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### OWNER'S GUIDE

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# Congratulations

Congratulations on the purchase of your state-of-the-art keyless entry and remote start system. Reading this Owner's Guide prior to using your system will help maximize the use of your system and its many features. For more information please visit us online at:

#### www.pythoncarsecurity.com.

For any additional questions please contact your authorized Directed dealer or Directed at 1-800-753-0600. Additional support is also available at:http://support.directed.com

# What's included

- Two 1- button remote controls (P/N 7111P)
- Your warranty registration card
- This owner's guide



# **Guide translations**

For a Spanish or French version of the Owner's Guide, please download it from www.directechs.com under Resources.

#### Estimado Cliente:

Si buscas los guías de propietario, por favor de bajar lo del Resources en el sitio www.directechs.com

#### Cher consommateur:

Si vous désirez une version française ou espagnole du guide d'utilisation, veuillez s.v.p. le télécharger à l'adresse suivante: www.directechs.com en appuyant sur l'icône <<Resources>>.

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# Important information

### Government regulations and safety information



Read the Government Regulations and Warning! Safety First sections of this manual prior to operating this system.

**Warning!** Failure to heed this information can result in death, personal injury or property damage and may also result in the illegal use of the system beyond its intended purpose.

### Your warranty

Your system comes with a warranty. Please make sure you receive the warranty registration card and proof of purchase from your dealer indicating the product was installed by an authorized Directed dealer. Your product warranty must be validated. You can validate online at: www.prodregister.com/directed and click on <u>Security</u>, or complete and return the warranty registration card.

### **Replacement remote controls**

If additional remote controls are desired, please see your authorized dealer or visit us at **www.directedstore.com** to order. Your 1-way replacement part number is 7111P.

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# **Battery information**

### System maintenance

The system requires no specific maintenance. Your remote is powered by a coin cell battery (3V CR2032) that lasts approximately one year under normal use. When the battery begins to weaken, the LED on the remote dims and the operating range is reduced.

### **Battery replacement**

Locate the small slot on the side of the remote control. Insert a small slotted screwdriver or equivalent tool into slot and pry the case apart. Replace battery while verifying the correct polarity and then snap case together.

## **Basic commands**

#### To remote start the vehicle

 Press and release the remote control button for 1 second. The parking lights will turn on constant to confirm remote start operation.

#### To shut down remote start

• Press and hold the remote control button for 3 seconds. The parking lights will turn off.

#### Car finder (remote start must not be active)

• Press and hold the remote control button for 3 seconds. The parking lights will start to flash 5 times slowly.

#### To unlock the doors (remote start must be active)

• Press and release the remote control button for 1 second. The parking lights flash twice.

# Using the system

### Unlocking

Only after the vehicle is remotely started via the remote control, press and release the remote control button for 1 second to unlock the vehicle's doors. The vehicles horn (if connected) honks twice, and the parking lights flash twice.

Important: Horn honk is an optional feature.

### Car finder

Car finder allows you to locate your vehicle, by having the system flash the parking lights.

Before the vehicle is remotely started via the remote control, press and hold the remote control button for 3 seconds to activate the car finder function. The parking lights flash 5 times slowly.

### Remote start

This feature allows you to remotely start and run your vehicle for a programmable period of time. This makes it possible to warm up the engine, and adjust the interior temperature of the vehicle with the climate control system. If interior heating or cooling is desired, the climate controls must be preset, and the fan blower must be set to the desired level prior to remote starting the vehicle.



**Warning!** (1) Never remote start your vehicle when the keys are in the ignition, except when performing Valet Take-Over, and (2) Never start the vehicle if it is not in PARK or NEUTRAL

#### To remote start the vehicle:

- Press the button on the remote control for 1 second. The system can be programmed to activate with 1-3 presses.
- The parking lights flash to confirm that the vehicle is attempting to start. In gasoline vehicles, the engine will start 4 seconds after the parking lights flash. In diesel vehicles, the engine will start when the WAIT-TO-START timer has expired.
- Once the vehicle has started, it will run for the pre-programmed period of time (12, 24, or 60 minutes) or until a shutdown input is triggered.



**Warning!** It is unsafe to operate a vehicle's motor in a garage or other closed off area. Breathing the exhaust from the vehicle is hazardous to your health. Never activate the remote start in an enclosed space.

### When you are ready to drive the vehicle:

- 1. Insert the ignition key and turn it to the ON (not the START) position.
- 2. Press the brake pedal. The remote start system shuts down and the engine continues to run because the ignition has been turned on.

**Note:** If the brake pedal is pressed before the key is in the ON position, the engine will shut down.

#### Shut down inputs

While the vehicle is running during remote start operation, the system monitors the vehicle and automatically shuts down the engine if it receives any of the following shut-down inputs:

- Brake pedal is pressed.
- Hood is opened.
- Shutdown toggle switch is put into the OFF position.
- Pre-programmed run time has elapsed.
- Remote control button is pressed and held for 3 seconds.

### Starter anti-grind circuitry

Whenever the vehicle is remote started, advanced anti-grind circuitry prevents the starter from engaging, even if the key is turned to the start position. This prevents damage to the starter motor if the key is turned to the start position during remote start operation.

**Note:** Anti-grind circuitry only works when the remote start system is operating the motor and the optional relay is installed.

### Disabling the remote start system

This feature allows your system's remote start unit to be temporarily disabled to prevent the vehicle from being remote started accidentally. This feature is useful if the vehicle is being serviced or stored in an enclosed area. To disable the remote start, move the shutdown toggle switch to the OFF position. The switch can be installed in a location of your choice. Check with your installer for recommended locations.

#### Location Of Shutdown Switch

### Valet take-over

The Valet take-over feature allows the vehicle to remain running after the key has been removed from the ignition. This feature is useful for occasions when you wish to exit and lock the vehicle for short periods of time, but would like to leave the engine running and the climate controls on.

#### To perform Valet take-over:

- 1. Before turning off the engine, press and release the single button on the remote.
- 2. Turn the ignition key to the OFF position. The engine will stay running until the pre-programmed time has elapsed or a shutdown input is received. (See the previous Remote Start section for a complete list of shutdown inputs.)

This feature will not work if the brake pedal is being pressed.

# Rapid resume logic

This Directed Electronics system can store its current state to non-volatile memory. If power is lost and then reconnected the system will recall the stored state from memory. This means if the unit is in Locked Mode and the battery is disconnected for any reason, such as servicing the car, when the battery is reconnected the unit will still be in Locked Mode. This applies to all states of the system.

# **Programming options**

Programming options control your system's normal operational set-up. Most options do not require additional parts, but some may require installation labor.

The following is a list of the programmable options, with the factory settings in **bold**.

- 12, 24, or 60 minute run time. Your system can be programmed to allow the vehicle to run for 12, 24, or 60 minutes when remote started. Can be set up to minute increments by your installer.
- Parking lights flashing or **constant**. Your system can be programmed to flash or turn on the parking lights constantly during the entire remote start operation.
- Ignition switch controlled door locking on or OFF. With this feature on, the doors will lock 3 seconds after the ignition key is turned on, and unlock when the key is turned off.

**Important:** The door lock option must be installed for this feature to work.

## Patent information

This product is covered by one or more of the following United States patents:

#### Vehicle Security Patents

5,467,070; 5,532,670; 5,534,845; 5,563,576; 5,646,591; 5,650,774; 5,673,017; 5,712,638; 5,872,519; 5,914,667; 5,952,933; 5,945,936; 5,990,786; 6,028,505; 6,452,484

#### **Remote Start**

5,349,931; 5,872,519; 5,914,667; 5,952,933; 5,945,936; 5,990,786; 6,028,372; 6,467,448; 6,561,151; 7,191,053; 7,483,783

Other patents pending

# **Government regulations**

This device complies with Part 15 of FCC rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) This device may not cause harmful interference, and (2) This device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesirable operation.

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 and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instruction manual, 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, 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.

This device complies with the Industry Canada Radio Standards Specification RSS 210. Its use is authorized only on a no-interference, no-protection basis; in other words, this device must not be used if it is determined that it causes harmful interference to services authorized by IC. In addition, the user of this device must accept any radio interference that may be received, even if this interference could affect the operation of the device.

#### Warning:

Changes or modifications not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate this device.

# Warning! Safety first

The following safety warnings must be observed at all times:

Due to the complexity of this system, installation of this product must only be performed by an authorized Directed dealer.

When properly installed, this system can start the vehicle via a command signal from the remote control. Therefore, never operate the system in an enclosed area or partially enclosed area without ventilation (such as a garage). When parking in an enclosed or partially enclosed area or when having the vehicle serviced, the remote start system must be disabled using the installed toggle switch. It is the user's sole responsibility to properly handle and keep out of reach from children all remote control devices to assure that the system does not unintentionally remote start the vehicle. THE USER MUST INSTALL A CARBON MONOXIDE DETECTOR IN OR ABOUT THE LIVING AREA ADJACENT TO THE VEHICLE. ALL DOORS LEADING FROM ADJACENT LIVING AREAS TO THE ENCLOSED OR PARTIALLY ENCLOSED VEHICLE STORAGE AREA MUST AT ALL TIMES REMAIN CLOSED. These precautions are the sole responsibility of the user.

Use of this product in a manner contrary to its intended mode of operation may result in property damage, personal injury, or death. (1) Never remotely start the vehicle with the vehicle in gear, and (2) Never remotely start the vehicle with the keys in the ignition. The user must also have the neutral safety feature of the vehicle periodically checked, wherein the vehicle must not remotely start while the car is in gear. This testing should be performed by an authorized Directed dealer in accordance with the Safety Check outlined in the product installation guide. If the vehicle starts in gear, cease remote start operation immediately and consult with the authorized Directed dealer to fix the problem.

After the remote start module has been installed, contact your authorized dealer to have him or her test the remote start module by performing the Safety Check outlined in the product installation guide. If the vehicle starts when performing the Neutral Safety Shutdown Circuit test, the remote start unit has not been properly installed. The remote start module must be removed or the installer must properly reinstall the remote start system so that the vehicle does not start in gear. All installations must be performed by an authorized Directed dealer.

OPERATION OF THE REMOTE START MODULE IF THE VEHICLE STARTS IN GEAR IS CONTRARY TO ITS INTENDED MODE OF OPERATION. OPERAT-ING THE REMOTE START SYSTEM UNDER THESE CONDITIONS MAY RESULT IN PROPERTY DAMAGE OR PERSONAL INJURY. YOU MUST IMMEDIATELY CEASE THE USE OF THE UNIT AND SEEK THE ASSISTANCE OF AN AU-THORIZED Directed DEALER TO REPAIR OR DISCONNECT THE INSTALLED REMOTE START MODULE. DIRECTED WILL NOT BE HELD RESPONSIBLE OR PAY FOR INSTALLATION OR REINSTALLATION COSTS.

#### Caution

This product is designed for fuel injected, automatic transmission vehicles only. Use of this product in a standard transmission vehicle is dangerous and contrary to the product's intended use.

### Interference

All radio devices are subject to interference which could affect proper performance.

### Upgrades

Any upgrades to this product must be performed by an authorized Directed dealer. Do not attempt to perform any unauthorized modifications to this product.

### Water/Heat Resistance

This product is not designed to be water and/or heat-resistant. Please take care to keep this product dry and away from heat sources. Any damage from water or heat will void the warranty.

# Limited lifetime consumer warranty

Directed Electronics. ("Directed") promises to the original purchaser to repair or replace (at Directed's election) with a comparable reconditioned model any Directed unit (hereafter the "unit"), excluding without limitation the siren, the remote transmitters, the associated sensors and accessories, which proves to be defective in workmanship or material under reasonable use during the lifetime of the vehicle provided the following conditions are met: the unit was purchased from an authorized Directed dealer, the unit was professionally installed and serviced by an authorized Directed dealer; the unit will be profession-ally reinstalled in the vehicle in which it was originally installed by an authorized Directed dealer; and the unit is returned to Directed, shipping prepaid with a legible copy of the bill of sale or other dated proof of purchase bearing the following information: consumer's name, telephone number and address; the authorized dealers name, telephone number and address; complete product description, including accessories; the year, make and model of the vehicle; vehicle license number and vehicle identification number. All components other than the unit, including without limitation the siren, the remote transmitters and the associated sensors and accessories, carry a one-year warranty from the date of purchase of the same. ALL PRODUCTS RECEIVED BY DIRECTED FOR WARRANTY REPAIR WITHOUT PROOF OF PURCHASE FROM AN AUTHORIZED DEALER WILL BE DENIED. This warranty is nontransferable and is automatically void if: the unit's date code or serial number is defaced, missing or altered; the unit has been modified or used in a manner contrary to its intended purpose; the unit has been damaged by accident, unreasonable use, neglect, improper service, installation or other causes not arising out of defects in materials or construction. The warranty does not cover damage to the unit caused by installation or removal of the unit. Directed, in its sole discretion, will determine what constitutes excessive damage and may refuse the return of any unit with excessive damage.

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This product may be covered by a Guaranteed Protection Plan ("GPP"). See your authorized Directed dealer for details of the plan or call Directed Customer Service at 1-800-876-0800.

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