

GUNCON³ Instruction Manual



Thank you very much for your purchase of the NAMCO BANDAI Games PLAYSTATION 3 system specific gun accessory, the Guncon®3. Be sure to carefully read the warnings written in this hardware manual before using this accessory. Store this manual in a safe place.

⚠ HEALTH WARNINGS Please read carefully

- A small percentage of individuals may experience eye pain, visual abnormality, migraine, epileptic seizures (photosensitivity seizures) when exposed to certain light patterns or flashing lights. If you have ever experienced such symptoms, please consult a physician prior to playing.
- In addition to the above symptoms, if you experience headache, dizziness, nausea, tiredness, qualms, or if you experience pain in any parts of your body such as eyes, ears, or limbs, stop playing the game immediately, and seek medical attention.
- Be sure to play the game in a bright room and keep an appropriate distance from the television.
- For health purposes, take a 15-minute break every hour while playing.
- If you experience fatigue, discomfort, or pain in your hands, wrists or arms, discontinue play immediately. If these symptoms persist, please see a physician.
- Avoid playing when tired or playing for long periods of time without breaks, as it can be dangerous for your health.
- Do not look at the LED markers closely for a long time, as it emits a high-intensity infrared light.

⚠ FOR PARENTS AND GUARDIANS Please read carefully

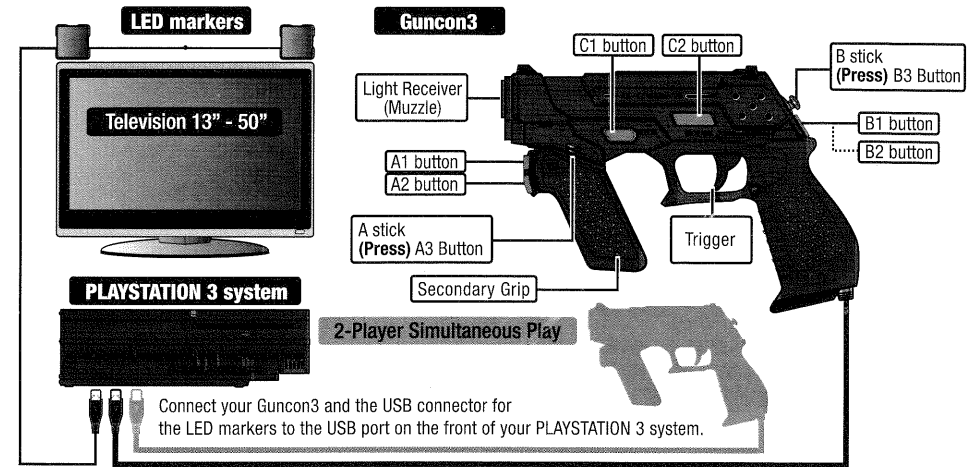
- Store the Guncon3 accessory, LED markers and silicon belts out of the reach of small children.
- Be sure to keep packaging like plastic bags and rubber bands away from your children and to promptly dispose of all packaging materials.
- Make sure that your children do not play with the connector cable, as it presents a choking hazard.
- Though this product has been manufactured using safe materials, the contents of this box should never be placed in your mouth.
- Supervise your children while they are playing with the Guncon3 accessory.
- Be sure to show your children the proper usage for the Guncon3 accessory.

INFORMATION AND USAGE

- Do not point the Guncon3 muzzle at other people, as it may frighten them or cause them distress.
- The Guncon3 is specifically intended to be used with PLAYSTATION 3 game software that supports it. The accessory cannot be used on its own without a game to play. (The Guncon3 device will be recognized after software supporting it has loaded.)
- Do not modify or repaint the Guncon3. If it is mistaken for a real weapon, you could be hurt.
- The Guncon3 device cannot be used to play software that supports the PlayStation® Guncon® or the PlayStation®2 Guncon®2. Only use the Guncon3 with PLAYSTATION 3 game software that supports it.
- Television monitors supported by the Guncon3 range from 13" to 50" in size (for both normal and widescreen). Many types of televisions are supported, from standard CRT TVs to LCD, plasma, and rear-projection TV sets.
- **Tips for Avoiding Hardware Problems and Damage to This Product and the PLAYSTATION 3 system**
 - This product is only made for usage in North America. Overseas hardware specifications may differ, leading to damage to the hardware.
 - Please use only this accessory in the territory for which it was intended.
 - Make sure that the PLAYSTATION 3 system is turned off when connecting or disconnecting the Guncon3 connector cable.
 - Do not damage the connector cable or pull on it unnecessarily.
 - This accessory is a precision instrument. Treat it with care.
 - Do not pour water on this accessory, nor disassemble or modify it in any way. Also, do not attempt to make any repairs on the device yourself.
 - Clean the device by wiping it gently with a dry cloth. Do not use any solvent such as benzene or paint thinner for cleaning.
 - Do not put the accessory in places that are likely to become hot and humid, such as near a heater or inside a closed automobile in warm weather.
 - As this accessory is a precision instrument, take care not to expose it to static electricity.
 - Do not expose this product to any large physical shocks, such as impacts from falls or hitting it against other objects.
 - Using this accessory in a place where direct sunlight is present may result in undesired effects. Pointing the muzzle of the Guncon3 at the sun (so that sunlight enters the lens directly) can damage its internal components, so avoid using the accessory outdoors.
 - Do not damage or block the muzzle of the accessory, and do not touch or dirty the lens. Also, do not use the device if condensation has formed inside, as this may result in damage to the hardware or errors in operation.
- **Tips for Avoiding Errors in Operation**
 - When connecting and disconnecting the connector cable, be sure to hold the cable by the connector on the end. Also, please be careful of the corners and edges on the metal part of the connector.
 - It is recommended to connect the product directly to the PLAYSTATION 3 system USB port.
 - Do not use infrared remote controls of television and/or video or other consoles with a wireless communication system while playing games with this device. Errors in operation may result.
- **Information about Proper Disposal**
 - This product is composed of noncombustible plastic and metal components. Dispose of it in accordance with government-mandated waste disposal regulations.

GUNCON 3 TERMINOLOGY AND CONNECTION METHOD

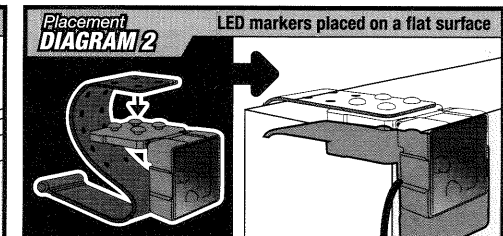
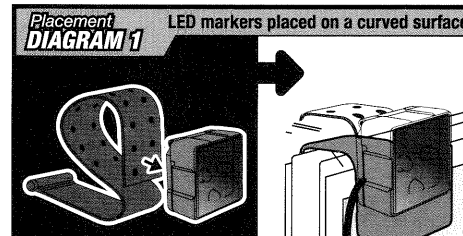
CONTENT Verify the contents of the packaging. • Guncon3 • LED markers • Two silicon belts • Instruction Manual and Warranty



- ※ This product's specifications or external design may be modified without notice to improve its quality.
- ※ Some parts of this product may fade in color. However, this will have no adverse effects on its function or safety.
- ※ The secondary grip is fixed and may not be replaced.
- ※ Each button's usage depends on the game software with which it is used. Consult the game's instruction manual for further details.
- ※ For games that support two-player simultaneous play, two Guncon3 accessories may be connected to your PLAYSTATION 3 system. Only one set of LED markers is needed for this play mode.
- ※ Players should consult their game manual for instructions pertaining to one-player and two-player simultaneous play.

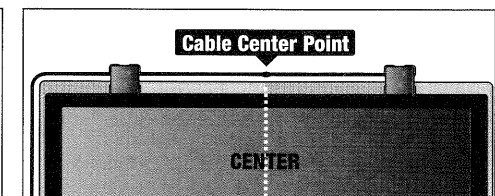
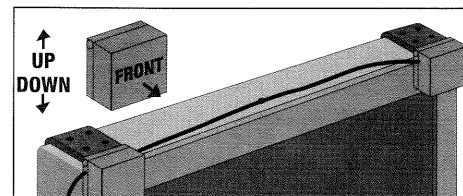
LED MARKER PLACEMENT METHOD Placing the LED Markers on the Television

- Attach the included silicon belts to the LED markers, then place the LED markers on the left and right sides of the top of your television. Follow either Placement Diagram 1 or 2, depending on the type and depth of your television screen. (The positions of left and right LED markers, as shown in the diagrams, may be switched. Adjust cables accordingly.)
- There are many other possible configurations for your LED markers. Experiment with different configurations to best complement your television type and playing environment.
- ※ Silicon belts are equipped with small weights. When attaching the belts to your television, take care that the weights do not scratch and/or damage the television.



※ Place the LED markers on the left and right sides of the top of your TV. Make sure the LED markers are facing in the correct direction.

※ In the case of large televisions, place the LED markers so that the center point of the cable is aligned with the center of the TV screen.

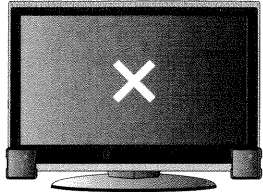


LED MARKER PLACEMENT INFORMATION

- There is a chance that, if left on top of the television for a long period of time, color from the LED marker cable or two silicon belts may bleed onto the television due to heat. Be sure to remove the LED markers from the top of the television when they are not in use.
- When not playing a game that supports the Guncon3, remove the LED marker USB connector from the PLAYSTATION 3 system.

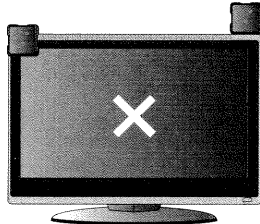
Placing the LED markers in the ways depicted below may result in improper Guncon3 operation. Take care to place the LED markers correctly.

The LED markers are placed below the TV.



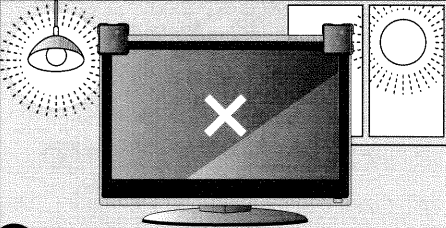
○ Place the LED markers on top of the TV.

The left & right LED markers are not at the same height.



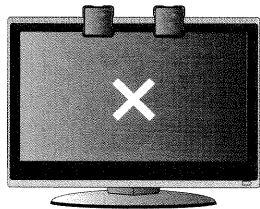
○ Move the left and right LED markers to the exact same height on the TV.

The LED markers are near a strong source of sunlight or artificial light.



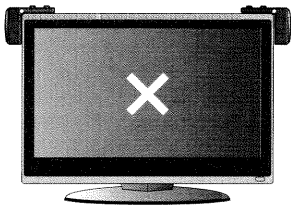
○ Turn off or cover up any powerful light sources.

The left and right LED markers are placed too closely to each other.



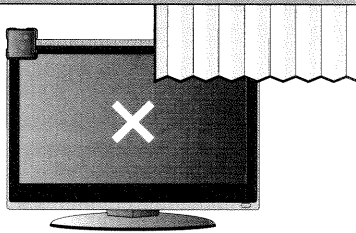
○ Move the LED markers as far apart as possible.

The LED markers are not facing in the correct direction.



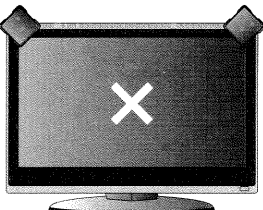
○ Orient the LED markers to face in the same direction as the TV screen.

The LED markers are obscured by an object.



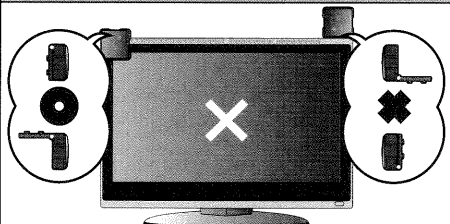
○ Move the object so that both LED markers can be seen.

The LED markers are askew



○ Straighten the LED markers.

The LED markers are upside-down.

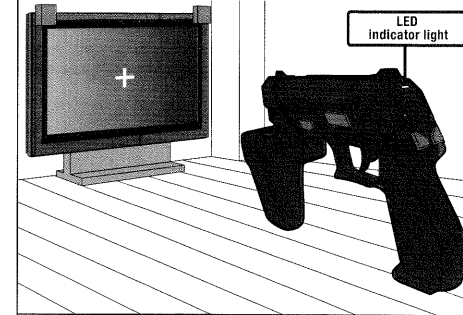


○ The top side of the LED markers is the side with the hinges on it.

NOTES ABOUT PLAYING

- When playing, be sure to have cleared the area in front of your television of all obstacles.
- When using the Guncon3, stand directly in front of your television screen if possible. Aiming diagonally from the sides may not be as effective.
- Choose an appropriate distance from your television when using the Guncon3. It may not be as effective if used too close or too far from the television. (Refer to the table below, "Target Distances for Televisions," for details.)
- When the Guncon3 is pointed in the direction of the television, the LED indicator light above the B stick signifies that you're ready to play. If the Guncon3 cannot detect the position of the LED markers, the LED indicator light will be illuminated.
- Do not rotate the Guncon3, or tilt it at an angle greater than 60 degrees to the left or right. This may cause errors in operation.
- After you have calibrated the Guncon3 for a certain distance, keep that same distance while playing. If you change your distance from the television after calibration, errors in operation may occur. (Consult the game manual for further information about Guncon3 calibration.)

Choose your position for playing so that the LED indicator light is not illuminated.



TARGET DISTANCES FOR TELEVISIONS

*Values below are approximate. If your television does not fit the sizes below, please choose the closest size.

Aspect Ratio	Television Size	Min. Distance	Max. Distance
4 : 3	13"	50 cm (1'6")	145 cm (4'8")
	20"	80 cm (2'6")	215 cm (7'1")
	32"	115 cm (3'8")	320 cm (10'5")
	43"	145 cm (4'8")	400 cm (13'1")
	50"	145 cm (4'8")	400 cm (13'1")
16 : 9	17"	75 cm (2'5")	190 cm (6'2")
	26"	110 cm (3'6")	305 cm (10')
	32"	135 cm (4'4")	365 cm (12')
	36"	145 cm (4'8")	400 cm (13'1")
	50"	145 cm (4'8")	400 cm (13'1")

Warning: At the minimum distances given above, the LED markers must be placed at least 27 cm (11") apart, or errors in operation may occur.

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THINK YOU HAVE FAULTY HARDWARE? Check the following list first.

- A message saying "An unknown USB device has been connected" may appear when the Guncon3 is connected or a PLAYSTATION 3 system with a Guncon3 device already connected is turned on. However, this is a normal message, and it does not indicate any sort of hardware error.
- The Guncon3 Trigger is not responding.
- There's an area where you cannot shoot on the screen.
- Firing is not continuous.
- Your aim is off.

Be sure to check the following points before contacting NAMCO BANDAI Games America Inc. for a repair of your hardware:

- Is the Guncon3 accessory correctly connected to the PLAYSTATION 3 system?
- Are the LED markers placed correctly? (See "LED Marker Placement Information.")
- Turn off or cover any sources of light that may be near the television.
- If direct sunlight is entering the room, block the source of sunlight before using the device.
- If the front covers of the LED markers or the muzzle cover of the Guncon3 are dirty, lightly clean them with a dry cloth.
- Check your distance from the television (see "Notes about Playing"), and re-calibrate the Guncon3. (Consult the game manual for further information about Guncon3 calibration.)

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