

FULL MANUAL

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# OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

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BELT DRIVE TURNTABLE



## STR8-20

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WARNING : TO PREVENT FIRE OR ELECTRIC SHOCK, DO NOT EXPOSE THIS APPLIANCE TO RAIN OR MOISTURE.

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## NAME OF PARTS



- |                      |                                      |
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| 1) Strobe Dots       | 8) Headshell                         |
| 2) Slip Mat          | 9) Pitch Control Slider              |
| 3) Center Spindle    | 10) Tonearm                          |
| 4) Power Switch      | 11) Arm Rest                         |
| 5) Start/Stop Button | 12) Counterweight                    |
| 6) 33 Button         | 13) Position For Preparing Cartridge |
| 7) 45 Button         |                                      |

## BEFORE USE

\*Check following parts included in the package with the main unit:

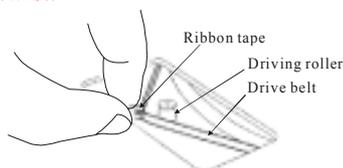
- 1) Turntable platter
- 2) Slip mat
- 3) 45-rpm adaptor
- 4) Counterweight
- 5) Headshell
- 6) Operating instructions
- 7) RCA Cables with ground wire
- 8) Cartridge

\*Notes:

- 1) Do not connect the AC power plug before assembly has been completed.
- 2) Before you turn on the power, verify the voltage setting is correct for your country.
- 3) Read this manual carefully before using the unit and be sure to store the manual in a safe place for future reference.

## ASSEMBLY

1. Remove the main unit with the packing from the box and take off the packing.
2. Insert the turntable platter onto the center spindle.
3. Set the slip mat on the platter.
4. Hold the ribbon tape which is attached to the belt and loop the belt over the motor pulley. Be sure it does not twist.



5. Insert the headshell into the front end of the tonearm, then turn the lock nut clockwise with the headshell firmly held horizontally.
6. Slide counterweight onto tonearm. Twist it lightly and it will screw onto the rear shaft of the tonearm.
7. Adjustment of horizontal zero (0) balance and stylus pressure:
  - (a) Remove the stylus protector, do not touch the

stylus tip during the adjustment.

- (d) Release the arm clamp and lift the tonearm from the arm rest to free it.
  - (c) Rotate the counterweight until the tonearm is approximately balanced horizontally (floats freely).
  - (d) Refasten the tonearm with the arm clamp.
  - (e) Hold the counterweight stationary with one hand and rotate only the stylus-pressure ring to bring the number "0" of the ring into alignment with the center line on the tonearm rear shaft.
  - (f) Rotate the counterweight clockwise until the scale shows the value corresponding to the pressure of the used stylus. The average stylus pressure of the cartridge body is 2g. If you use a non-Stanton cartridge, please follow that manufacturer's instructions.
8. Install the dust cover to the main unit.

## PLACEMENT

- Do not place the unit in a location where it will be exposed to direct sunlight or near a heating appliance.
- Do not place the unit in a location where there is high humidity or a lot of dust.
- Cartridge may pick up slight sound pressures or vibrations from the speakers coming along the floor

- or through the air resulting in feedback. Find a location which is very stable and vibration free.
- The legs have functions for adjusting the height of the unit itself. Adjust the legs to stabilize the main body horizontally.

## CONNECTIONS

1. Connect the power cord to the auxiliary power outlet on the rear panel of your amplifier or receiver or to a household AC outlet.
2. Connect the unit output terminals to the PHONO jack of your amplifier or receiver.

Output terminals		Amplifier(Receiver)
L (White)	>>	L Channel
R (Red)	>>	R Channel
GND (Spade)	>>	GND

### NOTE:

Be sure to connect the ground terminal firmly to the amplifier or receiver.

If this connection is not made or is loose, a power source "HUM" will result.

## OPERATION

1. Rotate the power dial clockwise to turn on the power, the speed indicator and the strobe-illuminator will light up.
2. Place a record on the slip mat, when playing a 45rpm record with a large center hole, place the 45-rpm adaptor on the center spindle.
3. Set the rotation speed (33/45) to match the record.
4. Remove the stylus protector, release the arm clamp.
5. Press the Start/Stop button, the turntable platter will start to rotate.
6. Move the tonearm over the desired groove.
7. When play is finished, move the tonearm to the arm rest, secure the tonearm with the arm clamp.
8. Press the Start/Stop button to stop the platter rotating, push the power button to turn off the power.

## MAINTENANCE

- For best results & proper care of your equipment use Stanton Vinyl Cleaner (VC-1) for your records and Stylus Cleaner Kit for styli (SC-4).
- Clean the stylus periodically with a soft brush to prevent the accumulation of dust.
- When the sound becomes distorted or noisy, check the stylus. If worn out, replace it with a new one.
- From time to time, the dust cover and turntable cabinet should be wiped with a soft and dry cloth.
- Any volatile materials such as alcohol, thinner, benzine, etc., may remove the paint or damage the lustre, please avoid.

## SPECIFICATIONS

### \*General

Power supply.....	AC 115/230V~, 50/60Hz
Power consumption.....	5 Watts
Dimension (W*D*H).....	450 x 350 x 140 mm
Weight.....	3.5Kgs

For improvement purposes, specifications and design may be changed without notice.