

FP-7 Digital Portable Piano

Q&A



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How Do I SPLIT THE KEYBOARD?

Use the following procedure to split the keyboard in order to play a different sound on either side of the split:

- 1 Select the first sound by pressing a TONE button.

Note: The first selection always appears on the right side of the split.

- 2 Press the SPLIT button so it lights.
- 3 While holding the SPLIT button, select the second sound by pressing a TONE button.

Note: The second selection appears on the left side of the split.

- 4 To reunite the two halves of the keyboard, press the SPLIT button to un-light it.

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How Do I LAYER SOUNDS?

Use the following procedure to layer two sounds:

- 1 Select the first sound by pressing a TONE button.
- 2 While holding the first TONE button, press another TONE button to add a second sound, creating a layer.
- 3 To un-layer your sounds, press any TONE button.

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How Do I Save My Settings?

Use the following procedure to save your Session Partner and button settings:

- 1 Set up the FP-7 as desired.
- 2 While holding down the REGISTRATION button, press one of the seven TONE buttons.

Note: It doesn't matter which TONE button you press—you can change your sound selection later.

- 3 Hold down DISPLAY to open the Registration window, where you can change the registration number or registration name by selecting either parameter with the + and/or - buttons.
- 4 Release DISPLAY and use the + and/or - buttons to change what you selected in Step 3.

Note: The registration memories are pre-filled with factory-demo settings you can erase and replace with your own personal settings. The factory settings can always be recalled later by performing a Factory Reset.

- 5 Once you're satisfied with your settings, press the REGISTRATION button to confirm and finish the registration of your settings.

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How Do I RECORD A SONG ON THE FP-7?

- 1 Press the DISPLAY button several times so it lights green.
- 2 Press the - button several times until the display shows “New Song.”
- 3 Press the REC button so it lights red.
- 4 Begin playing.

Note: Recording begins automatically as soon as you begin playing.

- 5 Press the PLAY button to stop recording.
- 6 Press the PLAY button again to listen to your new recording.

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HOW DO I USE THE ORGAN ROTARY EFFECT?

The organ rotary effect simulates the effect of an electric organ played through a rotary speaker. Use the following procedure to control the speed of the rotary speaker effect:

- 1 Press the ORGAN TONE button so it lights.
- 2 Use the + / - buttons to select an organ tone that causes the ROTARY SPEED button to light and flash—the flashing indicates that the tone uses the rotary speaker effect.

Note: Several organ sounds don't cause the button to flash—the organ rotary effect is inactive in these sounds.

- 3 While playing a chord, press the ROTARY SPEED button. The speed of the rotary effect accelerates or decelerates each time you press the button.

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How Do I Find FP-7 Articles in the RolandUS.com Knowledge Base?

- 1 Point your browser to the FP-7 [Support area](#) on RolandUS.com.
- 2 Click “Knowledge Base.”
If you’re not already logged into Roland Backstage, the Roland Backstage login appears.
- 3 If you’re:
 - *a Roland Backstage member*—enter your email address and password, and then click the Login button.
 - *not yet a Roland Backstage member*—click “Create New Profile” to create a free new user account. As a Roland Backstage member, you become part of the online Roland US.com community and gain access to helpful tools and services.
- 4 Once you’re logged in, click the large Knowledge Base button.
- 5 On the Knowledge Base screen, enter “FP-7” in the Product field.
- 6 Click the Find button in the middle of the screen to browse the available FP-7 Knowledge Base articles.