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Model: CR8005F-BK

## INTRODUCTION

Thank you for purchasing the Crosley Cruiser Plus Vintage 3-Speed Bluetooth In/Out Suitcase Vinyl Record Player Turntable. This manual provides essential information for setting up, operating, and maintaining your new record player. Please read it thoroughly before use to ensure optimal performance and longevity of your device.



Image: The Crosley Cruiser Plus Vintage Turntable in Black/Red, open and ready to play a vinyl record.

## PACKAGE CONTENTS

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Before you begin, please ensure all items listed below are present in your package:

- CR8005F Cruiser Plus Turntable
- AC Adapter
- User Manual (this document)
- 45 RPM Adapter

## SETUP

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### 1. Unpacking and Placement

Carefully remove the turntable from its packaging. Place the unit on a flat, level surface away from direct sunlight, heat sources, and excessive dust or vibration. Ensure there is adequate ventilation around the unit.

### 2. Power Connection

Connect the supplied AC adapter to the DC IN 5V jack located on the back of the turntable. Plug the AC adapter into a suitable wall outlet.



Image: Rear panel of the turntable, highlighting the power input and audio connections.

### 3. Components Overview

Familiarize yourself with the various components of your turntable:

Hand-wrapped Wooden Cabinet in Premium Materials



RCA Aux Input



Cueing Lever



Adjustable Pitch Control



Headphone Jack



Image: Detailed diagram showing the location and function of key components such as RCA output, Aux input, cueing lever, pitch control, and headphone jack.

- **Platter:** Where the record rests.
- **Spindle:** Holds the record in place.
- **Tonearm:** Holds the stylus and tracks the record grooves.
- **Stylus (Needle):** The part that reads the record.
- **Cueing Lever:** Raises and lowers the tonearm gently.
- **Pitch Control:** Adjusts the playback speed slightly.
- **Function Switch:** Selects between Phono (record playback) and Bluetooth modes.
- **Speed Selector:** Changes playback speed (33 1/3, 45, 78 RPM).
- **Volume Knob:** Controls the output volume.
- **Headphone Jack:** For private listening.
- **RCA Output:** For connecting to external stereo systems.
- **Aux Input:** For connecting external audio devices to play through the turntable's speakers.

## OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

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### 1. Playing a Vinyl Record

1. Open the lid of the turntable.
2. Place a record on the platter. If playing a 45 RPM single, place the 45 RPM adapter on the spindle first.
3. Set the **Speed Selector** to the appropriate speed (33 1/3, 45, or 78 RPM) for your record.
4. Ensure the **Function Switch** is set to **PHONO**.
5. Release the tonearm lock.
6. Lift the tonearm using the **Cueing Lever**.
7. Manually move the tonearm over the desired starting track of the record.
8. Gently lower the tonearm onto the record using the **Cueing Lever**. The record will begin to play.
9. Adjust the volume using the **Volume Knob**.
10. Use the **Pitch Control** knob to fine-tune the playback speed if needed.
11. At the end of the record, the turntable will automatically stop spinning. Lift the tonearm, return it to the tonearm rest, and engage the tonearm lock.



Image: Overhead view of the turntable's control panel, showing the speed selector, pitch control, and volume knob.

### 2. Bluetooth Functionality

#### Bluetooth In (Streaming to Turntable Speakers)

You can stream digital music from your Bluetooth-enabled device (e.g., smartphone, tablet) to the turntable's built-in speakers.

1. Set the **Function Switch** to **Bluetooth**. The Bluetooth indicator light will flash.
2. Enable Bluetooth on your external device and search for "Crosley Cruiser Plus".
3. Select the turntable from the list to pair. Once paired, the indicator light will glow solid.
4. Play music from your device. The audio will play through the turntable's speakers.



 **Bluetooth**<sup>®</sup>

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**Stream Digital Music  
Through the Built-in Speakers**



Image: A smartphone connected via Bluetooth to the turntable, demonstrating how digital music can be streamed to the turntable's speakers.

### **Bluetooth Out (Streaming Vinyl to External Bluetooth Speakers)**

You can stream the audio from your vinyl records to external Bluetooth speakers.

1. Ensure your external Bluetooth speaker is in pairing mode.
2. Set the **Function Switch** to **PHONO**.
3. Press and hold the Bluetooth button on the turntable until the indicator light flashes rapidly. The turntable is now searching for an external Bluetooth speaker.
4. Once connected, the indicator light will glow solid. Play a record, and the audio will be transmitted to your external Bluetooth speaker.



## Stream Vinyl Through External Bluetooth Speakers



*\*Bluetooth Speaker Not Included*

Image: The turntable connected wirelessly to an external Bluetooth speaker, showing how vinyl audio can be streamed.

### 3. Audio Connections

Your turntable offers various connectivity options:

- **Headphone Jack:** Plug in standard 3.5mm headphones for private listening. The internal speakers will be muted.
- **RCA Output:** Use RCA cables (not included) to connect the turntable to an external stereo system or powered speakers for enhanced sound. Connect the red plug to the right input and the white plug to the left input on your audio system.
- **Aux Input:** Connect an external audio device (e.g., MP3 player, smartphone) to the 3.5mm Aux In jack using an audio cable (not included). The audio from the external device will play through the turntable's built-in speakers.

## MAINTENANCE

### 1. Cleaning the Turntable

Wipe the exterior of the turntable with a soft, dry cloth. Do not use abrasive cleaners or solvents. Keep the lid closed when not in use to protect the platter and tonearm from dust.

## 2. Cleaning the Stylus

The stylus can accumulate dust and debris, affecting sound quality. Use a soft brush designed for stylus cleaning, brushing gently from back to front. Avoid touching the stylus with your fingers.

## 3. Stylus Replacement

The stylus has a limited lifespan (typically 300-500 hours of play). If you notice a decrease in sound quality or distortion, the stylus may need replacement. Refer to the full user manual for detailed instructions on replacing the stylus.

## 4. Storage

When not in use for extended periods, ensure the tonearm is secured with its lock and the lid is closed. Store the turntable in a cool, dry place. Its suitcase design and carry handle make it convenient for portable storage.

## TROUBLESHOOTING

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
No power	AC adapter not connected properly or power outlet is faulty.	Ensure the AC adapter is securely plugged into the turntable and a working wall outlet. Try a different outlet.
No sound from speakers	Volume too low; Function switch set incorrectly; Headphones plugged in.	Increase volume. Ensure Function switch is set to PHONO for records or Bluetooth for streaming. Unplug headphones if connected.
Record skipping	Record is dirty or scratched; Stylus is worn or dirty; Turntable not level; Excessive vibration.	Clean the record. Clean or replace the stylus. Place the turntable on a stable, level surface. Avoid placing near vibrating objects.
Distorted sound	Stylus is dirty or worn; Volume too high; Record is damaged.	Clean or replace the stylus. Reduce volume. Try a different record.
Bluetooth pairing issues	Device too far; Turntable not in pairing mode; Interference.	Ensure devices are within range (approx. 30 ft). Follow pairing instructions carefully. Turn off other Bluetooth devices nearby.

## SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Model Name	Cruiser Plus Vintage
Model Number	CR8005F-BK
Color	Black/Red
Dimensions (L x W x H)	13.78 x 10.24 x 12.87 inches
Item Weight	5.5 pounds
Material	Plastic
Power Source	Corded Electric (5 Volts)

Feature	Detail
Speeds Supported	33 1/3, 45, 78 RPM
Connectivity	Bluetooth In/Out, RCA Output, Aux Input, Headphone Jack
Special Features	Built-in Stereo Speakers, Pitch Control, Auto-stop



Image: Visual representation of the turntable's dimensions.

## WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

For detailed warranty information and customer support, please refer to the full user manual included with your product or visit the official Crosley website. Crosley Radio products are proudly designed in the USA and come with USA-based customer support.

You can also find additional resources and contact information on the [Crosley Brand Store on Amazon](#).

