Aircheck Machine™ L-Series Recording Radio

Quick Start Guide

INSTRUCTIONS FOR RECORDING RADIO BROADCASTS

STEP 1	*Turn-on the Aircheck Machine unit before inserting a media storage device,* such as an SD Card or USB drive. The on/off switch is located on the top of the unit, next to the volume control. Storage media should be inserted *after* tuning to a station.
STEP 2	*Select AM or FM band* by pressing 'M' (mode button). Then, *using the 0-9 buttons on the front of the unit, type-in the frequency of a station* (numbers, without annotation). After about 5 seconds, the unit will automatically tune to the selected radio frequency. Set the volume control to desired volume.
STEP 3	*Insert storage media* in either the Micro SD slot on the bottom of the unit or the USB port on the right-side of the unit. If the unit discovers recorded audio on the media, it will begin playing it within a few seconds. To switch back to the radio frequency previously entered, press 'M' until that frequency again appears on the unit's status display.
STEP 4	*To start recording a station, press 'REC'* (record button). The unit's status display will show 'REC'. *Pressing the play/pause button will alternatively pause and resume recording.* When recording is paused, the unit's speaker is muted.
STEP 5	*To stop recording, press 'REC' <u>once</u> while recording. If the backlit buttons are not illuminated (in power conservation mode, see below), press 'REC' <u>twice</u>.* The buttons will illuminate, recording will stop and the recorded audio will begin playback.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR OPERATING UNIT WHILE STATUS DISPLAY IS OFF

AUTOMATIC POWER CONSERVATION	*When playing radio or recording audio:* after about 10 seconds of no user interaction (i.e., button presses), the illumination of the backlit buttons will shut-off to conserve power. The unit will continue to play and record. *To illuminate and enable the buttons during power conservation, press any of the buttons on the front of the unit <u>once</u>.* The buttons will illuminate for an additional 10 seconds and be responsive to user input before resuming power conservation. Put simply: when the buttons are illuminated, only one keypress is required; when not illuminated, two keypresses are required. The first keypress will "wake-up" the keyboard for input.

IMPORTANT INSTRUCTIONS FOR IMPORTING MP3 FILES TO AUDIO EDITING SOFTWARE

IMPORTING MP3 FILES TO AUDITION OR COOL EDIT	*Some versions of Adobe Audition™ and Cool Edit™ software require that MP3 files from Aircheck Machine be imported using the File/Edit menu item labeled, "Open audio from Video…", rather than the standard "Open…" menu item.* This is because Aircheck Machine MP3 audio files are recorded in a format which requires this method. *Aircheck Machine MP3 files will import to Audacity™ software using the standard "Open…" menu item.*

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