- 3 Press  $\triangleleft/\triangleright$  to adjust speaker volumes.**

- 4 Press TEST when you have completed your adjustment.**

The test tone stops.

### Note

You cannot enter test mode if headphones are connected to the PHONES jack. Remove the headphones from the PHONES jack.

# SET MENU

You can use the following parameters to adjust a variety of system settings and customize the way this unit operates. Change the initial settings (indicated in bold under each parameter) to reflect the needs of your listening environment.

## ■ BASIC menu

Use to quickly setup basic system parameters (see page 16).

## ■ SOUND menu

Use to manually adjust any speaker setting.



Most of the parameters described in the SOUND menu are set automatically when you perform the BASIC settings (see page 16).

Item	Features	Page
Center SP. GEQ	Adjusts the frequency.	38
SP Tone Control	Adjusts the tonal balance of the speakers.	38
HP Tone Control	Adjusts the tonal balance of the headphones.	38
Speaker Set	Selects the output mode suitable for each speaker, the speakers for low-frequency signal output, and the cross over frequency.	39
SP Distance	Adjusts the delay time of each speaker.	40
LFE Level	Adjusts the output level of the LFE channel for Dolby Digital or DTS signals.	40
Dynamic Range	Adjusts the dynamic range for Dolby Digital or DTS signals.	40

## ■ INPUT menu

Use to reassign digital input/outputs or select the input mode.

Item	Features	Page
Input Assign	Assigns jacks according to the component to be used.	41
Input Mode	Selects the initial input mode of the source.	42

## ■ OPTION menu

Use to adjust the optional system settings.

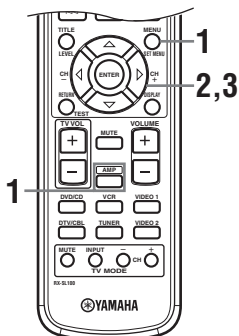
Item	Features	Page
Display Dimmer	Adjusts the overall brightness of the front panel display.	43
Memory Guard	Locks sound field program parameters and other SET MENU settings.	43
Audio Mute	Adjusts the muting level for audio sources.	43
TUNER Freq/Step	Switches frequency spacing. *a	43

\*a: TUNER Freq/Step is only available for Asia and General models.



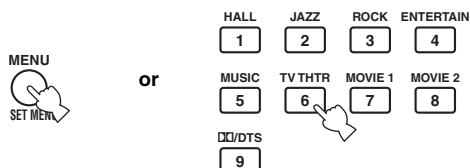
## Changing parameter settings

You can enjoy good quality sound with the factory-set parameters. Although you do not have to change the initial settings, you can change some of the parameters to better suit the input source or your listening room. Use the remote control to access and adjust each parameter.



**3** Press ENTER, then press  $\Delta/\nabla/\leftarrow/\rightarrow$  repeatedly to change the setting for the item you want to adjust.

**4** To exit, press SET MENU, or just press one of the sound field program group buttons.



### Note

You cannot change parameter values when Memory Guard is set to "ON". If you want to change the parameter values, set Memory Guard to "OFF" (see page 43).

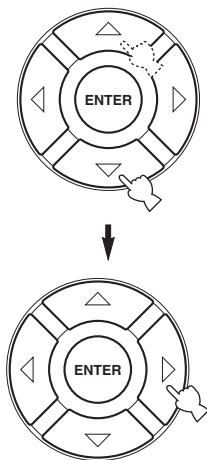
**1** Press AMP, then press SET MENU to enter SET MENU.



"Set Menu" is displayed on both the monitor and front panel of this unit.

The explanations in this document are based on the GUI. The characters shown in the front panel display may differ from those on the GUI.

**2** Press  $\Delta/\nabla$  repeatedly to select a menu, then press  $\triangleright$ .



The number of levels each menu contains may differ. If the menu you selected contains a sub menu, press  $\triangleright$  to enter the desired sub menu.

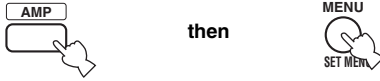
### Memory back-up

The memory back-up circuit prevents the stored data from being lost even if this unit is set in the standby mode, the power cord is disconnected from the AC outlet, or the power supply is temporarily cut due to power failure. However, if the power is cut for more than one week, the parameter values will return to the factory settings. If this happens, edit the parameter value again.

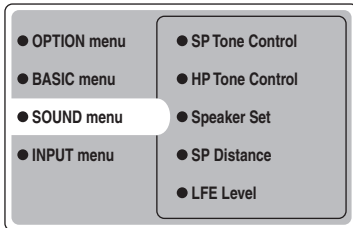
## SOUND menu

Use this menu to manually adjust any speaker setting.

- 1 Press **AMP** to select the **AMP mode**, then press **SET MENU**.



- 2 Press **△/▽** repeatedly to select **SOUND menu**, then press **▷**.

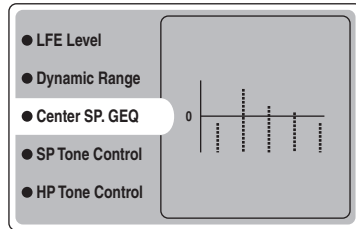


- 3 Select the desired parameters, then press **ENTER** to access and adjust.

### Center SP. GEQ (Center speaker graphic equalizer)

Use this feature to switch between the frequency bands available.

To access these parameters, select:  
*SOUND menu > Center SP. GEQ >*

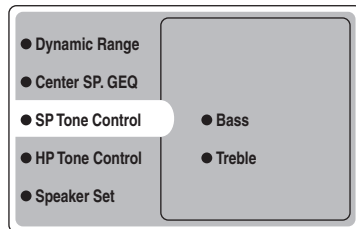


You can adjust 5 frequency bands: 100Hz, 300Hz, 1kHz, 3kHz, 10kHz

### SP Tone Control (Speaker tone control)

Use to adjust the amount of bass and treble output to your speakers.

To access these parameters, select:  
*SOUND menu > SP Tone Control >*

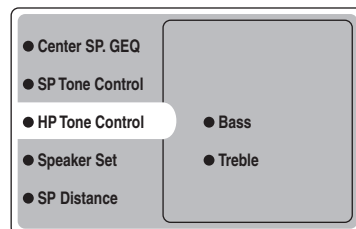


- Use Bass to adjust the speaker bass level.
  - Use Treble to adjust the speaker treble level.
- Choices: -10 to +10 (dB), Initial: 0 dB

### HP Tone Control (Headphone tone control)

Use to adjust the amount of bass and treble output to your headphones.

To access these parameters, select:  
*SOUND menu > HP Tone Control >*

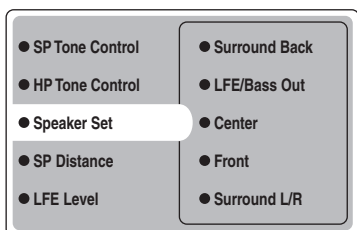


- Use Bass to adjust the headphone bass level.
  - Use Treble to adjust the headphone treble level.
- Choices: -6 to +3 (dB), Initial: 0 dB

## ■ Speaker Set (Speaker set)

Use to manually adjust any speaker setting.

*SOUND menu > Speaker Set >*



### Center (Center speaker)

Choices: Large (large), **Small** (small), None (none)

- Select Large if you have a large center speaker. The unit directs the entire range of the center channel signal to the center speaker.
- Select Small if you have a small center speaker. The unit directs the low-frequency signals of the center channel to the speakers selected with “LFE/Bass Out”.
- Select None if you do not have a center speaker. The unit directs all of the center channel signal to the front left and right speakers.

### Front (Front speakers)

Choices: **Large** (large), Small (small)

- Select Large if you have large front speakers. The unit directs the entire range of the front left and right channel signals to the front left and right speakers.
- Select Small if you have small front speakers. The unit directs the low-frequency signals of the front channel to the speakers selected with “LFE/Bass Out”.

### Surround L/R (Surround left/right speakers)

Choices: Large (large), **Small** (small), None (none)

- Select Large if you have large surround left and right speakers or if a rear subwoofer is connected to the surround speakers. The entire range of the surround channel signal is directed to the surround left and right speakers.
- Select Small if you have small surround left and right speakers. The low-frequency signals of the surround channel are directed to the speakers selected with “LFE/Bass Out”.
- Select None if you do not have surround speakers. This will set the unit to the Virtual CINEMA DSP mode (see page 32) and automatically set the surround back speaker setting (Surround Back below) to None.

### Surround Back (Surround back speaker)

Choices: Large (large), **Small** (small), None (none)

- Select Large if you have a large surround back speaker. The unit directs the entire range of the surround back channel signal to the surround back speaker.
- Select Small if you have a small surround back speaker. The low-frequency signals of the surround back channel are directed to the speakers selected with “LFE/Bass Out”, and the rest of the frequency signals are directed to the surround back speaker.
- Select None if you do not have a surround back speaker. The unit directs all of the surround back channel signal to the surround left and right speakers.

### LFE/Bass Out (Bass out)

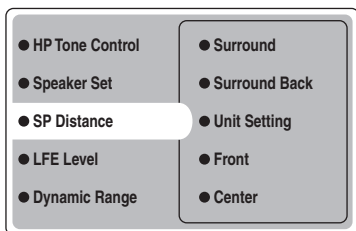
Bass out signals carry low-frequency effects when this unit decodes a Dolby Digital or DTS signal. The Low-frequency signals can be directed to both front left and right speakers, and to the subwoofer (subwoofer can be used for both stereo reproduction and the sound field program).

Choices: SWFR (subwoofer), FRONT (front), **Both**

- Select SWFR if you connect a subwoofer. The unit directs all bass out and low-frequency signals to the subwoofer.
- Select FRONT if you do not connect a subwoofer. The unit directs all low-frequency and bass out signals to the front speakers (even if you have previously set Front to Small).
- Select Both to direct bass out signals to the subwoofer. Other low-frequency signals are directed to both the subwoofer and the other front channels in accordance with your other speaker settings.

## ■ SP Distance (Speaker distance)

Use this feature to manually input the distance of each speaker and adjust the delay applied to respective channel. Ideally, each speaker should be the same distance from the main listening position. However, this is not possible in most home situations. Thus, a certain amount of delay must be applied to the sound from each speaker so that all sound will arrive at the listening position at the same time. To access these parameters, select:  
*SOUND menu > SP Distance >*



### Unit Setting (Unit setting)

Choices: Meter (m), Feet (ft)

Initial setting: U.S.A. and Canada models: Feet (ft)  
Other models: Meter (m)

- Select Meter to input speaker distances in meters.
- Select Feet to input speaker distances in feet.

### Front

Adjusts the distance of the front left and right speakers.

Choices: 0.3 to 24.00 m (1 to 80 ft)

Initial setting: 3.0 m (10.0 ft)

### Center

Adjusts the distance of the center speaker.

Choices: 0.3 to 24.00 m (1 to 80 ft)

Initial setting: 3.0 m (10.0 ft)

### Surround

Adjusts the distance of the surround left and right speakers.

Choices: 0.3 to 24.00 m (1 to 80 ft)

Initial setting: 3.0 m (10.0 ft)

### Surround Back

Adjusts the distance of the surround back speaker.

Choices: 0.3 to 24.00 m (1 to 80 ft)

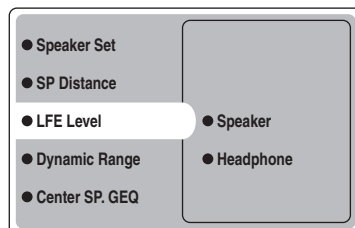
Initial setting: 2.10 m (7.0 ft)

## ■ LFE Level (Low-frequency effect level)

Use to adjust the output level of the LFE (low-frequency effect) channel according to the capacity of your subwoofer or headphones. The LFE channel carries low-frequency special effects which are only added to certain scenes. This setting is effective only when this unit decodes Dolby Digital or DTS signals.

To access these parameters, select:

*SOUND menu > LFE Level*



Choices: -20 to 0 (dB)

### Speaker (Speaker LFE level)

Select to adjust the speaker LFE level.

### Headphone (Headphone LFE level)

Select to adjust the headphone LFE level.

### Note

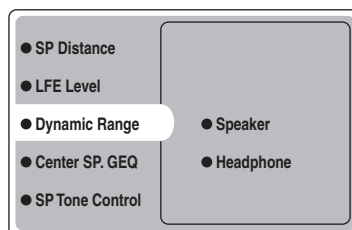
Depending on the settings of LFE Level, some signals may not be output from the SUBWOOFER jack.

## ■ Dynamic Range (Dynamic range)

Use to select the amount of dynamic range compression to be applied to your speakers or headphones when using NIGHT (see page 21). This setting is effective only when the unit is decoding Dolby Digital signals.

To access these parameters, select:

*SOUND menu > Dynamic Range >*



Choices: MAX, STD, MIN

### Speaker (Speaker dynamic range)

Select to adjust the speaker compression.

### Headphone (Headphone dynamic range)

Select to adjust the headphone compression.

- Select MAX for feature films.
- Select STD for general use.
- Select MIN for listening to sources at low volume levels.

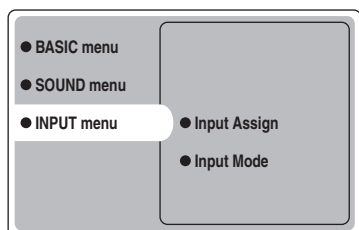
## INPUT menu

Use this menu to manually adjust any input setting.

- 1 Press **AMP** to select the AMP mode, then press **SET MENU**.



- 2 Press  $\Delta/\nabla$  repeatedly to select INPUT menu, then press  $\triangleright$ .



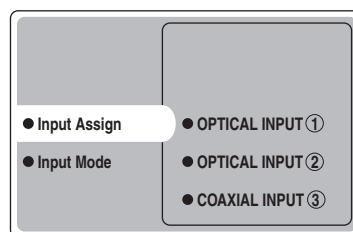
- 3 Select the desired parameters, then press **ENTER** to access and adjust.

### Input Assign (Input assignment)

You can assign how this unit's DIGITAL INPUT jacks correspond to the component to be used if this unit's initial settings do not meet your needs. Change the following parameters to reassign the respective jacks and effectively connect more components.

Once the inputs have been reassigned, you can select the corresponding component by using **INPUT** and **VOLUME/SELECT** on the front panel (or the input selector buttons on the remote control).

*INPUT menu > Input Assign >*



#### OPTICAL INPUT ①

Choices: VCR, VIDEO1, DTV/CBL, DVD/CD

#### OPTICAL INPUT ②

Choices: VCR, VIDEO1, **DTV/CBL**, DVD/CD

#### COAXIAL INPUT ③

Choices: VCR, **VIDEO1**, DTV/CBL, DVD/CD

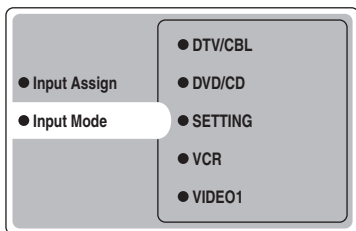
#### Note

You cannot select a specific item more than once for the same jack.

## ■ Input Mode (Input mode)

Use this feature to designate the input mode for sources connected to the DIGITAL INPUT jacks when you turn on this unit (see page 19 for details about the input mode).

INPUT menu > Input Mode >



### SETTING

Choices: **Fixed**, Variable(Last), Variable(Auto)

- Select Fixed to fix the input mode used for that source.
- Select Variable(Auto) if you want "Auto" to be set whenever you turn on this unit's power.
- Select Variable(Last) to set this unit to automatically select the last input mode used for that source.

#### Note

When Fixed is selected, you cannot switch the input mode by pressing INPUT. In this case, switch the input mode using the SET MENU.

### VCR

Select to adjust the VCR input mode.

### VIDEO1

Select to adjust the VIDEO1 input mode.

### VIDEO2

Select to adjust the VIDEO2 input mode.

### DTV/CBL

Select to adjust the DTV/CBL input mode.

### DVD/CD

Select to adjust the DVD/CD input mode.

Choices: **AUTO**, dts, Analog

- Select AUTO if you want this unit to automatically select input signals in the following order:
  - 1) Digital signals\*
  - 2) Analog signals
- Select dts if you want this unit to select only digital signals encoded in DTS. If no DTS signals are input, no sound is output.
- Select Analog to if you want this unit to select only analog signals. If no analog signals are input, no sound is output.

\* If this unit detects a Dolby Digital or DTS signal, the decoder automatically switches to the appropriate sound field program.

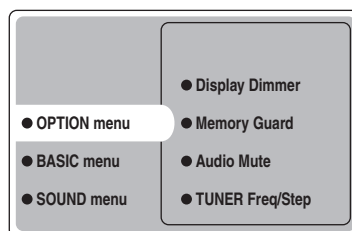
## OPTION menu

Use this menu to manually adjust the optional system settings.

- 1 Press AMP to select the AMP mode, then press SET MENU.



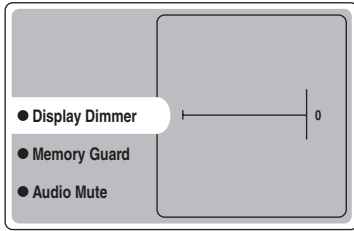
- 2 Press  $\Delta/\nabla$  repeatedly to select OPTION menu, then press  $\triangleright$ .



- 3 Select the desired parameters, then press ENTER to access and adjust.

## ■ Display Dimmer (Display dimmer)

OPTION menu > Display Dimmer >



### DIMMER (Dimmer)

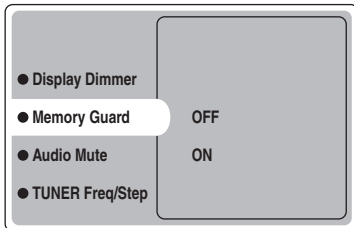
Use to adjust the brightness of the front panel display.

Choices: -4 to 0

## ■ Memory Guard (Memory guard)

Use this feature to prevent accidental changes to DSP program parameter values and other system settings.

OPTION menu > Memory Guard



Choices: **OFF**, ON

Select ON to protect:

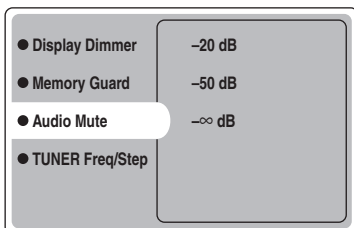
- DSP program parameters
- All SET MENU items
- All speaker levels

When Memory Guard is set to ON, you cannot use the test tone or select any other SET MENU items.

## ■ Audio Mute (Mute)

Use this feature to adjust how much the mute function reduces the output volume.

OPTION menu > Audio Mute



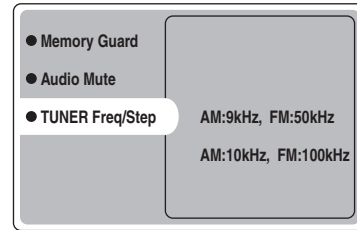
Choices: -20 dB, -50 dB, -∞ dB

- Select -20 dB to reduce the current volume by 20 dB.
- Select -50 dB to reduce the current volume by 50 dB.
- Select -∞ dB to completely halt all output of sound.

## ■ TUNER Freq/Step (Tuner frequency step)

Use this feature to adjust the frequency spacing for the tuner. The new setting becomes active the next time the power is turned on.

OPTION menu > TUNER Freq/Step



Choices: AM: 9kHz, FM: 50kHz and AM: 10kHz, FM: 100kHz

- Select AM: 9kHz, FM: 50kHz to set the AM band to 9kHz and the FM band to 50kHz.
- Select AM: 10kHz, FM: 100kHz to set the AM band to 10kHz and the FM band to 100kHz.

### Note

This feature is only available for Asia and General models.

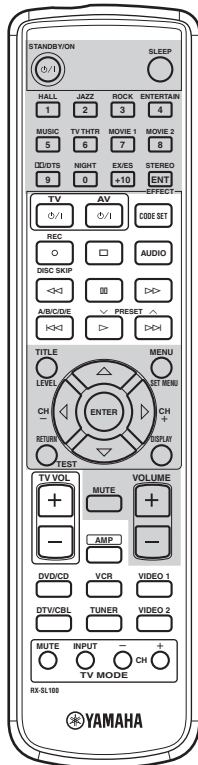
# REMOTE CONTROL FEATURES

In addition to controlling this unit, the remote control can operate other A/V components made by YAMAHA and other manufacturers. To control other components, set up the remote control with the appropriate manufacturer codes.

## Control area

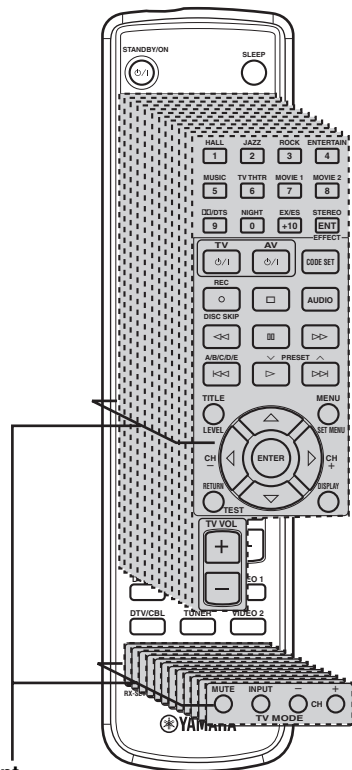
### ■ Controlling this unit

The shaded areas below can be used to control this unit when the AMP mode is selected. Press AMP to select the AMP mode.



### ■ Controlling other components

The shaded areas below can be used to control other components. Each button has a different function depending on the selected components. Select the component you want to control by pressing an input selector button or SELECT  $\Delta/\nabla$ . The name of the selected component appears in the display window.



### Component control area

You can control up to 11 different components by setting appropriate manufacturer codes (see page 45).



## Setting manufacturer codes

Once you set the appropriate manufacturer codes, you can use this remote to control your other components. Note that some buttons may not correctly operate the selected component. Use the input selector buttons to select the component you want to operate. The remote control automatically switches to the appropriate control mode for that component.

### Default codes

The following table shows the default component (Library: component category) and the manufacturer code for each area.

Input area	Manufacturer	Code
TV (DTV/CBL)	YAMAHA	299
VCR	YAMAHA	399
DVD (DVD/CD)	YAMAHA	699

### Note

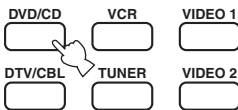
You may not be able to operate your YAMAHA component even if a YAMAHA manufacturer code is initially set as listed above. In this case, try to set another YAMAHA manufacturer code.

### Setting a code

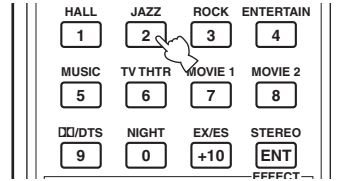
**1** Hold down **CODE SET** while doing steps 2 and 3.



**2** Press an input selector button to select the source component you want to set up.



**3** Press the numeric buttons to enter the three-digit manufacturer code for the component to be used, then release **CODE SET**.



Refer to “LIST OF MANUFACTURER CODES” at the end of this manual.



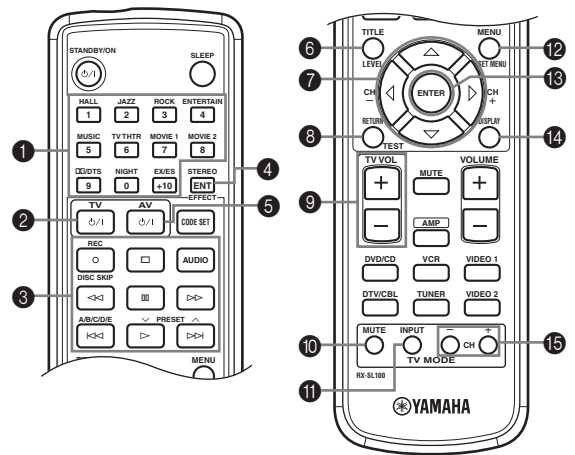
To reset an input area’s manufacturer code to the factory default, input the default code (see “Default codes” above) in step 3.

### Notes

- If the manufacturer of your component has more than one code, try each of them until you find the correct one.
- If you wait for more than 10 seconds during step 3, the setup process is canceled. If this happens, start over from step 2.
- Replace the batteries frequently. The settings may be lost after two minutes without power supply.

## Controlling other components

You can operate other components if you have set the manufacturer code for your component in the remote control. Please note that some buttons may not operate the component as expected. When you select an input source, the remote control automatically switches to the mode for operating that component.



	DVD player	VCR	TV, digital/cable TV	Tuner
1 1-9, 0, +10	Numeric buttons	Numeric buttons	Numeric buttons	Preset stations (1-8)
2 TV	TV power *2	TV power *2	TV power *2	TV power *2
3 REC/DISC SKIP	Disc skip	Rec *3	VCR rec	
▷	Play	Play *3	VCR play	Preset down
◀◀	Search backward	Search backward *3	VCR search backward	
▶▶	Search forward	Search forward *3	VCR search forward	
AUDIO	Audio			
⏸	Pause	Pause *3	VCR pause	
▶▶▶	Skip forward			Preset up
◀◀◀	Skip backward			A/B/C/D/E
□	Stop	Stop *3	VCR stop	
4 ENT	Title/Index		Enter/12	
5 AV	Power *1	Power *1	VCR power	
6 TITLE	Title			
7 ▲	Up			
▼	Down			
CH +/▶	Right	VCR channel up		
CH -/◀	Left	VCR channel down		
8 RETURN	Return			
9 TV VOL +	TV volume up *2	TV volume up *2	TV volume up *2	TV volume up *2
TV VOL -	TV volume down *2	TV volume down *2	TV volume down *2	TV volume down *2
10 TV MUTE	TV mute *2	TV mute *2	TV mute	TV mute *2
11 TV INPUT	TV input *2	TV input *2	TV input	TV input *2
12 MENU	Menu			
13 ENTER	Enter			
14 DISPLAY	Display			
15 TV CH +	TV channel up *2	TV channel up *2	TV channel up	TV channel up *2
TV CH -	TV channel down *2	TV channel down *2	TV channel down	TV channel down *2

\*1 This button functions only when the original remote control of the component has a POWER button.

\*2 These buttons can operate your TV without switching the input if the manufacturer code is set in DTV/CBL.

\*3 These buttons can operate your VCR without switching the input to VCR if the manufacturer code is set in VCR.

# EDITING SOUND FIELD PARAMETERS

## What is a sound field

What really creates the rich, full tones of a live instrument are the multiple reflections from the walls of the room. In addition to making the sound “live”, these reflections enable us to tell where the player is situated, and the size and shape of the room in which we are sitting.



For details on how to change parameter settings, see page 37.

### ■ Elements of a sound field

In any environment, in addition to the direct sound coming straight to our ears from the player’s instrument, there are two distinct types of sound reflections that combine to make up the sound field:

#### Early reflections

Reflected sounds reach our ears extremely rapidly (50 ms – 100 ms after the direct sound), after reflecting from one surface only — for example, from the ceiling or a wall. Early reflections actually add clarity to the direct sound.

#### Reverberations

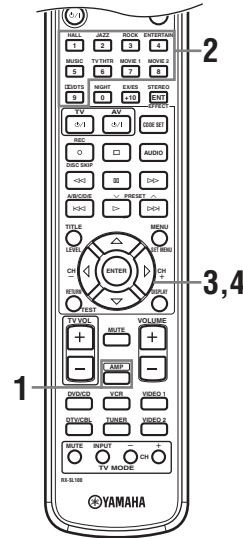
These are caused by reflections from more than one surface — walls, ceiling, the back of the room — so numerous that they merge together to form a continuous sonic “afterglow”. They are non-directional, and lessen the clarity of the direct sound.

Direct sound, early reflections and subsequent reverberation taken together help us to determine the subjective size and shape of the room, and it is this information that the digital sound field processor reproduces in order to create sound fields.

If you could create the appropriate early reflections and subsequent reverberations in your listening room, you would be able to create your own listening environment. The acoustics in your room could be changed to those of a concert hall, a dance floor, or virtually any size room at all. This ability to create sound fields at will is exactly what YAMAHA has done with the digital sound field processor.

## Sound field parameter descriptions

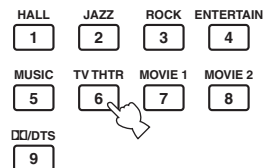
You can adjust the values of certain digital sound field parameters so the sound fields are recreated accurately in your listening room. Not all of the following parameters are found in every program.



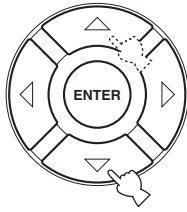
- 1 Press AMP on the remote control.



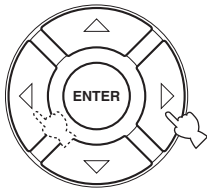
- 2 Press one of the sound field program group buttons to select the desired sound field program.



- 3** Press  $\Delta/\nabla$  repeatedly to access the sound field program parameters.



- 4** Press  $\triangleleft/\triangleright$  repeatedly to adjust the sound field parameter.



- 5** To change parameter values for a different sound field, repeat steps 2 through 4.

**Note**

You cannot change parameter values when Memory Guard is set to "ON". If you want to change the parameter values, set Memory Guard to "OFF" (see page 43).

**■ DSP LEVEL**

**Function:** This parameter adjusts the level of all the DSP effect sounds within a narrow range.

**Description:** Depending on the acoustics of your listening room, you may want to increase or decrease the DSP effect level relative to the level of the direct sound.

**Control range:** -6 dB - +3 dB

**■ DELAY**

**Function:** This parameter changes the apparent distance from the source sound by adjusting the delay between the direct sound and the first reflection heard by the listener.

**Description:** The smaller the value, the closer the sound source seems to the listener. The larger the value, the farther it seems. For a small room, set to a small value. For a large room, set to a large value.

**Control range:** 1 - 99 msec

**For 6ch Stereo**

**Function:** These parameter adjusts the volume level for each channel in 6-channel stereo mode.

**Control Range:** 0 - 100%

- **CT LEVEL (Center level)**
- **SL LEVEL (Surround left level)**
- **SR LEVEL (Surround right level)**
- **SB LEVEL (Surround back level)**

**For PRO LOGIC II Music**

**■ PANORAMA**

**Function:** Extends the front stereo image to include the surround speakers for wraparound effect.

**Choices:** OFF/ON, initial setting is OFF.

**■ DIMENSION**

**Function:** Gradually adjusts the sound field either towards the front or towards the rear.

**Control range:** -3 (towards the rear) to +3 (towards the front), initial setting is STD (standard).

**■ CT WIDTH (Center width)**

**Function:** Adjusts the center image from all three front speakers to varying degrees. A larger value adjusts the center image towards the front left and right speakers.

**Control range:** 0 (center channel sound is output only from center speaker) to 7 (center channel sound is output only from front left and right speakers), initial setting is 3.

**■ PLII/PLIIX (Pro Logic II/Pro Logic IIX)**

**Function:** Switches the type of Pro Logic decoding to be used. PLII decoding creates 5.1-channel sound from 2-channel sources. PLIIX decoding creates 6.1-channel sound from 2-channel sources.

**Choices:** PLII, PLIIX

**For DTS Neo:6 Music**

**■ C. IMAGE (Center image)**

**Function:** This parameter adjusts the center image from all three front speakers to varying degrees.


**Control range:** 0 - 0.5

# TROUBLESHOOTING

Refer to the chart below when this unit does not function properly. If the problem you are experiencing is not listed below or if the instruction below does not help, set this unit to the standby mode, unplug the power cord from the outlet, and contact the nearest authorized YAMAHA dealer or service center.

## ■ General

Problem	Cause	Remedy	Refer to page
<b>This unit fails to turn on when STANDBY/ON is pressed, or enters in the standby mode soon after the power has been turned on.</b>	The power cord is not connected or the plug is not completely inserted.	Connect the power cord firmly.	—
	The protection circuitry has been activated.	Make sure all speaker wire connections on this unit and on all speakers are secure and that the wire for each connection does not touch anything other than its respective connection.	9—10
	This unit has been exposed to a strong external electric shock (such as lightning and strong static electricity).	Set this unit in the standby mode, disconnect the power cord, plug it back in after 30 seconds, then use it normally.	—
<b>No sound</b>	Incorrect input or output cable connections.	Connect the cables properly. If the problem persists, the cables may be defective.	9, 11
	Input Mode is set to dts or Analog.	Select AUTO.	42
	No appropriate input source has been selected.	Select an appropriate input source by pressing INPUT, then rotating VOLUME/SELECT or using the input selector buttons.	19
	Speaker connections are not secure.	Secure the connections.	9
	The volume is turned down.	Turn up the volume.	—
	The sound is muted.	Press MUTE or any operation button on this unit to cancel mute and adjust the volume.	20
	If you are playing an LD source, the player may not output digital signals if the LD source was not digitally recorded.	Set the Input Mode to Analog.	42
	The Input Mode is set to Analog while playing a source encoded with a DTS signal.	Set the Input Mode to AUTO or dts.	42
	Signals this unit cannot reproduce are being received from a source component e.g.: a CD-ROM.	Play a source whose signals this unit can reproduce.	—

Problem	Cause	Remedy	Refer to page
<b>The sound suddenly goes off.</b>	The protection circuit has been activated because of a short circuit, etc.	Check the speaker wires are not touching each other and then turn this unit back on.	—
	The sleep timer has turned the unit off.	Turn on the power, and play the source again.	—
	The sound is muted.	Press MUTE to cancel a mute.	20
<b>Only the speaker on one side can be heard.</b>	Incorrect cable connections.	Connect the cables properly. If the problem persists, the cables may be defective.	9, 11
	Incorrect balance settings in the BASIC menu.	Adjust the Speaker Level settings.	17
<b>Only the center speaker outputs substantial sound.</b>	When playing a monaural source with a CINEMA DSP program, the source signal is directed to the center channel, and the front and surround speakers output effect sounds.		
<b>No sound from the center speaker.</b>	The output level of the center speaker is set to minimum.	Raise the level of the center speaker.	17
	“Center” in the SOUND menu is set to None.	Select the appropriate mode for your center speaker.	39
	One of the sound field programs (except for 6ch Stereo) has been selected.	Select another sound field program.	20
<b>No sound from the surround speakers.</b>	The output level of the surround speakers is set to minimum.	Raise the output level of the surround speakers.	17
	“Surround L/R” in the SOUND menu is set to None.	Select the appropriate speaker mode for the surround left and right speakers.	39
	A monaural source is being played with STEREO/EFFECT set to STEREO.	Press STEREO/EFFECT to turn on the sound fields. Then select another sound field program.	—
<b>No sound from the surround back speaker.</b>	“Surround L/R” in the SOUND menu is set to None.	If the speaker mode for the surround left and right speakers is set to None, the speaker mode for the surround back speaker is automatically set to None. Select the appropriate speaker mode for the surround left and right speaker mode.	39
	“Surround Back” in the SOUND menu is set to None.	Select Large or Small.	39
	PLII/PLIIX is set to “PLII” when playing a 2-channel source.	Select PLIIX. Press  /DTS to select a PLIIX sound field program.	48
<b>No sound from the subwoofer.</b>	“LFE/Bass Out” in the SOUND menu is set to FRONT when a Dolby Digital or DTS signal is being played.	Select SWFR or Both.	39
	“LFE/Bass Out” in the SOUND menu is set to SWFR or FRONT when a 2-channel source is being played.	Select Both.	39
	The source does not contain low bass signals.		

Problem	Cause	Remedy	Refer to page
<b>Dolby Digital or DTS sources cannot be played. (Dolby Digital or DTS indicator on the front panel display does not light up.)</b>	The connected component is not set to output Dolby Digital or DTS digital signals.	Make an appropriate setting following the operations instructions for your component.	—
	Input Mode is set to Analog.	Set Input Mode to AUTO or dts.	42
<b>A “humming” sound can be heard.</b>	Incorrect cable connections.	Firmly connect the audio plugs. If the problem persists, the cables may be defective.	—
<b>The volume level cannot be increased, or the sound is distorted.</b>	The component connected to this unit’s DVD/CD, DTV/CBL, VIDEO 1, VCR IN or VIDEO 2 jacks is turned off.	Turn on the power to the component.	—
<b>The sound effect cannot be recorded.</b>	It is not possible to record the sound effect with a recording component.		
<b>A source cannot be recorded by a digital recording component connected to this DIGITAL OUTPUT jack.</b>	The source component is not connected to this unit’s DIGITAL INPUT jacks.	Connect the source component to the DIGITAL INPUT jacks.	11
	Some components cannot record the Dolby Digital or DTS sources.		
<b>A source cannot be recorded by an analog component connected to the VCR OUT jacks.</b>	The source component is not connected to this unit’s DVD/CD, DTV/CBL, VIDEO 1, VCR IN or VIDEO 2 jacks.	Connect the source component to any of these jacks.	11
<b>The sound field parameters and some other settings on this unit cannot be changed.</b>	“Memory Guard” in the OPTION menu is set to ON.	Select OFF.	43
<b>This unit does not operate properly.</b>	The internal microcomputer has been frozen by an external electric shock (such as lightning or excessive static electricity) or by a power supply with low voltage.	Disconnect the AC power cord from the outlet and then plug it in again after about 30 seconds.	—
<b>“CHECK SP WIRES” appears on the front panel display.</b>	Speaker cables are short circuited.	Make sure all speaker cables are connected correctly.	9
<b>There is noise interference from digital or high-frequency equipment, or this unit.</b>	This unit is too close to digital or high-frequency equipment.	Move this unit further away from such equipment.	—
<b>The picture is disturbed.</b>	The video source uses scrambled or encoded signals to prevent dubbing.	Playing back video software with copy-guarded signals or video signals with a lot of noise may produce unstable images.	—
<b>This unit suddenly switches to the standby mode.</b>	The internal temperature became too high and the overheat protection circuitry was activated.	Wait until this unit cools down and then turn it back on.	—

## ■ Tuner

Problem		Cause	Remedy	Refer to page
FM	FM stereo reception is noisy.	The characteristics of FM stereo broadcasts may cause this problem when the transmitter is too far away or the antenna input is poor.	Check the antenna connections. Try using a high-quality directional FM antenna.	14
			Use the manual tuning method.	23
	There is distortion, and clear reception cannot be obtained even with a good FM antenna.	There is multipath interference.	Adjust the antenna position to eliminate multipath interference.	—
	The desired station cannot be tuned in with the automatic tuning method.	The station is too weak.	Use a high-quality directional FM antenna.	—
			Use the manual tuning method.	23
Previously preset stations can no longer be tuned in.	This unit has been disconnected for a long period.	Preset the stations again.	24	
AM	The desired station cannot be tuned in with the automatic tuning method.	The signal is weak or the antenna connections are loose.	Tighten the AM loop antenna connections and orient it for best reception.	—
			Use the manual tuning method.	23
	There are continuous crackling and hissing noises.	Noises result from lightning, fluorescent lamps, motors, thermostats and other electrical equipment.	Use an outdoor antenna and a ground wire. This will help somewhat, but it is difficult to eliminate all noise.	—
	There are buzzing and whining noises (especially in the evening).	A TV set is being used nearby.	Move this unit away from the TV.	—
		The AM loop antenna is placed near the speaker cables.	Place the AM loop antenna away from the speaker cables.	—
		The AM ANT and GND cords are inserted in the wrong terminal.	Make sure the white cord is inserted into the AM ANT terminal and the black cord into the GND terminal.	14



## ■ Remote control

Problem	Cause	Remedy	Refer to page
<b>The remote control does not work or function properly.</b>	Wrong distance or angle.	The remote control will function within a maximum range of 6 m (20 ft) and no more than 30 degrees off-axis from the front panel.	6
	Direct sunlight or lighting (from an inverter type of fluorescent lamp, etc.) is striking the remote control sensor of this unit.	Reposition this unit.	—
	The batteries are weak.	Replace all batteries.	3
	The manufacturer code was not correctly set.	Set the manufacturer code correctly.	45
		Try to set the other codes of the same manufacturer.	45
Even if the manufacturer code is correctly set, some models may not respond to the remote control.			

# GLOSSARY

## ■ **Dolby Surround**

Dolby Surround uses a 4 channel analog recording system to reproduce realistic and dynamic sound effects: 2 front left and right channels (stereo), a center channel for dialog (monaural), and a surround channel for special sound effects (monaural). The surround channel reproduces sound within a narrow frequency range.

Dolby Surround is widely used with nearly all video tapes and laser discs, and in many TV and cable broadcasts as well. The Dolby Pro Logic decoder built into this unit employs a digital signal processing system that automatically stabilizes the volume on each channel to enhance moving sound effects and directionality.

## ■ **Dolby Digital**

Dolby Digital is a digital surround sound system that gives you completely independent multi-channel audio. With 3 front channels (left, center, and right), and 2 surround stereo channels, Dolby Digital provides 5 full-range audio channels. With an additional channel especially for bass effects, called LFE (low frequency effect), the system has a total of 5.1 channels (LFE is counted as 0.1 channel). By using 2-channel stereo for the surround speakers, more accurate moving sound effects and surround sound environment are possible than with Dolby Surround. The wide dynamic range (from maximum to minimum volume) reproduced by the 5 full-range channels and the precise sound orientation generated using digital sound processing provide listeners with previously unheard of excitement and realism.

With this unit, any sound environment from monaural up to a 5.1-channel configuration can be freely selected for your enjoyment.

Dolby Digital EX creates 6 full-bandwidth output channels from 5.1-channel sources. This is done using a matrix decoder that derives 3 surround channels from the 2 in the original recording. For the best results, Dolby Digital EX should be used with movie sound tracks recorded with Dolby Digital Surround EX. With this additional channel, you can experience more dynamic and realistic moving sound especially with scenes with “flyover” and “fly-around” effects.

## ■ **Dolby Pro Logic II**

Dolby Pro Logic II is an improved technique used to decode vast numbers of existing Dolby Surround software. This new technology enables a discrete 5-channel playback with 2 front left and right channels, 1 center channel, and 2 surround left and right channels (instead of only 1 surround channel for conventional Pro Logic technology). A music mode is also available for 2-channel sources in addition to the movie mode.

## ■ **Dolby Pro Logic IIX**

Dolby Pro Logic IIX is a new technology enabling discrete 7.1-channel playback from 2-channel or multi-channel sources. There is a Music mode for music, a Movie mode for movies and a Game mode for games.

## ■ **DTS (Digital Theater Systems) Digital Surround**

DTS digital surround was developed to replace the analog soundtracks of movies with a 6-channel digital sound track, and is now rapidly gaining popularity in movie theaters around the world. Digital Theater Systems, Inc. has developed a home theater system so that you can enjoy the depth of sound and natural spatial representation of DTS digital surround in your home. This system produces practically distortion-free 6-channel sound (technically, a left, right and center channels, 2 surround channels, plus an LFE 0.1 channel as a subwoofer, for a total of 5.1 channels).

The unit incorporates DTS-ES decoder that enables 6.1-channel reproduction by adding the surround back channel to existing 5.1-channel format.

## ■ **Neo:6**

Neo:6 decodes the conventional 2-channel sources for 6 channel playback by the specific decoder. It enables playback with the full-range channels with higher separation just like digital discrete signal playback. Two modes are available; “Music mode” for playing music sources and “Cinema mode” for movies.

## ■ **LFE 0.1 channel**

This channel is for the reproduction of low bass signals. The frequency range for this channel is 20 Hz to 120 Hz. This channel is counted as 0.1 because it only enforces a low frequency range compared to the full-range reproduced by the other 5/6 channels in a Dolby Digital or DTS 5.1/6.1 channel systems.

### ■ CINEMA DSP

Since the Dolby Surround and DTS systems were originally designed for use in movie theaters, their effect is best felt in a theater having many speakers and designed for acoustic effects. Since home conditions, such as room size, wall material, number of speakers, and so on, can differ so widely, it's inevitable that there are differences in the sound heard as well. Based on a wealth of actually measured data, YAMAHA CINEMA DSP uses YAMAHA original sound field technology to combine Dolby Pro Logic, Dolby Digital and DTS systems to provide the visual and audio experience of movie theater in the listening room of your own home.

### ■ SILENT CINEMA

YAMAHA has developed a natural, realistic sound effect DSP algorithm for headphones.

Parameters for headphones have been set for each sound field so that accurate representations of all the sound field programs can be enjoyed on headphones.

### ■ Virtual CINEMA DSP

YAMAHA has developed a Virtual CINEMA DSP algorithm that allows you to enjoy DSP sound field surround effects even without any surround speakers by using virtual surround speakers.

It is even possible to enjoy Virtual CINEMA DSP using a minimal two-speaker system that does not include a center speaker.

### ■ PCM (Linear PCM)

Linear PCM is a signal format under which an analog audio signal is digitized, recorded and transmitted without using any compression. This is used as a method of recording CDs and DVD audio. The PCM system uses a technique for sampling the size of the analog signal per very small unit of time. Standing for "pulse code modulation", the analog signal is encoded as pulses and then modulated for recording.

### ■ Sampling frequency and number of quantized bits

When digitizing an analog audio signal, the number of times the signal is sampled per second is called the sampling frequency, while the degree of fineness when converting the sound level into a numeric value is called the number of quantized bits.

The range of rates that can be played back is determined based on the sampling rate, while the dynamic range representing the sound level difference is determined by the number of quantized bits. In principle, the higher the sampling frequency, the wider the range of frequencies that can be played back, and the higher the number of quantized bits, the more finely the sound level can be reproduced.

### ■ ITU-R

ITU-R is the radio communication sector of the ITU (International Telecommunication Union). ITU-R recommends a standard speaker placement which is used in many critical listening rooms, especially for mastering purposes.

# SPECIFICATIONS

## AUDIO SECTION

- Minimum RMS Output Power for Front, Center, Surround, Surround back
  - [U.S.A and Canada models]
    - 1 kHz, 0.9% THD, 6  $\Omega$  ..... 65 W + 65 W (FTC)
  - [U.K. and Europe models]
    - 1 kHz, 0.9% THD, 6  $\Omega$  ..... 70 W + 70 W
    - 1 kHz, 10% THD, 4  $\Omega$  ..... 75 W
  - [Asia and General models]
    - 1 kHz, 0.9% THD, 6  $\Omega$  ..... 70 W + 70 W
- Maximum Power (EIAJ) for Front, Center, Surround, Surround back
  - [U.K. and Europe models]
    - 1 kHz, 10% THD, 6  $\Omega$  ..... 100 W
    - 1 kHz, 10% THD, 4  $\Omega$  ..... 75 W
  - [Asia and General models]
    - 1 kHz, 10% THD, 6  $\Omega$  ..... 100 W
- Input Sensitivity/Input Impedance
  - [U.K. and Europe models]
    - VIDEO 2 ..... 150 mV/47 k $\Omega$
    - EXT IN/OUT ..... 150 mV/47 k $\Omega$
    - TV IN/OUT ..... 150 mV/47 k $\Omega$
  - [Other models]
    - DVD/CD, etc. .... 150 mV/47 k $\Omega$
- Maximum Input Signal
  - [U.K. and Europe models]
    - EXT/TV ..... 2.0 V
  - [Other models]
    - DVD/CD, etc. .... 2.0 V
- Output Level/Output Impedance
  - [U.K. and Europe models]
    - EXT/TV ..... 150 mV/1.0 k $\Omega$
  - [Other models]
    - DVD/CD, etc. .... 150 mV/820  $\Omega$
    - SUBWOOFER (FRONT SP: SMALL) ..... 3.8 V/1.2 k $\Omega$
- Headphone Jack Rated Output/Impedance
  - EXT IN (DVD/CD, etc.)
    - 1 kHz, 35 mV/8  $\Omega$  ..... 100 mV/100  $\Omega$
- Frequency Response
  - Front (DVD/CD, etc.) ..... 20 Hz to 50 kHz, 0/-3 dB
- Total Harmonic Distortion (FRONT SP OUT)
  - [U.K. and Europe models]
    - EXT IN (Effect Off), 1 kHz, 35 W/6  $\Omega$  ..... 0.04% or less
  - [Other models]
    - DVD/CD, etc. (Effect Off), 1 kHz, 35 W/6  $\Omega$  ..... 0.04% or less
- Signal to Noise Ratio (IHF-A Network) (SP OUT)
  - [U.K. and Europe models]
    - EXT IN (Effect Off), Input shorted, 250 mV ..... 98 dB or more
  - [Other models]
    - DVD/CD, etc. (Effect Off), Input shorted, 250 mV ..... 98 dB or more
- Residual Noise (IHF-A Network)
  - SP OUT, Front L/R ..... 150  $\mu$ V or less
- Channel Separation (1 kHz/10 kHz)
  - DVD/CD, etc., Effect Off, VOL. -30 dB, 1 kHz/10 kHz, 5.1 k $\Omega$  terminated ..... 60 dB/45 dB or more

- Tone Control Characteristics
  - [Bass]
    - Boost/cut .....  $\pm$ 10 dB/60 Hz
  - [Treble]
    - Boost/cut .....  $\pm$ 10 dB/20 kHz

- Filter Characteristics
  - MAIN, REAR SP SMALL (H.P.F.) .....  $f_c$  = 90 Hz, 12 dB/oct.
  - SUBWOOFER (L.P.F.) .....  $f_c$  = 90 Hz, 18 dB/oct.

## VIDEO SECTION

- Video Signal Type
  - [U.S.A., Canada and Korea models] ..... NTSC
  - [Other models] ..... PAL
- Video Signal Level ..... 1 Vp-p/75  $\Omega$
- Maximum Input Level ..... 1.5 Vp-p
- Signal to Noise Ratio ..... 50 dB or more
- Frequency Response (MONITOR OUT) ..... 5 Hz to 10 MHz, -3 dB

## FM SECTION

- Tuning Range
  - [U.S.A. and Canada models] ..... 87.5 to 107.9 MHz
  - [Asia and General models] ..... 87.5/87.50 to 108.0/108.00 MHz
  - [Other models] ..... 87.50 to 108.00 MHz
- Quieting Sensitivity (IHF)
  - Mono (50 dB, 1 kHz, 100% MOD.) ..... 2.8  $\mu$ V (20.2 dBf)
- Signal to Noise Ratio (IHF)
  - Mono/Stereo ..... 73 dB/70 dB
- Harmonic Distortion (1 kHz)
  - Mono/Stereo ..... 0.5%/0.5%
- Antenna Input ..... 75  $\Omega$  unbalanced

## AM SECTION

- Tuning Range
  - [U.S.A. and Canada models] ..... 530 to 1710 kHz
  - [Asia and General models] ..... 530/531 to 1710/1611 kHz
  - [Other models] ..... 531 to 1611 kHz
- Antenna ..... Loop antenna

## GENERAL

- Power Supply
  - [U.S.A. and Canada models] ..... AC 120 V, 60 Hz
  - [Australia model] ..... AC 240 V, 50 Hz
  - [China model] ..... AC 220 V, 50 Hz
  - [Korea model] ..... AC 220 V, 60 Hz
  - [U.K. and Europe models] ..... AC 230 V, 50 Hz
  - [Asia model] ..... AC 220-240 V, 50/60 Hz
  - [General model] ..... AC 110-120 V, 50/60 Hz
- Power Consumption ..... 100 W
- Standby Power Consumption ..... 0.9 W
- Dimension (W x H x D) ..... 435 x 55.5 x 330 mm (17-1/8" x 2-3/16" x 13")
- Weight ..... 6.4 kg (14 lbs 2 oz.)

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