# SONY ICD\_PX470 Digital Recorder

# Displays

# Parts and controls





- 1. Built-in microphone (L)
- 2. Built-in microphone (R)
- 3. Operation indicator
- 4. Display window
- 5. REC/PAUSE button
- 6. STOP button
- 7. Control button (DPC, SA-B repeat,
  - (backward), (forward)
- 8. ► PLAY ENTER button
- 9. ●BACK/ HOME button (Press and hold)
- 10. T-MARK (track mark) button
- 11. OPTION button
- 12. Speaker
- 13. Strap hole
- 14. USB connector compartment
- 15.  $\Omega$  (headphone) jack
- 16. (microphone) jack
- 17. VOL -/+ (volume) button
- 18. Slot cover
- 19. MicroSD memory card slot
- 20. HOLD · POWER ON/OFF switch
- 21. USB slide lever
- 22. Battery compartment

## Turning the power on



- Slide and hold the HOLD POWER switch in the direction of "POWER" for more than 1 second to turn it on.
- To Turn off, slide and hold the HOLD POWER switch in the direction of "POWER" until the "Power Off" is displayed.
- Slide the HOLD POWER switch in the direction of "HOLD" to disable the buttons while the power is on.
- It will automatically turn off after 10 min

## Date and Time

- You will be asked to set the date and time the first time you turn it on or when you change the batteries.
- You can change the clock setting and the beep sound setting at any time later by selecting
  " Settings" "Common Settings" from the HOME menu.



- 3. Press REC/PAUSE to pause recording
- 4. Press STOP to stop recording. The "Saving..." animation appears and the recorder stops.
- 5. By default, the recorded files are stored in "FOLDER01"
- 6. Recorded files are named as "recording date\_recording time" (e.g. 161010\_0706.mp3).

### <u>Erase a file</u>

- 1. Select the file you want to erase.
- 2. Press the OPTION button on the recorder.
- 3. Select "Delete a File" on the menu, and then press ►
- Press ▲ or ▼ to select "Yes", and then press ►

# Settings for Recording

- Select " Settings" "Recording Settings" to access the different settings
- Press ▲ or ▼ to move through items
- Press ► to select an item
- Press and hold BACK/HOME to return to the HOME menu
- Press STOP to exit

Recording Folder:	Change the file storage destination folder
Create Folder:	Create a new folder to store files
Scene Select:	Select a recording scene for an individual situation
REC Mode:	Select the quality of the recording, default is MP# 192 kbps
Built-In Mic Sensitivity:	Select the sensitivity level of the microphones. (High – Lectures, Low – voice notes)
Focused/Wide:	Focused – isolates sounds coming from direction microphone points to (Lectures). Wide – picks up sound from all directions in stereo (Meetings)
Ext. Input Setting:	Select the audio input type and the sensitivity level of the external microphone
Recording Filter:	Reduce noise during recording (NCF – cuts non-voice sounds, LCF – cuts low- frequency background noises like wind and fans)
VOR:	Voice Operated Recording makes the recorder pause when no sound is heard and resume recording when it detects sound again.
Auto Track Marks:	Adds track marks automatically at 5, 10, 15, or 30 minutes intervals

# Playback

- 1. Select " D Recorded Files" on the HOME menu, and then press ► .
- 2. Search and select a file.
- 3. Press ►. Playback starts.
- 4. Press VOL -/+ to adjust the playback volume.
- 5. Press STOP to pause playback. To resume playback from that point, press ►.

## **Options during playback**

### To go back to the beginning of the current file

#### Press **M** once.

When a track mark is set, the IC recorder goes backward to the track mark before the current point.

#### To go back to previous files or skip to the next file

Press H or H repeatedly.

#### To Fast Forward or Rewind

Press and hold down **H** or **H** 

### Playing back a specified section repeatedly (A-B repeat)

- 1. During playback, press the  $\checkmark$   $\backsim$  A-B to specify the starting point A.
- 2. Press ▼ SA-B again to specify the finishing point B.
- 3. To stop A-B repeat playback, press (stop). The A-B repeat setting remains.
- 4. Press the ▼ SA-B button to resume normal playback.

# Adding a track mark

You can add a track mark at a point at which you would like to locate during playback.

- Press the T-MARK button when you want to add a track mark.
  The (track mark) indicator and the track mark number flash, and a track mark is added.
- To locate a track mark and start playback at the track mark, press ➡ or ➡ in the stop mode. When the ♥(Track mark) indicator and the track mark number flash once, press ► to start playback

### Clear Voice - Reduce background noise during playback

The clear voice function reduces ambient noise, which makes the human voice clearer when you listen to the playback sound.

- 1. In the stop or playback mode, press the OPTION button and select "Clear Voice", then press ►
- 2. Press ▲ or ▼ to select "Clear Voice 1" or "Clear Voice 2," and then press ► .

### Change Playback Speed – DPC function

You can adjust the playback speed in a range from 0.25 times to 3.00 times.

- 1. In the stop or playback mode, press  $\blacktriangle$  DPC (Digital Pitch Control),
- 2. Press 🕶 or 🍽 to adjust the playback speed.
- 3. Press  $\blacktriangle$  or  $\checkmark$  to select ON, then Press  $\blacktriangleright$  to set the playback speed.

# Connecting to your computer

To exchange files between the recorder and your computer, connect the recorder to your computer.

- 1. Press and hold the USB slide lever on the back of the IC recorder, and then slide it in the direction of the arrow to push out the USB connector.
- 2. Insert the connector into the USB port on a computer that is up and running.
- 3. If a window does not automatically open, you can locate it:
  - For Windows: open "This PC," and look for "IC RECORDER" under devices
  - For Mac: make sure that an "IC RECORDER" drive is displayed on the Finder.
- 4. The "**REC\_FILE**" folder contains all of your recordings.
- 5. You can drag and drop the files or folders you want to copy to or from your computer.

# **Battery Life**

The recorder takes 2 AAA batteries. Rechargeable batteries last approximately 4 hours less.

Playback through built-in speakers Playback through headphones Recording MP3 192-48 kbps 18 hours 43-45 hours 55-62 hours

# **Recording file sizes**

The recorder holds 4 GB of files.

MP3 192 kbps MP3 128 kbps MP3 48 kbps 39 hours 45 minutes 59 hours 35 minutes 159 hours

# Help Guide

You can view the online documentation here: https://helpguide.sony.net/icd/p47/v1/en2/index.html