

KENWOOD

MONITOR WITH DVD RECEIVER

KVT-524DVD

KVT-554DVD

KVT-54DVDR

INSTALLATION MANUAL

Kenwood Corporation

Installation Procedure/Accessories

1. To prevent short circuits, remove the key from the ignition and disconnect the ⊖ terminal of the battery.
2. Make the proper input and output wire connections for each unit.
3. Connect the wire of the wiring harness.
4. Take Connector B on the wiring harness and connect it to the speaker connector in your vehicle.
5. Take Connector A on the wiring harness and connect it to the external power connector on your vehicle.
6. Connect the wiring harness connector to the unit.
7. Install the unit in your car.
8. Reconnect the ⊖ terminal of the battery.
9. Press the reset button.

▲WARNING

- If you connect the ignition wire (red) and the battery wire (yellow) to the car chassis (ground), you may cause a short circuit, that in turn may start a fire. Always connect those wires to the power source running through the fuse box.

▲CAUTION

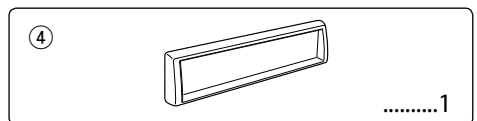
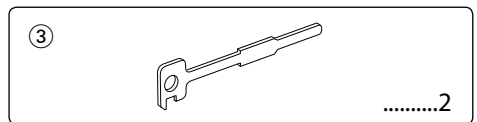
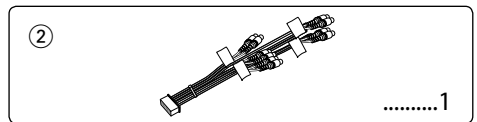
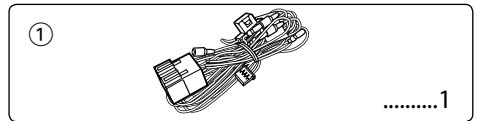
- Install this unit in the console of your vehicle. Do not touch the metal part of this unit during and shortly after the use of the unit. Metal part such as the heat sink and enclosure become hot.



- Mounting and wiring this product requires skills and experience. For safety's sake, leave the mounting and wiring work to professionals.
- Make sure to ground the unit to a negative 12V DC power supply.
- Do not install the unit in a spot exposed to direct sunlight or excessive heat or humidity. Also avoid places with too much dust or the possibility of water splashing.
- Do not use your own screws. Use only the screws provided.
- If you use the wrong screws, you could damage the unit.
- If the power is not turned ON ("PROTECT" is displayed), the speaker wire may have a short-circuit or touched the chassis of the vehicle and the protection function may have been activated. Therefore, the speaker wire should be checked.
- Make sure that all wire connections are securely made by inserting jacks until they lock completely.
- If your vehicle's ignition does not have an ACC position, or if the ignition wire is connected to a power source with constant voltage such as a battery wire, the power will not be linked with the ignition (i.e., it will not turn on and off along with the ignition). If you want to link the unit's power with the ignition, connect the ignition wire to a power source that can be turned on and off with the ignition key.

- Use a commercially available conversion connector if the connector does not fit in the vehicle connector.
- Insulate unconnected wires with vinyl tape or other similar material. To prevent a short circuit, do not remove the caps on the ends of the unconnected wires or the terminals.
- If the console has a lid, make sure to install the unit so that the faceplate will not hit the lid when closing and opening.
- If the fuse blows, first make sure the wires aren't touching to cause a short circuit, then replace the old fuse with one with the same rating.
- Connect the speaker wires correctly to the terminals to which they correspond. The unit may be damaged or fail to work if you share the ⊖ wires or ground them to any metal part in the car.
- After the unit is installed, check whether the brake lamps, blinkers, wipers, etc. on the car are working properly.
- Mount the unit so that the mounting angle is 30° or less.
- This unit has the cooling fan (page 5) to decrease the internal temperature. Do not mount the unit in a place where the cooling fan of the unit are blocked. Blocking these openings will inhibit the cooling of the internal temperature and result in malfunction.

Accessories



Connecting Wires to Terminals

Connector Function Guide

Pin Numbers for ISO Connectors	Cable Colour	Functions
External Power Connector		
A-4	Yellow	Battery
A-5	Blue/White	Power Control
A-6	Orange/White	Dimmer
A-7	Red	Ignition (ACC)
A-8	Black	Earth (Ground) Connection
Speaker Connector		
B-1	Purple	Rear Right (+)
B-2	Purple/Black	Rear Right (-)
B-3	Gray	Front Right (+)
B-4	Gray/Black	Front Right (-)
B-5	White	Front Left (+)
B-6	White/Black	Front Left (-)
B-7	Green	Rear Left (+)
B-8	Green/Black	Rear Left (-)

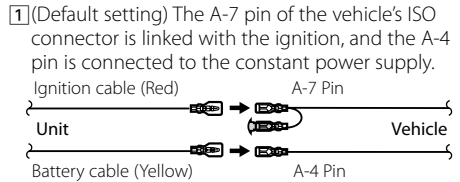
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Connecting the ISO Connector

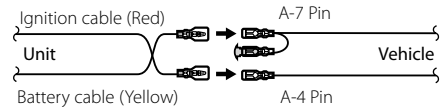
The pin arrangement for the ISO connectors depends on the type of vehicle you drive. Make sure to make the proper connections to prevent damage to the unit.

The default connection for the wiring harness is described in [1] below. If the ISO connector pins are set as described in [2] or [3], make the connection as illustrated.

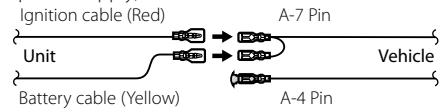
Please be sure to reconnect the cable as shown [2] below to install this unit to the **Volkswagen** vehicles etc.



[2] The A-7 pin of the vehicle's ISO connector is connected to the constant power supply, and the A-4 pin is linked to the ignition.

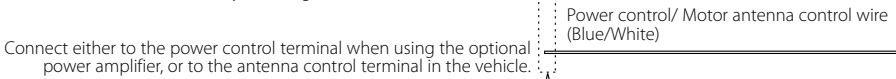
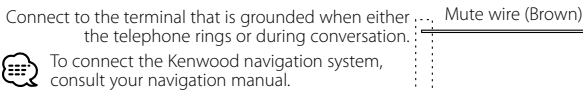
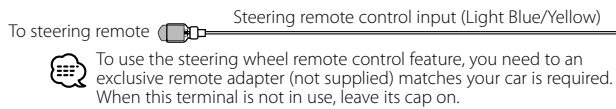
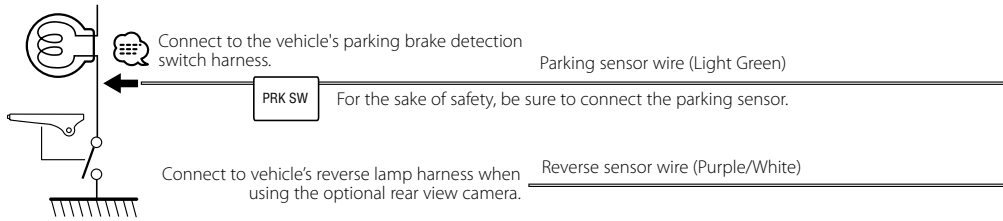
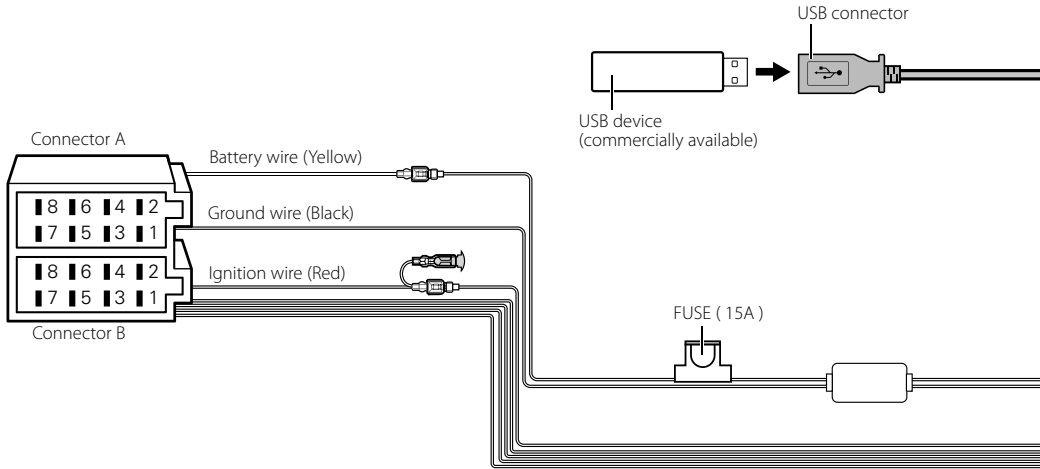


[3] The A-4 pin of the vehicle's ISO connector is not connected to anything, while the A-7 pin is connected to the constant power supply (or both the A-7 and A-4 pins are connected to the constant power supply).

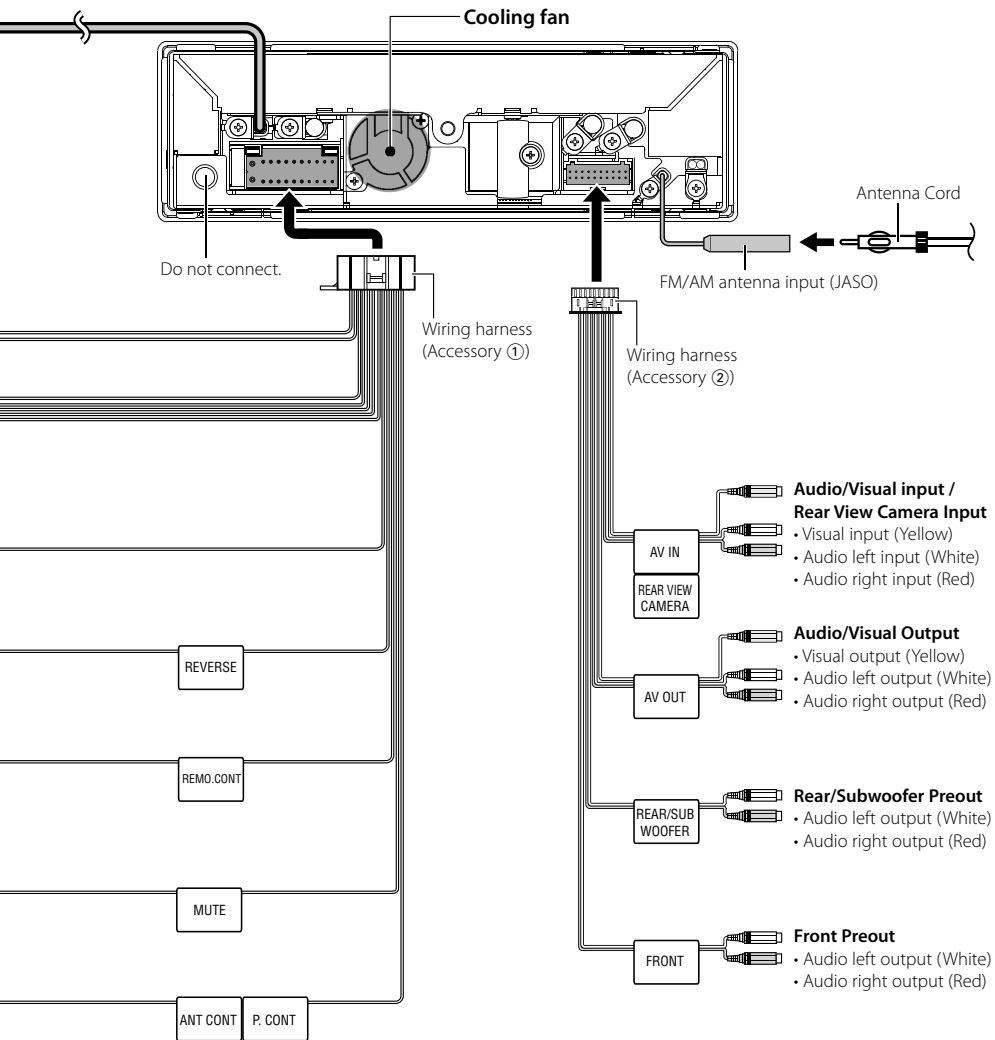


- When the connection is made as in [3] above, the unit's power will not be linked to the ignition key. For that reason, always make sure to turn off the unit's power when the ignition is turned off. To link the unit's power to the ignition, connect the ignition cable (ACC...red) to a power source that can be turned on and off with the ignition key.

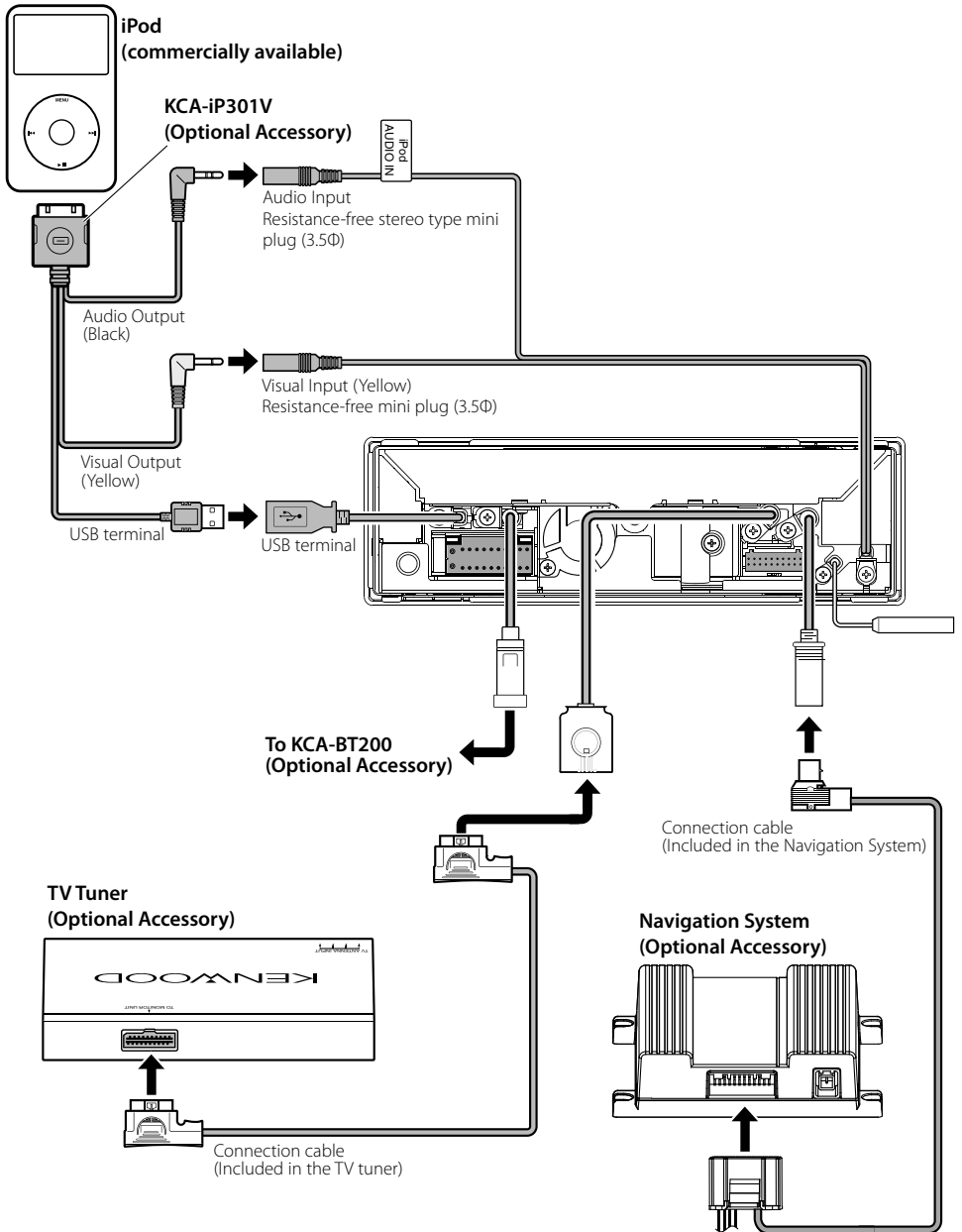
Connecting Wires to Terminals



If no connections are made, do not let the cable come out from the tab.

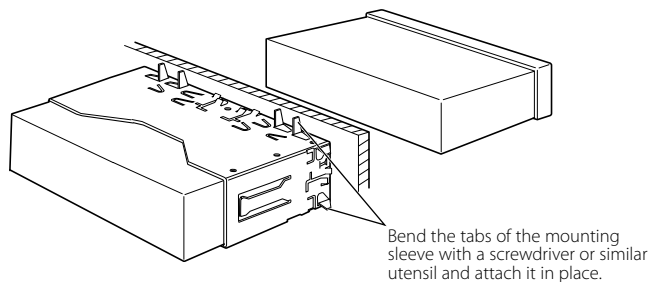


Optional Accessory Connection



Installation/Removing the Unit

Installation

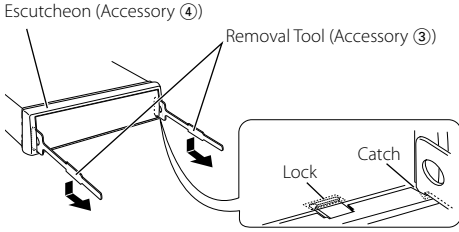


 Make sure that the unit is installed securely in place. If the unit is unstable, it may malfunction (eg, the sound may skip).

Installation/Removing the Unit

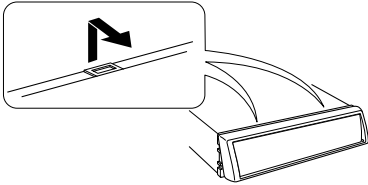
Removing the Hard Rubber Frame (escutcheon)

1. Engage the catch pins on the removal tool ③ and remove the two locks on the lower level. Lower the frame and pull it forward as shown in the figure.



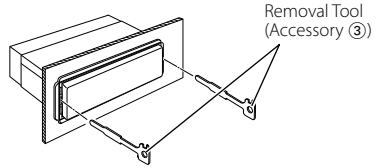
- The frame can be removed from the top side in the same manner.

2. When the lower level is removed, remove the upper two locations.

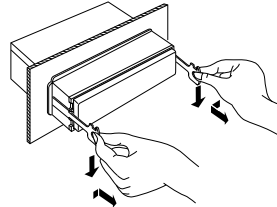


Removing the Unit

1. Remove the hard rubber frame by referring to the removal procedure in the section <Removing the Hard Rubber Frame>.
2. Insert the two removal tools ③ deeply into the slots on each side, as shown.



3. Lower the removal tool toward the bottom, and pull out the unit halfway while pressing towards the inside.



- Be careful to avoid injury from the catch pins on the removal tool.

4. Pull the unit all the way out with your hands, being careful not to drop it.

