

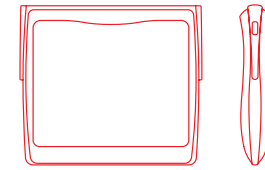
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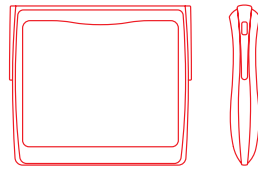
Made one at a time by master craftsmen, QUALIA 017 is an extraordinary coming together of art and technology. This remarkable MiniDisc player is an elegant expression of beauty on every level, its case made from a block of solid brass. The mirrored surface describes an eloquent sculpture of gently curving lines, which meld perfectly into the accompanying base. The form is absolutely seamless, marred by not a single weld, screw or hole. All this beauty is to a very particular end, however: the rigid body provides great stability and balance for the audio system within.



The sound created by QALIA 017 can only be described as sculpted. Employing the highest-quality MiniDisc audio amplification system to bring to life Sony's exclusive MiniDisc technology, the player is capable of reproducing sound of incredible depth and character. From its internal rechargeable battery to individually crafted earphones, QALIA 017 comes complete with everything needed for the ultimate portable music experience.

HIGH-QUALITY HD AMPLIFIER (a) The MiniDisc audio system at the heart of QALIA 017 produces sound quality that exceeds the limitations of MP3 and other compression-file audio players. **BASE (b)** A stunning presence in any

setting, the base fully recharges QALIA 017 in 3.5 hours. **REMOTE CONTROL (c)** Easily accessible for use while in motion, the intuitively designed remote offers a full range of controls, including play, rewind, pause, forward and reverse track skip, scan, and volume. **EARPHONES (d)** Carved from solid brass and aluminum, these instruments create a rich acoustic space, with detailed treble and full, rounded bass. **EARPIECE SET (e)** No two sets of ears were created equal; therefore QALIA 017 comes with a full range of earpieces, ensuring proper fit. **LEATHER CARRY CASE (not shown)** An elegant and secure enclosure for QALIA 017 and all its attachments, this handsome case makes a compact, elegant travel companion.



MD PLAYER UNIT

Playback.....MDLP, Group and Monaural 2x
 Playback Modes.....Normal, Single Track,
Bookmark Shuffle and PGM
 Program Play.....2 PGM Modes Up to 20 tracks
 Virtual Surround ModesStudio, Live, Club and Arena
 Equalizer ModesHeavy, Pops, Jazz, Unique,
 Custom1 and Custom2
 Playback Speed Control ...Variable Digital Pitch Control
 Digital AmplifierHD digital amplifier

Sampling Frequency44.1 kHz
 Playback Codecs.....ATRAC (Adaptive Transform
Acoustic Coding) and ATRAC3
 Frequency Response.....20 to 20,000 Hz +/- 3db

Skip Protection SystemG-Protection

POWER SYSTEM

Built-in lithium-ion rechargeable/AC Power Adapter
 included/Exclusive recharging stand included

CONTINUOUS BATTERY LIFE

(Approximate, using supplied internal battery)
 SP Stereo Mode.....Approx. 21 hours
 LP2 Stereo ModeApprox. 27 hours
 LP4 Stereo ModeApprox. 33 hours
 Recharging Time of Supplied Battery (using stand).....
Approx. 3.5 hours
 (Approx. 80% recharge: approx.1 hour)

DIMENSIONS

Approximate (w x h x d).....3½" x 3⅛" x 5⁄8"
 (87.6 x 79.0 x 15.3 mm)
 Weight including Battery(Approximate) 8.7 oz. (244g)

SUPPLIED REMOTE CONTROL

Displays up to 12 characters and doubles as a headphone
 adapter (stereo mini)

HEADPHONES

TypeEnclosed dynamic type
 Driver Unit.....9 mm diameter (with CCAW voice coil)
 Sensitivity101 dB/mW
 Impedance16 Ohms (at 1 kHz)
 Maximum Input.....100 mW (IEC)
 WeightApprox. 38 ounces (11 g)
 Headphone Power.....Remote control/Headphone
 connection maximum output level 5mW + 5mW load
 Impedance..... 16 Ohms

ACCESSORIES

Headphones/Remote/Headphone Adaptor/Battery
 Charger/Neck Chain for Remote/AC Power Adaptor for
 Charging Stand/Earbuds/Carrying Case/Cleaning
 Cloth/Owner's Guide.

The QUALIA 017 chassis is solid brass with a palladium/
 chrome finish. Optional gold and silver plate versions are
 available for an additional charge.

