SYLVANIA

MP3 / CD STEREO PORTABLE PLAYER
MODEL : SCDMP455
MANUAL

LOCATION OF CONTROLS

1. Mode button
2. Stop/Power off button
3. Play/Pause button
4. Loop
5. Display
6. Charge LED indicator
7. Volume Up / Down control button
8. Hold switch
9. Line out socket
10. Headphone jack
11. DC Input socket
12. ESP / Directory search (feature for MP3 CD only) button
13. CD Door open cover
14. Bass Boost switch
15. Battery Door (under cover)
16. Program button
17. Skip/Search button

POWER SOURCES

Using Battery
1. Open the lid of the battery compartment.
2. Insert 2 "AA" Size (UM-3) alkaline batteries by matching the (+ and -) to the diagram inside the battery compartment and close the lid. (Batteries are not included)

Note: For battery operation the AC power adaptor must be disconnected from DC IN Jack.

When to Change the Battery
When the battery is used up, " " indicator flashes in the display. Replace all the batteries with new alkaline batteries.

Note: Do not mix new batteries with old one.
Do not use different types of batteries together.

Using an AC Power Adapter (Optional Accessory)
1. Insert the adapter plug into the DC input jack on the unit.
2. Plug the adapter into the AC wall outlet.
3. Unplug from wall outlet when not in use.

Note: Use only a 4.5V DC, 600 mA Adapter.
PLAYING A CD

1. Connect
   - Connect to a wall outlet.

   Note:
   1. Refer to "Power Sources" for details on using with batteries.
   2. Connect the earphones firmly. A loose connection may cause static noise during playback.

2. Insert a CD
   - Unfasten the buckle.
   - Open the lid.
   - Fit the CD with label side facing up on the pivot and close the lid.
   - While holding the lid closed, fasten the buckle securely.

3. Play a CD
   - Adjust the volume to a comfortable listening level.

   Warning: To protect your hearing if you are using headphones or earphones, set VOLUME to its lowest setting before you play a CD.
   - Press Play button. The CD player automatically turns on, "--" flashes on the display. A few seconds later, the total number of tracks and total playing time of the CD shows on the display. Then the current track number appears and the track 1 begins to play; the elapsed time is shown on the display at the same time.
   - At the end of the disc, the "--" disappears.

OTHER OPERATIONS

General Operation
- Play/Pause Button - Press once to start playback in the original order. Press again to stop the disc play temporarily.
- Stop Button - Press once to stop playback.
- Skip/Search Button - Press once to skip to next track or back to previous track.
- Directory Search Function (for MP3 CD)
- This feature allows you to skip to different directories on your MP3 disc. It makes file searching easier and faster.
- While playing an MP3 CD, press the ESP/DIR button once. The display will show the next directory.

Repeating Tracks
- You can play tracks repeatedly by pressing MODE button for Normal, Repeat one, ALBUM (for MP3 only), Repeat all track, Intro or Random play modes.

Repeat a Single Track
- CD: Press the MODE button while the track you want to repeat is playing. The "‖‖" indicator will appear in the display window.
- MP3: Press the MODE button twice to play album repeatedly. The "‖‖ALBUM" indicator will appear in the display window.
- To repeat another track, press or (Skip/Search buttons).
- To cancel repeat play, press the MODE button until the repeat indicator disappears.

Repeat all Tracks
- CD: Press the MODE button twice during play. The "‖‖ALL" indicator will appear in display.
- MP3: Press the MODE button three times. The "‖‖ALL ALBUM" indicator will appear in display.
- All tracks will be repeated continuously.
- To cancel repeat play, press the MODE button until the repeat indicator disappears.

Intro Play
- To play the first 10 seconds of each song.
- During Stop, press MODE button three times (MP3 press MODE button four times). The "INTRO" indicator will appear in the display window.
- Press the Play button to start scanning. The first 10 seconds of each track will be played.
- To end Intro play and continue with normal play, press the MODE button until the INTRO indicator disappears.
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Random Play
1. During Stop, press the MODE button four times (MP3 press the MODE button five times). The "RAN" indicator will appear in the display window.
2. Press the Play button to start scanning. The tracks will play in random order.
3. To cancel random play, press the MODE button until the RAN indicator disappears.

Program Play
You can program up to 54 tracks to play in any order you choose.

CD mode:
1. During stop mode, press the PROG button, the "PGM" indicator will appear in the display window with the track number and playing order.
2. Press Û or Ô SKIP/SEARCH button to choose a track.
3. Press PROG button to store the track.
4. Repeat steps 2 and 3 to program tracks.
5. Press Ú PLAY/PAUSE button, to play the tracks in the order you specified.

MP3 mode:
1. During stop mode, press the PROG button, the "PGM" indicator will appear in the display window with the track number and playing order.
2. Press Û or Ô SKIP/SEARCH button to choose a directory number.
3. Press PROG button once.
4. Press Û or Ô SKIP/SEARCH button to choose a track.
5. Press PROG button to program the track.
6. Repeat steps 2, 3, and 4 to program tracks.
7. Press Ú PLAY/PAUSE button, to play the tracks in the order you specified.
8. In stop mode, press PROG button, then Ú PLAY/PAUSE button to resume program playing.
9. In stop mode, press PROG button to clear the program, or open the CD door to clear the program.

TO ENJOY MORE POWERFUL BASS SOUND
You can enjoy more powerful bass-boosted sound. Press the BBS button twice to turn it on. The "BBS" indicator will appear in the display window.

Note: if the sound is distorted when emphasizing bass, turn down the volume.

Locking the Controls
To prevent accidentally turning the CD player on when not in use, turning it off during play, or changing the track you are listening to, slide the HOLD button to the ON position. "HOLD" will show in the display window.
All controls, except OPEN, will be disabled. To unlock the controls, slide the HOLD button to the OFF position.

OTHER OPERATIONS

To Prevent Sound from Skipping (Anti Skip System)
When the ASP function is turned on, you can see "ESP" is displayed on the LCD. That means ASP function already on. This ASP function is solely for audio CD only. The ASP function for MP3 is automatically activated whenever the player is used for playing MP3 disc.
- CD ASP time is about 45 seconds.
- MP3 ASP time is about 120 seconds.
- Off ASP (for CD only), press ESP button once.

NOTES:
1. When using the ANTI SHOCK function the battery power consumption increases because the disc rotates faster than normal and the dynamic memory is active.
2. Whilst the ANTI SHOCK function provides for continuous sound output when the unit is subjected to shock or vibration. It will not correct errors arising from the use of defective scratched or dirty discs.
3. When powering the player solely from batteries, only use the ANTI SHOCK function were necessary to preserve their life.

External audio system
To connect the CD player to another audio system, use an audio line cable with a 3.5 mm plug to connect to the CD player LINE OUT and with 2 RCA plugs to connect to the amplifier inputs.
For playback or for track selection, use the CD player controls, but for volume adjustment use the external audio system control.
Caution: always switch the power off before making any connections between the player and any other set.

On Handling CDs
- To keep the CD clean, handle it by its edge. Do not touch the surface.
- Do not stick paper or tape onto the CD.
- Do not expose the CD to direct sunlight or heat sources such as hot air ducts. Do not leave the CD in a parked car under direct sunlight.

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Charging and use of Rechargeable Batteries

1. Disconnect the AC/DC adapter from the wall outlet, if it is connected to the unit.
2. Open the battery compartment door as mentioned previously.
3. Insert 2 rechargeable batteries (1.2V 800mAh) (not included), following the correct polarity as indicated on the unit.
   Put the metal bushing onto the ‘*’ side of one of the 2 rechargeable batteries.

Rechargeable battery with metal cap
must be placed in the location shown

4. Close the battery compartment door.
5. Insert the adapter plug into the DC input jack on the unit, during charged LED indicator will on.
6. After 15 hours of charging, pull the adapter out.

Caution:
• Do not mix the rechargeable (nickel-cadmium) or NiMh and regular (carbon-zinc) batteries.
• Do not charge continuously for 24 hours or more, otherwise it will deteriorate the performance of the rechargeable batteries.

Notes:
• If the Nickel Cadmium rechargeable battery is being used the first time, it will take approximately 15 hours to be fully charged.
• If the operating time decreases drastically even when the rechargeable batteries are properly recharged, purchase new set of rechargeable batteries.

DO NOT CHARGE NORMAL BATTERIES
MAY CAUSE EXPLOSION

CHARGE ONLY RECHARGEABLE Ni-cd BATTERIES OR NiMh.

CAUTION
INVISIBLE LASER RADIATION
WHEN OPEN AND INTERLOCKS DEFECTED.
AVOID EXPOSURE TO BEAM

GENERAL INFORMATION

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No sound from earphones
- Headphone plug not properly inserted
- Volume control set to minimum
- Weak batteries
- Defective compact disc

Sound is skipping
- The compact disc or pickup lens is dirty
- Strong vibrations

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