

User Manual

Amplifier Remote Signal Switcher

Model: AA0419

Connections and Installation Tips

- Connect the RED wire to a constant (+) 12 volt source. This can be the memory wire for the stereo receiver (check to see if the radio is code-protected before cutting or unplugging the memory wire) or the (+) 12 volt battery terminal of the amplifier.
- Connect the BLACK wire to ground. The radio chassis or amplifier ground terminal is generally a good location for this connection.
- 3. The BLUE wire should be connected to all amplifiers or signal processors that are being controlled by the remote power adapter. It supplies a (+) 12 volt output rated at 1 amp, with a one to three second delay when triggered by signal on the CREY wire.
 GREY
- 4. The GRAY wire may be connected to any wire from the stereo receiver that measures above (+) 4 volts when the unit is on and below (+) 3volts when the unit is shut off. This includes power antennas, amplifier remote outputs [typically (+)12 volts but maybe as low as (+) 5 volts in some OEM systems], or speaker outputs. A high powered stereo receiver will normally supply between (+) 6-7 volts DC at the speaker output; this is sufficient to trigger the Remote Power Adapter. Use this method for applications where the stereo receiver lacks any dedicated switched outputs or it is easier to access a speaker terminal.
- 5. The Green LED will turn on after the delay period, indicating that the remote output is triggered.
- 6. The trigger delay is controlled by input voltage on the GRAY wire. A low voltage input will increase the delay to a maximum of three seconds; at (+) 12 volts, the delay drops to about one second.
 - a. If the adapter is being triggered by a speaker output, it will stay on (along with the devices it controls) for a short period after the stereo receiver is switched off. This is due to the stored energy of a typical chip output and cannot be avoided. To prevent turn-off noise, we recommend that the adapter be triggered by a dedicated remote output of the stereo receiver whenever possible.
- 7. By combining two or more adapters, sequential turn-on of several devices can be achieved. This will permit a signal processor to power up after the stereo receiver followed by the amplifier(s), there by preventing turn-on noise in the signal chain from reaching the speakers.



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