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Model: iKBC384S

INTRODUCTION



Image: The iLive iKBC384S Bluetooth Under Cabinet Radio with CD Player, showcasing its sleek design and front panel controls.

This manual provides detailed instructions for the installation, operation, and maintenance of your iLive iKBC384S Bluetooth Under Cabinet Radio with CD Player. Please read this manual thoroughly before using the device to ensure proper function and to maximize your listening experience.

KEY FEATURES

- Bluetooth v2.0 for wireless audio streaming with a 33-foot range.
- Integrated CD player for audio CDs.
- FM radio with 20 station presets.
- Digital clock with kitchen timer function.
- LCD display for clear information.
- Includes remote control for convenient operation.
- Designed for under-cabinet mounting to save counter space.
- AC/DC power adapter included, with battery backup option (2 AA batteries, not included).

PACKAGE CONTENTS

Ensure all items are present before proceeding with installation:

- iLive iKBC384S Under Cabinet Radio with CD Player
- Remote Control
- AC/DC Power Adapter
- Mounting Hardware
- User Manual (this document)

CONTROLS AND INDICATORS

Familiarize yourself with the unit's controls and display before operation.



Image: Front view of the iKBC384S unit highlighting key features such as the CD player, FM radio, kitchen timer, and speakerphone, along with an indication that simple mounting hardware is included.

The front panel includes buttons for power, display, random playback, program, track skip, volume control, source selection, and CD tray open/close. The central LCD displays time, radio frequency, and playback information. A Bluetooth indicator light shows connection status.

SETUP

1. Mounting the Unit

The iKBC384S is designed for under-cabinet installation. Use the provided mounting hardware and template (if included in packaging) to securely attach the unit to the underside of a kitchen cabinet. Ensure the mounting surface is sturdy enough to support the unit's weight.



Image: The iLive iKBC384S unit neatly installed under a white kitchen cabinet, demonstrating its space-saving design.

Consider the unit's dimensions when selecting a mounting location to ensure adequate clearance and accessibility.



Image: A diagram illustrating the approximate dimensions of the iLive iKBC384S unit: 11.4 inches wide, 11.6 inches deep, and 3.2 inches high.

2. Power Connection

Connect the supplied AC/DC power adapter to the DC input jack on the unit and then plug it into a standard wall outlet. The unit will power on or enter standby mode.

3. Battery Backup (Optional)

For clock and preset memory retention during power outages, install 2 AA batteries (not included) into the battery compartment located on the unit's underside. Ensure correct polarity.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

1. Power On/Off

Press the **Power** button () on the front panel or remote control to turn the unit on or off.

2. Setting the Clock

1. With the unit in standby mode, press and hold the **TIME SET** button (refer to remote control for exact button).
2. Use the **SKIP/TUNE** buttons (◀◀/▶▶) to adjust the hour. Press **TIME SET** again to confirm.
3. Use the **SKIP/TUNE** buttons to adjust the minute. Press **TIME SET** to confirm and exit.

3. FM Radio Operation

1. Press the **SOURCE** button repeatedly until "FM" appears on the display.
2. **Manual Tuning:** Press the **SKIP/TUNE** buttons (◀◀/▶▶) briefly to adjust the frequency in small increments.
3. **Auto Scan:** Press and hold the **SKIP/TUNE** buttons to automatically scan for the next available station.
4. **Setting Presets:**
 - a. Tune to the desired station.
 - b. Press the **PROG** button. The preset number will flash.
 - c. Use the **SKIP/TUNE** buttons to select the desired preset number (1-20).
 - d. Press **PROG** again to save the station.
5. **Recalling Presets:** Press the **PRESET +/-** buttons to cycle through saved stations.

4. CD Player Operation

The unit supports standard audio CDs. It is not designed to play copied, burned, or duplicated CDs.



Image: A visual representation of audio CDs, indicating the type of media compatible with the CD player.



Image: The iLive iKBC384S unit with its CD tray extended, ready for disc insertion.

1. Press the **SOURCE** button repeatedly until "CD" appears on the display.
2. Press the **OPEN/CLOSE** button (▲) to open the CD tray.
3. Place an audio CD with the label side facing up into the tray.
4. Press **OPEN/CLOSE** again to close the tray. The CD will begin playing automatically.
5. Use the **PLAY/PAUSE** button (▶ / ■) to pause or resume playback.

6. Use the **SKIP/TUNE** buttons (◀◀/▶▶) to skip tracks. Press and hold to fast forward or rewind.
7. Press the **STOP** button (■) to stop playback.

5. Bluetooth Pairing and Streaming

1. Press the **SOURCE** button repeatedly until "BT" or "Bluetooth" appears on the display. The Bluetooth indicator will flash, indicating pairing mode.
2. Enable Bluetooth on your mobile device (smartphone, tablet, etc.).
3. Search for available devices and select "iKBC384S" from the list.
4. Once paired, the Bluetooth indicator will glow solid. You can now stream audio wirelessly from your device to the iKBC384S.
5. Use your connected device or the unit's **PLAY/PAUSE** and **SKIP/TUNE** buttons to control playback.

6. Kitchen Timer

1. Press the **TIMER** button. The timer display will flash.
2. Use the **SKIP/TUNE** buttons to set the desired countdown time (up to 99 minutes).
3. Press **TIMER** again to start the countdown.
4. An alarm will sound when the timer reaches zero. Press any button to stop the alarm.

MAINTENANCE

- **Cleaning:** Wipe the unit with a soft, dry cloth. Do not use abrasive cleaners or solvents.
- **CD Care:** Handle CDs by their edges. Keep them clean and free of scratches.
- **Storage:** If storing the unit for an extended period, remove the backup batteries.

TROUBLESHOOTING

Problem	Solution
No power	Ensure the AC/DC adapter is securely connected to both the unit and a working power outlet. Check household circuit breaker.
CD not playing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Ensure "CD" source is selected. ◦ Check if the CD is inserted correctly (label side up). ◦ Clean the CD for smudges or scratches. ◦ Note: The unit does not play copied, burned, or duplicated CDs.
Poor FM reception	Extend and adjust the FM antenna for better signal. Try repositioning the unit.
Bluetooth pairing fails	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Ensure the unit is in Bluetooth pairing mode (BT flashing). ◦ Make sure your device's Bluetooth is enabled and within 33 feet of the unit. ◦ Forget "iKBC384S" from your device's Bluetooth list and try pairing again.
Remote control not working	Check and replace the remote control battery. Ensure there are no obstructions between the remote and the unit's sensor.

SPECIFICATIONS

- **Model:** iKBC384S
- **Power Source:** AC/DC Adapter (included), 2 x AA batteries (not included) for backup
- **Bluetooth Version:** v2.0
- **Bluetooth Range:** Up to 33 feet (10 meters)
- **Radio Frequencies:** FM
- **CD Compatibility:** Audio CD
- **Dimensions (W x H x D):** Approximately 13.5 x 3.8 x 12.5 inches
- **Weight:** Approximately 3.75 pounds

WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

For warranty information or technical support, please refer to the documentation included with your purchase or visit the official iLive Electronics website. Keep your purchase receipt for warranty claims.

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