# DV-150 DVD-Player



# Instruction Manual

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# SAFETY INFORMATION

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



CAUTION : To reduce the risk of fire and electric shock, do not remove the cover (or

back) of the unit. Refer servicing only to qualified service personnel.

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

The exclamation point within an equilateral triangle is intended to alert the user to the presence of important operation and servicing instructions in the literature accompanying the appliance.

WARNING: TO REDUCE THE RISK OF FIRE OR ELECTRIC SHOCK, DO NOT EXPOSE THIS APPLIANCE TO RAIN OR MOISTURE. CAUTION: TO PREVENT ELECTRIC SHOCK.

MATCH WIDE BLADE OF PLUG TO WIDE SLOT, FULLY INSERT.

#### IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS

In addition to the careful attention devoted to quality standards in the manufacture of your video product, safety is a major factor in the design of every instrument. However, safety is your responsibility, too. This sheet lists important information that will help to assure your enjoyment and proper use of the video product and accessory equipment. Please read them carefully before operation and using your video product.

#### Installation

Read all instructions carefully, even if you are familiar with the appliance.

1. This appliance is not intended for use by children or infirm persons without supervision.

2. Children should be prevented from playing with the appliance.

3. This appliance should be placed on a dry, level surface before it is operated.

4. INDOOR USE ONLY this appliance is not intended for outdoor use.

5. Do not expose this appliance to rain or moisture. Do not immerse the appliance in water or any other liquid.

Do not place items filled with liquids, such as vases, on the appliance. Do not expose the appliance to dripping or splashing liquids.

7. This appliance is not intended for use in bathrooms, laundry areas or similar moist locations. Never locate this appliance in the immediate surroundings of, or where it may fall into, a bath, basin, washtub, shower or swimming pool. 8. Do not place naked flame sources, such as candles, on the appliance.

 Do not locate the appliance or cord near heat sources such as radiators, heaters, air ducts or direct sunlight.
 Do not block any of the ventilation openings. Ensure that vents are not covered by newspapers, tablecloths, curtains, etc. Do not install in a tight-fitting cabinet.
 Do not insert or allow foreign objects to enter any grille openings.

12. Do not run the cord under carpeting. Instead, arrange the cord away from traffic areas where it will not become a trip hazard.

13. To disconnect the appliance, turn the appliance off, switch off the power outlet and remove the plug from the power outlet.

14. Do not misuse the cord. Never carry the appliance by the cord or pull to disconnect it from the outlet. Instead, grasp the plug and pull to disconnect.

15. Do not operate the appliance if it has a damaged cord or plug; after the appliance malfunctions; or has been dropped or damaged in any way. Consult Singer for examination.

16. Use of controls or adjustments, or performance of procedures other than those specified herein, may result in hazardous radiation exposure. Caution

Do not open do not attempt to repair, disassemble or modify this appliance.

Dangerous high voltages exist inside this appliance. This appliance is only to be serviced by Singer Service Technician. There are no user-serviceable parts inside. Do not look at laser pick-up directly. Do not touch the lens.

#### SAFETY INFORMATION

#### Installation Warnings

Ventilation Slots and openings in the case are provided for ventilation to ensure reliable operation of the video product and to protect it from overheating. These openings must not the blocked or covered. The openings should never be blocked by placing the product on a bed, sofa, rug, or heat register. This product should not be placed in a built-in installation such as a bookcase or rack, unless proper ventilation is provided or the video product manufacturer instructions have been followed.

Outdoor Antenna Grounding If an outside antenna or cable system is connected to the video product, be sure the antenna or cable system is grounded so as to provide some protection against voltage surges and builtup static charges. ANSI/NFPA No. 70-1984 provides information with respect to proper grounding of the mast and supporting structure, grounding of the lead-in wire to an antenna-discharge unit, connection to grounding electrodes, and requirements for the grounding electrode.

Power Lines An outside antenna system should not be located in the vicinity of overhead power lines, 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 or approaching such power lines or circuits, as contact with them might be fatal. Installing an outdoor antenna can be hazardous and should be left to a professional antenna installer.

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 if from the wall outlet and disconnect the antenna or cable system. This will prevent damage to the video product due to lightning and power line surges.

#### **Compulsory Warnings**

If the supply cord is damaged, it must be replaced by Singer service Technicion, in order to avoid a hazard. This product has not been designed for any uses other than those specified in this booklet.

#### Laser Safety

This compact disc player is classified as a CLASS 1 LASER PRODUCT.

Only qualified service personnel should remove the cover or attempt to service this device due to possible eve injury.

Invisible laser radiation when open and interlock failed or defeated.

Avoid direct exposure to beam.

# FEATURES

DVD, CD, MP3, Picture CD compatible CD-R, CD-RW capable

#### TV format:

PAL/ NTSC color system 4:3 / 16:9 screen format select

#### Video output:

Composite Video output S-Video output YPbPr output SCART output

#### Audio output:

Down-mix stereo output DTS surround output

#### DVD features: Multi Subtitle select

Multi Language select Multi Angle select

#### Other features:

On screen control menu Digital zooming Slow motion forward Child lock

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## INTRODUCTION

#### Loading batteries to the remote control

- Remove the battery compartment cover.
- Load two AAA (UM-4 or R03) batteries into the battery compartment.
- Make sure that the batteries have been inserted in the correct polarities matching to the symbols
   +, - marked in the battery compartment. Close the battery compartment cover.
- When replacing batteries, replace both batteries. Do not mix new and used batteries operating together, otherwise, the operation lifetime will be much shorter than normal.
- Remove the batteries if the unit will not be used for a prolonged period of time.
- The remote control transmits a directional infrared beam. Be sure to aim the remote control directly at the infrared sensor of the unit during operation.

If the sensor has been covered or there is a large object between the remote control and the sensor, the sensor will not respond.

The sensor may not able to receive the remote signal when it is exposed to direct sunlight or a strong artificial light (fluorescent or strobe light). In this case, change the direction of the light or reposition the unit to avoid direct lighting.



#### **BE ENVIRONMENTALLY FRIENDLY**

Do not dispose of batteries as normal rubbish. Be environmentally friendly, dispose of batteries following the Government's regulation.

## About DVD

DVD (Digital Versatile Disc) is a digital video medium under the MPEG II format, featuring a variety of revolutionary entertainment capabilities. The MPEG II video compression technology provides capacity for an excellent picture of minimum 500 lines resolution on screen, up to 8 language soundtracks, up to 9 views from different camera angles and up to 32 language subtitles (provided the DVD disc itself supports these features).

#### Disc information

Disc types	DVD	CD
Recording Method	Digital / MPEG II	Digital
Capacity	Single-layer / Single side 4.7GB = 2 hr Single-layer / Double sides 8.5GB = 4 hr Double-layers / Single side 9.4GB = 4.5 hr Double-layers / Double sides 17GB = 8 hr	650MB=74min
Disc size	12cm / 8cm	12cm / 8cm
Horizontal Resolution	500 lines up	-
Sub-titles	32	-
Sound tracks	8	1
Symbol		

#### REMARK

Some features contained in this DVD player are related to the DVD disc's software.

Some features cannot be performed if the disc does not support the feature, or requires special settings.

Check the features printed on the disc's packing or follow the instructions of the Disc's on screen menu.

#### Select a DVD disc

#### DVD Region Code

DVD discs and DVD players are manufactured under the worldwide agreed DVD Regional Code System that the player will operate only with corresponding disc of the same Regional Code.

Region code	Region
1	Canada, USA
2	Europe (incl. Poland, Romania, The Czech republic), Japan, Middle East (incl. Saudi Arabia, Egypt, Iran, South Africa)
3	East Asia (incl. Hong Kong, T aiwan, South Korea), South-East Asia
4	Australia, Caribbean, Central & South America, Mexico, New Zealand
5	Africa, Former Soviet Union, India, North Korea, Pakistan, Turkmenistan
6	China

#### Care of disc

Video disc contains high-density compressed data that needs proper handling

 Hold the disc with fingers. Hold the disc's outer edge and/or the center spindle hole. Do not touch the disc surface.



• Do not bend or press the disc. Do NOT expose the disc to direct sunlight or heating sources.



- Store discs in cabinet vertically , in dry condition.
   Prevent exposure to:
- Prevent exposure to: • Direct sunlight
- · Heat or exhaust from a heating device.
- Extreme humidity
- Clean the disc surface with a soft, dry cleaning cloth. Wipe the disc surface gently , radically , from center toward the outer edge.
- Do not applythinner, alcohol chemical solvent, or sprays when cleaning. Such cleaning fluids will permanently damage the disc surface.

INTRODUCTION

About the player

Front panel



Back panel

④ Digital signal OPTICAL output jack
⑤ Right channel output jack
⑥ Digital signal COAXIAL output jack



#### INTRODUCTION

#### Remote control

Some features of the player can only be performed by the remote control.

Some features described in this owner's manual are related to the Disc's encoding. Some features may not be available, if the disc

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#### Notes

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- 1 STANDBY
- 2 P/N
- ③ PROG
- (4) SEARCH
- (5) SUBTITLE
- 6 ANGLE
- ① UP
- (8) SETUP
- ⑨ LEFT
- (10) ENTER/PLAY
- (1) TITLE
- (12) CHANNEL
- (13) REPEAT
- (14) RESET
- -
- 15 SLOW
- 16 SHUFFEL
- 1 DISPALY
- (18) STOP
- 19 STEP
- 20 PREV
- 21 F.REV

- 22 EJECT23 MUTE
- (24) 0-9 NUMBER
- 25 PBC
- 26 RETURN
- 27 RIGHT
- MENU
  - 29 DOWN
  - DOM
  - ③ LANGUAGE
  - 31 MARK
  - 32 CLEAR
- 33 RSCAN
- 34 MODE
- (35) A-B
- 36 VOL
  - (37) PLAY/PAUSE
  - 38 NEXT
  - 39 F.FWD

## SYSTEM CONNECTION

## Preparations

#### System connection(Optional according to your back panel)

1. When making connection between this unit and other components, be sure all connection with power-off.

2. Audio/Video cables are connected according to the different colour identification and they should be fitted firmly.

Yellow to video terminal

White to audio terminal L,L

Red to audio terminal R,R

Black to audio terminal W,CENTER

3. Scheme of connection

#### 2CHANNEL CONNECTION



#### WITH SCART CONNECTION



## **GETTING STARTED**

- Unpack the unit.
- · Read through thisowner's manual before installation and use.
- · Load batteries into the remote control unit.
- · Connect the system, make sure the connections are secured.
- . Connect the power plug to the AC power outlet.

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#### Play a disc

#### Switch on the player

Push the main power button to turn on the DVD unit. Power on the TV set and the amplifier if connected.

#### Load a disc



#### Set up the system

Select the corresponding setting of the TV set (A V1, A V2, S-Video etc.) and the amplifier , until the DVD power on screen appears.

Press EJECT button on the remote control (or front panel) to open the disc tray. Load a disc and press EJECT to close the disc trav

(Note, place the disc's label side up, blank side down)

#### Automatic Play

The unit will take a few seconds to download the disc initial data, display the disc type logo in the left upper corner of the TV screen, and then start playing automatically

#### If a DVD Disc Menu appears on screen



#### Video port setup



Border part of Picture has been blocked.

Or See TROUBLE SHOOTING in this manual.

#### Power ON / OFF



To switch the player Between power on and off mode:

#### Press POWER button on front panel

(Always switch off the player after use)















# Numeric Key Pad / Direct Program access Image: Strain S

#### PAL / NTSC switch

















#### Repeat the section A-B









#### Program setting

Program to play a DVD and CD disc in a desired sequence automatically.



• Single track disc cannot be programmed.









## ON SCREEN DISPLAY

DISPLAY

Press DISPLAY button , an On Screen Display (OSD) indicator will be displayed at the upper part of the TV screen in displaying the disc information and operation status.

The OSD indicator will remain on screen until pressing the DISPLAY button to turn it off.

The OSD indicator is a user friendly interface designed for displaying the status of the playback. When a dif ferent disc is loaded (DVD, CD or MP3), the OSD indicator bar will be different.





#### ON SCREEN DISPLAY

#### MP3 mode



# SETUP

Various features of the player can be adjusted in the SETUP menu:

## Press SETUP button SETUP menu appears.



Highlight the desired icon Press ENTER button to activate the setting sub menu.

#### Language

Enter this menu to setup the language in OSD display, DVD disc subtitle, DVD disc audio and DVD disc start menu.

Press SETUP button

Highlight "Language", Press ENTER , Language sub menu appears.



Highlight the desired item and press ENTER button,

Highlight the desired item,

Press ENTER 👓 button to confirm.

Press SETUP button to save the setting and quit.





Enter this menu to setup the video setting Press SETUP \*\*\* button Highlight "Video", Press ENTER , Video sub menu appears.



Highlight the desired item and press ENTER button,

button to confirm.

Highlight the desired item,



button to save the setting and quit.

Default setting	
TV Shape	4:3 LB
TV System	PAL

#### TV screen

The aspect ratio of the picture provided by the DVD player can be varied in line with the features available on the TV in use.

#### 4:3 Letter Box

Allow you to see movies in their original aspect ratio. Entire frame of the movie will be display on screen, but it will occupy a smaller portion of the screen.



4:3 Pan Scan

The signal will fill the screen with the centre of the picture. The left and right edge of picture may be cut outside range of the screen.



#### SETUP MENU (Press SETUP button)

#### 16:9 Wide Screen

When you connect to a wide screen TV this setting will allow the original aspect ratio will be display full screen.







Depending on the DVD disc format, e.g. 2.35:1, the wide screen setting may still having black margins above and below the picture.

#### **TV System**

TV System menu is to set up the broadcast system:



AUTO Auto switch to PAL or NTSC system according to the disc, if not, the default system is PAL NTSC NTSC TV system PAL PAL TV system



Enter this menu to setup the digital audio output format of different signal type. The selectable format of different signal type. The output formats are PCM or Raw.

Press SETUP Button

Highlight "Audio".

Press ENTER . , Audio sub menu appears.



Highlight the desired item, Press ENTER button to confirm. Press SETUP -

Highlight the desired item and press ENTER button,

button to save the setting and quit.



Enter this menu to setup the rating level of the player. The player will require a password to play any disc with rating level higher than the setting.

Press SETUP button

# Highlight "Rating", Press ENTER button, Rating sub menu appears.



Highlight "Password" selection, input the 4 digits pase Press ENTER with button. The rating lock release. input the 4 digits password.

Default setti	0	
Password	: 0000	
Rating	: 8. Ad ult	
Highlight "Rating" Repeatedly press to change the se	ing ENTER 🔤 b	outton
1. Kid Safe 2. G 3. PG 4. PG_13 5. PG_R 6. R 7. NC_17 8. Adult		
Highlight "Passw	ord" selection,	
Press ENTER		he setting and quit

# TROUBLE SHOOTING

## Should your DVD player develop a problem, please check below before requesting service:

Symptom	Check and Action
No Power	Check if the power cord has been properly connected to the power outlet.
	<ul> <li>Check if the main power has been switched on.</li> </ul>
Does not play	No disc, load a disc.
	Disc has been loaded upside down. Place the disc with the label side up.
	Disc's region code does not match to the player.
	Disc is not correct type for player.
	Disc is damaged or dirty, clean the disc or try another disc.
	<ul> <li>Moisture may be condensed inside the player. Remove the disc and leave the unit power on for one or two hours.</li> </ul>
No Picture	<ul> <li>Check if the TV set has power on, use TV remote to select A/V signal for DVD rather than broadcast.</li> </ul>
	Check if the system connection is proper and secure.
	Check if the connection cables are damaged.
	Clean the disc.
Picture noise / distorted	The disc is dirty or damaged. Clean the disc or try another disc.
noise / distorted	Reset the color system of the player or the TV set.
	<ul> <li>Try to direct the player to the TV set instead of via other components, such as a VCR.</li> </ul>
Picture not full screen	<ul> <li>Select the screen format from the player's SETUP MENU, see "SETUP MENU" of this manual.</li> </ul>
	Select the screen format from DVD disc menu.
Malfunction	<ul> <li>Should the player develop a malfunction, unplug the player for 30 minutes. After 30 minutes, power on the player and the restore function should reset the player.</li> </ul>
No sound	<ul> <li>DTS disc used. Press the remote control "LANGUAGE" button the remote.</li> </ul>

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Symptom	Check and Action
Cannot SKIP or SEARCH	<ul> <li>Some discs are programmed that do not allow users to SKIP or SEARCH at some sections, especially at the beginning WARNING section.</li> <li>Single Chapter disc cannot apply SKIP function.</li> </ul>
No sound or sound output not complete	<ul> <li>Check if the TV and Amplifier have been switched on, and correctly set.</li> <li>Check if the TV and Amplifier system connection is secured.</li> <li>Press LANGUAGE button to select other audio tracks output of disc.</li> <li>Check if the MUTE function of the TV or Amplifier has been activated.</li> <li>There will be no sound output during PAUSE / STEP / SLOW and SEARCH.</li> </ul>
No surround sound	<ul> <li>If digital output has been applied:</li> <li>Press SETUP button</li> <li>Highlight "AUDIO"</li> <li>Highlight "Digital Out"</li> <li>Select RAW or PCM</li> <li>Press SETUP button</li> <li>Power on the amplifier or active type loudspeakers.</li> </ul>
MP3 disc no sound or noisy	<ul> <li>When PC program files or other data files are mixed with MP3 files in the same disc, the player may play the non-MP3 files with noise or no sound.</li> <li>Check the disc, if all the files on disc are MP3 files Skip the file, try other files.</li> </ul>
Remote control does not function	<ul> <li>Remove the obst acles between the remote control and the player .</li> <li>Point the remote control towards the remote sensor on the player.</li> <li>Check if the batteries of the remote control have been loaded with correct polarities.</li> <li>Replace the batteries of the remote control.</li> </ul>

# SPECIFICATIONS

Type of Disc	DVD CD-DA CD-MP3 JPEG CD CD-R / CD-RW
Video Format	MPEG 2
Audio Format	MPEG 1, LAYER 1, LAYER 2, LAYER 3
Signal Output	Color System: PAL/NTSC Audio System: DIGITAL down mix stereo DIGITAL digital output DTS digital output Audio DAC 16bit/48KHz Video Output: 1 Vpp (at 75 ohm) Audio Output (Stereo): 2 Vpp
Frequency Response	CD: 4Hz 20KHz (EIAT) DVD: 4Hz 22KHz (48K) 4Hz 44KHz (96K)
S/N radio	> 92 dB
THD	< 0.04%
Output Terminals	Video (composite) output X1 S-Video output X1 2 channel analog output X1 DIGITAL/DTS digital coaxial output X1 YPbPr output X1 SCART output X1
Power input	AC 100-240V 50/60Hz 25W
Dimensions	W254 x D240 x H45 mm

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