

# Cassette Player

## Operating instructions

### Mode d'emploi

### Bedienungsanleitung

## WALKMAN

### WM-EX562/EX560

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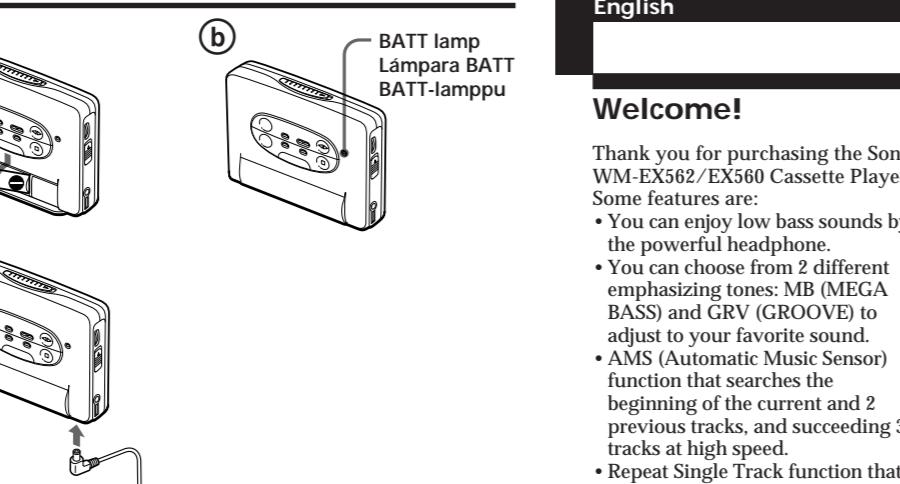
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A pleine puissance, l'écoute prolongée du baladeur peut endommager l'oreille de l'utilisateur.

The instructions in this manual are for WM-EX562 and WM-EX560. Before you start reading, check your model number. WM-EX562 is the model used for illustration purposes. Any differences in operation are clearly indicated in the text, for example, "EX562 only".

Les instructions dans ce manuel sont destinées aux WM-EX562 et WM-EX560. Avant de les lire, vérifiez le numéro de votre modèle. Les illustrations représentent le WM-EX562. Toute différence de fonctionnement est indiquée clairement dans le texte, par exemple, "EX562 seulement".

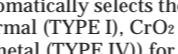
Diese Anleitung behandelt die Modelle WM-EX562 und WM-EX560. Vergewissern Sie sich vor der Inbetriebnahme, welches Modell Sie besitzen. In den Abbildungen ist das Modell WM-EX562 dargestellt. Auf Unterschiede wird deutlich im Erläuterungstext hingewiesen (beispielsweise durch „nur EX562“).



## Welcome!

Thank you for purchasing the Sony WM-EX562/EX560 Cassette Player. Some features are:

- You can enjoy low bass sounds by the powerful headphones.
- You can choose from 2 different emphasizing tones: MB (MEGA BASS) and GRV (GROOVE) to adjust to your favorite sound.
- AMS (Automatic Music Sensor) function that searches the beginning of the current and 2 previous tracks, and succeeding 3 tracks at high speed.
- Repeat Single Track function that enables play of your favorite single track repeatedly for your convenience.
- AVLS (Automatic Volume Limiter System) function that moderates the maximum volume level.
- Useful remote control.



Specifications for AC-E15HG differ depending on the area of purchase. Check your local voltage and the polarity of the plug before purchasing.

## Connecting the Headphones/Earphones (see Fig. B)

### Preparing a Power Source

Choose the dry battery or house current as the power source.

### Dry Battery (see Fig. A-④)

- Slide and open the battery compartment lid, and insert an R6 (size AA) dry battery (not supplied) by matching the + and - on the battery to the diagram inside the battery compartment.

### When to replace the battery (see Fig. A-⑤)

Replace the battery with a new one when the BATT lamp dims.

### Battery life (Approx. hours) (EIAJ\*)

Sony alkaline

Sony R6P (SR)

LR6 (SG)

Tape playback

29

8

\* Measured value by the standard of EIAJ (Electronic Industries Association of Japan). (Using a Sony HF series cassette tape)

### Note

- The battery life may shorten depending on the operation of the unit.

For maximum performance we recommend that you use an alkaline battery.

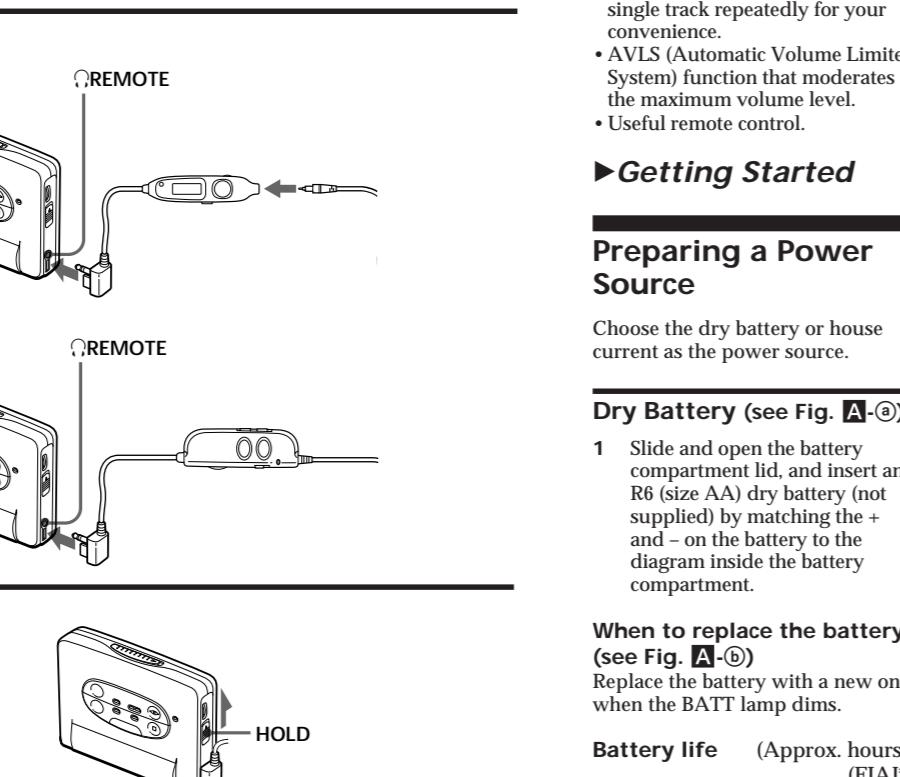
### Notes

- Do not charge a dry battery.
- When the battery is replaced the set functions will be cancelled, the unit will return to the factory settings.
- When you do not use the Walkman for a long time, remove the battery to avoid any damage caused by battery leakage and subsequent corrosion.

### Note on AMS, REPEAT Single Track

To operate the AMS and the REPEAT Single Track functions, you need a blank of 4 seconds or longer between the tracks. Therefore, if there is noise between the tracks, these functions will not detect the blank and will not operate. Likewise, if the recording level is moderately low within a track, these functions may inaccurately operate.

(turn over)



## English

## ► Operating the Walkman (see Fig. A-②)

### Playing a Tape (see Fig. D-②)

The Auto tape selector automatically selects the tape (normal (TYPE I), CrO<sub>2</sub> (TYPE II) or metal (TYPE IV)) for playback.



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### When adjusting the volume on the Walkman

Set the VOL control on the remote control at maximum.

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Set the VOLUME control on the Walkman to around 6.

### Raccordement des écouteurs/du casque (voir Fig. B)

### Préparatifs

## Sélection de la source d'alimentation

Choisissez une pile sèche ou le courant secteur comme source d'alimentation.

### Releasing HOLD (see Fig. C)

The HOLD function locks the Walkman and the remote control separately to prevent them from operating when you accidentally press a button. Unlock it before operating.

### When to replace the battery (see Fig. A-⑥)

Replace the battery with a new one when the BATT lamp dims.

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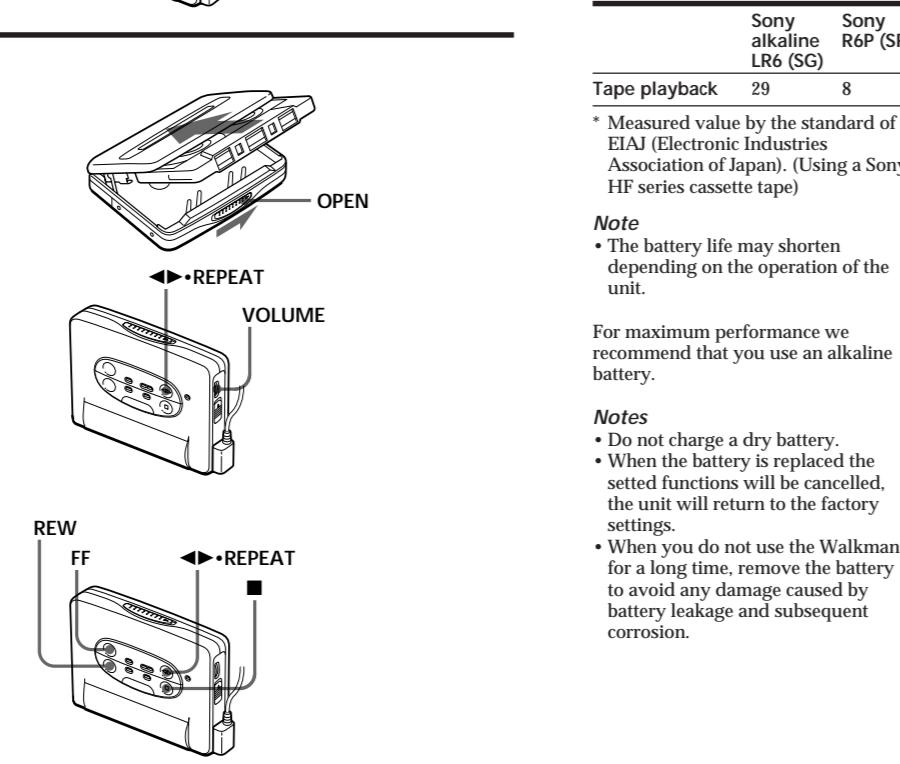
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## Français

## Bienvenue!

### Courant secteur (voir Fig. A-②)

Félicitations pour l'achat de ce lecteur de cassette Sony WM-EX562/EX560.

Voici quelques unes de ses caractéristiques:

- Écouteurs puissants permettant d'écouter même les sons graves.
- Choix entre deux types d'accentuation: MB (MEGA BASS) et GRV (GROOVE) selon le type de musique écoutée.

• Fonction AMS (Automatic Music Sensor) pour localiser rapidement le début de la plage en cours, ou de 2 plages avant et 3 plages après la plage en cours.

• Lecture répétée d'une plage pour écouter plusieurs fois de suite votre plage préférée.

• Système AVLS (Automatic Volume Limiter System) pour modérer le niveau maximum du volume.

• Utilisez le télécommande pratique.



Polarité de la fiche

Les données techniques de l'adaptateur secteur AC-E15HG diffèrent selon les régions. Vérifiez la tension de l'alimentation secteur locale et la forme de la fiche avant d'acheter un adaptateur.

### Pour

### Appuyer sur

### REPEAT

### pendant la lecture

### Arrêter la lecture

### FF

### pendant l'arrêt

### Rembobiner la bande

### REW

### pendant l'arrêt

### Répéter la plage que vous écoutez (répétition d'une seule plage)

### REPEAT

### pendant au moins 2 secondes pendant la lecture

### Pour arrêter la répétition d'une seule plage, appuyez une seconde fois.

### Localiser le début de la plage suivante/ des 3 plages suivantes (AMS\*)

### FF

### plusieurs fois pendant la lecture

### Localiser le début de la plage actuelle/ des 2 plages précédentes (AMS\*)

### REW

### plusieurs fois pendant la lecture

### Ecouter une nouvelle fois la même face à partir du début (Rembobinage automatique)

### REW

### pendant au moins deux secondes pendant l'arrêt

### Find the beginning of the next track/ succeeding 3 tracks (AMS\*)

### FF

### plusieurs fois pendant la lecture

### Find the beginning of the current track/ previous 2 tracks (AMS\*)

### REW

### plusieurs fois pendant la lecture

### Repeat the track you are listening to (Repeat Single Track function)

### REPEAT

### for two seconds or more during playback

### To stop a single repeat, press it again.

### REW

### plusieurs fois pendant la lecture

### Ecouter une fois/ plusieurs fois pendant la lecture

### REW

### plusieurs fois pendant la lecture

### Ecouter une nouvelle fois la même face à partir du début (Rébobinage automatique)

### REW

### pendant au moins deux secondes pendant l'arrêt

### Find the beginning of the next track/ succeeding 3 tracks (AMS\*)

### FF

### plusieurs fois pendant la lecture

### Find the beginning of the current track/ previous 2 tracks (AMS\*)

### REW

### plusieurs fois pendant la lecture

### Play the same side from the beginning (Auto Rewind Play function)

### REW

### for two seconds or more during stop

### Play the other side from the beginning (Skip Reverse function)

### REW

### for two seconds or more during stop

### Play the same side from the beginning (AMS\*)

### REW

### plusieurs fois pendant la lecture

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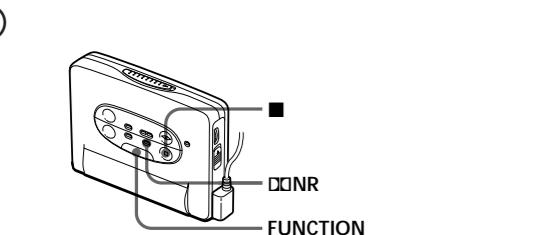
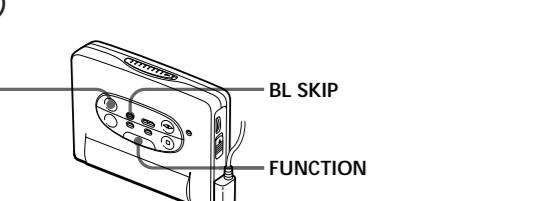
### plusieurs fois pendant la lecture

### Play the other side from the beginning (AMS\*)

### REW

## Using Other Functions

The following operations are used by a combination of the FUNCTION button with other operating buttons. The combination of the FUNCTION button can only be used on the main unit.



### To skip a long blank space between musics (BL SKIP function) (see Fig. D-C)

1 While holding down FUNCTION, press the FF button. The BL SKIP indicator will be lit.  
To cancel the BL SKIP mode, hold down FUNCTION and then press FF. Then the BL SKIP indicator goes off.

### Note on BL SKIP

- For the BL SKIP function, you need a blank of 12 seconds or longer between the tracks. Therefore, if there is noise between the tracks, these functions will not detect the blank and will not operate.
- Likewise, if the recording level is moderately low within a track, this function may inaccurately operate.

### Operating the remote control (EX562 only)

1 Press and hold SOUND•AVLS for two seconds or more. "⊕" appears in the display.

### To play a tape recorded with Dolby® NR system (see Fig. D-D)

1 While holding down FUNCTION, press ■. The DNR indicator will be lit.

To cancel the Dolby function, hold down FUNCTION and then press ■. Then the DNR indicator goes off.

### Notes on FUNCTION

- Even when the tape is stopped, the FUNCTION may be operated. When FUNCTION and other operating buttons are pressed the LED lamp will light to show the present mode, and when FUNCTION and other operating buttons are released, the LED will go off.
- Do not press the FUNCTION button on the Walkman when switching SOUND•AVLS on the remote control.

### Emphasizing Bass (see Fig. E)

1 While holding down FUNCTION, press ▶• REPEAT.

The MB or GRV indicator of the SOUND mode will be lit, and switches to either one each time you press ▶• REPEAT. Either MB or GRV indicator will be lit when the SOUND mode is being used. To cancel the SOUND mode, while holding down FUNCTION, press ▶• REPEAT repeatedly until the MB and GRV indicators go off.

### For EX560

1 Slide HOLD so that the HOLD indicator turns yellow. To unlock, slide HOLD so that the yellow HOLD indicator is hidden.

MB: emphasizes bass sound  
GRV: emphasizes deeper bass sound  
no message: off (normal)

## Additional Information

**Operating the remote control (EX562 only)**  
Press SOUND•AVLS to select the desired mode. With each press, the indications in the display changes as follows:  
MB: emphasizes bass sound  
GRV: emphasizes deeper bass sound  
No message: off (normal)

### To skip a long blank space between musics (BL SKIP function) (see Fig. D-C)

Use a soft cloth slightly moistened in water. Do not use alcohol, benzine or thinner.

**Protecting Your Hearing (AVLS) (see Fig. E)**

When AVLS (Automatic Volume Limiter System) is turned on, the maximum volume is kept down to protect your ears.

1 While holding down FUNCTION, press REW. The AVLS indicator will be lit. To cancel the AVLS, while holding down FUNCTION, press REW. The AVLS indicator goes off.

**Note on BL SKIP**  
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**Operating the remote control (EX562 only)**  
1 Press and hold SOUND•AVLS for two seconds or more. "⊕" appears in the display.

To cancel, press SOUND•AVLS again.

**To play a tape recorded with Dolby® NR system (see Fig. D-D)**

1 While holding down FUNCTION, press ■. The DNR indicator will be lit.

To cancel the Dolby function, hold down FUNCTION and then press ■. Then the DNR indicator goes off.

**Notes on FUNCTION**

- Even when the tape is stopped, the FUNCTION may be operated. When FUNCTION and other operating buttons are pressed the LED lamp will light to show the present mode, and when FUNCTION and other operating buttons are released, the LED will go off.
- Do not press the FUNCTION button on the Walkman when switching SOUND•AVLS on the remote control.

### Using the Remote Control (see Fig. F)

**To lock the buttons**  
For EX562

1 Slide HOLD in the direction of the arrow. When you press any button, "Hold" appears in the display. To cancel the SOUND mode, while holding down FUNCTION, press ▶• REPEAT repeatedly until the MB and GRV indicators go off.

### For EX560

1 Slide HOLD so that the HOLD indicator turns yellow. To unlock, slide HOLD so that the yellow HOLD indicator is hidden.

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## Maintenance

**To clean the tape head and path**  
Use the cleaning cassette CHK-1 (not supplied) every 10 hours of use.

**Note**  
• Use only the recommended cleaning cassette.

**To clean the exterior**  
Use a soft cloth slightly moistened in water. Do not use alcohol, benzine or thinner.

**On the unit**  
• Do not drop the unit or give a shock to the unit, or it may cause a malfunction.

• Do not leave the unit in a location near heat sources, or in a place subject to direct sunlight, excessive dust or sand, moisture, rain, mechanical shock, or in a car with windows closed.

• (EX562 only) The LCD display may become hard to see or slow down when using the unit at high temperatures (above 40°C/104°F) or at low temperatures (below 0°C/32°F). At room temperature, the display will return to its normal operating condition.

• If the unit has not been used for long, set it in the playback mode and warm it up for a few minutes before inserting a tape.

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## Autres fonctions

**Utilisation de la télécommande (EX562 seulement)**  
Appuyez sur SOUND•AVLS pour sélectionner le mode souhaité. A chaque pression, les indications dans l'afficheur change comme suit:

MB: accentue les graves  
GRV: accentue les graves profonds  
Aucun message: hors service (normal)

**Note**  
• Si le son est distordu avec le mode "GRV", sélectionnez le mode "MB".

**To skip a long blank space between musics (BL SKIP function) (see Fig. D-C)**

Utilisez un chiffon doux légèrement mouillé. Ne pas utiliser d'alcool, de benzine ni de diluant.

**Protecting Your Hearing (AVLS) (voir Fig. E)**

Lorsque AVLS (Automatic Volume Limiter System) est activé, appuyez sur FF tout en tenant FUNCTION enfoncé. L'indicateur BL SKIP s'éteint.

1 Tout en tenant FUNCTION enfoncé, appuyez sur la touche FF. L'indicateur BL SKIP s'allume.

Pour annuler le mode BL SKIP, appuyez sur FF tout en tenant FUNCTION enfoncé. L'indicateur BL SKIP s'éteint.

**Operating the remote control (EX562 only)**  
1 Press and hold SOUND•AVLS for two seconds or more. "⊕" appears in the display.

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**To play a tape recorded with Dolby® NR system (see Fig. D-D)**

1 While holding down FUNCTION, press ■. The DNR indicator will be lit.

To cancel the Dolby function, hold down FUNCTION and then press ■. Then the DNR indicator goes off.

**Notes on FUNCTION**

- Even when the tape is stopped, the FUNCTION may be operated. When FUNCTION and other operating buttons are pressed the LED lamp will light to show the present mode, and when FUNCTION and other operating buttons are released, the LED will go off.
- Do not press the FUNCTION button on the Walkman when switching SOUND•AVLS on the remote control.

### Using the Remote Control (see Fig. F)

**To lock the buttons**  
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## Informations complémentaires

**Entretien**  
Pour mettre les fonctions suivantes en service, vous devez appuyer sur la touche FUNCTION en même temps que sur une autre touche.

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**Note**  
• Utilisez la cassette de nettoyage recommandée.

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Lorsque vous activez la fonction AVLS (réduction automatique du volume), le volume maximal est limité pour vous protéger l'ouïe.

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## Zusatzfunktionen

**Verwendung der Fernbedienung (nur EX562)**  
Drücken Sie SOUND•AVLS wiederholt, um eine der folgenden beiden Funktionen zu wählen. Die Funktion wird im Display angezeigt.

MB: Anhebung der normalen Bässe.  
GRV: Anhebung der Tiefbässe.  
Keine Anzeige: Baßanhebung ausgeschaltet (Normalbetrieb).

**Precautions**  
Pile

Ne pas porter la pile sèche avec des pièces de monnaie ou d'autres objets métalliques. Le contact des bornes positive et négative avec un objet métallique peut générer de la chaleur.

**Remark**  
• Utilisez la cassette de nettoyage recommandée.

**To clean the exterior**  
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