

CD Player/ Receiver

CQ-3100EU

Operating Instructions



Please read these instructions completely before operating this unit.

Panasonic welcomes you to our ever growing family of electronic product owners. We know that this product will bring you many hours of enjoyment. Our reputation is built on precise electronic and mechanical engineering, manufactured with carefully selected components and assembled by people who take pride in their work. Once you discover the quality, reliability, and value we have built into this product, you too will be proud to be a member of our family.

Use This Equipment Safely

When Driving

Keep the volume level low enough to be aware of road and traffic conditions.

When Vehicle Washing

Do not expose the equipment, including the speakers to water or excessive moisture. This could cause electrical shorts, fire, or other damage.

When Parked

Parking in direct sunlight can produce very high temperatures inside your vehicle. Give the interior a chance to cool down before switching the unit on.

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Use the Proper Power Supply

This equipment is designed to operate off a 12 volt, negative ground battery system (the normal system in a North American vehicle.)

Protect the Compact Disc Mechanism

Avoid inserting any foreign matters to the slot of the compact disc. Failure to observe this may cause malfunction due to precise mechanism of this unit.

Use Authorized Servicenters

Do not attempt to disassemble or adjust this precision equipment. Please refer to the Servicenter list included with this product for service assistance.

Find the model number and serial number on either the back or bottom of the unit. Please record them in the space below and retain this booklet as a permanent record of your purchase to aid in identification in case of theft.

MODEL NUMBER CQ-3100EU SERIAL NUMBER

DATE PURCHASED

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Laser Products (This page describes the standard in the United States only.)

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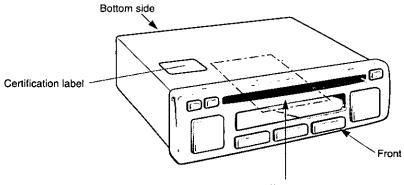
This product utilizes a laser.

Use of controls or adjustments or performance of procedures other than those specified herein may result in hazardous radiation exposure.

Laser products:

Wave Length 780 nm Laser Power No hazardous radiation is emitted with safety protection.

LaLel indications and their locations

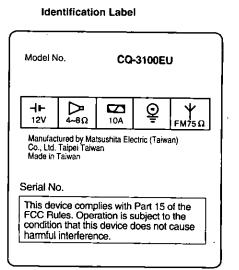


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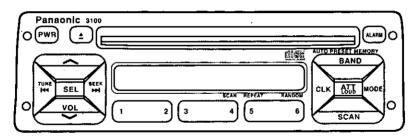
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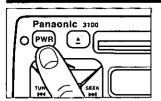
Product complies with DHHS Rules 21 CFR, Subchapter J in effect as of date of manufacture. Matsushita Electric (Taiwan) Co., Ltd. Talpel, Taiwan

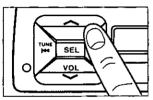
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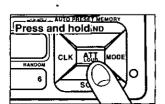


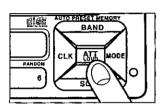
Power and Sound Controls











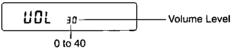
Power

If the vehicle is not already running, turn the key in the ignition until the accessory indicator lights.

Press PWR to switch on the power.

Volume

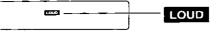
Press "VOL ∧" or "VOL ∨" to increase or decrease volume.



 Press "VOL ^ " or "VOL ' for more than a half second to change numeric levels on the display rapidly.

Tone Enhancement

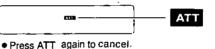
 Press and hold ATT(LOUD) for more than 2 seconds to enhance bass and treble tones when listening at low or medium volume.



 Press and hold ATT(LOUD) for more than 2 seconds again to deactivate when listening at higher volumes.

Attenuator

• Press ATT. Volume will decrease to about 1/10 of its previous level.



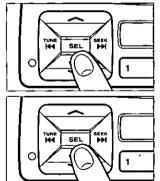
Note: This unit is equipped with anti-volume-blast circuit which serves as an automatic volume level adjuster so that you will not be deafened with sudden loud volume.

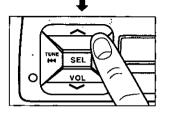
This system operates as below. When PWR is first pressed to switch on, the volume level is low. After that, the volume level gradually returns to the level when the switch is turned off.

Anti-volume-blast circuit is not effective when volume level is lower than position 20 on the display.

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Power and Sound Controls continued





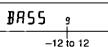
Changing Audio Modes

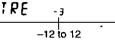
Press SEL to switch the audio mode as follows .



Bass and Treble

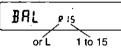
Press SEL to select the BASS (TREBLE) mode. Press " \land " or " \lor " to increase or decrease the bass/treble response.

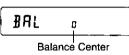




Balance

Press SEL to select the BALANCE mode. Press " \land " or " \lor " to shift the sound volume to the right or left speakers.





Fader

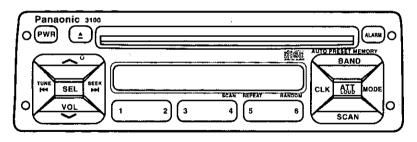
Press SEL to select the FADER mode. Press " \land " or " \lor " to shift the sound volume to the front or rear speakers.

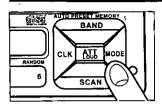


Note:

When a control mode (BASS/TRE/BAL/FADE) is selected but no operation is made within 5 seconds (2 seconds at volume mode), the display will return to the normal operation (Radio, compact Disc) mode. In such a case, press SEL again to select the next control mode...

Radio Basics

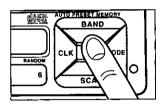




Mode Selection

Press MODE to sw tch the operation mode as follows .



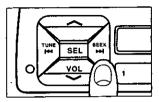


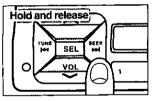
Selecting a Band

Press BAND to select the bands as follows .

 $FM1 \Rightarrow FM2 \Rightarrow FM3 \Rightarrow AM$

"ST" indicator lights if the station is FM broadcasting in stereo.





Manual Tuning

Press ">>>" or "I<>" to move to a higher or lower frequency.

Seek Tuning

Press and hold " \rightarrow " or " \dashv " for more than 0.5 second, then release. The radio automatically stops on the next station.

Radio Basics continued

Preset Station Setting

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Up to 24 stations can be preset in the station memory as follows;

FM1	FM2	FM3	AM
6 stations	6 stations	6 stations	6 stations

Manual Station Preset

- ① Press BAND to select a desired band.
- ② Use manual or seek tuning to find a station that you want to program into memory.
- ③ Press and hold one of the station selector buttons 1 through 6 until the display blinks. The memory is now set for that button on the band you have selected.

Repeat the process to set other stations for the FM1 to AM bands.



Note: You can change the memory setting by repeating the above procedure.

Tuning in a Preset Station

Press any of the buttons 1 through 6 to tune in the station preset by the above steps () to (3).

Auto Preset Memory

Select a band and press and hold BAND (AUTO PRESET MEMORY) for more than 2 seconds.

- The six strongest available stations will be automatically set in memory on preset buttons 1 through 6.
- Once set, the preset stations are sequentially scanned for 5 seconds.
- Press the appropriate preset button for the station you want to hear.

Note:

 In the case of Auto Preset Memory, onlyFM3 is available for FM stations. (FM1,FM2 is not available.)

CAUTION: For safety reasons, do not attempt to program while driving.

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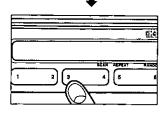
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RANDON 6. Press and hold

SEL

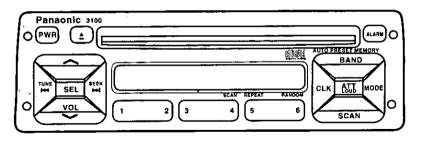
VOL

Press and hold





Compact Disc Player Basics



To start the CD Player

Insert the disc and playback starts automatically.

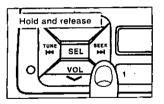
"LOAD" will be displayed until the disc is loaded. Play starts from the first track.



Note: While the disc is inserted, " Osc " indicator will light.

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Stopping and Ejecting a Disc

Press "A" to stop CD play, and the disc will quietly eject from the CD slot. (During disc ejection, "EJ" will be displayed.)

Selecting a Track

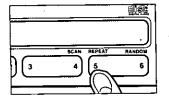
- Press ">>> once to go to the next track.
- Press "I=4" once to play from the beginning of the track you are listening to. Press twice to play the previous track.
- Press repeatedly to step the desired number of tracks.

Searching a Track

- Press and hold ">> I' or "Hete" for more than 0.5 second to activate fast forward or reverse through a track.
- Release ">>>" or "Idd" to resume the normal CD play from that position.

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Compact Disc player Basics continued

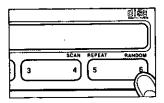


Repeating a Track

Press 5(REPEAT) to repeat the current selection.

Press 5 (REPEAT) again to cancel.

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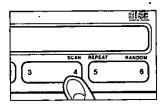


Random Selection

 Press 6 (RANDOM). A random selection of music is played from all available tracks.



Press 6 (RANDOM) again to cancel.

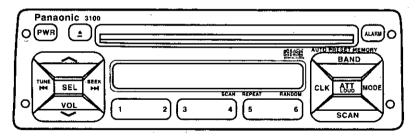


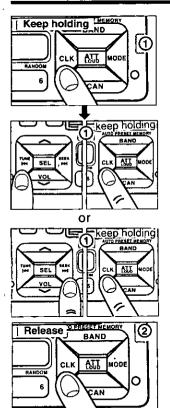
• Press 4 (SCAN). The display will blink and the first 10 seconds of each track on the disc play in order.

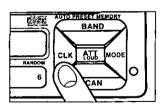


Press 4 (SCAN) again to cancel.

Clock Basics (The clock system is 12-hours.)







Initial Time Setting

 Keep holding CLK until you have set the time, " AM12:00 " blinks indicating the time setting mode is activated.

To set hours, press "

To set minutes, press " Del

(Hold " I ◀◀ " or " ▶▶ " with keep holding CLK to change numbers rapidly.)

(2)When you have set the time, release CLK.

Note: When the clock is not set yet, "AdJ" is displayed.

Resetting the Time

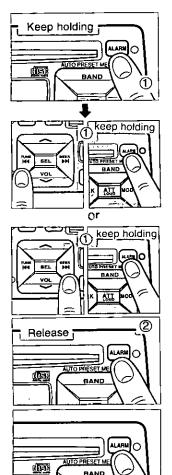
When you want to reset the time, repeat step(1) to (2) above.

Selecting the Clock Display

Press CLK to display alarm time. After a few seconds, current time returns on display.

Note: The current time will display at all the time even the power of the radio is turned off.

Clock Basics continued



Alarm Time Setting

 Keep holding ALARM until you have set the alarm time, " AM12:00 " blinks indicating the time setting mode is activated.

To set hours, press " |44 ".

To set minutes, press " >> "

(Hold " |◀◀ " or " ▶▶| " with keep holding ALARM to change numbers rapidly.)

(2)When you have set the alarm time, release ALARM.

Note: When the alarm is not set yet, "AdJ" is displayed.

Resetting the Alarm Time

When you want to reset the alarm time, repeat step (1) to (2) above.

Alarm Operation

 Alarm is switched to ON or OFF each time ALARM is pressed.
 When the Alarm is switched to ON, the alarm sound will activate at the set alarm time.

Turning off the Alarm Sound

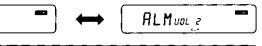
The alarm sound will turn off automatically after 90 seconds. Otherwise, press ALARM once.

Alarm output Volume Select

You may select ALARM VOL 1 (or VOL 2) by pressing ALARM. • VOL 1 is lower than VOL 2

OFF → VOL 1 → VOL 2

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- Be careful not to set wrong alarm time, otherwise, the alarm may sound while driving.
- If the alarm is set, be sure to check the set alarm time by pressing CLK.
- If you operate the radio, etc. at the time set the alarm, the alarm sound may be muted.
- If Volume is set at "0" step, the output volume will be muted. (Even when ALARM is acting.)

Installation Guide



This installation information is designed for experienced installers and is not intended for non-technical individuals. It does not contain warnings or cautions of potential dangers in attempting to install this product.

Any attempt to install this product in a motor vehicle by anyone other than qualified installer could cause damage to the electrical system and could result in serious personal injury or death.

Overview

This equipment should be installed by a professional. However, if you plan to install this unit yourself, your first step is to decide where to install it. The instructions in these pages will guide you through the remaining steps: (Please refer to "WARNING" statement above).

- · Identify and label the vehicle wires
- Connect the vehicle wires to the wires of the power connector
- Install the unit in the dash
- Check the operation of the unit

If you do encounter problems, please consult your nearest professional installer.

CAUTION: This unit will operate with a 12 volt DC negative ground auto battery system only. Do not attempt to use it in any other system. Doing so could cause serious damage.

Before you begin installation, look for the following items included in the packing with your unit.

- Warranty Card Fill this out promptly
- Installation Hardware Needed for in-dash installation
- Power Connector

Installation Hardware

No.	ltem	Diagram	Qty
1	Mounting Collar		1
0	Plain Washer (5 mmø)	0	2
3	Spring Washer (5 mmø)	Ø	2
4	Hex. Nut (5 mmø)	6)	2
6	Rear Support Strap	E	1
6	Hex. Bolt (5 mmø x 25 mm)	of	1
0	Toothed Lock Washer (5 mmø)	0	1
8	Power Connector	C.	.1
9	Dismounting Pin (U-shaped)	0	2

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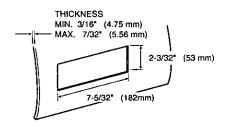
Required Tools

You'll need a screwdriver, a 1.5 volt AA battery, and the following:

12 V DC TEST BULB ELECTRICAL SIDE-CUT TAPE PLIERS



Dashboard Specifications



Identify All Leads

The first step in installation is to identify all the vehicle wires you'll use when hooking up your sound system.

As you identify each wire, we suggest that you label it using masking tape and a permanent marker. This will help avoid confusion when making connections later.

Note: Do not connect the power connector to the stereo unit until you have made all connections. If there are no plastic caps on the stereo hooking wires, insulate all exposed leads with electrical tape until you are ready to use them. Identify the leads in the following order.

Power Lead

If your vehicle has a radio or is pre-wired for one :

Cut the connector plug off (leaving the leads as long as possible) so that you can work with individual leads.



Turn the ignition on to the accessory position, and ground one lead of the test bulb to the chassis.

Touch the other lead of the test bulb to each of the exposed wires from the cut radio connector plug. Touch one wire at a time until you find the outlet that causes the test bulb to light.

Now turn the ignition off and then on. If the bulb also turns off and on, that outlet is the vehicle power lead.

If your vehicle is not wired for an audio unit : Go to the fuse block and find the fuse port for radio (RADIO), accessory (ACC), or ignition (IGN).

Battery Lead

If your stereo unit has a yellow lead, you will need to locate the vehicle's battery lead. Otherwise you may ignore this procedure. (The yellow battery lead provides continuous power to maintain a clock, memory storage, or other function.)

If your vehicle has a radio or is pre-wired for one: With the ignition and headlights off, identify the vehicle battery lead by grounding one lead of the test bulb to the chassis and checking the remaining exposed wires from the cut radio connector plug.

If your vehicle is not wired for an audio unit : Go to the fuse block and find the fuse port for the battery, usually marked BAT.

Speakers

Identify the vehicle speaker leads. There will be two leads for each speaker, usually color coded.

A handy way to identify the speaker leads and the speaker they connect with is to test the leads using a 1.5 volt AA battery as follows.

Hold one lead against one pole of the battery and stroke the other lead across the other pole. You will hear a scraping sound in a speaker if you are holding a speaker lead.

If not, keep testing different lead combinations until you have located all the speaker leads. When you label them, include the speaker location for each.

Antenna

The antenna lead is a thick, black wire with a metal plug at the end.

Connect All Leads

Now that you have identified all the wires in the vehicle, you're ready to begin connecting them to the stereo unit wires. The connection diagram on Page 20 shows the proper connections and color coding of the leads.

We strongly recommend that you test the unit before making a final installation.

You can set the unit on the floor and make temporary connections to test the unit. Use electrical tape to cover all exposed wires.

IMPORTANT: Connect the red power lead last, after you have made and insulated all other connections.

Ground

Connect the black ground lead of the power connector to the metal vehicle chassis.

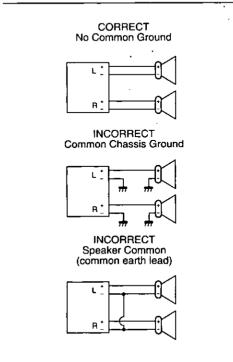
Speakers

Connect the speaker wires. See the wiring diagram below for the proper hookups. Follow the diagram carefully to avoid damaging the speakers and the stereo unit.

The speaker used must be able to handle more than 35 watts of audio power. If using an optional audio power, the speakers should be able to handle the maximum amplifier output power. Speakers with low input ratings can be damaged.

Speaker impedance should measure 4 - 8 ohms, which is typically marked on most speakers. Lower or higher impedance speakers will affect output and can cause both speaker and stereo unit damage.

CAUTION : Never ground the speaker cords. For example, do not use a chassis ground system or a three-wire speaker common system. Each speaker must be connected separately using parallel insulated wires. If in doubt about how your vehicle's speakers are wired, please consult with your nearest professional installer.



Installation Guide continued

Battery

Connect the yellow battery lead to the correct radio wire or to the battery fuse port on the fuse block.

Antenna

Connect the antenna by plugging the antenna lead into the antenna receptacle.

Equipment ·

Connect any optional equipment such as amplifier, according to the instructions furnished with the equipment. Keep about 12 inches (30 cm) of distance between the speaker cords/amplifier unit and the antenna/antenna extension cord. Read the operating and installation instructions for any equipment you will connect to this unit.

Accessory (ACC) Power

Connect the red power lead to the correct vehicle radio wire or to the appropriate fuse port on the fuse block.

If the stereo unit functions properly with all these connections made, disconnect the wires and proceed to the final installation.

Final Installation

Lead Connections

Connect all wires, making sure that each connection is insulated and secure. Bundle all loose wires and fasten them with tape so they won't fall down later. Now insert the stereo unit into the mounting collar.

Congratulations! After making a few final checks, you're ready to enjoy your new auto stereo system.

Final Checks

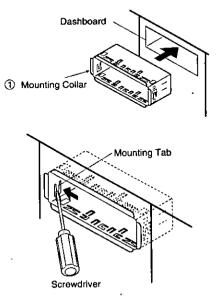
- 1. Make sure that all wires are properly connected and insulated.
- 2. Make sure that the stereo unit is securely held in the mounting collar.
- 3. Turn on the ignition to check the unit for proper operation.

If you have difficulties, consult your nearest authorized professional installer for assistance.

Installation Procedures

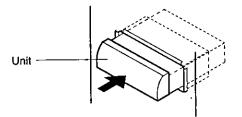
1. Secure the Mounting Collar ①.

Insert Mounting Collar (1) into the vehicle's dashboard, and bend mounting tabs out with a screwdriver.



2. Secure the rear of the unit.

- a) Check the electrical connection by referring to this operating instructions.
- b) Insert the unit into Mounting Collar (1) and push it in until "click" is heard.

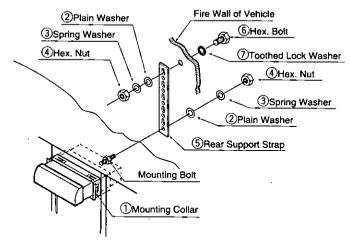


c) Secure the rear of the unit to the vehicle by either of the two recommended methods on the next page.

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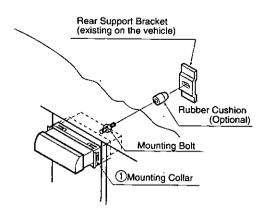
Using the Rear Support Strap (5)

Affix one end of the Rear Support Strap (s) to the rear of the unit, and the other end to the Fire Wall of Vehicle or some other metallic area.



Using the Rubber Cushion (Optional)

(If there is an existing Rear Support Bracket on the Fire Wall of vehicle.) Cover Mounting Bolt on the rear of the unit with Rubber Cushion (Optional), and mount it into the existing Rear Support Bracket.

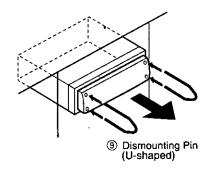


3. Plug the Power Connector (8).

4. After installation reconnect the negative (-) battery terminal.

To Remove the Unit from the vehicle's dashboard

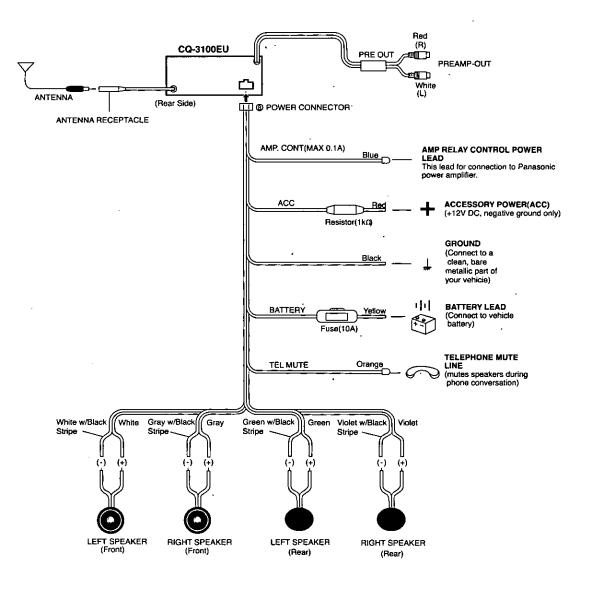
Insert Dismounting Pins (9) and pull both pins.



Note: Do not lose Dismounting Pins. They will be needed to remove the unit from the vehicle's dashboard.

Caution:

- To prevent damage to the unit, be sure to follow the connection diagram below.
- Remove the covering of the leads about 5 mm long from their end before connecting.
- Do not insert the power connector into the unit until the wiring is completed.
- Be sure to insulate any exposed wires from a possible short-circuit from the vehicle chassis. Bundle all cables
 and keep cable terminals free from touching any metal parts.



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Troubleshooting

Maintenance

Your product is designed and manufactured to ensure a minimum of maintenance. Use a soft cloth for routine exterior cleaning. Never use benzine, thinner, or other solvent.

When Something Doesn't Work

Check the charts on page 22 for possible causes and solutions to any problem you might be experiencing. Some simple checks or minor adjustments may eliminate the problem.

Product Servicing

If the suggestions in the charts don't solve the problem,we recommend that you take it to your nearest authorized Panasonic Servicenter.The unit should be serviced only by a qualified technician.

Replacing the Fuse

Use fuses of the same specified rating (10 amps). Using different substitutes or fuses with higher ratings, or connecting the unit directly without a fuse, could cause fire or damage to the stereo unit.

If the replacement fuse fails, contact your nearest authorized Panasonic Servicenter for service.

Error Display Messages

EI	Displays when the compact disc is dirty or upside down. The disc eject automatically. But, the disc may eject automatically, even if this error message is not dis- played.
E 2	Displays when compact disc is scrat- ched. The disc eject automatically. But, the disc may eject automatically, even if this error message is not dis- played.
Ε3	Displays when the compact disc stops operating for some reason. Please turn off the vehicle engine (ACC off) and remove the fuse from yellow lead for 3 minutes. Then reinstall the fuse.

Troubleshooting continued

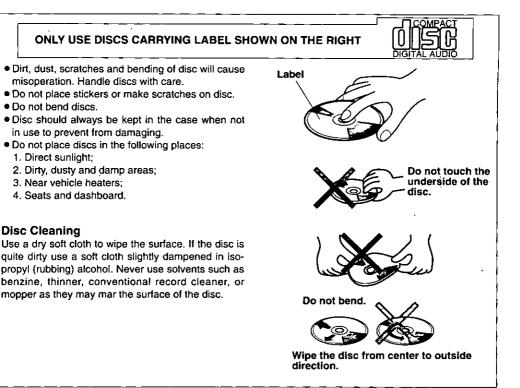
Troubleshooting Tips

PROBLEM	POSSIBLE CAUSE	PROBABLE SOLUTION
Unit won't turn on.	Dead vehicle battery. Ignition not on. Bad power line connection. Fuse burned out.	Charge vehicle battery. Turn ignition to On or Accessory. Check connections. Replace fuse.
Radio has static.	Antenna not hooked up. Close to high power lines.	Hook up antenna. Move away from high power lines.
Radio memo- ry buttons don't work.	Not holding buttons down long enough.	Press and hold buttons for more than 2 seconds.
No sound can be heard	The compact disc is inverted.	Insert the disc with label side facing up.
even if the disc is proper- ly loaded.	The compact disc is very dirty.	Try to clean the compact disc by instructions of disc cleaning.
iy ibaded.	The temperature inside the vehicle is more than 140°F (60°C)	Give the interior a chance to cool down before using the unit.
	Excessive moisture.	Wait for a while before using the unit."
	Wiring connection is not properly done.	Confirm all wiring connection such as power cord, speaker cords, etc.
	Volume control is at "minimum" position.	Adjust the volume control to the proper level.
	Fuse of amplifier is blown out.	Replace the fuse with the correct rating.
Sound distort- ed due to vibration	Installing method is bad.	Fix the unit securely.
Inverted sound (Left/Right connections).	The speaker cords are inverted.	Check the speaker cords.
No sound from front or rear speakers.	The fader control is set on the wrong position.	Adjust the fader control of the unit correctly.
Sound distort- ed due to	The compact disc may be defective.	Try to replace the disc with another one.
vibration	The compact disc is dirty.	Try to clean the compact disc by instructions of disc cleaning.
A compact disc is some- times ejacted. (Display shows "E1", an error mes- sage.)	The pickup lens is dirty.	Clean the lens. (Use CD lens cleaning disc.)



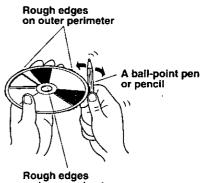
Special Notes

Notes on Compact Discs



Caution for use of a new Disc

A new disc may have rough edges on its inner and outer perimeter. If a disc with rough edges is used, proper setting will not be possible and the CD player will not play the disc. Therefore, remove the rough edges in advance by using a ball-point pen or pencil as shown on right. To remove the rough edges, press the side of the pen or pencil against the inner and outer perimeter of the disc.



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Specifications

GENERAL	••
Power Supply	: 12 V DC (11 V - 16 V) Test Voltage 14.4 V, Negative ground
Maximum Power Output	: 35 W x 4 channels at 400 Hz, Volume Control maximum
Power Output	: 18W per channel into 4 ohms, 40 to 30,000Hz at 3% THD.
Tone Action	: Bass ; ± 10dB at 100 Hz Treble; ± 10 dB at 10 kHz
Current Consumption	: Less than 2.5 A (CD mode, 0.5 W 4-speaker)
Pre-Amp Output Voltage	: 2.0V (CD play mode; 1KHz 0 dB)
Speaker Impedance	: 4 Ω (4 - 8 Ω acceptable)
Dimensions (W x H x D)	: 7" x 1-15/16" x 5-7/8" (178 x 50 x 150 mm)
Weight	: 3 lbs. 8 oz. (1.6 kg)

AM RADIO

Frequency Range	: 530 - 1,710 kHz
Useable Sensitivity	: 28 dB/µV (25 µV/ S/N 20 dB)

FM STEREO RADIO

Frequency Range	: 87.9 - 107.9 MHz
Useable Sensitivity	: 12 dBf. (1.1 μV/ 75 Ω, S/N 30 dB)
50 dB Quieting Sensitivity	: 17 dBf. (2.0 μV/ 75 Ω)
Frequency Response	: 30 - 15,000 Hz ±3 dB
Alternate Channel Selectivity	: 75 dB
Stereo Separation	: 35 dB at 1,000Hz
Signal/Noise Ratio	: 70 dB (Mono)

CD Player		
Sampling Frequency	: 32 times oversampling	
DA Converter	: MASH-1bit/4 DAC System	
Error Correction System	: Panasonic Super Decoding Algorithm	
Pick-Up Type	: 1-beam	
Light Source	: Semiconductor laser	
Wavelength	: 780 nm	
Frequency Response	: 20 Hz - 20,000 Hz (±1 dB)	
Signal to Noise Ratio	: 98 dB	
Total Harmonic Distortion	: 0.01%(1 kHz)	
Wow and Flutter	: Below measurable limits	
Channel Separation	: 75 dB	

*Above specifications comply with EIA standards.

Note:

Specifications and design are subject to modification without notice due to improvements in technology.

Part 15 of the FCC Rules (This standard is for U.S.A only)

This unit has been manufactured under the Part 15 of the FCC Rules. Do not attempt to make any changes or modifications to this unit.

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