

System Remote Control SR-260

Installation and Setup Guide

Supported models

- SR-260 System Remote Control-English (C4-SR260)
- SR-260-I System Remote Control-Iconic (C4-SR260-I)

Introduction

The Control4® SR-260 System Remote Control goes beyond a typical “universal” remote that simply learns IR codes from TVs, VCRs, CD players, and DVD players. This remote control offers complete system control in an elegant and compact design. The remote is equipped with a full-color screen, battery gauge, hidden ambient light sensor, faster processor, iconic button layout (C4SR260-I model), improved visual interface, nine programmable shortcut buttons, and more. It's included with the purchase of select Control4 controllers and can also be purchased separately. The SR-260 requires Control4 OS 2.7 or later.

Use this guide along with the *SR-260 User Guide*.

Use the remote to:

- Navigate system menus and access network-stored media on a TV or monitor with the on-screen TV interface.
- Navigate system menus and access media information on the remote's own visual interface.
- Control all system devices.

Features

- Bi-directional communication with system components
- Zigbee® wireless mesh networking technology
- Full access to system components
- Full-color screen display
- Backlit keys and display for ease of use in dark rooms
- Ambient light sensor for efficient control of backlighting
- 50 buttons total:
 - Two quick-access buttons (WATCH and LISTEN) to display either the most-used AV devices or a list of all available AV devices
 - Nine programmable buttons
 - Eight transport control buttons
 - Standard alphanumeric buttons
 - Control4 button
- Paging functionality
- Standard control features for digital satellite systems (DSS), cable boxes, tuners, digital video recorders (DVR), DVD changers/players, CD changers/players, MP3 players, VCRs, or TVs
- Built-in motion detection can wake up the remote automatically
- Powered by four AA alkaline batteries (included)
- Optional: SR-260 rechargeable battery, cover, and recharging station.

SR-260 buttons

A **Control4 button**—Displays Control4 menu on TV (if enabled)

B **OFF** —Turns room off

C **Display**—Screen that displays List Navigator

D **WATCH** —Displays video sources or plays most recently watched source

E **LISTEN** —Displays audio sources or plays most recently played source

F **LIST** —Displays the system menu (List interface) on the remote's display screen

G **Programmable buttons**—Functions vary (installer programs)

H **GUIDE** —Displays TV listings
▲PAGE —Scrolls pages up
▼PAGE —Scrolls pages down
PREV —Returns to previous channel or screen

I **VOL** —Controls device volume

J **SELECT** and **directional buttons**—Moves through menus and selects menu items

K **CH++** —Changes TV channels

L **MUTE** —Toggles device sound
INFO —Shows program information
MENU —Accesses device features and settings
BACK —Sends “Back” or “Exit” command

M **Playback control buttons**
◀▶ Rewinds / fast forwards
⏮ Skips back/forward
▶ Plays the current AV source
● Starts recording
■ Stops record or playback
⏸ Pauses
DVR Controls the DVR

N **Programmable buttons**—Functions vary (installer programs)

O **Alphanumeric buttons**—Directly enters channel numbers or text descriptions

P **Special characters**—Alphanumeric buttons that can also be programmed to work directly with a device

Install and maintain batteries

Install the batteries

Install the four AA Alkaline batteries (included) into the back of the SR-260 according to the diagram in the battery compartment (with the + and - terminals aligned correctly).

- Important:** The use of rechargeable AA batteries is not supported. Using rechargeable AA batteries may result in inaccurate battery gauge readings.

Battery use and care

- Keep the battery contacts and compartment clean.
- Remove the batteries from the remote if it is not going to be used for several months.
- Extreme temperatures reduce battery performance. Avoid putting the remote control in very warm places.

Battery replacement safety rules

-  **Warning!** To prevent a battery short, leakage or rupture:
 - Use typical AA Alkaline batteries only.
 - Do not mix battery types.
 - Do not attempt to recharge a battery unless the battery is specifically marked “rechargeable.”
 - Never dispose of batteries in a fire.

AVERTISSEMENT ! Pour empêcher court-circuiter, fuite ou rupture de batterie:

- Utilisez les accumulateurs alcalins typiques d'AA seulement.
- Ne mélangez pas les types de batterie.
- N'essayez pas de recharger une batterie à moins que la batterie soit spécifiquement marqué « rechargeable ».
- Ne vous débarrassez jamais des batteries dans un feu.

Recharging station

A Remote Recharging Station is also available (sold separately) with a specialized SR-260 rechargeable battery to keep your remote always charged.

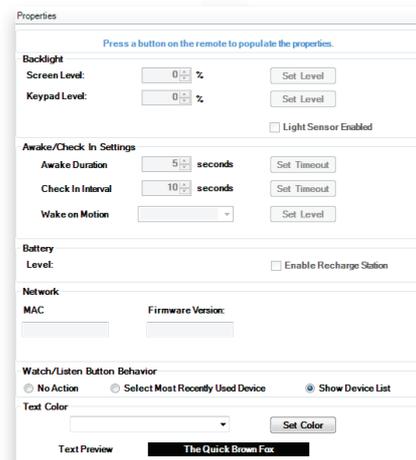
For more information, see dealer.control4.com.

Configure the remote

Add and configure the remote control with Composer Pro. See the *Composer Pro User Guide* for instructions about adding devices.

To configure the remote:

- 1 In Composer Pro, add and identify the **System Remote Control SR260** driver to your project.
- 2 In the *System Design* view, select **System Remote Control SR260** to view and change the remote's properties.



- **Backlight**
 - **Screen Level**—Sets the brightness of the remote's screen, from **0** (low) to **100** (full brightness).
 - **Keypad Level**—Sets the brightness of the keypad backlight, from **0** (off) to **100** (full brightness).
 - **Light Sensor Enabled**—When selected, adjusts the brightness of the screen and keypad backlight based on the light it senses in the room.
- **Awake/Check In Settings**
 - **Awake Duration**—Sets how long the remote stays awake after motion or button presses have stopped. The default setting is 15 seconds, but it can be extended up to 90 seconds.
 - **Check In Interval**—Sets frequency of the remote's checking in with a Director.
 - **Wake on Motion**—Sets the remote to wake from sleep mode when it's picked up.
- **Battery Level**—Displays the current battery charge level. If the remote uses a recharging station, select **Enable Recharge Station**.
- **Network**
 - **MAC**—Displays the remote's MAC address.
 - **Firmware Version**—Displays the remote's current firmware version.
- **Watch/Listen Button Behavior**—Sets whether the buttons show a list of available devices or only the most recently used devices.

3 On the remote, press **LIST**, then select **Settings > Config**. The following menu opens, where you can change remote control settings:

- **Display Brightness**—Sets the brightness of the remote's screen.
- **Keypad Brightness**—Sets the brightness of the remote's keypad backlight.
- **Motion Detect**—Sets the remote to wake from sleep mode when it's picked up.
- **Light Sensor**—When enabled, adjusts the brightness of the screen and keypad backlight based on the light it senses in the room.
- **Text Color**—Changes the List Navigator's text color.
- **Recharge Station**—When enabled, configures the remote to use the Recharging Station's rechargeable lithium polymer battery. When disabled, configures the remote for regular alkaline batteries.
- **Battery Level**—Shows the current battery charge level.
- **Factory Defaults**—Resets the remote to its factory defaults.

Each change is saved as soon as it's made.

Program the programmable buttons

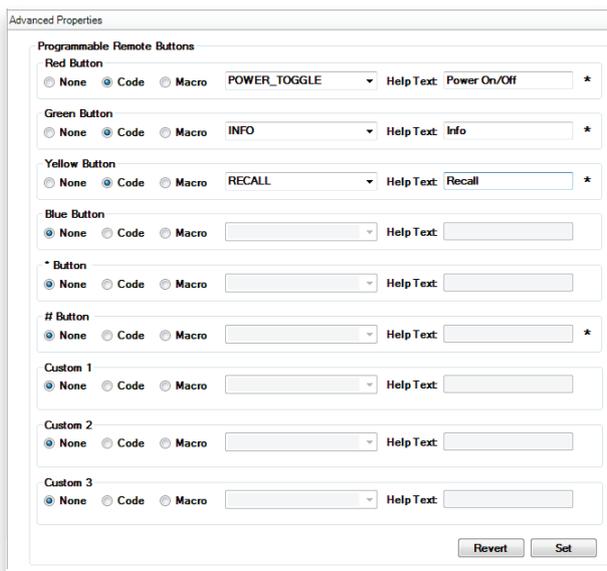
Program the buttons using either the AV device's *Properties* or the room's events.

Programming buttons based on AV device

You can program up to nine buttons (red, green, yellow, blue, •, ••, •••, *, and #), based on an AV device.

To program buttons based on AV device:

- 1 Select the **System Design** view.
- 2 Select an AV device to display the device's *Properties* page.



3 On the device's *Properties* page, select **Code** or **Macro** for the button you want to program.

4 Select a code or macro from the button's drop-down list, then edit the help text as needed.



Tip: Help text describes custom programming on the remote's List interface.

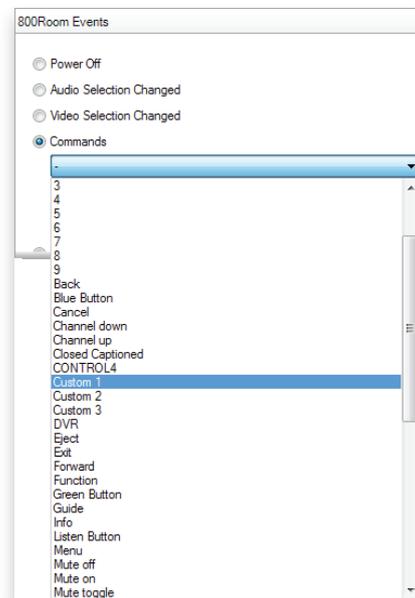
5 When you're done programming the buttons, click **Set**.

Programming buttons based on room

You can program any button on the remote, based on room. Remember that, by using **When >> Then** automations, the homeowner may want to program these buttons themselves.

To program buttons based on room:

- 1 Select the **Programming** view.
- 2 Select a room in the project tree in the *Device Events* pane.
- 3 Select the **Commands** radio button, then select a command or button from the drop-down menu.



4 Build the button's room script using items from the *Actions* pane.

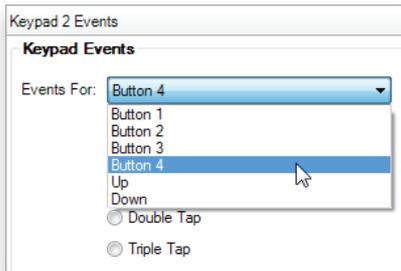
For more information about programming, see the *Composer Pro User Guide*.

Program SR-260 paging

You can program an action, such as a keypad button press, to page the remote control (have the remote beep several times) if it's misplaced.

To program the remote's paging feature:

- 1 In Composer Pro, select the *Programming* view.
- 2 Select the event that you want to use to start the page. For example, to select a keypad button press, first select the keypad in the project tree in the *Events* pane, then select the button under *Events*.



The first part of the script is added to the *Script* pane.



- 3 In the project tree in the *Actions* pane (on the right), select **System Remote Control SR260**.
- 4 In the *Commands* list, choose an action for the remote control, then double-click the green arrow to add the action to the *Script* pane.



- **Beep until button press**—The remote beeps until you press one of its buttons.
- **Beep for X seconds (<254)**—The remote beeps until x seconds have elapsed, or you press one of its buttons.
- **Stop Beep**—The remote stops beeping.

Additional resources

The following resources are available for more support.

- Control4 Knowledgebase and forums
- Control4 Technical Support
- Control4 website: www.control4.com
- *Composer Pro User Guide* or customer documentation on the Control4 Portal

Regulatory/safety information

To review regulatory information for Control4 products, see ctrl4.co/reg.

Warranty

Visit www.control4.com/warranty for details.

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