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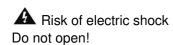
ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

Do not dispose of this product with the normal household waste at the end of its life cycle. Return it to a collection point for the recycling of electrical and electronic devices. This is indicated by the symbol on the product, user manual or packaging

The materials are reusable according to their markings. By reusing, recycling or other forms of utilization of old devices you make an important contribution to the protection of our environment.

Please contact your local authorities for details about collection points.

WARNING



Caution: To reduce the risk of electric shock, do not remove the cover (or back). There are no user serviceable parts inside. Refer servicing to qualified service personnel

This symbol indicates the presence of dangerous voltage inside the enclosure, sufficient enough to cause electric shock.

▲ This symbol indicates the presence of important operating and maintenance instructions for the device

Used batteries are hazardous waste and NOT to be disposed of with the household waste! As a consumer you are legally obligated to return all batteries for environmentally responsible recycling – no matter whether or not the batteries contain harmful substances*)

Return batteries free of charge to public collection points in your community or shops selling batteries of the respective kind. Only return fully discharged batteries *) marked Cd = cadmium, Hg = mercury, Pb = lead

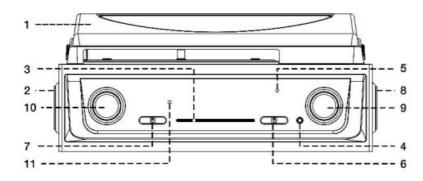
- Only use mercury and cadmium-free batteries.
- Used batteries are hazardous waste and NOT to be disposed of with the household waste!!!
- Keep batteries away from children. Children might swallow batteries.
- Contact a physician immediately if a battery was swallowed.
- Check your batteries regularly to avoid battery leakage.
- Batteries shall not be exposed to excessive heat such as sunshine, fire or the like.
- CAUTION: Danger of explosion if battery is incorrectly replaced
- · Replace only with the same or equivalent type

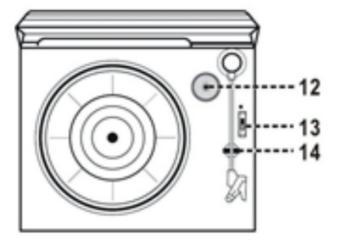
To prevent possible hearing damage, do not listen at high volume levels for long periods

- · Use the device in dry indoor environments only.
- · Protect the device from humidity.
- This apparatus is for moderate climates areas use, not suitable for use in tropical climates countries.
- No objects filled with liquids, such as vases, shall be placed on the apparatus. Safety, Environmental and Setup Instructions
- The mains plug or an appliance coupler is used as the disconnect device, the disconnect devices shall remain readily operable.
- Connect this device to a properly installed and earthed wall outlet only. Make sure the mains voltage corresponds with the specifications on the rating plate.
- Make sure the mains cable stays dry during operation. Do not pinch or damage the mains cable in any way.

- A damaged mains cable or plug must immediately be replaced by an authorized service center.
- In case of lightning, immediately disconnect the device from the mains supply.
- Children should be supervised by parents when using the device.
- · Clean the device with a dry cloth only.
- Do NOT use CLEANING AGENTS or ABRASIVE CLOTHS!
- Do not expose the device to direct sunlight or other heat sources.
- Install the device at a location with sufficient ventilation in order to prevent heat accumulation.
- · Do not cover the ventilation openings!
- Install the device at a safe and vibration-free location.
- Install the device as far away as possible from computers and microwave units; otherwise radio reception may be disturbed.
- Do not open or repair the enclosure. It is not safe to do so and will void your warranty. Repairs only by authorized service/ customer center.
- No naked flame sources, such as lighted candles, should be placed on the unit.
- When you are necessary to ship the unit store it in its original package. Save the package for this purpose.
- In case of malfunction due to electrostatic discharge or fast transient (burst), remove and reconnect the power supply.
- If the unit is not using for a long period of time, disconnect it from the power supply by unplugging the power plug. This is to avoid the risk of fire.

LOCATION OF CONTROLS







- 1. DUST COVER
- 2. LEFT SPEAKER
- 3. DIAL POINTER
- 4. 3.5MM HEADPHONE JACK
- 5. POWER LED INDICATOR
- 6. POWER OFF/FUNCTION SELECTOR BUTTON
- 7. BAND/FM STEREO SELECTOR
- 8. RIGHT SPEAKER
- 9. ROTARY VOLUME KNOB
- 10. TUNING KNOB
- 11. FM STEREO LED INDICATOR
- 12. SPINDLE ADAPTOR
- 13. 33/45/78 RPM SPEED SELECTOR
- 14. PICK-UP HOLDER
- 15. LINE OUT SOCKET
- 16. FM ANTENNA
- 17. AUTO STOP SWITCH
- 18. AC CORD

INSTALLATION

CONTENT OF DELIVERY

- Main Unit
- · Instruction manual

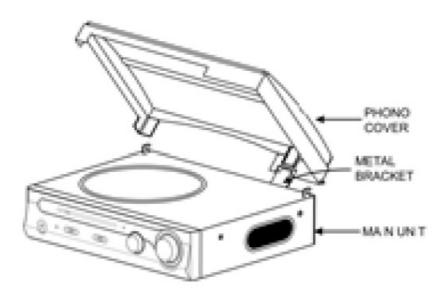
PRECAUTIONS FOR USE

- Unpack all parts and remove protective material.
- Do not connect the unit to the mains before checking the mains voltage and before all other connections have been made.
- Do not cover any vents and make sure that there is a space of several centimeters around the unit for ventilation.

TOP COVER ASSEMBLY

- Push the metal bracket to rear side.
- Connect the metal bracket to the top cover.

• Connect the hinge of the top cover to the main unit.



CONNECTION

Connect the power cord to AC outlet. Now your system is ready to play the music

LISTENING TO RADIO

MANUAL TUNING

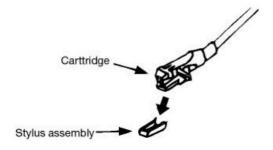
- Set the function switch to the position "TUNER".
- Tune to the required station by turning the tuning knob.
- Adjust the "VOLUME" knob to the desired volume level.
- Set the FM mode selector to "FM" position. Programs are received in mono mode. In particular when stereo signals are weak. It's preferable to receive the program in mono
- Set the FM mode selector to "FM-ST" position for receiving stereo programs. The LED "ST" indicator will light up to show FM stereo program is receiving.

PHONO

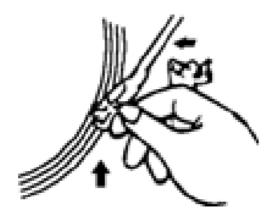
NOTE

Remove the stylus protector.

Be sure that the tone arm is being detached from the rest before operating and re-secured again afterwards.



- 1. Select the "PHONO" function.
- 2. Set the speed selector to the proper position depending on the record be played.
- 3. Place the record on the platter (Use the spindle adaptor if required).
- 4. Lift the tone arm from the rest and slowly move it to the record side. The platter will start to rotate
- 5. Place the tone arm to the desired position of the record
- 6. Adjust the volume to the desired level
- 7. At the end of record, the platter will automatically stop rotating. Lift the tone arm from the record and return it to the rest
- 8. To stop manually, lift the tone arm from the record and return it to the rest.



REMARK: As some kind of record the auto-stop area was out of the unit setting, so it will stop before the last rack finish. In this case, select the auto-stop switch to "off "position, then it will run to the end of the record but will not stop automatically (turn off the unit by power button or switch back the auto-stop switch to "on "position to stop the platter rotate). Then put back the tone arm to the rest position.

LINE OUT CONNECTION

You can connect the system to your whole hi-fi system by connecting the line out socket to the auxiliary input socket with a RCA cable (not included).

REMARK: the sound from the original build-in speaker will not be terminated even after connecting to other hi-fi system via line out socket. You can turn the volume of system to minimum level if you prefer the sound coming from the hi-fi system only.

HEADPHONE (not incl.)

Connect a commercially available headphone with a 3.5mm jack to the socket. Speakers switch off automatically!

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TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

Power input: AC 230V ~ 50Hz
FM range: 87.5MHz – 108.0MHz
Audio power output: 2 x 1.5W RMS

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