**WELCOME**

Connecting your DC550DR

1. Decide which connections work best with your equipment. Depending on the type of TV and other equipment you have, choose the connections that will provide the best quality video and audio. Refer to your equipment user manuals and the tables provided in this guide.

2. Connect your DC550DR to your cable service. Connect the cable from your cable wall outlet to the CABLE IN connector on the rear panel of your DC550DR.

3. Connect the DC550DR to your TV and other equipment. Once you have decided which audio and video connections you need, make sure to refer to the illustrations in this guide to connect your DC550DR to your TV and other A/V equipment.

4. Turn on your DC550DR. Plug the 5-Volt cord from the power supply unit into the power input socket (labeled DC IN 5-V) on the rear panel of your DC550DR, then plug the power supply unit into the wall AC outlet using the power cord supplied.

Press the **POWER** button on your remote control - the DC550DR will turn on.

5. Enjoy digital TV! Use the User Settings menu (see below) to fine-tune your setup. Any problems? Refer to the Troubleshooting section of this guide and to your equipment user manuals.

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**SET-TOP SETUP**

You can use the PACE USER SETTINGS menu to change your set-top’s setup. The settings you can change are shown in the table below.

1. Make sure your set-top is turned on (the POWER light is green).

2. Press the **POWER** button on your remote control, then press the **Menu** button. The USER SETTINGS menu is displayed on your screen.

3. Use the ▲, ◄, ▼, and ► buttons to navigate the menus and the OK/Select button to confirm your choices. See the example below.

4. Press **POWER** to remove the menu and return to normal viewing.

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**PACE USER SETTINGS MENU**

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<th>Menu Item</th>
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<td>TV Aspect Ratio</td>
<td>Choose your TV screen shape</td>
<td>4:3 or 16:9</td>
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<tr>
<td>TV Display Capability</td>
<td>Choose the screen resolution your TV is capable of displaying</td>
<td>1080i, 1080p, 480i, 480p, 720p, 360p, 352p</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Auto Preset</td>
<td>Choose your automatically detected programs.</td>
<td>Std, 4, 4/3, 16:9</td>
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<tr>
<td>Closed Captions</td>
<td>Choose your on-screen captions. Choose your preferred captions.</td>
<td>On or Off</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Front Panel</td>
<td>Set the brightness level of the front panel lights</td>
<td>Low, Med, High</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>HDMI Settings</td>
<td>Choose your audio output source. Choose your preferred audio settings.</td>
<td>Audio Only, Media Only, HDMI Only, Passthru, Closed Audio Only, No Not necessary</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Receiver Details</td>
<td>If your receiver is connected to a factory-direct store,</td>
<td>Yes or No</td>
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*Factory default settings shown in bold.

This guide describes items on a system display such as menus. These may change in the future.

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**DC550DR**

High-definition digital set-top

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**TROUBLESHOOTING**

If you are having problems, contact your cable service provider.

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<td>Component (YPbPr)</td>
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* HDMI adapter required, or use an HDMI-to-DVI cable

**Alternate audio connections**

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<td>High</td>
<td>AUDIO OUT (stereo, and R)</td>
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**Standard-definition video connections (SDTV)**

**High-definition video connections (HDTV)**

**Alternate audio connections**

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**Troubleshooting**

Check | Suggested solution | Further checks, if there is still a problem
---|-------------------|-----------------------------
If your TV is not receiving any TV signal? Press the **POWER** button on your remote control. If there is no power on your TV, check that the AC outlet is working.

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