Instructions for LOSB9601 DC Nitro Peak 3-Way Charger



Features:

- Advanced Low Delta Peak Detection Circuit
- Automatic Trickle Charge
- Charges 1-cell Igniter, 4- to 5-cell, or 6- to 7-cell NiCd and NiMH Packs
- **Specifications:**
 - Input: 11.5 15V DC

- Automatic Battery/Charge Rate Detection
- Simple Operation with LED and Beeper Status Notification
- Built in MOSFET and PTC Fuse Protection
- Output: 1–4 Amps (NiCd & NiMH Batteries Only)

Operation:

- Connect alligator clips (Red to +, Black to -) to 12-volt car battery (car must NOT be running) or 12V power source.
 The LEDs will blink followed by a beep and the 1A LED staying lit. If this does not happen immediately the charger is connected backwards.
- 2. Choose item to be charged: glow igniter, receiver battery, or 6- to 7-cell Sub C battery pack.
- 3. Attach a SINGLE item into the correct charger lead/plug type. (Never try to charge two items at the same time.)
 - Large WHITE Tamiya-type—(4A) for 6- to 7-cell Sub C pack.





• Small RED BEC-type—(1A) for 4-5-cell receiver pack.



• Metal hex—(1A) for 1-cell Glow Igniter.



- 4. When the single connection is made the 1A LED will blink and a single beep will sound.
- 5. Press and hold the start/stop button 2 seconds—three (3) beeps will sound, the charger will detect the number of cells and the LED for the correct charge rate will light.
- 6. When the battery is charged there will be eight (8) beeps and the LED will blink as the charger goes into Auto-Trickle mode. A beep will sound once every minute until the battery is removed.
- 7. When charging a 6- to 7-cell battery using the Tamiya-type plug the charger will detect the pack voltage (cell count) automatically. The charge rate will be 1A at first if the battery voltage is low. It will check again one minute later and if the voltage is still low an error alert will make the beeper sound and LEDs flash. Check to make sure you have the correct connection. If not make the correct connection and restart. If the connection is correct restart—if the error alert sounds again the battery is probably damaged.
- 8. To stop charging or change items to be charged press the start/stop button until three (3) beeps sound. A long beep will sound and the LED will start flashing. It is now safe to change the battery you wish to charge. NEVER change the item to be charged without stopping the charging of the previous item first—even if they are the same type.

WARNINGS:

- Always make sure the battery pack (+) is connected to the charger output (+).
- Never plug another battery in to be charged until you remove the previous battery, the charger stops and the beeper sounds three times.
- **Never** connect more than one battery to the charger at the same time.
- The 1A circuit has PTC fuse protection. If you should try to charge a 1-cell glow igniter without resetting it, the charger will automatically shut down and go to stand-by mode.



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Declaration of Conformity

(in accordance with ISO/IEC 17050-1)

No. HH20091108

Product(s): LOS DC Nitro Peak Charger

Item Number(s): LOSB9601

Equipment class:

The object of declaration described above is in conformity with the requirements of the specifications listed below, following the provisions of the European EMC Directive 2004/108/EC:

EN55022 Radio disturbance characteristics FN55024 Immunity characteristics EN 61000-4-2 Electrostatic discharge immunity test

Signed for and on behalf of: Horizon Hobby, Inc. Champaign, IL USA Nov 08, 2009

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