



PXDXFD5

Quick Start Installation Guide for Select 1997-07 FORD with 12-pin plug

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Introduction:

Many Ford owners looking for a simple way to connect and listen to portable audio devices on the car system will be delighted with the PXDXFD5. The PXDXFD5 auxiliary input adapter connects to the 12-pin CD Changer plug and replaces the External/Remote CD Changer** to provide a 3.5mm (1/8") input for playback of all kinds of audio devices including Smartphones, MP3 Players, iPod, Zune etc. The PXDXFD5 is compatible with all Ford, Lincoln, Mercury, Nissan and Jaguars pre-wired with a 12-pin plug as seen in Fig. 1 including vehicles with Navigation Systems.

Installation: (At 12-pin Plug location)

This adapter connects to the 12-pin plug in remote area of vehicle. (Does not connect to Radio) which means radio removal is not required.

1. Locate CD Changer 12-pin plug
2. If vehicle has a CD Changer, remove any panels or carpet surround and disconnect 12-pin plug (See Fig. 1) from CD Changer (See Fig.2)



Fig. 1
Ford 12-way plug



Fig. 2
Ford CD Changer

3. Connect factory 12-pin plug to 12-pin connector on installation harness (See Fig. 3).



Fig. 3
12-pin connector

4. Connect 22-pin Molex plug from installation harness (See Fig.4) to mating connector on Module (See Fig.5)



Fig. 4



Fig. 5

22-way Molex connector

5. On module, turn dip switches # 3 & # 8 to "ON" or down. All others should be "OFF" or Up (See **Fig. 6**)



Fig. 6

dip-switches

6. Connect included 8-pin DIN to RCA OR 8-pin DIN to 3.5mm cable (See Fig. 7) to the 8-pin DIN on Module. (See **Fig. 8**)



Fig. 7

Aux cable



Fig. 8

Module 8-pin DIN input

7. Route the 3.5mm plug from audio cable (See Fig. 7) to the front of the dash or location where audio device will reside (within 6 ft.) (user preference)

Test Operation:

1. Turn Radio "ON"
2. Press "CD" button on Radio to enter CD Changer Mode.
Note: If radio has built-in CD and a disc is loaded, the CD button must be pressed twice (once to activate internal CD, and again to activate external CD or aux input)
3. Connect audio cable to devices jack (headphone) and place device in playback mode
4. Use radio volume control to set playback level

Warning! This Auxiliary input adapters are for audio playback. Track selection is *NOT* possible from Ford radio. You must use audio devices built-in controls to access music files.

Frequent asked questions

1. **Is the PXDXFD5 compatible with in-dash CD player radio?**
YES; works with any 1997-07 CD Changer controlling Radio wired for the CD Changer or with CD Changer installed in remote location.
2. **My vehicle has a CD Changer, but it does not work. Will the PXDXFD5 function**
YES. CD Changer (if present) must be disconnected.
3. **My CD Changer is in the trunk but I would rather not have to run such a long cable back into the cabin. Is there another adapter that connects to the radio?**
Sorry, at present we don't offer an adapter that connects to the back of the Ford Radio except in 2004-LP with 16-pin connectors. ([FR004-AUX](#))
4. **Do you offer a wireless connection (e.g. Bluetooth) instead of wired?**
YES; purchase our [BLU-FRDW](#) music streaming adapter for 1997-07 Ford prewired with 12-pin CD Changer plug.

** External or remote CD Changer refers to optional CD Changer installed on the lower dash, center armrest, hatch, trunk etc. (external CD Changers are not built-into the radio)

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