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DN-501C

Latest Firmware Version: A-1.35

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Update Process and Verification

Important: Before updating to the latest firmware, please make sure your DN-501C is using Firmware Version **A-1.14** or later. If it is not, please update to A-1.14 *before* updating to A-1.33: follow all of the steps below using the **DN501CFW.bin** file, and then repeat the same procedure using the **DN501CFWA.bin** file.

To update the firmware on your DN-501C:

1. Unzip the contents of the downloaded **.zip** file to your Desktop.

2. Transfer the **DN501CFWA.bin** file from that **.zip** file to the root directory of a USB storage device.

3. Make sure your DN-501C is securely connected to a power outlet and is powered off, and then insert the USB storage device into it.

4. Power on DN-501C.

5. DN-501C's display will show the new firmware version number. Confirm the version number is correct.

6. To continue with the update, turn the **Jog Wheel** on the front panel to select **OK**, and then press the **Jog Wheel**. *During the update process, do not power off DN-501C or disconnect it from the power outlet. Doing so can damage the unit.*

    To cancel the operation instead, turn the **Jog Wheel** on the front panel to select **Cancel**, and then press the **Jog Wheel**.

7. Allow the update process to complete, which may take approximately 1 minute. The display may go dark during this time. After the update is completed, DN-501C will automatically restart. Remove your USB storage device, and delete the **.bin** files.

    Your DN-501C now has the newest firmware.

To check the firmware version on your DN-501C:

1. With the DN-501C powered on and stopped, press the **Menu** key.

2. Select **06 Utility** and press the **Jog Wheel**.

3. Select **03 Firmware Version** and press the **Jog Wheel**. The installed firmware version will appear in the display.

Changes

Firmware Version A-1.35 (July 2015)

- Added auto-power down functionality for ErP.

Firmware Version A-1.33 (September 2014)

- Added ability to manually select whether or not the pitch value is recalled.
- Added ability to assign the button to change the pitch.
- Fixed an issue where the preset file occasionally did not load completely.

Firmware Version A-1.32 (May 2014)

- Added hotlist file (**.ppl**) function created by RC-F400S loading automatically.
- Added ability to forcibly eject disc by pressing **Shift** and **Eject** simultaneously when the **Shift** button mode is set to **Momentary**.
- Improved CD reading performance.
- Improved detection performance of USB device when starting up.

Firmware Version A-1.30 (March 2014)

- Improved CD playback performance.
- Fixed an issue where a pop noise occasionally occurred when finishing media playback.
- Fixed the functionality of **Extended Communication Format (MIDI)**.

Firmware Version A-1.26 (January 2014)

- Improved CD reading performance.
- Fixed the function that stores Hotlist files by using RC-F400S.
- Fixed an issue where the RC-F400S display sometimes displays **Wait…** popup continuously after inserting USB media.

Firmware Version A-1.23 (November 2013)

- Added MIDI command to change playback media.
- Fixed MIDI command error.
- Fixed an issue where occasional pop noises occurred when changing FS or media.
- Fixed an issue where the unit can freeze after playing specified wave files.
- Fixed an issue where playback status changes to **Cue** after changing media from **CD** to **USB**.
- Fixed an issue where the pitch button would sometimes not work.

Technical Support

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