SIRPNR2C
PIONEER COMPATIBLE
SIRIUS SATELLITE RADIO TUNER

Installation Guide
Congratulations on your purchase of the SIRPNR2C— the Pioneer Compatible SIRIUS Satellite Radio Tuner!

Your new SIRIUS Tuner is designed to work with all Pioneer headunits that are designated to be “SAT RADIO READY” for any Satellite Radio provider. Contact Pioneer or SIRIUS for model compatibility.

What is SIRIUS Satellite Radio?

SIRIUS is 100 channels of the best entertainment and completely commercial-free music for your car, home or office. Only SIRIUS has 60 original music channels, from today’s hits to R&B oldies to classical masterpieces. From authentic Country and real Bluegrass to cool Jazz, hot Latin, Reggae, Rock and many more. Best of all, it’s all completely commercial-free. SIRIUS also has 40 channels of worldclass sports, news and entertainment. Coupled with great sports news from ESPN, the SIRIUS sports offering is unrivaled. And don’t forget a host of other great news and entertainment, like NPR, CNBC, CBC, Radio Disney and E! Entertainment Radio. SIRIUS Canada’s lineup includes 10 Canadian channels featuring some of the best Canadian programming and cutting edge Canadian indie music.

With SIRIUS, the emphasis is on the music and entertainment you want. The music is hosted by SIRIUS Jockeys, who are true experts. They back-up the music with compelling information about the song being played, and they understand that sometimes it’s best to just let the music speak for itself. Rely on SIRIUS rocket science for superior coverage. Only SIRIUS has three powerful satellites that fly directly over North America ensuring coast-to-coast-to-coast coverage with high elevation angles. This gives the satellites a “clear line of sight” to your car or home, with much less concern for buildings, trees or other objects that might block conventional satellite signals. Once you experience our 100 channels of digital entertainment, you’ll never want to leave your car. For more information, visit www.siriuscanada.ca.
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Package Contents

A  SIRPNR2C Tuner
B  Mini Magnetic Antenna
C  Antenna Cable Cover/Tail
D  Alcohol Swab
E  Power Harness With In-Line Fuse
F  2.5-Meter IP-Bus Cable
G  6 Mounting Screws
**WARNING**

This symbol means important instructions. Failure to heed them can result in serious injury or death.

**DO NOT OPERATE ANY FUNCTION THAT TAKES YOUR ATTENTION AWAY FROM SAFELY DRIVING YOUR VEHICLE.**

Any function that requires your prolonged attention should only be performed after coming to a complete stop. Always stop the vehicle in a safe location before performing these functions.

Failure to do so may result in an accident.

**DO NOT OPEN, DISASSEMBLE OR ALTER THE UNIT IN ANY WAY.** Doing so may result in fire, electric shock or product damage.

**DO NOT INSERT ANY OBJECTS INTO THE UNIT.** Doing so may result in fire, electric shock or product damage.

**USE THE CORRECT AMPERE RATING WHEN REPLACING FUSE.** Failure to do so may result in fire, electric shock or product damage.

**MAKE THE CORRECT CONNECTIONS.** Failure to make proper connections may result in fire or product damage.

**DO NOT SPLICE INTO A ELECTRICAL CABLES.** Never cut away cable insulation to supply power to other equipment. Doing so will exceed the current carrying capacity of the wire and result in fire or electric shock.

**DO NOT INSTALL IN LOCATIONS THAT MIGHT HINDER VEHICLE OPERATION.** Doing so may obstruct vision or hamper movement which can result in a serious accident.

**DO NOT INSTALL THE UNIT TO HIGH LEVELS OF HUMIDITY, MOISTURE OR DUST.** Doing so can result in electric shock or product failure.

**FCC Warning:** This equipment may generate or use radio frequency energy. Changes or modifications to this equipment may cause harmful interference unless the modifications are expressly approved in this User Guide. The user could lose the authority to operate this equipment if an unauthorized change or modification is made.

**Note:** This equipment has been tested and found to comply with Part 15 of the FCC Rules. These rules are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference. This equipment may cause harmful interference to radio communications if it is not installed and used in accordance with these instructions. However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation. If this equipment does cause harmful interference to radio or television reception, which can be determined by turning the equipment off and on, the user is encouraged to try to correct the interference by one or more of the following measures:

- Relocate the receiving antenna.
- Consult the dealer or an experienced technician for help.
⚠ CAUTION

This symbol means important instructions. Failure to heed them can result in injury or material property damage.

HALT USE IMMEDIATELY IF A PROBLEM APPEARS. Failure to do so may cause personal injury or damage to the product. Return the unit to your authorized retailer or nearest service center for repairing.

INSTALL THE WIRING SO THAT IT IS NOT CRIMPED OR PINCHED BY SCREWS OR SHARP METAL EDGES. Route the cables away from moving parts or sharp pointed edges. This will prevent crimping and damage to the wiring. If the wiring must pass through a metal hole, be sure to use a rubber grommet to prevent the wire’s insulation from being cut by the metal edge of the hole.

USE THE SPECIFIED ACCESSORY PARTS AND INSTALL THE PRODUCT SECURELY. Be sure to use only the specified accessory parts. Use of non-specified parts may damage this unit internally or may not securely install the unit in place. This may cause parts to become loose, resulting in hazards or product failure.

USE CAUTION IF YOU NEED TO DISCONNECT THE BATTERY TERMINAL. Please consult the vehicle’s owner’s manual or a service technician prior to removing the battery positive or ground connection, as it may cause damage to the vehicle’s electrical system or require reprogramming of the vehicle’s computer-controlled devices.
Installation

It is recommended that prior to starting the installation, you thoroughly read this manual and follow the guidelines listed below:

Consider the mounting location carefully. You should make sure that you avoid the following:
- Any location where the tuner is exposed to moisture.
- Any location where the unit is exposed to extreme heat.
- Any location that would interfere with moving parts on the vehicle or hamper driving.

Mounting the SIRPNR2C Tuner

Be sure that you find a location that is flat and has clearance above the unit to prevent any damage as well as allow for ventilation.

Do not install the tuner under the carpet or in a small enclosed area without proper ventilation. Doing so can result in damage to the tuner or the vehicle.

Use the supplied screws to securely fasten the unit.

Caution:

If you are attaching the unit directly to the vehicle’s chassis, be sure that you check to make sure the area behind the unit is free from moving parts, fuel or break lines, wire harnesses or any other items which may get damaged by drilling a mounting hole or using the supplied screws.

Installing the Antenna

The antenna includes a "6-1/2" cable cover/tail which covers the exposed antenna cable and keeps it attached securely to vehicle roof. The tail also helps position the antenna the proper distance from the window, sunroof or rear hatch.

To attach the cover/tail:

1) Once you have determined the proper mounting location (see next section), clean the area with the supplied alcohol swab.

2) Connect the cover/tail to the antenna cable, making sure that the strain-relief on the antenna seats into the cover/tail groove. Route the cable through the wire channel in the cover/ tail.

Connect the cable cover/tail to the antenna cable, insert the cable through the groove. Peel off the adhesive tape.
3) Remove the remaining protective tape from the adhesive, carefully position the antenna with cover/tail and apply pressure to secure to the vehicle.

For SUVs, minivans and five-door vehicles, bring the cable into the vehicle under the rubber molding for the tailgate, and continue under the interior trim.

From the trunk, carefully route the cable to the location of the SIRPNR2C and plug the SMB connector onto the unit.

**Optimum Antenna Mounting Locations**

The optimum location to mount the included antenna is on the roof of the vehicle. It is important to avoid any obstruction that will block satellite signal – like a roof rack. For convertible vehicles, install the antenna on the trunk lid.

- Place the antenna on a metal surface of your vehicle at least 12" x 12", and at least 6" from a window. (Use the antenna cover/tail as a guide for the proper distance).
- The antenna’s powerful magnet will secure it to the metal surface. The adhesive that is attached to the antenna cover/tail will secure the cable to the vehicle. Before routing the antenna cable, confirm that the antenna is mounted in a good location.
- Route the cable from the antenna to the vehicle’s interior by tucking it underneath the rubber molding around the rear window (if possible).
- Route the cable from the lowest point of the rear window into the trunk. Take advantage of any existing cable channels or wiring conduits.

**Caution:**

- Do not pull the wire across sharp edges that could damage it.
- Keep the wire away from areas where it could become tangled in the driver’s and passenger’s feet.
- Keep the antenna wire away from extreme heat – like exhaust systems.
- Avoid placing the cable near any moving parts.
Wiring and Cable Connections

**Antenna Input**
Connect the right-angle SMB connector from the antenna. Push firmly to attach.

**IP-Bus Output Connector**
Use the supplied IP-BUS cable to connect to the Pioneer Headunit or Audio Processor – See “System Connection Examples” for more specific details.

**IP-BUS Input Connector**
Connect to optional Pioneer audio equipment like CD Changers - See “System Connection Examples” for more specific details.

A Antenna Input (SMB)
B IP-Bus Output Connector (BLACK)
C IP-Bus Input Connector (BLUE)
D Power Connector

Power harness with serviceable fuse box

1 Open
2 Yellow -- Battery (+12VDC)
3 Black -- Ground (-)
4 Open

*NOTE* BE SURE TO CONNECT THE BATTERY (Yellow) AND GROUND (Black) WIRES CORRECTLY. IF THEY ARE CROSSED, THE FUSE INSTALLED IN THE POWER HARNESS FUSE BOX WILL BLOW. IF THE FUSE BLOWS, YOU WILL NEED TO REPLACE IT.
To access the fuse, remove the top cover of the in-line filter/fuse box.

Black – Connect to Chassis Ground

Yellow – Connect to Battery Positive (+)

Right-angle SMB Connector

Right-angle IP-Bus Connector

Antenna (21’ cable) - Mount on Roof of Vehicle

Power Harness

2.5-meter IP-Bus Cable (Connect to Pioneer SAT RADIO READY Headunit or Signal Processor)
System Connection Examples

System 1: Pioneer Headunit and SIRPNR2C

System 2: Pioneer Headunit, DVD/CD Changer and SIRPNR2C
System 3: Pioneer Headunit, DVD Player and SIRPNR2C

Optional Pioneer SAT RADIO READY Headunit (P-Bus CD Player or Multimedia Headunit)

Optional Pioneer DVD Player

Optional Pioneer CD Changer
Activating Your SIRIUS Subscription

You must activate SIRPNR2C before you can start to receive the SIRIUS Satellite Radio broadcast.

1. Make sure that the SIRPNR2C is properly connected and that its antenna is oriented to receive the SIRIUS satellite signal.
2. Turn on the Pioneer headunit.
3. Press and release the POWER/SOURCE button on the head unit to select EXTERNAL as the source. (Each press of the POWER/SOURCE button will change to a different audio source.)
4. The display will read “UPDATING” until the SIRPNR2C channel update is completed. This is where the latest channel line up is updated on the SIRIUS Receiver.

**NOTE:** Don't push any buttons or perform any operations until updating has been completed.

Once updated and the SIRIUS channels are received, the display will change to “Call 1-888-539-SIRIUS to Subscribe” and will place you in SIRIUS Satellite Radio’s Preview Channel (Channel 184). You should be able to hear the SIRIUS Preview channel’s Audio.

5. Use the ▲ / ▼ buttons to select to Channel “000” on the display to bring up the SIRIUS ID (SID).
6. The unit will display “CH000”, followed by “ESN XXXXXXXXXXXX”. The SID will be displayed in each of the Artist, Song Title, and Composer Fields of the Display – Example “ESN 123456789123.” Write down the 12 digit SID in the location provided on the next page for future reference.

**Note:** You may have to press the FUNC button and select FUNC 1 to change the current viewed field on the Pioneer Headunit to show the SID. (See Pioneer Owners Manual for more information.)

7. Contact SIRIUS on the Internet: [https://activate.siriusradio.com](https://activate.siriusradio.com)

Follow the prompts to activate your subscription.
You can also call SIRIUS toll-free at 1-888-539-SIRIUS (1-888-539-7474).

You will not be able to tune to any other channels until you activate your SIRIUS subscription. After your Pioneer SIRPNR2C is activated, the display will read “SUB UPDT”. Press any key to continue.

**Note:** The SID can also be found on the sticker that is on the bottom of the SIRPNR2C and on the carton box that the unit was packed in.

Basic Operation

The SIRPNR2C SIRIUS Satellite Radio Tuner is compatible with any Pioneer headunit that is “SAT Radio Ready” – which includes 2004 models that indicate they are satellite-ready for any satellite radio provider. Consult Pioneer or SIRIUS Customer Support Departments for more information about compatibility.

Please consult your Pioneer owner’s manual for proper operation instructions for using satellite radio products.
Specifications

Operational Frequencies
Satellite .......................................................... 2322.293/2330.207 MHz
Terrestrial ........................................................... 2326.250MHz

Power Requirements .............................................. 11-16 Volts DC
Fuse Type .............................................................. 1-AMP (Glass)

Chassis Size ............................................. 126.75mm x 125.75mm x 34.75mm (WxHxD)

Antenna Type .......................................................... Mini-Magnetic
Antenna Cable Length ........................................... 21’ (single micro-cable)
Connector Type ...................................................... SMB (Right-angle)

Audio Interface .................................................. 2 IP-Bus Connectors (Input/Output)
Audio Output ................................................................. 1V (Fixed)
Included Cable ....................................................... 2.5 Meter IP-Bus (Male/Male)

Please write down your SIRIUS ID in the space provided below:

SIRIUS ID:

SIRIUS Customer Service: 1-888-539-7474