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Radio Cassette-Corder

Operating instructions



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To prevent fire or shock hazard, do not expose the unit to rain or moisture.

Do not install the appliance in a confined space, such as a bookcase or built-in cabinet.

For customers in the United States **Owner's Record**

The model number is located on the front and the serial number is located inside the cassette holder. Record these numbers in the space provided below. Refer to them whenever you call upon your Sony dealer regarding this product.

Model No. WM-GX788 Serial No. ___

Product registration

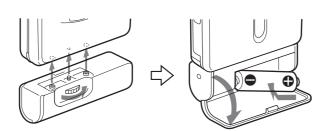
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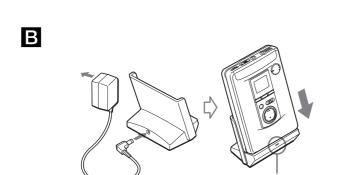
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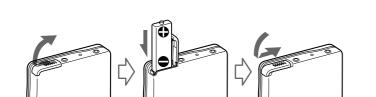
This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class B digital device, pursuant to Part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference in a residential installation. This equipment generates, uses, and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instructions, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation. If this equipment does cause harmful interference to radio or television reception, which can be determined by turning the equipment off and on, the user is encouraged to try to correct the interference by one or more of the following measure

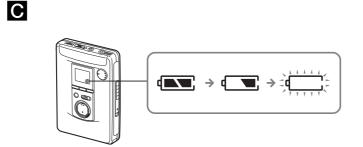
- Reorient or relocate the receiving antenna.
 Increase the separation between the equipment and receiver.
- Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is
- Consult the dealer or an experienced radio/TV technician for help.
- This device complies with Part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two
- (1) This device may not cause harmful interference, and
- (2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause

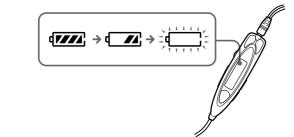
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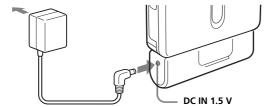


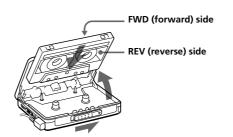




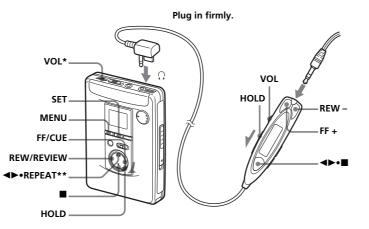


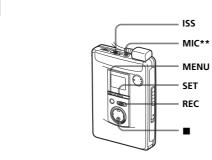
AC-E15HG (not supplied)

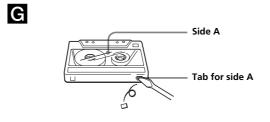




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- * There is a tactile dot beside VOL on the main unit to show the direction to
- ** The button or jack has a tactile dot

- Tapes recorded with setting to "2x" cannot be played properly on a cassette player/ ape recorder without this function.
- To prevent fire, do not cover the ventilation of the apparatus with newspapers, table-cloths, curtains, etc. And don't place lighted candles on the apparatus.
- To prevent fire or shock hazard, do not place objects filled with liquids, such as vases, on the apparatus.
- · Certain countries may regulate disposal of the battery used to power this product. Please consult with your local authority.

Preparations

Prepare a dry battery (not supplied) or the rechargeable battery (supplied).

Dry Battery A

Attach the supplied battery case, and then insert one R6 (size AA) battery with correct polarity.

For maximum performance we recommend that you use a Sony alkaline battery

Rechargeable Battery

Charge the rechargeable battery before using it for the first time.

- 1 Insert the supplied rechargeable battery NH-14WM (A) into the rechargeable battery compartment with correct polarity.
- **2** Connect the supplied AC power adaptor to the charging stand, plug in the AC power adaptor to the house current (mains) If the plug does not fit to your
- mains, attach the supplied AC plug adaptor (Saudi Ārabian model only). **3** Place the main unit on the

The CHG lamp will light up

Full charging takes about 6 The CHG lamp will go off when the battery is fully charged.

charging stand.

Do not use the unit while charging. Remove the unit from the charging stand when using it.

- If you operate the unit while charging, the battery will not be charged.
- If you operate the unit while charging, it may cause malfunction.
- Do not place the unit on the charging stand without the rechargeable battery. Otherwise, it may cause malfunction.

When to replace/ charge the battery

Replace or charge the battery when "

" flashes in the display.

Battery life* (Approx. hours) Conv. alkalina LB6 (CC)**

Sony aikaiine LK6 (SG)^^	
Tape playback	44
Radio reception	56
MIC recording	15
Radio recording	12

echargeable battery IH-14WM (A)		
26		
34		
9		
7		

Sony alkaline LR6 (SG)** and Rechargeable NH-14WM (A)

Tape playback	70
Radio reception	90
MIC recording	24
Radio recording	19

- * Measured value by the standard of JEITA (Japan Electronics and nformation Technology Industries Association). (Using a Sony HF series cassette tape)
- * When using a Sony LR6(SG) "STAMINA" alkaline dry battery (produced in Japan).

- The battery life may be shorter depending on the operating condition, the surrounding
- temperature and battery type. • The AVLS setting (see "Using the Menu") will be cancelled when you replace the battery.

House Current D

You must purchase an AC power adaptor AC-E15HG to operate this unit using house current. Remove the rechargeable battery if inserted. Attach the battery case and connect the AC power adaptor AC-E15HG (not supplied) to the DC IN 1.5 V jack of the battery case and to the wall outlet. Do not use any other AC power

Specifications for AC-E15HG vary for each area. Check your local voltage and the polarity of the plug before purchasing.

Playing a Tape

- **1** Insert a cassette and if the HOLD function is on, slide the HOLD switch in the opposite direction of the arrow to unlock the controls.
- **2** Press MENU repeatedly to set "__" (the cursor) in the display to REC/PB. Then press SET to select "2x" or none (normal speed) which is the same position as that used for recording. To playback commercially available music tape, etc., select normal (no indication).
- **3** Press **◆▶•**REPEAT on the main unit and adjust the volume with VOL. (On the remote control, press **◄►**(play)•**■**(stop).)

When adjusting the volume on Set the VOL control on the main

unit to around 6. When adjusting the volume on

the main unit

Set the VOL control on the remote control at maximum

Operation on the remote

Го	Press
Switch	◄▶•■ for 2
olayback to	seconds or more
he other side	during playback
Stop playback	◄▶•■ once
	during playback

Operation on the main

То	Press
Switch playback to the other side	◆►• REPEAT during playback
Stop playback	■ (stop)

Other tape operations

Fast forward*	FF/CUE (FF + on the remote control) during stop
Rewind*	REW/REVIEW (REW – on the remote contorl) during stop
Search forward during playback (CUE)	Press and hold FF/CUE (FF + on the remote control) and release it at the point you want.
Search backward during playback (REVIEW)	Press and hold REW/REVIEW (REW – on the remote control) and release it at the point you want.

during playback beginning (AMS**) Play the current REW/REVIEW track/previous (REW - on the 8 tracks from remote control) the beginning once/repeatedly (AMS**) during playback Play the other FF/CUE (FF + side from the on the remote beginning control) for 2 (Skip Reverse seconds or more function) during stop Play the same REW/REVIEW side from the (REW – on the

tracks from the repeatedly

Play the next

succeeding 9

track /

FF/CUE (FF +

on the remote

control) once/

remote contorl) (Rewind Auto for 2 seconds or Play function) more during stop * Press **◄▶•**■ on the remote control during fast forward or

rewind to start playback.

**Automatic Music Sensor

A-B Repeat

A-B Repeat plays back repeatedly any portion of the tape you specified. Specify by tagging the beginning (point A) and the end (point B) of the portion during playback.

On the main unit

- 1 Press **◆▶•**REPEAT for 2 seconds or more during playback to tag point A. "A-" will flash in the display of the main unit.
- 2 Press **◆▶•**REPEAT again to tag point B. "A-B" will flash and the tape will move rapidly to point A.
- Then "REP" appears in the display and the specified portion is played repeatedly.

On the remote control

- 1 Press **◄▶•** twice quickly during playback to tag point A. **2** Press **◆▶•** ■ once more to tag
- point B. The tape will be rewound to point A. Then the specified portion is played repeatedly.

To stop the A-B Repeat playback Press **◄►•**REPEAT on the main

On the remote control, press **◆▶•**■.

To reset A-B Repeat

When you want to change a specific portion, stop the A-B Repeat playback and tag point A and point B again.

Notes

- You cannot specify a repeat portion that includes both sides of
- You cannot specify a repeat portion shorter than 2 seconds.
- After repeated operation, the actual portion that is played back may shift somewhat from the exact portion specified with the tags due to tape slack.

• A-B Repeat stops automatically after repeating 50 times. • Do not use the A-B Repeat

function with tapes longer than 90

minutes. If you do, the tape may

Recording **3**

You can record radio programs

either case, use a new or fully

If the record-protect tab is broken,

1 Insert a normal (TYPE I)

as the FWD (forward)

* Make sure that "FWD" is

To record on one side

Insert the cassette with the

side to be recorded on as

the REV (reverse) side**.

displayed. If not, press and

hold **■** until "FWD" changes

**Make sure that "REV" is

When the cassette holder is

will be automatically set to

2 Press MENU repeatedly to

display to REC/PB. Then

press SET to select "2x"

or none (normal speed).

Normal (no indication)

(4.8cm/s): for optimum

 $2\times (2.4 \text{cm/s})$: for double

using both sides of a 60-

minute cassette). Suitable

for recording conferences,

normal recordings.

recording time (for

dictations, etc. Not

3 Select a recording source:

To record with the

Connect the supplied

You can attach the

microphone to your

want to record (see

microphone to the MIC

(PLUG IN POWER) jack

To record from the radio

Tune in to the station you

"Listening to the Radio").

recommended for

recording music.

microphone

clothes.

example, 120 minutes

sound. Recommended for

set the cursor in the

opened, the direction of the tape

to "REV".

displayed. If not, press and

hold ■ until "REV" changes to

To record on both sides

Insert the cassette with the

side to be first recorded on

you cannot record on that side.

he damaged

charged battery.

"REC" appears in the display and recording seconds.

4 Slide REC.

starts after about 2 If you have started recording from the FWD side, recording will switch

to reverse side

automatically at the end of from the built-in radio, or record the FWD side. with the supplied microphone. In To stop recording

Press ■ (on the remote control,

press **◄▶•** ■ to stop recording)

To reduce noise while recording AM programs

Set the ISS (Interference Suppress Switch) to the position that reduces noise the most.

To monitor the recording

You can monitor the recording sound through headphones/ earphones. Adjust monitoring level using VOL.

You may hear some noise in the

monitor sound in the RV, MB, or GRV mode (see "Using the Menu") but this does not affect recording.

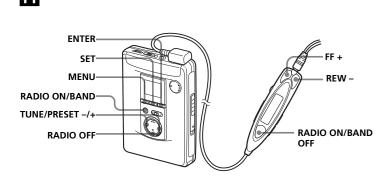
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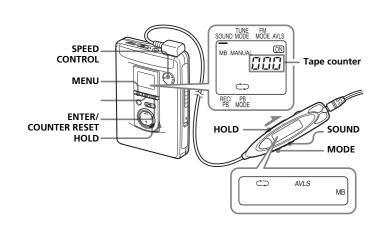
- The recording level is fixed. • Sound emphasis (RV, MB, or GRV) and AVLS settings do not affect recording.
- Actual recording will start about 2 seconds (3 seconds when "2x" is selected for recording time) after you slide the REC button. Slide the REC button about 2 seconds (3 seconds when "2x" is selected for recording time) before the moment you want to
- start recording, or you will miss the beginning of your recording When recording on both sides. recording will not be made for about 10 seconds while the tape is
- switching sides. • Do not use a high-position (TYPE II) or metal (TYPE IV) tape. If you do, the sound may be distorted when you play back the tape, or
- the previous recording may not be erased completely. • Do not connect or disconnect the headphones/earphones to/from while recording from the radio. The recording condition may change abruptly, or noise may be
- recorded. • To avoid noise interference, do not place it near a lamp cord or a fluorescent lamp when recording
- with the microphone. If a howling effect occurs, turn down the volume.
- All other operation cannot be made while recording. For other operation, stop recording first.

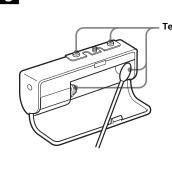
To prevent a tape from being accidentally recorded over G

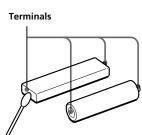
Break off the tabs from side A and/or B. To reuse the tape for recording, cover the tab hole with adhesive tape.

(turn over)









Listening to the Radio 🖪

- 1 Press RADIO ON/BAND to turn on the radio.
- 2 Press RADIO ON/BAND repeatedly to select AM or
- **3** Press MENU on the main unit repeatedly and set the cursor in the display to TUNE MODE.
- 4 For manual tuning (1) Press SET to choose MANUAL.
- ② Press TUNE/PRESET + or – repeatedly to tune in to the desired station. Hold down TUNE/ PRESET + or - for a fewseconds to scan for stations.

For preset tuning

- ① Press SET to choose PRESET.
- ② Press TUNE/PRESET + or – repeatedly to recall the desired preset To use preset tuning, preset stations first (see "Presetting Radio Stations").

To turn off the radio Press RADIO OFF

- To improve the broadcast reception
- For AM: Reorient the unit
- For FM: Extend the remote control cord (antenna). If the reception is still not good. press MENU repeatedly to set the cursor in the display to FM MODE. Then press SET to choose from "MONO" (monaural), "LOCAL*" or none (stereo) for best reception. *Excluding European, Saudi Arabian, and Chinese models

To operate from the remote control

To turn on the radio, press RADIO ON/BAND • OFF for more than 1 second (while the tape is in stop mode only). To select the band, press RADIO ON/BAND•OFF for more than 1 second while the radio is on. To tune in or recall a preset station, press FF + or REW To turn off the radio, press RADIO ON/BAND•OFF.

Presetting Radio Stations III

You can preset up to 30 stations— 20 for FM and 10 for AM (for the IPn area*, up to 16 stations—8 for FM and 8 for AM).

* Only if available. See "Receiving Stations Outside Your Country/ Region".

Presetting Automatically Scanned Stations

- 1 Press RADIO ON/BAND to turn on the radio. 2 Press RADIO ON/BAND
- repeatedly to select AM or **3** Press and hold ENTER for
- more than 3 seconds. Preset number 1 will flash in the display and the main unit starts scanning the stations from the lower frequencies and stops for about 5 seconds when a
- station is received. **4** If you wish to preset the currently received station, press ENTER while the preset number is flashing. The received station is preset on preset number 1 and the unit starts scanning for the next
- receivable station. **5** Repeat step 4 until all receivable stations are preset.

To stop scanning

Press RADIO OFF. The radio is turned off at the same time.

- If stations are already stored, the newly preset stations replace the old ones when the above procedure is completed
- If stations cannot be preset automatically, preset them manually.

Presetting Stations Manually

- 1 Press RADIO ON/BAND to turn on the radio.
- 2 Press RADIO ON/BAND repeatedly to select AM or
- **3** Press ENTER. The frequency digits will flash in the display.
- **4** While the frequency digits are flashing, tune in to a station you wish to store using TUNE/PRESET + or - and press ENTER.

The preset number will

flash in the display.

5 While the preset number is flashing, select the preset number you want using TUNE/PRESET + or - and press ENTER.

• If you cannot complete step 4 or 5 while the indicators are flashing repeat from step 3.

Receiving

Stations Outside

Your Country/

European, Saudi

models)

2 Press ENTER.

ENTER.

Stations".

5 Tune in to and store

Area indication and

Area* Frequency range

frequency range

stations as necessary

Region (Excluding

Arabian, and Chinese

1 Press RADIO ON/BAND

The frequency digits will

ON/BAND until "Eur",

"USA" or "JPn" flashes.

4 Press RADIO ON/BAND

repeatedly to select "Eur",

"USA" or "JPn" and press

following the procedure of

FM (MHz) AM(kHz)

87.5 - 108 531 - 1 602

USA 87.5 - 108 530 - 1710

JPn 76.0 - 90.0 531 - 1710

countries/regions

USA: USA, Canada, and Central

and South America

Using the Menu

Adjusting Playback

Press MENU repeatedly to set

the cursor in the display to PB

Press MODE repeatedly. With

Select

each press, the indications

both sides repeatedly 🗢

MODE. Then press SET to select

* Eur: European and other

JPn: Japan

Modes

change.

To play

both sides once

from the FWD side

On the main unit:

the desired mode.

On the remote control:

"Listening to the Radio"

and "Presetting Radio

to turn on the radio.

flash in the display.

3 Press and hold RADIO

• If a station is already stored, the new station replaces the old one.

Playing the Preset Radio Stations

1 Press RADIO ON/BAND to turn on the radio. 2 Press RADIO ON/BAND

repeatedly to select AM or

- **3** Press MENU repeatedly to set the cursor in the display to TUNE MODE. Then press SET to display
- **4** Press TUNE/PRESET +

"PRESET".

To cancel a stored station

- **1** Follow the procedure above and in step 4, select the preset number you want to cancel and then press ENTER. The frequency digits will flash in the display.
- 2 Press and hold TUNE/PRESET + or -. The frequency digit starts running up or down. Keep holding down the button until "---" is displayed. **3** Press ENTER while "----" is
- flashing. A preset number will flash in the display. **4** Press ENTER to cancel the

stored station

Scanning the Preset Radio Stations — DAPS (Digital Auto Preset Scanning)

- 1 Press RADIO ON/BAND to turn on the radio.
- 2 Press RADIO ON/BAND repeatedly to select AM or
- **3** Press and hold RADIO ON/BAND for 2 seconds or more.

The preset stations of the selected band will be played for about 5 seconds each. (During DAPS the indicators in the display flash.)

4 Press RADIO ON/BAND again to select the station while the desired preset station is being played.

Emphasizing Sound • If there are no stations stored, the On the main unit:

- DAPS function does not work. 1 Press MENU repeatedly to set Until a station is selected in step 4 the cursor in the display to the DAPS function turned on in SOUND. step 3 will continue.
 - **2** Press SET repeatedly to select the sound emphasis of your

On the remote control:

1 Press SOUND repeatedly. With each press, the indications change.

The indications change as follows: RV: Sound Revitalizer

> Emphasizes treble sound. MB : Mega Bass Emphasizes bass sound

(moderate effect). GRV: GrooveEmphasizes bass sound (strong effect). no message : normal (no effect)

If the sound is distorted with the mode "GRV", turn down the volume of the main unit or select other modes.

Protecting Your Hearing — AVLS (Automatic Volume **Limiter System)**

The maximum volume is kept down to protect your ears. On the main unit:

Press MENU repeatedly in the playback, stop or radio mode to set the cursor in the display to AVLS. Then press SET to show

On the remote control:

Hold down MODE for more than 10 seconds until "AVLS" appears in the display.

To cancel the AVLS function

Press SET so that "ON" disappears from the display on the main

On the remote control, hold down MODE again for more than 3 seconds until "AVLS" disappears.

Using Other Functions I

Adjusting the Tape Playback Speed

You can adjust the playback speed using SPEED CONTROL Turn SPEED CONTROL to: - (slow) to play back at a slower

Center position to play back at normal speed. + (fast) to play back at a faster speed.

The SPEED CONTROL works in the playback mode only. Recording will be made independent of this

Locking the Controls — HOLD Function

Slide the HOLD switch in the direction of the arrow to lock the controls of the main unit (except SPEED CONTROL) or the remote

Using the Tape Counter

The tape counter is displayed on the main unit during playback, recording, fast forward, rewind CUE, REVIEW and stop (except when the radio is turned on). The number will increase when playing back the FWD side, and decrease when playing back the REV side. To reset the counter to "000", press ENTER/COUNTER RESET.

- The tape counter may show some
- The tape counter will not be displayed when the cassette compartment is empty.

Precautions

For the customers in the USA and RECYCLING NICKEL METAL HYDRIDE RATTERIES

Nickel Metal Hydride batterie You can help preserve our environment by returning ye used rechargeable batteries to e collection and recycling location nearest you.

For more information regarding recycling of rechargeable batteries, call toll free 1-800-822-8837, or visit http://www.rbrc.org/. Caution: Do not handle damaged or leaking Nickel Metal Hydride batteries.

On charging

- The supplied charging stand can be used only with this unit. No other model can be charged using this stand.
- Remove the AC power adaptor from the wall outlet as soon as possible after the rechargeable battery has been charged. Overcharging may damage the rechargeable battery
- The charging stand and the rechargeable battery may becom warm during charging, but this is not a
- Do not tear off the film on the rechargeable battery.
- Use only the supplied charging stand to charge the supplied rechargeable • Be sure not to short-circuit the battery.
- When you carry it with you, use the supplied carrying case. If you are not using the case, do not carry the battery with other metallic objects such as keys, rings in your pocket.
- . If the rechargeable battery is new or has not been used for a long time, it may not be charged completely until you use it several times.

On batteries

- Do not charge a dry battery.
- Do not carry the dry or rechargeable batteries with coins or other metallic objects. It can generate heat if the positive and negative terminals of the batteries are accidentally contacted by a metallic object
- . When you do not use the main unit for a long time, remove the battery to avoid any damage caused by battery leakage and subsequent corrosion.

On AC power adaptor

• Use only the supplied AC power adaptor (for charging stand) and recommended AC power adaptor (for battery case). Do not use any other AC

\$ **1** the plug

- Connect the AC power adaptor to an easily accessible AC outlet. Should you notice an abnormality in the AC powe adaptor, disconnect it from the AC
- Do not touch the AC power adaptor with wet hands.

Do not leave the unit in a location near

On handling

- heat sources, or in a place subject to direct sunlight, excessive dust or sand moisture, rain, mechanical shock, or in a car with its windows closed.
- longer than 90 minutes. They are very • Remove the power sources for 15 thin and tend to be stretched easily seconds or more, and then set This may cause malfunction of the unit them again. or sound deterioration The radio and playback operates
- The LCD display may become hard to see or slow down when using the unit at high temperatures (above 40°C/ 104°F) or at low temperatures (below 0°C/32°F). At room temperature, the display will return to its normal operating condition.
- · If the unit has not been used for long, set it in the playback mode to warm up for a few minutes before you start using

On the remote control

Use the supplied remote control only with this unit.

On headphones/ earphones Road safety

Do not use headphones/earphones while driving, cycling, or operating any otorized vehicle. It may create a traffic hazard and is illegal in some areas. It can also be potentially dangerous to play your headphones/earphones at high volume while walking, especially at pedestrian crossings. You should exercise extreme caution or

discontinue use in potentially hazardous

Preventing hearing damage

Do not use headphones/earphones at high volume. Hearing experts advise against continuous, loud and extended play. If you experience a ringing in you ears, reduce volume or discontinue use

Caring for others

Keep the volume to a moderate level This will allow you to hear outside sounds and to be considerate to the people around you.

On maintenance

- · Clean the tape head and tape path, using a cotton swab and commercially available cleaning solvent after every 10 ours of use.
- To clean the exterior, use a soft cloth slightly moistened in water. Do not use alcohol, benzine or thinner.
- Clean the headphones/earphones and remote control plugs periodically. Clean the battery case terminals (both
- inside and outside) and the terminals periodically with a cotton swab or soft cloth as illustrated.

Specifications Troubleshooting

The sound drops out or comes with excessive noise. Clean the headphones/earphones

The unit does not operate at all.

Charge the battery or replace the

dry battery with a new one.

HOLD is activated. Deactivate

Tape operation is not possible

The volume cannot be turned up.

A beep sounds and recording is

• If the tab of the tape is broken off,

cover the tab hole with adhesive

The display and the operations

but recording is not possible.

the battery becomes weak.

• This condition may occur when

Replace or charge the battery.

not possible when REC is slid.

Insert a cassette tape.

are not normal

• If AVLS is on, turn it off.

and remote control plugs

Frequency range 76.0 - 90.0 MHz (Japan) 87.5 - 108 MHz (other AM: 531 - 1710 kHz (Japan) 530 - 1 710 kHz (North, Central and South America)

Radio section

countries/regions) Tape section

Playback: 40 - 15 000 Hz Recording/playback: 100 - 8 000 Hz Output

531 - 1 602 kHz (other

Headphones (♠) jack Load impedance 8 - 300 Ω Microphone (MIC) jack

General

Power requirements Rechargeable battery One R6 (size AA) batters

Dimensions (w/h/d) $(3\frac{1}{8} \times 4\frac{3}{8} \times \frac{29}{32})$ inches) excl. projecting

parts and controls

Approx. 152 g (5.4 oz) (main unit only)

Charging stand (1) AC plug adaptor (1) (Saudi Arabian Rechargeable battery (NH-14WM(A) 1.2 V. 1 350 mAh (min), Ni-MH) (1) echargeable battery carrying case (1) Carrying pouch (1)

change without notice.

Supplied accessories

Battery case (1)

AC power adaptor (1)

remote control (1)

Stereo microphone (1) Design and specifications are subject to

Stereo headphones or earphones with

This warranty is valid only in the United States.

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