# Recording a Cassette Tape to a CD-W or CD-RW

**NOTE:** CD-R discs are recommended. While CD-RW discs may be used as media on this device, finalized CD-RW discs may not work on ordinary CD Players. Please check compatibility your player before using CD-RW discs.

# To begin...

- 1. Press the Power button to turn on the unit.
- 2. Select the **TAPE** source by pressing the **Phono/Tape/Aux** button until TAPE appears on the top left of the display.
- 3. Put the cassette tape into the cassette holder.
- 4. Set the TAPE switch
  - a. When playing a normal tape (type I), set the TAPE switch to Normal.
  - b. When playing a chrome tape (type II) or metal tape (type IV), set the switch to HIGH.
- 5. Press the **OPEN/CLOSE** button, load a recordable CD-R or CD-W disc into the disc tray, and close the tray. Make sure the "No TOC" and "CD-R" (or "CD-RW") indicators light on the display before proceeding to the next step.
- 6. Press the **RECORD** button. The unit will enter the record pause mode and the record light will start blinking.

**NOTE:** If the red indicator light on the **RECORD** button does not blink after pressing it, reload the CD disc, wait a few seconds until "NO TOC" and "CD-R" (or "CD-W") show up on the screen, then press the **RECORD** button again.

#### To adjust the volume and recording level of the recording...

- 7. Press PLAY on the cassette tape player. You should be able to hear the tape playing.
  - a) Adjust the volume by turning the **VOLUME** knob.
  - b) Adjust the recording level by turning by turning the **REC LEVEL** knob. While the default setting should be fine for most recordings, make sure that the loudest parts of the cassette tape do not exceed the "OVER" indicator on the peak level meter.

# Starting to record...

- 8) Rewind the cassette tape back to the beginning by using the **REW** button on the tape player.
- 9) On the control panel for the tape deck: Press both the PLAY and PAUSE buttons at the same time.
- 10) On the front of the machine: Press the PLAY/PAUSE button. The record light will turn solid red.
- 11) Wait a few seconds then release the **PAUSE** button on the cassette tape player. Your tape will now begin recording.

#### Setting up tracks...

12) If you would like to make multiple tracks on your recording, instead of just one recoding, press the **TRACK INCREMENT** button while recording to make the various tracks. The sound will be cut for a moment.

### Recording side two...

- 13) When side one ends, press the **PLAY/PAUSE** button on the front of the machine to pause recording.
- 14) Flip the tape over to side two. Press the **Record** button. Press the **PLAY** and **PAUSE** buttons together on the cassette tape player. Press the **PLAY/PAUSE** button on the front of the machine, wait a few seconds, and then release the **PAUSE** button on the cassette player. Your recording will begin again.
- 15) Once side two has stopped. Press the **STOP** button on the front of the machine, and remove the tape from the cassette tape player.

#### Finalizing your recording....

- 16) Press the **CD** button to select "CD."
- 17) Press the **FINALIZE/ERASE** button. "FINAL" will appear on the display.
- 18) Press the **ENTER** button to start finalizing. "NO TOC" and "REC" indicators blink on the screen, and the remaining time for the finalizing operation will appear on the display.
- 19) When the operation has finished, the "NO TOC" indicator turns off and the display returns to the track/time display.
- 20) Remove your disc and enjoy.