



POWERED WOOFER CD SYSTEM RV-NB52B/RV-NB50

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Serial No.



MP3/WMA

For customer use:

Enter below the Model No. and Serial No. which are located either on the rear, bottom or side of the cabinet. Retain this information for future reference. Model No.



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Caution: Proper Ventilation

To avoid risk of electric shock and fire, and to prevent damage, locate the apparatus as follows:

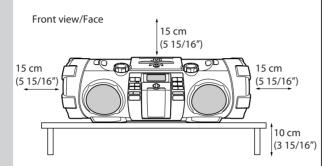
- No obstructions and open spacing.
- 2 Sides/Top/Back: No obstructions should be placed in the areas shown by the dimensions below.

Place on the level surface. Maintain an adequate air path for ventilation by placing on a stand with a height of 10 cm (3 15/16") or more.

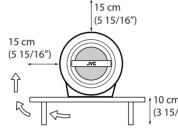
Attention: Aération correcte

Pour prévenir tout risque de décharge électrique ou d'incendie et éviter toute détérioration, installez l'appareil de la manière suivante:

- 1 Avant:
- Bien dégagé de tout objet.
- 2 Côtés/dessus/dessous
- Assurez-vous que rien ne bloque les espaces indiqués sur
- le schéma ci-dessous
- Posez l'appareil sur une surface plane et horizontale. Veillez à ce que sa ventilation correcte puisse se faire en le plaçant sur un support d'au moins dix centimètres de







ADOUT DISCIPILE/IPOU/DISPLAY

Playable discs/files

Discs | CDs with one of the marks below on the surface.







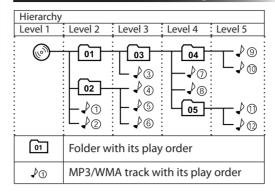
Files in audio CD format. MP3/WMA files on a finalized CD-R or CD-RW. MP3/WMA files in a USB device can also be played.

- MP3/WMA discs require a longer readout time than regular CDs. (It depends on the complexity of the folder/file configuration.)
- Some MP3/WMA files cannot be played back and will be skipped. This results from their
- recording processes and conditions. When making MP3/WMA discs, use ISO 9660 Level 1 for the disc format.
- This unit can play back MP3/WMA files with the extension code <.mp3> or <.wma> (regardless of the letter case upper/lower).
- It is recommended that you make each MP3 file at a sampling rate of 44.1 kHz and at a bit rate of 128 kbps. Similarly each WMA file at a sampling rate of 44.1 kHz and at a bit rate of 96 kbps.
- Playback order of MP3/ WMA files may be different from the one you have intended when recording. If a folder does not contain
- MP3/WMA files, it is ignored. This unit cannot play "packet write" discs.
- If a CD-RW has been recorded in a different format, erase all data on the CD-RW completely before recording on it.
- This unit can recognize up to a total of 511 tracks and folders on a disc, and 65536 files in up to 200 groups (maximum 500 files in a single group) on a USB device.

• The reflection factor of CD-RW is lower than that of For playing back: other CDs, possibly causing CD-RW to take longer

time to read In this manual, "file" and "track" are interchangeably used for MP3/WMA operations.

MP3/WMA folders/tracks configuration



Important for USB mass storage class

For connecting/disconnecting:

- USB Memory and DAPs compatible with the USB mass storage class specifications are connectable.
- Always set the volume to the minimum level when connecting or disconnecting a USB device.
- When connecting with a USB cable, use the USB 2.0 cable less than 1 m (3.28 ft) in length.
- You cannot connect a computer to the USB
- MEMORY terminal of the unit. • Connect one USB device to the unit at a time. Do
- When the power is supplied through the AC outlet or car battery and USB is selected as the source, the USB device is charged through the USB MEMORY terminal, however some USB devices may not be

- When connecting a USB device, refer also to its
- You can play back MP3/WMA files on a USB device (maximum data transfer rate: 2 Mbps). This unit may not play back some files even though their formats are listed above.
- While playing back a file in a USB device, do not disconnect the USB device. It may cause
- malfunction of both this unit and the device.
- This unit is compatible with USB 2.0 Full Speed. • You cannot play back a file larger than 2 Gigabytes.
- When playing a file of a large transfer rate, sounds may be dropped during playback.
- This unit cannot recognize a USB mass storage class device whose rating exceeds 5V/500 mA.
- You cannot send any data to your USB device from · Some USB devices may not be recognized or may
- not work properly. • Some DAPs are not compatible with the unit.
- Copyrighted tracks (WMA-DRM* tracks) cannot be played back on the unit.
- Coded or encrypted tracks in a special method cannot be played on the unit.
- Electrostatic shock at connecting a USB device may cause abnormal playback of the device. In this case, disconnect the USB device then reset this unit and the USB device.
- JVC bears no responsibility for any loss of data in the USB mass storage class device while using this
- * DRM (Digital Rights Management): Any of several technical methods used to control or restrict the use of digital media content on electronic devices with such technologies installed.

Important for iPod devices

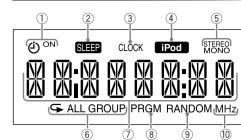
Compatible iPod:

iPod model
od nano
od nano (2nd Generation)
od nano (3rd Generation)
od nano (4th Generation)
od mini
od mini (2nd Generation)
od (4th Generation)
od classic
od photo (4th Generation)
od video (5th Generation)
od touch
od touch (2nd Generation)

• Sound distortion may occur when playing back audio sources with high recording levels. When distortion occurs, it is recommended to turn off the equalizer of iPod. For information on operating iPod, see the iPod instruction manual.

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- 1 Timer indicators
- (i) (timer), ON 2 SLEEP indicator
- **CLOCK** indicator
- iPod indicator FM mode indicators
- STEREO, MONO
- Repeat indicators ←, ← ALL, ← GROUP
- Main display
- PRGM (program) indicator RANDOM indicator
- Frequency unit indicators

PREPARATION

Connecting the power cord Power cord (supplied) AC outlet Car adapter (not supplied) To car's cigarette liahter socket (DC12V) Battery compartment

NOTE

CAUTION

instruction on the right) and the car battery (see below).

The power can also be supplied through the batteries (see the

A small amount of power is always consumed even while on

- Only use JVC power cord provided for this unit to avoid malfunction or damage to the unit. Remove all the batteries when using the power cord or car
- Be sure to unplug the power cord from the outlet when going out or when the unit is not in use for an extended period of

Cautions when connecting to the car adapter

- Be sure to use the car adapter (not supplied) with the same polarity design as the one equipped with this unit to prevent mishaps or damage.
- For safety, stop the car before performing operations.
- Be sure to start the engine when you use the car adapter; otherwise, the car battery will be exhausted.
- During transport, stabilize the unit in a box, etc. To prevent malfunctions, do not leave the unit in a car for a long time.

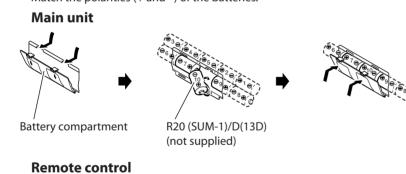
Unplug the AC power cord from the unit to supply the power through the car battery or batteries in the battery compartment; otherwise, the unit does not work.

Inserting batteries

Match the polarities (+ and -) of the batteries.

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(not supplied) • If the range or effectiveness of the remote control decreases, replace the batteries.

NOTE

- The power will not be supplied through the batteries when the power is supplied through the AC outlet or car battery on the unit.
- The battery is consumed more quickly than usual when operating the unit continuously or operating it in a cold place. • When the power is supplied using the batteries, the display will be blank when the
- unit is turned off (at standby) • When the power is supplied using the batteries, the unit is turned on by pressing 0/l or source buttons on the main unit.

To avoid battery leakage or explosion, handle batteries properly.

- If you are not going to use this unit for a month or more, remove the batteries from the battery compartment
- Dispose of batteries in the proper manner, according to federal, state, and local
- Do not mix with batteries of different types or with new and old ones.
- Do not attempt to charge any batteries other than rechargeable ones.
- Discard leaky batteries immediately. Battery leakage can cause skin burns or other
- · If chemicals leak onto the unit, clean the unit completely.

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To get the best performance of the unit, keep your discs and mechanism clean.

Maintenance

Handling discs

 Remove the disc from its case by holding it at the edge while pressing the center hole

- Do not touch the shiny surface of the disc, or bend the disc.
- Put the disc back in its case after use. • Be careful not to scratch the surface of the
- disc when placing it back in its case. Avoid exposure to direct sunlight,

temperature extremes, and moisture. **Cleaning discs**

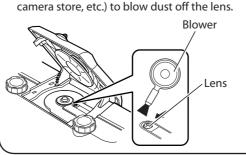
 Wipe the disc with a soft cloth in a straight line from center to edge.

Cleaning the unit

- Stains should be wiped off with a soft cloth. If the unit is heavily stained, wipe it with a cloth soaked in water-diluted neutral detergent and wrung well, then wipe clean with a dry cloth
- Since the unit may deteriorate in quality, become damaged or get its paint peeled off, be careful about the following:
 - DO NOT wipe it hard.
- DO NOT wipe it with thinner or benzine. DO NOT apply any volatile substance such as insecticides to it.

- DO NOT allow any rubber or plastic to remain in contact for a long time.

Cleaning the CD pickup lens Keep the CD pickup lens clean, or the sound may be degraded. Use a blower (available at a



Troubleshooting

not use a USB hub

If you are having a problem with your unit, check this list for a possible solution before calling for service.

General

Power does not come on.

→ No power is supplied. Check the power cord connection or change the batteries.

Adjustments or settings are suddenly canceled before you finish. → There is a time limit. Repeat the procedure again.

work properly. → The built-in microprocessor may malfunction due to external electrical interference.

Unable to operate the unit or the unit does not

- Unplug the power cord, then plug it back in. ⇒ Batteries are exhausted. Change the batteries. Unable to operate the unit from the remote
- control. → The path between the remote control and the remote sensor on the unit is blocked.

No sound is heard.

→ Headphones are connected.

→ The batteries are exhausted.

While the power is supplied using the batteries, sound from the speakers is distorted or too quiet.

⇒ Batteries are exhausted. Change the batteries.

Disc/USB Mass Storage Class Device

- The disc/USB device does not play. → The disc is placed upside down. Place the disc with the label side up.
- →The disc is recorded with the "packet writing (UDF file unit)." It cannot be played. Check the files you want to play back.

→ The USB device is not connected properly.

MP3/WMA groups and tracks are not played back as you expect. → Playing order is determined when the groups

writing application. The disc/USB device sound is discontinuous.

→The disc is scratched or dirty. → MP3/WMA files have not been properly copied

and tracks were recorded. It depends on the

onto the USB device. Sounds from USB device are interrupted.

Noise and static electricity may stop the sound. In this case, disconnect and connect the USB device again after turning off the unit.

iPod Operations

iPod does not play, but "CONNECT" appears on the display.

→ The iPod battery is low or exhausted. Charge the iPod battery

Radio Operations

Hard to listen to broadcasts because of noise.

- → The FM antenna is not properly extended and positioned.
- ⇒ Electrostatic discharge from your body may

Disc player CD capacity: 1CD Signal-to-noise ratio: 85 dB 90 dB Dynamic range: FM tuning range: 87.5 MHz -Power 108.0 MHz

General Speakers: • Full range:

Antenna:

cone x 2 Speaker impedance: 16Ω · Super woofer: 13 cm (5 1/8")

Output power:

• USB:

cause noise. If this happens, turn off and on the

Timer Operations

Daily Timer does not work.

→ The unit has been turned on when the on-time comes. Timer starts working only when the unit is turned off.

FM telescopic

8 cm (3 3/16")

cone x 2

 7Ω

40 W

Playable files:

MP3, WMA

Speaker impedance:

• Compatible device:

Mass storage class

DC 5 V === 500 mA

• Output power:

DC 5 V === 500 mA

PHONES (φ3.5) x 1

Power supply: AC 120 V \sim , 60 Hz DC 15 V (R20 (SUM-1)/D (13D)-size batteries x 10) External DC 12 V (Car battery via the optional car adapter)

consumption: AC 120 V \sim , 60 Hz: 28 W (at operation)

External DC 12 V 2 A (power on mode) 666 mm (26 1/4") x **Dimensions:** 231 mm (9 1/8") x 240 mm

1 W (on standby)

(9 1/2") (W/H/D) Mass: Approx. 6.8 kg (15.0 lbs) (without batteries stored in the battery compartment)

Accessories

provided:

Power cord x 1 Remote control x 1 Shoulder belt x 1 Buckle x 2

Design and specifications are subject to change

Stopper x 2

• DC IN:

• Dock for iPod:

Output terminal:

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DC 12 V

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A Listening to an iPod device

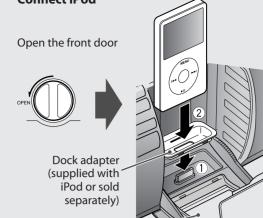
You can operate iPod through the unit.

- Before connecting iPod to the unit, check its type and software version. (See playable iPod devices on the other side of this sheet.)
- Note that any data cannot be sent to iPod from the unit.

CAUTIONS

- JVC is not responsible for any loss of or damage to iPod that might result from the use of this product.
- When you connect iPod to the unit, make sure the connection on this unit is fully inserted into
- Do not carry the unit with iPod connected. You might drop it down or it might cause damages to the connector part
- Do not touch or hit the iPod terminal pins or the connector pins directly. It might cause damages
- to the connector part Remove iPod from the unit when you do not use.
- While playing back a track from iPod, do not disconnect the iPod. Doing so may cause
- malfunction of both this unit and iPod. Always set the volume to the minimum level
- when connecting or disconnecting iPod.
- Do not leave the front door open.
- Do not press down on the front door when it is open, as the unit could fall and possibly cause an injury.

Connect iPod



To detach the dock adapter



· Be careful not to injure your fingertips or damage the terminal of the dock.

Start Playback

1. Press 也/1. The unit turns on

> Main unit Remote control ψ/I ዕ/I

2. Press iPod ▶/II.

iPod is turned on and starts playing.

 When you selected another source press iPod ▶/**II** again to start playback.

when iPod connected. Remote control

iPod •/II

3. Adjust the volume.

Main unit

►/II

To pause, press iPod ►/II. To cancel pause, press iPod ►/II again.

Playback continues from the point where it was paused.

To select a track, press I → or ► I Main unit Remote control

|44 ▶▶| [44/44] **▶▶/▶▶**I Press ►►I once to skip to the beginning of

the next track.

 Press I◄◄ to skip to the beginning of the track being played. Press I twice quickly to skip to the beginning of the previous track.

To fast forward/reverse, press and hold I◄◀ or ▶▶I during playback.

NOTE

When iPod is selected as the source...

- "CONNECT" appears on the display of the unit
- "NOiPod" appears on the display of the unit when iPod is not connected.

iPod menu operation (Remote control only)

- 1 Press MENU to display the menu.
- 2 Press GROUP UP or GROUP DOWN to select a menu item, then press SET to confirm it.

To go back to the previous menu, press MENU.

Refer also to the instruction manual for iPod for

Turning off iPod

- Press and hold iPod ▶/II for about 2 seconds.
- · Selecting another source also turns off iPod. Turning off the unit may not turn off iPod depending on the current source.

About the battery charge of iPod

• When the unit is connected to the AC outlet or car battery:

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The iPod battery is always charged. When the unit is operated on batteries: The iPod battery is not charged even if the unit is turned on.

B Playing back a disc/USB device Load a disc or connect a USB device.

Disc

USB device

Start Playback

The unit turns on.

2. Press CD ►/II or USB ►/II.

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Starts reading the disc or USB device and

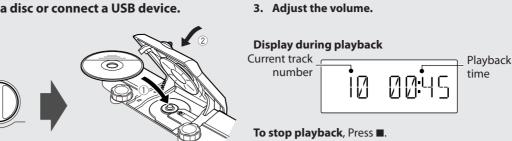
CD Or USB ►/II

1. Press 🖖/L

Main unit

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playback.



USB

Remote control

CD USB

memory

USB cord

Remote control

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Main unit Remote control **(** To pause, press CD ►/II or USB ►/II.

 To cancel pause, press ►/II again. Playback continues from the point where it was paused.

To select a track, press I → or ► I

Main unit Remote control ▶▶| [144/44] (►►/►►I)

next track. Press I to skip to the beginning of the track being played.

· Press ▶►I once to skip to the beginning of the

Press I twice quickly to skip to the beginning of the previous track.

To locate a track directly, press number

- To directly play track 5, press 5. • To directly play track 15, press +10
- To directly play track 20, press +10 once, then press 10.
- To directly play track 25, press +10, +10 then press 5.
- To directly play track 40, press +10,
- +10, +10 then press 10. To directly play track 109, press +100 once, then press 9.
- To directly play track 120, press +100, +10 then 10.
- To directly play track 125, press +100, +10, +10 then 5.

To fast forward/reverse, press and hold I◀◀ or ▶▶I during playback.

To select a group (for MP3/WMA), press GROUP UP or GROUP DOWN. (Remote



- · Press GROUP UP to skip to the next
- Press GROUP DOWN to skip to the previous group.

G Listening to FM stations

Remote control

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Remote control FM

3. Select the station. Remote control

Press and hold I◄◄ or ►►I to change the

frequency automatically until a station of sufficient signal strength is tuned in.

Presetting stations (Remote control only) You can preset 30 FM stations manually.

1. Tune in to a station you want to preset.

2. Press SET.

1. Press U/L

2. Press FM

Main unit

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Main unit

FM

Main unit

The unit turns on.

- Finish the following steps while the indication on the display is flashing.
- Press the number button to select a

preset number you want to store.

Number buttons: To select P-5, press 5 To select P-15, press +10 then 5. To select P-20, press +10 once then press 10. To select P-25, press +10,+10 then press 5.

4. Press SET to store the station.

To listen to the preset stations, press number buttons to select the preset number.

Improving the FM reception

When an FM stereo (FM) broadcast is hard to receive or noisy, select the monaural reception

(MONO) mode. Main unit

Remote control

FM MODE To restore stereo reception, press FM MODE

Adjusting the antenna

Sound modes can be selected to enhance the Adjust the FM telescopic antenna's length, type of music being played. angle and direction until the best reception is

Press SOUND MODE to select the sound mode

Turning off the sound temporarily

Remote control

or adjust the volume

Sound mode

Each time you press the button, the sound

To restore the sound, press MUTING again

mode changes as follows:

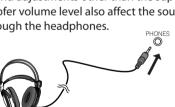
Main unit Remote control SOUND MODE

BEAT: Set to this position for music with a heavy beat, such as rock and disco music.

POP: Set to this position for light music including popular and vocal music. **CLEAR:** Set to this position for crisp and clear

FLAT: (no effect): Set to this position not to

connecting or putting on the headphones. · Connecting the headphones deactivates the speakers.



Using the timer (Remote control only)

Setting the Clock

When the power is supplied through the AC outlet or car adapter for the first time after the purchase, the CLOCK indicator and "AM 12:00" flash on the display. Set the clock before using the sleep and daily timers.

1. Press CLOCK/TIMER.

2. Press |◄◄/◄◄ or ▶►/▶►| to adjust the hour. [H4/44] | PP/PPI

• When you press and hold the button, the

hour digit changes continuously

3. Press SET.

The minutes digits start flashing on the display. 4. Press | ◀ ◀ / ◀ or ▶ ▶ / ▶ ▶ | to adjust the

- minute. • When you press and hold the button, the minute digit changes continuously.
- If you want to change the hour setting, press CANCEL.
- 5. Press SET.

Finish setting the clock.

To display the clock, press DISPLAY.

• Each time you press the button, the clock and normal indicator changes alternately.

NOTE

- About one hour after you disconnect the AC power cord or car adapter, the set time will be
- If the power supplied using batteries, the clock does not appear on the display when the unit is turned off.

Setting the Sleep Timer

1. Press SLEEP.

set have elapsed.

select "OFF."



Each time you press the button, the shut-off time (in minute) changes as follows:

 $10 \Rightarrow 20 \Rightarrow 30 \Rightarrow 60 \Rightarrow 90 \Rightarrow 120 \Rightarrow OFF \Rightarrow$ (back to the beginning) The unit is now set to turn off after the minutes you

To check the remaining time until the unit shuts **off**, press SLEEP once.

4. Press the number buttons to select the track

To cancel the sleep timer, press SLEEP repeatedly to

Setting the Daily Timer

Using the Daily Timer, you can wake up with your favorite music.

NOTE

Tune into a station, load a disc, or connect a USB device/iPod to the unit, and make sure that the source works properly beforehand.

1. Press CLOCK/TIMER.



2. Press |◄◄/◄◄ or ▶►/▶▶| to adjust the

hour

· When you press and hold the button,

the hour digit changes continuously.



The minutes digits start flashing on the

- 4. Press | ◀ ◀ / ◀ or ▶ ▶ / ▶ ▶ | to adjust the
- · When you press and hold the button,

the minute digit changes continuously

If you want to change the hour setting,

- Finish setting on-time.
- 6. Press |◄◄/◄◄ or ▶►/▶▶| to select the source. 7. Press |◄◄/◄◄ or ▶►/▶▶| to adjust the
- See the instruction about adjusting volume. 8. Press SET.

volume.

5. Press SET.

(i) ON lights. 9. Press 🖖 to turn off the unit.

The daily timer works only when the unit is on

When the on-time comes, the unit sets the

volume gradually to the preset level.

To correct a misentry during the process, press You can return to the previous step.

To change the set timer info when $\overset{\circ}{\cup}{}^{\circ N}$ is lit,

You can start setting from step 2.

press CLOCK/TIMER twice.

the unit will turn off.

- To turn off the daily timer, press CANCEL. · While the timer is being set, the timer indicator
- (**(i**)) lights up. • While the timer is working, the timer indicator

(ON) flashes. • If you don't operate the unit for more than 1 hour,

Adjusting the super woofer volume You can adjust the volume level between 1 and 6.

Adjusting the volume

Main unit

(On the right)

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You can adjust the volume level

between MIN 01 and 30 MAX.



(On the left) NOTE DO NOT turn off (standby) the unit with the volume set to an extremely high level; otherwise, the sudden blast of sound can damage

Remote control

Remote control



your hearing, speakers and headphones when you

D Adjusting the sound

Sound mode selection:

sounding music.

apply any sound mode.

obtained.

Using Headphones Be sure to turn down the volume before

 Sound adjustments other than the super woofer volume level also affect the sound



Convenient playback (Remote control only)

Program Playback

- NOTE You can only make a program when playback is
- stopped. While making a program, you cannot specify a group number to select a track. Load a disc or connect a USB device before
- making a program. See B Playing back a disc/USB device. 1. Press CD ►/II or USB ►/II.



3. Press PLAY MODE to select PROGRAM.

- You can program up to 30 tracks from a disc or a USB devise in any desired order including the same 5. Repeat step 4 to select other tracks for the • To cancel the last track in the program, press
 - 6. Press CD ►/II or USB ►/II. Playback starts.

While stopped: To confirm the programmed tracks, press $| \blacktriangleleft | / \blacktriangleleft |$ or $| \triangleright | / \triangleright |$ repeatedly; the tracks in the

in the program is erased.

CANCEL once.

the programmed order.

 To add a track to the end of the program, press the number buttons to select the track.

program will successively appears on the display in

To delete the tracks in the program, press CANCEL repeatedly. • Each time you press the button, the last track

To exit from the program play, press PLAY MODE

repeatedly until the "PRGM" indicator goes off.

• Turning off the power also clears the program.

Random Playback

random play.

press CANCEL.

You can play all the tracks, on the disc or USB devise in random order.

Load a disc or connect a USB device before

1. Press CD ►/II or USB ►/II. CD USB

See B Playing back a disc/USB device.

2. Press PLAY MODE to select RANDOM.

3. Press CD ►/II or USB ►/II.

random playback.

While paused:

The tracks are played in random order once. The I◄◄/◄◄ button works only to go back to the beginning of the current track during the

To exit from random mode, press PLAY MODE

repeatedly until the "RANDOM" indicator goes off.

Repeat Playback You can repeat a track or tracks on the disc or USB

beginning

devise as many times as you like.

Press REPEAT.

Each time you press the button, the play mode

changes as follows: \rightarrow ALL \rightarrow \rightarrow canceled \rightarrow (back to the

> • **SALL**: Repeats all the tracks on the disc. • In program mode or random mode, only **→**ALL

> > can be selected.

• **\(\Gamma\)**: Repeats the current track.

For MP3/WMA files: to the beginning)

• **⊊**ALL: Repeats all the tracks on the disc or USB devise. • In program mode or random mode, only **←**ALL

can be selected.

repeats all the tracks in a

Repeats the current track.

GROUP: In normal play mode,

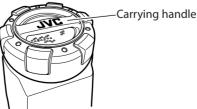
To exit from the repeat mode, press REPEAT repeatedly until the repeat indicator goes off.

E Carrying this unit

turn on the unit or start playback.

Using the carrying handles

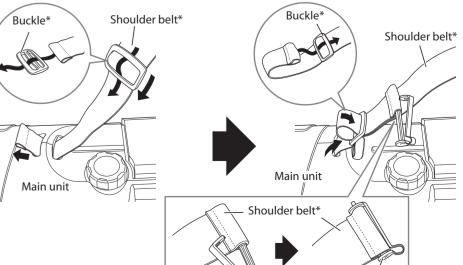
the unit. If you carry the unit by only one handle, because of the length of the unit, the end may drag on the ground and be damaged as a result. Do not insert any foreign objects into them which are below the speakers.



· The unit is not waterproof or dust proof.

Using the shoulder belt

der helt (adjustable in length) to each end of the system as illus



NOTE

 Remove a disc, USB device or iPod from the unit.

· Disconnect all the cords from the unit.

* Supplied for this unit.

