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Model: PRCD1037BT

1. INTRODUCTION

Thank you for purchasing the SYLVANIA PRCD1037BT Portable CD Boom Box. This device offers versatile audio playback options including CD, Bluetooth, AM/FM radio, and auxiliary input. This manual provides essential information for safe and efficient operation of your new boom box.

Important Safety Notice: This product contains chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer and birth defects or other reproductive harm. Please handle with care and refer to all safety guidelines.

2. PACKAGE CONTENTS

Please check the package for the following items:

- SYLVANIA PRCD1037BT Portable CD Boom Box
- AC Power Cord
- User Manual

3. PRODUCT OVERVIEW

Familiarize yourself with the controls and features of your boom box.



Figure 3.1: Front View of the Boom Box. This image displays the front of the SYLVANIA PRCD1037BT boom box, featuring the dual speaker grilles on either side, a central display panel with red LED digits, and control buttons above and below the display. The top handle is visible, suggesting portability.



Figure 3.2: Left Side Detail. A closer view of the left speaker grille and a portion of the central control panel. The LED display shows "8.8." and indicators for POWER, PROG, and REPEAT. A "PLAY/PAUSE" button is located below the display.



Figure 3.3: Right Side Detail. This image provides a close-up of the right speaker grille and the right side of the control panel. Buttons for volume control (minus and plus) and track navigation (previous and next) are visible above the speaker.

Controls and Indicators:

- **POWER Indicator:** Lights up when the unit is powered on.
- **LED Display:** Shows track number, radio frequency, or Bluetooth status.
- **PLAY/PAUSE Button:** Starts or pauses CD playback and Bluetooth audio.
- **PROG Button:** Used for programming CD tracks.
- **REPEAT Button:** Repeats current track or all tracks on CD.
- **Volume Controls (-/+):** Adjusts the audio output level.
- **Skip/Search Buttons (Previous/Next):** Navigates CD tracks or radio stations.
- **Function Selector:** (Typically a switch, not clearly visible in images, but implied by features) Selects CD, Bluetooth, AM, FM, or AUX mode.
- **CD Compartment:** Top-loading bay for compact discs.
- **AM/FM Antenna:** (Usually telescopic for FM, internal for AM) For radio reception.
- **AUX Input:** 3.5mm jack for external audio devices.

- **AC Power Input:** For connecting the AC power cord.
- **Battery Compartment:** For optional C batteries.

4. SETUP

4.1 Power Connection

The boom box can be powered by AC current or batteries.

AC Power:

1. Ensure the boom box is turned off.
2. Insert the small end of the AC power cord into the AC input jack on the back of the unit.
3. Plug the other end of the AC power cord into a standard AC wall outlet (120V~60Hz).

Battery Power:

For portable use, the unit can operate on 6 x 'C' size batteries (not included).

1. Ensure the boom box is turned off and disconnected from AC power.
2. Open the battery compartment cover located on the bottom or back of the unit.
3. Insert 6 'C' size batteries, observing the correct polarity (+/-) as indicated inside the compartment.
4. Close the battery compartment cover securely.

Note: When the AC power cord is connected, battery power is automatically disconnected.

4.2 Initial Power On

After connecting power, press the POWER button to turn on the unit. The LED display will illuminate.

5. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

5.1 CD Playback

1. Press the FUNCTION button (if available) or switch to select "CD" mode.
2. Open the CD compartment cover.
3. Place a CD (CD-R/RW compatible) onto the spindle with the label side facing up.
4. Close the CD compartment cover securely.
5. Press the PLAY/PAUSE button to start playback. The track number will appear on the LED display.
6. Use the SKIP/SEARCH buttons to navigate between tracks.
7. Press the REPEAT button to repeat the current track or all tracks.
8. Press the PROG button to program a sequence of tracks (refer to detailed programming instructions in a full manual if needed).
9. Press the PLAY/PAUSE button again to pause playback. Press it once more to resume.
10. Press the STOP button (if available, or POWER button to turn off) to stop playback.

5.2 Bluetooth Pairing

1. Press the FUNCTION button or switch to select "Bluetooth" mode. The LED display may show "BT" or a similar indicator, and the unit will enter pairing mode, often indicated by a flashing light or sound.
2. On your Bluetooth-enabled device (smartphone, tablet, etc.), enable Bluetooth and search for available devices.
3. Select "PRCD1037BT" (or similar model name) from the list of found devices.

- Once paired, the unit will emit a confirmation sound, and the Bluetooth indicator will stop flashing.
- You can now play audio from your device through the boom box. Use the volume controls on both the boom box and your device to adjust the sound level.

Note: The boom box supports A2DP and AVRCP profiles for Bluetooth audio streaming.

5.3 AM/FM Radio Tuning

- Press the FUNCTION button or switch to select "AM" or "FM" radio mode.
- Extend the telescopic antenna for optimal FM reception. For AM, rotate the unit for best reception.
- Use the TUNING knob (if present) or the SKIP/SEARCH buttons to manually scan for radio stations.
- Adjust the volume to your desired level.

Note: The absence of a digital display for radio frequencies may require careful manual tuning to find desired stations.

5.4 Auxiliary Input

- Press the FUNCTION button or switch to select "AUX" mode.
- Connect one end of a 3.5mm audio cable (not included) to the AUX input jack on the boom box.
- Connect the other end of the audio cable to the headphone jack or audio output of your external audio device (e.g., MP3 player, smartphone).
- Start playback on your external device.
- Adjust the volume using both the boom box's volume controls and your external device's volume controls.

6. MAINTENANCE

6.1 Cleaning

- Disconnect the unit from the power source before cleaning.
- Use a soft, dry cloth to wipe the exterior surfaces.
- Do not use abrasive cleaners, waxes, or solvents as they may damage the finish.
- For the CD lens, use a specialized CD lens cleaner disc (not included) or a soft, lint-free cloth specifically designed for optical lenses.

6.2 Storage

If the unit will not be used for an extended period, remove the batteries to prevent leakage and store the unit in a cool, dry place away from direct sunlight and extreme temperatures.

7. TROUBLESHOOTING

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
No power	AC cord not connected properly; Batteries depleted or incorrectly inserted.	Check AC cord connection; Replace batteries, ensuring correct polarity.
No sound	Volume too low; Incorrect function mode selected; Headphones connected (if applicable).	Increase volume; Select correct function (CD, BT, AM/FM, AUX); Disconnect headphones.
CD not playing	CD inserted incorrectly; CD is dirty or scratched; CD compartment not closed.	Reinsert CD label side up; Clean or replace CD; Close compartment securely.

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Bluetooth not pairing	Boom box not in pairing mode; Device Bluetooth off; Device too far.	Ensure boom box is in BT mode; Enable Bluetooth on device; Move device closer.
Poor radio reception	Antenna not extended; Unit position.	Extend FM antenna fully; Rotate unit for better AM reception.

8. SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Model Number	PRCD1037BT
Output Power	1.5 watts RMS x 2 channels
Frequency Response	100 Hz to 12 kHz
Speaker Drivers	3.5 inches x 2
Bluetooth Support	A2DP and AVRCP profiles
CD Compatibility	CD, CD-R/RW
Radio Bands	AM/FM Stereo
Auxiliary Input	3.5mm jack
Power Source	AC 120V~60Hz or 6 x 'C' Batteries (not included)
Product Dimensions (L x W x H)	7.85 x 11.75 x 5.06 inches
Item Weight	3.25 pounds

9. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

This product is manufactured by CURTIS INTERNATIONAL LTD. For warranty information or technical support, please refer to the documentation included with your purchase or contact the manufacturer directly. Keep your proof of purchase for warranty claims.

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