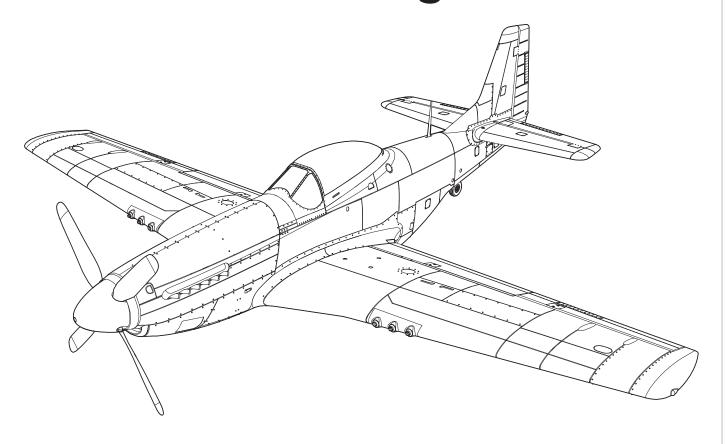


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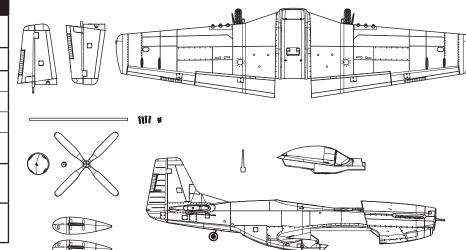
As the user of this product, you are solely responsible for operating in a manner that does not endanger yourself and others or result in damage to the product or the property of others.

- Always keep a safe distance in all directions around your model to avoid collisions or injury. This model is controlled by a radio signal subject to interference from many sources outside your control. Interference can cause momentary loss of control.
- Always operate your model in open spaces away from full-size vehicles, traffic and people.
- Always carefully follow the directions and warnings for this and any optional support equipment (chargers, rechargeable battery packs, etc.).
- Always keep all chemicals, small parts and anything electrical out of the reach of children.
- · Always avoid water exposure to all equipment not specifically designed and

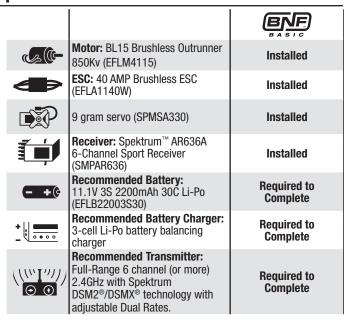
- protected for this purpose. Moisture causes damage to electronics.
- Never place any portion of the model in your mouth as it could cause serious injury or even death.
- Never operate your model with low transmitter batteries.
- Always keep aircraft in sight and under control.
- Always use fully charged batteries.
- Always keep transmitter powered on while aircraft is powered.
- Always remove batteries before disassembly.
- · Always keep moving parts clean.
- · Always keep parts dry.
- · Always let parts cool after use before touching.
- Always remove batteries after use.
- · Always ensure failsafe is properly set before flying.
- Never operate aircraft with damaged wiring.
- · Never touch moving parts.

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Quick Start Information					
Transmitter Setup	Set up your transmitter using the transmitter setup chart				
		Hi Rate	Low Rate		
	Ail	12mm	8mm		
Dual Rates	Ele	15mm	11mm		
	Rud	15mm	10mm		
	Flaps	Landing ▼=50mm	Takeoff ▼=11mm		
Center of Gravity (CG)	85mm +/- 3 back from leading edge at the root.				
Flight Timer Setting	5 minutes				



Specifications



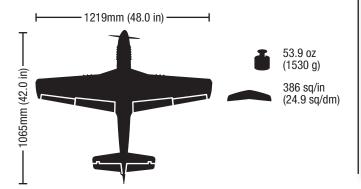


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Preflight

1	Remove and inspect contents.
2	Read this instruction manual thoroughly.
3	Charge the flight battery.
4	Setup Transmitter using transmitter setup chart.
5	Fully assemble the airplane.
6	Install the flight battery in the aircraft (once it has been fully charged).
7	Check the Center of Gravity (CG).
8	Bind the aircraft to your transmitter.
9	Make sure linkages move freely.

10	Test the retract operation.
11	Test the flap operation.
12	Perform the Control Direction Test with the transmitter.
13	Perform the AS3X Control Direction Test with the aircraft.
14	Adjust flight controls and transmitter.
15	Perform a radio system Range Test.
16	Find a safe open area to fly.
17	Plan flight for flying field conditions.

Transmitter Setup

IMPORTANT: After you set up your model, always rebind the transmitter and receiver to set the desired failsafe positions.

Dual Rates

Take first flights in Low Rate. For landings, use high rate elevator.

NOTICE: To ensure AS3X functions properly, do not lower rate values below 50%. If lower rates are desired, manually adjust the position of the pushrods on the servo arm.

NOTICE: If oscillation occurs at high speed, refer to the Troubleshooting Guide for more information.

Expo

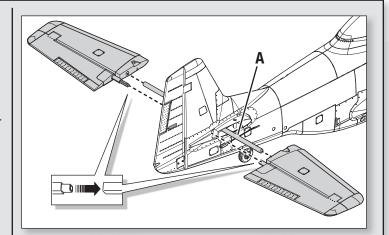
After first flights, you may adjust expo in your transmitter or refer to the AR636 receiver manual for expo adjustment.

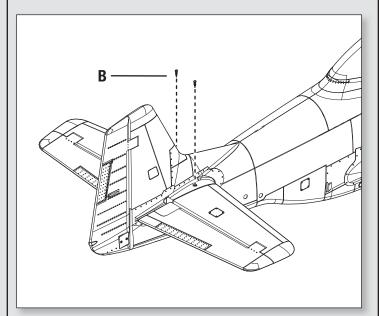
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	Computerized Transmitter Setup (DX6i, DX6, DX7, DX78, DX8, DX9, DX10t and DX18)				
	Start all transmitter programming with a blank ACRO model (do a model reset), then name the model.				
Sat Dus	Set Dual Rates to:				
		LOW 70%			
Set Ser	vo Travel to:	100%			
		SETUP LIST MENU			
		EL TYPE: ACRO			
DX6i		UST LIST MENU			
	4. Set FLAPS	: Norm ↑100 Flap LAND ↓90 Flap			
		SYSTEM SETUP			
		L TYPE: AIRPLANE			
	3. Set WING TYPE: 1 AIL 1 FLAP				
	4. Go to the FUNCTION LIST				
DX7S	5. Set SERVO SETUP: Reverse GEAR 6. Set FLAP SYSTEM: Choose Flap				
DX8	NORM: 100% FLAP				
	MID:				
	LAND:	-90% FLAP			
	SPEED	2.0S: SWITCH = FLAP			
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	2. Set MODE	L TYPE: AIRPLANE			
	3. Set AICRAFT TYPE:				
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DX7 DX9 DX10t	4. Go to the FUNCTION LIST				
		5. Set SERVO SETUP: Reverse GEAR 6. Set FLAP SYSTEM:			
		CT SWITCH D:			
DX18		POS 0: 100% FLAP			
		POS 1: 0% FLAP			
	1	20S 2: -90% FLAP			
	8	SPEED 2.0			

Model Assembly

Horizontal Tail Installation

- 1. Slide the horizontal tail tube (A) into the hole in the rear of the fuselage.
- 2. Install the 2 piece (left and right) horizontal tail as shown. Ensure the control horn faces down.
- 3. Secure the two horizontal tail pieces in place using the 2 included screws (B).
- 4. Attach the clevis to the elevator control horn (see instructions for clevis connection).





Model Assembly Continued

Wing Installation

- 1. Remove the canopy hatch.
- 2. Guide the Flaps, Retracts and Aileron servo connectors (A) through the hole (B) located in the bottom of the fuselage as shown.

Tip: If needed, use hemostats or pliers to pull the servo connectors into the fuselage.

 Connect the Flaps, Retracts and Aileron connectors to respective Y-harnesses connected to the receiver. The left and right servos can be connected to either side of a Y-harness.

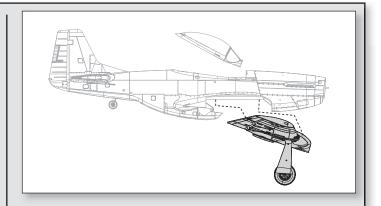
IMPORTANT: The ailerons must be connected to the receiver's AILE (#2 channel) with a Y-harness (included) for the AS3X® system to function properly.

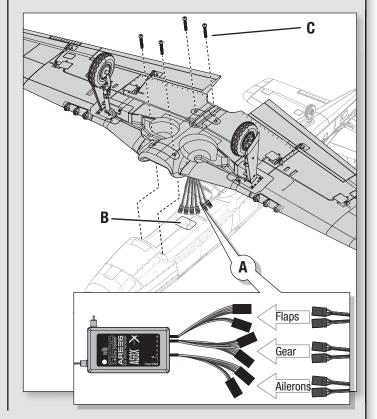
4. Align the wing with the fuselage and secure into position using the included 4 screws (\mathbf{C}) .

CAUTION: DO NOT crush or otherwise damage the wiring when attaching the wing to the fuselage.

5. Reinstall the canopy hatch on the fuselage.

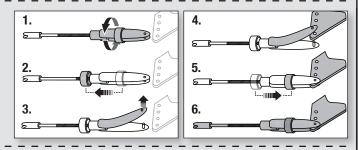
Disassemble in reverse order.





Clevis Installation

- Pull the tube from the clevis to the linkage.
- Carefully spread the clevis, then insert the clevis pin into the desired hole in the control horn.
- Move the tube to hold the clevis on the control horn.

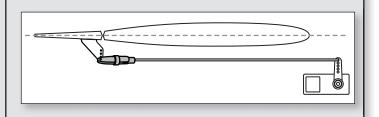


Control Surface Centering

After assembly and transmitter setup, confirm that the control surfaces are centered. If the control surfaces are not centered, mechanically center the control surfaces by adjusting the linkages.

If adjustment is required, turn the clevis on the linkage to change the length of the linkage between the servo arm and the control horn.

After binding a transmitter to the aircraft receiver, set the trims and sub-trims to 0, then adjust the clevises to center the control surfaces.

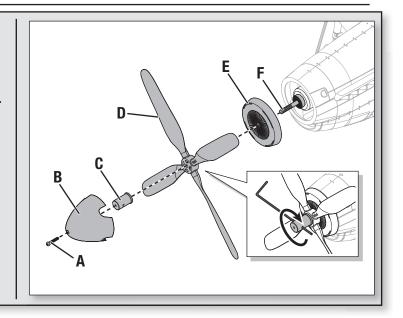


Model Assembly Continued

Propeller Installation

IMPORTANT: It is recommended to install the propeller after all system setups are completed to reduce the chance of accidental propeller strike.

- Install spinner back plate (E), Propeller (D) and collet (C) onto motor shaft (F).
 The propeller size numbers (10.5 x 8) must face out from the motor for correct propeller operation.
- 2. Tighten collet by using a small screw driver or hex wrench inserted into small hole (Inset).
- 3. Align and install spinner (B) with small screw (A).

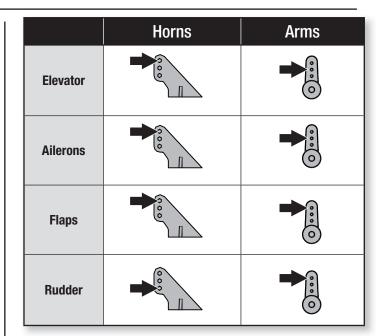


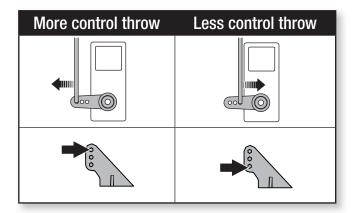
Control Horn and Servo Arm Settings

The table to the right shows the factory settings for the control horns and servo arms. Fly the aircraft at factory settings before making changes.

NOTICE: If control throws are changed from the factory settings, the AR636 gain values may need to be adjusted. Refer to the Spektrum AR636 manual for adjustment of gain values.

After flying, you may choose to adjust the linkage positions for the desired control response. See the table to the right.





Optional Drop Tank and Antenna Mast Installation

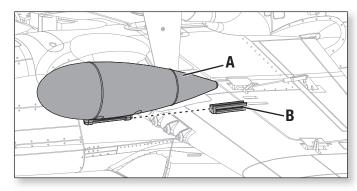
Drop Tank

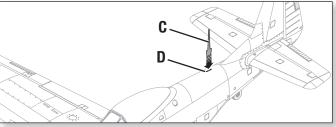
Slide the optional drop tanks (A) into the rails (B) on each wing.

Check the Center of Gravity with the drop tanks installed. See the Adjusting the Center of Gravity instructions for more information.

Antenna Mast

Slide the antenna mast (C) into slot (D) on top of the fuselage.





Transmitter and Receiver Binding

Binding is the process of programming the receiver to recognize the GUID (Globally Unique Identifier) code of a single specific transmitter. You need to 'bind' your chosen Spektrum™ DSM2®/DSMX® technology equipped aircraft transmitter to the receiver for proper operation.

IMPORTANT: Before binding a transmitter, read the Transmitter Setup section of this manual to ensure that your transmitter is properly programmed for this aircraft.

Binding Procedure

IMPORTANT: The included AR636 receiver has been programmed for operation specifically for this aircraft. Refer to the receiver manual for correct setup if the receiver is replaced or is used in another aircraft.

Read the transmitter instructions for binding to a receiver (location of transmitter's Bind control). Please visit www.bindnfly.com for a complete list of compatible transmitters.

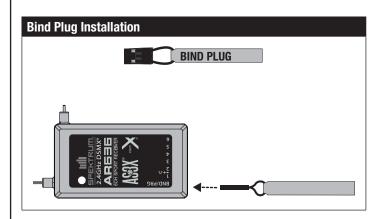
CAUTION: When using a Futaba® transmitter with a Spektrum DSM module, you must reverse the throttle channel and rebind. Refer to your Spektrum module manual for binding and failsafe instructions. Refer to your Futaba transmitter manual for instructions on reversing the throttle channel.

- 1. Make sure the transmitter is powered off.
- Move the transmitter controls to neutral (flight controls: rudder, elevators and ailerons) or to low positions (throttle, throttle trim).***
- 3. Install a bind plug in the receiver bind port.
- Connect the flight battery to the ESC. The ESC will produce a series
 of sounds. One long tone, then 3 short tones confirm that the LVC is
 set correctly for the ESC. The orange bind LED on the receiver will
 begin to flash rapidly.
- 5. Power on the transmitter while holding the transmitter bind button or switch. Refer to your transmitter's manual for binding.
- 6. When the receiver binds to the transmitter, the orange bind light on the receiver will turn solid and the ESC will produce a series of three ascending tones. The tones indicate the ESC is armed, provided the throttle stick and throttle trim are low enough to trigger arming.

- 7. Remove the bind plug from the bind port.
- 8. Safely store the bind plug (some owners attach the bind plug to their transmitter using two-part loops and clips).
- 9. The receiver should retain the binding instructions received from the transmitter until another binding is done.
- * The throttle will not arm if the transmitter's throttle control is not put at the lowest position. If you encounter problems, follow the binding instructions and refer to the transmitter troubleshooting guide for other instructions. If needed, contact the appropriate Horizon Product Support office.

**Failsafe

If the receiver loses transmitter communication, the failsafe will activate. When activated, failsafe moves the throttle channel to its preset failsafe position (low throttle) that was set during binding. All other channels hold their last position.



Battery Installation and ESC Arming

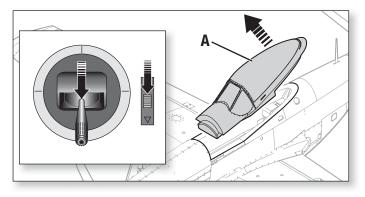
Battery Selection

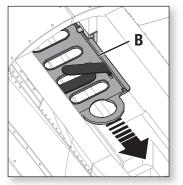
We recommend the E-flite® 2200mAh 11.1V 3S 30C Li-Po battery (EFLB22003S30). Refer to the Optional Parts List for other recommended batteries. If using a battery other than those listed, the battery should be within the range of capacity, dimensions and weight of the E-flite Li-Po battery packs to fit in the fuselage. Be sure the model balances at the recommended CG.

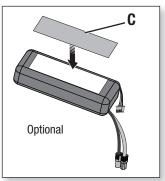
- 1. Lower the throttle and throttle trim to the lowest settings. Power on the Transmitter, then wait 5 seconds.
- 2. Carefully lift the back of the canopy hatch (A) to remove.
- 3. Slide the battery tray (B) out of the battery compartment.
- For added security apply the loop side (soft side) of the optional hook and loop tape (C) to the bottom of your battery and the hook side to the battery tray.
- 5. Install fully charged battery (**D**) on the front edge of the battery tray as shown and secure using the hook and loop straps (**E**).
- 6. Align battery tray with the tracks in the battery compartment and slide tray all the way forward until the tray locks.
- 7. Connect the battery to the ESC (the ESC is now armed).
- 8. Keep the aircraft immobile and away from wind or the system will not initialize.
 - The ESC will sound a series of tones (refer to step 6 of the binding instructions for more information).
 - An LED will light on the receiver.

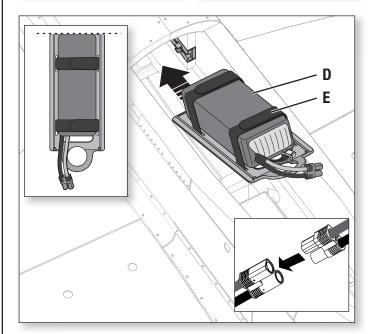
If the ESC sounds a continuous double beep after the flight battery is connected, recharge or replace the battery.

9. Reinstall the canopy hatch.









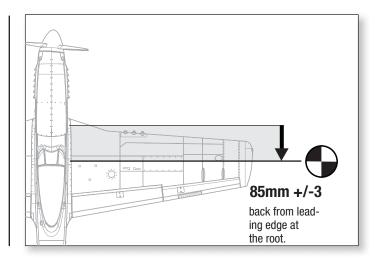


CAUTION: Always keep hands away from the propeller. When armed, the motor will turn the propeller in response to any throttle movement.

Center of Gravity (CG)

The CG location is measured from the leading edge of the wing at the root. This CG location has been determined with the recommended Li-Po battery (EFLB22003S30) installed to the front edge of the battery tray.

Tip: Measure the CG with the aircraft inverted.



AS3X Control Direction Test

This test ensures that the AS3X® control system is functioning properly. Assemble the aircraft and bind your transmitter to the receiver before performing this test.

1. Raise the throttle just above 25%, then lower the throttle to activate AS3X.

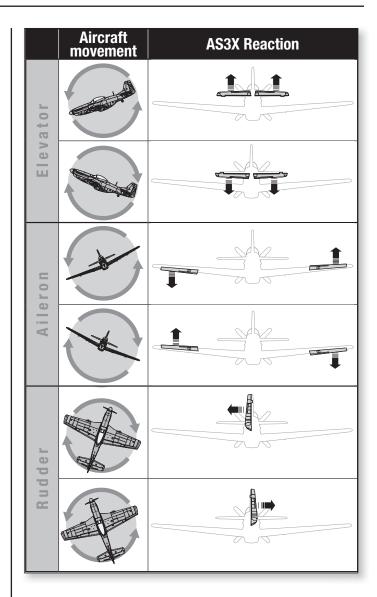


CAUTION: Keep all body parts, hair and loose clothing away from a moving propeller, as these items could become entangled.

IMPORTANT: The AR636 programming for this aircraft increases control surface movement when flaps are fully down.

Move the entire aircraft as shown and ensure the control surfaces move in the direction indicated in the graphic. If the control surfaces do not respond as shown, do not fly the aircraft. Refer to the receiver manual for more information.

Once the AS3X system is active, control surfaces may move rapidly. This is normal. AS3X remains active until the battery is disconnected.

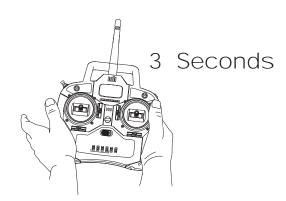


In Flight Trimming

During your first flight, trim the aircraft for level flight at 3/4 throttle with flaps and gear up. Make small trim adjustments with your transmitter's trim switches to straighten the aircraft's flight path.

After adjusting trim do not touch the control sticks for 3 seconds. This allows the receiver to learn the correct settings to optimize AS3X performance.

Failure to do so could affect flight performance.



Flying Tips and Repairs

Consult local laws and ordinances before choosing a flying location.

Range Check your Radio System

Before you fly, range check the radio system. Refer to your specific transmitter instruction manual for range test information.

Oscillation

Once the AS3X system is active (after advancing the throttle for the first time), you will normally see the control surfaces react to aircraft movement. In some flight conditions you may see oscillation (the aircraft rocks back and forth on one axis due to overcontrol). If oscillation occurs, refer to the Troubleshooting Guide for more information.

Takeoff

Place the aircraft facing into the wind. Set your transmitter in low rate and use your flaps switch to drop the flaps to takeoff or "half position". Gradually increase the throttle to ¾ and steer with the rudder. **Flaps make takeoffs shorter**. As the tail comes off the ground, pull back gently on the elevator. When airborn, flip your gear switch to raise your landing gear. Climb to a comfortable altitude and then flip your flaps switch to level the flaps.

Flying

For your first flights with the recommended battery pack (EFLB22003S30), set your transmitter timer or a stopwatch to 5 minutes. After five minutes, land the aircraft. Adjust your timer for longer or shorter flights once you have flown the model. If at any time the motor pulses, land the aircraft immediately to recharge the flight battery. See the Low Voltage Cutoff (LVC) section for more details on maximizing battery health and run time.

Landing

Land the aircraft into the wind. Use high rate Elevator for landings. Use a small amount of throttle for the entire descent. Lower the throttle to ¼ and flip your flaps switch to deploy the flaps to the landing or "full down position". **Flaps will make the landing approach steeper and slower, and allow for a smoother landing.** Flip your gear switch to lower your landing gear. This will slow the aircraft further.

Keep the throttle on until the aircraft is ready to flare. During flare, keep the wings level and the aircraft pointed into the wind. Gently lower the throttle while pulling back on the elevator to bring the aircraft down on its wheels.

If landing on grass, it is best to hold full up elevator after touchdown and when taxiing to prevent nosing over.

Once on the ground, avoid sharp turns until the plane has slowed enough to prevent scraping the wingtips.

NOTICE: If a crash is imminent, reduce the throttle and trim fully. Failure to do so could result in extra damage to the airframe, as well as damage to the ESC and motor.

NOTICE: After any impact, always ensure the receiver is secure in the fuselage. If you replace the receiver, install the new receiver in the same orientation as the original receiver or damage may result.

NOTICE: Crash damage is not covered under warranty.

NOTICE: When you are finished flying, never leave the aircraft in direct sunlight or in a hot, enclosed area such as a car. Doing so can damage the aircraft.

WARNING: Always decrease throttle at propeller strike.



Low Voltage Cutoff (LVC)

When a Li-Po battery is discharged below 3V per cell, it will not hold a charge. The ESC protects the flight battery from over-discharge using Low Voltage Cutoff (LVC). Before the battery charge decreases too much, LVC removes power supplied to the motor. Power to the motor pulses, showing that some battery power is reserved for flight control and safe landing.

Disconnect and remove the Li-Po battery from the aircraft after use to prevent trickle discharge. Charge your Li-Po battery to about half capacity before storage. During storage, make sure the battery charge does not fall below 3V per cell. LVC does not prevent the battery from over-discharge during storage.

NOTICE: Repeated flying to LVC will damage the battery.

Tip: Monitor your aircraft battery's voltage before and after flying by using a Li-Po Cell Voltage Checker (EFLA111, sold separately).

Repairs

Thanks to the Z-Foam™ material in this aircraft, repairs to the foam can be made using virtually any adhesive (hot glue, regular CA, epoxy, etc). When parts are not repairable, see the Replacement Parts List for ordering by item number. For a listing of all replacement and optional parts, refer to the list at the end of this manual.

NOTICE: Use of CA accelerant on your aircraft can damage paint. DO NOT handle the aircraft until accelerant fully dries.

Post Flight

1	Disconnect the flight battery from the ESC (Required for Safety and battery life). Power OFF the transmitter.		5	Repair or replace all damaged parts.
•				Store the flight battery apart from the aircraft and monitor the
2			6	battery charge.
3	Remove the flight battery from the aircraft.		7	Make note of the flight conditions and flight plan results, planning for
4	Recharge the flight battery.			future flights.

Motor Service



CAUTION: Always disconnect the flight battery before performing motor service.

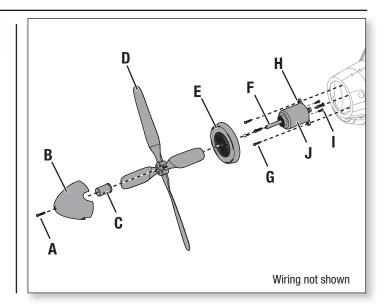
Disassembly

- 1. Remove the screw (A) and spinner (B) from the collet (C).
- 2 Remove the propeller (D), backplate (E) and collet from the motor shaft (F). Loosen the collet by using a small screw driver or hex wrench inserted into the small hole.
- 3. Remove the 4 screws (G) from the motor mount (H) and the fuselage.
- 4. Disconnect the motor wires from the ESC wires.
- 5. Remove the 4 screws (I) and motor (J) from the motor mount.

Assembly

Assemble in reverse order.

- · Correctly align and connect the motor wire colors with the ESC wires.
- Install the propeller with the size numbers (10.5 x 8) facing out from the motor.
- Tighten the collet by using a small screw driver or hex wrench inserted into the small hole.



Troubleshooting Guide AS3X

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution	
	Damaged propeller or spinner	Replace propeller or spinner	
	Imbalanced propeller	Balance the propeller. For more information, view John Redman's propeller balancing video at www. horizonhobby.com	
Oscillation	Motor vibration	Replace parts or correctly align all parts and tighten fasteners as needed	
Oscillation	Loose receiver	Align and secure receiver in fuselage	
	Loose aircraft controls	Tighten or otherwise secure parts (servo, arm, linkage, horn and control surface)	
	Worn parts	Replace worn parts (especially propeller, spinner or servo)	
	Irregular servo movement	Replace servo	
Trim is not at neutral		If you adjust trim more than 8 clicks, adjust the clevis to remove trim	
Inconsistent flight	Sub-Trim is not at neutral	No Sub-Trim is allowed. Adjust the servo linkage	
performance	Aircraft was not kept im- mobile for 5 seconds after battery connection	With the throttle stick in lowest position. Disconnect battery, then reconnect battery and keep the aircraft still for 5 seconds	
Incorrect response to the AS3X Control Direction Test	Incorrect direction settings in the receiver, which can cause a crash	DO NOT fly. Correct the direction settings (refer to the receiver manual), then fly	

Troubleshooting Guide

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution		
	Throttle not at idle and/or throttle trim too high	Reset controls with throttle stick and throttle trim at lowest setting		
Aircraft will not re- spond to throttle but	Throttle servo travel is lower than 100%	Make sure throttle servo travel is 100% or greater		
responds to other controls	Throttle channel is reversed	Reverse throttle channel on transmitter		
Controls	Motor disconnected from ESC	Make sure motor is connected to the ESC		
	Damaged propeller and spinner, collet or motor	Replace damaged parts		
Extra propeller noise or extra vibration	Propeller is out of balance	Balance or replace propeller		
or oxara vibration	Prop nut is too loose	Tighten the prop nut		
	Flight battery charge is low	Completely recharge flight battery		
Reduced flight time	Propeller installed backwards	Install propeller with numbers facing forward		
or aircraft under-	Flight battery damaged	Replace flight battery and follow flight battery instructions		
powered	Flight conditions may be too cold	Make sure battery is warm before use		
	Battery capacity too low for flight conditions	Replace battery or use a larger capacity battery		
	Transmitter too near aircraft during binding process	Move powered transmitter a few feet from aircraft, disconnect and reconnect flight battery to aircraft		
Aircraft will not Bind	Aircraft or transmitter is too close to large metal object, wireless source or another transmitter	Move aircraft and transmitter to another location and attempt binding again		
(during binding) to transmitter	The bind plug is not installed correctly in the bind port	Install bind plug in bind port and bind the aircraft to the transmitter		
	Flight battery/transmitter battery charge is too low	Replace/recharge batteries		
	Bind switch or button not held long enough during bind process	Power off transmitter and repeat bind process. Hold transmitter bind button or switch until receiver is bound		
	Transmitter too near aircraft during connecting process	Move powered transmitter a few feet from aircraft, disconnect and reconnect flight battery to aircraft		
	Aircraft or transmitter is too close to large metal object, wireless source or another transmitter	Move aircraft and transmitter to another location and attempt connecting again		
Aircraft will not con- nect (after binding)	Bind plug left installed in bind port	Rebind transmitter to the aircraft and remove the bind plug before cycling power		
to transmitter	Aircraft bound to different model memory (ModelMatch™ radios only)	Select correct model memory on transmitter		
	Flight battery/Transmitter battery charge is too low	Replace/recharge batteries		
	Transmitter may have been bound to a different aircraft using different DSM protocol	Bind aircraft to transmitter		
	Control surface, control horn, linkage or servo damage	Replace or repair damaged parts and adjust controls		
	Wire damaged or connections loose	Do a check of wires and connections, connect or replace as needed		
Control surface does not move	Transmitter is not bound correctly or the incorrect airplanes was selected	Re-bind or select correct airplanes in transmitter		
	Flight battery charge is low	Fully recharge flight battery		
	BEC (Battery Elimination Circuit) of the ESC is damaged	Replace ESC		
Controls reversed	Transmitter settings are reversed	Perform the Control Direction Test and adjust the controls on transmitter appropriately		
	ESC uses default soft Low Voltage Cutoff (LVC)	Recharge flight battery or replace battery that is no longer performing		
Motor power pulses then motor loses	Weather conditions might be too cold	Postpone flight until weather is warmer		
power	Battery is old, worn out, or damaged	Replace battery		
	Battery C rating might be too small	Use recommended battery		

AMA National Model Aircraft Safety Code

Effective January 1, 2014

A. GENERAL

A model aircraft is a non-human-carrying aircraft capable of sustained flight in the atmosphere. It may not exceed limitations of this code and is intended exclusively for sport, recreation, education and/or competition. All model flights must be conducted in accordance with this safety code and any additional rules specific to the flying site.

- 1. Model aircraft will not be flown:
 - (a) In a careless or reckless manner.
 - (b) At a location where model aircraft activities are prohibited.
- 2. Model aircraft pilots will:
 - (a) Yield the right of way to all man carrying aircraft.
 - (b) See and avoid all aircraft and a spotter must be used when appropriate. (AMA Document #540-D.)
 - (c) Not fly higher than approximately 400 feet above ground level within three (3) miles of an airport, without notifying the airport operator.
 - (d) Not interfere with operations and traffic patterns at any airport, heliport or seaplane base except where there is a mixed use agreement.
 - (e) Not exceed a takeoff weight, including fuel, of 55 pounds unless in compliance with the AMA Large Model Aircraft program. (AMA Document 520-A.)
 - (f) Ensure the aircraft is identified with the name and address or AMA number of the owner on the inside or affixed to the outside of the model aircraft. (This does not apply to model aircraft flown indoors).
 - (g) Not operate aircraft with metal-blade propellers or with gaseous boosts except for helicopters operated under the provisions of AMA Document #555
 - (h) Not operate model aircraft while under the influence of alcohol or while using any drug which could adversely affect the pilot's ability to safely control the model.
 - (i) Not operate model aircraft carrying pyrotechnic devices which explode or burn, or any device which propels a projectile or drops any object that creates a hazard to persons or property. Exceptions:
 - Free Flight fuses or devices that burn producing smoke and are securely attached to the model aircraft during flight.
 - Rocket motors (using solid propellant) up to a G-series size may be used provided they remain attached to the model during flight. Model rockets may be flown in accordance with the National Model Rocketry Safety Code but may not be launched from model aircraft.
 - Officially designated AMA Air Show Teams (AST) are authorized to use devices and practices as defined within the Team AMA Program Document (AMA Document #718).
 - (j) Not operate a turbine-powered aircraft, unless in compliance with the AMA turbine regulations. (AMA Document #510-A).
- Model aircraft will not be flown in AMA sanctioned events, air shows or model demonstrations unless:
 - (a) The aircraft, control system and pilot skills have successfully demonstrated all maneuvers intended or anticipated prior to the specific event.
 - (b) An inexperienced pilot is assisted by an experienced pilot.
- When and where required by rule, helmets must be properly worn and fastened. They must be OSHA, DOT, ANSI, SNELL or NOCSAE approved or comply with comparable standards.

B. RADIO CONTROL

- All pilots shall avoid flying directly over unprotected people, vessels, vehicles or structures and shall avoid endangerment of life and property of others.
- A successful radio equipment ground-range check in accordance with manufacturer's recommendations will be completed before the first flight of a new or repaired model aircraft.
- At all flying sites a safety line(s) must be established in front of which all flying takes place (AMA Document #706.)
 - (a) Only personnel associated with flying the model aircraft are allowed at or in front of the safety line.
 - (b) At air shows or demonstrations, a straight safety line must be established.
 - (c) An area away from the safety line must be maintained for spectators.
 - (d) Intentional flying behind the safety line is prohibited.
- RC model aircraft must use the radio-control frequencies currently allowed by the Federal Communications Commission (FCC). Only individuals properly licensed by the FCC are authorized to operate equipment on Amateur Band frequencies.
- RC model aircraft will not operate within three (3) miles of any pre-existing flying site without a frequency-management agreement (AMA Documents #922 and #923.)
- 6. With the exception of events flown under official AMA Competition Regulations, excluding takeoff and landing, no powered model may be flown outdoors closer than 25 feet to any individual, except for the pilot and the pilot's helper(s) located at the flight line.
- Under no circumstances may a pilot or other person touch a model aircraft in flight while it is still under power, except to divert it from striking an individual.
- RC night flying requires a lighting system providing the pilot with a clear view of the model's attitude and orientation at all times. Hand-held illumination systems are inadequate for night flying operations.
- 9. The pilot of a RC model aircraft shall:
 - (a) Maintain control during the entire flight, maintaining visual contact without enhancement other than by corrective lenses prescribed for the pilot.
 - (b) Fly using the assistance of a camera or First-Person View (FPV) only in accordance with the procedures outlined in AMA Document #550.
 - (C) Fly using the assistance of autopilot or stabilization system only in accordance with the procedures outlined in AMA Document #560.

Please see your local or regional modeling association's guidelines for proper, safe operation of your model aircraft.

Limited Warranty

What this Warranty Covers

Horizon Hobby, LLC, (Horizon) warrants to the original purchaser that the product purchased (the "Product") will be free from defects in materials and workmanship at the date of purchase.

What is Not Covered

This warranty is not transferable and does not cover (i) cosmetic damage, (ii) damage due to acts of God, accident, misuse, abuse, negligence, commercial use, or due to improper use, installation, operation or maintenance, (iii) modification of or to any part of the Product, (iv) attempted service by anyone other than a Horizon Hobby authorized service center, (v) Product not purchased from an authorized Horizon dealer, or (vi) Product not compliant with applicable technical regulations, or (vii) use that violates any applicable laws, rules, or regulations.

OTHER THAN THE EXPRESS WARRANTY ABOVE, HORIZON MAKES NO OTHER WARRANTY OR REPRESENTATION, AND HEREBY DISCLAIMS ANY AND ALL IMPLIED WARRANTIES, INCLUDING, WITHOUT LIMITATION, THE IMPLIED WARRANTIES OF NON-INFRINGEMENT, MERCHANTABILITY AND FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE. THE PURCHASER ACKNOWLEDGES THAT THEY ALONE HAVE DETERMINED THAT THE PRODUCT WILL SUITABLY MEET THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE PURCHASER'S INTENDED USE.

Purchaser's Remedy

Horizon's sole obligation and purchaser's sole and exclusive remedy shall be that Horizon will, at its option, either (i) service, or (ii) replace, any Product determined by Horizon to be defective. Horizon reserves the right to inspect any and all Product(s) involved in a warranty claim. Service or replacement decisions are at the sole discretion of Horizon. Proof of purchase is required for all warranty claims. SERVICE OR REPLACEMENT AS PROVIDED UNDER THIS WARRANTY IS THE PURCHASER'S SOLE AND EXCLUSIVE REMEDY.

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Law

These terms are governed by Illinois law (without regard to conflict of law principals). This warranty gives you specific legal rights, and you may also have other rights which vary from state to state. Horizon reserves the right to change or modify this warranty at any time without notice.

WARRANTY SERVICES

Questions, Assistance, and Services

Your local hobby store and/or place of purchase cannot provide warranty support or service. Once assembly, setup or use of the Product has been started, you must contact your local distributor or Horizon directly. This will enable Horizon to better answer your questions and service you in the event that you may need any assistance. For questions or assistance, please visit our website at www.horizonhobby.com, submit a Product Support Inquiry, or call the toll free telephone number referenced in the Warranty and Service Contact Information section to speak with a Product Support representative.

Inspection or Services

If this Product needs to be inspected or serviced and is compliant in the country you live and use the Product in, please use the Horizon Online Service Request submission process found on our website or call Horizon to obtain a Return Merchandise Authorization (RMA) number. Pack the Product securely using a shipping carton. Please note that original boxes may be included, but are not designed to withstand the rigors of shipping without additional

protection. Ship via a carrier that provides tracking and insurance for lost or damaged parcels, as Horizon is not responsible for merchandise until it arrives and is accepted at our facility. An Online Service Request is available at http://www.horizonhobby.com/content/_service-center_render-service-center. If you do not have internet access, please contact Horizon Product Support to obtain a RMA number along with instructions for submitting your product for service. When calling Horizon, you will be asked to provide your complete name, street address, email address and phone number where you can be reached during business hours. When sending product into Horizon, please include your RMA number, a list of the included items, and a brief summary of the problem. A copy of your original sales receipt must be included for warranty consideration. Be sure your name, address, and RMA number are clearly written on the outside of the shipping carton.

NOTICE: Do not ship LiPo batteries to Horizon. If you have any issue with a LiPo battery, please contact the appropriate Horizon Product Support office.

Warranty Requirements

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

Non-Warranty Service

Should your service not be covered by warranty, service will be completed and payment will be required without notification or estimate of the expense unless the expense exceeds 50% of the retail purchase cost. By submitting the item for service you are agreeing to payment of the service without notification. Service estimates are available upon request. You must include this request with your item submitted for service. Non-warranty service estimates will be billed a minimum of ½ hour of labor. In addition you will be billed for return freight. Horizon accepts money orders and cashier's checks, as well as Visa, MasterCard, American Express, and Discover cards. By submitting any item to Horizon for service, you are agreeing to Horizon's Terms and Conditions found on our website http://www.horizonhobby.com/content/_service-center_render-service-center.

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

Contact Information

Country of Purchase	Horizon Hobby	Phone Number/Email Address	Address
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FCC Information

Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) This device may not cause harmful interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.



CAUTION: Changes or modifications not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate the equipment.

This product contains a radio transmitter with wireless technology which has been tested and found to be compliant with the applicable regulations governing a radio transmitter in the 2.400GHz to 2.4835GHz frequency range.

IC Information

This device complies with Industry Canada licence-exempt RSS standard(s). Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) this device may not

cause interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference, including interference that may cause undesired operation of the device.

Compliance Information for the European Union



EFL P-51D 1.2M BNF Basic (EFL8250)

EU Compliance Statement: Horizon Hobby, LLC hereby declares that this product is in compliance with the essential requirements and other relevant provisions of the R&TTE and EMC Directive.

A copy of the EU Declaration of Conformity is available online at: http://www.horizonhobby.com/content/support-render-compliance.

Instructions for disposal of WEEE by users in the European Union



This product must not be disposed of with other waste. Instead, it is the user's responsibility to dispose of their waste equipment by handing it over to a designated collections point for the recycling of waste electrical and electronic equipment. The separate collection and recycling of your waste equipment at the time of disposal will help to conserve natural resources and ensure that it is recycled in a manner that protects human health and the environment. For more information about where you can drop off your waste equipment for recycling, please contact your local city office, your household waste disposal service or where you purchased the product.



Replacement Parts • Ersatzteile • Pièces de rechange • Pezzi di ricambio

Part # Nummer Numéro Codice	Description	Beschreibung	Description	Descrizione
EFL8250	P-51D Mustang 1.2m BNF Basic	P-51D Mustang 1,2m BNF Basic	P-51D Mustang 1.2m BNF Basic	P-51D Mustang 1.2m BNF Basic
EFL8201	Spinner 4 blade 75mm: P-51D 1.2m	4-Blatt Spinner 75mm: P-51D 1,2m	P-51D 1.2m - Cône diamètre 75mm pour hélice quadripale	Ogiva quadripala 75mm: P-51D 1.2m
EFL8202	Decal Sheet: P-51D 1.2m	Decalsatz: P-51D 1,2m	P-51D 1.2m - Planche de décoration	Set decalcomanie: P-51D 1.2m
EFL8204	Prop Adapter Hex 32mm: P-51D 1.2m	Prop Adapter Hex 32mm: P-51D 1,2m	P-51D 1.2m - Ecrou d'hélice 32mm	Esagone adattatore elica: P-51D 1.2m
EFL8207	Landing Gear, Struts, & Door Set: P-51D 1.2m	Fahrwerk, Verstrebungen & Türset: P-51D 1,2m	P-51D 1.2m - Train d'atterrissage, trappes et portes	Carrello d'atterraggio con gambe e portelli: P-51D 1.2m
EFL8210	Wheel Set: P-51D 1.2m	Reifensatz: P-51D 1,2m	P-51D 1.2m - Roues	Set ruote: P-51D 1.2m
EFL8212	Canopy Hatch w/ Pilot: P-51D 1.2m	Kanzelabdeckung m. Pilot: P-51D 1,2m	P-51D 1.2m - Cockpit avec pilote	Sportello capottina con pilotino: P-51D 1.2m
EFL8213	Battery Tray: P-51D 1.2m	Akkuhalterung: P-51D 1,2m	P-51D 1.2m - Support de batterie	Supporto batteria: P-51D 1.2m
EFL8214	Drop Tanks: P-51D 1.2m	Abwurftanks: P-51D 1,2m	P-51D 1.2m - Réservoirs largables	Serbatioi ausiliari: P-51D 1.2m
EFL8215	Servo Wire Tape: P-51D 1.2m	Servokabel-Band: P-51D 1,2m	P-51D 1.2m - Adhésif de masquage de câbles de servo	Nastro per fili servo: P-51D 1.2m
EFL8220	Painted Wing: P-51D 1.2m	Lackierter Flügel: P-51D 1,2m	P-51D 1.2m - Ailes peintes	Ala verniciata: P-51D 1.2m
EFL8222	Pushrod Set w/ Clevis: P-51D 1.2m	Schubstangensatz m. Gabelkopf: P-51D 1,2m	P-51D 1.2m - Set de tringleries avec chapes	Aste di comando con forcelle: P-51D 1.2m
EFL8223	Hardware Set: P-51D 1.2m	Hardwaresatz: P-51D 1,2m	P-51D 1.2m - Accessoires	Set hardware: P-51D 1.2m
EFL8225	Horizontal Tail Set: P-51D 1.2m	Horizontalleitwerk-Satz: P-51D 1,2m	P-51D 1.2m - Stabilisateur	Piani di coda: P-51D 1.2m
EFL8227	Painted Fuselage w/Hatch: P-51D 1.2m	Angemalter Rumpf m. Abdeckung: P-51D 1,2m	P-51D 1.2m - Fuselage peint avec trappes	Fusoliera verniciata con sportello: P-51D 1.2m
EFLA1140W	40 AMP Brushless ESC	40 AMP bürstenloser Geschwindig- keitsregler	Contrôleur Brushless 40A	40 A brushless ESC
EFLM4115	BL15 Brushless Outrunner 850kV	BL15 Brushless Outrunner 850kV	Moteur brushless BL15 850Kv à cage tournante	BL15 Brushless Outrunner 850kV
EFLG1590M	15 size 90 degree main	90 Grad Hauptfahrwerk in 15er Größe	Train rentrant principal classe 15, 90°	Carrello 90°, misura 15
EFLP105084BL	Propellor 4 Blade 10.5 x 8: P-51D 1.2m	4-Blatt Propeller 10,5 x 8: P-51D 1,2m	P-51D 1.2m - Hélice quadripale 10,5 x 8	Propellor 4 Blade 10.5 x 8: P-51D 1.2m
SPMSA330	9 Gram Servo	9 Gramm Servo	Servo 9g	Servocomando 9g

Optional Parts • Optionale Bauteile • Pièces optionnelles • Pezzi opzionali

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EFLA250	Park Flyer Tool Assortment, 5 pc	Park Flyer Werkzeugsortiment, 5 teilig	Assortiment d'outils park flyer, 5pc	Park Flyer assortimento attrezzi, 5 pc
EFLAEC302	EC3 Battery Connector, Female (2)	EC3 Akkukabel, Buchse (2)	Prise EC3 femelle (2pc)	EC3 Connettore femmina x batteria (2)
EFLAEC303	EC3 Device/Battery Connector, Male/Female	EC3 Kabelsatz, Stecker/Buchse	Prise EC3 male/femelle	EC3 Connettore batteria maschio/ femmina
EFLB22003S50	11.1V 3S 30C 3200MAH Li-Po	11.1V 3S 30C 3200mAh LiPo	11.1V 3S 30C 3200MAH Li-Po	11.1V 3S 30C 3200MAH Li-Po
DYNC2020A	Prophet Sport Duo 50W x 2 AC Battery Charger	Dynamite Prophet Sport Duo 50W x 2 AC Ladegerät, EU	Chargeur Prophet Sport Duo 50W x 2 AC	Carica batterie Prophet Sport Duo 50W x 2 AC
DYNC2010CA	Prophet Sport Plus 50W AC DC Charger	Dynamite Ladegerät Prophet Sport Plus 50W AC/DC EU	Chargeur Prophet Sport Plus 50W AC DC	Caricabatterie Prophet Sport Plus 50W AC DC
SPMA3801	AS3X Programming Cable - Audio Interface	Spektrum Audio-Interface AS3X Emp- fänger Programmierkabel	Câble de programmation audio AS3X pour smartphone	Cavo di programmazione AS3X - Interfaccia audio
SPMA3065	AS3X Programming Cable - USB Interface	Spektrum USB-Interface AS3X Emp- fänger Programmierkabel	Câble de programmation USB AS3X pour PC	Cavo di programmazione AS3X - Interfaccia USB
EFLA111	Li-Po Cell Voltage Checker	Li-Po Cell Voltage Checker	Testeur de tension d'éléments Li-Po	Voltmetro verifica batterie LiPo
DYN1405	Li-Po Charge Protection Bag, Large	Dynamite LiPoCharge Protection Bag groß	Sac de charge Li-Po, grand modèle.	Sacchetto grande di protezione per carica LiPo
DYN1400	Li-Po Charge Protection Bag, Small	Dynamite LiPoCharge Protection Bag klein	Sac de charge Li-Po, petit modèle	Sacchetto piccolo di protezione per carica LiPo
	DX6i DSMX 6-Channel Transmitter	Spektrum DX6i DSMX 6-Kanal Sender	Emetteur DX6i DSMX 6 voies	DX6i DSMX Trasmettitore 6 canali
	DX6 DSMX 6-Channel Transmitter	Spektrum DX6 DSMX 6-Kanal Sender	Emetteur DX6 DSMX 6 voies	DX6 DSMX Trasmettitore 6 canali
	DX7 DSMX 7-Channel Transmitter	Spektrum DX7 DSMX 7 Kanal Sender	Emetteur DX7 DSMX 7 voies	DX7 DSMX Trasmettitore 7 canali
	DX9 DSMX 9-Channel Transmitter	Spektrum DX9 DSMX 9 Kanal Sender	Emetteur DX9 DSMX 9 voies	DX9 DSMX Trasmettitore 9 canali
	DX18 DSMX 18-Channel Transmitter	Spektrum DX18 DSMX 18 Kanal Sender	Emetteur DX18 DSMX 18 voies	DX18 DSMX Trasmettitore 18 canali



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