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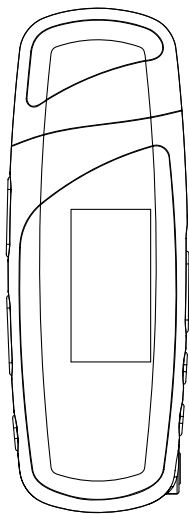
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It is important to read this instruction book prior to using your new product for the first time.

Nous vous recommandons de lire ce manuel d'instructions avant d'utiliser votre nouveau produit pour la première fois.

Es importante leer este manual antes de usar por vez primera su equipo.

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FCC Information

FCC Information

This device complies with part 15 of the FCC rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) This device may not cause harmful interference, and (2) This device must accept any interference received including interference which may cause undesired operation.

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For Your Records

Keep your sales receipt for proof of purchase to obtain warranty parts and service.

In the event that service should be required, you may need both the model number and the serial number. In the space below, record the date and place of purchase, and the serial number:

Model No.
Date of Purchase
Place of Purchase
Serial No.

Manufacturer/Responsible Party

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Important Information

Product Registration

Please fill out the product registration card and return it immediately. Returning this card allows us to contact you if needed. You can go to www.rcaaudiovideo.com for online registration as well.

Service Information

This product should be serviced only by those specially trained in appropriate servicing techniques. For instructions on how to obtain service, refer to the warranty included in this Guide.

Have a Blast- Just Not in Your Eardrums

Make sure you turn down the volume on the unit before you put on headphones. Increase the volume to the desired level only after headphones are in place.



Technical Specification

Product: Digital Audio Player

Brand: RCA

Model: TH1100, TH1101, TH1102, TC1101, TC1102

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Electrical Consumption

1 x AAA battery

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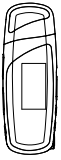
Thank you for purchasing the Player. This product will play open mp3 and Windows Media audio (WMA) content as well as content purchased from most online music download services.

After purchasing and downloading music to your PC, you are now ready to move content to your player. To transfer the music, you must use Windows Media Player or the application recommended by the online music download service.

(Note: Services and applications must be Windows Media audio-compliant and support Digital Rights Management.)

Unpacking Your Player

Your player came with everything you need to make music portable — all of the items shown below should have been packed in the box with your player.



RCA Player



Music Management Software CD



USB extension cable: Plug one end into the USB jack on your player, and plug the other end into your computer's USB port.



Earphones



AAA battery x 1

Computer System Requirements

- Pentium III 500MHz or higher recommended
- Windows 2000 (Service Pack 3) or Windows XP (Service Pack 1 or higher)
- Internet Explorer 4.0 or higher with Internet access
- 150MB or more free hard disk space for the software
- 128MB RAM (256MB recommended)
- CD drive capable of digital audio extraction
- USB port (2.0 recommended)
- Installed sound card
- Installed 16-bit color video card

Secure Music Download Requirements

- Windows XP (Service Pack 1 or higher)
- Internet Explorer 6.0 or higher with Internet access
- Windows Media Player 10 or higher
- Yahoo! Music Jukebox (Included in the CD)

Warning

Use of this player is for your personal use only. Unauthorized recording or duplication of copyrighted material may infringe upon the rights of third parties and may be contrary to copyright laws.

Caution

- Keep player out of direct sunlight. Exposure to direct sunlight or extreme heat (such as inside a parked car) may cause damage or malfunction.
- Do not expose to rain or moisture.

Before You Begin

Headset safety



Have a Blast- Just Not in Your Eardrums

Make sure you turn down the volume on the unit before you put on headphones. Increase the volume to the desired level only after headphones are in place.

- Do not play your headset at a high volume. Hearing experts warn against extended high-volume play.
- If you experience a ringing in your ears, reduce volume or discontinue use.
- You should use extreme caution or temporarily discontinue use in potentially hazardous situations.

Even if your headset is an open-air type designed to let you hear outside sounds, don't turn up the volume so high that you are unable to hear what is around you.

Caution While Driving

Use of headphones while operating an automobile or moving vehicle is not recommended and is unlawful in some states and areas. Be careful and attentive on the road. Stop operation of the player if you find it disruptive or distracting while driving.

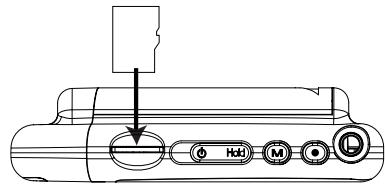
Back up your data

As with any portable player, you must back up the drive regularly. RCA and Thomson are not responsible for lost data.

Inserting a micro SD card (Tansflash card)

The player has built-in flash memory. To extend the playtime, you can use the optional micro SD or Tansflash card slot.

1. Make sure the player is turned off. Insert a micro SD card into the micro SD card slot on the top of the player until a "click" sound is heard as illustrated below.
2. To remove the card, turn the player off and press the top to the micro SD card until a "click" sound is heard.



Software Setup

The Music Management CD that comes with your player contains all of the necessary software components you need to make your player work properly.

These components enable you to transfer files from your computer to your player.

Inserting the Included CD into CD Drive

1. Turn on your computer and place the Music Management CD that came with your player into your computer.

IMPORTANT: Don't connect the USB cable to the PC or the player before or during the CD installation.

2. If the setup screen does not appear, double-click My Computer, double click your CD drive icon, and double click Install to run the installer. Refer to page 10 "Transferring Files to the Player" for details of transferring files.



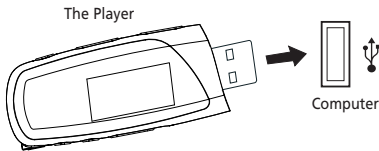
Note:

- The Music Management CD also contains Yahoo! Music Jukebox that can help transfer music content to your player. Please refer to the section on your installed software for detailed operations.
- Refer to "Transferring Files to the Player" on page 10 for details.

Connecting to the Computer

Connecting the Player to the Computer

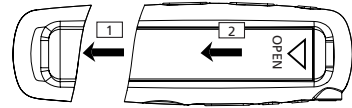
Connect the USB jack of the player to your computer after you remove the cap of the USB jack. You may use the provided extension cable if necessary. The player will turn on automatically and display "USB connected" on the display. The player will appear as a drive letter on your computer, a Mass Storage Class (MSC) device, and behave as a detachable drive for file transfer in one or both directions.



Note:

- It might take several seconds for the player to be detected. Click Refresh in My Computer or Windows Explorer to make sure the player has been detected.
- The player is capable of transferring files at USB 2.0. If USB 2.0 port is available on your computer, use it to connect to your player. The player is still backward compatible with the older USB 1.1 ports. However, you will not be able to take full advantage of the potential speed increase.

Inserting Battery into the Player



1. Remove the cap of the USB jack of the player.
2. Remove the battery door by applying thumb pressure. Slide the battery door in the direction of the arrow, then lift the battery door out and off the cabinet.
3. Insert a "AAA/LR03/UM4" battery with polarities corresponding to the indications on the compartment.
4. Close the battery door by sliding in the opposite direction of the arrow. Replace the cap of the USB jack.

Important Battery Information

- When storing the unit, be sure to remove the battery because they may leak and damage the unit.
- Battery may leak electrolyte if inserted incorrectly, if disposed of in fire, or if an attempt is made to charge a battery not intended to be recharged.
- Discard leaking battery immediately.
- A Leaking battery may cause skin burns or other personal injury.
- Dispose of battery, according to federal, state and local regulations.
- Dispose of used battery properly. Keep away from children. Do not disassemble and do not dispose of in fire.

Transferring Files to the Player

Transferring Files to the Player

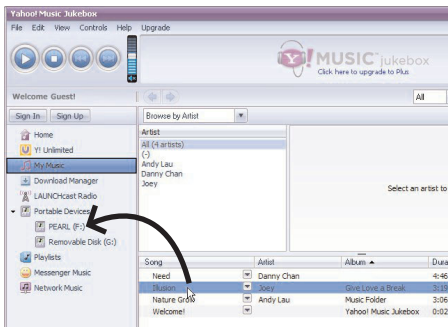
You may select one of the following methods to transfer music content to your player: 1) Yahoo! Music Jukebox, 2) drag-and-drop via Windows Explorer. For method 1, you first need to have successfully installed the software packages included in the Music Management CD.



Caution: Secure music download files must be transferred to your player through the Yahoo! Music Jukebox or the application recommended by your online music download service (Note: Services and applications must be Windows Media audio-compliant and support Digital Rights Management.) (Apple iTunes™ music content is not supported).

Transferring Files via Yahoo! Music Jukebox (Windows XP or higher only)

Yahoo! Music Jukebox lets you manage your music easily and organize like a pro. Create your own playlists: music for work, the gym, or even dinner. You can also buy download music and transfer to your player in seconds. Just drag-and-drop and you're done. For more information on the installation and operations, please visit: <http://music.yahoo.com>



1. Launch the *Yahoo! Music Jukebox*.
2. Attach the player to your computer. The player's name should appear after a few seconds in the left navigation pane.
3. In the Yahoo! Music Jukebox, click *My Music* or click on a playlist on the left navigation pane.
4. Simply drag the playlist you want to the name of your player in the left navigation pane (you can also drag tracks, artists and albums directly from My Music).
5. The Yahoo! Music Jukebox will check to see if there is sufficient storage space on the player to copy the audio files. If not, you will have to reduce the number of audio files you are transferring.



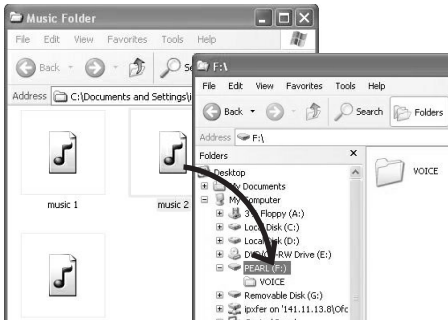
Note:

- Do not disconnect the USB cable during music download. Doing so may corrupt system files or the files being downloaded.
- Yahoo! Music Jukebox is supported in Windows XP or higher. Windows XP requires Service Pack 1 or higher. Yahoo! Music Jukebox requires Internet Explorer 6 or above for installation.
- Required updates to Yahoo! Music Jukebox may be available from Yahoo! after installation. Please refer to the Yahoo! Music Jukebox Help for more information about these updates.

Transferring Files to the Player

Transferring Files via Windows Explorer (Drag and Drop)

From Windows Explorer, highlight all the audio files/folders you want to transfer to the player and drag them to the drive letter that is associated with it.




Note:

- Windows XP requires Service Pack 1 or higher.
- Do not disconnect the USB connection during file download. Doing so may corrupt system files or the files being downloaded.

Caution: Secure music download files must be transferred to your player through one of the provided Jukebox software packages or any applications recommended by the online music download service. Please visit the online music download service's website where you purchased your content from for more details on transferring secure music to your player.

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Disconnecting Your Player from the Computer

For Windows 2000 or XP, from the System Tray, double click the left mouse button on the icon  and select "Unplug or Eject hardware" for Windows 2000 or "Safely Remove Hardware" for Windows XP. Select the drive corresponding to your player and click STOP.



The "Stop a Hardware player" screen will appear. Select the player to be stopped again for confirmation and click OK and disconnect your player from the computer.



General Controls

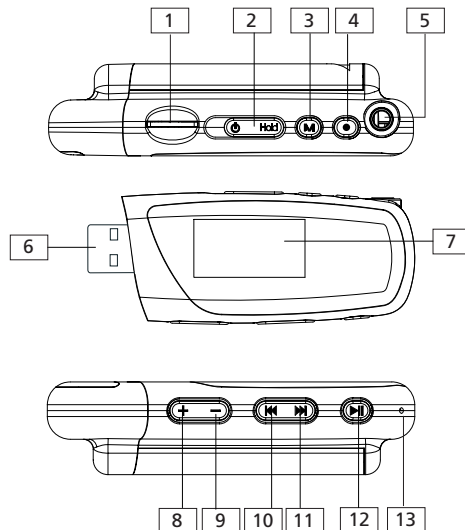
Before You Begin

The following examples illustrate what you should do before operating your player.

1. These instructions presume you've already done the followings:
 - Installed all necessary applications.
 - Transferred music from your computer to the player.
2. Unplugged the player from your computer.
3. Connect the headphones to your player.
4. Ensure the key lock is not activated by sliding "Power on/off (🔒)/Hold" towards the center position.
5. If your player isn't already on, turn it on by sliding "Power on/off (🔒)/Hold" to the left and holding until the player turns on.

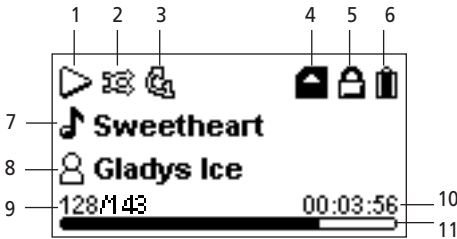
Overview

1. Micro SD card slot
2. "Power on/off (🔒)/Hold" - Slide to the left and hold until the player turns on/off. Slide to the right to prevent accidental key activation. Slide towards the center position to unlock. Slide to the left briefly to stop playback.
3. **M** - Press once to access the player's menu. Press twice to access the Home menu. Press three times to go back to the playback screen.
4. **●** - Starts and stops recording in Voice Recording mode.
5. Earphones jack - Insert the earphones.
6. USB jack - Connects to the computer.
7. The display
8. **+** - Scrolls up, increases volume.
9. **-** - Scrolls down, decreases volume.
10. **⏮** - Skips backward, goes back
11. **⏭** - Skips forward, advances
12. **⏸** - Press once to pause playback or recording. Press again to resume. Selects among different options. Press and hold to add current music file to My Selection.
13. Microphone



General Controls

Playback Display

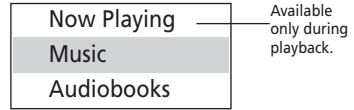


1. Indicates whether the player is playing or paused.
2. Indicates if shuffle mode is on/off.
3. Indicates if repeat mode is in repeat 1, repeat all, or off.
4. Indicates if micro SD card is detected.
5. Indicates that the key lock function is activated.
6. Indicates the battery level of the player.
7. Name of audio file.
8. Artist name.
9. Current file or section number/total number of files or sections.
10. Elapsed playback time.
11. Playback progress bar.

Selecting What You Want to Play

The following illustrates the steps to select and play audio files.

1. Press **M** twice to enter Home menu. To play music files, highlight "Music" (or "Audiobooks" to play audible files) by pressing **+** or **-**. Then press **▶▶** to advance.



2. Highlight the desired audio file by pressing **+** or **-**.
 - To play the audio file, press **▶▶** or **▶▶▶**. If the selected file is a music file, the song's information will show on the display during playback.
 - To pause playback, press **▶▶**.

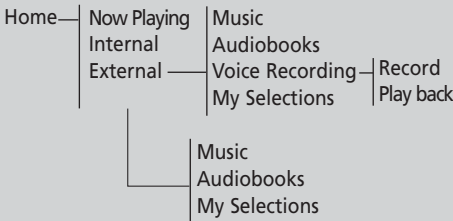


Note: The information provided in the playback screen depends upon the ID3 tag information that was recorded when created by the Music Management Software or Data base the song came from.

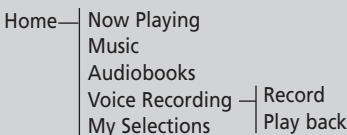
Navigation Menus

The files are sorted according to their file types. Once you press **M** twice after the player is turned on, you will see the file menus as listed below:

When micro SD card is detected:



When no micro SD card is detected:



Listening and Recording

Music Playback

- ⏮** Skips to the previous file*, press and hold to scan backwards within a file.
- ⏭** Skips to the next file, press and hold to scan forward within a file.
- ⏸** Starts/ pauses playback.
- +** or **-** Increases or decreases the volume

* Press **⏮** within the beginning 4 seconds of the current music file to skip to previous file. Otherwise, you will return to the beginning of the current file.

Audiobook Playback

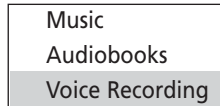
- ⏮** Skips to the previous file when skip-by-file is selected*, skips to the previous section when skip-by-section is selected**, press and hold to scan backwards within a file.
- ⏭** Skips to the next file when skip-by-file is selected*, skips to the next section when skip-by-section is selected**, press and hold to scan forward within a file.
- ⏸** Starts/ pauses playback.
- +** or **-** Increases or decreases the volume

* Refer to page 16 for details of skipping by file or by section.

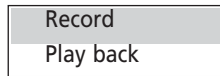
** When skip-by-section is selected, press **⏮** within the beginning 4 seconds of the current audible file to skip to previous audible section. Otherwise, will return to the the beginning of current section playing.

Voice Recording

1. To start voice recording, press **M** twice to access the Home menu.
2. Press **+** or **-** to highlight "Voice Recording". Then press **▶▶** to advance.



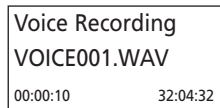
3. Press **+** or **-** to highlight "Record". Then press **▶▶** to access voice recording mode.



4. Press **●** when the display shows "Ready" to start voice recording.



5. Press **▶||** to pause record. Press **▶||** again to resume recording.



6. Press **●** to stop recording.

Listening and Recording

Playback Recorded Files

1. Follow steps 1-2 above to enter the Voice Recording sub-menu.
2. Press **+** or **-** to highlight "Play back" and press **▶▶** to advance.
3. Press **+** or **-** to highlight the recorded file and **▶▶** to start playback.

Deleting Recorded Files

1. Highlight the unwanted voice recording, press **▶▶** to start the playback.
 - Refer to Playback Recorded Files for details in highlighting a recorded file.
2. Press **M** and then **+** or **-** to highlight "Delete File" and press **▶▶** to confirm the deletion.

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My Selections

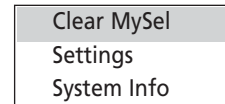
Adding Files to My Selections

You can add your favorite songs to My Selections by pressing and holding **▶▶** during music playback. The music (mp3/wma/wav) file that is currently playing is added to My Selections.

Alternatively, when a favorite song is highlighted, press and hold **▶▶** can add the highlighted song to My Selections. (Refer to Selecting What You Want to Play on page 13 for details in highlighting a song.) Repeat the above steps for selecting more items.

Clearing My Selections

1. Press **M** during playback to access the Player's menu. Highlight "Clear MySel" by pressing **+** or **-**. Then press **▶▶** to confirm deletion of the selected items.



Playing My Selections

1. Press **M** twice to access the Home menu, highlight "My Selections" by pressing **+** or **-**. Then press **▶▶** to enter the My Selections.
2. Press **▶▶** to start playback of selected items.

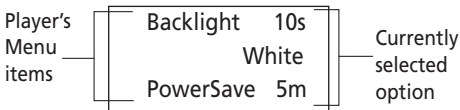
Player's Menus

Accessing the Player's Menus

Press **M** during playback to access the player's menu.


Navigation and Selection

| | | |
|---------------|-------------|------------------|
| Player's menu | Shuffle | |
| | Repeat | |
| | DSP | Backlight |
| | Skipping | |
| | Clear MySel | PowerSave |
| | Settings | Language |
| | System Info | Restore Defaults |
| | | |



1. To scroll up or down to highlight items on the screen, press **+** or **-**.
2. Press **▶||** repeatedly to select options.
3. To go back to the previous menu level, press **◀◀**.
4. Press **M** to confirm your selection and exit the menu.

Shuffle

Press **▶||** repeatedly to select shuffle  on or off. Files will be played randomly when shuffle is activated. This item is only available when you are listening to a music (mp3/wma/wav) file.

Repeat

Press **▶||** repeatedly to select a repeat mode. This item is only available when you are listening to a music (mp3/wma/wav) file.

Repeat One  - Repeat the current item.

Repeat All  - Repeat all items.

Repeat Off - Repeat is Off.

DSP (Digital Signal Processor)

Press **▶||** repeatedly to select a DSP mode.

Options available: Flat, Bass, Pop, Rock and Jazz.

Skipping

Press **▶||** repeatedly to select skip by file or section. This item is only available when you are listening to a multiple-sectioned Audible file.

Clear MySel

Refer to page 15 for details.

Rec Dur

This item defines the recording duration. Press **▶||** repeatedly to select among 5m, 30m, 1h and Max.

This item is only available when you are in Voice Recording mode.

Player's Menus

Settings

Press ►► to enter the Settings menu and then press + or - to highlight an item. Press ►► repeatedly to change settings.

Backlight:

- to adjust the time before the display light turns off (On/10s/20s/30s).
- to adjust the color of the display light (Red/Blue/Green/Yellow/Cyan/Purple/White).

Power Save(Off, 1m, 2m, 5m and 10m): to adjust the duration for automatic shut down when the player is idle.

Language: to select the menu's language.

Restore Defaults: to reset all menus to factory defaults.

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System Info

Press ►► to show the amount of free space available and the firmware version.

Additional Information

Tips and Troubleshooting

- Problem: Player repeats same tracks or all tracks.
 - Repeat play is turned on. Refer to the Repeat section on page 16 on how to access and change the repeat setting.
- Problem: Audio distorted at high volume.
 - Change the DSP mode to Flat.
 - Turn down the volume.
- Problem: The audio tracks on my player keep skipping or popping.
 - You'll need to re-record the audio track – make sure you close all other applications on your PC when you record.
 - Try recording with Error Correction setting turned on.
- Problem: Player turns itself off.
 - Your player turns itself off if you leave it in pause mode or navigation mode for the duration specified in Power Save setting.
- Problem: The player cannot be turned on.
 - Battery is empty.
 - Ensure the keys lock is not activated.
 - Reset the player by removing and re-installing of the battery.
 - If the player still cannot be turned on after resetting, perform a firmware upgrade to restore it.
 - Please go to <http://www.rcaaudiovideo.com/faq> for more details.
- Problem: Player does not respond to key presses.
 - If your player stops responding to key presses, you can reset it by removing and re-installing of the battery. Most of your settings will be preserved; only the settings that you have changed after your last power off will be lost.
 - Make sure the Hold switch is not on by sliding the "Power on/off (⏻)/Hold" switch to the left."

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- Problem: Player cannot play WMA songs.
 - Secure music download files must be transferred to your player through the Yahoo! Music Jukebox or the application recommended by your online music download service (Note: Services and applications must be Windows Media audio-compliant and support Digital Rights Management.) (Apple iTunes music content is not supported).
- Problem: The player takes a long time to read files in a folder.
 - File reading may take longer if too many files are put in a single folder. Re-organize your files into a number of folders.
- Problem: Why song information is not showing correctly?
 - Song information may not match your current player's language setting. Change the language setting.
- Why does my player report that it is full?
 - You have filled the capacity of the internal memory of the player.
- Problem: Cannot playback tracks on the player.
 - Make sure audio tracks are encoded in the mp3 or Windows Media formats at supported bitrates.
Bitrates support by the player:
mp3 – 32 to 320 kbps
wma – 48 to 192 kbps
 - WMA files may be DRM protected and you don't have the proper rights (license) to play the files.
 - Check the website and/or application help system of the music download service provider from where the content was purchased from for license acquisition details. For more information on how license acquisition works, go to www.microsoft.com/windowsmedia/drm.

Check for Updates

Visit

<http://www.rcaaudiovideo.com/digitalaudiosupport> for the latest news and firmware upgrades for our digital media player.

Frequently Asked Questions

You can get FAQ information at <http://www.rcaaudiovideo.com/faq>

Specifications

Hardware

- Dimensions: 80 mm H, 28.5mm W, 22mm D
- Unit Weight: 35g
- Stereo Headphones/USB Connection Jack
- Battery Operated: AAA battery x 1

USB Drive

- External USB Drive: When connected to a computer via USB, the player is capable of storing any file type allowing the user a fast, convenient method of storing, retrieving, and transferring files. This includes word processing files, presentations, spreadsheets and any other computer files.
- Capacity: TH1100 - 512MB, TH1101/TC1101 - 1GB, TH1102/TC1102 - 2GB
- Connection: USB 2.0, Hi-speed capable

Software

- Includes the player applications and media management software.

Limited Warranty (U.S.)

What your warranty covers:

- Defects in materials or workmanship.

For how long after your purchase:

- One year from date of purchase.
The warranty period for rental units begins with the first rental or 45 days from date of shipment to the rental firm, whichever comes first.

What we will do:

- Provide you with a new, or at our option, a refurbished unit. The exchange unit is under warranty for the remainder of the original product's warranty period.
- Proof of purchase in the form of a bill of sale or receipted invoice which is evidence that the product is within the warranty period must be presented to obtain warranty service. For rental firms, proof of first rental is also required.

How to make a warranty claim:

- Properly pack your unit. Include any cables, etc., which were originally provided with the product. We recommend using the original carton and packing materials.
- Include evidence of purchase date such as the bill of sale. Also print your name and address and a description of the defect. Send via standard UPS or its equivalent to:

**Thomson Inc.
Product Exchange Center
11721 B Alameda Avenue
Socorro, Texas 79927**

- Insure your shipment for loss or damage. Thomson accepts no liability in case of damage or loss en route to Thomson.
- Pay any charges billed to you by the Exchange Center for service not covered by the warranty.
- A new or refurbished unit will be shipped to you freight prepaid.

What your warranty does not cover:

- Customer instruction. (Your Owner's Manual provides information regarding operating Instructions and user controls. For additional information, ask your dealer.)
- Installation and set-up service adjustments.
- Batteries.
- Damage from misuse or neglect.
- Products which have been modified or incorporated into other products.
- Products purchased or serviced outside the USA.
- Acts of nature, such as but not limited to lightning damage.

Product Registration:

- Please complete and mail the Product registration Card packed with your unit. It will make it easier to contact you should it ever be necessary. The return of the card is not required for warranty coverage.

Limitation of Warranty:

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How state law relates to this warranty:

- Some states do not allow the exclusion nor limitation of incidental or consequential damages, or limitations on how long an implied warranty lasts, so the above limitations or exclusions may not apply to you.
- This warranty gives you specific legal rights, and you also may have other rights that vary from state to state.

If you purchased your product outside the USA:

- This warranty does not apply. Contact your dealer for warranty information.

Limited Warranty (Canada)

Thomson multimedia Ltd. warrants to the purchaser or gift recipient that if any manufacturing defect becomes apparent in this product within 1 year from the original date of purchase, it will be replaced free of charge, including return transportation.

This warranty does not include damage to the product resulting from accidents, misuse or leaking batteries.

Should your product not perform properly during the warranty period, either:

1. Return it to the selling dealer with proof of purchase for replacement,
OR
2. Remove the batteries (where applicable), and pack product complete with accessories in the original carton (or equivalent).
— Mail prepaid (with proof of purchase) and insured to:

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Mississauga, Ontario L5T 2V7
Canada**

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If you are unable to find a qualified servicer for out of warranty service, you may write to:

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