

AVR 156

5.1-channel, 70-watt audio/video receiver with HDMI® v.1.4a for 3-D

As a multitasking A/V receiver for budget-conscious film and music lovers, the Harman Kardon® AVR 156 is a more than capable way to take your home entertainment to the next level. With all the latest Dolby® and DTS® audio modes and HDMI® v.1.4 with 3-D and Deep Colour, the AVR 156 lets you experience the next dimension in TV viewing – while Harman Kardon Logic 7® processing supplies you with an exhilarating 5.1-channel, 360-degree soundstage for movies, TV shows and games. And with three HDMI inputs and extensive video and audio connectivity, the AVR 156 also grants you the flexibility to add a Blu-ray Disc™ player and surround-sound speaker system to the mix. Overall, the AVR 156 is a great starting-off point if you want a gratifying home theatre system.



Features	Advantages	Benefits
HDMI v.1.4 with 3-D and Deep Colour	Plays 3-D home entertainment when used with a 3-D TV and a 3-D Blu-ray Disc, cable or satellite video source	Full compatibility with the latest 3-D video sources
Powers an entire 5.1-channel surround-sound system	Five amplifier channels use a high-current-capability (HCC), ultrawide-bandwidth amplifier design for accurate, dynamic sound	Offers 70 watts of power per channel to create an emotionally charged home theatre experience
Dolby TrueHD and DTS-HD Master Audio™ decoding	Delivers high-definition sound to match the high-resolution video when playing Blu-ray Disc recordings	Provides a superb surround-sound experience
Logic 7 processing	Transforms movies, TV shows and ordinary stereo sources like CDs and iPod devices into 5.1-channel surround sound to make listening fun	Creates a realistic 360-degree soundstage Supplies optimal sound for movies, music and games
Surround-sound decoding	Decodes all varieties of popular Dolby and DTS audio formats, adding a new depth of sound to whatever you're watching	Adds a new dimension to your surround-sound experience Lets you experience theatre-quality sound
Three HDMI inputs	Offers extensive digital video connectivity with other systems so you can connect your whole system to the AVR	Maximizes audio/video performance Reduces connection confusion
Three digital audio outputs, six analogue audio inputs	Offers extensive audio connectivity and plenty of connections for your digital and analogue source components	Expands your system with ease
Headphone jack with HARMAN headphone surround mode	Creates a realistic 5.1-channel surround-sound experience from a set of stereo headphones	Allows for private listening
Colour-coded binding-post speaker connectors	Accepts a wide variety of speaker wires so you're ultra-compatible with other components	Provides a secure connection Colour coding helps prevent connection errors
Multidevice, programmable IR remote control	Controls your entire audio/video system from a single remote	Simplifies your life Makes home entertainment easier to use
FM/AM tuner	Comes with 30 preset stations stored, plus Radio Data System (RDS), which displays radio text information as the radio station broadcasts it	Convenience
Upgradeable firmware via USB port	Keeps your receiver's performance up to date	Easily upgrades your receiver for improved operation
Subwoofer trigger output for compatible subwoofers	Allows subwoofer to turn on and off instantly along with the receiver	Conserves energy
Two-line dot-matrix information display	Delivers status messages and lets you adjust the unit – without turning on the TV	Great when listening to music Saves energy