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STEREO MINIDISC RECORDER DNF-9020 MD-2070 INSTRUCTION MANUAL

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This instruction manual is used to describe multiple models listed above. Model availability and features (functions) may differ depending on the country and sales area.



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Introduction

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Before applying power

Units are designed for operation as follows.	
U.S.A. and Canada	AC 120 V only
U.K.	AC 230 V only

For the United Kingdom

Factory fitted moulded mains plug

- 1. The mains plug contains a fuse. For replacement, use only a 13- Amp ASTA-approved (BS1362) fuse.
- 2. The fuse cover must be refitted when replacing the fuse in the moulded plug.
- 3. Do not cut off the mains plug from this equipment. If the plug fitted is not suitable for the power points in your home or the cable is too short to reach a power point, then obtain an appropriate safety approved extension lead or adapter, or consult your dealer. If nonetheless the mains plug is cut off, remove the fuse and dispose of the plug immediately, to avoid a possible shock hazard by inadvertent connection to the mains supply.

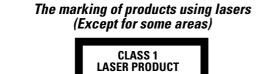
IMPORTANT :

- The wires in the mains lead are coloured in accordance with the following code :
- Blue: Neutral
- Brown : Live
- Do not connect those leads to the earth terminal of a three pin plug.

Safety precautions

WARNING : TO PREVENT FIRE OR ELECTRIC SHOCK, DO NOT EXPOSE THIS APPLIANCE TO RAIN OR MOISTURE.

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The marking is located on the rear panel and says that the component uses laser beams that have been classified as Class 1. It means that the unit is utilizing laser beams that are of a weaker class. There is no danger of hazardous radiation outside the unit.

REQUIREMENT BY NEDERLAND GAZETTE

Batteries are supplied with this product. When they empty, you should not throw away. Instead, hand them in as small chemical waste.



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Unpacking

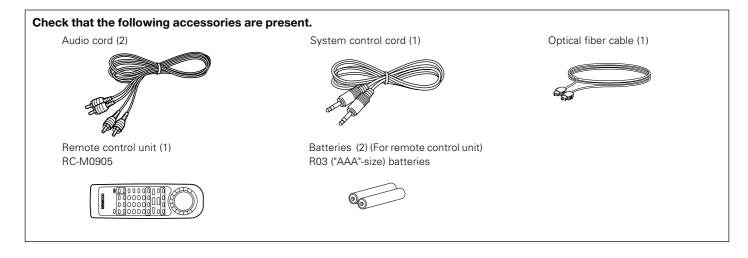
Unpack the unit carefully and make sure that all accessories are put aside so they will not be lost.

Examine the unit for any possibility of shipping damage. If your unit is damaged or fails to operate, notify your dealer immediately. If your unit was shipped to you directly, notify the shipping company without delay. Only the consignee (the person or company receiving the unit) can file a claim against the carrier for shipping damage.

We recommend that you retain the original carton and packing materials for use should you transport or ship the unit in the future.

Keep this manual handy for future reference.

Accessories



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Special feature

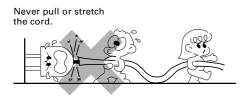
This unit is audio equipment based on the Mini Disc format. The Mini Disc (MD) is an application of the optical and magneto-optical technology and has the capability to record signals on discs. The operability of the MD is equivalent to the Compact Disc (CD). The MD uses optional non-contact system so the recordings are not degraded by eternal factors and the discs are never scratched or damaged in playback.

<i>"24 bit Rec & Play D.R.I.V.E.II" for high-quality recording and playback</i>	This unit incorporates the KENWOOD-original "24-bit REC D.R.I.V.E.II" system to allow high-quality 24-bit recording of CD as well as analog sources such as a tuner and analog disk turntable. The playback circuitry incorporate the KENWOOD-original "24-bit D/ A converter" for high-quality playback. (D.R.I.V.E.:Dynamic Resolution Intensive Vector Enhancement)
Sampling rate converter	The sampling rate converter incorporated in this unit is compatible with all digital sources (32 kHz, 44.1 kHz, 48 kHz).
	 48 kHz : Standard mode of DAT. For recording of B mode broadcasting of BS tuner, etc. 44.1 kHz: Standard mode of DAT. For recording of CD, MD, etc. 32 kHz : Standard mode and long-hour mode of DAT. For recording of A mode broadcasting of BS tuner.
Versatile editing functions	In addition to the conventional editing functions (MOVE, DIVIDE, COMBINE and ERASE), this unit provides more versatile editing functions such as the QUICK MOVE function for moving desired tracks at once or the QUICK ERASE function for erasing desired tracks at once.
SOUND SYNCHRO REC functions	This unit is equipped with the "SOUND SYNCHRO REC" and "AUTO CUT" functions for automatically starting and pausing recording simultaneously with the sound input, the "REC AUTO PAUSE" function for automatically stopping recording when the end of one track on the CD is reached, and the "MEMORY REC" function for starting recording from approximately 6 seconds before the current sound.
DIGITAL REC control	This unit is capable of adjusting the recording level during record- ing from a digital source as well as from an analog source. The fade- in/out functions can also be used.
Title input, title search	The "Title input" function allows to assign disc and track titles simply using the multi-jog dial, the "Title search" function allows to find the desired track title by checking every title, the "Title copy" function allows to copy the CD text while recording a CD and the "Preset title" function allows to preset frequently used titles.

IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS

A Caution :Read this page carefully to ensure safe operation.

- Please read all of the safety and operating instructions before operating this appliance. Adhere to all warnings on the appliance and in the instruction manual. Follow all the safety and operating instructions. These safety and operating instructions should be retained for future reference.
 - 1. Power sources The appliance should be connected to a power supply only of the type described in the instruction manual or as marked on the appliance. If you are not sure of the type of power supply to your home, consult your appliance dealer or local power company. For appliances intended to operate from battery power, or other sources, refer to the instruction manual.
 - Power-cord protection Power-supply cords should be routed so that they are not likely to be walked on or pinched by items placed upon or against them, pay particular attention to cords at plugs, convenience receptacles, and the point where they exit from the appliance.



- 3. CAUTION Polarization This appliance may be equipped with a polarized alternating-current line plug (a plug having one blade wider than the other). This plug will fit into the power outlet only one way. This is a safety feature. If you are unable to insert the plug fully into the outlet, try reversing the plug. If the plug should still fail to fit, contact your electrician to replace your obsolete outlet. Do not defeat the safety purpose of the polarized plug.
- 4. Ventilation Slots and openings in the cabinet are provided for ventilation and to ensure reliable operation of the appliance and to protect it from overheating, and these openings must not be blocked or covered. The appliance should be situated so that its location or position does not interfere with its proper ventilation.

To maintain good ventilation, do not put records or a table-cloth on the appliance. Place the appliance at least 10 cm away from the walls.

Do not use the appliance on a bed, sofa, rug or similar surface that may block the ventilation openings. This appliance should not be placed in a built-in installation such as a bookcase or rack unless proper ventilation is provided or the manufacturer's instructions have been adhered to.



5. Water and moisture – The appliance should not be used near water - for example, near a bathtub, washbowl, kitchen sink, laundry tub, in a wet basement, or near a swimming pool, etc.

- 6. **Temperature** The appliance may not function properly if used at extremely low, or freezing temperatures. The ideal ambient temperature is above +5°C (41°F).
- Heat The appliance should be situated away from heat sources such as radiators, heat registers, stoves, or other appliances (including amplifiers) that produce heat.
- 8. Electric shock Care should be taken so that objects do not fall and liquid is not spilled into the enclosure through openings. If a metal objects, such as a hair pin or a needle, comes into contact with the inside of this appliance, a dangerous electric shock may result. For families with children, never permit children to put anything, especially metal, inside this appliance.



9. Enclosure removal – Never remove the enclosure. If the internal parts are touched accidentally, a serious electric shock might occur.



- **10.Magnetic fields** Keep the appliance away from sources of magnetic fields such as TV sets, speaker systems, radios, motorized toys or magnetized objects.
- **11.Cleaning** Unplug this appliance from the wall outlet before cleaning. Do not use volatile solvents such as alcohol, paint thinner, gasoline, or benzine, etc. to clean the cabinet. Use a clean dry cloth.
- **12. Accessories** Do not place this appliance on an unstable cart, stand, tripod, bracket, or table. The appliance may fall, causing serious injury to a child or adult, and serious damage to the appliance. Use only with a cart, stand, tripod, bracket, or table recommended by the manufacturer, or sold with the appliance. Any mounting of the appliance should follow the manufacturer's instructions, and should use a mounting accessory recommended by the manufacturer. An appliance and cart combination should be moved with care. Quick stops, excessive force, and uneven surfaces may cause the appliance and cart combination to overturn.



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- 13.Lightning For added protection for this appliance during a lightning storm, or when it is left unattended and unused for long periods of time, unplug it from the wall outlet and disconnect the antenna or cable system. This will prevent damage to the appliance due to lightning and power-line surges.
- **14.Abnormal smell** If an abnormal smell or smoke is detected, immediately turn the power OFF and unplug the appliance from the wall outlet. Contact your dealer or nearest service center.



15.Damage requiring service – The appliance should be serviced by qualified service personnel when:

A. The power-supply cord or the plug has been damaged.
B. Objects have fallen, or liquid has been spilled into the appliance.

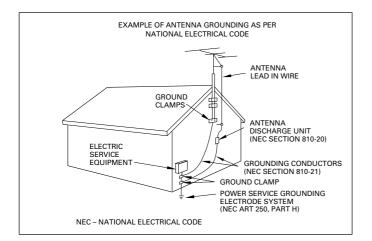
C. The appliance has been exposed to rain or water.

D. The appliance does not appear to operate normally by following the instruction manual. Adjust only those controls that are covered by the instruction manual as an improper adjustment of other controls may result in damage and will often require extensive work by a qualified technician to restore the appliance to its normal operation.

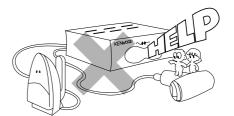
E. The appliance has been dropped, or the enclosure damaged.

F. The appliance exhibits a marked change in performance.

- **16.Servicing** The user should not attempt to service the appliance beyond that described in the instruction manual. All other servicing should be referred to qualified service personnel.
- **17.Outdoor antenna grounding** If an outside antenna is connected to the appliance, be sure the antenna system is grounded so as to provide some protection against voltage surges and built up static charges. Article 810 of the National Electrical Code ANSI/NFPA 70, provides information with respect to proper grounding of the mast and supporting structure, grounding of the lead-in wire to an antenna discharge unit, size of grounding conductors, location of antenna discharge unit, connection to grounding electrodes, and requirements for the grounding electrode. See Figure.



- 18.Power lines An outside antenna system should not be located in the vicinity of overhead power lines or other electric light or power circuits, or where it can fall into such power lines or circuits. When installing an outside antenna system, extreme care should be taken to keep from touching such power lines or circuits as contact with them might be fatal.
- **19.AC outlets** Do not connect other audio equipment with a power consumption larger than that specified to the AC outlet on the rear panel. Never connect other electrical appliances, such as an iron or toaster, to it to prevent fire or electric shock.



- 20. Overloading Do not overload wall outlets, extension cords, or integral convenience receptacles as this can result in a risk of fire or electric shock.
- **21. Attachment** Do not use attachments not recommended by the appliance manufacturer as they may cause hazards.
- **22. Replacement parts** When replacement parts are required, be sure the service technician has used replacement parts specified by the manufacturer or have the same characteristics as the original parts. Unauthorized substitutions may result in fire, electric shock, or other hazards.
- **23. Safety check** Upon completion of any service or repairs to this appliance, ask the service technician to perform safety checks to determine that the appliance is in proper operating condition.



- 1. Item 3 is not required except for grounded or polarized equipment.
- 2. Item 17 and 18 are not required except for units provided with antenna terminals.
- 3. Item 17 complies with UL in the U.S.A.

Safety Precautions

Do not touch the disc directly.

Do not touch the disc by opening the shutter with your hand. The cartridge will be damaged if it is forced open.

Storage position

Do not leave Mini Discs in place where the temperature and/or humidity are extremely high (for example, in a place subject to direct sunlight).

Note related to transportation and movement

Before transporting or moving this unit, carry out the following operations.

- 1. Set the POWER key to ON without loading a Mini Disc. • Check that no disc is present in the unit.
- 2. Wait a few seconds and verify that the display shown appears.

The MD recorder is very sensitive to vibrations. It should be installed

in a position subject to as small vibration as possible.

3. Set the POWER key to OFF.

Installation position

Dust countermeasure

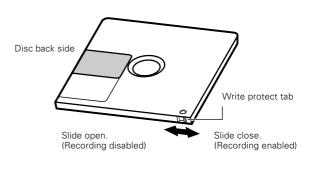
The shutter of the disc cartridge is permanently open while the disc is loaded in the set. Therefore, to prevent dust from penetrating inside the disc, take the disc out of the unit immediately after completion of recording or playback.

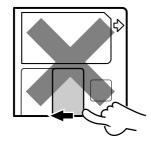
Care

Wipe periodically dust and dirt attached on the cartridge with a dry cloth.

Write protect tab

To protect recorded contents against accidental erasure, set the write protect tab of the disc open. Return the tab to the original position when you want to record signals on the disc.





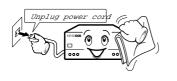
NO DISC

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Maintenance

Maintenance of the set

When the front panel or case becomes dirty, wipe with a soft, dry cloth. Do not use thinner, benzine, alcohol, etc. for these agents may cause discoloration.



In regard to contact cleaner

Do not use contact cleaners because it could cause a malfunction. Be specially careful not to use contact cleaners containing oil, for they may deform the plastic component.

Reference notes

Caution on condensation

Condensation (of dew) may occur inside the unit when there is a great difference in temperature between this unit and the outside. This unit may not function properly if condensation occurs. In this case, leave the unit for a few hours with the power left ON, and restart the operation after the condensation has dried up.

Be specially cautious against condensation in a following circumstance:

When this unit is carried from a place to another across a large difference in temperature, when the humidity in the room where this unit is installed increases, etc.

CD TEXT

CD TEXT is a system that is standardized to allow the display of text data (disc name or song title, artist name etc.) that is recorded on CDs in addition to music.

By digitally connecting this unit with a CD player (CD TEXT compatible), the text data of a CD can be copied to an MD.

Presently, however, some CDs are equipped with a copy prevention code that prohibits the copying of this data. In the case of such CDs, copying of text data is not possible.

On CDs that do not include the text data copy prevention code, the operation of **"CD text display and copy"** is possible.

Memory backup

The typical period for which the memory can be backed up while the power cord is unplugged or the **POWER** key is set to the **OFF** position is about 3 weeks, though this may be variable depending on the surrounding environment.

In case of long hours of power failure or slipping out of the power cord, the data related to recording and editing (that is usually recorded at the moment the Mini Disc is ejected) may be cleared or destroyed before it is written in the Mini Disc. Remember that the data lost cannot be recovered.

After recording or editing, be sure to eject the Mini Disc so that the recording or editing data can be written in the disc.

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System connections

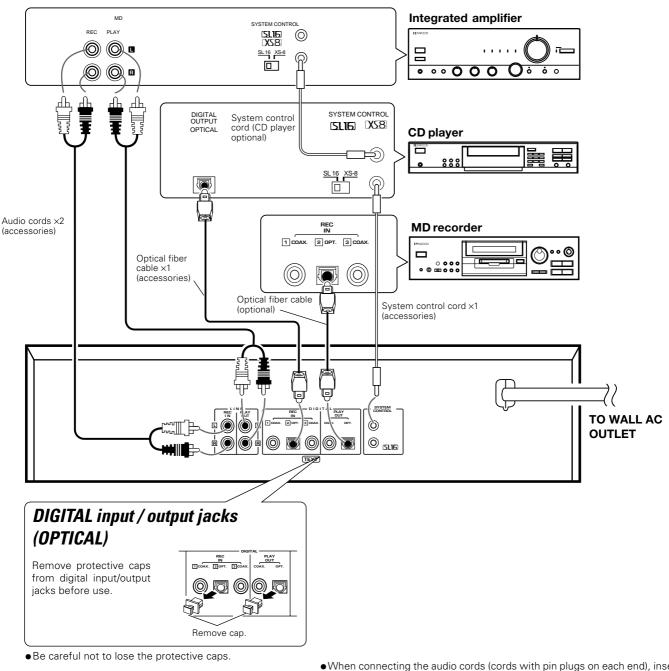
Make connection as shown below. When connecting the related system components, refer also to the instruction manuals of the related components.

10 struction manuals of the related components. Caution: Do not plug in the power lead until all connections are completed.

Malfunction of microprocessor



If operation is not possible or erroneous display appears even though all connections have been made properly, reset the microprocessor referring to "In case of difficulty".



When connecting the audio cords (cords with pin plugs on each end), insert the white plugs into the L (Left) jacks and red plugs into the R (Right) jacks.
If the system components are equipped with more than one system control

cord connectors, any one of the connectors can be used.



1. Connect all cords firmly. If connections are loose, there could be loss of sound or noise produced.

2. When plugging and unplugging connection cords, be sure to first remove the power cord from the AC outlet. Plugging/unplugging connection cords without removal of the power cord can cause malfunctions or damage to the unit.

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About the system control connections

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Connecting system control cords after connecting a Kenwood audio component system lets you take advantage of convenient system control operations.

There are two Kenwoood system control modes. Make connections according to the groups of terminal symbols shown below.

[XS8] Mode : lets you combine XR, XS, and XS8 terminals

[SL16] Mode : for [SL16] terminals only

This unit is SITE compatible.

You can connect this unit via system control if all other equipment using system control connections are set to the [SL16] mode.



[SL16] equipment cannot be combined with [XR], [XS], and [XS8] equipment for system operations. If your equipment consists of this kind of combination, please do not connect any system control cords. Even without system control cords, normal operations can be carried out without affecting performance.

 Even if your amplifier or receiver does not have a system control terminal, the system control functions between other components can be implemented partially by connecting system control cords to the system control terminals of other components. (CD TEXT)
 Do not connect system control cords to any components other than those specified by

Kenwood. It may cause a malfunction and damage your equipment.
Be sure the system control plugs are inserted all the way in to the system control terminals.

(See the figure at right.)

About the system control operations

Remote Control

Lets you operate this unit with the system remote supplied with the amplifier or receiver. Automatic Operation

Automatically switches the input selector on the amplifier or receiver when you start playback from this unit. Synchronized Recording

When recording a CD after setting the amplifier's input selector to CD, starting playback on the CD player allows to start recording automatically in an interlocked operation.

• Do not operate the CD player during recording of a digital source other than CD; otherwise malfunction may occur.

• Synchronized recording is not possible while the SOUND SYNCHRO REC, AUTO CUT and REC AUTO PAUSE function is operating.

+ 25 + 30

Note on connection of optical-fiber cable

The optical-fiber cable is designed for use in the connection of the CD player (optional). The digital signal transmission makes it possible to record the high-quality sound of CDs without degradation.

- Insert the optical-fiber cable straight into the connector until it clicks.
- $\bullet\, \textsc{Be}$ sure to attach the protection cap when the connector is not used.
- Never bend or bundle the optical-fiber cable.
- All of the commercially-available optical fiber cables cannot be used with these units. If there is an optical fiber cable which cannot be connected to your component, please consult your dealer or nearest KENWOOD agent.

D.R.I.V.E.II (Dynamic Resolution Intensive Vector Enhancement) system

This unit incorporates the KENWOOD-original "24-bit REC D.R.I.V.E.II" system so that, not to mention the CD, analog sources such as the tuner and analog disk turntable can also be recorded with high-quality 24-bit recording.

- The digital inputs include both optical and coaxial input jacks so that high-quality recording is possible from any digital equipment.
- ① The reproducibility of small signals is improved drastically for an excellent reproduction of fine reverberations of music. The excellence is also remarkable in the feeling of stability, presence, attack sound and bass reproduction.
- ② The D.R.I.V.E.II system maintains the correlation between the musical components of the input and output signals and does not cause any sound degradation from the principle.

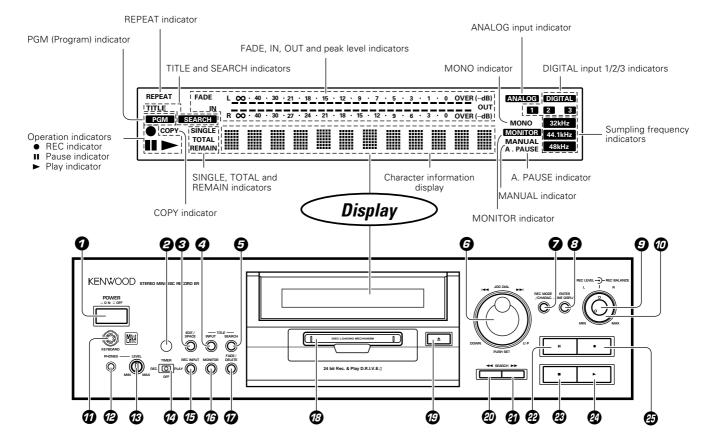
MONITOR function

This unit can be used as a 24-bit D/A converter by setting the **MONITOR** key.

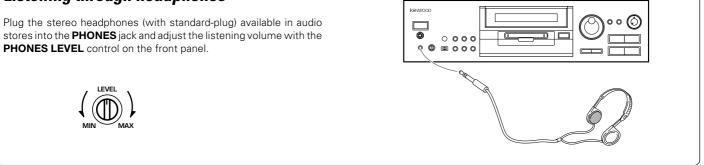
Refer to "MONITOR key". - 23

Names and functions of parts

12 Display / Main unit



Listening through headphones



Standby mode

While the standby indicator of the unit is lit, a small amount of current is flowing into the unit's internal circuitry to back up the memory. This condition is referred to as the standby mode of the unit. While the unit is in the standby mode, it can be turned ON from the remote control unit.

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Description of main unit keys

OPOWER key

- : Press to turn the unit ON and OFF.
- : The unit may enter the standby mode when the **POWER** key is pressed to turn it ON. This is because the unit holds the memory that it has been put to the standby mode by the remote control unit in the last operation.

Remote control sensor

GEDIT/SPACE kev

EDIT

: Press to switch the editing mode ON/OFF.

- SPACE
- : Press to insert a blank space character during the title input operation.

OTITLE INPUT key

: Press to switch the title input mode ON/OFF.

GTITLE SEARCH key

- : Press to switch the title search mode ON/OFF.
- : During title editing, press to switch the title change input mode between the "overwrite mode" and "insert mode".

GJOG DIAL

Skip down (I◄◄)/ Skip up(►►I) knob

- : During playback, rotate to skip tracks.
- : Before starting recording in record mode, rotate to select the recording setting adjustment mode.
- : During title search, rotate to select a track number.
- : During title input, rotate to select a track number or a character.
- : During editing, rotate to select the editing mode or a track number

PUSH SET knob

→ 32

→ 23 → 45

+33 + 49

+ 27

→ 27

→<u>18</u>→<u>44</u>

→<u>32</u>→<u>47</u>

→ 44

→<u>17</u>→<u>46</u>

- : For use in setting the editing result and input title in memory.
- : When pressed in the recording pause mode, the MEMORY REC function is set and recording starts from the sound approximately 6 seconds before the current sound.

REC MODE/CHARAC. (Character) key **REC MODE**

: Press to switch the recording setting adjustment modes (record modes) ON/OFF.

CHARAC.

: Press to select a character group during the title input operation.

GENTER/TIME DISPLAY key

ENTER

- : For use in executing the editing and title input operations. **TIME DISPLAY**
- : Press to switch the time and title display.

OREC LEVEL knob

: Rotate to adjust the analog recording level.

OREC BALANCE knob

: Rotate to adjust the analog recording balance.

WKeyboard connector

: Connect an IBM PC compatible keyboard (optional) here.

PHONES jack

: Connect stereo headphones (optional) here.

B PHONES LEVEL knob

: Rotate to adjust the volume of the headphones.

OTIMER switch

: This switch is used in timer playback and timer recording.

BREC INPUT key

→ 26 → 28 : Press to switch the recording input line between digital (optical/coaxial), analog and monaural.

MONITOR key

: Press to monitor the sound being input from the source while the unit is in stop mode.

PADE/DELETE key

: Press to switch the fade mode ON/OFF.

DELETE

: During title editing, press to delete a character. During track editing, press to delete a track.

Mini Disc insertion slot

mode, it is turned ON automatically.

: Press to eject the Mini Disc.

Manual search down (<<) key</p> → 19 → 46

- : This key also functions as the fast reverse key during playback.
- : During an editing mode, press to move the title input cursor or to scroll the track title display to the left.

Manual search up (►►) key

- : This key also functions as the fast forward key during playback.
- : During an editing mode, press to move the title input cursor or to scroll the track title display to the right.

Pause (II) key

: Press to let playback or recording pause temporarily.

B Stop (■) key Stop (■) key Stop (■) key Stop (■) key Stop (■) key

: Press to stop playback or recording.

: Press to start playback.

Record (•) key

Press to start recording.

In stop mode

: When the • key is pressed while a recordable disc is present in the unit, it enters record-pause mode.

(It enters record-pause mode at the position immediately after the last existing track.)

In record-pause mode

- : When the key is pressed, the SOUND SYNCHRO REC standby mode is set.
- : In the SOUND SYNCHRO REC standby mode, the set functions in the same way as in the normal recording pause mode.

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→ <u>28</u> → <u>49</u>

→ 19 → 46

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FADE

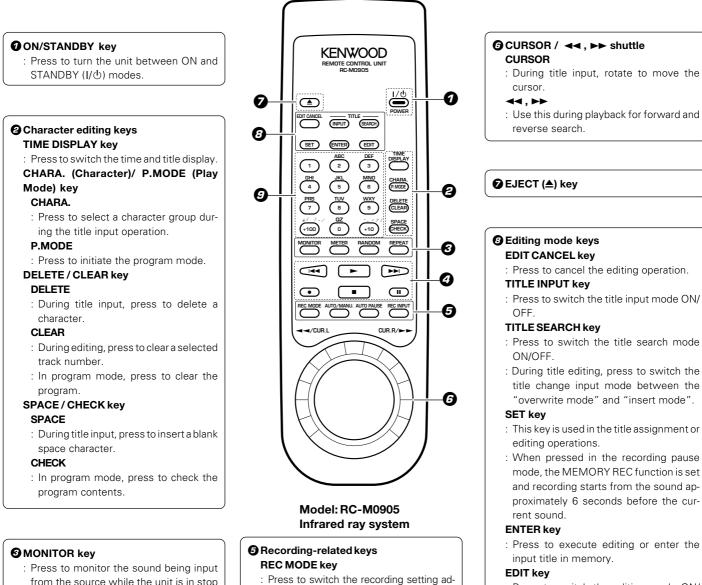
: When a Mini Disc is inserted while the unit is in the standby

→ 17 → 19 → 32

Remote control unit

The remote control unit incorporates the basic operation keys as well as a variety of applied operation keys so that it can be used in a wide range of purposes.

The keys on the remote control unit with the same names as on the main unit have the same function as the keys on the main unit.



from the source while the unit is in stop mode.

METER key

: Press to switch the level meter display contents.

RANDOM key

- : Press to initiate the random play mode. **REPEAT key**
- : Press to switch the repeat modes for repeat playback.

Basic operation keys

- ► : Play key
- I⊲⊲ , ►►I : Skip down/up keys
- Record key
- : Stop key
- II : Pause key

- justment modes ON/OFF. **AUTO/MANU. key** : Selects whether the track numbers are to be marked automatically during re-
- to be marked automatically during recording (AUTO) or to be marked manually after it (MANUAL).

AUTO PAUSE key

- : When this key is pressed, the pause mode is initiated automatically at the point where the track number changes during playback.
- : When pressed in the recording or recording standby mode, the AUTO REC PAUSE mode is turned on.

REC INPUT key

: Press to switch the recording input line between digital (optical/coaxial), analog and monaural.

- Numeric keys 0-9
 - : Press when selecting a track number directly.

: Press to switch the editing mode ON/

+10

OFF.

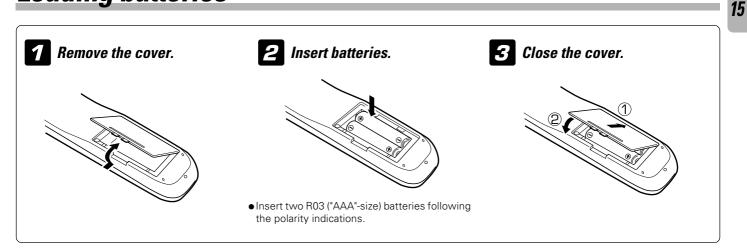
: Press when selecting a track number 10 or more.

+100

- : Press when selecting a track number 100 or more.
- : These keys are also used to select a character or symbol during title editing.

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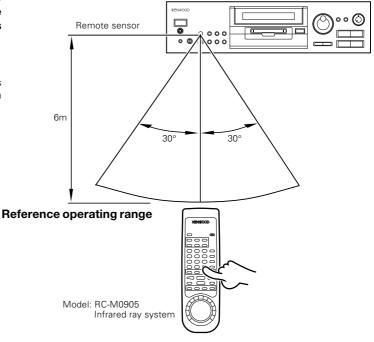
Loading batteries



Operation

Plug the power cord into a power outlet, then turn on the main unit's POWER key to turn the power on. (If in the standby mode, press the ON/STANDBY key on the remote control unit.) Once the power has been switched ON, press the desired operation key.

•When pressing more than one remote control keys successively, press the keys securely by leaving an interval of 1 second or more between pressing of keys.

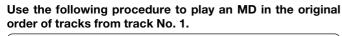




- 1. The provided batteries are intended for use in operation checking, and their service life may be short.
- 2. When the remote controllable distance becomes short, replace all batteries with new ones.
 - 3. If direct sunlight or the light of a high- frequency fluorescent lamp (inverter type, etc.) is incident to the remote sensor, malfunction may occur. In such a case, change the installation position to avoid malfunction.

Playback of Mini Disc

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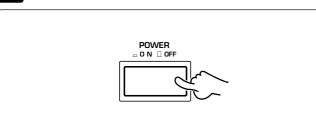
Disc recorded in monaural mode

This unit is capable of playing a Mini Disc recorded in the "monaural long-play mode." As the "monaural long-play mode" requires half the amount of data required for stereo mode recording, the playing time (recording time) of the disc is doubled (to max. 148 minutes) from that in the stereo mode.

•A Mini Disc recorded in the "monaural long-play mode" cannot be played normally with equipment which is not compatible with monaural playback.

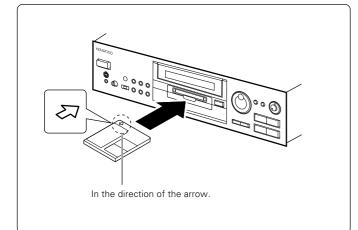
Playing tracks in order from track No. 1

Turn the power ON.



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case no disc is loaded	1:		

Load a Mini Disc.



Insert a Mini Disc into the slot securely.

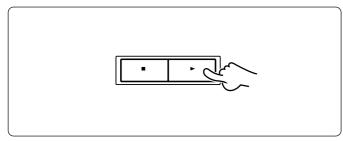
In

- "READING" blinks while the unit checks the contents of the disc.
- If a title has been assigned to the disc, that title will be displayed.



• If the **"PGM"** indicator is lit, press the **CHARA. / P.MODE** key of the remote control unit to turn it off.





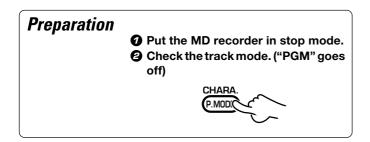
• In a few seconds, playback starts from track No, 1.

L <u>00 · 40 · 30 · 21 · 18 · 15 ·</u> R	12 · 9 · 7 · 5 · 3 · 1 · 0 OVER (-dB)
	4: <mark>12</mark>
I Track No. being played	l Elapsed time of track being played

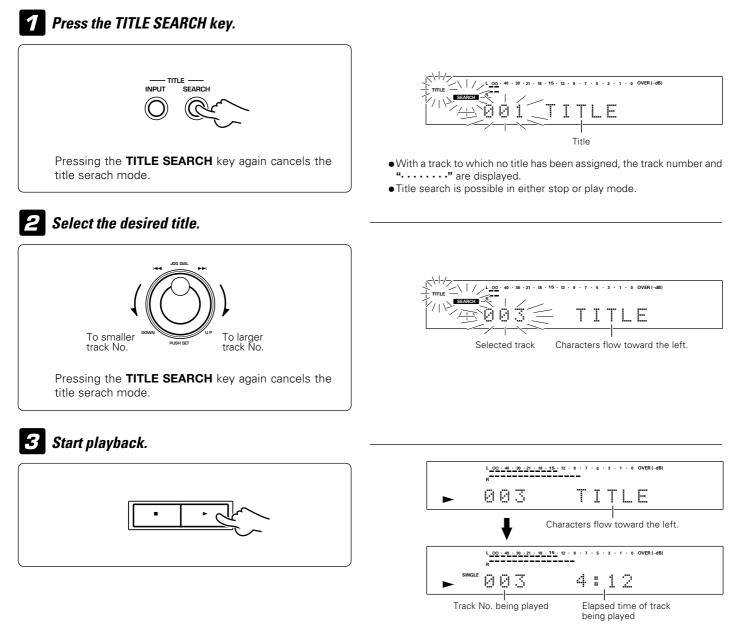
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Searching a desired track by its title (TITLE SEARCH)

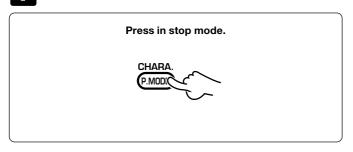


• Playback starts in a few seconds.

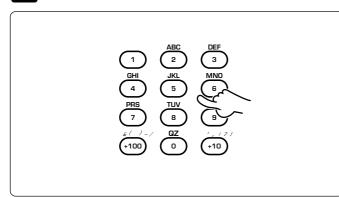
Playback from desired track

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Enter the track mode.



2 Select the desired track number.



Each press switches the mode.

- 1 Track mode : PGM goes off
- ② Program mode : PGM lights up

"PGM" goes off



Press the numeric keys as shown below

To enter track No. 23	
To enter track No. 40	: +10 , +10 , +10 , +10 , 0
To enter track No. 212	: +100 , +100 , +10 , 2

To start playback directly from a part of a track.... Early part of track No. 7 (7.2) : **7 0 2**

Early part of track No. 7 (7.2)	: 702
Middle part of track No. 7 (7.5)	: 705
Latter part of track No. 7 (7.8)	: 708
Middle part of current track (.5)	: 0 5

When an IBM PC compatible keyboard (optional) is connected....

To enter track No. 23
To enter track No. 212
Middle part of track No. 7 (7.5)

2, 3, Enter
2, 1, 2, Enter
7, . , 5

• If a track NO. which does not exist on the disc is selected while "**READING**" is blinking, the last track on the disc will be played.

Random playback

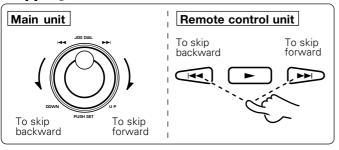
1 Enter the track mode.	Each press switches the mode. → ① Track mode : PGM goes off
Press in stop mode.	 @ Program mode : PGM lights up "PGM" goes off
CHARA. P.MODI	$\begin{bmatrix} - & - & - & - & - & - & - & - & - & - $
2 Press the RANDOM key.	
RANDOM	 Random playback is not possible in the program mode. If the RANDOM key is pressed during random playback, random playback is cancelled and normal playback continues from that point. (If pressed near the end of the track, playback may skip to the beginning

of the next track.)
If the **RANDOM** key is pressed during normal playback, playback of the current track stops and random playback begins.

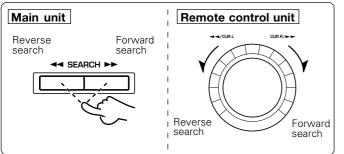
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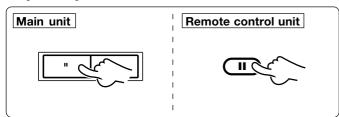




Searching in a track

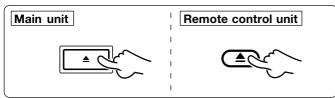


To pause playback



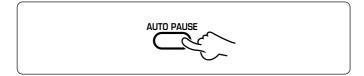
• Each press pauses and plays the MD alternately.

Ejecting the disc



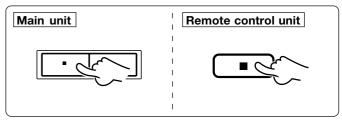
AUTO PAUSE key (Remote control unit only)

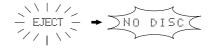
When the AUTO PAUSE key is pressed, playback pauses after every track. This function is convenient for learning a foreign language or when time is required after each track.



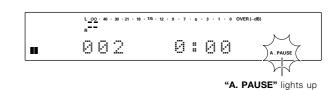
- The track in the direction of the pressed key is skipped, and the selected track will be played from the beginning.
- •When the I key is pressed once during playback, the track being played will be played from the beginning.
- •To return to the beginning of the previous track to the current track, press the I a key in less than about 2 seconds after the restart of the current track.
- Playback restarts from the position with which the key is released or the jog dial operation is terminated. (If the key was pressed in the pause mode, the unit returns to the pause mode at that position.)
- Sound is output when using forward or reverse search during playback.
 If forward or reverse search is started during play-pause, the disc can
- be searched at a high speed but sound is not output.When the reverse search is started during the program mode and the
- beginning of the current track is attained, it will be played from the beginning. $\rightarrow 20$

To stop playback





Mini Disc has been ejected.



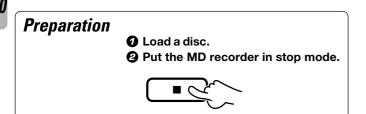
• Press the \blacktriangleright key to resume playback.

•When this function is not required, be sure to press the **AUTO PAUSE** key so that the **"A. PAUSE"** indicator is extinguished.

Programming

desired order. (up to 32 tracks)

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Use the following procedure to program desired tracks in a

Programming tracks in a desired order

Initiate the program mode. Each press switches the mode. ① Track mode : PGM goes off 2 Program mode : PGM lights up CHARA "PGM" lights up P MOD L_____ 40 · 30 · 21 · 18 · 15 · 12 · 9 · 7 · 5 · 3 · 1 · 0 OVER (-dB) -0:00 Select track numbers in the order you want to play them. Press numeric keys in the following order. OSelect the track number to be played. To select track No. 12: Press in order of **+10**, **2** key. 30 · 21 · 18 · 15 · 12 · 9 · 7 · 5 · 3 · 1 · 0 OVER (-dB) рац 012 P-01 Selected track Programmed order • Up to 32 tracks can be selected. "FULL" is displayed when no more track can be programmed. • If you made a mistake, press the DELETE / CLEAR key and enter the track No. again. •An extremely shot track cannot be programmed. attained 256 minutes or more. **O**Set the input track number. CHARA P MOD \bullet The input operation is aborted if the CHARA. / P.MODE key is not Repeat steps 1 and 2 till the desired tracks have pressed while the indicator is blinking. been programmed, in the desired order. Start playback. L - 40 - 30 - 21 - 18 - 15 - 12 - 9 - 7 - 5 - 3 - 1 - 0 OVER (-dB) 012 -30:20 Track No. being played Total remaining time of the programmed tracks

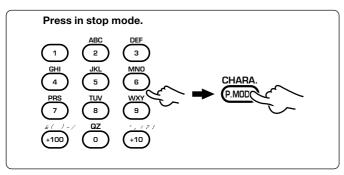
- Tracks will be played in the order they are programmed.
- •When the I◄◄ or ►►I key is pressed during playback, tracks will be skipped in the direction of the pressed key.

Programming

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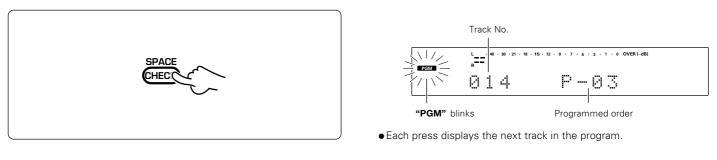
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To add a track to the program

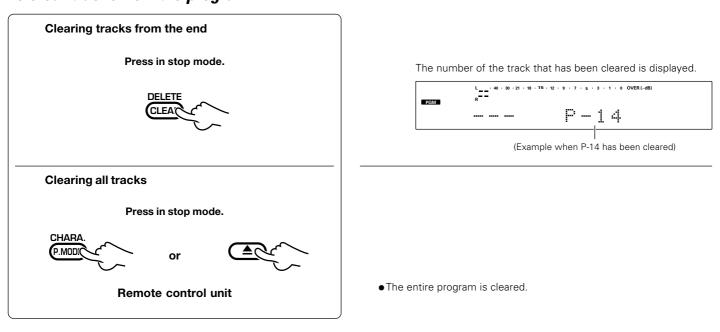


- When a track No. is entered, the track will be added to the end of the existing program.
- •The input operation is aborted if the **CHARA. / P.MODE** key is not pressed while the indicator is blinking.

Checking the order of tracks

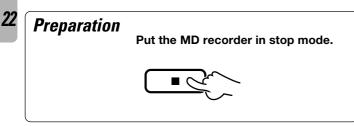


To clear tracks from the program

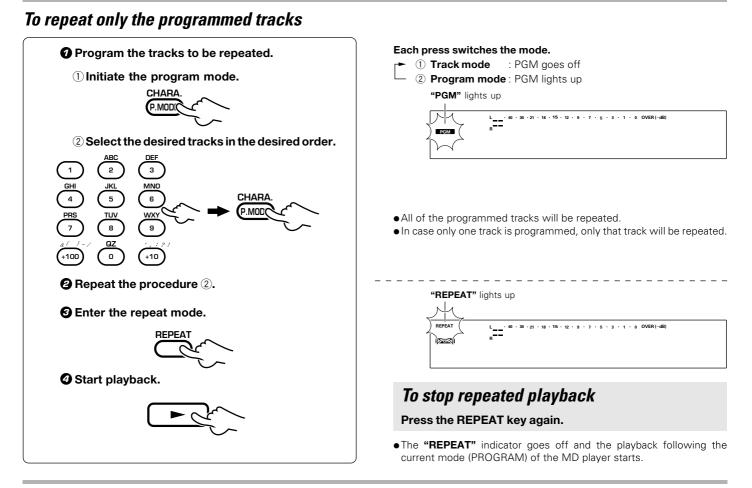


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The programmed tracks can be played repeatedly.



Repeated playback



To repeat the entire disc

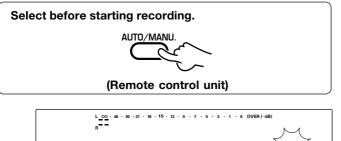
Enter the track mode. CHARA. P.MODI	Each press switches the mode. ① Track mode : PGM goes off ② Program mode : PGM lights up
Enter the repeat mode.	"REPEAT" lights up
Start playback.	
	<i>To stop repeated playback</i> Press the REPEAT key again.

•The **"REPEAT"** indicator goes off and the playback following the current mode (TRACK) of the MD player starts.

Recording-related keys

AUTO / MANU. key

This key is used to select whether track numbers are to be marked automatically during recording or they are to be marked manually during or after recording. The track numbers can be used to locate the beginning of a track during playback or programming tracks.



Extinguished in "AUTO" mode, lit in "MANUAL" mode.

MONITOR key

AUTO

If a no-sound input has lasted for the time set for the AUTO TIME function during recording, the track number will be incremented automatically by "1". Usually, use this position for recording. Use this mode when recording all of the tracks in a CD. When recording music containing a continuous section with a very low level, for example when recording classic music, the track number may be incremented by "1" after such a section. In this case, cancel the track number later. It is recommended to use the MANUAL mode when recording such a kind of music.

During digital recording of CD, the track number is incremented automatically by "1" according to the data contained in the digital information. The no-sound blank is not detected.

When the CD track number is increased during manual search of a CD, the track number recorded on the MD may sometimes fail to be incremented.

A no sound track may sometimes created at the moment the played CD stops.

MANUAL

With this setting, the MD track number is not incremented automatically during recording. Track numbers can be marked either during editing (by pressing the **EDIT** key) or after recording (by executing the **TRACK DIVIDE** operation \rightarrow 36). Even when "MANUAL" is set, the AUTO CUT and AUTO PAUSE functions work if the "AUTO CUT" and "REC AUTO PAUSE" settings are turned on.

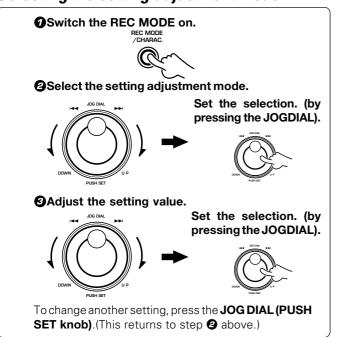
This setting is convenient when recording a CD which has been recorded in live or which contains very low-level sound such as a classical music CD.

Press to monitor the sound being input from the source while the unit is in stop mode. When the REC INPUT is DIGITAL, the sampling rate (48 kHz, 44.1 kHz, 32 kHz) of the input digital signal can be displayed by pressing this key.



REC MODE key

The recording-related settings can be adjusted precisely by selecting the proper display modes. **Selecting the setting adjustment mode**



Each press switches the mode. 1 REC MODE : off 2 REC MODE : on The modes are switched by rotating the JOG DIAL. D. REC LEVEL? : Digital recording level setting. : AUTO CUT on/off selection. AUTO CUT? AUTO TIME? : Setting of the time for detecting a no-sound blank section during automatic track number marking AUTO LEVEL? : Automatic track number marking no-sound blank detection level and SOUND SYNCHRO REC, AUTO CUT and REC AUTO PAUSE sound detection level setting FADE TIME? : Setting of the fading time in fade-in and fadeout. **REC→ WRITING?** : Setting of the UTOC writing after recording. • Step 3 consists of adjusting the setting of the "Setting adjustment mode" selected in step 2. • The "D.REC LEVEL" and "FADE TIME" settings are not used during analog source recording.

To end the setting adjustment, press the REC MODE/CHARAC. key again.

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When "D.REC LEVEL?" is displayed

(Valid during digital recording)

Pressing the SET key while "D.REC LEVEL?" is displayed initiates the initial display for the digital recording level adjustment. The recording level of the currently selected digital input can be varied by operating the skip up/down knob. The initial setting is "DIN[1] \star 0 dB", which can be set in the level range between - ∞ and +12 dB. The figure inside [] indicates the current digital input number.

When "AUTO CUT?" is displayed

The "AUTO CUT" function sets "SOUND SYNCHRO REC" to the pause mode automatically when the sound falls below a certain level during recording. If the SET key is pressed while "AUTO CUT?" is displayed, the initial AUTO CUT mode setting display appears. Use the skip up/down knob to select AUTO CUT ON or OFF, then press the SET key to enter that setting. The initial setting is "AUTO CUT *OFF".

When "AUTO TIME?" is displayed

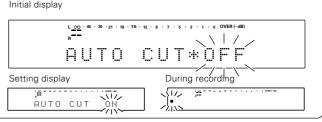
(This is effective except during digital recording of CD)

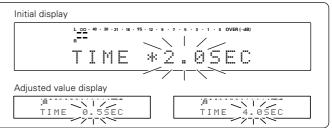
Pressing the SET key while "AUTO TIME?" is displayed initiates the initial display for the no-sound blank detection time adjustment for automatic track number marking. Use the skip up/down knob to set the no-sound blank detection time, then press the SET key to enter that time. The initial setting is "TIME * 2.0 SEC", which can be set in the time range between 0.5 and 4.0 seconds set in 0.5-second steps.

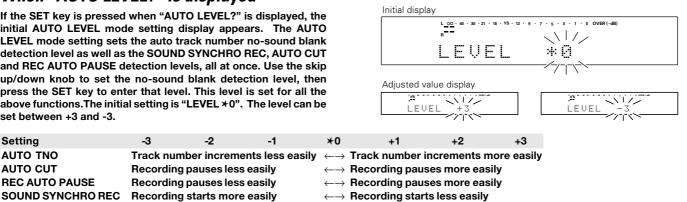
When "AUTO LEVEL?" is displayed

If the SET key is pressed when "AUTO LEVEL?" is displayed, the initial AUTO LEVEL mode setting display appears. The AUTO LEVEL mode setting sets the auto track number no-sound blank detection level as well as the SOUND SYNCHRO REC, AUTO CUT and REC AUTO PAUSE detection levels, all at once. Use the skip up/down knob to set the no-sound blank detection level, then press the SET key to enter that level. This level is set for all the above functions. The initial setting is "LEVEL \star 0". The level can be set between +3 and -3.

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Initial display

• During analog recording, noise on the tape, etc., may activate the SOUND SYNCHRO REC function, causing recording to start. If this happens, raise the setting level.

AUTO TNO (Automatic track number) : Track number increments automatically

When "FADE TIME?" is displayed

(Valid during digital recording)

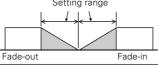
Setting

AUTO TNO

AUTO CUT

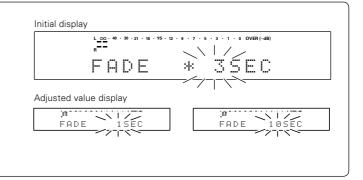
REC AUTO PAUSE

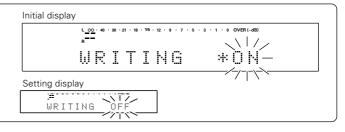
Pressing the SET key while "FADE TIME?" is displayed initiates the initial display for the fade time adjustment. The time period of fade-in and fade-out operations can be varied by operating the skip up/down knob. The initial setting is "FADE ★ 3SEC", which can be set in the time range between 1 and 10 seconds in 1-second steps. Setting range



When "REC \rightarrow WRITING?" is displayed

"WRITING" refers to the writing of recording-related data in the Mini Disc. Pressing the SET key while "REC → WRITING?" is displayed initiates the initial display for the writing mode setting. The initial setting is "WRITING ★ON". Use the skip up/down knob to select whether or not to write the UTOC when recording is completed (ON or OFF), then press the SET key to enter that settina.

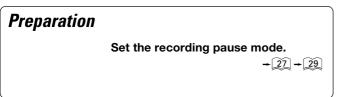




Recording-related keys

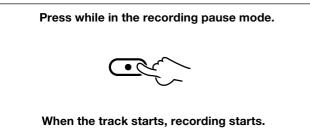
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Recording can be started or paused simultaneously with the sound and from the sound approximately 6 seconds before the current sound.



Automatically starting recording when the track starts (SOUND SYNCHRO REC)

Recording starts when a sound above a certain level is input. This function is particularly convenient when combined with the AUTO CUT function to record selected tracks.

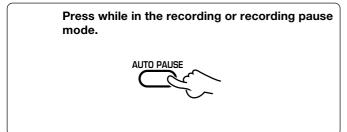




- The sound detection level can be adjusted with the REC MODE **"AUTO** LEVEL" setting.
- When the key is pressed again, the normal recording pause mode is set.
- For some music sources, the beginning of the track may be cut off.

Automatically pausing recording when the track ends (REC AUTO PAUSE)

Recording is automatically paused when the sound input is below a certain level for over 3 seconds or when the track number changes during digital recording of a CD. This function comes in handy when you only want to record one track from the CD.



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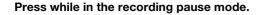
"A. PAUSE" lights up

- The sound detection level can be adjusted with the REC MODE "AUTO LEVEL" setting.
- Press the key or the AUTO PAUSE key again to cancel the REC AUTO PAUSE mode.

Starting recording from the sound before the current sound (MEMORY REC)

Recording starts from the sound 6 seconds before the point at which the key is pressed.

Use this for example when recording radio programs.





• It is not possible to start recording from the sound 6 seconds before the current sound if less than 6 seconds have passed in the recording pause mode.

•When the fade mode is ON, the fade mode is switched OFF before recording starts.

Recording starts from the sound 6 seconds before the current sound.

Recording (ANALOG input)

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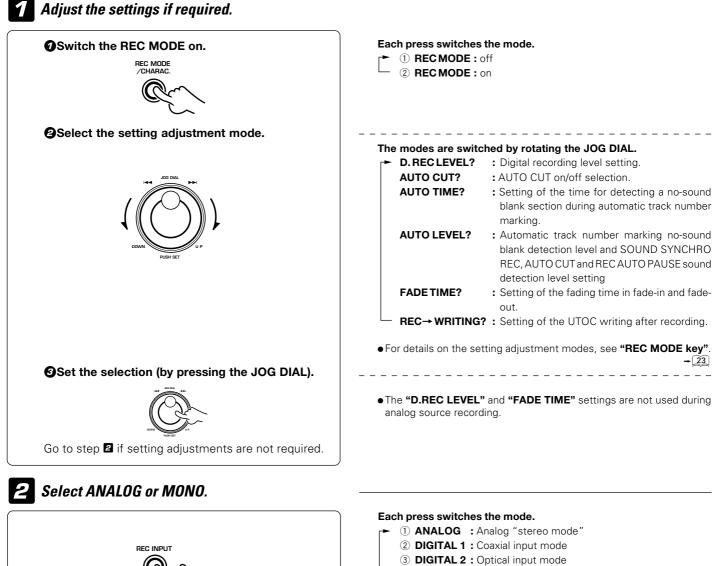
The input jacks connected with audio cords accept analog signals. This unit records the analog signal from the REC IN jacks by converting it into digital signal. (This recording is simply referred to as analog recording.)

Preparation

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	Open the write protect tab of the Mini Disc to make it recordable.	- 8
	2 Load the Mini Disc.	
	Obeck the remaining recording time.	→ 49
	Set the amplifier's input selector to the source to be recorded.	

ANALOG recording



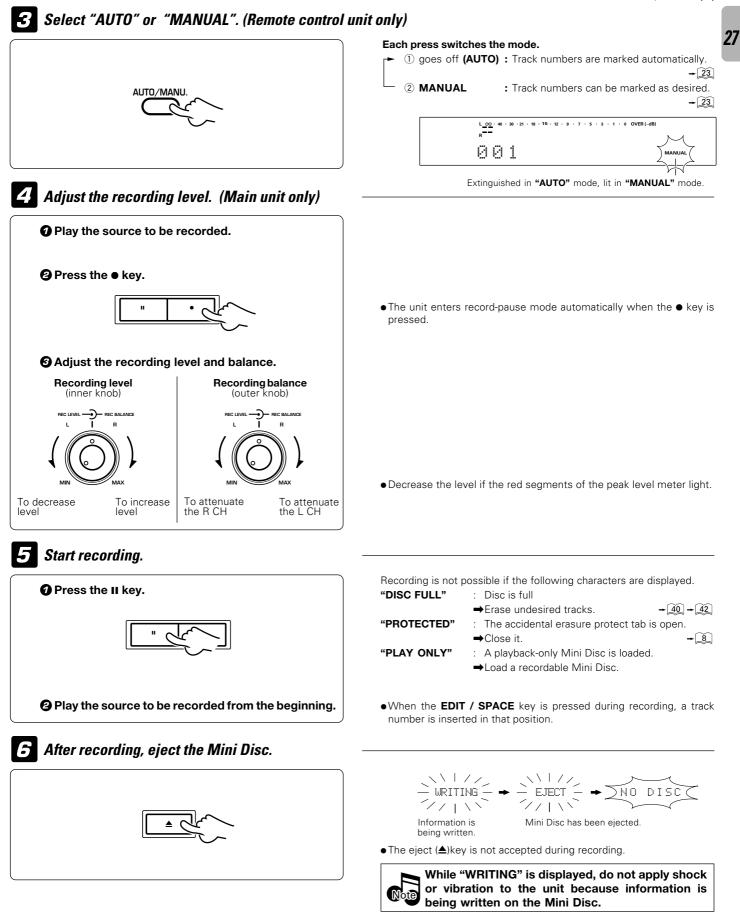
- (4) **DIGITAL 3 :** Coaxial input mode
- 5 MONO : Analog "monaural long-play mode"



- MONO cannot be selected during recording pause.
- The REC INPUT cannot be changed during pause in the MONO mode.
- •The analog "monaural long-play mode" allows to double the recording time compared to recording in the stereo mode.

Recording (ANALOG input)

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Recording (DIGITAL input)

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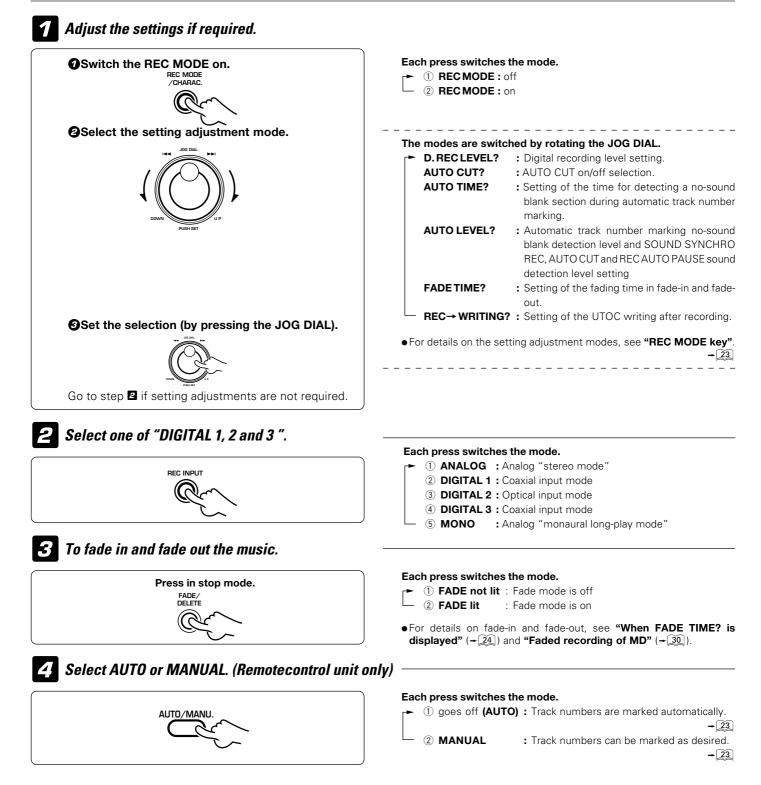
Recording is possible using recordable Mini Discs. When this unit is connected with a component equipped with digital output, such as a CD player, through a digital cord or optical fiber cable, the signal input through the DIGITAL input jack can be recorded in the digital format (this recording is referred to as digital recording). Enjoy high-quality sound of digital recording!

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- Open the write protect tab of the Mini Disc to make it recordable.
- Load the Mini Disc.
- Check the remaining recording time.
- **3** Set the amplifier's input selector to the source to be recorded.

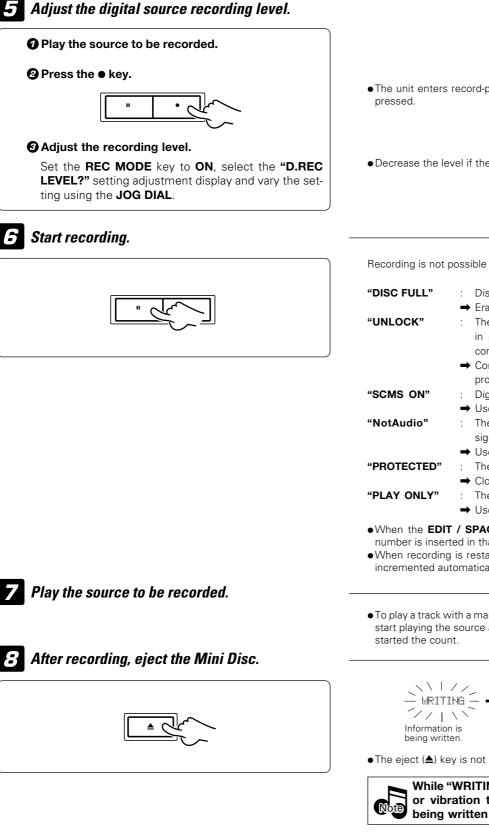
DIGITAL recording



Recording (DIGITAL input)

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- •The unit enters record-pause mode automatically when the key is pressed.
- Decrease the level if the red segments of the peak level meter light.

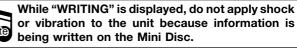
Recording is not possible if the following characters are displayed.

"DISC FULL"	: Disc is full
	➡ Erase undesired tracks. → 40 → 42
"UNLOCK"	: The digital cord or optical fiber cable is not locked in position or connected incompletely (or not connected).
	→ Connect the digital cord or optical fiber cable properly.
"SCMS ON"	: Digital recording is inhibited by SCMS.
	➡ Use analog recording. → 26
"NotAudio"	: The digital signal being input is not an audio signal.
	➡ Use analog recording. – 26
"PROTECTED"	: The accidental erasure protect tab is open.
	➡ Close it. – 🗿
"PLAY ONLY"	 The disc in use is a playback-only Mini Disc. → Use a recordable Mini Disc.
	COACE have in pressed during reserving a track

- •When the **EDIT / SPACE** key is pressed during recording, a track number is inserted in that position.
- •When recording is restarted after record-pause, the track number is incremented automatically by "1".
- To play a track with a margin from the beginning, it is recommended to start playing the source after the time display of the MD recorder has started the count.

 $\setminus | / \rangle$ EJECT NO DISC 1/// Mini Disc has been ejected.

● The eject (▲) key is not accepted during recording.





During recording of a CD, the track number may be incremented by "1" at the moment the CD starts to play. This is caused by a signal contained in the digital signal component of the CD. Unnecessary track numbers can be erased by following the procedure for **"Erasing the track being played (TRACK ERASE)**."

Synchro recording with CD playback

By connecting this unit with a KENWOOD " [51][5]" type amplifier and CD player, which are equipped with system control jacks, using system control cords, the recording of MD can be started in synchronism with the playback of the CD player.

- **O** Set the amplifier's input selector to CD.
- **②** Put the CD player in pause mode.

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- Select the CD track to be recorded using the I ◄ or ►►I key.
- **O** Put the MD recorder in record-pause mode.
- Start playback of the CD player.

• Synchronized recording is not possible while the SOUND SYNCHRO REC, AUTO CUT and REC AUTO PAUSE function is operating.

DIGITAL recording and SCMS

Note that the digital recording of Mini Discs is not possible in the following cases.

Note on the sampling rate converter

Three types of digital signals are usually used according to the sampling frequencies. The sampling frequencies vary depending on the types of digital equipment as shown below.

- 48 kHz : Standard mode of DAT, B mode broadcasting of BS tuner, etc.
- 44.1 kHz : Standard mode of DAT, CD, MD, etc.

32 kHz : Standard and long-hour modes of DAT, A mode broadcasting of BS tuner, etc.

In general, high-quality recording based on digital signal transmission is available only when the sampling frequency of the source equipment matches that of the recorder equipment. However, this unit incorporates a sampling rate converter so that it can also record digital signals sampled at 48 kHz and 32 kHz by converting their sampling frequency into the sampling frequency of MD (44.1 kHz).

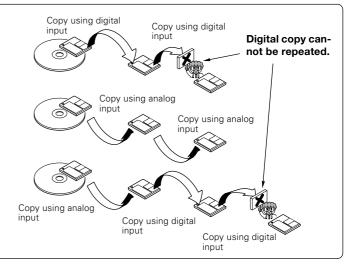
The SCMS may be activated with certain type of satellite broadcasting.

(DAT: Digital Audio Tape deck)

SCMS (Serial Copy Management System)

Designed for copyright protection, the SCMS is a prescription that copying of digital signals as they are in the digital form between digital audio equipment is allowable only for one generation.

If the digital source has a copy prohibition code, "SCMS ON" is displayed and the unit enters record-pause mode.



Faded recording of MD

The fade mode of the unit is switched on/off every time the FADE/DELETE key is pressed. The fade mode is not activated when the D.REC LEVEL is no more than -38 dB.

Recording with fade-in:

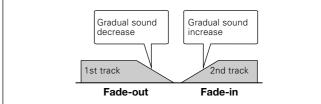
When recording is initiated during stop (or pause) in the fade mode, recording starts from ATT = - ∞ , increases to the previously set recording level and continues at this level.

Recording with fade-out:

When recording is stopped during recording in the fade mode, the current recording level decreases to ATT = - ∞ then recording stops. If recording is continued until the end of disc, fade-out occurs automatically before the unit stops recording.

Fade-in and fade-out

Fade-out: Ending of music after gradual decrease in volume.Fade-in: Beginning of music after gradual increase in volume.



After recording of a commercially-available recordable Mini Disc, the recording can be edited in various ways. Note that it is impossible to edit a playback-only Mini Disc. (Editing is not possible while the "PGM" indicator is lit.)

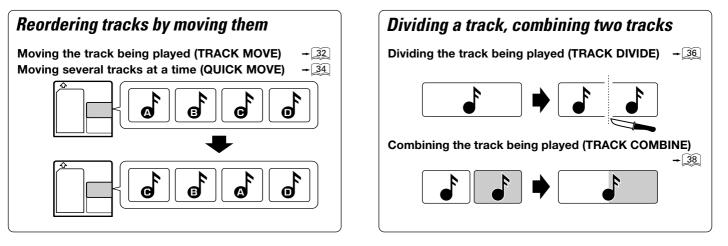
The MD recorder acts based on the data loaded from the disc into the memory. As this data is written in the disc at the moment it is ejected, be sure to eject the disc every time after the title input or editing operation.

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Limitation of functionality due to MD standard

Some functions are limited due to the restrictions imposed by the MD standard. Before considering the symptoms as a sign of trouble with the unit, please read "Symptoms related to MD standard". $\rightarrow \boxed{51}$

Selecting the editing function type



Erasing desired tracks (QUICK ERASE) Erasing one or more track at a time (QUICK ERASE)→ 42 đ đ **o**F 6 Δ ß C ġ đ Erasing the track being played (TRACK ERASE) ALL ERASE **→**40 → 42 ß F e П

Editing titles

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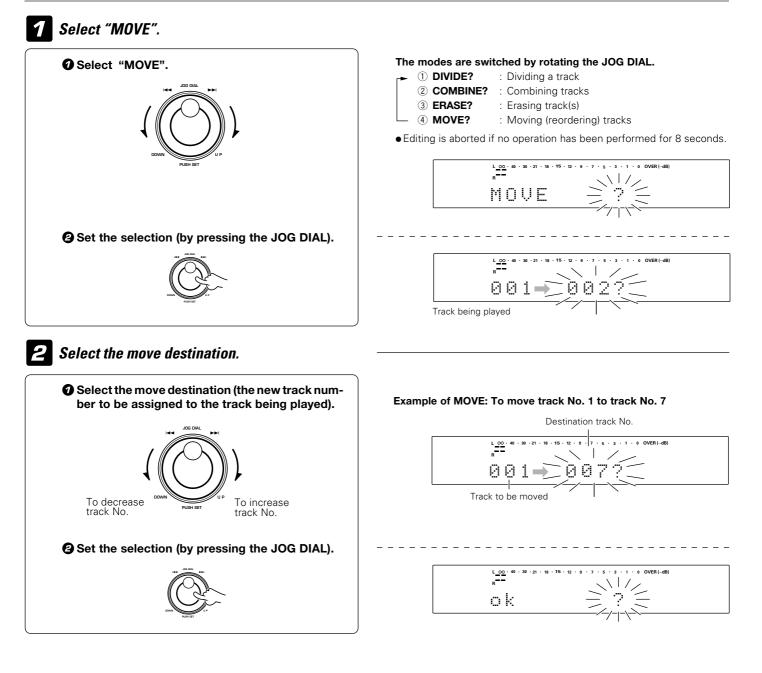
Titles can be assigned to Mini Discs and tracks can have titles, and these titles can be changed or cleared later.

This procedure shows you how to select and move (insert) a track to the track number you desire. The surrounding tracks are renumbered automatically.

Preparation

Play the track to be moved.
Press the EDIT/SPACE key to switch the editing mode on.

Moving the track being played (TRACK MOVE)



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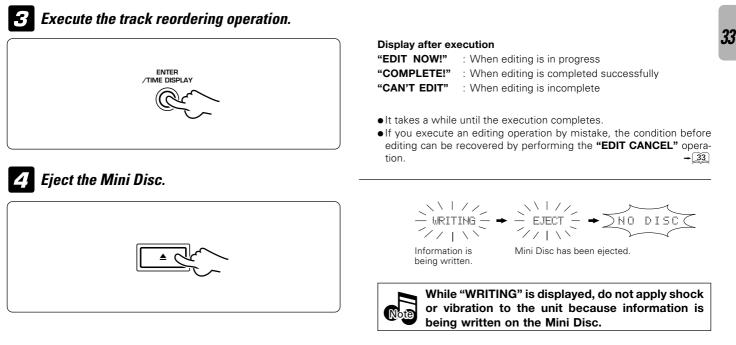
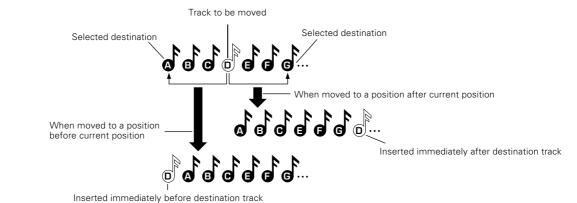


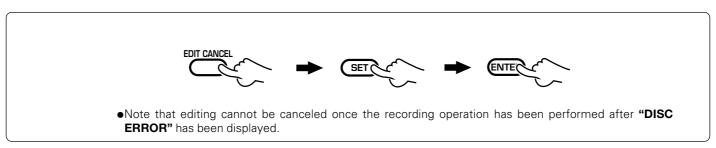
Image of track moving



To cancel the editing results (EDIT CANCEL)

To return the Mini Disc to the condition before it was loaded in the unit, perform the following key operations before ejecting the disc.

After canceling, the editing operation can be restarted from the beginning.



Use the following procedure to change the current order of tracks by selecting a desired order and moving the tracks together.

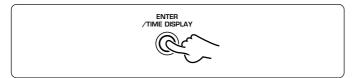
Preparation

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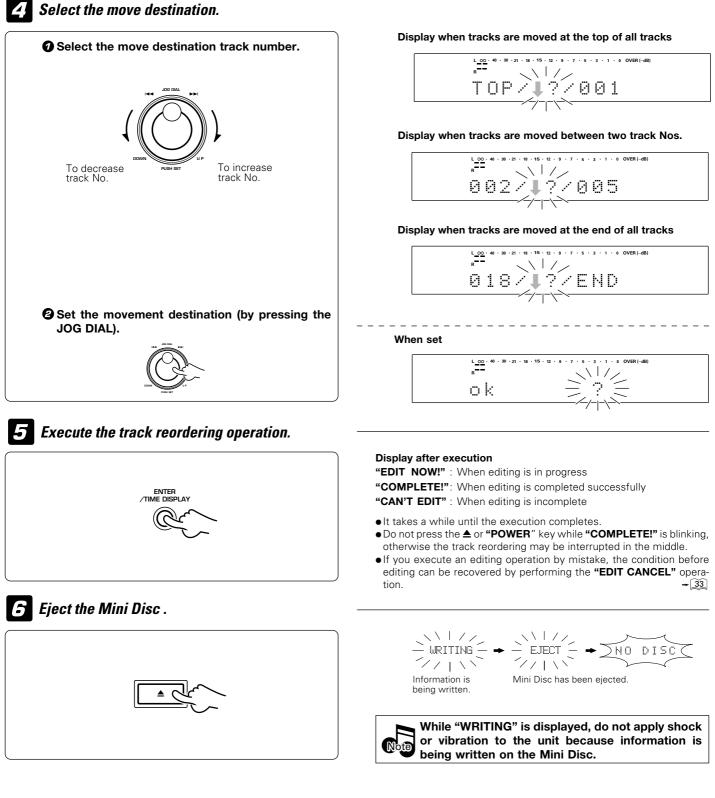
Put the MD recorder in stop mode.
Press the EDIT/SPACE key to switch the editing mode on.

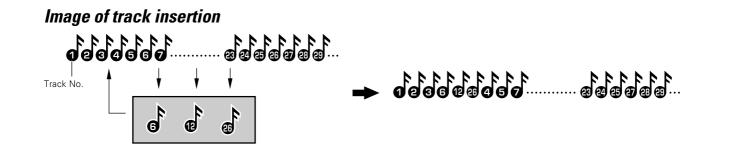
Moving several tracks at a time (QUICK MOVE)

Select "Q.MOVE". The modes are switched by rotating the JOG DIAL. **O** Select "Q.MOVE". ① Q. MOVE? : Moving (reordering) tracks ② Q.ERASE? : Erasing track(s) • Editing is aborted if no operation has been performed for 8 seconds. L 💿 · 40 · 30 · 21 · 18 · 15 · 12 · 9 · 7 · 5 · 3 · · 0 OVER (-dB) Q.MOVE **②** Set the selection (by pressing the JOG DIAL). Title scrolling L <u>...</u>. 801? ΩR • Press the EDIT/SPACE key again to abort the editing operation. Select the track numbers to be moved. Selected track No. Select a track number. · 0 OVER (-dB) 004? ABC • Only the last selected track can be cleared by pressing the FADE/ To decrease To increase DELETE key of the remote control unit. (To clear all of the selected track No. track No. tracks, cancel editing and restart the operation from the beginning.) \bullet The orders of tracks can be confirmed by pressing the $\blacktriangleleft\blacktriangleleft$ key (or $\blacktriangleright\blacktriangleright$ key) of the remote control unit. **2** Set the selection (by pressing the JOG DIAL). _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ Next track No. 1 · 0 OVER (-dB) L<u>∞</u>· ABC АА4 Repeat steps **1** and **2** until all tracks have been arranged in the desired order. Selected track No End the selection of the track numbers to be moved.



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Use the following procedure to divide a track into two by inserting a track number in its middle. For example, by inserting an additional track number before the passage you are specially fond of, it is easy to skip to there when you play the disc later. Note that the track numbers of the tracks located after the divided track are automatically incremented. The preview function allows to fine-adjust the track division point by playing the divided part repeatedly.

Preparation

Play the MD track to be divided.
Press the EDIT/SPACE key to switch the editing mode on.

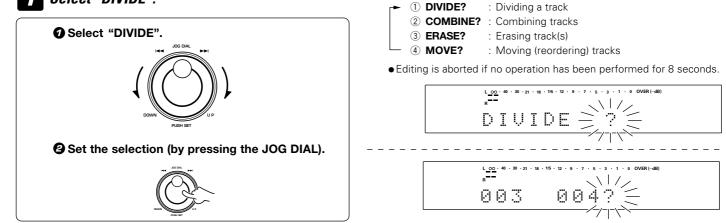
Limitation of functionality due to MD standard

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The modes are switched by rotating the JOG DIAL.

Dividing the track being played (TRACK DIVIDE)

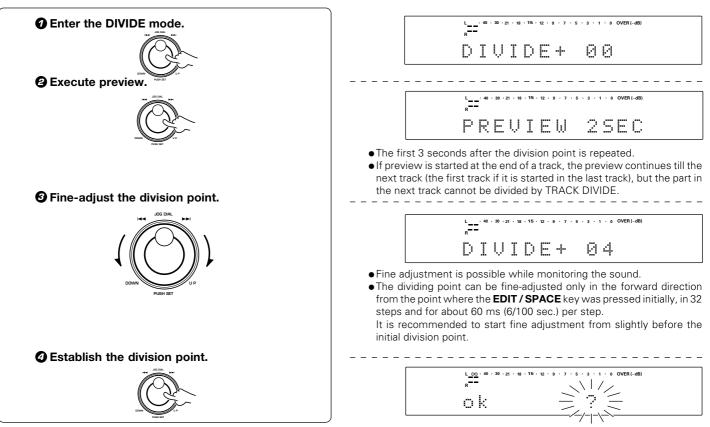
Select "DIVIDE".



When preview is not required, press the ENTER key once (so that "ok?" is displayed), then go to step **2**.

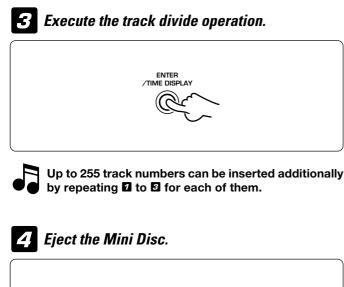


Preview the result.



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Display after execution.

"EDIT NOW!" : When editing is in progress"COMPLETE!" : When editing is completed successfully"CAN'T EDIT" : When editing is incomplete

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- It takes a while until the execution completes.
- The track is divided into two tracks.The unit enters pause mode at the second track.
- There is no blank space left between the two tracks.
- Track division may sometimes be impossible due to the limitations of the MD standard.
- If you execute an editing operation by mistake, the condition before editing can be recovered by performing the "EDIT CANCEL" operation.

\ | /___ $\setminus | /$ WRITING (-EJECT NO DISC -// ////// Information is Mini Disc has been ejected.



Note

being written.

While "WRITING" is displayed, do not apply shock or vibration to the unit because information is being written on the Mini Disc.

Image of track division

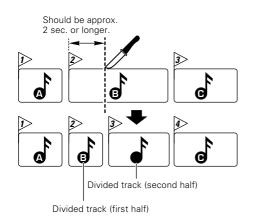
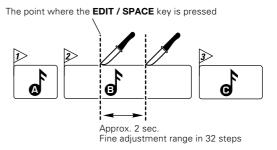


Image of preview



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Use the following procedure to combine two tracks into one by deleting a track number. This operation allows to connect several tracks or a piece of music divided into several parts. After this operation, the track numbers of tracks located after the combined tracks are decreased automatically.

Preparation

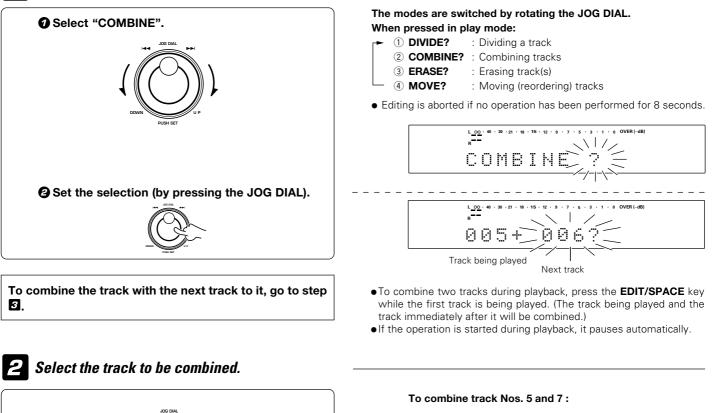
- Play one of the MD tracks to be combined.
 - **Press the EDIT/SPACE key to switch the editing mode on.**

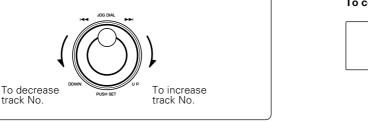
Limitation of functionality due to MD standard

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Combining the track being played (TRACK COMBINE)

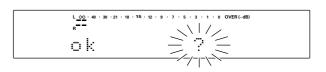
Select "COMBINE".





Set the selection.

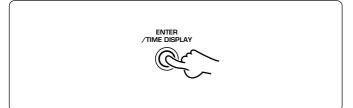




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4 Execute the track combine operation.



Display after execution

Note

"EDIT NOW!" : When editing is in progress

"COMPLETE!" : When editing is completed successfully

- "CAN'T EDIT" : When editing is incomplete
- It takes a while until the execution completes.
- If editing has been started during playback, playback restarts automatically from the current track.
- Track combining may sometimes be impossible due to the limitations of the MD standard.
- If you execute an editing operation by mistake, the condition before editing can be recovered by performing the "EDIT CANCEL" operation. **→**33

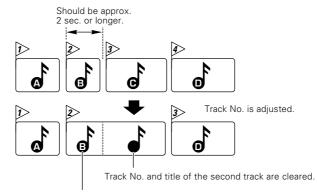
Eject the Mini Disc.



NO DISC $(/ | \land \land$ Information is Mini Disc has been ejected. being written.

While "WRITING" is displayed, do not apply shock or vibration to the unit because information is being written on the Mini Disc.

Image of track combination



Track No. and title of the first track are left.

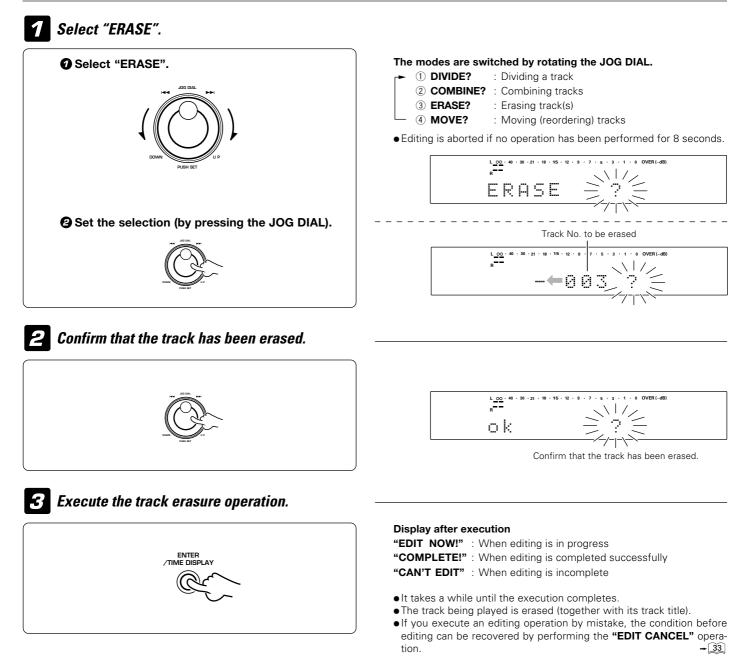
Use the following procedure to erase a single track being played.

40 Be careful in using this operation because a track may not be recovered once it has been erased.

Preparation

Play the MD track you wish to erase.
 Press the EDIT/SPACE key to switch the editing mode on.

Erasing the track being played (TRACK ERASE)



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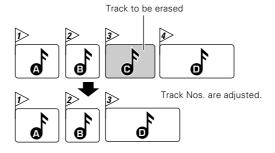






While "WRITING" is displayed, do not apply shock or vibration to the unit because information is being written on the Mini Disc.

Image of track erasure



Use the following procedure to erase desired tracks in stop mode.

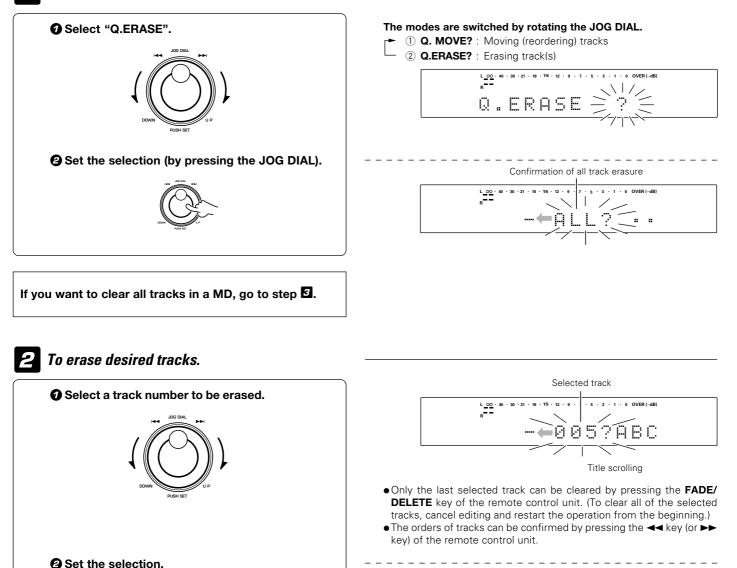
Be careful in using this operation because tracks may not be recovered once they have been erased.

Preparation

Put the MD recorder in stop mode.
Press the EDIT/SPACE key to switch the editing mode on.

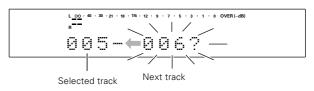
Erasing one or more track at a time (QUICK ERASE)

Select "Q.ERASE".





Erase desired tracks by repeating steps **1** and **2**.



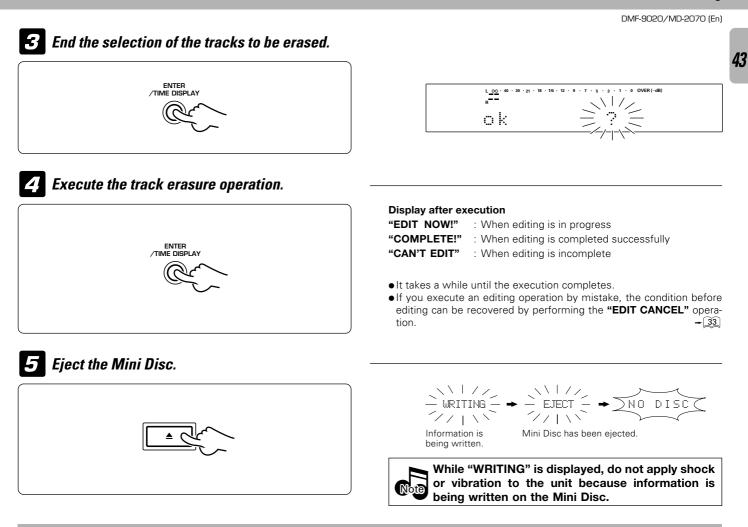
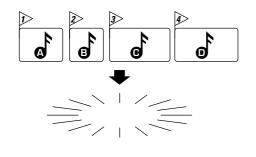
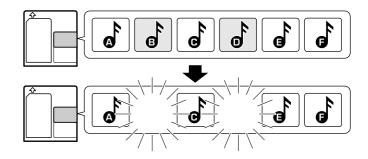


Image of track deleting (QUICK ERASE)

Erasing all tracks:



Erasing desired tracks:



When "DISC ERROR" is displayed

If "DISC ERROR" is displayed with a Mini Disc which has been known to be normal, re-load the Mini Disc before proceeding to the ALL ERASE operation. This may makes it possible to read the Mini Disc contents.

DISC ERROR	L <u>00</u> ·40 R	30 · 21 · 18 · 15 · 12	9 • 7 • 5 • 3 • 1 • 0	OVER (-dB)
	111	SC E	ERROR	

• Once the **"DISC ERROR"** message has been displayed, the **"ALL ERASE"** operation is possible but **"EDIT CANCEL"** operation is not possible.

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Editing

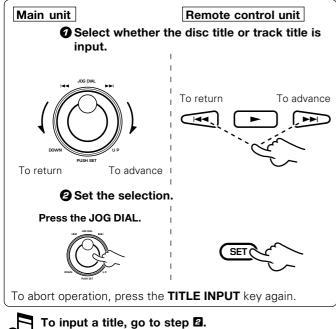
When titles are assigned to a disc and its tracks, the titles cannot only be displayed during playback but title search (searching a track by the title) is also made possible. The assigned titles can be changed or deleted with the same procedure.

Preparation

- Put the MD recorder to stop, play or record mode.
 - Press the TITLE INPUT key to switch the title input mode on.

Editing titles





To change or delete a title, go to step **I**.

Characters usable in title editing

The following alphabets and symbols (ASCII codes) can be selected for use in title editing. Titles can also be input by connecting an IBM PC compatible keyboard (optional) to the keyboard connector on the front panel.

Uppercase alphabets x 26	:	ABCDWXYZ
Lowercase alphabets x 26	:	abcdwxyz
Numerals x 10	:	0123456789
Space & symbols x 26	:	!"#\$%&'() *+,/:; <=>`?@^_

In addition to the entry of above characters, the keyboard can also control the following functions.

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Keyboard key	Control/editing function
F1	TITLE INPUT
F2	TITLE COPY (Copying displayed title data
	into PRE 9)
F3	TITLE PASTE (Copying title data from PRE 9)
F4	SET
F5	EDIT/SPACE
F6	RANDOM
F7	TITLESEARCH

About preset titles

Easy title editing is possible by memorizing titles that you often use or titles that you like at the optional preset titles. Changing preset title names to new ones and inputing those titles to the mini disc is carried out with the "Editing titles" operation.

Initial settings are as follows.

PRE1:Pops, PRE2:Rock, PRE3:Classic, PRE4:Jazz, PRE5:Disco, PRE6:Best Hits, PRE7:Air Check, PRE8:No., PRE9:Vol.

●To return a changed preset title to the initial setting, please refer to "Operation to reset". → 51

The modes are switched by rotating the JOG DIAL.

•	1) DISC	: Disc title
	② 001	: Track title
	③ PRE1-PRE9	: Preset title
	(4) ALL ERASE?	: Erasing both disc and track titles
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5 **CDtext LOAD?**: Preparing for CD text copy (during stop)

• "CDtext LOAD?" is displayed only when a KENWOOD CD player with the CD text compatibility is connected to this unit.

• Editing is aborted if no operation has been performed for 8 seconds.

To edit a disc title: Select "DISC".

TTLE	L 00 - 40 20 - 21 - 10 - 17 - 12 - 9 - 7 - 5 - 2 - 1 - 0 OVER (-48)
	DISC ABCDE

To edit a track title: Select the desired track number.

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To edit the preset titles: Select the desired preset number.

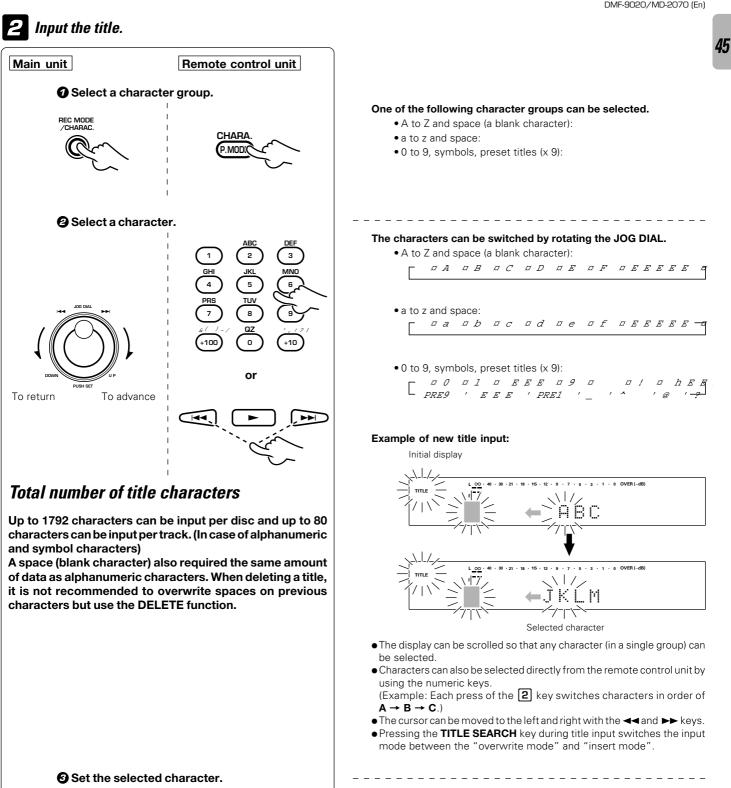
	- 12 - 9 - 7 - 5 - 2 - 1 - 0 OVER (-dB)
PRE4	Jazz

To erase both disc and track titles.



F8	REC MODE/CHARAC.
F9	PLAY
F10	PAUSE
F11	REC
F12	STOP
BACKSPACE	Deleting the character before the cursor during title input
SHIFT+CAPSLOCK	Switching the uppercase/lowercase let- ters during title input
ENTER	ENTER
SPACE	Entering a blank space during title input
INSERT	Switching overwriting/insertion during title input
DELETE	Deleting the character indicated by the cursor during title input
\uparrow	SKIPUP
\downarrow	SKIP DOWN
\rightarrow	FF
\leftarrow	FB

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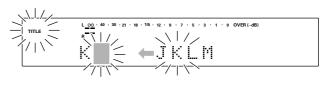


Press the JOG DIAL.



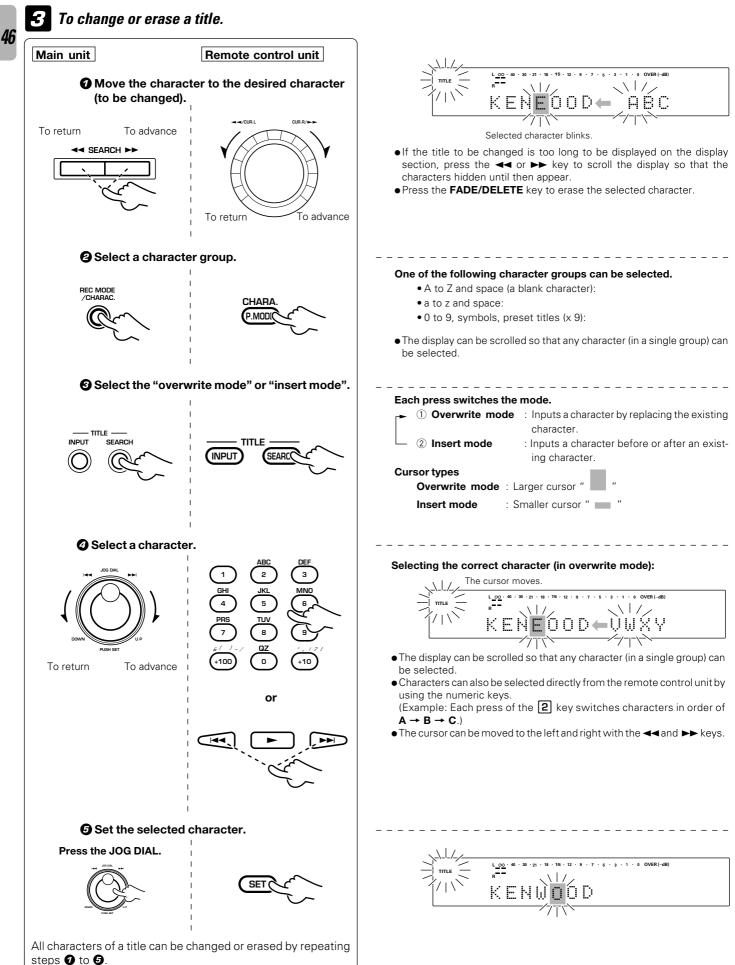


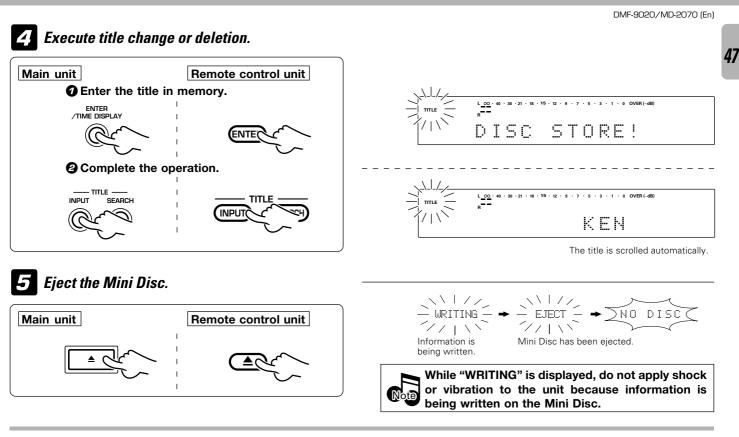
Repeat steps 10 to 13 till all of the title characters have been input.



• Pressing the EDIT/SPACE key inserts a blank space character.

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Title editing function keys

REC MODE / CHARAC. key:

Press to switch the character groups on the character display.

Manual search (◄◄, ►►) keys:

Press to move the cursor during title input operation.

When the cursor is 🔲 (lower half only) : The input character is inserted before the character in the cursor position.

When the cursor is

: The input character replaces the character in the cursor position.

FADE / DELETE key:

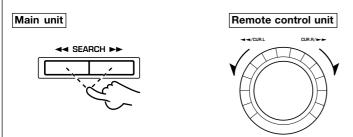
Press to clear (delete) the character on the cursor position and move the characters after it by one character backward. Pressing the key successively (or holding it depressed) allows to clear a title easily.

EDIT / SPACE key:

Press to enter (insert) a space (one blank character) immediately before the character in the cursor position and move the characters after it by one character forward. Multiple spaces can also be entered by pressing the key successively (or holding it depressed). The spaces are mainly used to leave spaces for later addition of characters before adding characters to a title.

Scrolling the display

There may be cases in which the amount of information is too large to be displayed at a time during the title input operation, etc. In such a case, pressing the $\blacktriangleleft \blacksquare$ or $\triangleright \triangleright$ key repeatedly allows to move the displayed characters to the left (or right) so that other information which has been hidden can be displayed. This leftward or rightward movement of the display characters is referred to as "scrolling."



Example of scrolling

Displayed area (All cannot be displayed.) A B C D E F G H I J K L M N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z Scrolling → A B C D E F G H I J K L M N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z ← Scrolling A B C D E F G H I J K L M N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z

CD text display and copy

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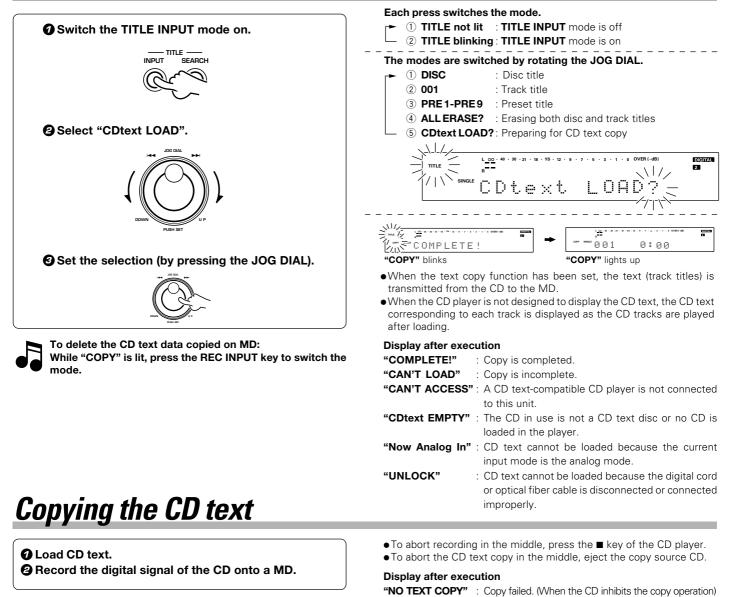
By connecting this unit with a KENWOOD CD Text-compatible CD player (which carries "CD TEXT" marking on the rear panel) through a synchro cord and a digital cord or optical fiber cable, the text (disc titles and track titles) of CD tracks can be copied onto a MD disc. It is not possible to copy the text alone. However, note that the copying of CD text may not be possible with certain discs.

Preparation

- O Set the amplifier's input selector to CD.
- **2** Switch off the program mode of the CD player.
- **O** Put the CD player and MD recorder to stop mode.

② Set the MD recorder to the DIGITAL mode for accepting the input signal from the CD player.

Loading (displaying) the CD text



Ejecting MD after loading or copying



• The copied CD text data is deleted automatically.

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∋NO DISC

Mini Disc has been ejected.

While "WRITING" is displayed, do not apply shock or vibration to the unit because information is

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WRITING —

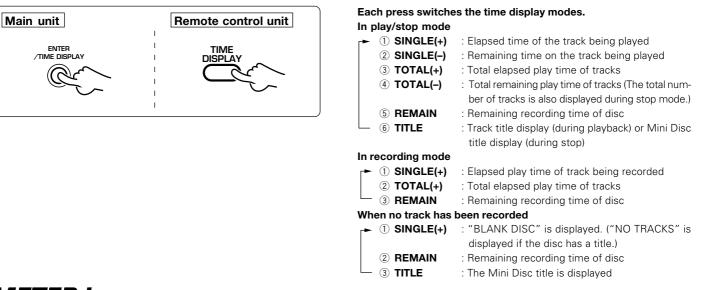
Information is

being written.

Note

TIME DISPLAY key

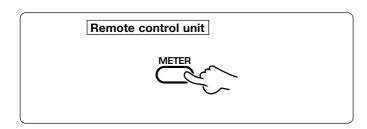
This key allows to switch the mode of time display.



METER key

The level meter display contents can be switched over in cycle.

- 1. Normal display : The scale around 0 dB is set finely in this mode, which is suitable for normal recording (rock) or playback (pop music).
- 2. Wide display : The scale is set almost evenly from 0 dB to 30 dB in this mode, which is suitable for playing music with wide level variation from pianissimo to fortissimo, such as classical music.



Each press switches the level meter display modes.

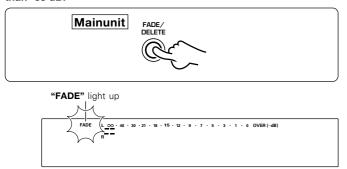


FADE key

By switching the fade mode on, each track can be recorded with gradual sound increase at the beginning and gradual sound decrease at the ending.

The fade mode can be switched on when the unit is ON, the REC INPUT is DIGITAL, in stop mode or in record mode. Press the FADE/ DELETE key again to switch the fade mode off.

The fade mode is not activated when the D.REC LEVEL is no more than -38 dB.

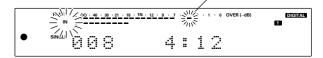


Level meter display during fade-in/fade-out

Upper row of level meter: The level information during fade-in and fade-out is displayed graphically. Lower row of level meter: The meter segments light according to the current R + L CH level.

Example (During FADE IN):

The indicated level increases (toward the right) as fade-in advances.

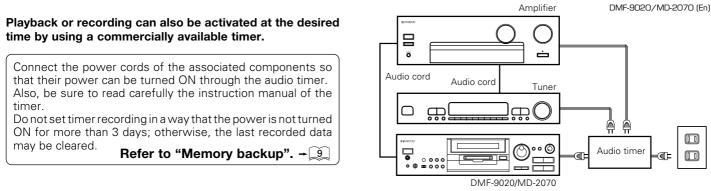


Example (During FADE OUT):

The indicated level decreases (toward the left) as fade-out advances.



Timer operations



Timer playback, timer recording

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Turn the powers of the associated components ON.

• Set the **POWER** key of the unit to ON.

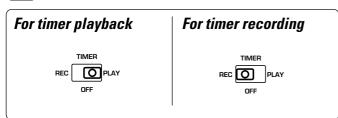
Make preparations.

For timer playback	For timer recording
Load a prerecorded Mini Disc.	Load a recordable Mini Disc.
	Receive the desired radio station.
	Select the desired mode with the REC INPUT key.
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	Adjust the recording level.

Set the amplifier volume.

For timer playback	For timer recording
 Play the Mini Disc. Adjust the amplifier volume. Stop the disc. 	Minimize the amplifier vol- ume.

4 Set the TIMER.



Set the timer ON time.

For timer playback

For timer recording

Set the timer so that it supplies power at the specified time.

Set the timer so that the tuner reception can be started at the desired time of the day.

- •For timer recording, be sure to set the write protect tab to enable recording.
- For timer recording, be sure to check the remaining recording time. - 49

•When the set time comes, the disc playback or recording starts automatically. (Also be sure to read the instruction manual of the connected component carefully.)

• After having set the timer, be careful not to press the **ON/STANDBY** key of the remote control unit to ON; otherwise the timer operation would be activated.

In case of difficulty

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What appears to be a malfunction may not always be serious. If your unit should not perform as expected, consult the table below to see if the problem can be corrected before seeking help from your dealer or service representative.

Operation to reset

The microprocessor may fall into malfunction (impossibility to operate erroneous display, etc.) when the power cord is unplugged while power is ON or due to an external factor. In this case, execute the following procedure to reset the microprocessor and return it to normal condition.

With the POWER key left to ON, unplug the power cord from the power outlet then, while holding the eject (\triangleq) key depressed, plug the power cord again.

• Please note that resetting the microprocessor clears the contents stored in, it returns the microprocessor to the condition when it left the factory.

Symptoms related to MD standard

Symptom	Cause
"DISC FULL" is displayed while the disc still has a remaining record- able time.	 More than 255 tracks (track No. 256 or more) cannot be recorded. (There may be also cases in which recording is impossible while the track number is less than 256.) In such a case, the REMAIN time display shows "0:00".
The recordable time does not increase after a short track has been erased.	 The remaining time display becomes "0:00" when the actual total remaining time of the Mini Disc is less than 12 seconds. The recordable time display changes when the total time of the erased track exceeds 12 seconds. When a Mini Disc has been subjected to repeated editing, the remaining time may not increase even after a short track has been erased.
Tracks cannot be combined.	•A track created as a result of an editing operation may sometimes be impossible to be combined with another track.
The total of the recorded time and recordable time does not coincide with the total recording time of the MD (60 or 74 min.).	• As recording is performed on a minimum recording basis of 2 seconds, the displayed time may not coincide with the consumed disc capacity.
Sound is interrupted when a track created by editing is subjected to fast forward or fast backward operation.	• Sound interruption may occur due to a combination of various factors, and it is not a malfunction.
Tracks are not numbered correctly.	• A short track may be created depending on the contents of the recorded source (CD, for example).
The period in which "READING" is displayed is abnormally long.	 "READING" is displayed for a longer period than usual when a brandnew recordable Mini Disc (a virgin disc) is loaded. The Mini Disc in use has been processed with repeated editing or contains a large number of tracks.
The total number of characters used in the titles is less than 1792 characters.	• As the title recording areas are used on a per-7-character basis, the total number of input characters may be less than 1792.

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Displayed messages and actions to be taken against them

Displayed Message	Meaning	Action
NO DISC	•This unit is not loaded with disc.	●Load a disc.
UNLOCK	•The digital cord or optical fiber cable is not locked in position or connected incompletely (or not connected).	 The digital cord or optical fiber cable is not locked in position or connected incompletely (or not connected). → 10
SCMS ON	• An attempt is made to record digital signal from a source while its digital copy has been prohibited by SCMS.	●Use analog recording. → 26
NotAudio	•The digital signal being input is not an audio signal.	● Use analog recording. → 26
DISC FULL	 There is no recordable area on the disc. An attempt is made to record a 256th track. 	 Use another recordable disc. More than 255 tracks cannot be recorded per disc.
TITLE FULL	• An attempt is made to assign a title with more characters than usable.	● Refer to "Total number of title characters" . → 45
BLANKDISC	• The disc does not contain any recordings.	• When playback is required, use a recorded disc.
NOTRACKS	• The disc does not contain any tracks but has a disc title.	• The disc can be used for recording without any problem.
READING	•The TOC^{*1} data of the disc is being read.	•This is a normal operation.
WRITING	• The data related to editing or recording is being written in the disc.	•This is a normal operation.
DISCERROR	• The contents of UTOC^{*2} are abnormal.	 ● Erase all tracks by executing "-←ALL". If this is not possible, use another Mini Disc. + 42
EDIT NOW!	•The editing operation is in progress.	•This is a normal operation.
CAN'T EDIT	• An attempt is made to perform editing beyond the restrictions, for example to erase a track which is too short.	• Perform editing following the restrictions.
ok? (blinking)	• This is a message for confirming if editing can really be executed.	• Press the ENTER key to execute editing.
PROTECTED	•The Mini Disc is in the "WRITE PROTECT" condition.	● Release the "WRITE PROTECT" condition. + 〔8〕
PLAY ONLY	• A playback-only Mini Disc is loaded.	●Load a recordable Mini Disc.
CAN'T ACCESS	• A CD text-compatible CD player is not con- nected to this unit.	Connect the unit with a KENWOOD CD text- compatible CD player using the synchro cord and optical cable. → 10
CAN'T LOAD	 The disc loaded in the CD player is not CD text-compatible. The CD player is not connected to this unit through an optical cable. The CD player is in play mode or in the program mode. 	 Load a CD text-compatible disc in the CD player. Connect the CD player through an optical cable and set the REC INPUT of the MD recorder accordingly. Switch the program mode of the CD player off and put both the CD player and MD recorder in stop mode.
CDtext EMPTY	 The CD in use is not a CD text disc. No CD is loaded in the player. 	 Use a CD containing CD text. Use a CD containing CD text.
Now Analog In	•The current input mode is the analog mode.	• Set the REC INPUT to the digital input to which the CD player is connected. +28
NO TEXT COPY	• The CD text of certain discs cannot be copied.	•The CD text of the current disc cannot be copied. (Use a copy-capable CD disc.)

In case of difficulty

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Other symptoms

Symptom	Cause	Remedy
Sound is not output even when the play key is pressed.	 The cords are connected erroneously. No disc has been loaded. A non-recorded disc has been loaded. 	 Connect the cords in accordance with "System connections". → 10 Load a disc. Load a prerecorded disc or playback-only disc.
Recording is not possible	 The disc is write-protected. An attempt is made to record digital signal from a source while its digital copy has been prohibited by SCMS. The recording level is too low (in case of analog recording). A playback-only disc has been loaded. The disc does not have a recordable area. The REC INPUT key is not set to the actual input source. If the amplifier is connected to this unit through a system control cord, the amplifier's input 	 Change the position of the write protect tab to the write position or use a recordable disc. Use analog recording. 26 Adjust the recording level again. 27 Use a recordable disc. Use another disc. Set it according to the actual input source. 26 + 28 Set the amplifier's input selector to other position than MD.
Sound is distorted.	 selector is set to the MD input. The recording level has not been adjusted. A disc in which distorted sound has been recorded is played. 	 Adjust the recording level. → 22 Use another disc.
Noise is noticeable.	• An external noise is induced.	 Install the unit at a position apart from an elec- tric appliance or TV set.
Power cannot be turned on from the re- mote control.	• The POWER key is set to OFF.	• Set the POWER key to on (STANDBY).
Keyboard operation is not available.	• The keyboard is connected improperly.	• Connect the keyboard properly.



TOC¹¹ : All minidiscs contain a Table of Contents (TOC) in addition to sound signals. The TOC is similar to the table of contents in a book and contains information, such as track numbers, track length, and character information, that cannot be rewritten.

Specifications

[Format]

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System	. Minidisc digital audio system
Laser	Semiconductor laser
Recording method	Field modulation overwrite method
Audio compression	ATRAC (Adaptive TRansform Acoustic Coding)
Playing rotation	Approx. 400 rpm ~ 900 rpm (CLV)

[D/A conversion]

D/A conversion	1 Bit (24 bit type)
Oversampling	8 fs (352.8 kHz)

[A/D converter]

A/D converter	4 th order sigma-delta conversion+ D.R.I.V.E. conversion
Sampling frequency	44.1 kHz

[Digital audio performance]

Frequency responce (playback mode)	0 kHz (± 1 dB)
Signal to noise ratio (playback mode) More that	an 112 dB
Dynamic range (playback mode) More that	an 96 dB
Total harmonic distortion (1 kHz, playback mode) Less tha	n 0.004 %
Wow & flutter Less that	an unmeasurable limit
Analog input sensitivity / input impedance 500 mV	/ 22 k Ω
Analog output level / output impedance 2.0 V / L	
Headphone output 50 mW/3	
Digital input	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Сохаіаі 0.5 Vp-р	/ 75 Ω
Optical(Wave length 660 nm) 15 dBm	
Digital output	
Coxaial 0.5 Vp-p	/ 75 Ω
Optical(Wave length 660 nm) 15 dBn	

[General]

Power consumption	20 W
Dimensions	W :440 mm (17 - 5 / 16")
	H :125 mm(4 - 15 / 16")
	D : 373 mm (14 - 11 / 16")
Weight (Net)	5.4 kg (11.9 lb)



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NOTE:

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 may cause harmful interference to radio communications, if it is not installed and used in accordance with the instructions. 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:

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- -- 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.

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