

**marantz®**

**Model PM-17mk II User Guide**

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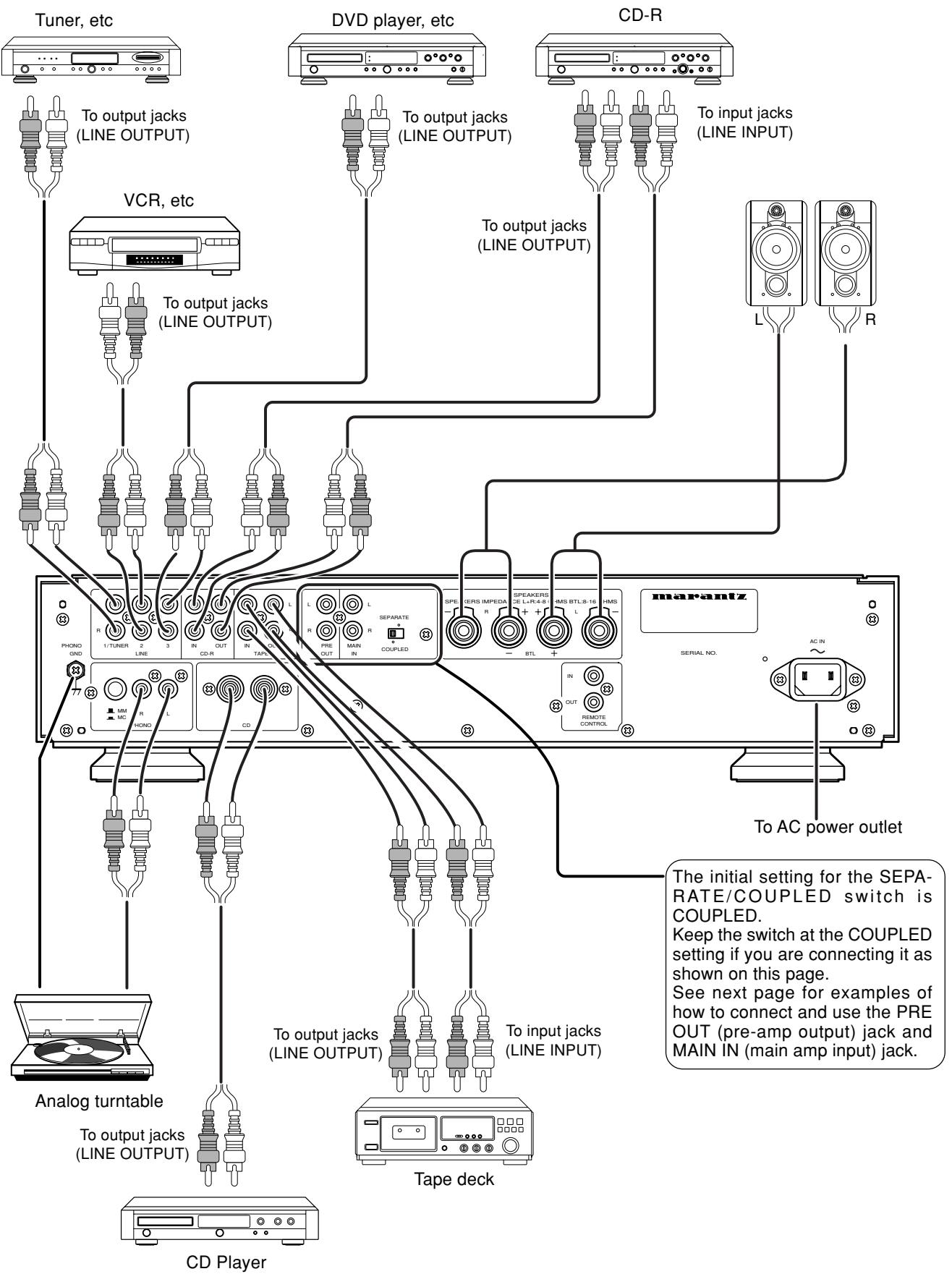
**Integrated Amplifier**







Figure 1



- It is also possible to connect a BS tuner, LV player, TV or other component to LINE1-LINE3 jacks.
- The audio input/output jacks of VCR or other component can be connected to CD-R and TAPE as their program sources.

## PRE OUT JACK AND MAIN IN JACK USAGE EXAMPLES

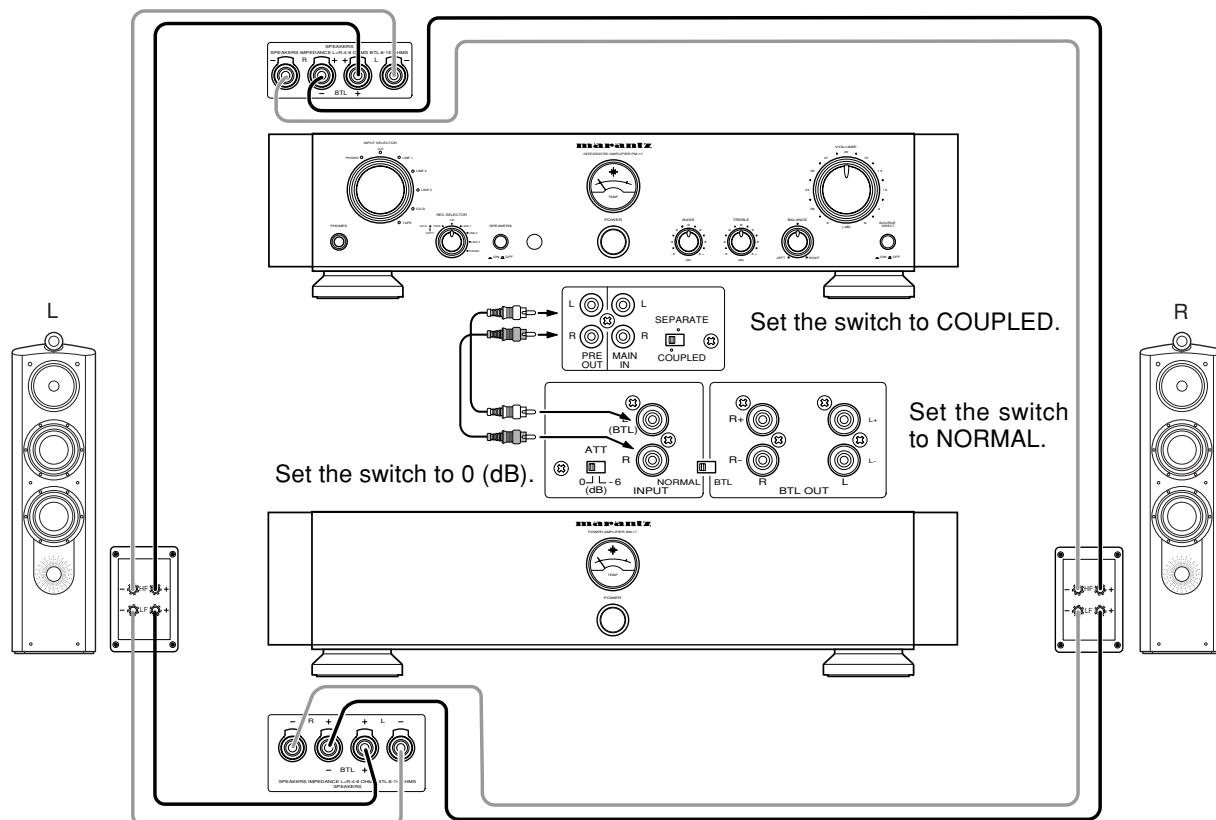
You can expand your audio system through appropriate setting of the SEPARATE/COUPLED switch and connection of the PRE OUT jack and MAIN IN jack.

### SEPARATE/COUPLED switch

When this switch is set to COUPLED, the PRE OUT jack and MAIN IN jack are connected internally, allowing the PM-17mk II to be used as a pre-main amp.

When the switch is set to SEPARATE, the PRE OUT jack and MAIN IN jack are internally disconnected, allowing the PM-17mk II to be used as a pre-amp or main amp.

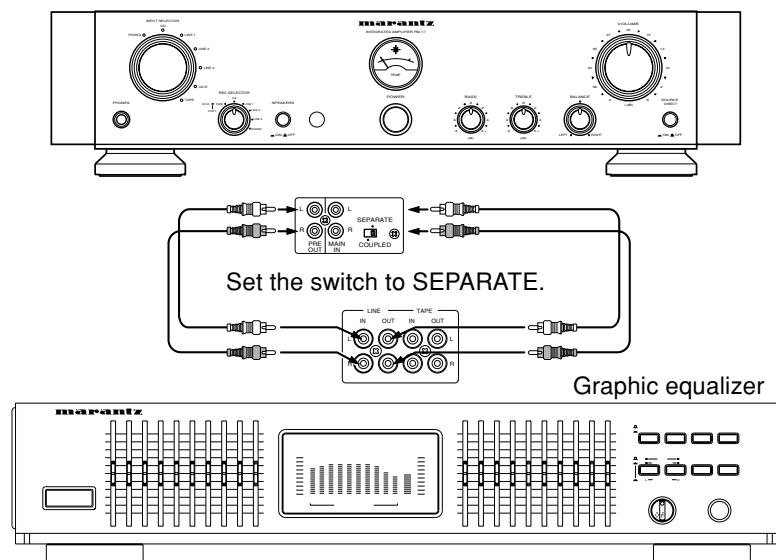
Usage example 1: Bi-amp connection combined with Marantz SM-17 (main amp)



If you are using a speaker system that supports bi-wiring, you can combine the PM-17mk II with the SM-17 for bi-amp operation that provides a higher quality of sound.

In case of BTL connection with SM-17. Please refer to the user guide of SM-17.

Usage example 2: Graphic equalizer connection





**⑨ BALANCE control**

Turn to correct the left-right imbalance which may occur in stereo broadcast reception or otherwise change the output level of either the LEFT or RIGHT channel. Be careful of the position of this control because turning it fully clockwise or counter-clockwise mutes the sound from the other channel.

**⑩ SOURCE DIRECT switch**

When this switch is pressed in, the signals are transmitted by bypassing the **BALANCE** and tone (**BASS** and **TREBLE**) control circuitry so that they can be reproduced with a higher quality. (The **BALANCE**, **BASS** and **TREBLE** controls are defeated.)

**⑪ Warm-up meter**

With any audio unit, the real sound quality cannot be obtained immediately after the power is turned on, and warming up is required to make the unit exhibit its full performance. As time passes after the power has been turned ON, the temperatures of different parts of the unit become constant and the electrolytic capacitors become active.

This meter allows to check the warm-up condition of the unit. The meter needle starts to swing gradually in a little while after the power is turned ON and reaches about 2/3 of the meter's full scale in about 30 minutes. Now the unit has almost been warmed up and can reproduce music with its original performance.

The meter positions immediately after turning power on and at the end of warming up and the time taken for warming up are variable depending on the temperature, ventilation and other conditions of the listening room where the unit is located.







## TROUBLESHOOTING

In case of trouble with the unit, first check the following before calling for service. What seems to be a serious malfunction is often due to a simple operation mistake.  
If the trouble still persists after checking, please consult your dealer or nearest MARANTZ service agent.

### **The amplifier does not work and the warm-up meter lamp does not light.**

1. Check if the power cord is plugged properly into an AC power outlet.

### **The warm-up meter lamp lights but the amplifier will not function.**

1. Check the settings of the INPUT SELECTOR switch, VOLUME control and SPEAKERS switches.

### **Sound is produced only from one of the speaker systems.**

1. Check the setting of the BALANCE control.
2. Turn power of the set off and change the connections of the left and right speaker systems. If sound is still not output from the same speaker system, check its connection cord or the speaker system itself.

### **Sound is not produced at all.**

1. Check the settings of the INPUT SELECTOR switches.
2. Check that at least one of the SPEAKERS switches is pressed in.
3. Check that the speaker cords are connected properly.
4. Check that the connection cords with RCA pin plugs are connected properly.
5. Check the SEPARATE/COUPLED switch position on rear panel.

### **Sound from the analog turntable is not output or very noisy (hum noise).**

1. Check that the connection to the PHONO jacks is made properly.
2. Connect the grounding wire of the turntable to the GND terminal on the rear panel of the amplifier set. If it has already been connected, try removing it.
3. Check that the cartridge is attached properly to the tone arm.
4. Remove the power plug of the turntable from the power outlet and insert it again by inverting the relationship of the left and right blades with respect to the power outlet slots.

## TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS (DIN)

Rated power output (20Hz to 20 kHz, 2ch simultaneous drive) ..... 60 W x 2 (8  $\Omega$  load)  
..... 80 W x 2 (6  $\Omega$  load)  
..... 100 W x 2 (4  $\Omega$  load)

Total harmonic distortion (20Hz to 20 kHz, 2ch drive, 8  $\Omega$  load) ..... 0.01 %

Cross-modulation distortion (SMPTE) ..... 0.01 %

Output bandwidth (8  $\Omega$  load, 0.04 %) ..... 10 Hz to 50 kHz

Frequency response (CD, SOURCE DIRECT) ..... 5Hz to 70kHz, +0 / -1 dB

Damping factor (8  $\Omega$  load, 20Hz to 10 kHz) ..... 100

### Input sensitivity/Input impedance

PHONO (MC) ..... 230  $\mu$ V/100  $\Omega$   
PHONO (MM) ..... 2.5 mV/22 k $\Omega$   
HIGH LEVEL ..... 220 mV/22 k $\Omega$   
MAIN IN ..... 1.6 V/22 k $\Omega$

### Maximum allowable PHON input (1 kHz)

MC ..... 15 mV  
MM ..... 150 mV

RIAA deviation (20 Hz to 20 kHz) .....  $\pm$  0.2 dB

### S/N (IHF A network, input shorted)

PHONO (MC) ..... 76 dB  
PHONO (MM) ..... 90 dB  
HIGH LEVEL ..... 112 dB

### Tone control

BASS (100 Hz) .....  $\pm$  8 dB  
TREBLE (10 kHz) .....  $\pm$  8 dB

Supply voltage ..... 230 V/AC, 50 Hz

### Dimensions

Width ..... 458 mm  
Height ..... 110 mm  
Depth ..... 429 mm  
Weight ..... 16 kg

### Accessories

Remote control unit (RC-17mk II PM) ..... x 1

### Dimensions

Width ..... 44 mm  
Height ..... 239 mm  
Depth ..... 17.5 mm  
Weight (without batteries) ..... 189 g  
SUM-4 (AAA size) dry cell battery ..... x 2

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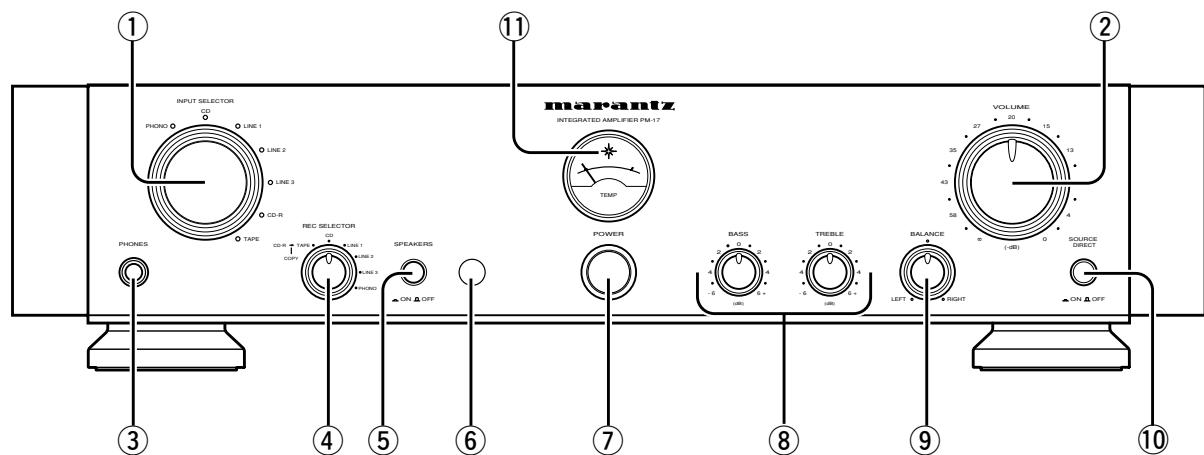
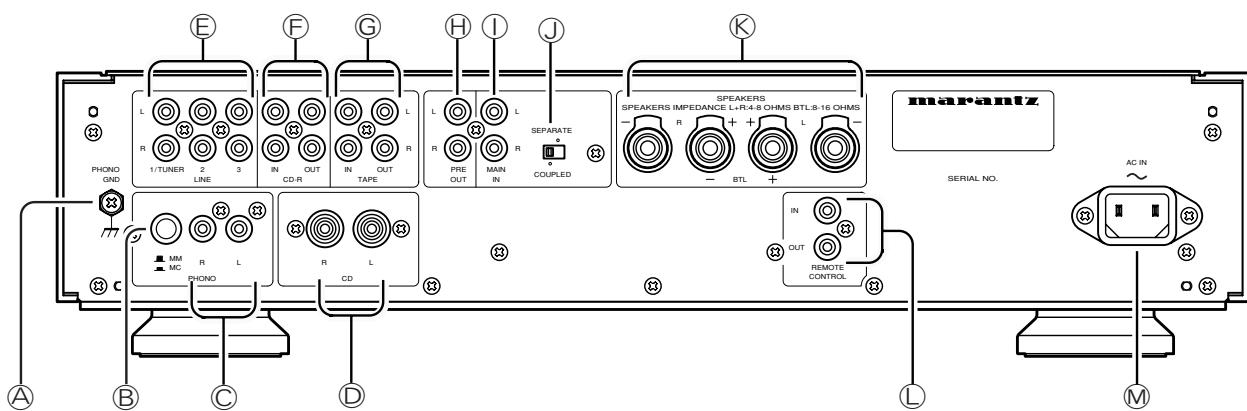


Figure 2

