

Using ZOOM H4n to Record an Audio Interview

CHEAT SHEET

Power the H4N with the included power adapter.

The SD card is formatted before recording.

The stereo light.

The light next to mic is on to ensure you are using the built-in mics.

To start recording press the record button twice so the Rec light is solid on.

Use 44.1kHz/24bit, WAV recording format.

Try to make the highest input level to stay within -12 and -6 dB.



To select things using the scroll wheel push into the scroll wheel

To adjust the input level, use these two buttons.

FRONT FACE

RIGHT SIDE

Power the H4N

2 double A batteries last 4 hours. (batteries not included in the checkout bag.)

FORMATTING THE SD CARD

1st – Press menu button

2nd – Use wheel to scroll to “SD Card” and select

3rd – Select “FORMAT” and then select “YES”

RECORDING MODES

To use stereo mode:

1st – Press menu button

2nd – Use wheel to scroll to “MODE” and select

3rd – Select “STEREO”

SELECTING INPUTS

Near the bottom left of the H4n there are three buttons lined up vertically labeled mic, 1, and 2. To use the built-in mics, press the button next to mic so that it lights up.

SELECTING RECORDING FORMAT

Press WAV/MP3 button, use the wheel on the side to scroll up and down, push the wheel to make a selection.