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Introduction

Thanks for purchasing the GPO MAESTRO Turntable. This all-in-one music player will allow you to enjoy LPs, radio and MP3s in one stylish, retro-styled entertainment unit. We hope you enjoy this new addition to your home.

Safety Information

Before using your GPO MAESTRO, please read the following
safety information. Please make sure to retain this manual for future
reference:

• **Cleaning**: Unplug the unit from the wall socket before cleaning gently
  with a damp cloth. Avoid liquid and aerosol cleaners.

• **Attachments**: Please do not use any attachments which have not
  been recommended by GPO Retro, as they may cause damage to
  your unit.

• **Water and Moisture**: Please keep the unit away from standing water
  such as a bathtub or kitchen sink. This unit may be damaged by
  humid or damp environments. Ensure that the unit remains dry, as
  liquid can damage the unit.

• **Heat**: Please keep the unit away from heat sources such as radiators,
  stoves or other products which produce excess heat.

• **Placement**: Please ensure that the unit is placed on a flat, stable
  surface before use.

• **Transport**: Take care when moving the unit to avoid any damage.

• **Ventilation**: Make sure that none of the openings or slots in the unit
  cabinet are covered, in order to ensure proper ventilation

• **Power**: Please ensure that the unit is only plugged into an
  appropriate wall socket or adaptor. Ensure that the cord is not trapped
  or placed in a way which could cause fraying or damage. Do not
  overload wall sockets or extension cords.

• For further troubleshooting or technical support advice, please refer to
  the troubleshooting and product support sections of this manual.

Unpacking

This package contains:

• 1x T298-B GPO Maestro
• 1x DC Power Cable
• 1x Manual

Carefully remove all of the contents from the packaging. Make sure you retain and store this manual for future reference.

When choosing a location for the unit, avoid inclines, direct sunlight or sources of heat and moisture.
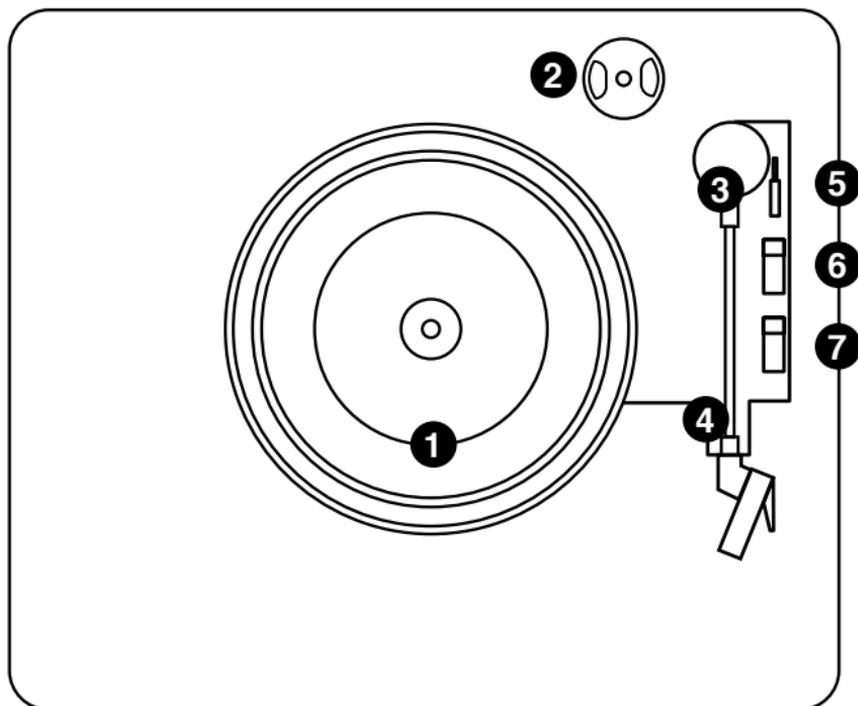
Keep all of the ventilation holes clear, and do not place any equipment on top of the unit as this can lead to damage.

Only remove the stylus guard from the stylus assembly during use. Leaving the guard in place during storage will protect your stylus from damage.
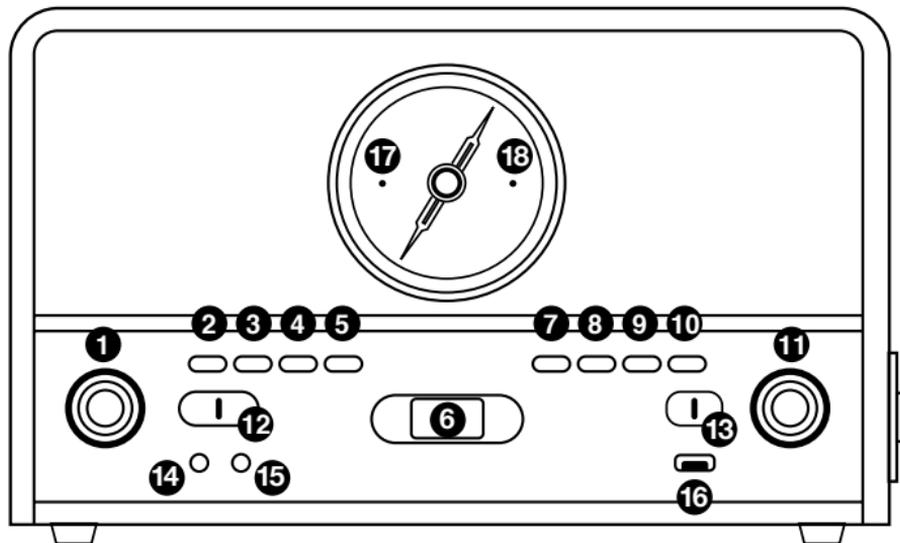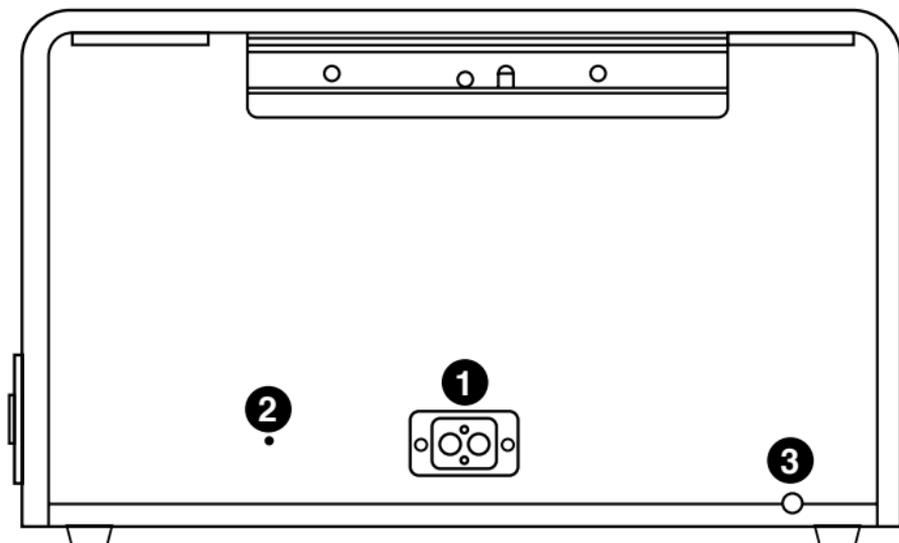
Location of Controls

Top Panel

1. Turntable
2. 45 RPM Adaptor Holder
3. Tone Arm
4. Arm Clip
5. Raise/Lower Tone Arm Lever
6. 33/45/78 RPM Speed Switch
7. Autostop Switch

Front Panel

1. Volume Control	**10.** Stop
2. Program Button	**11.** Radio Frequency Selector
3. Mode Select Button	**12.** Function Selector
4. Folder - Button	**13.** FM stereo Selector/Bluetooth
5. Folder + Button	**14.** Headphone Out Jack
6. Display	**15.** Aux In Jack
7. Skip Backwards	**16.** USB Port
8. Skip Forwards	**17.** Power Indicator LED
9. Play/Pause/Pair	**18.** Bluetooth Indicator LED

Rear Panel

1. Line Output
2. FM Antenna
3. Power Input

Playback

You can use the GPO MAESTRO to play music using the turntable, or radio. You can also play music using the units internal speakers using the Aux In function.

Turntable Playback

1. Lift the turntable dust cover, remove the stylus protector and unlock the tone arm
2. Set the Function selector to Phono/Aux In
3. Place your chosen record on the turntable over the central spindle
4. Set the correct speed (33/45/78) using the speed selector
5. Lift the tone arm using the raise lever and slowly move it over the record. The turntable will begin to turn
6. Place the tone arm onto the record at your desired location. The record will begin playing
7. The tone arm will automatically stop once the record has finished. To manually stop the record, lift the tone arm manually. Once the record has finished, return the tone arm to the rest.

Auto-Stop Switch Operation: Please note, some records have an auto-stop area which causes the record to stop before the last track finishes. If this happens, move the Auto-Stop switch to the off position and manually stop the record once the track has finished.

Aux-In Playback

1. Set the Function selector to Phono/Aux In

2. Use a 3.5mm audio cable to connect your external device to the unit's Aux In jack

3. Adjust the volume to your desired level

4. Begin playback using your external device

USB Flash Drive Playback

1. Set the function switch to the USB position, and the display will show "USB."

2. When inserting a USB flash drive containing MP3 format files, the unit will automatically start playing from the first song.

3. Press [Play Button] to pause the current song. While paused the display will blink.

4. Press [Stop Button] to stop the current song. The track number will be displayed.

5. Press [Rewind Button] to select the previous song. Press and hold to rewind the current song.

6. Press [Fast Forward Button] to select the next song. Press and hold to fast forward the current song.

7. Press "Mode" once to repeat a single track (the display will show "ONE")

8. Press "Mode" twice to repeat all tracks in a single folder (if the drive contains folders) (the display will show "F00x").

9. Press "Mode" three times to repeat all songs on the USB.

10. Press "Mode" four times" to cancel the selected repeat function.

11. To program a playback order, press "Program" once and the display will show "P0001." Select this first track by pressing [RWD][FWD] and press "Program" to confirm.

12. Repeat step eleven for tracks P0002 through P0050 to set your preferred playlist.

13. Choose a folder from the drive (if available) by pressing FOLDER- or FOLDER+.

Display Information

When the GPO MAESTRO is reading a USB file, it will show the track number, before switching to the current playback time. This switches back and forth every five seconds.

When playing files from a folder, it will display the folder number (eg F0001), track number and current playback time at five second intervals.

FM Stereo Radio

1. If possible, uncoil and extend the unit's built-in FM antenna
2. Set the Function selector to Radio
3. Select the desired frequency using the FM stereo switch
4. Select the desired station using the Tuner knob
5. Set the Function selector to OFF to turn off the radio

Line Out

1. Connect the Line Out jack to the Aux In jack of your amplifier, taking care to match the socket and jack colours
2. Ensure your amplifier is turned on and adjust the volume accordingly

Headphones

To listen to music on your headphones, simply connect them to the earphone jack and play your chosen music as described above.

External Speakers

You can use the external speaker jack on the rear of the unit to connect your chosen speakers to the GPO Maestro.

If the unit does not receive an audio signal for around 10 minutes, it will automatically enter standby mode. To reactivate the unit, turn the power off and back on again.

Bluetooth Playback

Set the Function selector to Radio/Bluetooth and set the FM/Bluetooth switch (FM/Bluetooth on EU units) to the Bluetooth position.

The Bluetooth indicator will flash.

2. The pairing indicator will flash quickly when pairing, remain within 10 meters (33 feet) of GPO MAESTRO.

3. Turn on Bluetooth on your phone or tablet to pair select "GPO MAESTRO " as the Bluetooth device.

4. When successfully paired and connected, the Bluetooth indicator will become solid.

5. To disconnect from the currently paired Bluetooth device and pair to another Bluetooth device, hold the Play/Pause/Pair button for 3 seconds.

Product Support

For more advice or support, please visit www.gporetro.com. There you will find a range of product datasheets and troubleshooting guides, along with our customer service and support contact information.

Troubleshooting

Q) The unit will not turn on

A) Ensure that the unit is correctly connected to the power supply

Q) No sound comes out of the unit's speakers

A) Ensure that the volume has been set correctly and that the Function selector has been set to the correct playback source

Q) The sound quality is poor

A) Ensure that the unit is not too close to a TV set or other appliance

Q) The unit is not responding

A) Remove the power supply to the unit and leave for 60 seconds. Plug the unit back into the power supply and try again

Q) The sound quality is poor during LP playback

A) Ensure that your stylus is undamaged, and that it is placed in the correct place on the record

Technical Information

Bluetooth : 2402 - 2 480 MHz
FM: 87.5 - 108 MHz
Frequency: 2.4GHz
Transmit power : CLASS2 4dBm
Use in Member States : EUROPE , UNITED KINGDOM
Maximum operation Temperature-5 +45˚C
Input AC 230-240V ~ 50Hz

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