

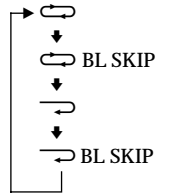
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Using Other Functions

Adjusting playback direction mode (see Fig. D-4)

You can adjust the playback direction mode (left or right) as well as the BL SKIP mode (on or off).

- 1 Press MODE repeatedly. With each press the indications change as follows:



- When "BL SKIP" is displayed, the tape is fast-forwarded to the next track if there is a blank space of longer than 12 seconds. You will hear repeated sets of three short beeps when skipping a blank. When " " is displayed, both sides of the tape is played repeatedly. When " " is displayed, both sides of the tape is played once (if you start from side B, only side B will be played).

Notes

- You cannot adjust the playback mode during fast-forward or rewind. The setting is stored as long as the battery is not replaced.

Note on BL SKIP

- The BL SKIP function detects a blank of 12 seconds or longer. If there is noise between the tracks, these functions may not recognize the blank and may not operate. Likewise, if there is a low-level segment within a track, these functions may recognize it as a blank space.

Playing a tape recorded with the Dolby* B NR system

Hold down SOUND until " " appears in the display. To cancel Dolby B NR, hold down SOUND again until " " disappears.

- Dolby noise reduction manufactured under license from Dolby Laboratories Licensing Corporation. "DOLBY" and the double-D symbol are trademarks of Dolby Laboratories Licensing Corporation.

Notes

- You cannot turn on/off the Dolby B NR function during fast-forward or rewind. The setting is stored as long as the battery is not replaced.

Emphasizing Sound (see Fig. D-6)

- 1 Press SOUND repeatedly. With each press, the indications change as follows: SURROUND (Mega Surround*): Dynamic Surround Sound MB (Mega Bass): emphasizes bass sound (moderate effect) RV (Sound Revitalizer): emphasizes treble sound none: normal (no effect)

- *Mega Surround is a new sound mode combining the SRS Headphone technology of SRS Labs, Inc. and the MEGA BASS technology of Sony Corporation. SRS Headphone and the symbol are trademarks of SRS Labs, Inc. in the United States and selected foreign countries. SRS Headphone technology is incorporated under license from SRS Labs, Inc.

Notes

- If the sound becomes distorted in the SURROUND mode, limit the volume on the main unit by setting the VOLUME switch on the main unit to NORM or AVLS MIN, or select a different sound mode. You cannot change the mode during fast-forward or rewind. The setting is stored as long as the battery is not replaced.

Protecting Your Hearing — AVLS (Automatic Volume Limiter System) (see Fig. D-7)

- 1 Set the VOLUME switch on the main unit to AVLS MIN.

To cancel the AVLS function

Set the VOLUME switch on the main unit to NORM or MAX.

Locking the controls — HOLD function (see Fig. D-8)

On the remote control, slide the HOLD switch in the direction of the arrow to lock the controls. On the main unit, slide the HOLD/OPERATION switch so that "HOLD" becomes visible and the operation button is locked.

- Charge the rechargeable battery or replace the battery with a new Sony alkaline battery.

On tapes longer than 90 minutes

We do not recommend the use of tapes longer than 90 minutes except for a long continuous playback. They are very thin and tend to be stretched easily.

Additional Information

Precautions

On rechargeable battery and charger

- Remove the charger unit from the wall outlet as soon as possible after the rechargeable battery has been charged. Overcharging may damage the rechargeable battery. The battery charger and the rechargeable battery may become warm during charging, but this is not a problem. Do not tear off the film on the rechargeable battery. Use only the supplied battery charger to charge the supplied rechargeable battery. 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. The nameplate indicating the operating voltage, power consumption, etc. is located on the bottom exterior of the battery charger.

- 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 Walkman for a long time, remove the battery to avoid any damage caused by battery leakage and subsequent corrosion.

On handling

- Do not drop the unit or give a shock to the unit, or it may cause a malfunction. Do not leave the unit in a location near heat sources, or in a place subjected to direct sunlight, excessive dust or sand, moisture, rain, mechanical shock, or in a car with its windows closed. 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 a long period of time, set it in the playback mode to warm it up for a few minutes before you start using again.

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On the remote control

Use the supplied remote control only with this unit.

On headphones/earphones

Do not use headphones/earphones while driving, cycling, or operating any motorized 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 situations.

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 your 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.

Maintenance

To clean the tape head and path

Use the cleaning cassette CHK-1W (not supplied) for every 10 hours of use.

Notes

- Clean the headphones/earphones and remote control plugs periodically. Clean the terminals periodically with a cotton swab or a soft cloth as illustrated (see Fig. E).

Troubleshooting

The BL SKIP, AMS, or the Repeat Single Track function does not operate properly.

- Charge the rechargeable battery or replace the battery with a new Sony alkaline battery.

You hear error beeps and you cannot operate the unit.

- Charge the rechargeable battery or replace the battery with a new Sony alkaline battery.

The unit does not operate at all.

- Charge the rechargeable battery or replace the battery with a new Sony alkaline battery.

Tape operation is not possible.

- Insert a cassette tape. The volume cannot be turned up. If AVLS is on, turn it off by setting the VOLUME switch on the main unit to NORM or MAX.

The tape fast forwards by itself during playback.

- BL SKIP is activated. Deactivate BL SKIP.

The sound contains noise.

- Use the unit away from radio wave-emitting devices such as cellular phones. The display and the operations are not normal. Remove the power sources for 15 seconds or more, and then set them again.

Specifications

Tape section

Frequency response (Dolby NR off) Playback: 30-18,000 Hz

Headphones (REMOTE jack) Load impedance: 8-300 ohms

General

Power requirements 1.5 V One rechargeable battery or one R6 (size AA) battery

Dimensions (w/h/d) Approx. 78.7 x 108.6 x 18.7 mm (3 1/8 x 4 3/8 x 3/4 inches), incl. projecting parts and controls

Mass Approx. 180 g (6.4 oz.) Approx. 240 g (8.5 oz.) (incl. rechargeable battery and cassette)

Supplied accessories Battery case (1) Stereo earphones with remote control (1) Battery charger (1) Rechargeable battery (1) NC-6WM, 1.2V, 600mAh, Ni-Cd (1) (U.S.A., Canada, European, Australian, and Hong Kong model) NH-14WM, 1.2V, 1400mAh, Ni-MH (1) (Other countries model) Rechargeable battery carrying case (1) Carrying pouch (1) AC plug adaptor (1) (Except for U.S.A., Canada, European, Australian, Korean, and Hong Kong model)

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