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Victrola VTA-820SB-WLN

Victrola Century 6-in-1 Music Center

Instruction Manual

Introduction

The Victrola Century 6-in-1 Music Center (Model VTA-820SB-WLN) is a versatile audio system designed to provide a comprehensive listening experience. This unit integrates a 3-speed turntable, CD player, cassette player, Bluetooth input, VINYLSTREAM Bluetooth output, and a 3.5mm auxiliary input. This manual provides detailed instructions for the proper setup, operation, maintenance, and troubleshooting of your new music center to ensure optimal performance and longevity.

Important Safety Instructions

- Read these instructions thoroughly before operating the unit.
- Keep these instructions for future reference.
- Heed all warnings on the product and in the operating instructions.
- Follow all instructions for use and maintenance.
- Do not use this apparatus near water or in excessively humid environments.
- Clean only with a dry cloth.
- Do not block any ventilation openings. Install in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions.
- Do not install near any heat sources such as radiators, heat registers, stoves, or other apparatus (including amplifiers) that produce heat.
- Protect the power cord from being walked on or pinched, particularly at plugs, convenience receptacles, and the point where they exit from the apparatus.
- Only use attachments/accessories specified by the manufacturer.
- Unplug this apparatus during lightning storms or when unused for long periods of time.
- Refer all servicing to qualified service personnel. Servicing is required when the apparatus has been damaged in any way, such as power-supply cord or plug is damaged, liquid has been spilled or objects have fallen into the apparatus, the apparatus has been exposed to rain or moisture, does not operate normally, or has been dropped.

What's in the Box

Upon unpacking your Victrola Century 6-in-1 Music Center, please ensure all the following components are present:

- Victrola Century 6-in-1 Music Center (Record Player)
- Power Adapter
- Instruction Manual (this document)
- 1" feet (pre-attached or for assembly)

If any items are missing or damaged, please contact Victrola customer support.

Product Overview and Components

Familiarize yourself with the various parts of your Victrola Century Music Center:



This image displays the Victrola Century 6-in-1 Music Center in its elegant Walnut finish. The unit's lid is open, revealing the 3-speed turntable ready for use. The front panel features the digital display, control buttons, and the multi-function knob, along with the integrated speaker grill.

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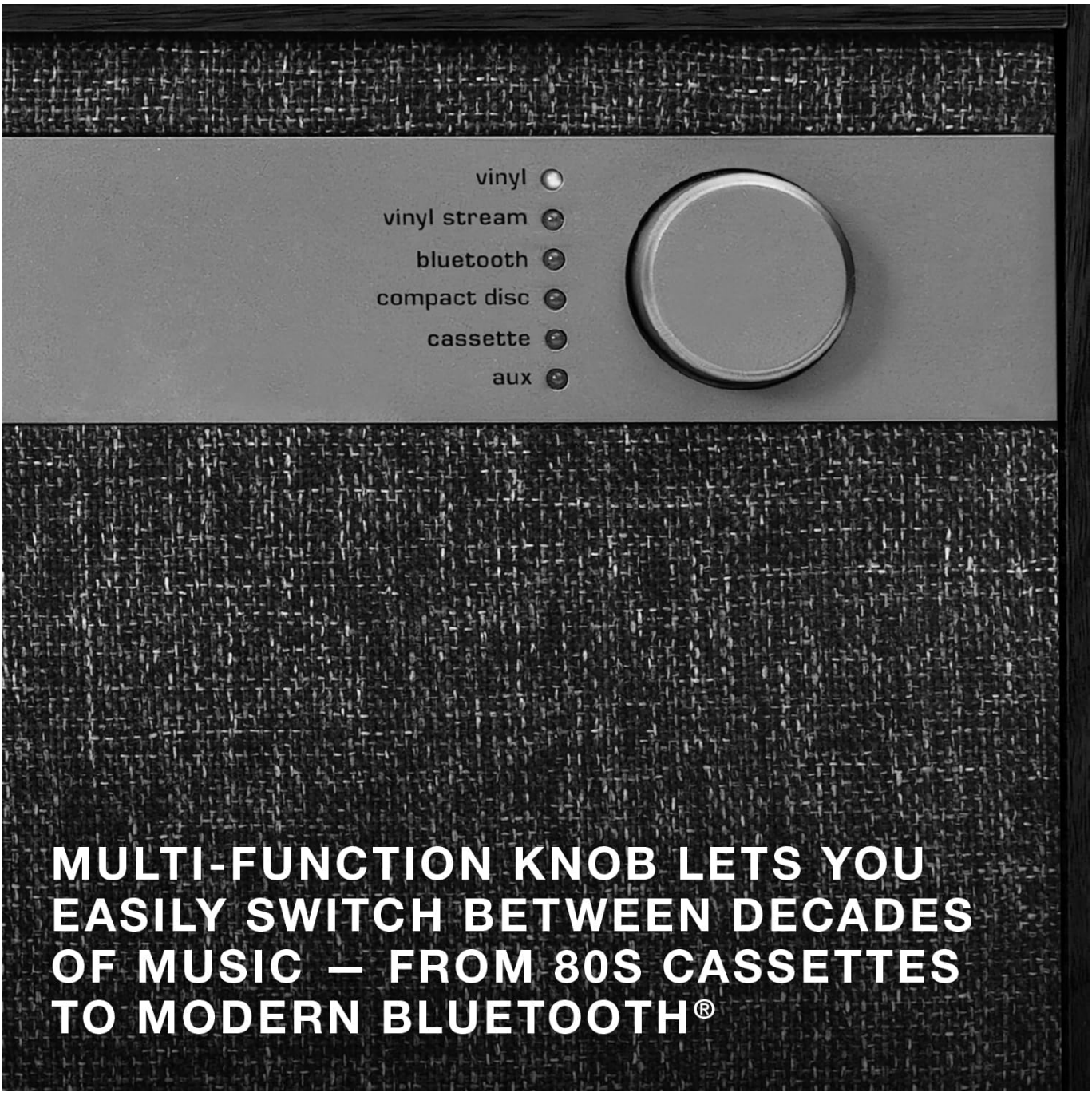
WITH 6 WAYS TO LISTEN:



An annotated diagram of the Victrola Century Music Center, illustrating its versatile capabilities. Labels point to the 3-speed belt-driven turntable, Bluetooth connectivity, RCA output, CD player, 3.5mm AUX input and headphone jack, and VINYLSTREAM (Bluetooth out) functionality, demonstrating its comprehensive audio playback options.



This image showcases the three available wood finishes for the Victrola Century Music Center: Walnut, Black, and Natural. Each finish offers a distinct aesthetic, allowing users to choose a style that complements their decor.



This image provides a detailed view of the multi-function knob and input selection indicators on the Victrola Century Music Center. The knob allows for easy switching between various audio sources, including vinyl, vinyl stream, Bluetooth, compact disc, cassette, and auxiliary input.

Key Components:

- **3-Speed Turntable:** Supports 33 1/3, 45, and 78 RPM records.
- **CD Player:** Front-loading CD tray for compact discs.
- **Cassette Player:** Side-loading cassette deck.
- **Bluetooth Connectivity:** For wireless audio input from compatible devices.
- **VINYLSTREAM Bluetooth Output:** Allows streaming of vinyl playback to external Bluetooth speakers or headphones.
- **3.5mm Aux Input:** For connecting external audio devices via cable.
- **Built-in Stereo Speakers:** Integrated speakers for direct audio playback.
- **Headphone Jack:** For private listening.

- **RCA Output:** For connecting to external amplifier or powered speakers.
- **Control Panel:** Includes power button, mode selection, playback controls, and volume knob.

Setup

1. **Unpacking:** Carefully remove the unit from its packaging. Retain the packaging materials for future transport or storage.
2. **Placement:** Place the music center on a flat, stable surface away from direct sunlight, heat sources, and excessive dust or moisture. Ensure adequate ventilation around the unit.
3. **Power Connection:** Connect the provided power adapter to the DC IN jack on the back of the unit, then plug the adapter into a standard wall outlet.
4. **Feet Assembly (if applicable):** If the 1" feet are not pre-attached, carefully screw them into the designated holes on the bottom of the unit.

Operating Instructions

General Operation:

- **Power On/Off:** Press the POWER button to turn the unit on or off.
- **Mode Selection:** Use the MODE button or the multi-function knob to cycle through the available input sources: VINYL, CD, CASSETTE, BLUETOOTH, AUX. The selected mode will be indicated on the display.
- **Volume Control:** Rotate the VOLUME knob to adjust the audio output level.

Turntable Operation:



A detailed close-up of the Victrola Century's 3-speed turntable mechanism. The image clearly shows the record platter, the tonearm with its stylus, and the spindle, illustrating the precision components responsible for vinyl playback.

1. Lift the dust cover.
2. Place a record on the turntable platter.
3. Select the appropriate speed (33 1/3, 45, or 78 RPM) using the speed selector switch. For 45 RPM records, place the included 45 RPM adapter on the center spindle.
4. Release the tonearm lock.
5. Gently lift the tonearm using the cue lever and position the stylus over the desired track on the record.
6. Lower the tonearm slowly using the cue lever. The record will begin to play.
7. At the end of the record, the turntable may stop automatically (depending on the auto-stop switch setting). Lift the tonearm, return it to the tonearm rest, and engage the tonearm lock.

CD Player Operation:

1. Press the MODE button to select CD mode.
2. Press the OPEN/CLOSE button to open the CD tray.
3. Place a CD with the label side facing up into the tray.
4. Press the OPEN/CLOSE button again to close the tray. The unit will read the disc.
5. Press the PLAY/PAUSE button to start playback.
6. Use the SKIP FORWARD/BACKWARD buttons to navigate between tracks.
7. Press the STOP button to stop playback.

Cassette Player Operation:



A close-up view demonstrating the cassette player functionality of the Victrola Century Music Center. A hand is shown inserting a cassette tape into the dedicated slot on the side of the unit, highlighting its compatibility with vintage audio formats.

1. Press the MODE button to select CASSETTE mode.
2. Insert a cassette tape into the cassette slot on the side of the unit.

3. Press the PLAY button to begin playback.
4. Use the FAST FORWARD/REWIND buttons to quickly navigate through the tape.
5. Press the STOP/EJECT button to stop playback and eject the tape.

Bluetooth Input Operation:

1. Press the MODE button to select BLUETOOTH mode. The display will show "BT" and the unit will enter pairing mode, indicated by a flashing Bluetooth icon.
2. Enable Bluetooth on your external device (smartphone, tablet, etc.).
3. Search for "Victrola Century" in your device's Bluetooth list and select it to pair.
4. Once paired, the Bluetooth icon on the unit's display will stop flashing. You can now play audio from your device through the music center.

VINYLSTREAM Bluetooth Output:



This image features a vinyl record actively playing on the Victrola Century's turntable. The accompanying text highlights the VINYLSTREAM feature, which enables users to stream their favorite records wirelessly to any Bluetooth-enabled speaker for enhanced

sound quality.

1. Ensure your external Bluetooth speaker or headphones are in pairing mode.
2. Select VINYL mode on the Victrola Century Music Center.
3. Press and hold the VINYLSTREAM button (if available, or refer to specific button for Bluetooth output) on the unit. The unit will search for nearby Bluetooth receiving devices.
4. Once connected, the audio from the turntable will be streamed to your external Bluetooth device.

Auxiliary Input Operation:

1. Connect one end of a 3.5mm audio cable (not included) to the AUX IN jack on the front or back of the music center.
2. Connect the other end of the cable to the headphone jack or audio output of your external device (e.g., MP3 player, smartphone).
3. Press the MODE button to select AUX mode.
4. Play audio from your external device. The sound will be routed through the music center's speakers.

Headphone Jack and RCA Output:

- **Headphone Jack:** Plug standard 3.5mm headphones into the headphone jack for private listening. The built-in speakers will be muted.
- **RCA Output:** Connect RCA cables (not included) from the RCA OUT jacks on the back of the unit to the audio input of an external amplifier or powered speakers for enhanced sound.

Maintenance

Cleaning the Unit:

- Always unplug the unit from the power outlet 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 dust cover, use a soft cloth to gently wipe away dust. Avoid harsh wiping to prevent scratches.

Stylus Care:

- The stylus (needle) is a delicate component. Handle it with extreme care.
- Avoid touching the stylus tip with your fingers.
- Clean the stylus periodically using a soft brush, brushing gently from back to front.
- A worn stylus can damage records and degrade sound quality. Replace the stylus approximately every 200-300 hours of playback, or if you notice a significant drop in sound quality.

Record Care:

- Handle records by their edges to avoid transferring oils from your skin.
- Store records vertically in their sleeves to prevent warping.
- Clean records regularly with a record cleaning brush or solution to remove dust and debris.

Troubleshooting

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution

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No power	Power adapter not connected; outlet not active.	Ensure power adapter is securely connected to the unit and a working wall outlet.
No sound from speakers	Volume too low; incorrect mode selected; headphones connected.	Increase volume. Verify correct input mode. Disconnect headphones if not desired.
Turntable not spinning	Unit not powered on; belt dislodged; auto-stop engaged.	Ensure unit is on. Check if the drive belt is properly seated. Try toggling the auto-stop switch.
Skipping on records	Dirty record; worn stylus; unit not level; record damaged.	Clean record. Replace stylus. Ensure unit is on a stable, level surface.
Bluetooth not pairing	Unit not in pairing mode; device too far; interference.	Ensure unit is in Bluetooth pairing mode. Move device closer. Turn off other Bluetooth devices.
CD not playing	CD inserted incorrectly; disc dirty/scratched; incorrect mode.	Reinsert CD label-side up. Clean disc. Try another CD. Select CD mode.
Cassette not playing	Tape inserted incorrectly; tape damaged; incorrect mode.	Reinsert tape correctly. Try another tape. Select CASSETTE mode.

Specifications



A visual representation of the Victrola Century Music Center's dimensions. The image indicates a height of 22 inches (558mm), a depth of 14.9 inches (379mm), and a width of 16.15 inches (410mm), providing clear size information for placement.

Feature	Detail
Model Number	VTA-820SB-WLN
Dimensions (L x W x H)	14.9 x 16.15 x 22 inches (approximate)
Item Weight	17.96 pounds
Turntable Speeds	33 1/3, 45, 78 RPM
Connectivity Technology	Auxiliary, Bluetooth (Input & VINYLSTREAM Output)
Audio Outputs	RCA Output, Headphone Jack
Material	Engineered Wood
Manufacturer	Innovative Technology

Warranty and Support

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