

# PROGRAM/REPEAT

## Programming Track Playing Order

You can compile your own music playlist using the program function by selecting certain tracks for playback. You can also decide in what order the tracks are played.

- Stop playback by pressing the Stop button.
- Press the Programming button. "PROG" and the current programming slot "P01" will be displayed on the display.
- Select a track with the Previous and Next Track buttons.
- Start the programmed playback with the Play/pause button.
- Delete the programmed playback list by pressing the Stop button twice when the playback is selected.

NOTE: In CD mode, opening the cover will also delete the current program.

## Repeat Functions

Press the Repeat button to cycle through the different repeat modes.

The following two modes are supported:

- Repeat Individual tracks ("REP" flashes on the display).
- Repeat tracks in all folders ("REP" shows continuously on the display).

# LISTENING TO CASSETTE TAPES

Type I ('Ferric'/Normal/120uS/Low Bias) and Type II ('Chrome'/70uS/High Bias) Tapes (with or without noise reduction) can be played.

Set the function switch to the TAPE position.

**NOTE:** The TAPE position is also used as the OFF position when no tape is being played.

## Inserting/Ejecting Cassette Tapes

- Press the Cassette Stop/Eject button to open the cassette compartment.
- Insert a cassette with the tape side down into the guide rails inside the compartment. The side that faces forward will be played.
- Close the compartment.
- To eject the cassette, push the Cassette Stop/Eject button. If playback is active, stop playback before ejecting to avoid damaging the cassette.

## Playing/Stopping/Pausing the Cassette

- Press the Cassette Play button to play the cassette.
- Press the Cassette Stop/Eject button to stop playback.
- Press the Cassette Pause button to pause playback. Press the button again to resume playback.

**NOTE:** when the end of the tape is reached, playback automatically ends.

## Rewind and Fast-forward

- Press the Cassette Rewind or Cassette Fast-forward buttons to rewind or fast-forward the tape.
- Press the Cassette Stop/Eject button to stop rewinding and fast-forwarding. Press the button if the end of the tape has been reached.

IMPORTANT: Do not change directly between fast-forward and rewind. Make sure to stop the tape before changing between rewind and fast-forward.

## Recording to the Cassette

You can record on a cassette from multiple sources. Set the function switch to your desired position.

- Set to BT/AUX/USB/SD to record from a source of Bluetooth, AUX, USB, or MicroSD
- Set to CD to record from a CD
- Set to Tape to record from the built-in microphone
- Set to Radio to record from the radio.

Press the Record button to start recording to the inserted cassette. To temporarily pause the recording, press the Cassette Pause button. To stop recording completely, press the Cassette Stop/Eject button.

# LISTENING TO THE RADIO

## Aligning the Antenna

There is a telescopic antenna on top of the device for FM reception and a built-in antenna in the device for radio reception of medium wave (AM) bands.

-Carefully remove the movable end of the antenna from the back of the device and pull it out completely. Carefully turn and swivel the antenna until there is reception

## Using the Radio

-Set the function switch to the FM STEREO / FM or AM (medium wave).

-‘FM STEREO’ gives Stereo reproduction whereas ‘FM’ mode is Mono and reduces noise/hiss for weak stations.

## Tuning

-Turn the Tuning Knob to tune to the desired frequency.

# RECORDING TO USB AND MICROSD

You can record from all sources onto a USB stick or MicroSD card.

## Recording from a CD

-Set the function switch to the CD position.

-Insert a CD.

-Plug a USB stick into the USB port or insert a MicroSD card into the MicroSD socket.

-Select the desired track on the CD if applicable.

-Start recording onto the USB stick or the MicroSD card by pressing and holding the Record button until “REC” appears on the display.

“USB/CARD” will flash on the display.

-Start playing the CD immediately.

-To stop recording, press and hold the Delete button until “REC” is no longer on the display.

## Recording from a Cassette

-Set the function switch to the TAPE position. This position is also used to turn OFF the radio if no tape is being played.

-Insert a cassette.

-Plug a USB stick into the USB port or insert a MicroSD card into the MicroSD socket.

-Select the desired location on the cassette to be recorded, if applicable.

-Start recording onto the USB stick or the MicroSD card by pressing and holding the Record button until “REC” appears on the display.

“USB/CARD” will flash on the display.

-Start playing the cassette immediately.

-To stop recording, press and hold the Delete button until “REC” is no longer on the display.

## RECORDING TO USB AND MICROSD (CONT.)

### Recording from the Radio

- Set the function switch to the FM STEREO / FM or AM position.
- Select the desired radio station.
- Plug a USB stick into the USB port or insert a MicroSD card into the MicroSD socket.
- Start recording onto the USB stick or the MicroSD card by pressing and holding the Record button until "REC" appears on the display.
- "USB/CARD" will flash on the display.
- Start playing the radio immediately.
- To stop recording, press and hold the Delete button until "REC" is no longer on the display.

## CONNECTING HEADPHONES

- Insert headphones with a 3.5mm/1/8" jack plug into the headphone socket.
- When headphones are connected, the speakers are disabled.
- Use the Volume Knob to control the audio level.



### Warning

To prevent possible hearing damage, do not listen at high volume levels for long periods. For your own safety, please be aware of your surroundings when using these headphones.

# CONNECTING MICROPHONES

The boombox has two 6.3mm / 1/4" jack ports for microphones. You can use these to sing over BT, CD, radio, cassette, and storage device media.

- Plug a microphone with a 6.3mm / 1/4" jack into microphone port MIC1 or MIC2.
- Adjust the volume of the microphones using the Microphone Volume Adjustment Knob.
- You can also add an echo effect with the ECHO control.

The audio of the external microphones won't be used for recordings on cassette or USB/MicroSD storage.

# TROUBLESHOOTING

| Problem                                    | Possible Cause                                                                                                                                                                                                 | Remedy                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
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| The device cannot be switched on.          | A) The batteries may be dead.<br>B) The AC power cable may not be connected properly.<br>C) The function switch may be in the TAPE/OFF position.<br>D)The rear Power switch may be Off.                        | A) If the device is operated using batteries, check that the batteries are inserted correctly.<br>B) Ensure the AC power cable is properly connected.<br>C/D) Check the position of all switches.                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
| The device switches off when it is in use. | The batteries may be dead.                                                                                                                                                                                     | Operate the device using the AC power cable or replace the batteries.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| No or poor radio reception.                | The station signal is weak.                                                                                                                                                                                    | A) Adjust the frequency of the stations.<br>B) Move the radio to a different location or change the direction of the antenna to improve the reception, if necessary.<br>C) Use FM (mono) mode for FM to reduce noise.                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| CD does not play.                          | A) Condensation has formed.<br><br>B) Wrong CD format.<br><br>C) The CD is dirty or not inserted directly.                                                                                                     | A) Switch off the power, pull the main cable out, and wait until the device and CD have adjusted to ambient conditions.<br><br>B) The device only supports MP3 files or regular CDs.<br><br>C) Clean the CD and insert it into the CD compartment.                                                                                                                                                        |
| No Sound                                   | A) The Volume is set too low.<br><br>B) If a device is connected via AUX IN or Bluetooth: The volume on the external device is too low.<br><br>C) The batteries could be flat.<br><br>D)Wrong source selected. | A) Increase the volume as required<br><br>B) Increase the volume on the external device.<br><br>C) Operate the device with the AC power cable or change the batteries.<br><br>D) Check if the correct source is selected on the function switch. Check if AUX is plugged in over-riding BT/USB/SD. Check if you need to press MODE to switch between BT,USB, and SD sources if a USB or SD is plugged in. |

# CARE AND MAINTENANCE

- 1. Do not subject the unit to excessive force, shock, dust or extreme temperatures.
- 2. To prevent fire or shock hazard, disconnect your unit from the AC power source when cleaning.
- 3. Do not tamper with the internal components of the unit.
- 4. Clean your unit with a dry cloth. Solvents or detergents should never be used.
- 5. Avoid leaving your unit in direct sunlight or in hot, humid or dusty places.
- 6. Keep your unit away from heating appliances and sources of electrical noise such as fluorescent lamps or motors.
- 7. If interruptions or stops occur in the music during CD play, or if the CD fails to play at all, the disc's bottom surface may require cleaning. Before playing, wipe the disc from the center outwards with a soft cleaning cloth.



- 8.If the front panel becomes dirty or smudged with fingerprints it may be cleaned with a soft cloth slightly dampened with a mild soap and water solution. Never use abrasive cloths or polishes as these will damage the finish of your device.
- CAUTION:** Never allow any water or other liquids to get inside the unit while cleaning.
- 9.Never tug or yank on charging cables while they are connected to your boombox. Connect and disconnect these cables as carefully as possible.
10. Please recycle or dispose of your boombox properly based on the laws and rules of your municipality. Contact local recycling facilities and/or the manufacturer of your boombox for further information.

# FCC STATEMENT

Changes or modifications not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate the equipment.

This device complies with Part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) this device may not cause harmful interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class B digital device, pursuant to Part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference in a residential installation. This equipment generates, uses and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instructions, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation.

If this equipment does cause harmful interference to radio or television reception, which can be determined by turning the equipment off and on, the user is encouraged to try to correct the interference by one or more of the following measures:

- Reorient or relocate the receiving antenna.
- Increase the separation between the equipment and receiver.
- Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected.
- Consult the dealer or an experienced radio/TV technician for help.

# WARRANTY

This warranty covers the original consumer purchaser only and is not transferable.

This warranty covers products that fail to function properly UNDER NORMAL USAGE, due to defects in material or workmanship. Your product will be repaired or replaced at no charge for parts or labor for a period of one year.

What Is Not Covered By Warranty  
Damages or malfunctions not resulting from defects in material or workmanship and damages or malfunctions from other than normal use, including but limited to, repair by unauthorized parties, tampering, modification or accident.

To Obtain Warranty Service and Troubleshooting Information:  
Call (800) 592-9541 or visit our website at [www.aiwa.com](http://www.aiwa.com).

To receive Warranty service along with the name and address of an authorized product service center, the original consumer purchaser must contact us for problem determination and service procedures. Proof of purchase in the form of a bill of sale or receipted invoice, evidencing that the product is within the applicable Warranty period(s), MUST be presented in order to obtain the requested service. It is your responsibility to properly package and send any defective products along with a dated copy of proof of purchase, a written explanation of the problem, and a valid return address of the authorized service center at your expense. Do not include any other items or accessories with the defective product. Any products received by the authorized service center that are not covered by warranty will be returned unrepai

# BATTERY WARNING

- Do not mix old and new batteries.
  - Do not mix alkaline, standard (carbon-zinc) or rechargeable (nickle-cadmium) batteries.
  - Batteries are not to be inserted with the wrong polarity.
  - Exhausted batteries are to be removed.
  - The supply terminals are not to be short-circuited.
- Please recycle or dispose of the battery properly. Contact local recycling facilities and/or the manufacturer of your battery for further information.

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