# KORG DP-80 Digital Piano

# **OWNER'S MANUAL**

Thank you for purchasing the new KORG DP-80 DIGITAL PIANO. We at KORG are sure that you will find the DP-80 to be a valuable instrument for rehearsal, recording, and live performance. A simple, functional Front Panel layout, Touch Sensitive 76 Note Keyboard with 16 Preset Voices, built-in Chorus and MIDI capabilities are just a few of the many features of the DP-80. With two "Built-in" Speakers, Stereo Line Outputs and Headphone jack you can use the DP-80 in any situation or setting - at home, in the studio or on stage. Intelligent design and sturdy construction make the KORG DP-80 the ideal instrument for You and Your Music!

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# FEATURES...

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# SAFETY NOTE...

#### ■ Location

Do not use or leave this unit for extended periods of time, where it is exposed to:

- direct sunlight
- extremes of temperature or humidity
- sand or dust

#### ■ Power Supply

- Use only with rated AC voltage. If you will be using this unit in a country having a different voltage, be sure to obtain the proper transformer to convert to rated voltage.
- To help prevent noise and poor sound quality, avoid using in the same outlet with other equipment, or branching off extensions shared by other equipment.

#### ■ Input/Output Jacks and Connection Cords

Be sure to use standard cables with phone plugs for input and output connections to the rear panel of the DP-80. Never insert any other kind of plug into these jacks.

#### ■ Handle Gently

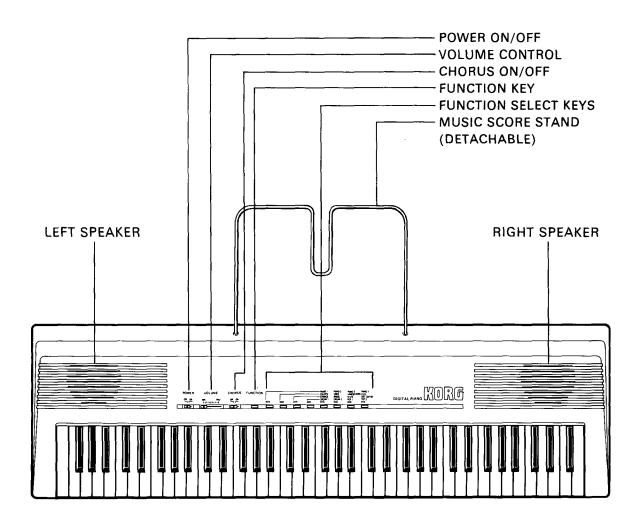
Knobs and switches are designed to provide positive operation with a gentle touch. Do not use force.

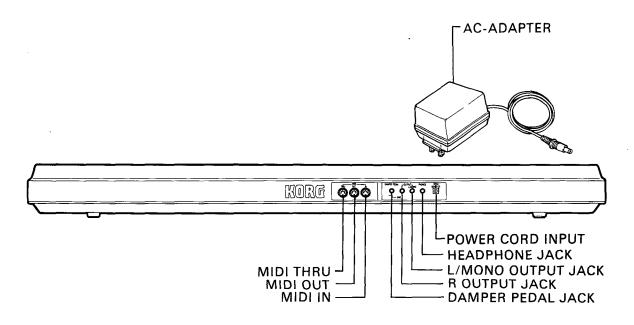
#### ■ Maintenance

Wipe the exterior with a soft, dry cloth. Never use paint thinner, benzene or other solvents.

#### ■ Keep This Manual

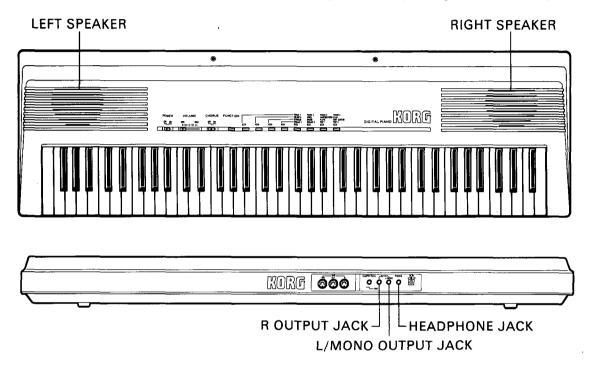
Store this manual in a safe place for future reference.





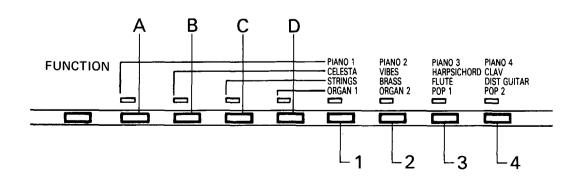
# BUILT-IN SPEAKERS, HEADPHONE AND LINE OUTPUTS...

The KORG DP-80 has been designed for rehearsal and performance - on stage, in the studio, or at home. The DP-80 features two built-in speakers, stereo line outputs and a headphone jack. (See diagram below). The use of headphones automatically disables the internal speakers. The L/MONO and RIGHT Outputs are used to send the DP-80 signal to one or two (or a stereo) amplification system(s). Use L/MONO when playing through only one amplification system. When using line out(s) to external amplification, the built-in speakers continue to function. To avoid the possibility of acoustic feedback (especially at high volume levels), place the amplifier(s) well away from the DP-80. (Feedback may be entirely avoided by inserting a "dummy" plug into the headphone jack.)



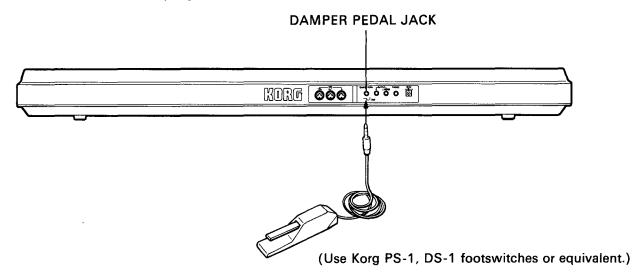
# **VOICE SELECTION...**

The KORG DP-80 features 16 preset voices, which are divided into 4 groups. They are quickly accessed by 8 buttons designated A-D and 1-4 (see diagram below). To select a preset sound (for example, Dist. Guitar), simply press the proper letter button and proper number button (in this case, "C" and "4"). The order in which the buttons are pressed makes no difference. LEDs corresponding to the selected voice will illuminate. When selecting new voices, any sustaining notes will stop sounding until the keyboard is played again.



# DAMPER FUNCTION...

The DP-80's Damper Function operates like an acoustic piano damper pedal. Stepping on the connected Damper footswitch sustains notes played on the keyboard, even after the keys are released. When the DP-80 is connected with an external MIDI instrument, the damper pedal information can be transmitted and received over MIDI. Both the DP-80 and the MIDI instrument damper pedals must be off to cancel the damping effect.



# **FUNCTION BUTTON.**

The Function Button is used to access the following functions:

- 1. TUNING MODE
- 2. KEY TRANSPOSE MODE
- 3. MUSIC BOX
- 4. ALL Or NOTE ON/OFF For MIDI INPUT DATA
- 5. LOCAL CONTROL MODE
- 6. MIDI OMNI MODE
- 7. MIDI INPUT CHANNEL SELECT
- 8. MIDI OUTPUT CHANNEL SELECT

The Function Mode can be entered only under the following conditions:

- 1. No key on keyboard is pressed
- 2. Damper Pedal is off (when accessing MIDI functions)
- 3. Damper Pedal on MIDI side is off
- 4. No NOTE ON messages are being sent via MIDI

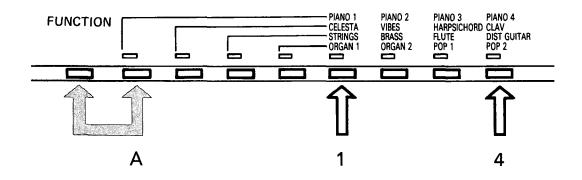
To enter the Function Mode, simply hold down the Function Button (LEDs will turn off if all above conditions are met) and, in turn, hold down one or more of buttons A-D (depending on the function that is desired).

NOTE:

To perform the above functions, Function Button and selected Letter or Number Button(s) must be <u>Held</u> Down.

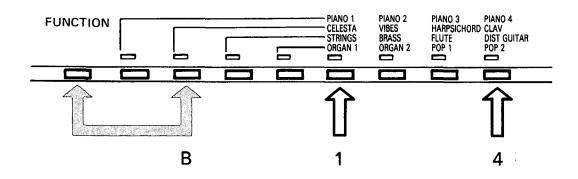
# TUNING.

To tune the DP-80 to another instrument, press the FUNCTION and key "A" buttons simultaneously (see diagram below). The "A" LED will light, and LEDs 2 & 3 will flicker (indicating A-440 tuning). A-440 will be heard from the speakers. Pressing "1" lowers the pitch in 1.5 cent steps, while pressing "4" raises the pitch. When tuning is changed from A-440, the "1" or "4" LED lights indicating flat or sharp tuning, respectively. Total tuning range is -50 cents to +50 cents. Pressing "1" (DOWN) when at -50 cents will cause the pitch to jump to +50 cents; similarly, pressing "4" (UP) at +50 cents will change the pitch to -50 cents. When this change occurs, the opposite LED (1 OR 4) will light.



# KEY TRANSPOSE.

To Transpose the DP-80 to another key, press the FUNCTION and "B" buttons together. LED "B" will light, and LEDs 2 and 3 will flash, indicating no transpose. A-440 will be heard from the speakers. Pressing "4" once will raise the pitch one half step. The "4" LED will light, indicating transposition upwards. Similarly, tapping "1" lowers the pitch in semitone steps, and the "1" LED indicates transposition downwards. You can transpose the DP-80 up a fourth (to D) and down a fifth (to D). Transposing beyond these limits causes the DP-80 to "wrap around" to the opposite pitch, and causes the opposite LED to light. For example, tapping "4" continuously, raises the pitch to "D" above A-440 in semitone steps, at which point the pitch will drop an octave to D below A-440 and the "1" LED will illuminate. The "4" Button will then continue to raise the pitch again through A-440 up to D in semitone steps, and so forth. Whenever A-440 is reached, the 2 and 3 LEDs will flash. All transpositions are relative to A-440. By raising, for example, A 440 to D, the DP-80 keyboard will be up a fouth in pitch, or in the key of F. (A up to D = C up to F and so on. See table below).



The table below displays the Actual Key obtained when transposing pitches in the Key Transpose Mode. As previously stated, the pitch changes by one halfstep each time Key 1 (DOWN) or Key 4 (UP) is tapped. The new pitch obtained however, is not the New Concert Key. The following table locates the New Concert Key (or the new pitch of the "C" keys on the DP-80 keyboard). Notice (for example) that when A440 is raised one halfstep, to A#, the New Concert Key becomes C#. When A 440 is lowered to E, the New Concert Key becomes G, and so on. In musical terms, the new pitch obtained is the 6th step (or root tone of the relative minor key) of the New Concert Key.

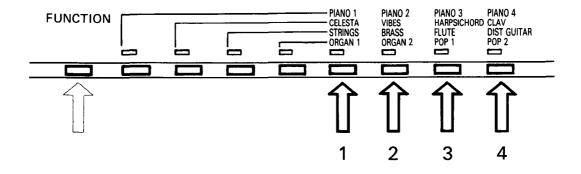
| - | Pit                                    | ch do | own (                  | Key 1                  | )        |                        |      | Pitch                   | up ( | Key 4                   | )                       | - |
|---|--|-------|------------------------|------------------------|----------|------------------------|------|-------------------------|------|-------------------------|-------------------------|---|
|   | Pitches obtained in Key Transpose Mode |       |                        |                        |          |                        |      |                         |      |                         |                         |   |
| D | E <sup>b</sup> (D#)                    | Е     | F                      | G <sup>b</sup><br>(F#) | G        | Α <sup>b</sup><br>(G#) | A440 | Α#<br>(B <sup>b</sup> ) | В    | С                       | C#<br>(D <sup>b</sup> ) | D |
| F | G <sup>b</sup><br>(F#)                 | G     | A <sup>b</sup><br>(G#) | A                      | B b (A#) | В                      | C    | С#<br>(D <sup>b</sup> ) | D    | D#<br>(Ε <sup>b</sup> ) | E                       | F |
|   | C Key(s) Pitch (Concert Key)           |       |                        |                        |          |                        |      |                         |      |                         |                         |   |

# **MUSIC BOX...**

The DP-80 contains four preprogrammed pieces which are accessed by holding down the Function key and the corresponding numbered key (1-4). The pieces are:

| 1. FUGUE     | FUNCTION + KEY #1 |
|--------------|-------------------|
| 2. PROMENADE | FUNCTION + KEY #2 |
| 3. SPRING    | FUNCTION + KEY #3 |
| 4. FÜR ELISE | FUNCTION + KEY #4 |

Any one of the 16 DP-80 voices may be selected for the Music Box pieces either before or during play. To stop the Music Box, hold keys 1, 2, 3 and 4 down simultaneously.

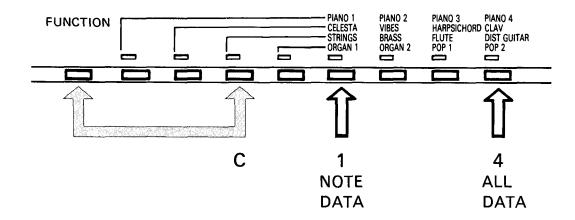


THIS MANUAL ASSUMES THAT YOU UNDERSTAND MIDI FUNCTIONS. IF MORE INFORMATION CONCERNING MIDI IS NEEDED, PLEASE CONSULT AN APPROPRIATE SOURCE.

| NOTE:   |  |
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| Make sure proper MIDI connéctions for the following functions are made on rear panel. |  |

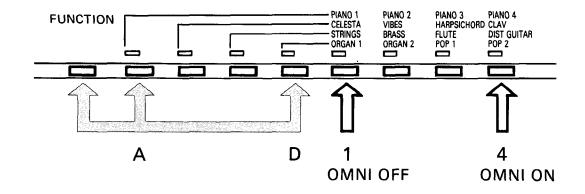
#### "ALL" Data or "NOTE ON/OFF" Data For MIDI INPUT

This function selects whether the DP-80 will receive all MIDI data or just Note On/Off and Damper pedal data. To access, press FUNCTION and "C" buttons together. The "C" LED will light, along with either the "4" LED (indicating ALL DATA mode, the default mode )or the "1" LED (indicating NOTE ON/OFF DATA mode). Press "1" or "4" to change to the desired mode.



#### MIDI OMNI MODE

This function determines whether the DP-80 will receive MIDI data on all MIDI channels ("OMNI ON"), or from only the MIDI channel designated by the MIDI RECEIVE CHANNEL setting ("OMNI OFF"). To access, press FUNCTION "A" and "D" buttons together. The "A" LED will light, along with either "1" (for OMNI OFF) or "4" (for OMNI ON, the default setting). To change modes, press the "1" or "4" button as desired.

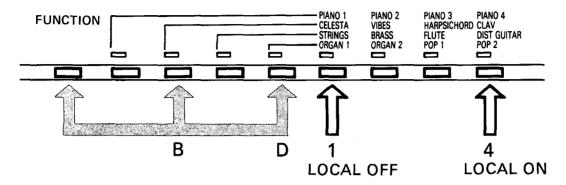


NOTE: \_

Each MIDI channel (1-16) can handle musical data. When OMNI mode is On, all 16 channels receive data. When OMNI mode is Off reception channel must be specified.

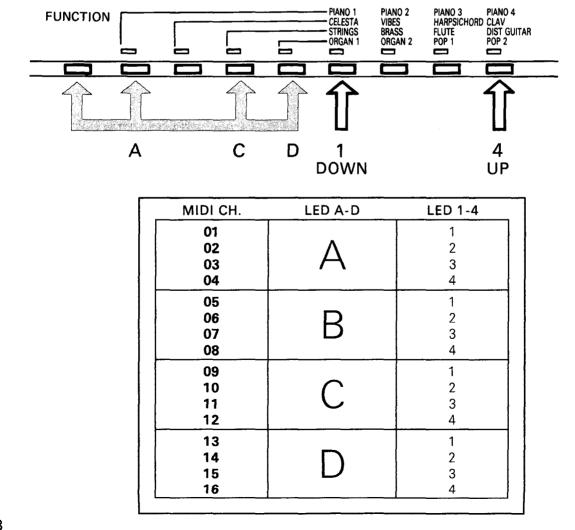
#### LOCAL CONTROL ON/OFF

This function disconnects the DP-80 keyboard from the DP-80's internal sound generators, so that keyboard data can be output to another MIDI unit without producing sound from the DP-80 itself. (Signals coming into the DP-80's MIDI IN jack will produce sounds, however.) To access this function, press the FUNCTION "B" and "D" buttons together. The "B" LED will light, as well as either the "1" LED (for LOCAL OFF) or the "4" LED (for LOCAL ON, the default setting). To change modes, press the "1" or "4" button as desired.



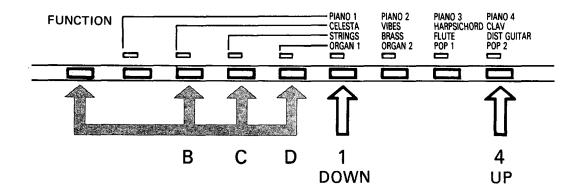
#### MIDI RECEIVE CHANNEL

This function determines what MIDI channel the DP-80 will respond to when data is received via the MIDI IN jack. Channels 1 through 16 can be specified. (Note that the DP-80 will respond to ALL channels, regardless of the RECEIVE CHANNEL setting when in the OMNI ON Mode; see previous page.) To access, press the FUNCTION "A", "C" and "D" buttons simultaneously. The current Receive Channel is displayed via the 8 LED indicators according to the table below. Press "1" (Down) and/or "4" (Up) to change MIDI Channel. Pressing "2" or "3" selects channel 1 directly.



#### MIDI TRANSMIT CHANNEL

This function determines what MIDI channel the DP-80 will transmit data on via the MIDI OUT jack. The transmit channel should normally match the channel of the receiving unit(s) you desire to play with the DP-80's keyboard. (NOTE: by connecting several units all on different channels to the DP-80, you can select which unit to play by changing Transmit Channel setting.) To access, press the FUNCTION "B", "C" and "D" buttons simultaneously. The current Transmit Channel is displayed via the 8 LED indicators according to the table on the previous page. Press "1" (Down) and/or "4" (Up) to change MIDI Channel. Depressing "2" or "3" selects channel 1 directly.



NOTE:

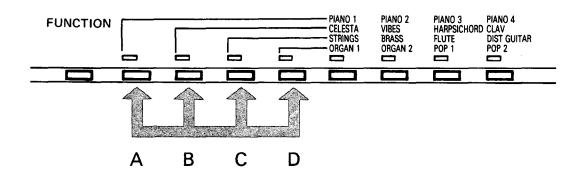
When DP-80 is controlling another MIDI instrument, MIDI channel (1-16) must be specified.

#### MIDI RESET

To access, hold down switches A, B, C and D <u>simultaneously</u>. MIDI RESET will carry out the following operations:

- 1. Turns NOTE to Off for all MIDI instruments
- 2. Turns LOCAL to ON
- 3. Disengages Running "Status"
- 4. Sets Master Volume to 7FH
- 5. Turns Damper to OFF for MIDI side
- 6. Resets Active Sensing

NOTE: \_\_\_\_\_\_
The MIDI Reset Key operations are not carried out using FUNCTION MODE.



#### MIDI IMPLEMENTATION

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When mode is OMNI ON, data from all channels will be received. When mode is OMNI OFF, only data from the channel designated by the MIDI RECEIVE CHANNEL function will be received.

MODE MESSAGES, however, must be sent on the channel designated by the MIDI RECEIVE CHANNEL, even in OMNI ON mode.

When NOTE ON/OFF mode is selected, MIDI data other than Note On, Note Off, Damper On and Damper Off will not be transmitted or received.

- \*1. NOTE NUMBER (Okkk kkkk) = 21-108. If data above range is received, the data is ignored.
- \*2. If program number is greater than 15, the number will be decreased by 16 and the remainder will be the program number.

#### NOTE 2:

nnnn = MIDI CHANNEL NUMBER (0000-1111)

#### 1. TRANSMITTED DATA

#### **CHANNEL MESSAGES**

| Status    | Second    | Third     | Description                |
|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------------------------|
| 1000 nnnn | Okkk kkkk | 0100 0000 | Note OFF                   |
| 1001 nnnn | Okkk kkkk | 0vvv vvvv | Note ON vvv vvvv = 1-127   |
| 1011 nnnn | 0100 0000 | 0000 0000 | DAMPER OFF                 |
| 1011 nnnn | 0100 0000 | 0111 1111 | DAMPER ON                  |
| 1100 nnnn | 0000 pppp |           | PROGRAM CHANGE pppp = 0-15 |

NOTE:

nnnn = MIDI CHANNEL NUMBER (0000-1111)

\*1. NOTE NUMBER Okkk kkkk = 21-108

### 2. RECOGNIZED RECEIVE DATA

#### **CHANNEL MESSAGES**

| Status    | Second    | Third     | Description                           |
|-----------|-----------|-----------|---------------------------------------|
| 1000 nnnn | Okkk kkkk | Oxxx xxxx | NOTE OFF *1 velocity will be ignored. |
| 1001 nnnn | Okkk kkkk | 0vvv vvvv | NOTE ON *1<br>vvv vvvv = 1-127        |
| 1001 nnnn | Okkk kkkk | 0000 0000 | NOTE OFF *1                           |
| 1011 nnnn | 0000 0111 | 0vvv vvvv | VOLUME<br>vvv vvvv = 0-127            |
| 1011 nnnn | 0100 0000 | 0vvv vvvv | DAMPER OFF<br>vvv vvvv = 0-63         |
| 1011 nnnn | 0100 0000 | Ovvv vvvv | DAMPER ON<br>vvv vvvv = 64-127        |
| 1011 nnnn | 0111 1010 | 0000 0000 | LOCAL CONTROL OFF                     |
| 1011 nnnn | 0111 1010 | 0111 1111 | LOCAL CONTROL ON                      |
| 1011 nnnn | 0111 1011 | 0000 0000 | ALL NOTE OFF                          |
| 1011 nnnn | 0111 1100 | 0000 0000 | OMNI OFF                              |
| 1011 nnnn | 0111 1101 | 0000 0000 | OMNI ON                               |
| 1011 nnnn | 0111 1110 | Ommm mmmm | (ALL NOTE OFF)<br>mmm mmmm = 0-16     |
| 1011 nnnn | 0111 1111 | 0000 0000 | (ALL NOTE OFF)                        |
| 1100 nnnn | Оррр рррр |           | PROGRAM CHANGE                        |

| NOTE:                                  |  |
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| nnnn = MIDI CHANNEL NUMBER (0000-1111) |  |

<sup>\*1.</sup> NOTE NUMBER Okkk kkkk = 21-108

# • MIDI IMPLEMENTATION CHART

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| Function       |                                   | Transmitted    | Recognized                   | Remarks           |  |
|----------------|-----------------------------------|----------------|------------------------------|-------------------|--|
| Basic          | Default                           | 1ch            | 1ch                          |                   |  |
| Channel        | Changed                           | 1-16ch         | 1-16ch                       | <br>              |  |
|                | Default                           | 1              | Mode 1                       |                   |  |
| Mode           | Message                           | 1              | OMNI ON.OFF                  |                   |  |
|                | Altered                           | ********       |                              |                   |  |
| Note           |                                   | 21-108         | 21 - 108                     |                   |  |
| Number         | :True voice                       | *********      | A0~C8                        |                   |  |
|                | Note ON                           | O 9n.K.V=1-127 | O 9n.K.V=0~127               | 9n.K,V=O NOTE OFF |  |
| Velocity       | Note OFF                          | × 8n,K,V=64    | $\times$ 8n,K,V=0 $\sim$ 127 | K=21 — 108        |  |
|                | Key's                             | : ×            | ×                            |                   |  |
| After Touch    | Ch's                              | ×              | ×                            |                   |  |
| Pitch Bender   |                                   | ! X            | ×                            |                   |  |
|                |                                   |                |                              |                   |  |
|                | 64                                | ○ 0=0FF        | ○ 0-63=0FF                   | Damper            |  |
|                |                                   | 127=0N         | 64 — 127=0N                  |                   |  |
| Control        |                                   | !<br>!<br>!    | <br>                         |                   |  |
| Change         | 7                                 | ×              | 0                            | Volume            |  |
|                |                                   | i<br>!         |                              |                   |  |
|                |                                   | 1              | !<br>                        | <br>              |  |
|                |                                   | <br>           | i<br>i<br>i                  |                   |  |
| Program        | :True #                           | O 0-15         | ○ 0xxxpppp                   | xxx: ignored      |  |
| Change         | 1100                              | ********       |                              | pppp=0-15         |  |
| System Exclusi | ve                                | ×              |                              |                   |  |
|                |                                   | ×              | ×                            |                   |  |
| System Common  | : Song Position                   | . ^<br>! ×     | ×                            |                   |  |
| System Common  | : Tune                            | ×              | ×                            |                   |  |
|                | : Clock                           | ×              | ×                            |                   |  |
| System Real Ti | me                                | i              | ,                            |                   |  |
|                | : Commands                        | X<br>          |                              |                   |  |
|                | : Local ON/OFF<br>: All Notes OFF | ×              | 0                            | 123 – 127         |  |
| Aux Message    | : Active Sense                    | ! ×            | 0                            | 140   141<br>     |  |
|                | : Reset                           | ×              | ×                            |                   |  |

Mode 1 : OMNI ON. POLY Mode 3 : OMNI OFF, POLY

Mode 2 : OMNI ON, MONO

Q: Yes

# SPECIFICATIONS...

**KEYBOARD** : 76keys (E0 ~ G6 WITH TOUCH SENSE) NOTE

OUTPUT : POLYPHONIC : 8 Note

PRESET VOICES : 16

> A-1 PIANO 1 B-1 **CELESTA** C-1 STRINGS D-1 ORGAN 1 A-2 PIANO 2 B-2 VIBES C-2 BRASS D-2 ORGAN 2 A-3 PIANO 3 **B-3** HARPSICHORD C-3 FLUTE D-3 POP 1 A-4 PIANO 4 B-4 CLAV C-4 DIST GUITAR D-4 POP 2

**EFFECT** : STEREO CHORUS

FRONT PANEL : POWER SW. (ON/OFF) (SLIDE SW)

: VOLUME (MIN ~ MAX) (SLIDE VR) : CHORUS SW (ON/OFF) (SLIDE SW) : DISPLAY LED 8 (LED) : PUSH SW x 9 (TACT SW)

FUNCTION A.B.C.D.1.2.3.4

: 12cm 5W 4 $\Omega$  SPEAKER x 2 (MAIN AMP. 5W x 2)

**BACK PANEL** : LINE OUT L/MONO R (Regulation Normal jacks ø6.3)

> (NOISE LEVEL less than -65dBm) : PHONES: (Regulation STEREO Jacks ø6.3)

: DAMPER PEDAL JACK (Regulation Normal Jacks ø6.3)

: MIDI terminals : IN. OUT. THRU : DC INPUT JACK : 9V 1A

FUNCTION CONTROLS: TUNING 1.5 cent Step ± 50cents

: KEY TRANSPOSE −7 ~ +5 (Chromatic Interval)

: MIDI

MIDI INPUT DATA (ALL/NOTE) MIDI LOCAL (ON/OFF) MIDI OMNI (ON/OFF) MIDI INPUT CHANNEL  $(1 \sim 16)$ MIDI OUTPUT CHANNEL (1  $\sim$  16)

: MUSIC BOX PATTERNS

1. FUGUE 2. PROMENADE 3. SPRING

4. FÜR ELISE

POWER REQUIREMENTS : DC9: Type AC-ADAPTER

POWER CONSUMPTION : 11W

: 1160 (W) x 100 (H) x 343 (D) mm (45 1/4" x 3 7/8" x 13 3/8") DIMENSIONS (W x H x D)

WEIGHT : 8.9 kg, (19.6 lbs.) STANDARD ACCESSORIES : MUSIC SCORESTAND

**AC-ADAPTER** 

**OPTIONAL ACCESSORIES** : KORG PS-1 or DS-1 FOOTSWITCH

(Specifications subject to change without notice)

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