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Model: JCR-360 | Brand: Jensen

PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The JENSEN JCR-360 is a versatile digital FM clock radio designed to enhance your daily routine with its unique features. It combines a dual-alarm clock with a multi-color LED mood lamp and a selection of soothing nature sounds. This unit also includes a convenient USB charging port for your devices.



Figure 1: Front view of the JENSEN JCR-360 Mood Lamp Clock Radio, displaying the time and illuminated lamp.



Figure 2: Overview of the JCR-360 highlighting key features such as the top controls, USB charging port, multi-color LED mood lamp, gentle wake-up lamp, and nature sounds.

SETUP AND INSTALLATION

Power Connection

The JCR-360 operates on 120-volt AC power. Connect the included power adapter to the DC IN jack on the back of the unit and then plug it into a standard wall outlet.

Battery Backup Installation

For maintaining clock settings during a power outage, install a backup battery (not included). Locate the battery compartment on the bottom of the unit. Insert the required battery type, ensuring correct polarity. Refer to the battery compartment for specific battery type (e.g., 2 x AAA batteries).



Figure 3: Rear view of the JCR-360, showing the power input and the 1-amp USB charging port.

Initial Time Setting

Upon first power-up or after a power interruption without battery backup, the display will flash. Use the **TIME SET** button and **TUNE** buttons on the top panel to set the current time and date. Press **TIME SET** repeatedly to cycle through year, month, day, hour, and minute settings.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Top Panel Controls

6 selectable nature sounds



Figure 4: Detailed view of the JCR-360's top-mounted control panel, showing buttons for time set, dimmer, mood light, tune, snooze, lamp on/off, alarm, and source selection.

- **POWER / SOURCE:** Press to turn the unit on or off, or to switch between FM radio and AUX input.
- **TIME SET / Y-M-D:** Used to set the current time and date.
- **MEM / M+:** For saving and recalling FM radio presets.
- **TUNE +/-:** Adjusts radio frequency or navigates menu options.
- **DIMMER:** Adjusts the brightness of the 0.7-inch amber LED display.
- **MOOD LIGHT:** Activates and cycles through the multi-color LED mood lamp modes.
- **LAMP ON/OFF:** Turns the white LED lamp on or off.
- **SNOOZE:** Temporarily silences the alarm.
- **ALARM 1 / ALARM 2:** Sets and activates Alarm 1 or Alarm 2.
- **VOLUME +/-:** Adjusts the audio volume.

Alarm Clock Functions

The JCR-360 features a dual alarm clock system, allowing you to set two independent alarms. Each alarm can be set to wake you with FM radio, a nature sound, or a traditional buzzer. Additionally, you can enable the gentle wake-up lamp feature.

1. Press and hold **ALARM 1** or **ALARM 2** to enter alarm setting mode.
2. Use **TUNE +/-** to adjust the hour and minute, then press the respective **ALARM** button to confirm.
3. Select the alarm source (FM, Nature Sound, Buzzer) and volume using **TUNE +/-** and confirm.
4. To activate the gentle wake-up lamp, ensure the lamp icon is displayed when setting the alarm. The lamp will gradually brighten 30 minutes prior to the set alarm time.

To turn off a sounding alarm, press the **SNOOZE** button for a temporary pause, or press the corresponding **ALARM** button to turn it off completely until the next set time.

FM Radio Operation

Press the **POWER / SOURCE** button to select FM mode. Use the **TUNE +/-** buttons to manually tune to your desired FM station. To automatically scan and save stations, press and hold the **MEM / M+** button.

To recall a saved preset, press **MEM / M+** repeatedly to cycle through the stored stations.

Mood Lamp and White LED Lamp

The JCR-360 features a multi-color LED mood lamp and a white LED lamp with 20 brightness levels.

- Press the **LAMP ON/OFF** button to turn the white LED lamp on or off. Use the **DIMMER** button to adjust its brightness.
- Press the **MOOD LIGHT** button to activate the multi-color mood lamp. Press repeatedly to cycle through various color modes and effects.



Figure 5: The JCR-360 showcasing its multi-color LED mood lamp capabilities, displaying various vibrant colors.



Figure 6: The JCR-360 functioning as a night light with adjustable brightness, providing ambient illumination in a bedroom.

Nature Sounds

The unit offers 6 soothing nature sounds to help you relax or wake up gently.

- Chirping Birds
- Ocean
- Forest Stream
- Wind Chimes
- Summer Night
- Thunderstorm

To select a nature sound, cycle through the alarm source options or use a dedicated nature sound button if available (refer to top panel controls for specific button). Adjust volume using the **VOLUME +/-** buttons.



Figure 7: Visual representation of the six selectable nature sounds available on the JCR-360.

USB Charging Port

A built-in 1-amp USB charging port is located on the back of the unit. Connect your smartphone or other USB-powered device using its charging cable to charge it while you sleep or use the clock radio.

Auxiliary Input

Connect an external audio device, such as an MP3 player or smartphone, to the AUX IN jack on the back of the unit using a 3.5mm audio cable (not included). Press the **POWER / SOURCE** button to select AUX mode and play audio through the JCR-360's speaker.

MAINTENANCE

Cleaning

To clean the unit, gently wipe the surfaces with a soft, dry cloth. Do not use abrasive cleaners, waxes, or solvents as they may damage the finish. Ensure the unit is unplugged before cleaning.

Battery Backup Replacement

If the clock settings are not retained during a power outage, the backup battery may need replacement. Follow the battery installation steps in the "Setup and Installation" section to replace the battery.

TROUBLESHOOTING

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Unit does not power on.	Power cord not securely connected.	Ensure the power adapter is firmly plugged into the unit and the wall outlet.
Display is dim or unreadable.	Dimmer setting is too low.	Press the DIMMER button to increase display brightness.
Alarm does not sound.	Alarm not set or volume too low.	Verify alarm settings and ensure alarm volume is audible. Check if alarm is enabled.
Poor FM radio reception.	Antenna not extended or interference.	Extend the FM wire antenna fully. Try repositioning the unit to improve reception.
USB charging not working.	Device not compatible or cable faulty.	Ensure your device is compatible with 1-amp charging. Try a different USB cable.

SPECIFICATIONS

Brand: Jensen

Model: JCR-360

Display Type: LED (0.7-inch amber)

Power Source: AC 120V (Corded Electric)

Battery Backup: Requires battery (not included)

Product Dimensions: 4.53"W x 5.91"H

Item Weight: 1.02 pounds

Radio Bands Supported: FM

Connectivity: Auxiliary Input, USB Charging Port (1-amp)

Special Features: Dual Alarm, Mood Lamp (multi-color LED), White LED Lamp (20 brightness levels), 6 Nature Sounds, Snooze, Sleep Timer, High/Low Dimmer.

UPC: 077283963636

Warranty and Support

Limited Warranty

This JENSEN JCR-360 unit is covered by a **1-year limited warranty** from the date of original purchase against defects in materials and workmanship. Please retain your proof of purchase for warranty claims.

Customer Support

For technical assistance, troubleshooting, or warranty inquiries, please visit the official Jensen website or contact their customer support. Contact information can typically be found on the manufacturer's website or product packaging.

Note: This product contains chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer and birth defects or other reproductive harm.

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