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**Internal/Supplied Batteries**

This symbol on the battery indicates that the battery is to be collected separately. This battery is designed for separate collection at an appropriate collection point.



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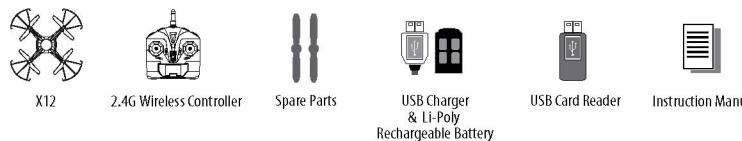
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# X12

## 2.4GHz Quadrocopter With HD Camera

**INSTRUCTION BOOKLET**

**WARNING:** Never leave product charging unattended for extended periods of time. Always disconnect X12 battery from charger immediately after it is fully charged. Please refer to enclosed safety instructions.

**PACKAGE CONTAINS:**

Colors and styles may slightly vary.

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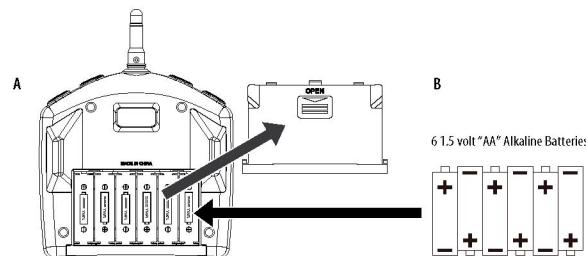
Thank you for purchasing the X12 2.4 Ghz Quadrocopter. Please read this instruction booklet as it contains valuable information on how to properly fly and care for your X12 Drone.

## FEATURES

- 6 Axis Gyro For Extremely Stable Flight and Maneuverability
- Wide Range Digital Radio Allows Flight Range Up To 500 Feet
- 3 Speed Settings From Beginner To Advanced Pilots
- 360 Degree Push Button Stunt Rolls
- Air pressure sensors lock flight altitude for stable video footage
- Automatically lands with the push of a button
- 2.4 Ghz Controller, Replaceable Li-poly Battery and Additional Replacement Parts Included.

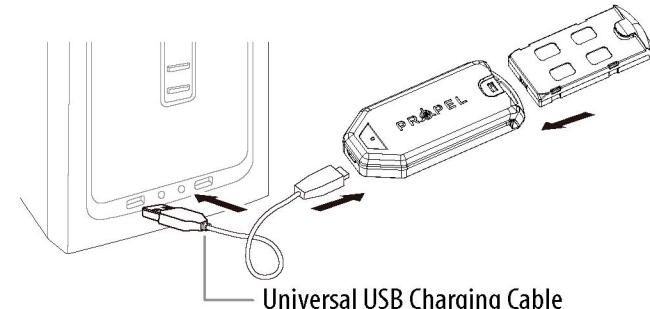
## REMOTE CONTROL BATTERY INSTALLATION

1. Remove the battery cover from the back of the controller as shown in diagram A.
2. Install 6 "AA" fresh alkaline batteries into the controller as shown in diagram B. Make sure to install batteries to their correct polarity. Do not mix old and new batteries or battery types.
3. Replace the battery cover.



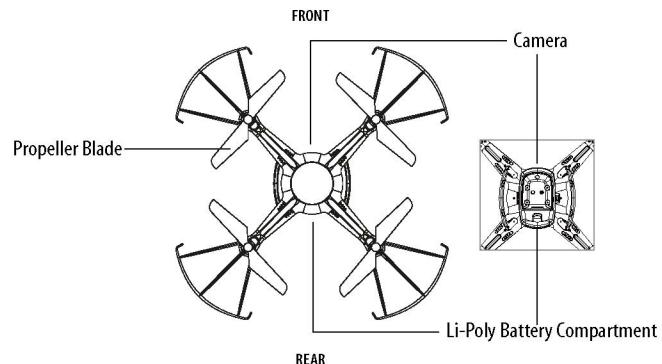
## CHARGING YOUR X12 LI-POLY BATTERY

1. Slide the battery into the USB charger and then connect the MICRO USB cable to the charger (see diagram C). Connect the universal end of the USB cable to your computer's USB port.  
CAUTION: Do not force battery into charger, improper connection may damage the X12 battery.
2. The indicator light will flash red while the unit is charging. When the RED Led light turns GREEN your battery has a complete charge.
3. Average charging time is around 50 minutes until fully charged.
4. A full charge will allow for about 7-10 minutes of flight time depending on environment and user input.

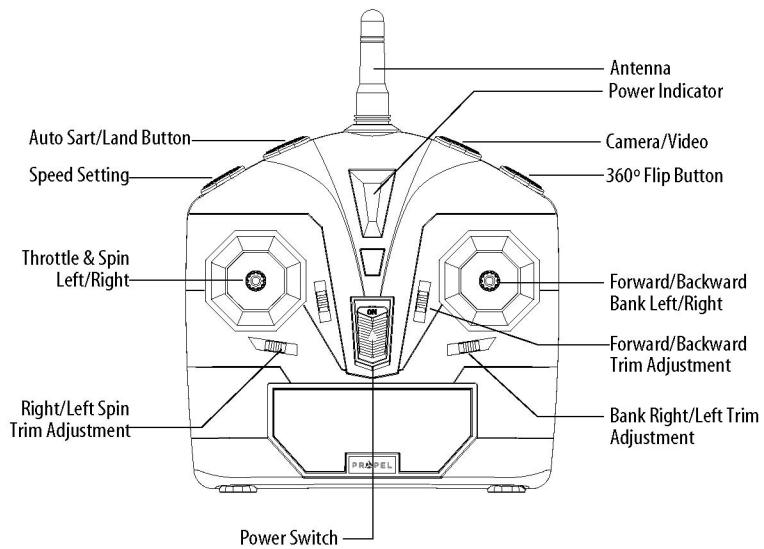


**IMPORTANT: ALWAYS REMEMBER TO UNPLUG YOUR CHARGING CORD WHEN NOT IN USE!**

## X12 QUADROCOPTER DIAGRAM



## X12 REMOTE DIAGRAM



## WARNING

**DO NOT FLY YOUR X12 IN FOUL WEATHER!**



### FLIGHT PREPARATION

- Verify that there are 6 "AA" batteries inside the remote control unit and the X12 has been fully charged.
- Make sure your X12 and controller are both turned on.
- Make sure to be in a large space with an open radius of at least 200 feet.
- Make sure the empty space has no obstacles. Set your X12 on a clean flat surface before take-off.

**DO NOT ATTEMPT TO FLY YOUR X12 IF THERE IS RAIN, SNOW, HEAVY WINDS, THUNDER OR LIGHTNING OUTDOORS. IT COULD DAMAGE YOUR PRODUCT AND POSSIBLY EVEN CAUSE BODILY HARM.**

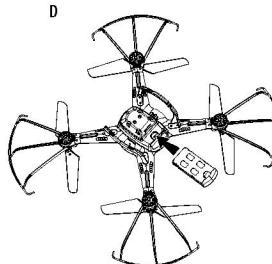
### SYNCING YOUR X12

**Important!** When syncing your X12 quadrocopter with the controller always make sure that the quadrocopter is on a flat level surface and that your digital trim settings are in the center position. This insures that the 6 Axis gyro is properly programmed to mimic your trim settings.

Your X12 utilizes an automatic 2.4G channel selection system that allows up to 8 people to fly side by side in the same wireless range with no interference.

#### Syncing your aircraft:

1. Before starting, make sure that the power on your controller is in the OFF position and the X12 battery is not connected. Make sure that there are no other 2.4Ghz devices in the area as well.
2. Insert the battery into the compartment in the right direction and set it down on a flat surface. The LED indicator lights of the X12 should begin to flash (see diagram D).
3. Next turn ON the remote controller. After hearing a series of beeps, the X12's flashing LED lights will start flashing at a slower rate. Pull the throttle (left control stick) all the way up and then all the way down. The LED lights will flash rapidly for a few seconds and then stay solid. You are now ready to fly the X12. If this does not happen, repeat all steps above.



### FLYING TIPS

- It is recommended that you operate the X12 outdoors in a wide space. The ideal space should have a 200 foot radius.
- Parental guidance or adult supervision is suggested at all times.
- If you are flying the X12 with others, make sure all spectators are behind you.
- For best performance, it is recommended that you operate the X12 in zero wind conditions. Wind can greatly affect the performance of the aircraft or cause injury.

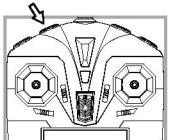
## HOW TO START/STOP ROTORS

Make sure you have properly synced the X12 and the power stay on.

- To start the rotors simply move the two control sticks both down and all the way in the corners, hold until the rotors starts spinning. Now release both sticks to the neutral position and push the throttle up to take off.
- To stop the rotors right after start them, you can simply wait for about 10 seconds. They will stop automatically or move both sticks down and all the way in the corners again to stop immediately. To stop the rotors after take off in the air, you can simply pull the throttle all the way down to land and it will stop on the floor.

## AUTO START/LAND BUTTON

The X12 has an auto start/land feature which allows you to start/land automatically. Simply press the **AUTO START / LAND** button on the top right of the controller and your X12 will begin taking off/landing(see diagram below).



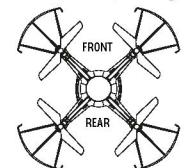
**NOTE:** You can still control the direction while auto starting/landing to avoid obstacles.

## SPEED SELECT BUTTON

The X12 has 3 speed settings; SLOW, MEDIUM and HIGH. The default setting when you first turn on your X12 is the SLOW speed mode. To increase the speed simply trigger the Speed setting button. (see remote diagram on pg 3) You will hear two beeps indicating your X12 has changed to MEDIUM speed mode. To increase the speed simply trigger the Speed setting button one more time and you will hear three beeps indicating your X12 has changed to HIGH speed mode. Trigger the Speed setting button again and you will hear one beep indicating your X12 speed changed back to SLOW speed mode.

## RECOGNIZING THE FRONT & BACK OF THE X12

Even though the X12 has four rotors there is still a front or "forward" facing direction and "back" or backwards facing direction. The front of the Quadcopter displays WHITE LED lights and the back of the Quadcopter displays RED LED lights when activated (see diagram E).

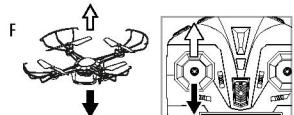


## 4 CHANNEL FLIGHT CONTROL

Below is a list of basic flight functions for your long-range remote control X12. While learning to fly your X12 it is best to start with a large space until you get used to the basic controls. As you master flying your X12 you can move to more advanced maneuvering techniques. Practice makes perfect! When you have these basic steps down you can move to the next level.

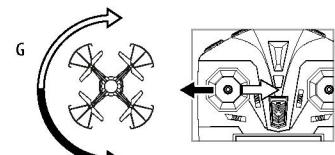
Move the left Throttle stick up to increase the speed and the X12 will accelerate and ascend.

Move the left Throttle stick down to decrease the speed and the X12 will decelerate and descend (see diagram F).



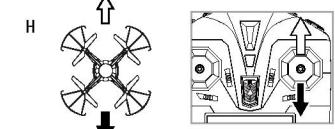
Move the left Throttle stick left and the X12 will rotate left.

Move the left Throttle stick right and the X12 will rotate right (see diagram G).



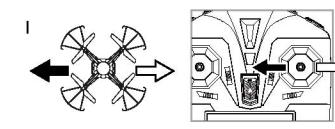
Move the right Direction Stick up while in flight and the X12 will move forward.

Move the right Direction Control down while in flight and the X12 will move backward (see diagram H).



Move the right Direction Control left and the X12 will bank to the left.

Move the right Direction Control right and the X12 will bank to the right (see diagram I).

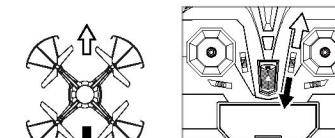


## ADJUSTING TRIM

From time to time you may have to adjust the TRIM buttons to ensure the X12 will hover in mid-air and respond accurately to your commands (make all trim adjustments while the drone is in air).

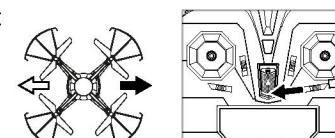
### Forward/Backward Trim

- If your X12 drifts forward, push and release the BACKWARD TRIM button back repeatedly until the motion stops and proper flight is maintained (see diagram J).
- If your X12 drifts backwards, push and release the FORWARD TRIM button forward in the same manner until the problem is resolved.



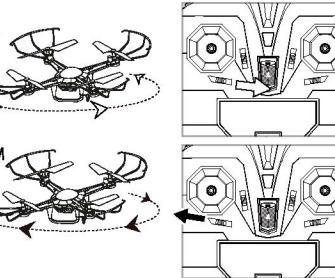
### Right/Left Trim

- If your X12 drifts left, push and release the RIGHT TRIM button back repeatedly until the motion stops and proper flight is maintained (see diagram K).
- If your X12 drifts right, push and release the LEFT TRIM button in the same manner until the problem is resolved.



### Right/Left Spin Trim

- If your X12 spins left, push and release the RIGHT SPIN TRIM button back repeatedly until the motion stops and proper flight is maintained (see diagram L).

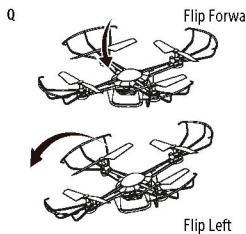
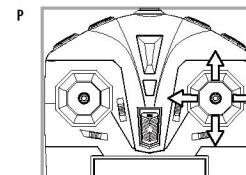
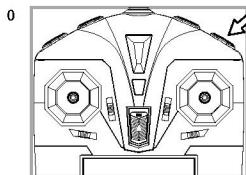
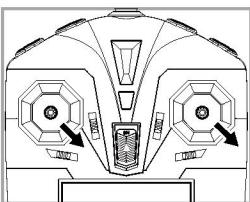


## LEVEL SURFACE CALIBRATION

If the aircraft becomes unstable during the course of flying, you may need to restabilize the internal gyros.

To do this, Turn Off the controller and disconnect the Drone battery. Place the X12 on a flat level surface. Follow the steps to sync your X12 (page 4). Now, pull both the joysticks downwards and towards the right at the same time (see diagram N). The lights on the drone will flash a bit and then remain solid. This indicates that your drone has been calibrated.

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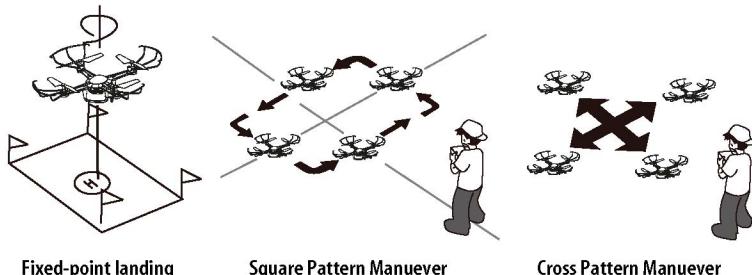
## FLYING ENVIRONMENT

The X12 is designed for outdoor use only. When flying, do so in warm sunny weather with no wind or rain.

**WARNING:** Do not fly in extreme temperatures or windy conditions as this may affect the performance of your X12 and cause damage or injury.

## FLIGHT PRACTICE

To master flying your aircraft try practicing the exercises shown below. Start with simple vertical takeoffs, landings, and left/right turning and rotating. Once those are mastered move on to square and cross maneuvers. Good luck and have fun!



## PERFORMING 360° FLIPS

After you have mastered flying the X12 you are ready to try flips. Once the X12 is hovering at least 3 meters (about 10 feet) off the ground, trigger the 360° Flip Button (see diagram O) and push the right lever forward slightly and let go. The X12 will instantly perform a forward flip. To perform a backwards or side flip press and hold the 360° Flip Button and push the right lever in the direction you wish to flip just as you did for the forward flip (see diagram P & Q).

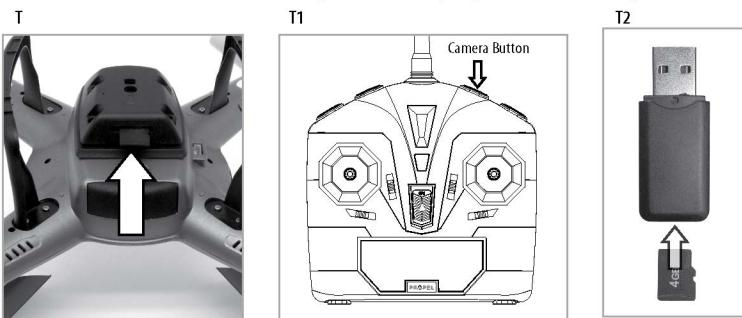
## TROUBLESHOOTING YOUR X12

PROBLEM	POSSIBLE REASON	SOLUTION
No Power	1. Power switched off 2. Polarity is reversed 3. Batteries may be dead	1. Switch the ON/OFF switch to ON 2. Make sure all batteries are installed correctly (see diagram B) 3. Replace batteries
Remote Not properly Responding	1. Remote is switched off 2. X12 battery is not connected 3. Too windy 4. The remote is not synced	1. Switch the ON/OFF switch to ON 2. Connect the battery to X12 3. Windy conditions severely impair the operation of the X12 4. Re-sync the remote
Aircraft Won't lift off	1. Rotor speed too slow 2. Aircraft not fully charged	1. Push throttle lever forward 2. Recharge your X12
Aircraft Descends Too Fast	1. Moving the throttle too quickly	1. Control the throttle slower and smoother
Aircraft Not Responding	1. Gyroscopes not functioning	1. Turn ON the X12 and Reset the Gyros (see diagram P)
Loss of X12 Control	1. Aircraft is out of range of remote	1. Keep the aircraft within a 300 feet radius of the remote

## OPERATING THE CAMERA

You can take in-flight photos or video with your X12 on board camera.

1. Ensure that the camera module is securely attached and locked onto the copter. Insert the microSDHC card carefully into the slot on the rear of the camera module. Push in gently until you hear and feel a click. Now you are ready to use the camera.
2. To take still pictures, short press the camera button. The indicating LED light will flash 3 times.
3. To take video footage, hold down the camera button on the remote for a few seconds(see diagram T1). To stop video footage simply press the button again.
4. After turning the Power Off on the copter, you may now remove the microSDHC card from the X12 by gently pushing on the back of the card with your thumb until you hear and feel a slight click. You may use the included USB card reader to connect it to a computer and retrieve your pictures and video footage.



## REPLACING THE PROPELLER BLADES

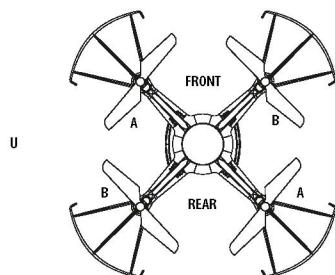
**NOTE : Always disconnect the battery before replacing the propeller blades.**

Your X12 propeller system is a precision instrument that may need repair or replacement from time to time for optimal flight function. Crash landing from high-speed aerial flights may cause damage to your X12 propellers.

The X12 has four propeller blades, two on the front and two on the back. Each one of these propellers is marked with either A or B on the underside.

1. When replacing the propeller blades, carefully unscrew the broken propeller from the rotor shaft.
2. Replace the damaged blade with the correct new blade. Ensure that the identification letter on the broken blade and on the new blade are the same before screwing back on (See diagram U).

**NOTE : The Color of the blade does not matter. What matters is the identification letter on the bottom of blade. All "A" blades would perform the same ir-respective of color and the same would apply for "B".**



## X12 WARNING:

The X12 is designed for OUTDOOR use only. The X12 blades revolve at high speeds and can cause damage to the user, spectators and animals. Stand away from the X12 to reduce the risk of getting into the flight path. Warn spectators that you will be flying your X12 so that they are aware of its position. Before flight, inspect the rotor blades to make certain that the blades are securely fastened to the X12.

### WARNING!

- Choking/Cutting Hazard. Small Parts/Sharp Rotor Blades.
- Keep hands, hair and loose clothing away from the propeller when the power switch is turned to the ON position.
- Turn off the transmitter and take out the battery from the X12 when not in use.
- The included charger is built specifically for the X12 Li-Poly battery. Do not use it to charge any other battery.
- New alkaline batteries are recommended for maximum performance.
- Parental supervision recommended when flying X12.

## BATTERY WARNINGS

### RECHARGEABLE BATTERY:

This X12 uses a Li-Poly rechargeable battery. If battery can no longer be charged, dispose it battery properly according to the local law.

### CONTROLLER BATTERIES:

Remote control requires 6 "AA" batteries (not included). Please read the important battery safety warning below.

- Do not mix alkaline, standard (carbon-zinc) and rechargeable batteries (Nickel Metal Hydride).
- Do not mix old and new batteries.
- Non-rechargeable batteries are not to be recharged.
- Rechargeable batteries are to be removed from the item before being charged (if removable).
- Rechargeable batteries are only to be charged under adult supervision.
- Exhausted batteries should be removed immediately and must be recycled or disposed of properly according to state or local government ordinances and regulations.
- The supply terminals are not to be short-circuited.
- Only batteries of the same or equivalent type as recommended are to be used.
- Batteries are to be inserted with the correct polarity (see inside booklet for diagram).
- Do not dispose batteries in a fire - batteries may leak or explode.

## CARE AND MAINTENANCE

- Always remove the batteries from the wireless remote control when it is not being used for an extended period of time.
- To clean, gently wipe the remote control and X12 with a clean damp cloth.
- Keep the toy away from direct heat or sunlight.
- Do not submerge the toy into water. This can damage the unit beyond repair.
- Parental guidance recommended when installing or replacing the batteries.