NAD®

T 747

AV Surround Sound Receiver

Owner's Manual

IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

THE LIGHTNING FLASH WITH ARROWHEAD SYMBOL, WITHIN AN EQUILATERAL TRIANGLE, IS INTENDED TO ALERT THE USER TO THE PRESENCE OF UNINSULATED "DANGEROUS VOLTAGE" WITHIN THE PRODUCT'S ENCLOSURE THAT MAYBE OF SUFFICIENT MAGNITUDE TO CONSTITUTE A RISK OF ELECTRIC SHOCK TO PERSONS.

THE EXCLAMATION POINT WITHIN AN EQUILATERAL TRIANGLE IS INTENDED TO ALERT THE USER TO THE PRESENCE OF IMPORTANT OPERATING AND MAINTENANCE (SERVICING) INSTRUCTIONS IN THE LITERATURE ACCOMPANYING THE APPLIANCE.

CAUTION
RISK OF ELECTRIC SHOCK
DO NOT OPEN

CAUTION : TO REDUCE THE RISK OF ELECTRIC SHOCK, DO NOT REMOVE COVER (OR BACK). NO USER-SERVICEABLE PARTS INSIDE REFER SERVICING TO QUALIFIED SERVICE PERSONNEL.

WARNING

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

SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS FOR LATER USE. FOLLOW ALL WARNINGS AND INSTRUCTIONS MARKED ON THE EQUIPMENT.

1   Read these instructions.
2   Keep these instructions.
3   Heed all warnings.
4   Follow all instructions.
5   Do not use this apparatus near water.
6   Clean only with a dry cloth.
7   Do not block any of the ventilation openings. Install in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions.
8   Do not install near any heat sources such as radiators, heat registers, stoves, or other apparatus (including amplifiers) that produce heat.
9   Do not defeat the safety purpose of the polarized or grounding type plug. A polarized plug has two blades with one wider than the other. A grounding type plug has two blades and a third grounding prong. The wide blade or the third prong is provided for your safety. When the provided plug does not fit into your outlet, consult an electrician for replacement of the obsolete outlet.
10 Protect the power cord from being walked on or pinched particularly at plugs, convenience receptacles, and the point where they exit from the apparatus.
11 Only use the attachments/accessories specified by the manufacturer.
12 Use only with a cart, stand, tripod, bracket, or table specified by the manufacturer, or sold with the apparatus. When a cart is used, use caution when moving the cart/apparatus combination to avoid injury from tip-over.
13 Unplug this apparatus during lightning storms or when unused for long periods of time.
14 Refer all servicing to qualified service personnel. Servicing is required when the apparatus has been damaged in any way, such as power supply cord or plug is damaged, liquid has been spilled or objects have fallen into the apparatus, the apparatus has been exposed to rain or moisture, does not operate normally, or has been dropped.

NOTE TO CATV SYSTEM INSTALLER

This reminder is provided to call the CATV system installer's attention to Section 820-40 of the NEC which provides guidelines for proper grounding and, in particular, specifies that the cable ground shall be connected to the grounding system of the building, as close to the point of cable entry as practical.
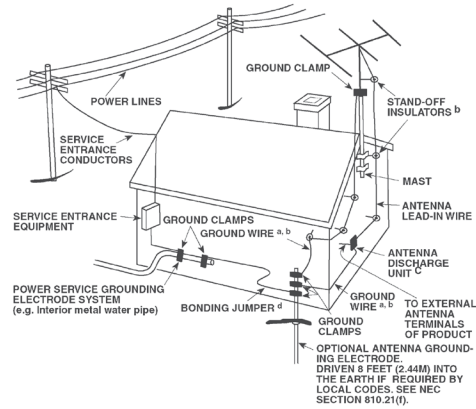
FCC NOTICE

This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class B digital device, pursuant to part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference in a residential installation.

This equipment generates uses and can radiate radio frequency energy and if not installed and used in accordance with the instructions, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation. If this equipment does cause harmful interference to radio or television reception, which can be determined by turning the equipment off and on, the user is encouraged to try to correct the interference by one or more of the following measures
• Reorient or relocate the receiving antenna.
• Increase the separation between the equipment and receiver.
• Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected
• Consult the dealer or an experienced radio/TV technician for help.

WARNING!

The unit must not be exposed to dripping or splashing liquids, and liquid-filled objects such as vases or cups should not be placed on the unit.

CAUTION

Changes or modifications to this equipment not expressly approved by NAD Electronics for compliance could void the user's authority to operate this equipment.

CAUTION

These servicing instructions are for use by qualified service personnel only. To reduce the risk of electric shock, do not perform any servicing other than that contained in the operating instructions unless you are qualified to do so.

ATTENTION

Disconnect this apparatus from the AC mains completely by unplugging the power cord plug from the AC receptacle.

CAUTION REGARDING PLACEMENT

To maintain proper ventilation, be sure to leave a space around the unit (from the largest outer dimensions including projections) that is equal to or greater than shown below.

Left and Right Panels: 10 cm
Rear Panel: 10 cm
Top Panel: 50 cm

NOTES ON ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

At the end of its useful life, this product must not be disposed of with regular household waste but must be returned to a collection point for the recycling of electrical and electronic equipment. The symbol on the product, user's manual and packaging, point this out.

The materials can be reused in accordance with their markings. Through re-use, recycling of raw materials or other forms of recycling of old products, you are making an important contribution to the protection of our environment. Your local administrative office can advise you of the responsible waste disposal point.

INFORMATION ABOUT COLLECTION AND DISPOSAL OF WASTE BATTERIES (DIRECTIVE 2006/66/EC OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND THE COUNCIL OF EUROPEAN UNION) (FOR EUROPEAN CUSTOMERS ONLY)

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Batteries bearing any of these symbols indicate that they should be treated as "separate collection" and not as municipal waste. It is encouraged that necessary measures are implemented to maximize the separate collection of waste batteries and to minimize the disposal of batteries as mixed municipal waste.

End-users are exhorted not to dispose waste batteries as unsorted municipal waste. In order to achieve a high level of recycling waste batteries, discard waste batteries separately and properly through an accessible collection point in your vicinity. For more information about collection and recycling of waste batteries, please contact your local municipality, your waste disposal service or the point of sale where you purchased the items.

By ensuring compliance and conformance to proper disposal of waste batteries, potential hazardous effects on human health is prevented and the negative impact of batteries and waste batteries on the environment is minimized, thus contributing to the protection, preservation and quality improvement of the environment.

NOTE: THE T 747 IS NOT AN AUTO VOLTAGE UNIT. CONNECT ONLY TO THE PRESCRIBED AC OUTLET, I.E., 120V 60HZ OR 230V 50HZ.

RECORD YOUR MODEL NUMBER (NOW, WHILE YOU CAN SEE IT)

The model and serial number of your new T 747 are located on the back of the cabinet. For your future convenience, we suggest that you record these numbers here:

Model no: . . . .
Serial no.: . . . .

INTRODUCTION

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THANK YOU FOR CHOOSING NAD.

The T 747 A/V Receiver is a technologically advanced and highly capable product — yet we have invested great effort in making it simple and easy to use. The T 747 delivers a range of genuinely useful options for surround sound and stereo listening, using powerful digital signal processing and superbly accurate digital-audio circuitry. However, we have also been careful to ensure that the T 747 is as musically transparent and spatially accurate as possible, incorporating much of what we've learned from a quarter century's experience designing audio, video and home-theater components. As with all our products, NAD's "Music First" design philosophy guided the T 747's design, such that it can confidently promise you both state-of-the-art surround home-theater and audiophile-quality music listening for years to come.

We encourage you to take a few minutes now to read right through this manual. Investing a little time here at the outset might save you a good deal of time later, and is by far the best way to ensure that you make the most of your investment in the NAD T 747, and get the most from this powerful and flexible home-theater component.

One more thing: We urge you to register your T 747 ownership on the NAD Worldwide Web site:
http://NADelectronics.com/warranty

For warranty information contact your local distributor.

WHAT'S IN THE BOX

Packed with your T 747 you will find
- An AM loop antenna
- A FM lead-type antenna
- A detachable AC power cord
- The AVR 3 remote control with two AA batteries.
- The ZR 5 zone remote control with 3V CR2025 battery.
- This owner's manual.

SAVE THE PACKAGING

Please save the box and all of the packaging in which your T 747 arrived. Should you move or otherwise need to transport your T 747, this is by far the safest container in which to do so. We've seen too many otherwise perfect components damaged in transit for lack of a proper shipping carton, so please: Save that box!

CHOOSING A LOCATION

Choose a location that is well ventilated (with at least several inches to both sides and behind), and that will provide a clear line of sight, within 23 feet/7 meters, between the T 747's front panel and your primary listening/viewing position—this will ensure reliable infrared remote control communications. The T 747 generates a modest amount of heat, but nothing that should trouble adjacent components.

It is especially important that sufficient ventilation be provided. If you are contemplating on locating the T 747 within a cabinet or other furniture, consult your NAD audio/video specialist for advice on providing adequate airflow.

DEFAULT SOURCE SETTINGS

The following table lists the default SOURCE settings. Note that the Audio Input settings show both digital and analog audio input. Digital input will always take precedence over analog audio input even if both are present.

Source	Audio Input	Video Input
Source 1	HDMI 1/ Audio 1 IN	HDMI 1
Source 2	Optical 1/ Audio 2	Component Video Input 2
Source 3	Optical 2/ Audio 3	S Video 3
iPod	Audio 4	S-Video 4
Source 5	Coaxial 1/Audio 5 IN	Video 4
Multi	7.1 Ch. Input	Component Video Input 3
Front	Optical Front Input/ Audio Front Input	S-Video Front Input
MP	MP Front Input	
Tuner		

For Video output, select the highest quality video format available on your TV/Monitor and utilize this for your Monitor OUT connection from the T 747 to the TV/Monitor. In most cases, this would be HDMI but for other TV/Monitor without HDMI input, the best quality connection could be Component Video , S-Video or Composite video input.

To modify the above default settings and for a better understanding of source setting and combinations, please refer to the item about "SOURCE SETUP" in the "USING THE T 747 - SETUP MENU" segment of the "OPERATION" section.

IDENTIFICATION OF CONTROLS

FRONT PANEL
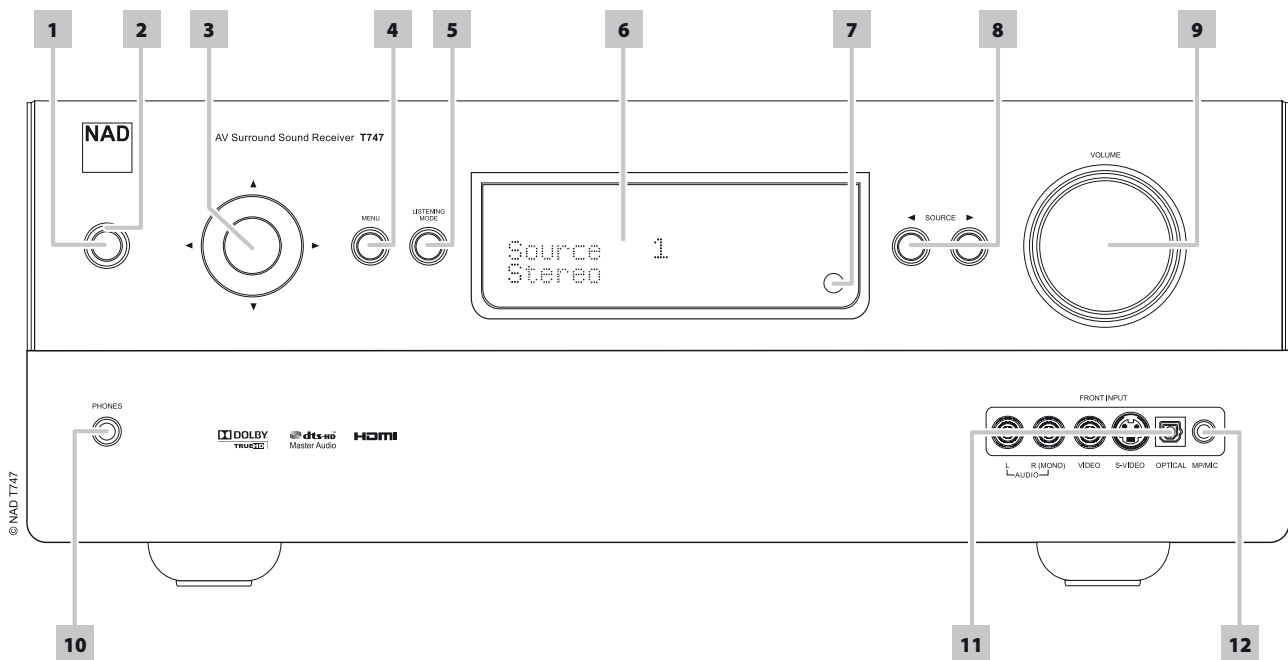
1. **POWER BUTTON:** Press this button to switch ON the T 747. The Standby LED indicator will turn from amber to blue and illuminate the VFD. Pressing the power button again turns the unit back to standby mode.

2. **STANDBY LED:** This indicator will light up amber when the T 747 is in standby state. When either the T 747 main zone or Zone 2 is at the ON state, this indicator will illuminate blue.

3. **NAVIGATION and ENTER buttons:** These buttons are used to navigate the T 747 OSD (On-Screen Display), AM/FM/XM/DAB tuner functions as well as applicable controls of an iPod player docked into a linked NAD IPD (NAD IPD Dock for iPod). The middle round button is designated as "ENTER" button; this is normally pressed to complete a selection, procedure, sequence or other applicable functions.

4. **MENU:** When listening to DAB (230V version only) or XM (120V version only) radio, press this button to enable their corresponding digital radio menu in conjunction with the applicable [▲/▼/◄/►] and [ENTER] buttons.

5. **LISTENING MODE:** Toggle to select through the various Listening mode options. Depending on the format of the currently selected input (digital or analog, stereo or multichannel), various listening modes are available. Refer also to the item about LISTENING MODE under the USING THE T 747 – MAIN MENU segment of the OPERATION section.

6. **VACUUM FLUORESCENT DISPLAY (VFD):** Displays visual information about the current settings like the active Source, volume level, listening mode, audio format, applicable RDS/XM/DAB as well as iPod-related display information and other related indicators.

7. **REMOTE SENSOR:** Point the AVR 3 remote control at the remote sensor and press the buttons. Do not expose the remote sensor of the T 747 to a strong light source such as direct sunlight or illumination. If you do so, you may not be able to operate the T 747 with the remote control.

   Distance: About 23ft (7m) from the front of the remote sensor.
   Angle: About 30° in each direction of the front of the remote sensor.

8. **SOURCE [◄/►] :** Press these buttons to toggle through the input selections – Source 1, Source 2, Source 3, iPod, Source 5, Multi, Front, MP and Tuner (AM/FM/DAB/XM as applicable). More Sources could be directly recalled through these buttons upon enabling them at the Setup Menu. Refer also to the item about SOURCE SETUP under the USING THE T 747 – SETUP MENU segment of the OPERATION section.

9. **VOLUME:** Use this control to adjust the volume level of the speakers. Turn clockwise to increase the volume setting; counter clockwise to lower it. The VFD shows the setting displayed as increments between -81 dB and +18 dB. The default volume level is -10dB.

10 **PHONES:** Accepts stereo headphone using a standard 1/4-inch stereo phone plug (use a suitable adapter for headphones equipped with a smaller plug). Plugging in headphones automatically mutes output from all channels. With headphone listening, toggle front panel's LISTENING MODE button (or AVR 3's [SURR] button) to select between "Dolby H/P" (Dolby Headphone) and "Dolby H/P Off" (Dolby Headphone Off).

DOLBY® HEADPHONE
Dolby Headphone technology, compatible with any pair of conventional headphones, accurately simulates the experience of hearing a 5.1-channel speaker system properly set up in a listening room, minus the annoying "listener fatigue" effect that plagues other headphone-based virtual surround sound offerings. Dolby Headphone technology is ideal for private playback of multi-channel entertainment without disturbing others nearby.

Select Dolby HP Off for normal headphone audio listening.

11 **FRONT INPUT PORTS:** Use these convenience jacks for occasional sources such as a camcorder, tape player, video game console, any analog audio or optical digital audio and composite or S-Video video sources. If your source only has a single audio out jack or is marked "Mono output", plug this into the T 747's Front "R (MONO)" input. On the other hand, if your source has two output jacks indicative of stereo output, insert both jacks into the T 747's corresponding Front "L" and "R (MONO)" input to achieve stereo output as well.

12 **FRONT MP/MIC INPUT:** Connect your MP 3's standard stereo phone jack to this input. This is also same input where the supplied microphone is connected for speaker auto calibration. Refer also to the item about AUTO CALIBRATION under the USING THE T 747 – MAIN MENU segment of the OPERATION section.

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REAR PANEL
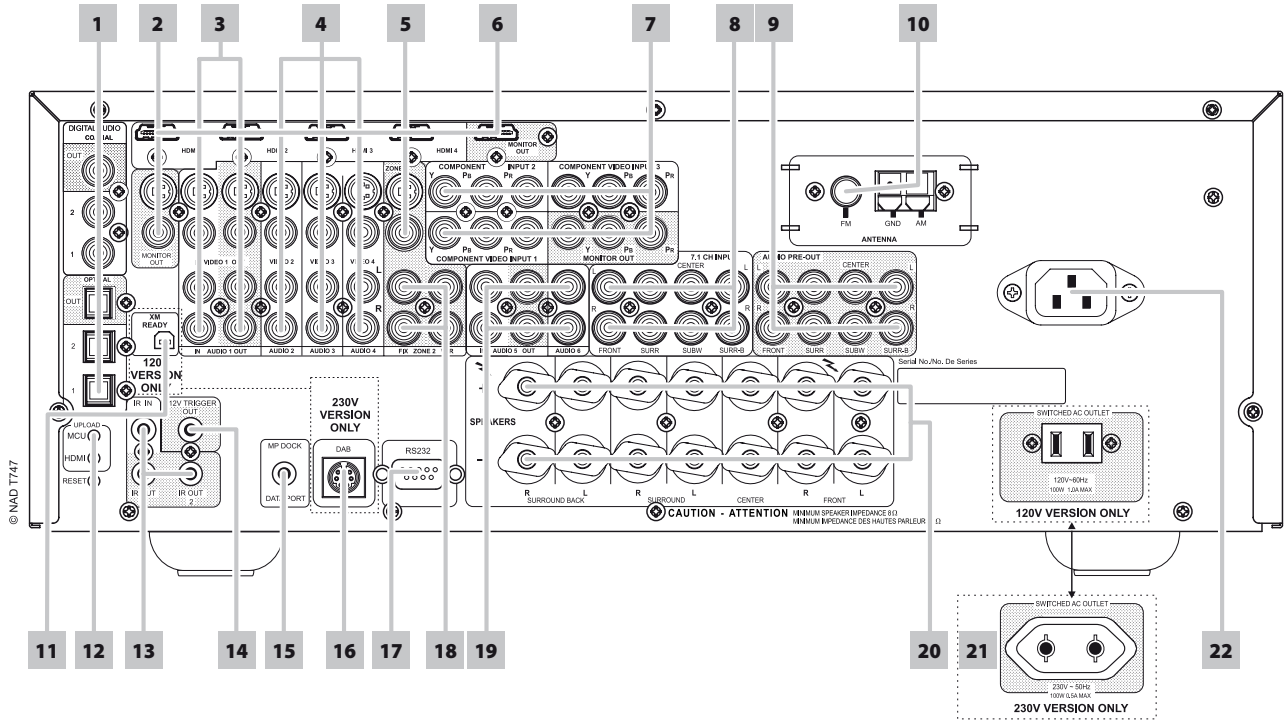
ATTENTION!

Please make sure that the T 747 is powered off or unplugged before making any connections. It is also advisable to power down or unplug all associated components while making or breaking any signal or AC power connections.

1 DIGITAL AUDIO (COAXIAL 1-2, OPTICAL 1-2): Connect to the corresponding optical or coaxial S/PDIF-format digital output of sources such as CD or BD/DVD players, HDTV or satellite tuners and other components. Coaxial and Optical digital input association is configurable via the Source Setup item of the Setup Menu OSD.

DIGITAL AUDIO OUT (OPTICAL, COAXIAL): Connect the optical or coaxial digital OUT port to the corresponding S/PDIF digital input of a compatible device such as CD recorders, receivers, computer soundcard or other digital processors.

2 MONITOR OUT (S-VIDEO, VIDEO): Connect to video input of the monitor/television using quality dual-RCA and/or S-Video cables designed for video signals. In general, the S-Video connection is superior and should be used if your TV/monitor provides the corresponding input.

3 AUDIO 1 IN/OUT, VIDEO 1 IN/OUT, S-VIDEO IN/OUT: Connect AUDIO 1 IN/VIDEO 1 IN/S-VIDEO 1 IN to the analog audio/video output port of a recording component such as a video cassette recorder, DVD recorder or to an outboard audio/video processor. Connect AUDIO 1 OUT/VIDEO 1 OUT/S-VIDEO 1 OUT to the recording component's corresponding analog audio/video input port.

The signal present at AUDIO 1 OUT/VIDEO 1 OUT/S-VIDEO 1 OUT port is dependent upon the current active SOURCE. There will be no output at AUDIO 1 OUT/VIDEO 1 OUT/S-VIDEO 1 OUT when Source 1 is the selected source input. This prevents feedback through the recording component thereby preventing possible damage to your speakers.

4 AUDIO 2-4/VIDEO 2-4, S-VIDEO 2-4: These comprise the T 747's other principal inputs. Connect these S-Video, composite video, and analog stereo audio input ports to the corresponding output ports of source components such as DVD players and HDTV/satellite tuners. Refer also to "AUDIO 1 IN/OUT, VIDEO 1 IN/OUT, S-VIDEO 1 IN/OUT" discussion above.

5 ZONE 2: Sends zone selected video output source to the corresponding video input of another zone. Use high quality patch cables to reduce noise pickup over long distance runs. Refer also to the item about ZONE 2 CONTROLS under the USING THE T 747 - MAIN MENU segment of the OPERATION section.

6 HDMI (HDMI 1-4, HDMI MONITOR OUT): Connect HDMI inputs to the HDMI OUT connectors of source components such as DVD player, BD player or HDTV satellite/cable box. Connect the HDMI Monitor OUT to a HDTV or projector with HDMI input.

WARNING

Before connecting and disconnecting any HDMI cables, both the T 747 and the ancillary source must be powered OFF and unplugged from the AC outlet. Failure to observe this practice may cause permanent damage to all equipment connected via HDMI sockets.

7 COMPONENT VIDEO INPUT 1-3, COMPONENT VIDEO OUT: Connect the Component Video Input 1-3 inputs to Component Video outputs from compatible source components, typically a DVD player, BD Player and terrestrial or satellite HDTV tuner. Connect Component Video OUT to the Component Video input of a compatible video monitor/TV. Be sure to observe consistency in connecting the Y/Pb/Pr jacks to the corresponding sources/inputs. The routing of the component video inputs is fully configurable via the Setup Menu.

The T 747's component video inputs and outputs are fully wideband and compatible with allowable HDTV formats.

8 7.1 CH INPUT: Connect to the corresponding analog audio output ports of multichannel source components such as a DVD-Audio or multichannel-SACD player or external multichannel decoder (disc copy protected formats only allow analog signal transfer). Typically, these sources will produce 5.1-channel output, in which case the Surround Back jacks are left unconnected. The signals present at these jacks may be heard by selecting Multi (7.1 Channel Input is defaulted to this Source setting).

There is no bass-management or other processing (other than master-volume control) available to this 7.1 Channel Input. While the multi-channel audio outputs of a DVD-Video player can be connected to these jacks, using the T 747's own Dolby Digital and DTS decoding and digital-analog converters via a digital connection will usually produce superior results.

9 AUDIO PRE-OUT: The Audio PRE- OUT makes it possible to use the T 747 as a pre-amplifier to external power amplifiers for some or all channels. Connect FRONT L, FRONT R, CENTER, SURR R, SURR L, SURR-BL and SURR-BR to the respective channel input of a power amplifier or an amplifier driving the applicable speakers.

Unlike the full range channels, there is no power amplifier built-into the T 747 for a subwoofer. Connect the SUBW output to powered ("active") subwoofers or to power amplifier channels driving a passive system.

10 FM, AM ANTENNA INPUT: Connect the supplied lead-type FM antenna to the FM antenna input. Extend the lead. Experiment freely with your antenna placement and orientation until you get the clearest sound and lowest background noise. Fix the antenna in the desired position by using thumb tacks, push pins or any suitable means.

The AM loop antenna supplied with the T 747 (or a suitable replacement) is required for AM reception. Open the clip terminal lever; insert the wire making sure to match the color-coded (white and black) ends of the wire to that of the terminal and close the lever ensuring that the lever locks the wire in place. Testing different positions for the antenna may improve reception; vertical orientation will usually produce the best results. Antenna proximity to large metal objects (appliances, radiators) may impair reception, as will attempts to lengthen the wire to the loop.

Refer also to the "LISTENING TO AM/FMRADIO" segment of the "OPERATION - LISTENING TO AM/FM/XM RADIO" section.

11 XM MODULE INPUT (120V version only): Connect XM radio cable to this socket. Follow the instructions that came with your XM radio. With XM radio, there are more than 100 channels of music, news, sports, comedy, talk and entertainment. You will find that the coverage is continent wide. The music quality is digital with many commercial-free music channels. Refer also to the "LISTENING TO XM RADIO" segment of the "OPERATION - LISTENING TO AM/FM/XM RADIO" section.

NOTE

The external XM radio is not supplied with your T 747.

12 UPLOAD (MCU, HDMI), RESET: The MCU, HDMI and RESET tact switches are used for software program updates (if any) in combination with the RS232. Your custom installer or dealer can assist you in the proper upgrade and setup of your T747.

13 IR IN/IR OUT 1-2: These mini-jacks accept and output remote-controlled codes in electrical format, using industry-standard protocols, for use with "IR-repeater" and multi-room systems and related technologies.
IR IN: This input is connected to the output of an IR (infrared) repeater (Xantech or similar) or the IR output of another component to allow control of the T 747 from a remote location.
IR OUT 1, IR OUT 2: Both IR OUT 1 and IR OUT 2 have dual-features – they can act as an infrared command repeater or stand alone as IR OUT. Connect the T 747's IR IN to the IR OUT of ancillary equipment. Connect also the T 747's IR OUT 1 (or IR OUT 2) to another equipment with IR IN feature. With this setup, the T 747 acts as an "IR-repeater" allowing the equipment connected to the T 747' s IR IN control or command of the other equipment linked to the T 747's IR OUT 1 (or IR OUT 2).

As a stand alone IR OUT, connect IR OUT 1 (or IR OUT 2) to the IR IN of an ancillary equipment. Direct the ancillary equipment's own remote control to the T 747's infrared receiver to command or control the linked unit.

14 +12V TRIGGER OUT: The +12V TRIGGER OUT is used for controlling external equipment that is equipped with a +12V trigger input. Connect this +12V TRIGGER OUT to the other equipment's corresponding +12V DC input jack using a mono cable with 3.5mm male plug. The availability of 12V at this trigger output depends upon the setting of "Trigger Out" in the TRIGGER SETUP OSD menu. See discussion about "TRIGGER SETUP" at the "SETUP MENU" literature for guidelines on how to configure "Trigger Out".

15 MP DOCK: The T 747 is equipped with a data port in the rear panel where an optional NAD IPD (NAD IPD Dock for iPod) 1, NAD IPD 2 and later variants can be plugged in. Connect the "MP DOCK (DATA PORT)" jack of the T 747 to the corresponding "DATA PORT" socket of the optional NAD IPD model. Refer also to the "LISTENING TO YOUR iPod PLAYER" segment of the "OPERATION" section.

NOTE

The external "NAD IPD (NAD IPD Dock for iPod)" model is not supplied with your T 747.

16 DAB MODULE INPUT (230V version only): Plug-in the other end of the Mini-Din connector from the NAD DAB Adaptor DB 1 module output port into this socket. The T 747 is compatible only with NAD DAB Adaptor DB 1 so check with your NAD dealer for this module's availability. With DAB, you can receive CD-like quality programs without any annoying interference and signal distortion. Refer also to the "LISTENING TO DAB RADIO" segment of the "OPERATION" section.

NOTE

The external "NAD DAB Adaptor DB 1 module" is not supplied with your T 747.

17 RS-232: Connect this interface via RS-232 serial cable (not supplied) to any Windows® compatible PC to allow remote control of the T 747 through NAD's proprietary PC software or other compatible external controllers. NAD is a certified partner of AMX and Crestron and fully supports these external devices. See your NAD audio specialist for more information.

IDENTIFICATION OF CONTROLS

REAR PANEL

18 ZONE 2 FIX, ZONE 2 VAR: Connect both ZONE 2 FIX and ZONE 2 VAR to the corresponding audio input of an external integrated amplifier, preamplifier or receiver.
FIX: When FIX is the selected ZONE 2 audio output port, the ZONE 2 volume level can only be varied by using the VOLUME control of the external amplifier or receiver it is connected to. Neither the front panel VOLUME nor ZR 5's [VOL ▲/▼] can vary Zone 2 audio output.

VAR: If VAR is the selected ZONE 2 audio output port, the Zone 2 volume level can be adjusted depending upon the setting of the "Volume" item (either Fixed or Variable setting) in the Zone 2 Controls OSD menu.

For a better understanding of Zone 2 features, refer to the item about ZONE 2 CONTROLS under the USING THE T 747 - MAIN MENU segment of the OPERATION section.

19 AUDIO 5 IN/OUT, AUDIO 6: Input for additional line level input signals such as CD player, MP player or other line-level signal source. Connect AUDIO 5 OUT to the analog audio input of a recording component such as a CD recorder or to an outboard audio/video processor. Connect the AUDIO 5 IN jacks to the component's corresponding output.
AUDIO 6 IN is ideal for the connection of the analog output of line-level audio sources like a CD player or Stereo tuner.

20 SPEAKERS: Connect the respective speaker's FRONT L, FRONT R, CENTER, SURR R, SURR L, SURR-BL channels to their corresponding loudspeakers. Make sure the "+" (red) terminal and "-" (black) terminal are connected to the corresponding "+" and "-" terminals of the loudspeaker. Use extra care to ensure that no stray wires or strands cross between posts or terminals at either end.

The T 747 is designed to produce optimum sound quality when connected to speakers with impedances within its operating range. Please make sure that all the speakers are rated 8 ohms minimum per speaker.

NOTE

Use stranded wire of at least 16 gauge (AWG). Connections to the T 747 can be made with banana plugs (120 V version model only) or by using bare wire or pins. Use the transverse hole through the post for bare-wire or pin connections. By loosening the terminal's plastic nut, make a clean, neat connection and re-tighten carefully. To minimize the danger of short-circuit, ensure that only 1/2-inch of exposed wire or pin is employed when connecting.

21 SWITCHED AC OUTLET: This convenience outlet can supply switched power to another component or accessory. It is powered ON and OFF by the front panel POWER button or by the AVR 3's ON and OFF keys.

The total draw of all devices connected to this outlet must not exceed 100 watts.

22 AC MAINS INPUT: The T 747 comes supplied with a separate AC Mains cable. Before connecting the cable to a live wall socket, ensure that it is firmly connected to the T 747's AC Mains input socket first. Connect only to the prescribed AC Outlet, i.e., 120V 60 Hz (for 120V version models of T 747 only) or 230V 50 Hz (for 230V version models of T 747 only). Always disconnect the AC Mains cable plug from the live wall socket first, before disconnecting the cable from the T 747's Mains input socket.
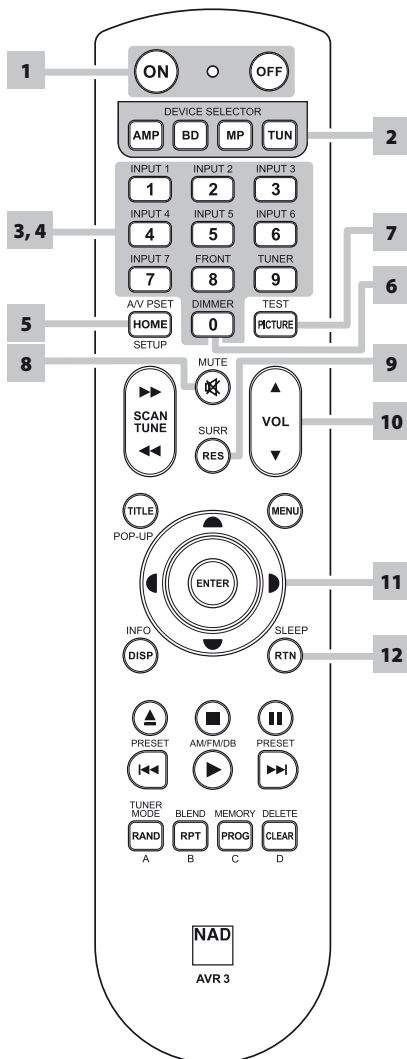
USING THE AVR 3 REMOTE CONTROL

The AVR 3 remote control handset handles the key functions of the T 747 as well as other NAD Stereo Receivers, Integrated Amplifiers and Preamplifiers. It has additional controls to remotely operate NAD CD Players, DVD Players, BD Players, AM/FM Tuners and dedicated AM/FM/DAB Tuners. It will operate up to a distance of 23ft (7m). Alkaline batteries are recommended for maximum operating life. Two AA batteries should be fitted in the battery compartment at the rear of the Remote Control handset. When replacing batteries, check that they have been put in the right way round, as indicated on the base of the battery compartment.

When a command from the remote control is received, the Standby LED indicator will blink. Note that the indicator may also blink when receiving commands not necessarily for the T 747 but for other components in the system. Please refer to previous sections of the manual for a full description of individual functions.

NOTE

The remote control handset supplied with the T 747 is of a universal NAD type, designed to operate several NAD models. Some buttons are applicable only to specific NAD models. Contact your dealer or NAD audio specialist for assistance.

1 POWER ON & OFF: The AVR 3 remote has a separate ON and OFF button. Press the ON button to switch the unit from Standby to operating mode. Press the OFF button to switch the unit to Standby mode.

2 DEVICE SELECTOR: A Device Selector button determines only what component the AVR 3 will command; it does not perform any function on the receiver. Press desired Device Selector button for the applicable buttons to be directed to a "page" of commands relevant to the selected device. Upon selecting a Device, you can now press the corresponding AVR 3 control buttons applicable for the selected Device.

3 INPUT SELECTORS: Refer to the corresponding labels printed in the remote control faceplate and their respective assigned buttons to make use of these functions. Set the DEVICE SELECTOR to "AMP" in order to gain access to these buttons.

NOTE

INPUT 1, INPUT 2 up to INPUT 6 correspond to the T 747's SOURCE 1, SOURCE 2 up to SOURCE 6. INPUT 7 corresponds to MULTI. These inputs or sources will have to be enabled for them to be directly recalled or accessed.

4 NUMERIC KEYS: The numeric keys allow for direct input of tracks for CD players and direct channel/preset access for tuners and receivers.

5 A/V PSET: In combination with the numeric keys, press a Preset number from 1 to 5. Note that the Preset settings can be configured via the A/V Presets menu.

6 DIMMER (for use with NAD Stereo Receiver, Tuner and CD Player): Reduce, turn off or restore VFD brightness. Depending on the NAD model, the brightness of the front panel display will vary when you toggle this button.

7 TEST: Press to initiate speaker TEST mode while at "Speaker Levels" line item under "Speaker Setup" menu.

8 MUTE: Press the [MUTE] button to temporarily switch OFF the sound to the speakers and headphones. MUTE mode is indicated by the Standby LED indicator flashing for NAD Integrated Amplifiers or "Mute" shown in the VFD of NAD Receivers. Press MUTE again to restore sound. Adjusting the volume level via the AVR 3 or the front panel volume knob will automatically release the mute function.

9 SURR: Toggle to select desired listening or surround mode.

IDENTIFICATION OF CONTROLS

REMOTE CONTROL

10 VOL [▲/▼] : Press [▲/▼] button to increase or decrease the loudness level. Release the button when the desired level is reached. The VFD on the front panel will indicate the level set. For NAD Receivers, the VFD will also show "Volume Up" or "Volume Down" or "Volume: _ _ dB" (_ _ indicates the numerical dB level) while pressing AVR 3's .

11 [▲/▼/◄/►] : Select an item in a menu.

12 SLEEP: Switch off the NAD Receiver or Tuner after a preset number of minutes.

SLEEP MODE
The Sleep Mode timer will switch the T 747 to Standby mode automatically after a preset number of minutes. Pressing the AVR 3's [SLEEP] button once will display the setting of the sleep time increment. Pressing the AVR 3's [SLEEP] button a second time within a 3-second period will change the sleep time increment in 15-minute intervals, after which time the T 747 will automatically switch into Standby mode.

To adjust the sleep delay, press the AVR 3's [SLEEP] button twice; first to display the sleep time increment, and a second time to change the sleep time increment. The sleep time increment will continuously be displayed on the T 747's front panel Vacuum Fluorescent Display (VFD). Each consecutive press increases the sleep time in 15-minute increments from 15 to 90 minutes. To cancel the sleep mode, continue pressing the AVR 3's [SLEEP] button until "Sleep Off" is displayed on the VFD. Switching the T 747 to standby from either the AVR 3's OFF or the T 747's POWER button will also cancel the sleep mode.
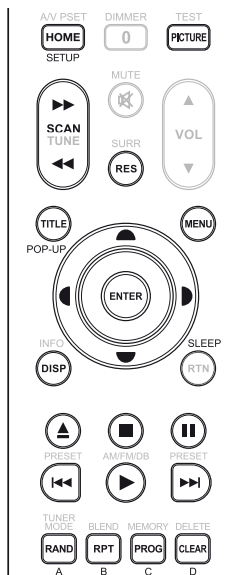
DVD/BD/CD PLAYER CONTROL (for use with NAD CD Player, Blu-ray Disc Player or DVD Player):
Set the DEVICE SELECTOR to "BD" in order to gain access to these buttons. Some of the control buttons below are applicable only to specific NAD CD Player, Blu-ray Disc Player or DVD Player models; check the owner's manual of your NAD model for control button compatibility. You can also load the applicable NAD code library to this device so that it can be made compatible with your other NAD equipment. Refer to the section below about "LIBRARY" on how to load a NAD code library.

HOME: Display or exit HOME menu.
PICTURE: Display or exit the Picture Mode menu.
TITLE/POP-UP: Display DVD title menu or BD-ROM pop menu, if available.
MENU: Access menu on a DVD disc, if available.
SCAN [◄◄/►►]: Fast reverse/forward search.
[▲] : Open or close disc tray.
[■] : Stop playback.
[II] : Pause playback temporarily.
[►►I] : Go to next track, file or chapter.
[I◄◄] : Go to beginning of current/previous track, file or chapter.
[►]: Start playback.
ENTER: Select desired track, folder or WMA/MP3 file.
DISP: Show playback time and other display information.
RAND: Play tracks/files in random order.
RPT: Repeat track, file or whole disc.
PROG: Enter or exit program mode.
CLEAR: Delete programmed track/file.
RES: Set output resolution of HDMI and Component Video output.
SETUP: Access or remove setup menu.
A,B,C,D: Navigate or select BD-ROM menu, if applicable; Page up/down PHOTO and MUSIC menu list.

TUNER CONTROL (for use with NAD Receiver, AM/FM/DAB Tuner): Set the DEVICE SELECTOR to "TUN" in order to gain access to these buttons. Refer to the corresponding labels printed in the remote control faceplate and their respective assigned buttons to make use of these functions. Some of the control buttons below are applicable only to specific NAD Receiver or Tuner models; check the owner's manual of your NAD Receiver or Tuner for control button compatibility. You can also load the applicable NAD code library to this device so that it can be made compatible with your other NAD equipment. Refer to the section below about "LIBRARY" on how to load a NAD code library.

TUNE [◄◄ / ►►] or [◄/►]: Step up or down between AM or FM frequencies.

PRESET [I◄◄ / ►►I] or [▲/▼]: Step up or down between stored radio presets.

AM/FM/DB: Select DAB (230V version only), XM (120V version only), FM or AM band.

TUNER MODE: In FM mode, toggle between "FM Mute On" and "FM Mute Off". In DAB or XM mode, pressing this button will bring up DAB or XM menu options.

BLEND: Engage or disengage BLEND feature.

**MEMORY:** Save current station into preset memory.

DELETE: Press and hold for about 2 seconds and the selected preset memory is erased.

[◄/►]: In DAB mode, in combination with TUNER MODE or other compatible buttons, toggle to select through DAB feature options like Dynamic Range Control, Station Order and other appropriate DAB options.

ENTER: In AM/FM mode, toggle to select Preset or Tune mode. In DAB mode, press and hold to check signal strength.

[▲/▼/◄/►]: In XM mode, in combination with TUNER MODE, MENU or other compatible buttons, toggle to select through XM feature options like ALL CHANNEL SEARCH, CATEGORY SEARCH or PRESET SEARCH.

INFO: Repeatedly pressing this button will show information as supplied by the current radio station. The applicable display contents include related DAB/XM display information and RDS broadcast data.
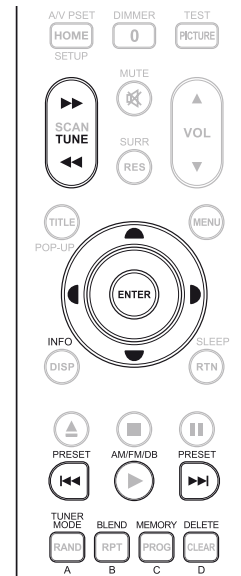
NOTE

For iPod player-specific control buttons, please refer to "CONTROL FEATURES" under "OPERATION – LISTENING TO YOUR iPod PLAYER".

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REMOTE CONTROL

LIBRARY

The AVR 3 can store or assign a different NAD code library for a particular DEVICE. If the original default library does not control your NAD CD player, DVD player, or other component, follow the procedure below to change the library code. Note that there maybe some remote control functions or buttons specific for a particular NAD model not available when a particular library code is stored in a device. Refer as well to the table below for a list applicable NAD Library Codes with their corresponding NAD models.

LOAD ANOTHER LIBRARY CODE

Example: Load NAD DVD Player T 517 library codes to AVR 3's "BD" device.

1   Press and hold [BD] in the DEVICE SELECTOR section of AVR 3.
2   While holding down the device button [BD], press "2" and "2" using AVR 3's numeric buttons. "22" is the corresponding library code for T 517.
3   Press [ENTER] while still holding down the device button [BD]. The BD device selector will flash once to indicate that the library input is successful. Both the device selector button [BD] and [ENTER] can now be released.

RESET THE AVR 3 TO ITS DEFAULT SETTINGS

The AVR 3 can be restored to its factory settings, including default libraries, by the following procedures

1   Press and hold [ON] and [DELETE] buttons for about 10 seconds until the AMP device button lights up.
2   Within two seconds of the AMP device button lighting up, release both buttons. If the reset mode is successful, the [BD] device button will flash twice.

TABLE OF LIBRARY CODES APPLICABLE TO AVR 3 REMOTE CONTROL

LIBRARY CODE	NAD PRODUCT DESCRIPTION
10	Default library for 'AMP' page
11	Zone 2
20	C 515BEE, C 545BEE, C 565BEE
21	T 535, T 585, M55; DVD section of L 54, VISO TWO, VISO FIVE
22	T 513, T 514, T 515, T 517
23	Default library for "BD" page; T 587, T 557, T 577, M56
30	IPD 1
31	IPD 2
40	Default library for "TUN" page; Tuner section of C 725BEE, T 175, T737, T 755, T 765, T 775, T 785
41	C 422, C 425
42	C 445

NOTE

The AVR 3 may not necessarily contain all the control buttons applicable for the above-mentioned NAD products. Use the prescribed remote control of the specific NAD product for a full compliment of the applicable remote control buttons
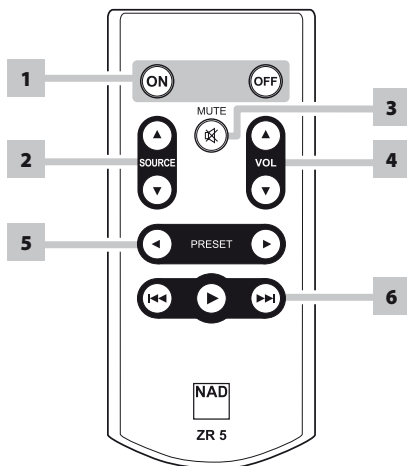
USING THE ZR 5 REMOTE CONTROL

The ZR 5 is a discrete compact remote for controlling the applicable Zone 2 features of the T 747. Irrespective of the main room/zone settings, the ZR 5 allows full separate control of the Zone 2 source selection among other applicable features.

1   **ON/OFF:** Switch ON/OFF the Zone feature.
2   **SOURCE [▲/▼]:** Select the active input of the NAD T 747 that will be sent out to the corresponding rear panel ZONE 2 output port.
3   **MUTE:** Temporarily switch OFF or restore the Zone Volume level.
4   **VOL [▲/▼]:** Increase or decrease the loudness level of selected Zone source. This is possible only if the VOLUME setting of ZONE 2 CONTROLS is set to VARIABLE.
5   **PRESET [◄/►]:** Step up or down between stored radio presets. This control button is possible if the selected Zone is "TUNER" and the active tuner section has stored presets.
6   The following CD Player Zone buttons can control a compatible CD Player. The CD Player has to be powered ON and disc loaded.
     SKIP [I◄◄] : Go to the beginning of a track/file or previous track/file.
     SKIP [►►I]: Go to the next track/file.
     [►]: Start playback.

ABOUT THE ON-SCREEN DISPLAY (OSD)

The T 747 receiver employs a simple, self-explanatory system of on-screen display "menus" that will appear on the connected video monitor/TV. These are required during the setup process (and are useful in day-to-day operation), so be sure to connect the monitor/TV before proceeding with setup.

DISPLAY THE OSD

Press [▶] button of the AVR 3 remote control or front panel to display the T 747's MAIN MENU on your video monitor/TV. If the OSD does not appear, check your MONITOR OUT connections.

NAVIGATING THE OSD AND MAKING CHANGES

To navigate through the OSD menu options, please do the following using the AVR 3 or corresponding front panel buttons:

1 Press [▶] to select a menu item. Use [▲/▼] keys to move up or down the Menu selections. Repeatedly press [▶] to advance or go further into the sub-menu of a desired menu item.

2 When you are at a menu item and you want to set or change the parameter value (setting), press [▶] again until "^v" is displayed on the extreme right of the menu item. Use [▲/▼] keys to move up or down the menu options.

3 Press [ENTER] to save the settings or changes done on the current menu or sub-menu.

4 Press [◀] to exit from a particular menu, return to the previous menu, or completely exit from the Main menu OSD.

MAIN MENU

The Main Menu contains the menu options for "Listening Mode", "DSP Options", "Tone Controls", "Zone 2 Controls" and access to "Setup Menu".
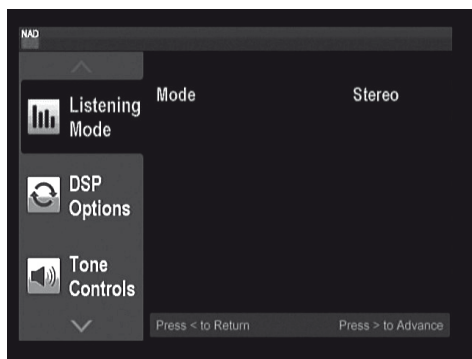
To navigate through these Main Menu options and their sub-menu selections, please refer to above section about "DISPLAY THE OSD" and "NAVIGATING THE OSD AND MAKING CHANGES".

LISTENING MODE
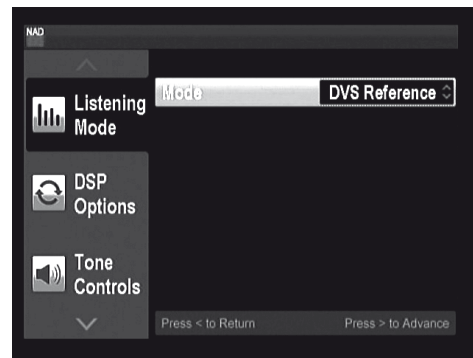
The T 747 offers distinct listening modes, tailored for different types of recording or program material. With a two-channel (Stereo) source, the following listening modes can be selected:

STEREO

All output is directed to the front left/right channels. Low frequencies are directed to the subwoofer if one is present in the Speaker settings. Select "Stereo" when you wish to listen to a stereo (or monaural) production, such as music CD or FM broadcast, without surround enhancement. Stereo recordings whether in PCM/digital or analog form and whether surround-encoded or not encoded, are reproduced as recorded. Multi-channel digital recordings (Dolby Digital and DTS) are reproduced in "Stereo Downmix" mode via the front left/right channels only as Lt/Rt (left/right-total) signals.

DOLBY® VIRTUAL SPEAKER (DVS)

Dolby Virtual Speaker technology creates a highly compelling 5.1-channel listening experience from as few as two speakers, making it an ideal entertainment solution for locations where space for multiple-speaker setups is limited.

Dolby Virtual Speaker models the sound of a playback system into two different listening environments, based on acoustic measurements of real rooms:

DVS Reference is a small, well-damped room appropriate for both movies and music-only recordings.
DVS Wide is a larger room, more like a concert hall or movie theatre.

PRO LOGIC IIx

Dolby Pro Logic IIx processes both stereo and 5.1 signals into a 6.1 or 7.1 channel output. At Dolby Pro Logic IIx, you can choose PLIIx Movie or PLIIx Music modes to tailor your listening experience to the source material. Dolby Pro Logic IIx surround processing yields more stable imaging and full bandwidth sound to the rear channels in Movie mode offering sound that is more similar to Dolby Digital decoding. For two channel signals, PLIIx Music mode also features three additional user controls - Dimension, Center Width, and Panorama. See also section about "ADJUSTING LISTENING MODES" below.
The following chart shows the channels available assuming they are enabled in the "Speaker Configuration" menu.

Listening Mode Two-Channel Sources	Active Decoded Output Channels	
	6.1 Speaker System	7.1 Speaker System
PLIIx Music PLIIx Movie	Front (left & right), Center, Surround (left & right), Back Surround, Subwoofer	Front (left & right), Center, Surround (left & right) and Back Surround (left and right) and subwoofer

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NEO:6

Two-channel recordings, whether stereo or surround-encoded, are reproduced with Neo:6 surround with output to front left/right, center and discrete left/right surround channels plus subwoofer (assuming these are present in the current "Speaker Configuration"). The T 747 provides two DTS NEO:6 variations - NEO:6 Cinema and NEO:6 Music. See also section about "ADJUSTING LISTENING MODES" below.

EARS

Two-channel recordings, whether stereo or surround-encoded, are reproduced with proprietary NAD surround processing with output signals to the front left/right, center and discrete left/right surround channels, plus subwoofer (assuming these are present in the current "Speaker Configuration"). EARS does not employ the surround back speakers (if any).

EARS extracts the natural ambience present in nearly all well-produced stereo recordings. It does not synthesize any ambience or other sonic elements and thus remain truer to the sound of the original musical performance than most other music-surround options.

Select EARS for listening to stereo music recordings and broadcasts. EARS produces a subtle but highly natural and believable ambience from nearly all "natural-acoustic" stereo recordings. Typically, these include classical, jazz, and folk genres as well as numerous examples from others. Its virtues include realistic, stable "front-stage" sonic imaging and spacious but unexaggerated ambient "virtual acoustics" that remain faithful to the original recording.

ENHANCED STEREO

All recordings are reproduced in stereo via the maximum speaker complement configured in the current "Speaker Configuration". Enhanced stereo can be useful for maximum volume from all channels or for multi-speaker background music (cocktail party) listening. For this mode, Front, Center, Surround and Back speakers can be turned ON/OFF as desired.

7 CH STEREO (7 CHANNEL STEREO)

Two-channel recordings are reproduced with output signals to the front left/right, center, discrete left/right surround and back surround left/right channels, plus subwoofer (assuming these are present in the current "Speaker Configuration"). The Back Surround (left/right) output level is -3 dB lower than the other channels.

ANALOG BYPASS

All analog signals remain in the analog domain without analog-to-digital conversions. At Analog Bypass, the DSP circuitry is bypassed but full tone control functions remain. "Bass management" or "Speaker Setup" are also not in effect as these are DSP functions.

ADJUSTING LISTENING MODES

Several of the T 747's listening modes have one or more selectable variations and adjustable parameters that you can modify to suit your personal preferences. At Listening Mode menu, use a combination of the [◄/►] and [▲/▼] keys to navigate and effect desired settings.

NOTE

Listening Mode parameter changes are maintained when you change listening modes. You may also save a modified Listening Mode for easy recall by saving it to a Preset (See "A/V PRESETS" below under Setup Menu discussions).

PRO LOGIC IIx

PLIIx MOVIE is optimized for film soundtracks.
PLIIx MUSIC for music recordings.

> **Center Width (0 to 7):** Modifies the "hard-centeredness" of the center image, by gradually mixing mono center content to the Front left/right speakers as well. A setting of 0 retains the center-channel-only default while a setting of 7 yields a fully phantom center channel.
>
> **Dimension (-3 to +3):** Adjusts front-rear emphasis of the surround effect independently from the relative channel levels.
>
> **Panorama (On/Off):** Adds a "wrap around" effect by extending some stereo content into the surround channels.

NOTE

Pro Logic IIx mode will decode as Pro Logic II mode when the "Back" surround speakers are set to "Off" from "Speaker Configuration" menu. Refer also to the item about "SPEAKER CONFIGURATION" under the "SPEAKER SETUP" segment of "OPERATION – USING THE T 747 – SETUP MENU" section.
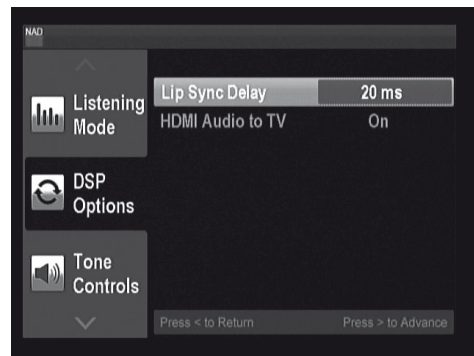
NEO:6

NEO:6 Cinema is optimized for film soundtracks.
NEO:6 Music for music recordings.

> **Center Gain (0 to 0.5):** Adjust for better center image in relation to the surround sound channels.

DSP OPTIONS

DSP Options has the feature "Lip Sync Delay" whose function is to match any delay that may occur in the picture relative to the audio.

By varying "Lip Sync Delay" from 0ms to 120ms, one can delay the audio output in order to synchronize it with the video image.

Another DSP option is the "HDMI Audio to TV". This option is applicable only when using an HDMI source and a video output display that is HDMI-capable. "HDMI Audio to TV" setting can be set to either "On" or "Off".

> **On:** When set to "On", audio will be available via both the HDMI-capable TV's own speakers and the T 747's speakers.
>
> **Off:** When set to "Off", audio will only be available via the T 747's speakers. There will be no audio at the HDMI-capable TV's own speakers.

TONE CONTROLS
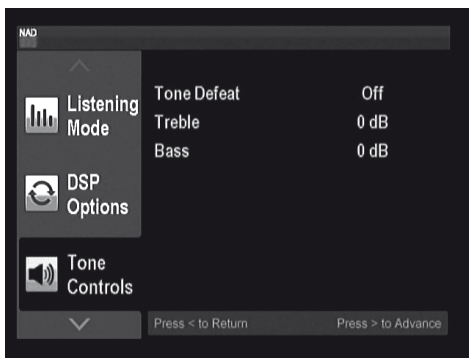
"Tone Defeat" gives one the choice of varying or completely bypassing the tone control section of the T 747. If "Off" is selected, the Tone Control circuits are active. Select "On" to bypass the Tone Controls effectively defeating the effect of the tone control circuits.

The T 747 has two Tone Control levels - Treble and Bass. Bass and Treble controls only affect the low bass and high treble leaving the critical midrange frequencies free of coloration.

These controls allow one to tweak on-the-fly, the frequency response of the source. Use the [▲/▼] keys to adjust Treble and Bass within the range ± 10 dB.

ZONE 2 CONTROLS
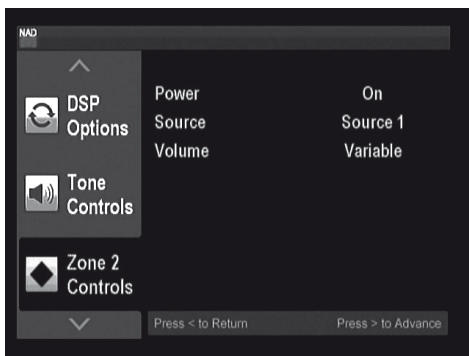
The Zone feature allows one to simultaneously listen to an active Source of the T 747 that is different from the currently selected Source.

Power
Select "On" to activate the Zone 2 function. If "Power" is set to "Off", the Zone 2 feature is deactivated or powered off.

Source
When activated, Zone 2 can be allocated a Source input by selecting through the following inputs – All enabled Sources (Source 1-3, iPod, Source 5, Source 6), Multi, Front, MP and Tuner. Select the particular Source input to be associated to the Zone 2 output. As long as the associated Source input is active, it will continuously be available at ZONE 2 OUT regardless of the Main Zone settings. For example, while the T 747 is at Source 1 mode, you can set the Zone 2 Controls' "Source" item to "Source 2"; the active Source 2's audio and video output will be directed to ZONE 2 output port in the rear panel even though the T 747 is at Source 1 mode.

You can then feed the ZONE 2 OUT jacks to another amplifier or receiver that maybe located in another area of your home or building. With your separate amplifier or receiver selecting the fed signal and with speakers connected, you can then enjoy the zone selected source's audio/video signal.

Volume
"Volume" refers to the adjustable secondary Zone 2 Volume level that can be increased or decreased depending upon its settings. "Volume" can either be set to "Fixed" or "Variable". This is applicable only if the selected ZONE 2 Audio Output port is the ZONE 2 VAR. **If ZONE 2 FIX is the selected Zone 2 audio output port, the "Volume" settings in this Zone 2 Controls OSD will not apply.**

> **Fixed:** If "Volume" is set to "Fixed", you can set a desired preset dB level and thereafter the zone's volume level can be varied via the volume control of the separate amplifier it is fed into.

> **Variable:** When set to "Variable", the Zone 2 Volume level is directly adjustable using [VOL ▲/▼] keys of ZR 5 remote control or can be varied via the volume control of the separate amplifier it is fed into. At "Variable" setting, you have to exit from the Main menu OSD for you to use ZR 5's [VOL ▲/▼] buttons in adjusting the Zone 2 volume level.

NOTE
When Zone 2 is activated, "Z2: _ _ _ " (_ _ _ corresponds to the selected Source) is displayed in the VFD when "Zone 2 Source" is selected at either "Line 1" or "Line 2" of the "Front Panel Display Setup" menu (See "Front Panel Display Setup" below under Setup Menu discussions). If the Zone function is not turned OFF, the same zone display settings will still be shown in the VFD even though the T 747 is powered OFF. Turn OFF the Zone function either by pressing ZR 5's OFF button or setting "Power" to "Off" at the Zone 2 Controls menu.

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USING THE T 747 – SETUP MENU

SETUP MENU

The Setup Menu allows one to customize the operation of the T 747 to the ancillary equipment used in one's specific AV system. Unless your system exactly matches the factory defaults, you will need to use the Setup Menu to configure the settings of your T 747.

At Setup Menu, the following are configurable – A/V Presets, Source Setup, Speaker Setup, Amplifier Setup, Trigger Setup, Listening Mode Setup, Front Panel Display Setup and Video Setup.

To navigate through these Setup Menu options and their sub-menu selections, please refer to above section about "DISPLAY THE OSD" and "NAVIGATING THE OSD AND MAKING CHANGES".

A/V PRESETS

The T 747's simple but powerfully flexible system of "Presets" allows you to customize virtually every aspect of your audio-video playback. The parameters "Listening Mode", "DSP Options", "Tone Controls", "Speaker Setup" and "Front Panel Display Setup" settings are stored together as a Single Preset.

You might create one Preset optimized for pop music and another for classical. One more Preset can be set up to recall each family member's favorite setting or one for fully cinematic home-theater playback and yet another one for late-night movies, with each Preset fine-tuned to a particular scenario or preference.

CREATING PRESETS

Creating a Preset consists simply of storing a complete set of the parameters set forth in the "Listening Mode", "DSP Options", "Tone Controls", "Speaker Setup" and "Front Panel Display Setup" configurable through "Setup Menu".

Go to "A/V Presets" to save a collection of said parameter settings to a Preset. Select a Preset number and you can then selectively include in this particular Preset number any of the above-mentioned parameter settings by choosing "Yes". If you decide not to include in the particular Preset a certain parameter setting, select "No".

Now in order to save the settings chosen for the particular Preset number, scroll down to "Save Current Setup to Preset" and press the [▶] key. If you chose to load instead the default settings, scroll down to "Load Defaults to Preset" and press the [▶] key to restore the default settings.

In addition to the parameter settings, the Preset label itself can be assigned a new name. This new Name will be shown in the VFD as well as on the OSD.

To rename the Preset label, scroll to "Name" and press [▶] to go the character. Then, press [▲/▼] to pick and select through the alphanumeric selections. Press [◀/▶] to move to the next character or back to the previous character and at the same time save the changes done on the current character.
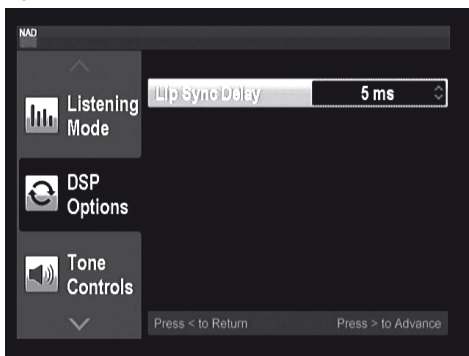
SAMPLE PROCEDURE FOR SETTING UP A/V PRESETS

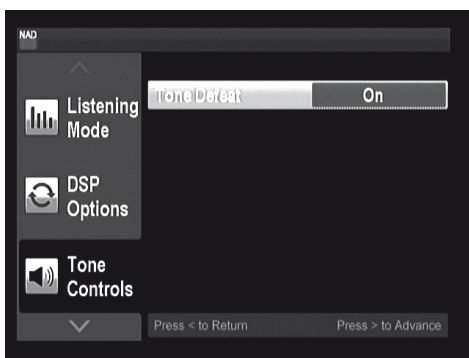**1** Setup first your preferred settings for the following options (access them through their respective menu page).
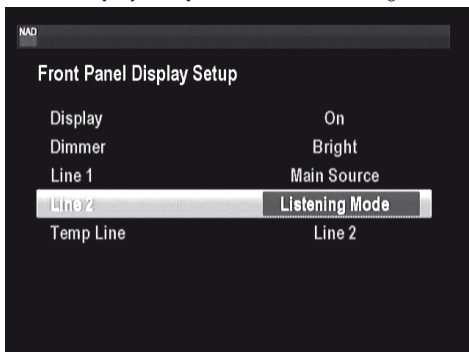
Listening Mode: Stereo
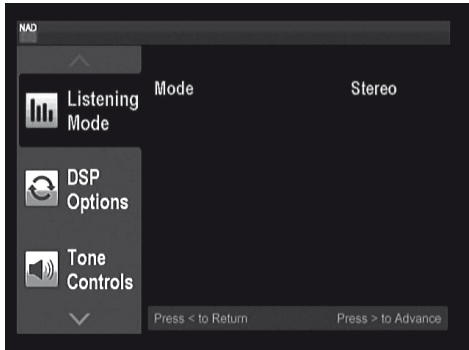
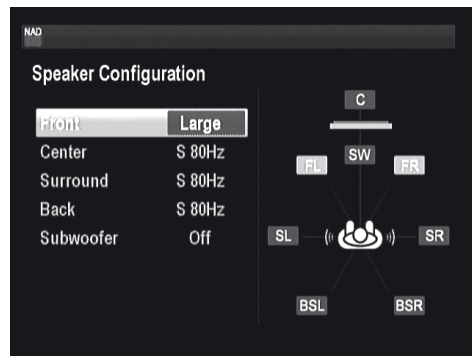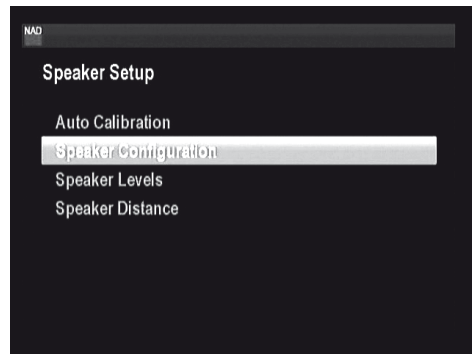

DSP Options: 5 ms

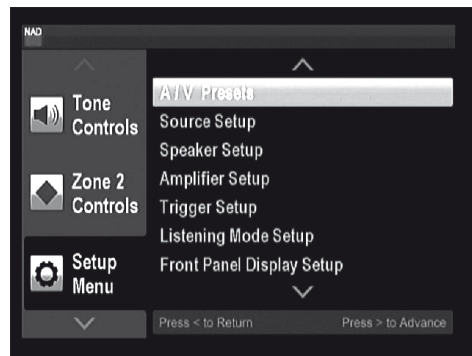**Tone Controls:** Tone Defeat On

Front Panel Display Setup: Set "Line 2" to "Listening Mode"

Speaker Setup: from the Speaker Setup menu, go to "Speaker Configuration" sub-menu and change "Subwoofer" from "On" to "Off": "Front" becomes "Large"
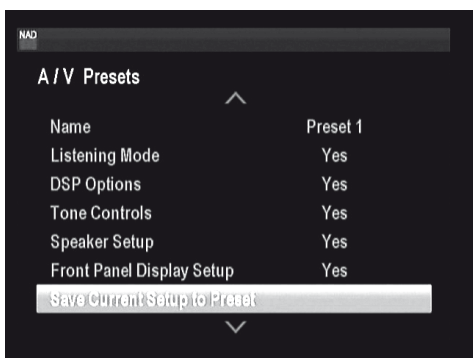

2   With the above settings setup, scroll to "A/V Presets" from the SETUP MENU page. Use [▶] to access "A/V Presets" menu.
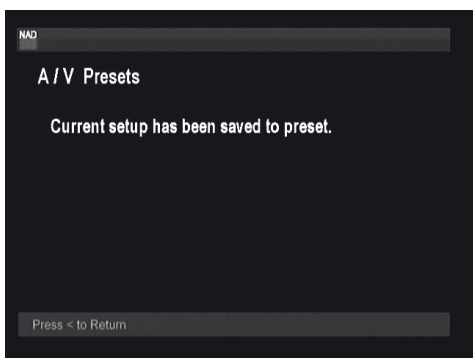
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3 At "A/V Presets" page, set "Preset: 1" to the following conditions:

Use [▲/▼] to select "Yes" or "No" and press [ENTER] to confirm selection and move on to the next setting.

While at "Save Current Setup to Preset" menu line, use [▶] to save the above settings to Preset 1. Below OSD will be shown, affirming that the above settings are now saved to "Preset 1".
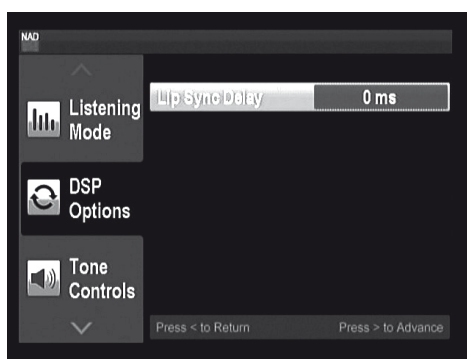

When you recall "Preset 1" using the remote control (for AVR 3, "A/V PSET" + "1"), the above preset values allocated at "Preset 1" (preset settings as shown in the OSD captures at Step 1) will be recalled and effected at the current source.

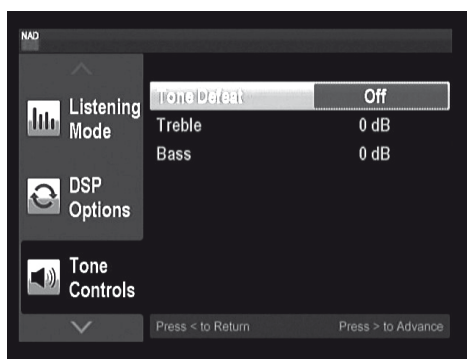**4** Now, repeat again Step 1 above but this time with the following settings
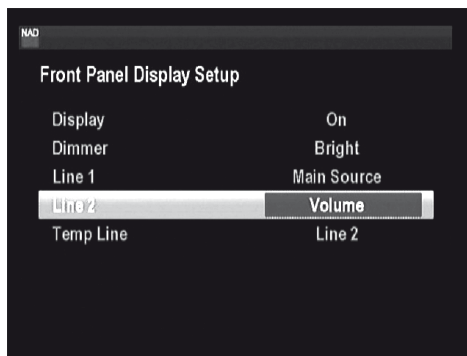
Listening Mode: PLIIx Music
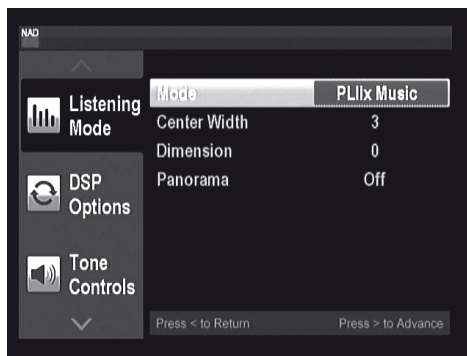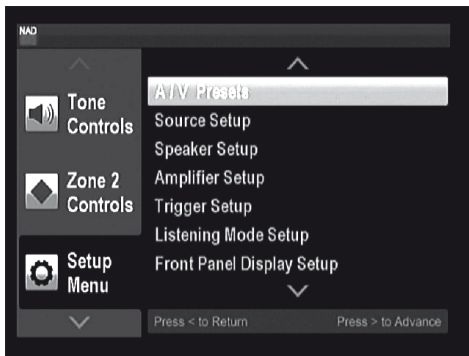

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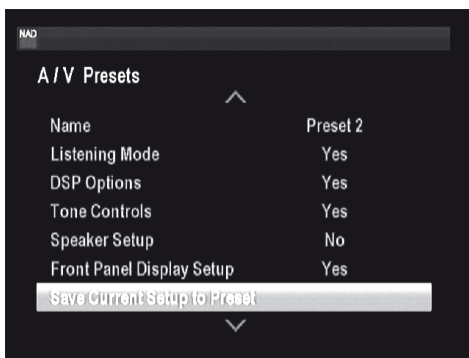

Tone Controls: Tone Defeat: Off

Front Panel Display Setup: Set "Line 2" to "Volume"

5 With the above settings, scroll to "A/V Presets" from the SETUP MENU page. Use [▶] to access "A/V Presets" menu.

**6** At "A/V Presets" page, set "Preset: 2" to the following conditions:

Use [▲/▼] to select "Yes" or "No" and press [ENTER] to confirm selection and move to the next setting.

While at "Save Current Setup to Preset" menu line, use [▶] to save the settings above to "Preset 2". When you recall "Preset 2" using the remote control (for AVR 3, "A/V PSET" + "2"), the above preset values allocated at "Preset 2" (preset settings as shown in the OSD captures at Step 4) will be recalled and effected at the current source.

Note that "Speaker Setup" is set to "No". At this condition, there will be no "Speaker Setup" values that will be effected at "Preset 2". The "Speaker Setup" settings that will be applied at "Preset 2" will be the last or current "Speaker Setup" settings which in this sample are the same "Speaker Setup" settings shown above in Step 1.

7 You can setup up to 5 Presets. These same Presets can also be associated/defaulted to each Source in the "Source Setup (Normal View)" window as below
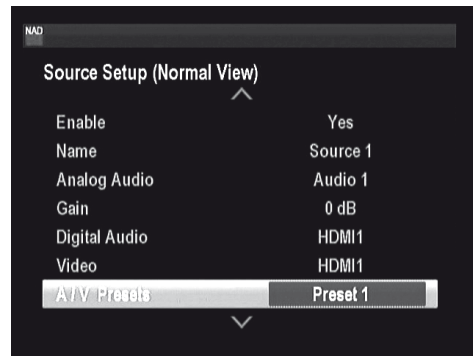
In the above example, "Preset 1" settings are allocated for Source 1. Whenever Source 1 is accessed, the "Preset 1" settings will be applied to Source 1. You can still manually override the assigned Preset allocation in a specific Source with another Preset setting/number by way of pressing the appropriate remote control buttons.

RECALLING PRESETS
You may recall a Preset at any time using the AVR 3 remote control. Press the AVR 3's A/V PSET key and then the numeric key 1-5 corresponding to the desired preset number. The newly recalled Preset will then manifest or replace the previous Preset (if any).

SOURCE SETUP
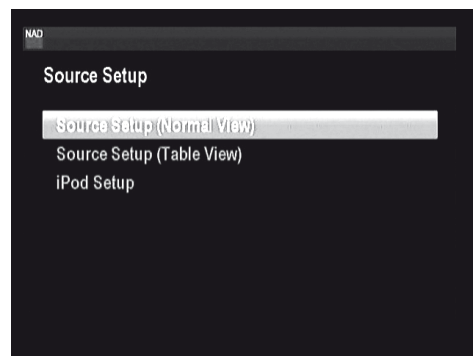
From Source Setup menu, pressing [▶] will direct you to the Source Setup menu wherein you could adjust allocate or change the settings of the following – Source Setup (Normal View), Source Setup (Table View) and iPod Setup.

SOURCE SETUP (NORMAL VIEW)
The Source Setup (Normal View) makes it possible to set, allocate or change the following settings.

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Source

The T 747 is equipped with ten configurable Sources (Source 1 -10). The settings for each Source are dependent on the configurations set forth in the parameters for that particular Source window.

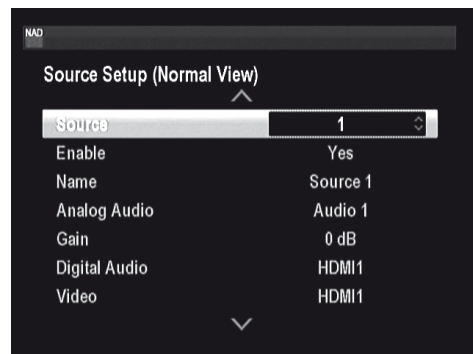While at "Source" line item, use [▲/▼] keys to toggle through the Sources.

NOTE

Source 4 is defaulted to iPod. For Source 4 to be changed and assigned to other inputs, go to "iPod Setup" menu under the "Source Setup" menu. At iPod Setup menu, set "Enabled" to "No" – you can now assign Source 4 to other inputs or settings as desired.

Enable

One can enable/disable a Source via this option. This is particularly useful if only few Sources are used and one directly selects the Source from the front panel, bypassing unused sources.

To enable or disable a particular Source, scroll to "Enable", press [▶] and then [▲/▼] to select "Yes" or "No".

Name

A new Name maybe assigned to a Source label. For example, if your DVD player is attached to "Source 1", it is possible to rename "Source 1" to "DVD".

In order to rename the Source label, scroll to "Name", press [▶] and then [▲/▼] to pick and select through the alphanumeric selections.

Press [◀/▶] to move to the next character or back to the previous character, and at the same time save the changes done on the current character. The name can be as long as eight characters.

The new Name will be shown in the VFD as well as on the OSD.

Analog Audio

The T 747 has nine analog audio inputs including 7.1 input. These analog inputs - Audio 1, Audio 2, Audio 3, Audio 4, Audio 5, Audio 6, 7.1 Input, Audio Front and Audio MP can be variably assigned to each Source.

Scroll to "Analog Audio", press [▶] and then [▲/▼] to select and assign an analog audio input to the particular Source. If "Off" is selected, no incoming analog audio signal is selected by the particular Source.

NOTE

An incoming digital signal present at the assigned digital input will always take precedence over the assigned analog audio input, even if both are present. To maintain the analog audio input for the particular Source, select "Off" at the "Digital Audio" setting of the same "Source" menu.

Gain

Gain adjustment allows all sources to play back at the same volume so you don't need to adjust the volume every time a new source is selected. It is generally preferable to reduce the level of the loudest source rather than making louder the softer sources.

Scroll to "Gain", press [▶] and then [▲/▼] to step through the desired level from -12dB to 12dB.

Digital Audio

To take advantage of the T 747's high performance surround and digital audio circuitry, it is advisable that its Digital Audio inputs are selected.

There are ten Digital Audio inputs selectable for the T 747. They are the following:
- HDMI 1, HDMI 2, HDMI 3, HDMI 4
- Optical 1, Optical 2, Optical Front
- Coaxial 1, Coaxial 2

Another option is "Off" whereby no incoming digital audio signal is selected by the particular Source.

NOTE

An incoming digital signal present at the assigned digital input will always take precedence over the assigned analog audio input, even if both are present. To maintain the analog audio input for the particular Source, select "Off" at the "Digital Audio" setting of the same "Source" menu.

Video

A specific video input can be assigned a particular Source. The following are the assignable Video inputs:
- HDMI 1, HDMI 2, HDMI 3, HDMI 4
- Component 1, Component 2, Component 3
- S-Video 1, S-Video 2, S-Video 3, S-Video 4, S-Video Front
- Composite 1, Composite 2, Composite 3, Composite 4, Composite Front

Another option is "Off" wherein the particular Source is prompted not to select any Video input.

A/V Presets

A particular Source can be assigned a stored Preset. The parameters set up in the selected Preset number will be adopted into the particular Source it is assigned (Please refer to the separate section on "A/V PRESETS" above for further understanding of Preset settings).

Scrolling to "A/V Presets" and by pressing [▶] and then [▲/▼] keys, a Source could be assigned a Preset number ranging from Preset 1 to 5.

If it is desired not to assign the particular Source a Preset setting, select "None".

Trigger Out

The Trigger Out for a particular Source is dependent on the configurations done in a separate menu on Trigger Setup (See "TRIGGER SETUP" below). If Trigger output is assigned to "Source Setup" in the separate "Trigger Setup" menu window, +12V will be available at +12V TRIGGER OUT port whenever a Source with "Trigger Out" set to "Yes" is recalled.

Another option is "None" whereby the particular Source is not assigned any Trigger Out.

SOURCE SETUP (TABLE VIEW)

The Source Setup (Table View) reflects the settings made in the Source Setup (Normal View) menu. All the Source settings are summarized and displayed in tabulated form in the Source Setup (Table View).
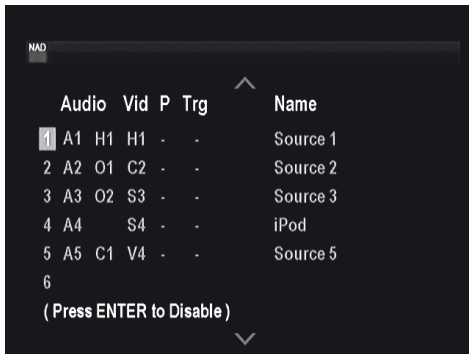
Navigating through the Source Setup (Table View) via a combination of [▶] and then [▲/▼] keys, one will have the benefit of directly changing the settings for "Audio, Video, Preset, Trigger and Name" without going back to the Source Setup (Normal View) menu. Note that to effect a change in the settings, you have to press [ENTER]. Toggle [ENTER] also to enable or disable a Source.

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The T 747 includes a high performance video processor that can upscale Standard Definition (SD) video to High Definition (HD) video. The HD video is only available on the HDMI (up to 1080p resolution) or Component Video (up to 1080i resolution only) output.

If you are using an HD capable TV, you should connect either HDMI or Component Video, not both. All SD sources will be upscaled to HD over these HD connections. Be sure your TV is HD capable before selecting an HD resolution. Note that the default SD is backward compatible with non-HD sets.

For the On Screen Display (OSD) to be shown at your connected TV, set your T 747 to the Source number that corresponds to your TV's signal type:
  Source 1 : defaulted to HDMI Monitor OUT
  Source 2 : defaulted to Component Video Monitor OUT
  Source 3 : defaulted to S-Video Monitor OUT

These default settings can be changed, but should be used to get started. It must be noted from the above that with Source 1 defaulted to HDMI, the OSD will only be available via HDMI Monitor OUT when at Source 1. Select Source 2 or other enabled Source numbers (except Source 1) for the OSD to be available at Component Video, S-Video or Video (Composite) Monitor OUT.

iPod SETUP
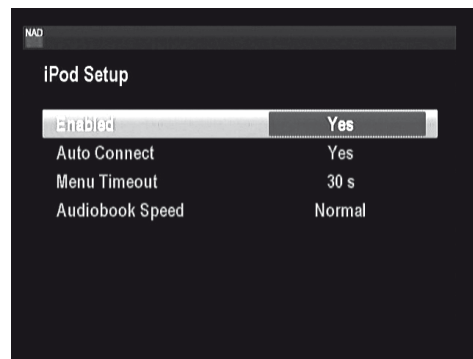
The iPod Setup menu allows you to preset the following associated settings when iPod is the selected source:
  Enabled: Select "Yes" to default Source 4 to iPod mode or "No" for Source 4 to be an assignable source input.
  Auto Connect: Select "Yes" to automatically enable and connect the iPod player docked in the linked NAD iPod docking station when Source 4 (the default iPod source allocation in the T 747) is selected. Select "No" if you do not want for the iPod connection automatically connected.
  Menu Timeout: Set the time for the OSD to revert to the "Now Playing" display when the iPod menu has been left idle (no scrolling or navigation being done) for the specified time out time. For the "Now Playing" OSD to be shown, there should be a song paused or being played before going to the iPod menu. You can set the "Menu Timeout" between the range 5s to 60s at 5s increments. If you do not want for the menu to timeout, select "Off".
  Audiobook Speed: Set the playback speed with the following options - Normal, Fast and Slow. Note that for "Audiobook Speed" to be available in the menu, an iPod player must be docked in the linked NAD IPD model.

SPEAKER SETUP
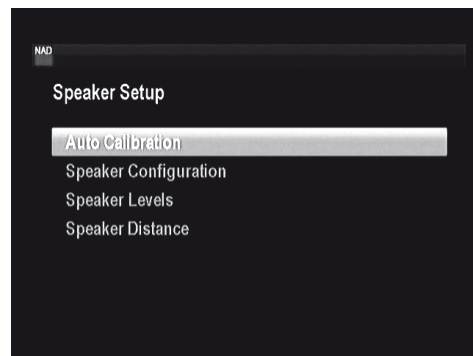
After connecting all ancillary sources and other combinations, the Speaker Setup menu will guide you on how to manage and setup your speakers in order to achieve optimum sound acoustics in your listening environment. The following are the Speaker Setup Menu sections.

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AUTO CALIBRATION

It has been shown that many, if not most, surround sound systems are not accurately setup and calibrated. To be done properly, calibration requires special knowledge and instrumentation that the average person probably doesn't possess.

The Auto Calibration featured in T 747 uses a microphone, along with sophisticated digital electronics built into your T 747, to automatically setup and calibrate the T 747 to the exact speakers and speaker placement of your own unique Home Theatre.
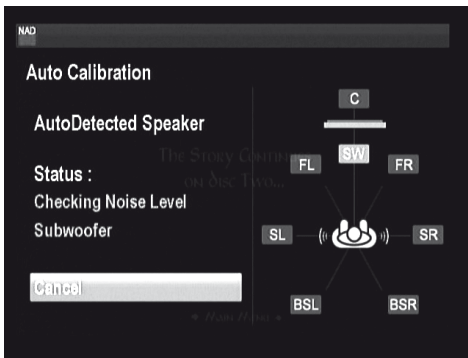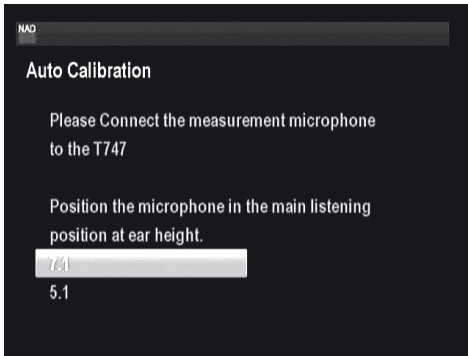
The following parameters are automatically measured and adjusted accordingly.
- **Noise Level :** Check noise level relative to each speaker and subwoofer.
- **Number of Speakers :** Speaker configuration is detected including number of surround speakers and whether a subwoofer and center channel is connected.
- **Speaker Distance :** Accurately set the appropriate distance of each speaker position as well as the subwoofer with respect to the microphone position.
- **Speaker Level and Size :** T 747 crossover is set based on each channel's signal handling capability and the subwoofer crossover is automatically set. SPL (Sound Pressure Level) of each speaker is matched with respect to the microphone position.
- **Equalization :** Adjust tonal quality (bass/treble level) for each speaker. This applies to all sound fields and for each speaker.

This is a one-time set up, unless speakers are moved or changed, in which case the calibration should be performed again.

MEASUREMENT IS THE FIRST STEP

Connect the microphone jack into the front panel's MP/MIC input. Place the supplied microphone in the listening position at about the same height as your listening ears. The microphone has a threaded insert at its base that makes possible for it to be mounted on a tripod.

The sound at your main listening position is setup using the supplied microphone. Depending upon the availability of speakers, you can select either 7.1 or 5.1 setup. Upon selection of either 7.1 or 5.1, the auto calibration starts – refer to the OSD as auto calibration steps through each measurement parameter.

A special test tone is sent to each speaker and the data is memorized by the T 747. The duration of setup may take some time depending on the number of speakers. After the measurements, the T 747 calculates the ideal system response for your particular room and speaker setup. If some inconsistencies or discrepancies are detected during the setup, the process maybe interrupted or the problem is shown in the particular setup window. A notice screen is correspondingly displayed. After following and undertaking the displayed instructions, re-start the Auto Calibration setup again. When the measurements are finalized, the ideal system response is calculated for your particular room and speaker setup.
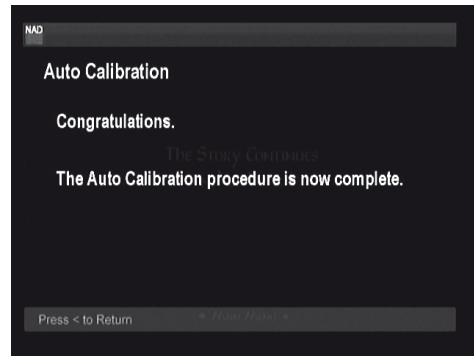
NOTES
- *Auto calibration is possible only for a 7.1 or 5.1 speaker configuration. For other speaker configurations, like a 2.1 setup, you have to manually set them up by referring to the guidelines below for Speaker Configuration, Speaker Distance and Speaker Levels.*
- *The test tone emitted during measurement is loud. This maybe bothersome for you and may affect as well your other household members and even your neighbor.*

ABOUT EQUALIZATION

Equalization is one of the parameters automatically adjusted when the Auto Calibration feature is initiated.   If after Auto Calibration, the resulting equalization effect does not suit your taste or preference, you have the option to turn off such equalization effect.   Below is the procedure on how to turn off equalization.

1 Ensure that auto calibration is completed. Equalization cannot be turned ON or OFF if auto calibration is not performed and completed.
2 Using the AVR 3 remote control and with Device Selector set to AMP page, direct the AVR 3 to the T 747's remote sensor.
3 Press and hold AVR 3's TEST button until the upper line of the VFD shows "Adjusting EQ" and the lower line "OFF"; equalization is now turned OFF.
4 If you decide to turn ON again the calibrated equalization effect, press and hold AVR 3's TEST button until the upper line of the VFD shows "Adjusting EQ" and the lower line "ON"; equalization is now turned back ON.

SPEAKER CONFIGURATION
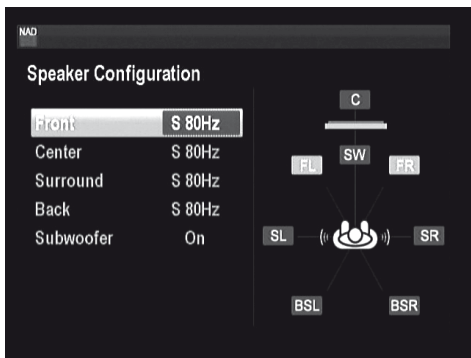
Every surround-sound system requires "bass-management" to direct low-frequency content from any or all channels to the speakers best able to reproduce it. For this function to operate correctly, it is important that you correctly identify your speakers' capabilities. We use the terms "S" (Small), "Large" and "Off", but note that physical size may be irrelevant.

- A "S" (Small) speaker is any model, regardless of physical size, that lacks significant deep-bass response, that is, below about 150 Hz.
- A "Large" speaker is any full-range model, that is, one with deep-bass response
- An "Off" speaker is one that is not present in your system. For example, you might not have any surround-back speakers installed; in that case, you would set the "Back" setup item to "Off".

The Speaker Configuration is "global"; that is, it remains in force with all inputs and in all listening modes. However, speaker settings are part of the T 747's Preset system. Consequently, multiple speaker settings can be stored for easy recall as different types of recordings or listening modes require.

Speaker Configuration can be managed and adjusted by pressing a combination of [▶] and then [▲/▼] keys. Set "Front", "Center", "Surround" and "Back" to "Large", "S" ("S 60Hz" up to "S 150Hz") or "Off" as your subsystem's speakers require.

Set "Subwoofer" to "On" or "Off", selecting "On" only if you have a subwoofer connected to the SUBW output jack. If the "Subwoofer" is set to "Off", "Front" speaker will automatically be set to "Large".

NOTE

Normally, with speakers set to "Large", the subwoofer is not active. You can set Subwoofer to "On" even with "Large" front speakers, in which case bass content from any channels set to "Small" will be routed to both the subwoofer and to the front speakers; LFE-channel signal will pass only to the subwoofer. In most subwoofer-equipped systems, setting the front speakers to "Small" is usually the better option.

SPEAKER LEVELS
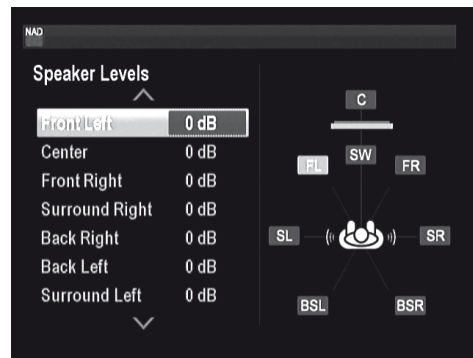
Adjusting the relative balance of your system's loudspeakers ensures that surround-sound recordings, whether music or film, will present the balance of effects, music, and dialog that the artists intended. Additionally, if your system incorporates a subwoofer it establishes a correct relationship between the volume of the subwoofer and the other speakers, and thus of low-frequencies (bass) to other sonic elements.

USING AN SPL METER

It is quite practical to perform the T 747 level setup routines "by ear", and careful work will produce acceptably accurate results. However, the use of an inexpensive sound-pressure level (SPL) meter, such as Radio Shack part number 33-2050, makes this task easier, more accurate and more repeatable. Ownership of such a meter could prove a valuable audio tool.

The SPL meter should be placed at the primary listening position, at approximately the height of the seated listener's head. A tripod is helpful but with a little duct tape almost anything — a pole lamp, music-stand, or ladder-backed chair, for example — can do as well. Just be sure that no large acoustically reflective surfaces obstruct or are near the microphone element.

Orient the meter with its microphone (usually at one end) pointing straight up toward the ceiling (not toward the speakers) and ensure that "C" weighting scale is selected. Set the meter to display 75 dB SPL. On Radio Shack meters, this necessitates either setting the meter to its 80 dB range and taking your readings at the -5 point or selecting the 70 dB range and reading at the +5 point.

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SETTING SPEAKER LEVELS AT TEST MODE

While at "Speaker Levels" menu, press the AVR 3 remote's "Test" key activating the T 747's Speaker Levels balancing test signal. You will hear a Test tone. To test each channel, use AVR 3's [▲/▼] keys to move up or down the speaker channels. If you do not hear the Test tone, check your speaker connections or "Speaker Configuration" settings.

To adjust the level of a particular channel, press [▶] to display "^∨" on the extreme right of the selected channel. Adjust the selected channel to desired level by pressing [▲/▼] – the level will change by 1 dB increments up to ±12 dB. After adjusting a channel, press [◄] to effect the change in level. Press [▲/▼] to select the next channel for adjustment.

You can exit "Test" mode at any time by pressing the [◄] key, bringing you back to "Speaker Setup" menu.

NOTES
- *All speakers must be in their final locations before level-setting.*
- *If you are balancing levels "by ear", choose one speaker—usually the center— as a reference and adjust each of the others in turn to "sound as loud" as the reference. Be sure that you remain in the primary listening position while balancing all channels.*
- *Your subwoofer (if any) should be set with its integral crossover defeated, or if undefeatable, set to its highest-possible frequency if you are using the T 747's Subwoofer output. Final subwoofer-level adjustment "by-ear", using music and film sound material, is frequently useful.*
- *Due to the effects of room acoustics, matched-pair speakers (front; surround; back) will not always calibrate to exactly the same level offset readings.*

SPEAKER DISTANCE
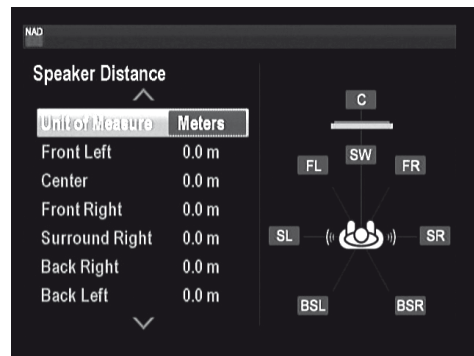
Your system's speaker distance settings are a subtle but important refinement of your setup. Informing the T 747 of the loudspeaker-to-listener dimensions of each speaker automatically imposes the correct delays, optimizing imaging, intelligibility and surround-sound ambience. Enter your dimensions with precision within about 1 foot (30 cm).

SETTING SPEAKER DISTANCE

While at "Speaker Distance" menu, use the [▲/▼] keys to individually set Front Left, Center, Front Right, Surround Right, Back Right, Back Left, Surround Left and Subwoofer to the distance measuring from your principal listening position to the front surface of their corresponding loudspeakers. Distance can be set up to 30 feet or 9 meters.

Distance can be displayed as feet or meters selectable at the "Unit of Measure" item.

ADJUSTING THE VOLUME

In addition to the front panel VOLUME knob, use the AVR 3's [VOL ▲/▼] to adjust the volume of the T 747, raising or lowering all the channels together. A momentary keypress will change the master volume by 1 dB increments. If you hold down [VOL ▲/▼] the volume change will "run-on" until the key is released.

Since recordings vary considerably in overall average level, there is no imperative to listen at any particular volume setting. A setting of -20 dB may sound "as loud" from one CD or DVD as -10 dB does from another.

The T 747 will power-up from Standby mode at whatever master volume setting was last used; however, if the prior setting was greater than –10 dB, the T 747 will power up at –10 dB. This prevents inadvertently beginning a session at excessive volume.

MUTING THE SOUND

Use the AVR 3's "Mute" key to silence all channels completely. Muting is always available regardless of the source or listening mode selections.

NOTES
- *Changing input or listening-mode selections does not release muting.*
- *Adjusting the volume level via the AVR 3 or the front panel volume knob will automatically release the mute function.*

AMPLIFIER SETUP
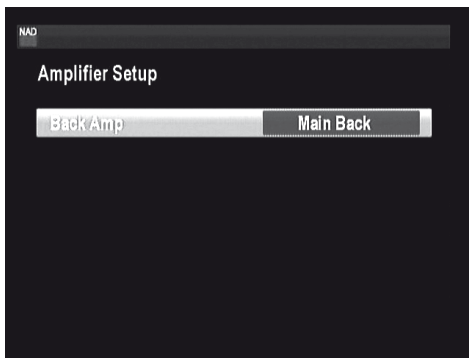
If the surround back speakers are not used in the main zone, their surround back amplifier channels could be assigned for Main Back, Zone 2 or Bi-Amp.

The Surround Back amplifier is configurable through the following settings
- Main Back: Assign as surround back speakers.
- Zone 2: Assign the surround back amplifier channels to supply Zone 2 speaker level outputs from the surround back speaker terminals.
- Bi-Amp: Provide a bi-amp mode for the Main Front speakers (Left and Right) speakers thus reproducing the Front Left and Front Right amplifier channel outputs.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

If "Back Amp" is set to Zone 2 or Bi-amp, it is not possible to select "7.1" in the Auto Calibration menu since the surround back speakers are effectively not included in the configuration anymore. Only "5.1" is selectable at this condition.

TRIGGER SETUP
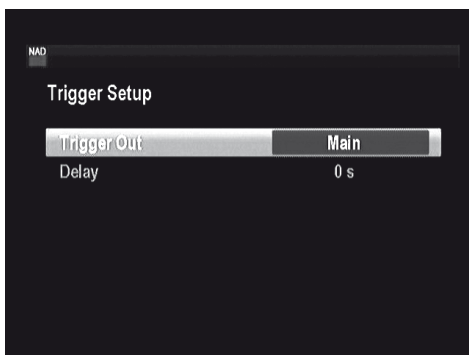
The T 747 features a configurable +12V DC Trigger Output that can be used to activate a component or system it is fed into.

TRIGGER OUT

Triggers are low voltage signals used to turn on/off other compliant devices. There are three choices where +12V DC output can be assigned and these are – Main, Zone 2 and Source Setup.

Main: +12V DC is available at the assigned Trigger Out when the T 747 is at powered state.

Zone 2: When the Zone 2 is at powered state, +12V DC is available at Trigger Out.

Source Setup: If Trigger Output is linked to "Source Setup", +12V DC is available at Trigger Out whenever the particularly assigned Source is selected.

DELAY

The availability of +12V DC at Trigger OUT can be regulated. If it is desired that +12V DC is available without delay the moment Trigger OUT is linked to its assigned setting, set Delay to 0s. Otherwise, one can select through a delay time of 1s to 15s.

LISTENING MODE SETUP
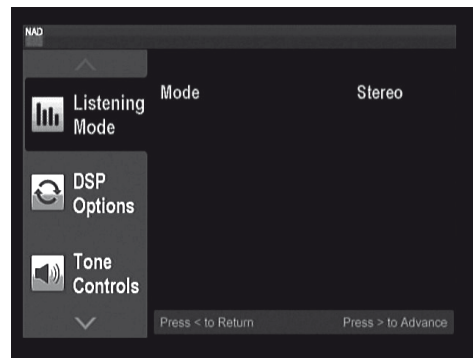
The T 747 has various listening mode options and is mostly configurable. These are provided to reproduce a variety of sound effects depending upon the content of the source to be played.

LISTENING MODE
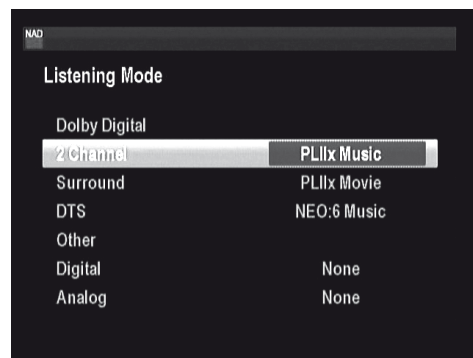
The audio format as detected by the selected Source can be automatically configured and processed through the following options:

Dolby Digital
Dolby Digital is the multi-channel digital signal format developed in the Dolby laboratories. Discs bearing the double-D symbol were recorded with up to 5.1 channels of digital signals, reproducing a much better sound quality, with dynamic and spatial sound sensations that are much better than in the previous Dolby Surround.
A Dolby Digital audio input can be configured relative to its format.

2 Channel: If the detected audio is a 2 Channel Dolby Digital signal, you can default it to one of the following settings – PLIIx Movie, PLIIx Music, DVS Wide, DVS Reference or None.

Surround: If the detected audio is a Surround Dolby Digital signal, you can default it to one of the following settings –Dolby Digital EX, PLIIx Movie, PLIIx Music, DVS Wide, DVS Reference, Stereo Downmix or None.

None: If "None" is selected, the Dolby Digital format will follow the "Digital" setting set forth at "Other" option under this menu section. See discussion below about "OTHER".

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DOLBY DIGITAL SURROUND MODES

The following are further descriptions about the Dolby Digital surround modes.

Dolby Digital Plus

Dolby Digital Plus is the next-generation audio technology for all high-definition programming and media. Dolby Digital Plus delivers multi-channel audio programs of up to 7.1 channels and supports multiple programs in a single encoded bitstream with the maximum bit rate potential of up to 6 Mbps and the maximum bit rate performance of up to 3 Mbps on HD DVD and 1.7 Mbps on Blu-ray Disc. It outputs Dolby Digital bitstreams for playback on existing Dolby Digital systems. Dolby Digital Plus can accurately reproduce the sound originally intended by directors and producers.

It also features multi-channel sound with discrete channel output, interactive mixing and streaming capability in advanced systems. Supported by High-Definition Media Interface (HDMI), a single-cable digital connection is possible for high-definition audio and video.

Dolby TrueHD

Dolby TrueHD is a lossless encoding technology developed for high-definition optical discs. Dolby TrueHD delivers tantalizing sound that is bit-for-bit identical to the studio master, unlocking the true high-definition entertainment experience on high-definition optical discs in the next generation.

It supports bit rates of up to 18 Mbps and records up to 8 full-range channels individually with 24-bit/96 kHz audio. It also features extensive metadata including dialogue normalization and dynamic range control. Supported by High-Definition Media Interface (HDMI), a single-cable digital connection is possible for high-definition audio and video. HD DVD and Blu-ray Disc standards currently limit their maximum number of audio channels to eight, whereas Dolby Digital Plus and Dolby TrueHD support more than eight audio channels. Note that the T 747 only supports 7.1 channel.

Dolby Digital EX

Using a Matrix decoder, this method creates the back channel (sometimes also called the "surround center") by means of signals on the left and right surround channels recorded in Dolby Digital 5.1, reproduction being provided in Surround 6.1. This method should be selected with sources bearing the (double-D symbol)-EX, recorded in Dolby Digital Surround EX.

With this additional channel you will experience improved dynamics and a better sensation of movement within the sound field. If media sources recorded in Dolby Digital EX are decoded with a Digital EX decoder, the format is detected automatically, and the Dolby Digital EX mode is selected. However, some media sources recorded in Dolby Digital EX can be detected as simple Dolby Digital media sources. In this case Dolby Digital EX should be selected manually.

NOTE

Please refer to the section "LISTENING MODE" at the Main Menu discussions for a description of PLIIx Movie, PLIIx Music and Stereo Downmix modes.

DTS

The Digital Theater System Digital Surround (simply called DTS) is a multi-channel digital signal format that can process higher data rates than with Dolby Digital. Although both Dolby Digital and DTS are 5.1 channel media formats, discs bearing the "DTS" symbol are thought to provide better sound quality due to the lower audio compression required. It also offers a broader dynamic, producing magnificent sound quality.

A DTS input can be defaulted to one of the following options - DTS+NEO:6 Music, Neo:6 Cinema, Neo:6 Music, Stereo Downmix or None.

If "None" is selected, the DTS signal will follow the "Digital" setting set forth at "Other" option under this menu section. See discussion below about "Other".

OTHER

If "None" is selected above for any of the Dolby Digital, 2 Channel, Surround and DTS options or if the audio input is an analog signal, this "Other" section will manage the default audio format as per the "Digital" or "Analog" settings.

> **Digital:** The detected digital input can be configured by way of one of the following options – 7 ch Stereo, Enhanced Stereo, EARS, Neo:6 Music, Neo:6 Cinema, PLIIx Music, PLIIx Movie, DVS Wide, DVS Reference or None.
> **Analog:** If the audio input is an analog signal, the following are the surround modes the input can be defaulted – 7 ch Stereo, Enhanced Stereo, EARS, Neo:6 Music, Neo:6 Cinema, PLIIx Music, PLIIx Movie, DVS Wide, DVS Reference, Stereo or None.

NOTE

All these Listening Modes for "Dolby Digital", "DTS" and "Other" can be directly changed by pressing the "LISTENING MODE" button on the front panel or through the "Listening Mode" option at the Main Menu window. The chosen audio format will be reflected back to the appropriate setting at the "Listening Mode Setup".

DOLBY SETUP

Under this menu, the Dolby Digital's Dynamic Range Control can be adjusted as well as the settings for Dolby Digital Pro Logic IIx Music.

Dyn Range Ctrl (Dynamic Range Control): You can select the effective dynamic range (subjective range from soft to loud) for playback of Dolby Digital soundtracks. For fully cinematic effect, always select 100%, the default. Settings of 75%, 50%, and 25% progressively reduce dynamic range, making soft sounds comparatively louder while limiting the peak loudness of loud ones.

The 25% setting will yield the least dynamic range and is best for late-night sessions or other times when you wish to retain maximum dialog intelligibility while minimizing overall volume levels.

Dolby Pro Logic IIx Music: Please refer to the item about "PRO LOGIC IIx" under the topic "ADJUSTING LISTENING MODES" at the "OPERATION - USING THE T 747 - MAIN MENU" discussions above.

DTS SETUP

Under this menu, the Center Gain settings of NEO:6 Music can be adjusted. Please refer to the item about "NEO:6 Music" under the topic "ADJUSTING LISTENING MODES" at the "OPERATION – USING THE T 747 – MAIN MENU" discussions above.

DTS SURROUND MODES

The following are further descriptions about the DTS surround modes.

DTS-HD Master Audio

DTS-HD Master Audio is a technology that delivers master audio sources recorded in a professional studio to listeners without any loss of data, preserving audio quality. DTS-HD Master Audio adopts variable data transfer rates, facilitating data transfer to the maximum rate of 24.5 Mbps in the Blu-ray disc format, 18.0 Mbps in the HD-DVD format, which by far exceeds that of a standard DVD. These high data transfer rates enable lossless transmission of 96 kHz/24-bit 7.1-channel audio sources without deteriorating the quality of the original sound. DTS-HD Master Audio is an irreplaceable technology that can reproduce sound faithfully as intended by the creator of music or movies.

DTS - ES EXTENDED SURROUND ™ (DTS ES)

This is a new multi-channel digital format which greatly improves the 360° spatial sensation of the Surround impression thanks to the greater space expansion of the surround signals, providing high compatibility with the conventional DTS format.
In addition to the 5.1 channels, the extended DTS-ES Surround also offers the back surround (also sometimes called the "surround centre") in reproduction, providing a total of 6.1 channels. The extended DTS-ES Surround includes two formats, with two different methods of surround signal recording, as follows:

DTS-ES™ DISCRETE 6.1

Since the signals of the 6.1 Surround channels (including the back channel) are completely independent, it is possible to achieve the sensation that the acoustic image is moving about freely among the background sounds, 360 degrees surrounding the listener.
Although maximum quality is achieved with sound tracks recorded using this system and reproduced using the DTS-ES decoder, when played with a conventional DTS decoder, the back surround channel is automatically downmixed in the surround right and surround left channels of the surround system, in such a way that none of the signal components are lost.

DTS - ES™ MATRIX 6.1

In this format, the additional signals of the back channel receive a matrix encoding and are inputted into the right and left surround channels. During reproduction they are decoded to the right, left and back surround channels.

Since this bit-stream format is 100% compatible with conventional DTS signals, the DTS-ES Matrix 6.1 format effect can also be achieved from sources with DTS-ES 5.1 signals.

Naturally, it is also possible to reproduce from a DTS 5.1 channel decoder, signals recorded in DTS-ES 6.1.

When a DTS-ES decoder processes a discrete DTS-ES 6.1 or in Matrix 6.1, these formats are automatically detected and the Optimum Surround mode is selected. However, some DTS-ES Matrix 6.1 sources may be detected as DTS. In this case the DTS-ES Matrix mode should be selected manually in order to reproduce them.

DTS NEO:6™ SURROUND

This mode applies the conventional 2-channel signals such as digital PCM or analog stereo signals to the high precision digital matrix decoder used for DTS-ES Matrix 6.1 to achieve 6.1-channel surround playback. DTS Neo:6 surround includes two modes for selecting the optimum decoding of the signal sources:

DTS NEO:6 CINEMA : This method is ideal for the reproduction of movies. The decoding takes place by emphasizing the separation in order to achieve the same atmosphere with 2-channel, as with 6.1-channel sources.

DTS NEO:6 MUSIC : Mainly recommended for music reproduction. The right and left front channels do not pass through the decoder and are reproduced directly so there is no loss in sound quality, and the effects of the right surround, left surround, central and back surround channels add a natural sensation of expansion of the sound field.
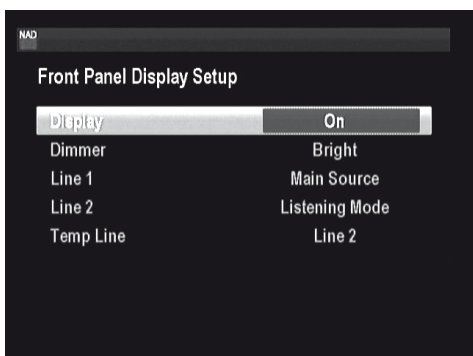
ENHANCED STEREO

Please refer to the same item about "ENHANCED STEREO" under the topic "LISTENING MODE" at the "USING THE T 747 - MAIN MENU" discussions above.

OPERATION

USING THE T 747 – SETUP MENU

FRONT PANEL DISPLAY SETUP

The Vacuum Fluorescent Display (VFD) and On-Screen Display (OSD) can be shown in various ways by navigating through the parameters at the "Front Panel Display Setup" menu.

DISPLAY
Select "On" to display all applicable data or characters at the VFD. Nothing will be shown at VFD if "Temp" is selected. However at "Temp" setting, whenever any of the front panel controls or their corresponding keys in the remote control is activated, the appropriate VFD characters will be shown temporarily and then fade away.

DIMMER
If it is desired to reduce the brightness of the VFD, set Dimmer to "Dim". Otherwise, select "Bright" to return to normal VFD brightness.

LINE 1, LINE 2
The VFD shows two main lines of data or characters. Line 2 is the line of data or characters located at the lower bottom of the VFD while directly above it is Line 1. For both lines, one can select which display could be shown by choosing through the following
> **Main Source:** Shows the active Source.
> **Volume:** Current Volume level is shown.
> **Listening Mode:** Selected Listening Mode is shown.
> **Audio Src Format:** Shows the audio format detected at the active Source.
> **Zone 2 Source:** The assigned Source for Zone 2 is shown.
> **Off:** Select "Off" if it is desired not to show any data at the applicable Line.

TEMP LINE
Choose between Line 1 and Line 2 as the desired line where VFD will be temporarily shown if "Temp" is selected at "Display" option as described above.

NOTE
The configurations set forth at "Front Panel Display Setup" are carried over whenever it is enabled during A/V Preset setting. Refer also to the item about A/V PRESETS under the USING THE T 747 – SETUP MENU segment of the OPERATION section.

VIDEO SETUP
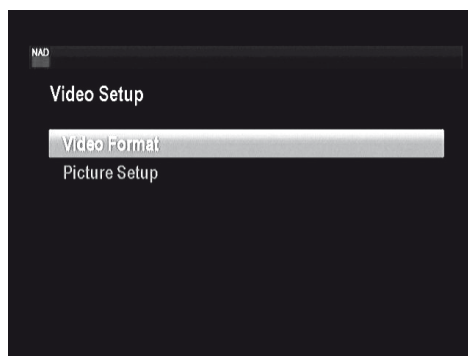
This menu allows you to set the display resolution of the T 747 along with the compatible video format setting and picture setup.

VIDEO FORMAT
There are 2 options under Video format – Resolution to Display and Frame Rate.
> **Resolution to Display:** The T 747 has the excellent ability to upconvert standard definition video contents to high definition video signal. Depending upon your TV/Monitor's resolution capabilities, select the applicable resolution settings - Auto, 480i/576i, 480p/576p, 720p, 1080i and 1080p. When "Auto" is selected, the T 747 automatically selects the highest resolution compatible with the connected TV/Monitor.

> Note that if the display is connected to Composite or S-Video Monitor OUT, the video output resolution must be set to 480i or 576i to view content.

> When you change the resolution setting, you will be prompted to Save or Cancel the resolution change as per the message shown in OSD.

IMPORTANT NOTE
Some TV/Monitors may not be able to handle simultaneous High Definition (HD) video input contents of 720/1080 as fed through their HDMI and Component Video inputs. If T 747's "Resolution to Display" setting is set to "Auto" and a source input is fed to any of the T 747's HDMI IN rear panel ports and HDMI MONITOR OUT connected to a video display, component video output will only be available at 480i/576i or 480p/576p resolution. At this condition, changing the resolution setting from "Auto" to a high definition setting like 720p, 1080i or 1080p may result to a distorted display at Component Video Monitor OUT.

In order to attain a high definition setting at Component Video Monitor OUT, there should be NO connection made through any of the HDMI inputs and HDMI Monitor OUT. It is suggested to use standard definition resolution for simultaneous output and use EITHER Component or HDMI for high definition output.
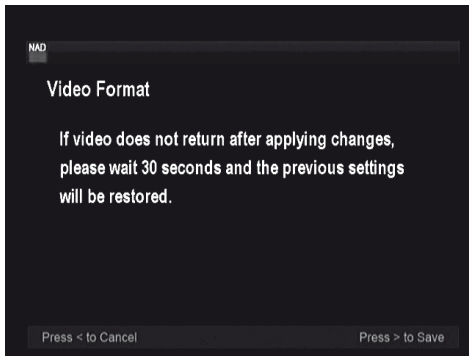
Press [▶] to save the new resolution or [◀] to cancel the change in resolution.

IMPORTANT NOTES

- *When using component video output, a standard definition video can be upscaled only up to 1080i.*
- *If you inadvertently selected a resolution setting (like 1080p) that your TV/Monitor does not support, the video display will go blank. To restore video display, press [◀] or turn OFF/ON the T 747.*

Frame Rate: Frame rate refers to the number of frames or images that are projected or displayed per second in motion pictures, television or computer video display.

Depending upon your area and video resolution capability of your TV/Monitor, the following "Frame Rate" options are available

50Hz: setting normally for Europe and most of Asia

60Hz: setting normally for North America

24Hz: select to deliver film-like motion characteristics; available or selectable only if your TV/Monitor supports 1080p.

When the "Resolution to Display" is set to "Auto", "Frame Rate" as an option will not be available.

IMPORTANT NOTES

- *The source component, the T 747 and the TV/Monitor must have the same frame rate settings. If they do not have the same settings, video output maybe distorted.*
- *Selectable Frame Rate for 120V version models of T 747 is limited only to 60Hz and 24Hz. If your TV/Monitor does not support 1080p, 24Hz will not appear as an option.*
- *For 230V version models of T 747, 50Hz, 60Hz and 24Hz are the selectable Frame Rate options. If your TV/Monitor does not support 1080p, 24Hz will not appear as an option.*

PICTURE SETUP
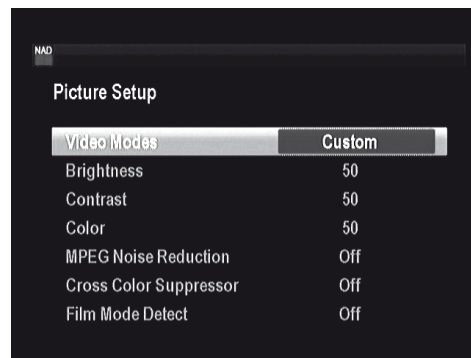
Picture setup can be defaulted to "Normal" or "Custom". These settings can be accessed at "Video Modes" menu item of the "Picture Setup" OSD.

Select "Normal" to retain the default picture setup settings. If you would like to further improve the picture settings or adjust the parameters according to your preference, set "Video Modes" to "Custom". The following parameters can be adjusted at "Custom" setting

Brightness: Adjust overall brightness of the video display.

Contrast: Adjust bright areas (white level) of the video display.

Color: In combination with brightness and contrast levels, adjust the color level to suit your preference. Set the level so that the colors look strong but still natural, not overdone.

MPEG Noise Reduction: This setting addresses video distortion like video noise and blocking artifacts. Set MPEG Noise Reduction level to High, Medium and Low.

Cross Color Suppressor: Remove cross color artifacts that can occur when high-frequency luminance (brightness) signals are misinterpreted as chroma (color) signals. This can cause unwanted flickering, flashing colors or rainbow patterns. Select "On" to turn ON this feature; otherwise, select "Off".

Film Mode Detect: While normally set to "Off", turn "On" this setting to compensate for authoring errors that may have occurred during the process of converting film programs to video.

OPERATION

LISTENING TO AM/FM RADIO

The T 747's internal AM/FM tuner offers very high quality sound from radio broadcasts. The reception and sound quality will always be dependent to a degree however on the type of antenna(s) used as well as proximity to the broadcast origin, geography and weather conditions.

ABOUT ANTENNAS

Connect the supplied lead-type FM antenna to the FM antenna input. Extend the lead. Experiment freely with your antenna placement and orientation until you get the clearest sound and lowest background noise. Fix the antenna in the desired position by using thumb tacks, push pins or any suitable means. In areas of poor FM reception, an exterior FM antenna can improve performance dramatically. If radio listening is important to you, consider consulting an antenna installation professional to optimize your system.

The AM loop antenna supplied with the T 747 (or a suitable replacement) is required for AM reception. Open the clip terminal lever; insert the wire making sure to match the color-coded (white and black) ends of the wire to that of the terminal and close the lever ensuring that the lever locks the wire in place. Testing different positions for the antenna may improve reception; vertical orientation will usually produce the best results. Antenna proximity to large metal objects (appliances, radiators) may impair reception, as will attempts to lengthen the wire to the loop.

The supplied AM "loop" antenna will usually provide adequate reception. However, an exterior AM antenna can be used to improve reception. Consult an antenna professional for more information.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Unless otherwise specifically stated, navigating or accessing AM/FM functions can be undertaken by using either the AVR 3 remote control or the front panel buttons. If the control button or icon button being referred to is available on the AVR 3 remote control and front panel, then the reference to said button is applicable to both the AVR 3 remote control and front panel.

NOTE

When using the AVR 3 remote control to carry out AM/FM commands, ensure that the DEVICE SELECTOR is set to "TUN".

ASSEMBLING THE LOOP ANTENNA

1 Rotate the outer frame of the antenna.
2 Insert the bottom edge of the outer frame into the groove on the stand.
3 Extend the antenna cord.

SELECTING A TUNER BAND

Press the [AM/FM/DB] button on the AVR 3 while at AMP or TUNER device selector page. Each subsequent press of either button will toggle you through AM, FM and XM (or DAB) band. Stop (release button) at your desired tuner band.

TUNING AM/FM STATIONS

Upon selecting AM or FM band, use [TUNE ◄◄/►►] on the AVR 3 to perform slow manual search; press and hold to automatically search.

The front panel or AVR 3's [◄/►] buttons can also be used to tune for stations.
1 Press [◄/►] momentarily to step up or down between AM or FM frequencies.
2 Press and hold [◄/►] for more than 2 seconds to search up or down - the T 747's tuner will stop at the next sufficiently strong signal it encounters.
3 Pressing the [◄/►] during the search process will stop the search.

DIRECT TUNING

If you know your desired station's frequency allocation, you can tune directly to the station.
1 Toggle [ENTER] button to switch between "Preset" and "Tune" mode (see the lower line of the VFD). Select "Tune" mode.
2 Using the numeric keys of the remote control, key-in the frequency allocation of the station. For example, to enter 104.50MHz, press "1", "0", "4", "5" and "0" or press ""1", "0", "4" and "5".

SETTING RADIO PRESETS (AM/FM)

The T 747 can store up to 30 FM and 30 AM stations for immediate recall.
1 To store a radio preset, first tune the desired frequency (see above), then press AVR 3's [MEMORY] key.
2 The VFD will show the next available Preset number (If there are no more vacant Preset number, you can overwrite an existing Preset number by pressing the [▲/▼] buttons to select the Preset number you want to overwrite). Press the [MEMORY] button again to store the desired frequency on the Preset number shown (or use the [▲/▼] buttons to select another available Preset number and then, press [MEMORY] button again). Your desired frequency is now stored in the assigned preset.

Press [▲/▼] to step up or down between presets. Press and hold [▲/▼] to "scroll" continuously up or down. The AVR 3 remote's [PRESET I◄◄ / ►►I] keys work similarly.

AUTOMATIC PRESET

Preset stations may also be programmed automatically for the entire FM (or AM) band.

1 Select FM or AM band by repeatedly pressing [AM/FM/DB] until FM or AM mode appears.
2 Press and hold the AVR 3's [MEMORY] button until the station frequency indication begins to increase.
3 Release the button and note that the tuner will search the entire FM (or AM) band, and stop briefly at each station that has acceptable signal strength. The T 747 will automatically assign a preset number to each station, and then search for the next station. Up to 30 of the best received FM stations (or 30 AM stations) will be automatically stored.

DELETING A STORED PRESET

You can empty a preset by deleting the stored information.

1 Select the preset number to be deleted.
2 While at the selected preset number, press the AVR 3's [DELETE] button.
3 The preset will then be deleted and "DELETED" scrolls on the display.
4 To clear all the Presets at the same time, repeat step 2 again but this time do not release the [DELETE] button. Press and hold [DELETE] button until the current Preset number shown in the VFD is extinguished (P--). All Presets are now deleted.

CHOOSING THE TUNER MODE

The AVR 3's [TUNER MODE] key is a dual-purpose control. Toggle [TUNER MODE] to switch between FM Stereo mode and FM Mono. In the normal position, "FM STEREO ON", only the stations with a strong signal can be listened to, and the noise between stations is muted.

Pressing the [TUNER MODE] button again ("FM STEREO OFF") allows distant and potentially noisy stations to be received. Noise is reduced if the FM station signal level is less than the FM Stereo threshold (since mono FM is inherently less noise-prone) though at the sacrifice of the stereo effect.

ABOUT USER NAMES

You can assign an eight character "User Name" to each radio preset, which will show in the front-panel readout whenever that preset is recalled.

ENTERING USER NAMES

To name a radio preset "NEWS", follow the procedure as below.

1 Recall the desired radio preset.
2 Then, press and hold [INFO] of the AVR 3 until the display shows a flashing cursor point.
3 Use the [▲/▼] buttons to select the first character of the name ("N" from the alphabetical list).
4 Press [►] button to select the character and correspondingly move forward to the next position. (Press [◄] to go back to the previous character). Repeat this process for each character in sequence.
5 Press the [MEMORY] key to store the User Name and exit the text-entry mode.

ABOUT RDS

The Radio Data System (RDS) permits sending small amounts of digital information using conventional FM radio broadcasts. The T 747 supports two RDS modes, station-name (PS mode) and radio-text (RT mode). Not every FM station incorporates RDS in its broadcast signal. In most areas you will find from one to several RDS-enabled stations, but it is by no means impossible that your favorite stations will not be broadcasting RDS data.

VIEW RDS TEXT

When an RDS-enabled FM broadcast is tuned, the readout's character section will show its station-name (PS) text: "ROCK101", for example.

Press the AVR 3's INFO key to toggle the readout between this and the station's radio-text (RT) readout, if any, which might scroll song- or artist-name, or any other text of the station's choosing.

OPERATION

LISTENING TO XM RADIO

The T 747 is "XM Ready" which means that with the addition of separately sold XM Mini-Tuner CPC-9000 and XM Mini-Tuner Home Dock, it has everything you need to listen to live XM. Everything else is built right in. Just subscribe to the XM service and your T 747 will be ready to receive XM content.

NOTES
- *Check with your NAD audio specialist for other versions of XM Mini-Tuner compatible with T 747.*
- *When using the AVR 3 remote control to carry out XM commands, ensure that the DEVICE SELECTOR is set to "TUN".*
- *At XM mode and with DEVICE SELECTOR set to "TUN", AVR 3's [TUNER MODE] button has the same function as that of front panel's [MENU] button.*

IMPORTANT NOTICE
Unless otherwise specifically stated, navigating or accessing XM functions can be undertaken by using either the AVR 3 remote control or the front panel buttons. If the control button or icon button being referred to is available on the AVR 3 remote control and front panel, then the reference to said button is applicable to both the AVR 3 remote control and front panel.

CONNECTING THE XM ANTENNA
1. Plug the end of the XM antenna into the corresponding XM antenna port on the rear panel of the T 747.
2. Press and hold front panel's [MENU] button to check the current XM channel's signal strength as shown in the VFD and OSD. Press [MENU] again to exit signal strength check.

Refer also to your XM radio's guide on how to install the XM antenna for optimum signal reception.

TUNING OF XM CHANNELS
There are three ways to tune to the XM channel you wish to listen.
1. **ALL CH SEARCH (ALL CHANNEL SEARCH):** Toggle front panel's [MENU] button to select "ALL CH SEARCH". Use [◄/►] buttons to step up or down each available XM channel. Press and hold [◄/►] for faster scanning of XM channels.

2. **CAT (CATEGORY) SEARCH:** The XM channels are grouped into categories for easier selection of desired genre.
   a. Toggle front panel's [MENU] button to select "CAT SEARCH". A corresponding category, i.e., Country, Rock, Jazz & Blues, etc., is displayed in the VFD.
   b. Use [▲/▼] buttons to step up or down the available categories.
   c. Press [◄/►] buttons to select through the available XM channels within the selected category. .
   d. Repeat "b" above to choose another category.

3. **PRESET SEARCH:** Toggle front panel's [MENU] button to select "PRESET SEARCH". At this menu option, a stored preset can be directly recalled by entering the preset number using the AVR 3's numeric buttons.

DIRECT CHANNEL CALL
While at either CAT SEARCH or ALL CH SEARCH mode, a desired XM channel can be directly tuned in by using the AVR 3's numeric buttons. To key-in XM channels that are less the 3 digits, press "0" in place of the digit or press [ENTER] after entering the XM channel number. For example, to enter XM channel 8, press "0", "0" and "8" or press "8" then [ENTER].

VIEW XM INFORMATION
Toggle AVR 3's [INFO] button to display the XM information of the selected channel such as the XM channel category, XM station name, artist name, song title or any other text as supplied for the channel.

SETTING XM PRESETS (APPLICABLE ONLY AT PRESET SEARCH MODE)
1. Select the XM channel you would like to save. Then, toggle front panel's [MENU] button to select "PRESET SEARCH" mode.
2. While at the desired XM channel, press [MEMORY] button. The VFD will show the next available Preset number. If there are no more vacant Preset number, you can overwrite an existing Preset number by pressing the [▲/▼] buttons to select the Preset number you want to overwrite.
3. Press the [MEMORY] button again to store the desired XM channel on the Preset number shown (or use the [▲/▼] buttons to select another available Preset number; then, press [MEMORY] button again).
4. The lower line of the VFD will show "Preset "_ _" Saved" ("_ _" corresponds to the preset number the XM channel was stored). Your desired XM channel is now stored in the assigned preset.

You can store up to 40 XM channels. For immediate recall of stored XM presets, press AVR 3's [◄◄ / ►►I] keys to step up or down the stored XM channel presets (make sure that you are at XM band).

DELETE XM PRESET
To delete a particular XM Preset number, press [DELETE] while at "PRESET SEARCH" mode and at the Preset number you want to delete – the lower line of the VFD will show "_ _ DELETED" ("_ _" stands for the Preset number deleted).

To delete all stored XM presets, press and hold [DELETE] until "DELETED" is shown in the lower line of the VFD.

Until now, analogue radio signals such as FM or AM have been subject to numerous kinds of interference on their way from the transmitter to your radio. These problems were caused by mountains, high-rise buildings and weather conditions. With Digital Audio Broadcast (DAB), you can now receive CD-like quality radio programs without any annoying interference and signal distortion. DAB broadcasts use digital signals rather than traditional analogue transmissions, thus providing clear high quality reception. You get far more robust reception and virtually hiss or crackle free sound with DAB as long as you are within a good coverage area.

With DAB, the listener can scroll through a list of available stations - then instantly tune to the station of his choice. There is no need either to remember channel frequencies. All broadcasts are selected by simply selecting the service name.

The T 747 makes it possible for you to enjoy listening to DAB broadcasts. The T 747 has a Digital Audio Broadcast (DAB) module socket on the rear panel for adding a separately sold and NAD-specified outboard DAB module – the NAD DAB Adaptor DB 1. All the control software for this format is included; just plug-in the module and start enjoying the CD-like quality sound and expansive content selection available with DAB.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Unless otherwise specifically stated, navigating or accessing DAB functions can be undertaken by using either the AVR 3 remote control or the front panel buttons. If the control button or icon button being referred to is available on the AVR 3 remote control and front panel, then the reference to said button is applicable to both the AVR 3 remote control and front panel.

NOTES

- *When using the AVR 3 remote control to carry out DAB commands, ensure that the DEVICE SELECTOR is set to "TUN".*
- *At DAB mode and with DEVICE SELECTOR set to "TUN", AVR 3's [TUNER MODE] button has the same function as that of front panel's [MENU] button.*

CONNECTING THE DAB MODULE

Plug-in the other end of the DIN connector (supplied with your NAD DAB Adaptor DB 1) from the DAB module's output port into the corresponding DAB module input socket on the rear panel of the T 747. Select DAB mode on the T 747 by toggling the [AM/FM/DB] button in the AVR 3 remote control.

NOTES

- *The NAD DAB Adaptor DB 1 is not supplied with your T 747.*
- *For proper setup connection of your NAD DB1 with respect to the T 747, please refer to NAD DAB Adaptor DB1 installation guide as printed on the gift box of your separately sold NAD DB1.*
- *If there is no NAD DAB Adaptor DB 1 connected, the VFD will show "Check DAB Tuner".*

DAB OPERATION

With the separately sold NAD DAB Adaptor DB1 already connected to the T 747, you can now carry out the T 747 to receive DAB broadcasts.

1 Toggle [AM/FM/DB] button until DAB mode. When DAB mode is selected, VFD will show "DAB initialize – Please wait" and then go to "Full Scan" mode. "Full Scan" will take at least 20 seconds or more to complete. FULL SCAN will enable the scanning of the full range of digital frequencies (Band III and L-Band). This sequence cannot be interrupted.

The arrows show the progress of the sequence. When scanning is completed, the last number shown on the upper right side of the VFD corresponds to the total number of DAB broadcast stations found. Then, the first station is tuned in (See "ALPHANUMERIC" description below to understand the order or arrangement of stations).

2 The strength of the incoming signal can be shown on the VFD by pressing the [ENTER] button. The more "o" segments visible in the lower display line, the stronger the signal. By changing the position of the antenna, you can increase the signal strength. Consult an antenna professional for more information.

NOTE

"No stations Available" will be shown in the VFD when no DAB stations are found after the scanning process. If this occurs, check the connection and position of the DAB antenna or call your local DAB broadcast providers for coverage information.

SERVICE LIST

Follow the steps below to select through the DAB service stations found.

1 At DAB mode, press [◄/►] to step through the list of available stations as shown in the lower display line of the VFD.

2 Press [ENTER] to select the desired station.

DAB TUNER MODE

Aside from "Full Scan" as already described above, pressing the [MENU] will also present you with other options namely - Local Scan, Preset Tune, Station Order, Dynamic Range, Manual Scan, Prune List and DAB Reset. Use [◄/►] to step through these options.

LOCAL SCAN

LOCAL SCAN performs local scanning of available DAB services in your area. Check with your dealer or visit www.WorldDAB.org to check the applicable digital transmission frequencies in your area.

1 While listening to a DAB broadcast, press front panel's [MENU] button and then [◄/►] to select "Local scan". Press [ENTER].

2 Local scan of available DAB services in your area will start. The arrows show the progress of the sequence. When scanning is completed, the last number shown on the right side of the VFD corresponds to the total number of DAB broadcast stations found. Then, the first station is tuned in.

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LISTENING TO DAB RADIO

PRESET TUNE

Use this option to select a DAB preset station.

1 While listening to a DAB broadcast, press front panel's [MENU] button and then [◄/►] to select "Preset tune". Press [ENTER].

2 Press [◄/►] to step up or down between presets. Note that Presets must have been previously stored.

3 Press [ENTER] to select desired preset number.

SETTING DAB PRESETS

The T 747 can store as many as 99 DAB stations of your favorite DAB broadcast for immediate recall.

1 To store a DAB preset, first tune the DAB broadcast, and then press the AVR 3's panel [MEMORY] button (DEVICE SELECTOR must be set to "TUN"). The VFD will show "Preset Memory" and the next available vacant Preset number (the number is blinking).

2 Press [MEMORY] button again to store the desired DAB broadcast on the Preset number shown or use the [◄/►] front panel keys to select another available Preset number.

3 Then, press [MEMORY] key button again. Your desired DAB broadcast is now stored in the assigned preset.

STATION ORDER

Use "Station order" to sort the sequence of the listed stations. There are four orders – Alphanumeric, Active, Ensemble and Favourite.

1 While listening to a DAB broadcast, press the [MENU] button and then [◄/►] to select "Station Order". Press [ENTER].

2 Toggle [◄/►] to select through "Alphanumeric", "Active", "Ensemble" and "Favourite".

3 Press [ENTER] to select desired station order.

ALPHANUMERIC

This is the default setting. Stations are arranged by numbers first and then alphabetically by letters.

ACTIVE

Active stations are listed at the top of the channel list. Those channels that are in list but have no service in the area will be displayed last in the channel list.

ENSEMBLE

Digital radio is broadcast as groups of data called ensemble. Each ensemble contains a number of stations, transmitted at a set frequency. When "Ensemble" is selected as the mode of station order, the radio stations are arranged in the order of their ensemble names.

NOTE
Ensemble is also interchangeably termed as "multiplex" by other broadcast providers.

FAVOURITE

The T 747 memorizes the top ten stations you listen as you tune in stations. They will be listed at the top of the channel list. A heart-shaped icon [♥] will be illuminated beside a favourite station.

DYNAMIC RANGE

The level of compression of stations can be set to eliminate the differences in dynamic range or sound level between radio stations. Popular music would normally be more compressed than classical music, resulting in possible different audio levels when changing from one station to the other. Setting the Dynamic Range to "D-Range 0" means no compression, "D-Range 1/2" indicates medium compression and "D-Range 1" shows maximum compression. No compression is recommended, especially for classical music.

1 While listening to a DAB broadcast, press front panel's [MENU] button and then [◄/►] to select "Dynamic range". Press [ENTER].

2 Toggle [◄/►] to select through "D-Range 0", "D-Range ½" and "D-Range 1". The upper line display shows the current dynamic range setting while the lower line display will show the choices for the dynamic range values.

3 Press [ENTER] to select desired dynamic range level.

MANUAL SCAN

This option allows you to manually tune to a desired channel and include it in the service list (if not yet available at the time). You can also use MANUAL SCAN to assist you in positioning the DAB antenna for best reception of the desired channel.

1 While listening to a DAB broadcast, press front panel's [MENU] button and then [◄/►] to select "Manual Scan". Press [ENTER]. The current channel and frequency are shown in the lower line of the VFD. The number of "o" displays at the upper line of the VFD indicates the signal strength level of the current channel.

2 To select other channels, toggle [◄/►] to step through the channel list. Release [◄/►] when you have arrived at your desired channel. Channel and frequency are shown in the lower line of the VFD. The number of "o" display at the upper line of the VFD indicates the signal strength level of the current channel. To improve the reception of the selected channel, adjust or reposition the DAB antenna until the best reception is indicated.

3 Press [ENTER] to tune the selected channel.

NOTE
The number of ensembles and stations that could be scanned will vary depending on your location.

PRUNE LIST

There maybe situations wherein certain stations become inactive. The "Prune List" option enables the deletion of these inactive stations in the service list.

1 While listening to a DAB broadcast, press front panel's [MENU] button and then [◄/►] to select "Prune List".

2 Press [ENTER]. Use [◄/►] and then press [ENTER] to select between "Cancel" or "OK? [SELECT]". Any inactive stations (normally preceded by a "?" mark) are automatically deleted when "OK? [SELECT]" is selected. Otherwise, select "Cancel".

DAB RESET

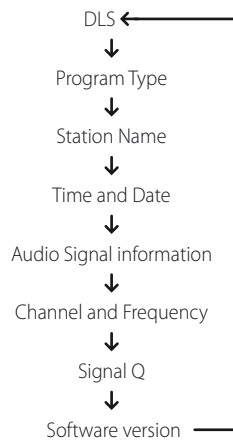The "DAB Reset" option enables the re-initializing of the NAD DAB Adaptor DB1 by going to Full Scan mode.

1 While listening to a DAB broadcast, press front panel's [MENU] button and then [◄/►] to select "DAB Reset". Press [ENTER].

2 The T 747 will initiate "DAB Initialize" and immediately go on to "Full Scan" mode thereby enabling the T 747 to re-scan again the full range of available DAB broadcasts.

IMPORTANT NOTICE
When "DAB Reset" option is selected, all stored DAB presets will be erased.

INFORMATION SETTINGS

While listening to a DAB broadcast, the type of information displayed in the lower line of the VFD can be varied. Toggle the AVR 3's [INFO] button to step through the following display options:

DLS
↓
Program Type
↓
Station Name
↓
Time and Date
↓
Audio Signal information
↓
Channel and Frequency
↓
Signal Q
↓
Software version

DLS
Dynamic Label Segment (DLS) is the scrolling text supplied by the broadcasting station. It may contain information on music titles or details regarding the program or station.

PROGRAM TYPE
This is a description of the type of broadcast supplied by the station, such as Pop, Rock, Drama and the likes.

STATION NAME
The name or identification of the DAB broadcast station is shown.

TIME AND DATE
The current time and date as supplied by the DAB station are displayed.

AUDIO SIGNAL INFORMATION
Displays the bit rate and audio type (stereo, mono or joint stereo) as transmitted by the DAB broadcast provider. These are set by the broadcaster to suit the type and quality of material being transmitted.

CHANNEL AND FREQUENCY
The channel and frequency of the currently tuned DAB broadcast are displayed.

SIGNAL QUALITY
This displays the digital error rate (0 to 99) of the currently tuned channel - the lower the figure, the better the quality of the received broadcast.

SOFTWARE VERSION
Show the version number of the installed software.

OPERATION

LISTENING TO YOUR iPod PLAYER

The T 747 is equipped with a data port in the rear panel where an optional NAD IPD Dock for iPod (NAD IPD) can be plugged in. With the NAD IPD linking the T 747 with your own iPod player, you can enjoy listening to your favorite tracks and playlists as well as view applicable still image and video playback.

You can control your iPod player using the assigned buttons in the T 747 front panel. And with the corresponding AVR 3 remote control function keys, you can select the materials stored in your iPod for playback as well as access many of its functions even from across the room. The optional NAD IPD also charges your iPod player while it is connected to the T 747.

NOTES
- *NAD IPD Dock for iPod (NAD IPD) currently has two versions – the NAD IPD 1 and NAD IPD 2. These two NAD IPD models and later variants are compatible with the T 747.*
- *NAD IPD and iPod player are not supplied with your T 747.*
- *iPod player functions, features and playback capabilities accessible through T 747 may vary depending on your iPod player model.*
- *When using the AVR 3 to control the iPod functions, make sure that the Device Selector is set to "MP".*

CONNECTING THE OPTIONAL "NAD IPD DOCK FOR iPod" AND iPod PLAYER TO THE T 747
Make sure that all the devices are unplugged before making the connections.
1 Connect the NAD IPD's DATA PORT to the corresponding "MP DOCK" data port of the T 747.
2 Connect also the NAD IPD's S-video output to T 747's S-VIDEO 4 input and NAD IPD's audio out to the T 747's AUDIO 4 input (the default iPod source allocation in the T 747).
3 Dock your iPod player into the NAD IPD.
4 After linking together your iPod player, NAD IPD and the T 747, you can now plug them IN to their applicable power sources.
5 With your iPod player, NAD IPD and T 747 all at power ON state, toggle front panel's [SOURCE ◄/►] to select "iPod" source. The upper line of the VFD will show "iPod Menu".

iPod MENU OPTIONS
There are two menu options for iPod – iPod Menu and Simple Mode. At "iPod Menu", iPod navigation will be done and guided through the OSD or VFD of the T 747. At "Simple Mode" everything will be guided through your iPod's own display screen as you would do in normal iPod use.

The following is the procedure to switch between "iPod Menu" and "Simple Mode" options
1 Press and hold [MENU] button in the front panel or AVR 3 for about 3 seconds.
2 "iPod Menu" is selected when the upper line of the VFD shows "iPod Menu" and the lower line of the VFD shows "Playlists". "iPod Menu" is the default menu option.
3 Press and hold [MENU] button again and the upper line of the VFD shows "iPod" and the lower line of the VFD shows "Simple Mode". You are now at Simple Mode.

iPod MENU
At "iPod Menu" mode, there are several available menu options that are similar to what you can find in an iPod player. The OSD shows the following iPod Menu options – Playlists, Artists, Albums, Songs, Podcasts, Genres, Composers and Audiobook. Use [▲/▼] to move up or down the iPod menu selections. Navigate and select through these "iPod Menu" options as you would when operating your iPod player independently.

NOTE
At "iPod Menu", your docked iPod player's click wheel and controls will not be operational. Your iPod player will show in its display the NAD logo. Use the corresponding front panel or AVR 3 buttons to navigate through the "iPod Menu" options.

SIMPLE MODE
At "Simple Mode", refer to your docked iPod player's own display screen to navigate and make full use of its features. Use your docked iPod's own click wheel and controls or the corresponding front panel or AVR 3 buttons to select through the available options as displayed in your iPod player's display screen.

CONTROL FEATURES
Use the following control buttons in navigating through the iPod menu options. Since the AVR 3 will be the primary controller in most cases, we will focus on remote-controlled operations. Note that for other NAD IPD models (like NAD IPD 2) that have remote control, below controls have the same function as those available in the NAD IPD model's remote control.

DISP
During playback, toggle [DISP] key of AVR 3 to show in the VFD upper line the following
- Current iPod playback mode (shuffle, repeat modes)
- Song title
- Artist Name
- Album title

If there is no information available, the display will show "No Song", "No Artist" or "No Album" as applicable.

◄/►
Press [◄] to return to a previous option or menu selection. Press [►] to move forward an option or make a selection.

▲/▼
While at menu options or selection lists, toggle [▲/▼] to go up or down the options, lists or song titles. Press and hold [▲/▼] to quickly scroll through the song titles.

ENTER (APPLICABLE ONLY AT SIMPLE MODE)
Press [ENTER] to select an option or start playback.

[◄◄ / ►►]
During playback or PAUSE mode, press and hold [◄◄ / ►►] for fast forward or backward scanning of current song. Press [►►] to skip forward to the next song or [◄◄] to skip back to the previous song.

PAUSE [‖] / PLAY [►]
Press PAUSE [‖] during playback to stop playback temporarily. Resume play by pressing PAUSE [‖] again or PLAY [►].

NAD IPD 2

The NAD IPD 2 has its own remote control - the DR 1. DR 1 can be used to control NAD IPD 2 only at "Simple Mode". When using the DR 1 to command your iPod player docked in the NAD IPD 2, you have to refer to your iPod player's own display screen to make full use of its feature; there is no OSD at this condition.

In addition to the above commands common to the DR 1, below are the descriptions of the other DR 1 control buttons.

LIGHT
Press [LIGHT] to turn ON the backlight of your iPod player if it is at idle mode.

MENU
Press [MENU] to return to previous option or menu selection.

ENTER
Press [ENTER] to select an option or start playback.

⇄ (REPEAT)
Toggle to initiate repeat mode as follows
    Rep 1 (Repeat One) - repeat one song
    Rep All (Repeat All) - repeat all songs
    Repeat Off - cancel repeat mode

⤮ (RANDOM)
Toggle to initiate playback in random order. There are three random modes – Shuffle Song, Shuffle Album or Shuffle Off.

NOTE
For other navigation functions, please refer to your iPod player's owner's manual. Depending on the iPod player model, some other functions maybe controlled using the applicable T 747 navigation controls.

TO VIEW VIDEOS OR PHOTOS LOADED IN YOUR IPOD
Videos or photos uploaded in your iPod can be viewed directly via the T 747. The following are the steps
1   You must be at Simple Mode to access your iPod's video or photo files.
2   Make sure that the "TV Out" setting of your iPod's Video or Photo Settings menu is at "On" mode and appropriate "TV Signal" is chosen.
3   Video or photo file selection and playback procedures are managed directly from your iPod player or by the applicable buttons of the T 747 front panel or AVR 3 remote control.

With the IPD dock's S-VIDEO OUT and AUDIO OUT ports connected to the T 747's S-VIDEO 4 /AUDIO 4 input, you can now directly enjoy via T 747 your video or photo selections as uploaded in your iPod. Make sure that you select the correct source input of the T 747.

NOTE
iPod player functions, features and playback capabilities accessible through T 747 may vary depending on your iPod player model. Check NAD IPD's specifications with regards to specific iPod models it supports.

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REFERENCE

TROUBLESHOOTING

CONDITION	POSSIBLE CAUSES	POSSIBLE SOLUTIONS
No sound from all channels.	• AC power unplugged.	• Check AC cable connection and outlet.
	• Power not switched on.	
	• Outlet has no power.	
No sound from some channels.	• Faulty/missing cables.	• Check cables.
	• "Speaker Configuration" channel (s) set to "Off".	• Check "Speaker Configuration" menu.
No sound from surround channels.	• No surround listening mode is engaged.	• Select appropriate listening mode.
	• Surround-channels set to "Off" on "Speaker Configuration" menu.	• Correct "Speaker Configuration" or "Speaker Levels" settings.
	• Surround-channels level set too low on "Speaker Levels" menu.	
No sound from Subwoofer.	• Subwoofer is off, not powered or improperly connected.	• Power-up subwoofer, check Sub's AC outlet or check connections.
	• Subwoofer set to "Off" on "Speaker Configuration" menu.	• Correct "Speaker Configuration" or "Speaker Levels" settings.
	• Sub level set too low on "Speaker Levels" menu.	
No sound from Center channel.	• Source is a 2/0 (etc.).	• Play a known 5.1-channel recording or select Dolby Pro Logic IIx Music mode.
	• Dolby Digital or DTS recording without center channel; Center set to "Off" on "Speaker Configuration" menu.	• Correct "Speaker Configuration" or "Speaker Levels" settings.
	• Center level set too low on "Speaker Levels" menu.	
No Dolby Digital/ DTS.	• Source's digital output is not connected to a T 747 digital input.	• Check connections.
	• Source component not configured for multichannel digital output.	• Check source component setup.
T 747 does not respond to AVR 3 remote control commands.	• Batteries are flat or incorrectly inserted.	• Check batteries.
	• IR transmitter window on remote or IR A/V Receiver window on T 747 is obstructed.	• Check IR windows and ensure clear line-of-sight from remote to T 747.
	• T 747 front panel is in very bright sunlight or ambient light.	• Reduce sunlight/room lighting.

NOTE

Restoring your T 747 to its factory defaults: At FM mode, press and hold front panel's LISTENING MODE button until the VFD shows "Factory Reset".

AMPLIFIER SECTION

Power output, Stereo Mode	2 x 110 W (ref. 0.08 % THD, 8 Ω)
IHF dynamic power - 8 Ω	2 x 160 W
4 Ω	2 x 220 W
Power output Surround Mode	7 x 60 W
Total harmonic distortion at rated power	0.08 %
IM distortion at rated power	0.08 %
Damping factor, 8 Ω	>60
Input sensitivity and impedance	300 mV/47 kΩ
Frequency response	±0.5 dB (ref. 20Hz - 20 kHz)
Signal/noise ratio, A-weighted	>100 dB (ref. rated power 8Ω)
	>90 dB (ref. 1W 8Ω)

TUNER SECTION

AM BAND

Tuning range	522 kHz - 1620 kHz (9 kHz steps, 230V version only)
	530 kHz - 1710 kHz (10 kHz steps, 120V version only)
Usable sensitivity	60 dBu
Signal/noise ratio	40 dB
Total Harmonic Distortion	1.5 %

FM BAND

Tuning range	87.5 MHz – 108 MHz
Usable sensitivity, Mono	10 dBµ
Signal/noise ratio, Mono	70 dB
Signal/noise ratio, Stereo	65 dB
Total Harmonic Distortion, Mono	0.3 %
Total Harmonic Distortion, Stereo	0.5 %
Channel Separation	40 dB
RDS decode sensitivity	0.2 %

POWER CONSUMPTION

Idle power	60 W
Standby power	<1 W

PHYSICAL SPECIFICATIONS

Unit Dimensions (W x H x D)	435 x 167 x 394 mm (Gross)*
Net Weight	13.3 kg
Shipping Weight	16.2 kg

* - Gross dimensions include feet, volume knob and extended speaker terminals.

Specifications are subject to change without notice. For updated documentation and features, please log onto www.NADelectronics.com for the latest information about T 747.

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