

PHILIPS Philips134

Philips Portable Boombox User Manual

Model: Philips134 | Brand: PHILIPS

1. INTRODUCTION

This manual provides instructions for the safe and efficient operation of your Philips Portable Boombox. Please read these instructions carefully before using the device and retain them for future reference.

1.1 What's in the Box

- Philips Portable Boombox Unit
- Power Cord
- Remote Control (AAA battery not included)
- User Manual (this document)

2. PRODUCT OVERVIEW



Figure 2.1: Front view of the Philips Portable Boombox with its remote control.

The Philips Portable Boombox is a versatile audio system designed for various playback options. It features a CD player, FM radio, Bluetooth connectivity, USB input, and a headphone jack. The unit incorporates Dynamic Bass Boost for enhanced audio performance.

2.1 Main Unit Controls and Features

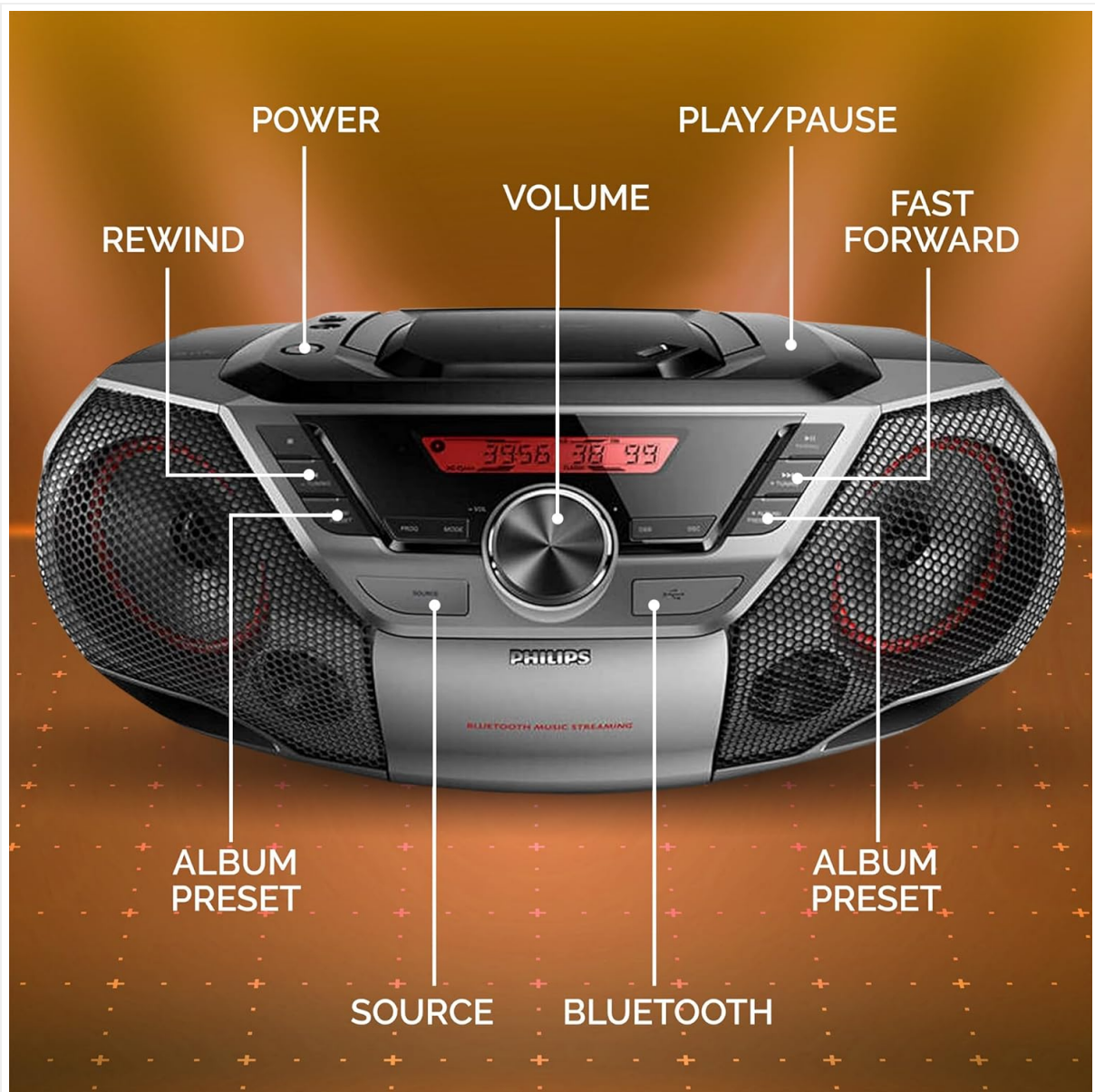


Figure 2.2: Diagram illustrating the main controls on the Philips Portable Boombox. Key controls include Power, Volume, Play/Pause, Fast Forward, Rewind, Album/Preset buttons, Source selection, and Bluetooth pairing area.

- **Power Button:** Turns the unit on or off.
- **Volume Control:** Adjusts the audio output level.
- **Play/Pause:** Controls playback for CD, USB, and Bluetooth sources.
- **Fast Forward/Rewind:** Navigates within tracks or tunes radio frequencies.
- **Album/Preset:** Used for navigating albums on USB/CD or selecting radio presets.
- **Source Button:** Selects between CD, FM, Bluetooth, and USB input modes.
- **Bluetooth/NFC Area:** Initiates Bluetooth pairing and NFC tap-to-pair functionality.
- **LCD Display:** Shows current mode, track information, and radio frequency.
- **Dynamic Bass Boost (DBB):** Enhances bass frequencies for a richer sound experience.

2.2 Product Dimensions

PRODUCT DIMENSIONS



Figure 2.3: The Philips Portable Boombox measures approximately 17.12 inches in width, 10.6 inches in depth, and 6.69 inches in height.

3. SETUP

3.1 Power Connection

The boombox can be powered by AC mains or batteries.

- **AC Power:** Connect the supplied power cord to the AC IN socket on the unit and then to a wall outlet.
- **Battery Power:** Open the battery compartment on the bottom of the unit. Insert the required number of C-size batteries (not supplied), ensuring correct polarity. Close the compartment securely.

3.2 Remote Control Battery Installation

Insert one AAA battery (not supplied) into the remote control, observing the polarity markings inside the compartment.

4. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

4.1 CD Playback

1. Press the **SOURCE** button to select CD mode.
2. Open the CD compartment cover.
3. Place a CD (MP3-CD, CD, or CD-R/RW) with the label side facing up onto the spindle. Gently press the CD until it

clicks into place.

4. Close the CD compartment cover. The display will show the total number of tracks.
5. Press the **PLAY/PAUSE** button to start playback.
6. To skip tracks, press the **FAST FORWARD** or **REWIND** buttons.
7. To pause, press **PLAY/PAUSE**. Press again to resume.
8. To stop playback, press the **STOP** button.
9. The Shuffle/Repeat function can be used to change playback order.

4.2 Bluetooth Streaming



Figure 4.1: Illustrates wireless music streaming via Bluetooth from a smartphone to the boombox.

The boombox supports wireless audio streaming from Bluetooth-enabled devices.

1. Press the **SOURCE** button to select Bluetooth mode. The Bluetooth indicator will flash.
2. On your Bluetooth device (e.g., smartphone, tablet), enable Bluetooth and search for available devices.
3. Select "Philips134" (or similar name) from the list of devices to pair.
4. Once paired, the Bluetooth indicator will glow steadily, and you can play audio from your device through the boombox.

4.2.1 NFC Pairing

For NFC-enabled devices, simply tap your device on the NFC area of the boombox to initiate Bluetooth pairing automatically.

4.3 FM Radio

1. Press the **SOURCE** button to select FM radio mode.
2. Extend the FM antenna for optimal reception.
3. To tune manually, press the **FAST FORWARD** or **REWIND** buttons briefly.
4. To auto-scan for stations, press and hold the **FAST FORWARD** or **REWIND** buttons. The radio will stop at the next strong station.
5. To store a preset station, tune to the desired station, then press the **PROG** button. Use the **ALBUM/PRESET** buttons to select a preset number, then press **PROG** again to confirm.
6. To recall a preset station, press the **ALBUM/PRESET** buttons.

4.4 USB Playback

1. Insert a USB flash drive into the USB port.
2. Press the **SOURCE** button to select USB mode.
3. Playback will begin automatically. If not, press the **PLAY/PAUSE** button.
4. Use the **FAST FORWARD** or **REWIND** buttons to navigate tracks.

4.5 Headphone Jack

Connect standard 3.5mm headphones to the headphone jack for private listening. Audio will be muted from the main speakers when headphones are connected.

4.6 Dynamic Bass Boost (DBB)

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Dynamic Bass Boost
for deep and dramatic
sound

Digital Sound Control
for optimised music
style settings



Figure 4.2: The Dynamic Bass Boost feature enhances low-frequency sounds for a more impactful audio experience.

Press the **DBB** button on the unit or remote control to activate or deactivate the Dynamic Bass Boost feature. This function enhances bass frequencies, particularly at lower volume levels, to provide a richer sound.

5. MAINTENANCE

5.1 Cleaning

- Disconnect the power cord before cleaning.
- Use a soft, damp cloth to clean the exterior of the unit. Do not use abrasive cleaners or solvents.
- For the CD lens, use a specialized CD lens cleaner.

5.2 Battery Care

- Remove batteries if the unit will not be used for an extended period to prevent leakage.
- Do not mix old and new batteries, or different types of batteries.

6. TROUBLESHOOTING

If you encounter issues with your boombox, refer to the following common problems and solutions:

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
No power	Power cord not connected; Batteries depleted or incorrectly inserted.	Ensure power cord is securely connected. Replace batteries or check polarity.
No sound	Volume too low; Headphones connected; Incorrect source selected.	Increase volume. Disconnect headphones. Select the correct audio source.
CD not playing	CD inserted incorrectly; CD is dirty or scratched; CD compartment not closed.	Reinsert CD correctly. Clean or replace CD. Ensure compartment is closed.
Bluetooth not connecting	Boombox not in pairing mode; Device too far; Bluetooth disabled on device.	Ensure boombox is in Bluetooth mode and flashing. Move device closer. Enable Bluetooth on your device.
Poor FM reception	Antenna not extended; Weak signal.	Fully extend and adjust the FM antenna. Try repositioning the unit.

7. SPECIFICATIONS

- **Brand:** PHILIPS
- **Model Number:** Philips134
- **Connectivity Technology:** Bluetooth, USB
- **Speaker Type:** Stereo
- **Power Source:** Corded Electric (AC) / Battery (C-size, not included)
- **Item Weight:** 6.4 pounds
- **Color:** Black/Red
- **Features:** CD Player, FM Radio, MP3 Playback, Mega Bass Reflex, NFC, Headphone Jack, LCD Display

8. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

This product is covered by a manufacturer's warranty. For detailed warranty information, please refer to the warranty card included with your purchase or visit the official Philips support website. For technical assistance or further inquiries, please contact Philips customer support.

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