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Podofa 1-DIN Car Radio with 9-Inch Screen User Manual

Model: C200

1. INTRODUCTION

This manual provides detailed instructions for the installation, operation, and maintenance of your Podofa 1-DIN Car Radio. Please read this manual thoroughly before using the product to ensure proper functionality and safety. This car radio features a 9-inch screen, Apple CarPlay, Android Auto, Bluetooth connectivity, FM/AM radio, Steering Wheel Control (SWC), Mirror Link, and includes a rearview camera.

2. WHAT'S IN THE BOX

Carefully unpack your new Podofa Car Radio. Ensure all items listed below are present and in good condition.

- Podofa 1-DIN Car Radio Unit
- Power Cable
- Speaker Cable
- External Microphone
- Rearview Camera
- Instruction Manual

Package List



Power Cable



Horn Cable



User Manual



Microphone



Rear Camera

Image: Package contents showing the car radio, power cable, speaker cable, user manual, external microphone, and rearview camera.

3. SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Description
Brand	podofo
Model Number	C200
Connectivity Technology	Bluetooth, USB
Controller Type	Android, iOS
Special Feature	MP5 Player
Compatible Devices	Installation size is 178 x 50 mm. Verify compatibility with your central console.
Total HDMI Ports	1
Audio Output Mode	MP3/AAC/OGG/FLAC/APE
Surround Sound Channel Configuration	4.0
Video Encoding	AVI/3GP/MP4/MOV/MPG/MKV/VOB/RMVB/RM
Color	Black

Analog RGB Input	USB, RCA
Output Power	45 Watts
Number of Channels	4
Internet Applications	All applications supported by Apple CarPlay & Android Auto
Control Method	Touch, Voice
Audio Output Type	AUX, Bluetooth
Wireless Technology	Bluetooth
Country of Origin	China

Contenuto della confezione



Telecamera posteriore



Cavo di alimentazione



Cavo clacson



Manuale utente



Microfono

Image: Product dimensions and rear wiring connections for installation.

4. SETUP

4.1 Installation

The installation size of this unit is 178 x 50 mm (1-DIN standard). Before installation, please verify that your vehicle's central console opening is compatible with these dimensions. Professional installation is recommended.

1. **Prepare the Dashboard:** Carefully remove the existing car radio and any necessary trim panels from your vehicle's dashboard.
2. **Connect Wiring:** Connect the provided Power Cable and Speaker Cable to your vehicle's wiring harness. Ensure all connections are secure and correctly matched according to your vehicle's wiring diagram.
3. **Connect External Microphone:** Plug the external microphone into the designated port on the car radio. Position the microphone in a suitable location for clear voice capture.
4. **Connect Rearview Camera:** Connect the rearview camera cable to the corresponding input on the car radio. Route the camera cable to the rear of the vehicle and mount the camera securely. Ensure the camera's power is connected to the reverse light circuit so it activates automatically when reversing.
5. **Mount the Unit:** Slide the car radio into the dashboard opening and secure it using the mounting brackets. Reinstall any removed trim panels.

4.2 Initial Power-On

After installation, turn on your vehicle's ignition. The car radio should power on automatically. Follow any on-screen prompts for initial setup, such as language selection or time adjustment.

5. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

5.1 Basic Controls

- **Power Button:** Press to turn the unit on/off.
- **Volume Control:** Use the volume buttons or on-screen controls to adjust audio levels.
- **Mode Button:** Cycle through different audio sources (Radio, USB, AUX, Bluetooth, CarPlay/Android Auto).

5.2 CarPlay and Android Auto

The unit supports wired Apple CarPlay and Android Auto. Connect your compatible mobile phone via a USB cable to the car radio's USB port. The system will automatically detect and launch the respective interface.

- **Voice Commands:** Use voice commands to access navigation, make calls, send messages, and control music.
- **App Access:** Access supported mobile applications directly from the car radio's screen.



Image: Car radio screen displaying Apple CarPlay and Android Auto interfaces, with connected smartphones.

5.3 Bluetooth Connectivity

The integrated Bluetooth 4.0 allows for hands-free calling and wireless music streaming.

1. **Pairing:** On the car radio, navigate to the Bluetooth menu. Enable Bluetooth on your mobile phone and search for available devices. Select "Podofo Car Radio" (or similar name) from the list and confirm pairing.
2. **Hands-Free Calls:** Once paired, you can make and receive calls directly through the car radio. The external microphone ensures clear communication.
3. **Music Playback:** Stream audio from your phone to the car radio wirelessly.



Image: Car radio displaying FM radio tuning and a separate image showing the Bluetooth pairing interface with a phone.

5.4 FM/AM Radio

Access the FM/AM radio function to listen to local broadcasts.

- **Automatic Search:** The unit can automatically search for and store up to 18 FM/AM stations.
- **Manual Tuning:** Manually tune to desired frequencies using the on-screen controls.

5.5 Mirror Link

The Mirror Link function allows you to project your Android (up to version 12.0) or iOS (up to version 16.0) mobile phone screen onto the car radio display.

1. **Connect Phone:** Connect your mobile phone to the car radio via USB.
2. **Activate Mirror Link:** Select the Mirror Link option on the car radio. Follow the on-screen instructions to establish the connection.



Image: Displays of Mirror Link, Steering Wheel Controls (SWC), and the rearview camera feed.

5.6 Steering Wheel Control (SWC)

If your vehicle supports SWC, you can configure the car radio to respond to your steering wheel buttons.

1. **Access SWC Settings:** Go to the system settings menu on the car radio and find the Steering Wheel Control learning function.
2. **Program Buttons:** Follow the on-screen instructions to assign functions to your steering wheel buttons.

5.7 Rearview Camera

The included rearview camera automatically displays the rear view on the car radio screen when the vehicle is shifted into reverse gear. The camera features 12 LEDs for improved visibility.

5.8 EQ Sound Adjustment

Customize your audio experience using the Equalizer (EQ) settings.

- **Access EQ:** Navigate to the audio settings menu to find the EQ adjustments.
- **Adjust Settings:** Modify bass, treble, and other sound parameters to your preference.

Descrizione dei prodotti



Image: Displays of phone charging status and the graphical equalizer (EQ) settings.

5.9 Phone Charging

The USB ports on the car radio can be used to charge your mobile phone while listening to music or using other functions.

6. MAINTENANCE

- **Cleaning the Screen:** Use a soft, dry cloth to clean the touchscreen. For stubborn smudges, lightly dampen the cloth with water or a screen-safe cleaner. Avoid abrasive materials or harsh chemicals.
- **General Cleaning:** Keep the unit free from dust and debris. Use a soft brush or compressed air to clean vents and

ports.

- **Software Updates:** Periodically check the manufacturer's website for any available software updates to ensure optimal performance and access to new features.

7. TROUBLESHOOTING

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

Problem	Possible Cause / Solution
Unit does not power on.	Check power cable connections. Ensure vehicle ignition is on. Check vehicle's fuse box for blown fuses.
No sound or distorted sound.	Check speaker cable connections. Verify volume level is not muted or too low. Check EQ settings. If sound issues occur after using the rearview camera during boot-up, try restarting the unit.
CarPlay/Android Auto not connecting or disconnecting frequently.	Ensure you are using a high-quality USB data cable. Check your phone's settings for developer options (e.g., USB debugging for Android). Ensure your phone's OS version is within the supported range (Android 12.0, iOS 16.0). Try restarting both the phone and the car radio.
Touchscreen is unresponsive or slow.	Restart the unit. Ensure the screen is clean and free of moisture or debris.
Rearview camera image is not displayed or flickers.	Check the camera cable connection. Ensure the camera's power is correctly wired to the reverse light circuit. Some flickering may occur during the first few seconds of activation.
Unit loses settings after turning off the car.	Verify that the constant power (yellow wire) and accessory power (red wire) are correctly connected to your vehicle's wiring harness.
Display is difficult to read in sunlight.	This can be a characteristic of some display types. Adjust screen brightness if available in settings.

If the problem persists after attempting these solutions, please contact customer support.

8. WARRANTY

This Podofo Car Radio comes with a **2-year product warranty** from the date of purchase. This warranty covers manufacturing defects and malfunctions under normal use. It does not cover damage caused by improper installation, misuse, accidents, unauthorized modifications, or normal wear and tear. Please retain your proof of purchase for warranty claims.

9. SUPPORT

For further assistance, technical support, or warranty inquiries, please refer to the contact information provided with your purchase or visit the official Podofo website.

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Details

Model number, symptoms, what you tried, or the section of the manual you are using.

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