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Roadstar CDR-365U/RD

Roadstar Portable Stereo System

MODEL: CDR-365U/RD

Introduction

This user manual provides detailed instructions for the operation and maintenance of your Roadstar CDR-365U Portable Stereo System. Please read this manual thoroughly before using the device to ensure proper function and to maximize your listening experience. Keep this manual for future reference.



Front view of the Roadstar CDR-365U Portable Stereo System, showcasing its red and black design with central control panel and display.

Safety Information

- Do not expose the unit to rain or moisture to prevent fire or electric shock.
- Ensure proper ventilation; do not block any ventilation openings.
- Use only attachments/accessories specified by the manufacturer.
- Unplug the unit during lightning storms or when unused for long periods.
- Do not open the casing. Refer all servicing to qualified service personnel.
- Dispose of batteries responsibly according to local regulations.

Package Contents

- Roadstar CDR-365U Portable Stereo System
- AC Power Cable
- User Manual (this document)



The included AC power cable for connecting the stereo system to a wall outlet.

Product Overview

Familiarize yourself with the various parts and controls of your Roadstar CDR-365U.



Detailed view of the central control panel, showing the display, power button, EQ/MODE button, volume controls, track navigation, play/pause, repeat, USB port, and AUX/Headphone jacks.

- **Power Button:** Turns the unit on or off.

- **EQ/MODE Button:** Switches between different audio modes (CD, FM, USB, AUX) and equalizer presets.
- **Volume Controls (VOL- / VOL+):** Adjusts the audio output level.
- **Skip/Search Buttons (◄◄ / ►►):** Navigates tracks on CD/USB or tunes radio frequencies.
- **Play/Pause Button (►►):** Starts or pauses playback.
- **Stop Button (■):** Stops playback.
- **Repeat Button (▶/REP):** Repeats the current track or all tracks.
- **USB Port:** For connecting USB flash drives for MP3 playback.
- **AUX Input:** 3.5mm jack for connecting external audio devices.
- **Headphone Output:** 3.5mm jack for private listening.
- **LCD Display:** Shows current mode, track number, frequency, etc.
- **CD Compartment:** Top-loading tray for CDs.

Setup

Power Connection

1. **AC Power:** Connect the supplied AC power cable to the AC IN jack on the back of the unit and then to a standard 230V AC wall outlet.
2. **Battery Power:** For portable use, the unit can be powered by 4 x 'C' size (UM-2) batteries (not supplied). Open the battery compartment on the bottom of the unit, insert the batteries observing the correct polarity (+/-), and close the compartment.



The Roadstar CDR-365U can be powered by 4 'C' size batteries for portability.

Operating Instructions

Power On/Off

Press the **Power** button ( ) to turn the unit on or off.

Radio Operation (FM)

1. Press the **EQ/MODE** button repeatedly until 'FM' appears on the display.
2. Extend the FM antenna for better reception.
3. **Manual Tuning:** Press the **Skip/Search** buttons (◄◄ / ►►) briefly to fine-tune the frequency.
4. **Automatic Tuning:** Press and hold the **Skip/Search** buttons (◄◄ / ►►) for a few seconds to automatically scan for the next available station.

CD Player Operation

1. Open the CD compartment lid.

2. Place a CD (CD, CD-R, CD-RW) with the label side facing up onto the spindle.
3. Close the CD compartment lid.
4. Press the **EQ/MODE** button repeatedly until 'CD' appears on the display.
5. The CD will start playing automatically. If not, press the **Play/Pause** button (►►).
6. Use **Skip/Search** buttons (◀◀ / ►►) to skip tracks. Press and hold to fast forward/reverse.
7. Press **Play/Pause** (►►) to pause playback, press again to resume.
8. Press **Stop** (■) to stop playback.
9. Press **Repeat** (▶/REP) to repeat the current track or all tracks.



The top-loading CD compartment with a disc inserted, ready for playback.

USB Playback (MP3)

1. Insert a USB flash drive containing MP3 files into the USB port.
2. Press the **EQ/MODE** button repeatedly until 'USB' appears on the display.
3. Playback will start automatically. If not, press the **Play/Pause** button (►►).
4. Use **Skip/Search** buttons (◀◀ / ►►) to navigate tracks.

AUX Input

1. Connect an external audio device (e.g., smartphone, MP3 player) to the AUX IN jack using a 3.5mm audio cable (not supplied).
2. Press the **EQ/MODE** button repeatedly until 'AUX' appears on the display.
3. Control playback from your external device.

Headphone Output

Connect headphones with a 3.5mm jack to the Headphone Output jack for private listening. The main speakers will be muted automatically.

Volume Control

Use the **VOL-** and **VOL+** buttons to adjust the listening volume.

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:** When not in use for extended periods, store the unit in a cool, dry place and remove batteries if applicable.

Troubleshooting

Problem	Solution
Unit does not power on.	Check if the AC power cable is securely connected. If using batteries, ensure they are inserted correctly and are not depleted.
No sound.	Adjust the volume. Ensure headphones are not connected if you want sound from speakers. Check the selected mode (CD, FM, USB, AUX).
CD does not play.	Ensure the CD is clean and free of scratches. Make sure the CD is inserted correctly with the label side up. Close the CD compartment lid completely.
USB playback not working.	Ensure the USB drive is properly inserted. Check if the files are in MP3 format. The USB drive might not be compatible or formatted correctly.
Poor radio reception.	Extend and adjust the position of the FM antenna. Try moving the unit to a different location.

Specifications

Feature	Value
Brand	Roadstar
Model Number	CDR-365U/RD
Color	Red
Connectivity Technology	USB
Compatible Devices	Mobile devices, MP3 players, laptops
Speaker Type	Stereo
Power Source	AC Cable (230V), 4 x Type C Batteries (not included)
Style	Portable
Total Output Power	32 Watts
Surround Sound Channel Configuration	2.0
Supported Standards	MP3
Radio Tuner	FM PLL (Manual/Automatic)
CD Player	CD, CD-R, CD-RW (with reverse and forward)
Dimensions (W x H x D)	233 x 120 x 211 mm
Weight	1.2 kg

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