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KR-177

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■ Music Styles for your backing band

In total, 111 Music Styles are right at your fingertips for professional quality performances in any major musical genre. And since the KR-177 comes with floppy disks containing additional accompaniments, you can access even more Music Styles via the onboard disk drive. Some of these accompaniments are "Acoustic Styles", which create the perfect atmosphere for unplugged-style performances with guitar, bass, piano, and drum backings.

■ A versatile instrument for creative musicians

With its new Weighted Hammer Action 88-note keyboard, the beautiful sound of a fine acoustic piano, and an extensive variety of other instrument sounds including guitar, saxophone, strings and others, the KR-177 will prove an eternal source of inspiration for everyone in search of an expressive and easy-to-play instrument. Greatly expanding the horizon of each instrument, the KR-177's built-in effects include chorus and reverb for piano, rotary for organ, and much more.

■ SMF music data and sequencer make playing more fun

The KR-177 is fitted with a "Minus-One" function with which you can mute any Standard MIDI File track in order to play it yourself along with the backing track. When using music files that contain lyrics, the words to the songs can be shown on the display for karaoke singing.

The KR-177 provides a 16-track sequencer with extensive editing functions. This allows you to record your own songs and to add additional tracks as required.

■ Easy-to-read display panel

The KR-177's large Animated Graphic Display (AGD) lets you know exactly where you want to go at all times. Instrument, music style, and other selections are conveniently displayed on a wide display using distinct icons, making navigation a breeze.



■ Practising becomes a pleasure

A metronome is provided for practising purposes, while a musical game will help you master note names and chords. It makes learning music fun and easy. This unique feature helps even the least motivated child (or adult!) stay enthused. The on-line help function is available in four languages.

■ Specification

Weighted Hammer Action keyboard	88 Keys	Song Edit	Yes
Settable key touch	5 types	SMF-to-Style Converter	Yes
Maximum polyphony	64	3.5" floppy disk drive	Yes
Sounds	124 Basic Tones (270 in Tone expansion mode) incl. 8 Drum Sets & 1 SFXSet	Pedals	2
Stereo-sampled piano sound	Yes	Headphone connectors	2 stereo
Music Styles	111 internal + 40 on supplied disk	Audio connectors	Line in (L/Mono, R), Line Out (L/Mono, R)
Acoustic Styles	16 on supplied disk	MIDI connectors	In, Out
User Programs	32	Speakers	2 x 16 cm
Display	Graphic 240 x 64 LCD	Output power	2 x 20 W
Lyrics display (song lyrics)	Yes	Cabinet Finish	Simulated Dark Rosewood
Reverb, Chorus	Yes	Dimensions (incl. stand)	1390 (W) x 480 (D) x 858 (H) mm. 54-3/4 (W) x 18-15/16 (D) x 33-13/16 (H) inches
DSP effects	32 types incl Sympathetic Resonance, Rotary	Weight (incl. stand)	55 Kg., 121 lbs., 50z
Melody Intelligence	18 types		
Composer	16 tracks		

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