About the Spotify audio stream playback function

Spotify is a music streaming distribution service managed and operated by Spotify Ltd. and distributing music over the Internet. Spotify audio streams can be enjoyed using this unit and your smartphone or other mobile device.

Preparations (1) Updating this unit to software supporting Spotify

See the website below for instructions on updating the firmware and for the firmware versions that support Spotify. If this unit already has a firmware version that supports Spotify, start from “Preparations (2)”.

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http://www.pioneer.eu (For Europe)
http://www.pioneer.com.sg (For Southeast Asia)
http://www.pioneer.com.au (For Australia)
http://www.pioneerhongkong.com.hk (For Hong Kong)

Preparations (2) Installing the Spotify application on mobile devices and registering a Spotify Premium account

Important

- The Spotify application must be installed on the iPhone/iPod touch/iPad and you must have registered a Spotify Premium account (for a charge) in order to use the Spotify audio stream playback function on this unit. For registration procedures and other Spotify services, see the Spotify website.

http://www.spotify.com/

For information on the countries and regions where Spotify services can be used, see the website below.

http://www.spotify.com/

Spotify functions may be changed without notice.

An Internet connection is required on the mobile device in order to use the Spotify application. Using the mobile telephone line for the Internet connection tends to lead to high packet communication charges, so we recommend subscribing to a fixed packet rate plan. For details, contact your mobile telephone operator.

Preparations (3) Connecting this unit to the network

- Connect this unit to the network and also to the Internet. For instructions on connecting, see this unit’s operating instructions.
- Connect the mobile device by Wi-Fi to the wireless LAN router of the same network as the one to which this unit is connected. For instructions on connecting, see the operating instructions of the mobile device and the wireless LAN router.

In order to use the Spotify audio stream playback function from the Spotify application

To use the Spotify audio stream playback function, select this unit on the Spotify application.

When Spotify audio streaming starts, this unit’s input automatically switches to Spotify.

Caution

- Even if you are away from home, if you start Spotify audio streaming to play music on your mobile device and this unit is selected, the sound will be output from this unit. Depending on the volume level, the output may be loud, so be sure to check the audio output selection carefully before starting audio streaming. In addition, if you accidentally select this unit and play the sound on it, switch the audio output selection to the mobile device.

Note

- A separate contract with/payment to an Internet service provider is required to use the Spotify audio stream playback function.
- This unit’s name is displayed as the playback device on the Spotify application. Also, this unit’s name can be changed at “Friendly Name” in the network settings.
- When this unit is selected with the Spotify application, the account information is registered on this unit as well. When disposing of this unit, reset this unit’s settings in order to delete the account information registered on this unit. For instructions on resetting, see this unit’s operating instructions.
## Troubleshooting

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<td>The sound of the Spotify audio stream is not produced.</td>
<td>• Check whether this unit is selected on the Spotify application. &lt;br&gt;• Check that contents are playing on the Spotify application. &lt;br&gt;• If the above does not solve the problem, turn this unit’s power off then back on. &lt;br&gt;• With an AV receiver that has the [System Setup] ➔ [Other Setup] ➔ [Play ZONE Setup] option, the sound may be playing in another zone. If this is the case, set which zone the sound is to be played in at the play zone settings.</td>
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<td>This unit’s volume does not increase when the volume slider in the Spotify application is raised.</td>
<td>On some models, there is an upper limit to the volume to prevent the volume from being too high accidentally. To raise the volume higher in this case, do so by operating the remote control. When using an application such as iControlAV or Pioneer Control App, the volume can also be increased from the application.</td>
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<td>Playback continues on this unit when the Spotify application is quit.</td>
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