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GEN³ NiMH/NiCd Battery Charger

Thank you for your purchase of a ViewPoint Gen3 Battery Charger. This charger is designed to charge Nickel Metal Hydride (NiMH) or Nickel Cadmium (NiCd) AA or AAA rechargeable batteries. Do not use this charger with Alkaline, Carbon Zinc, Lithium or any battery type other than Nickel Metal Hydride or Nickel Cadmium.

Features:

- Recharges 2 or 4 AA or AAA NiMH or NiCd batteries at a time
- Powered by the supplied AC Adapter when using at home or the office or by the supplied DC Car Adapter when using in a vehicle
- Microprocessor controlled—uses - dV detection and timer protection to prevent overcharging
- LED charge status indicator

CAUTION

1. Read all instructions thoroughly before using charger.
2. Intended for use with NiMH and NiCd rechargeable batteries only. Attempts to charge other battery types may cause batteries to overheat, leak or explode.
3. Recharge only batteries of the same type at one time (either all NiMH or all NiCd).
4. For indoor use only. Do not expose charger to rain or moisture.
5. Disconnect from power source when not in use and before installing or removing batteries. Do not use extension cords or any other attachment not recommended by the manufacturer. Doing so may result in risk of fire, electric shock or other injury.
7. Do not operate the charger if it has been damaged or subjected to shock.
8. To avoid risk of electric shock, do not disassemble charger.
9. Use only the power adapters supplied with the charger. Using incompatible adapters may damage the charger or result in risk of fire or electric shock.

I. Using the Charger

1. Slide the switch on top of the charger to select the correct number of batteries to be charged. To charge two batteries, set the switch to position "2". To charge four batteries, set the switch to position "4".
2. Insert two or four AA or AAA rechargeable NiMH or NiCd batteries in the battery compartment. If charging two batteries, insert them on the left side of the battery compartment. See Figure 1.

Note: Batteries must be charged in pairs (you can not charge one or three batteries).

3. To charge AAA batteries, flip down the battery contact plate inside the battery compartment. The charger will adjust charging current automatically.
4. Ensure the positive and negative terminals of the batteries are aligned correctly according to the diagram inside the battery compartment.
5. **AC Adapter** (home/office use): Connect the supplied AC adapter cord to the DC input jack on the back of the charger, and plug the adapter into an electrical wall outlet.

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The supplied AC adapter supplies 12VDC and delivers 500mA. Using an adapter that does not meet these specifications could damage the charger or the adapter.

6. **DC Car Adapter** (vehicle use): Connect the supplied DC adapter cord to the DC input jack on the back of the charger, and plug the adapter into the 12V vehicle power socket.
7. The red LED indicator will illuminate to indicate proper charging. If the red LED flashes, the batteries cannot be charged; check to make sure the batteries are installed correctly. When charging is complete the red LED will turn off and the green LED will illuminate to indicate the batteries are fully charged and trickle charge is operating.
8. Remove the batteries and unplug the charger.

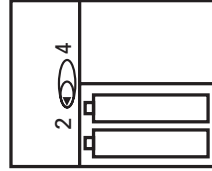


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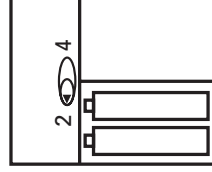


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