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INTRODUCTION

Thank you for purchasing the Carina LF-0088 88-Key Electronic Piano. This manual provides essential information for the safe and effective use of your new instrument. Please read it thoroughly before use and keep it for future reference. The Carina LF-0088 combines a wooden body with a stylish design, offering a warm aesthetic that complements various environments. It is designed to provide a high-quality musical experience for both beginners and experienced players.



Image: The Carina LF-0088 88-Key Electronic Piano, showcasing its wooden design and full keyboard.

PRODUCT OVERVIEW

Key Features

- **88-Key Keyboard:** Full-size keyboard for a comprehensive playing experience.
- **High-Quality Sound:** Equipped with two 20W speakers and a French-made DREAM sound source for rich, dynamic audio.
- **128-Note Polyphony:** Ensures natural sustain and allows for complex musical passages without note drop-out.
- **Extensive Tones & Rhythms:** Features 380 different tones and 128 rhythm patterns.
- **80 Demo Songs:** Pre-loaded songs for listening and learning.
- **Versatile Functions:** Includes sustain, recording/playback, metronome, chord function, dual keyboard mode, mix tone, transpose, and tempo control.
- **Touch Sensitivity:** Adjustable touch response for expressive playing.
- **Connectivity:** Sustain pedal jack, MIDI input/output, audio input/output, 3.5mm headphone jack, and DC 9-12V power input. Supports wireless MIDI.
- **Wooden Design:** Elegant wooden body for a classic and warm appearance.



Image: The control panel highlighting the 380 tones, 128 rhythms, and 80 demo songs.

Included Components

Please check that all the following items are included in the package:

- Carina LF-0088 Electronic Piano Body
- Music Stand
- Sustain Pedal
- AC Adapter
- Instruction Manual (Japanese)



Image: The electronic piano along with its power adapter, sustain pedal, and instruction manual.

SETUP

1. Unpacking

Carefully remove all components from the packaging. Retain the packaging materials for future transport or storage.

2. Attaching the Music Stand

Insert the music stand into the designated slot on the top rear of the piano body. Ensure it is securely seated.



Image: Simple installation of the music stand by inserting it into the slot.

3. Connecting the Sustain Pedal

Connect the included sustain pedal to the 'SUSTAIN' jack located on the rear panel of the piano. The dedicated sustain pedal provides a realistic feel similar to an acoustic piano.



Image: The sustain pedal, showing its connection and use.

4. Power Connection

Connect the AC adapter to the 'DC 9-12V' power input jack on the rear panel, then plug the adapter into a standard electrical outlet.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Power On/Off

- To power on, press the **POWER** button. The display will light up.
- To power off, press the **POWER** button again.

Volume Adjustment

Use the **VOLUME +/-** buttons on the control panel to adjust the overall sound level.

Sound Selection (Tones)

Press the **TONE** button, then use the number buttons or +/- buttons to select from 380 available tones.

Rhythm Patterns

Press the **RHYTHM** button, then use the number buttons or +/- buttons to select from 128 rhythm patterns. Press **START/STOP** to begin or end the rhythm.

Demo Songs

Press the **DEMO** button, then use the number buttons or +/- buttons to select from 80 demo songs. Press **PLAY/PAUSE** to start or pause playback.

Recording and Playback

- To record, press the **RECORD** button. Play your desired piece.
- To stop recording, press **RECORD** again.
- To play back your recording, press the **PLAYBACK** button.

Metronome

Press the **METRONOME** button to activate the metronome. Use the **TEMPO +/-** buttons to adjust the tempo.

Headphone Use

Connect 3.5mm headphones to the headphone jack on the rear panel for private practice. The internal speakers will automatically mute when headphones are connected.



Image: A close-up view of hands on the piano keys, demonstrating playability.

MAINTENANCE

Cleaning

Wipe the piano body and keys with a soft, dry cloth. For stubborn dirt, slightly dampen the cloth with water and mild soap, then wipe dry immediately. Avoid using abrasive cleaners, solvents, or waxes, as these can damage the finish.

Storage

Store the piano in a cool, dry place away from direct sunlight, extreme temperatures, and high humidity. These conditions can affect the wooden components and electronic parts. If storing for an extended period, disconnect the power adapter.

Natural Wood Characteristics

The piano body is made from natural wood, specifically Western Red Cedar, known for its excellent sound resonance. Due to the nature of natural wood, minor variations in grain, color, or the presence of sap-related patterns (stains/discoloration) may occur. These are not defects but inherent characteristics of natural wood and do not affect the product's performance or quality. Over time, the wood's appearance may change due to environmental conditions; this is normal.



Image: A close-up of the piano's wooden design, highlighting its natural texture.

TROUBLESHOOTING

If you encounter any issues, please refer to the following common problems and solutions before contacting support.

Problem	Possible Cause / Solution
Keys feel sticky or have residue.	Lubricant cream is applied under the keys during manufacturing. Occasionally, a small amount of cream may transfer to the keys. This is normal and can be wiped away with a soft cloth.
Gaps between keys appear uneven.	Due to manufacturing tolerances, the gaps between individual keys may not be perfectly uniform. This does not affect playability or performance.
Stain-like patterns or discoloration on the wooden body.	The piano uses natural Western Red Cedar wood. Variations in wood grain, sap marks, or slight discoloration are natural characteristics and not defects. These do not impact the instrument's sound or function.
No sound or low volume.	Check if the power is on and the volume is turned up. Ensure headphones are not connected if you intend to use the speakers. Verify all cables are securely connected.
Sustain pedal not working.	Ensure the sustain pedal is fully plugged into the correct jack on the rear panel.

SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Model Number	LF-0088
Number of Keys	88
Dimensions (W x D x H)	Approx. 128.6 cm x 24.5 cm x 9 cm
Weight	Approx. 10.75 kg
Tones	380 types
Rhythm Patterns	128 types
Demo Songs	80 types
Max. Polyphony	128 notes
Speakers	2 x 20W
Power Input	DC 9-12V (AC Adapter)
Connectors	Sustain Pedal Jack, MIDI In/Out, Audio In/Out, 3.5mm Headphone Jack
Special Features	Compact, Headphone Jack, Recording, Built-in Speakers, Lightweight, Wireless MIDI Support
Material	Wooden body (Western Red Cedar)

WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

Warranty Information

This Carina LF-0088 Electronic Piano comes with a 1-year manufacturer's warranty from the date of purchase. Please retain your proof of purchase for warranty claims. The warranty covers defects in materials and workmanship under normal use. It does not cover damage caused by misuse, accidents, unauthorized modifications, or natural wear and tear.

Customer Support

For technical assistance, warranty service, or any questions regarding your Carina LF-0088, please contact Carina customer support. Refer to the contact information provided on your purchase receipt or the official Carina website.

