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A2D-KNW

BLUETOOTH MUSIC STREAMING INSTALLATION GUIDE FOR SELECT KENWOOD AUX READY RADIOS

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PRODUCT SAFETY & DISCLAIMER

READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY BEFORE INSTALLING, FAILURE TO DO SO MAY CAUSE PERSONAL INJURY OR DAMAGE TO PRODUCT AND/OR PROPERTY

- This installation guide is provided as a GENERAL installation guide, some vehicles vary and may require additional steps. We do not accept responsibility for third party labor charges or modifications. Exercise due-diligence when installing this product.
- We do not accept any responsibility for vehicle damage or personal injury resulting from the installation of this product.
- Careless installation and operation can result in equipment damage.

Requirements:

KENWOOD AUX READY RADIO WITH 13 PIN CD CHANGER PORT

Introduction

They are thousands of Kenwood radios out there that do not support Bluetooth and the A2D-KNW add-on module is updates a great number of these radios to support a music streaming connection from Smartphone, Tablet, Kindle and more. Simply enable AUX option from within the radio menu, connect module to the radio 13-pin CD changer port, pair audio device and enjoy the best sound possible on the car speakers! Connecting the A2D-KNW requires disconnecting the CD changer and/or any other Kenwood accessory that may be present. The compatible Kenwood radio must have a menu option from which user can enable "AUX" option. If this menu option is missing, the A2D-KNW will not work.

Installation

1. Remove radio from the dash to gain access to connector
2. Disconnect any accessory presently connected to radio 13-pin DIN connector
3. Connect module 13-pin plug to radio CD changer port (See. **Fig. 1**)

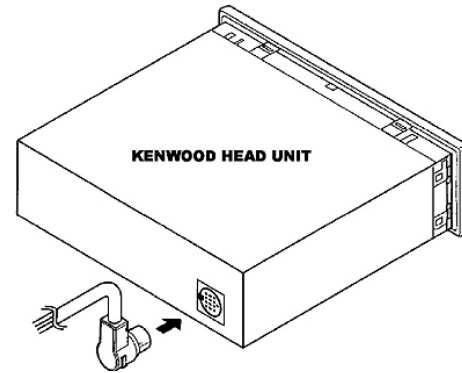


Fig. 1

13-pin CD changer port

4. Tap or splice adapter **RED** wire to accessory wire (usually **red**) on radio harness and proceed to next section.

Pairing

Pairing process varies among devices but the basic steps are the same. This process is done upon initial install and will not have to be repeated

1. Go to **Settings, Wireless & Networks, Bluetooth Settings**
2. Select **Bluetooth** and turn on.
3. Then select Bluetooth settings
4. Tap "**Scan**" for devices.
5. Wait for the Bluetooth device name to appear and select it. (See below)

Bluetooth



Now discoverable as "King Solomon's iPhone".

MY DEVICES

SKY International

Connected ⓘ

Operation

1. Turn radio "ON"
2. Press radio "SRC" (Source) button Until "DISC" -- "AUX" is displayed. On newer radios scroll through "MENU" until "Built-in Auxiliary Input Setting" is displayed and turn the feature "ON". **(Radios without AUX menu option are not compatible)**
3. Launch Smartphone or Tablet streaming application.
4. Use radio volume button to set the playback level. If distorted, lower the volume on phone or if inaudible, raise volume on phone.

Warning: Playlist, Track selection etc. are ***NOT*** possible from radio controls or display. Use audio device built-in controls and display (touch-screen) to access and control music files

5. If correct operation is confirmed go ahead and reinstall radio.

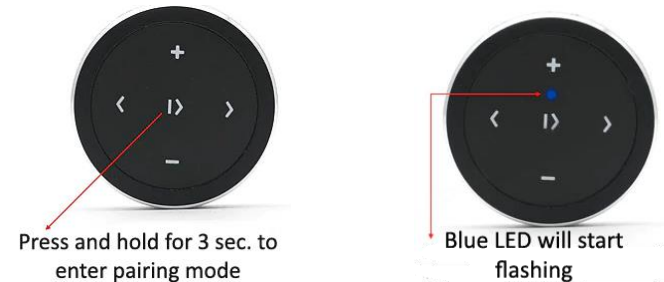
Optional remote

This optional smart remote control is not required for module to operation; however, instead of fumbling for smartphone to change tracks etc., use smart remote functions while keeping eyes on the road.

Smart remote operates following smartphone functions:

1. Control music wirelessly
2. Activate VR commands (Google play only)
3. Track up/down
4. Volume up/down
5. pause

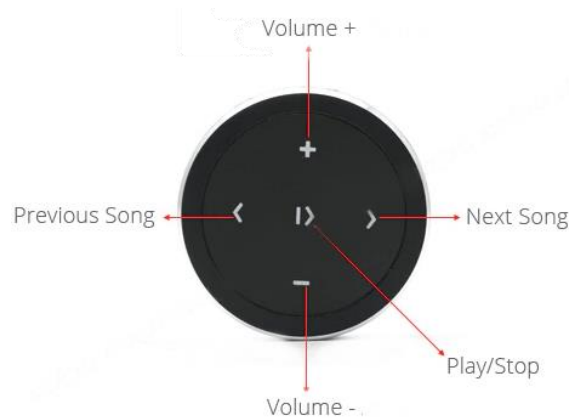
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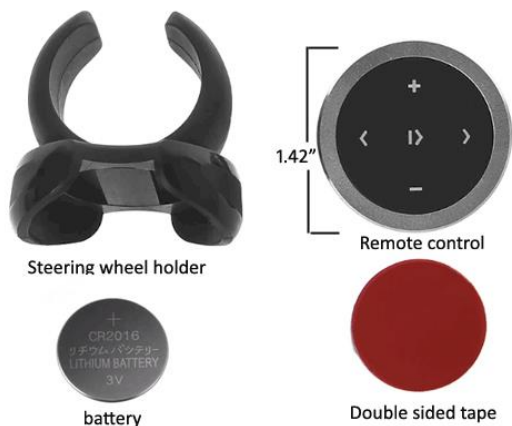
Select smart remote to pair

Operation:

Use smart remote to perform the following functions on any iOS7.0 and higher or Android 4.4 and higher.



Package Contents:



Frequent ask question & troubleshooting

- Does the A2D-KNW work on all Kenwood radios?**
NO; The A2D-KNW works on Kenwood radios that:
 - Support the following Kenwood Accessories: KCA-S210a or CA-C1AX
 - Includes "AUX" option within radio menu.
 - Has 13-pin CD changer port.
- My Kenwood radio has a 13-pin CD changer port, does this mean the A2D-KNW will work?**
NO; Radios with 13-pin CD changer port guarantees radio has CD changer capabilities, **but does not mean they are AUX capable.** The A2D-KNW works only if able to "turn-on" the AUX option from within radio menu, otherwise said radio will not recognize this module. Please consult radio menu or check [this list](#) of Kenwood AUX ready radios.
- Can I use the A2D-KNW for Bluetooth hands free calling?**
NO; the A2D-KNW dos not support Hands-Free calls. If phone rings during streaming, music is muted. Answer call using handset. Streaming resumes once call has ended.
- Can I use the Kenwood radio buttons to control audio device?**
NO; Kenwood radio buttons do not control the A2D-KNW or audio device. You must continue to use audio device built-in controls to browse music library. An optional smart remote is available for Smartphone (Android, Apple).

Disclaimer

- This product has no affiliation with Kenwood
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- Aux mode must be enabled
- We recommend professional installation.

For additional help email support@discountcarstereo.com

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