

**KAWAI**

*Concert Performer*

CP209 • CP179

CP139 • CP119





Seeing a Kawai Concert Performer instrument for the first time, one can immediately sense the passion, tradition and dedication expected from a builder of the finest pianos. The striking high-gloss finish of the CP209 grand, the authentic wood finish of the CP179 and the elegant upright cabinet designs all suggest a deep kinship with their acoustic piano counterparts.

Play the Concert Performer and hear the majestic and unmistakable sound of Kawai's own hand-built EX concert grand piano. Feel the unrivaled expressiveness and control that only a keyboard action built by an acoustic piano builder can deliver. The experience of the Concert Performer is truly that of a *piano*.

But with this instrument, there is so much more to discover...

The Concert Performer offers the very latest in features and technology. Yet, its design is simple and its operation surprisingly easy. A large touch screen display and intuitive navigation allow even a novice user to immediately enjoy all the instrument has to offer. But exploring further, one quickly discovers that the Concert Performer is not only pleasingly accessible but also extremely powerful, and full of limitless possibilities.

Beginners, professionals, educators and worship leaders will all find much to appreciate in a Kawai Concert Performer. And, with a built-in CD-RW drive and USB audio capability, one can create and share music in ways never before imagined.

CP179 Real Wood Cherry



CP179 Ebony Polish

## Amazingly Authentic Sound



The Kawai EX concert grand piano is widely regarded by professional pianists and piano technicians as the finest instrument in its class. The exquisite tone of this renowned piano is the heart and soul of the new Concert Performer, with all eighty-eight keys painstakingly recorded, analyzed and digitally reproduced. Recording each key individually (rather than stretching the same tone over several different notes) ensures that the rich harmonic character of the original EX concert grand is captured precisely, enabling the Concert Performer to produce a magnificent piano tone that is a faithful and proud representation of the original.

Utilizing Kawai's acclaimed *Progressive Harmonic Imaging* sound technology, the new Concert Performer instruments

offer not only a highly-detailed "digital portrait" of the EX concert grand, but also a lush palette of other instrumental and vocal sounds. Whether it's a crisp trumpet, a soulful saxophone, a passionate cello or a jazzy choir, you'll be inspired by the realism and natural character of the sounds offered by the Concert Performer.

Such superb sounds deserve to be heard through equally superb sound systems. CP Series instruments feature powerful speaker systems that provide a deep, resonant bass and a clean, crisp treble. Additionally, the flagship CP209 grand model features a total of nine speakers, many of which are dispersed across the instrument's wooden inner board to better emulate the power and projection of an acoustic grand piano.

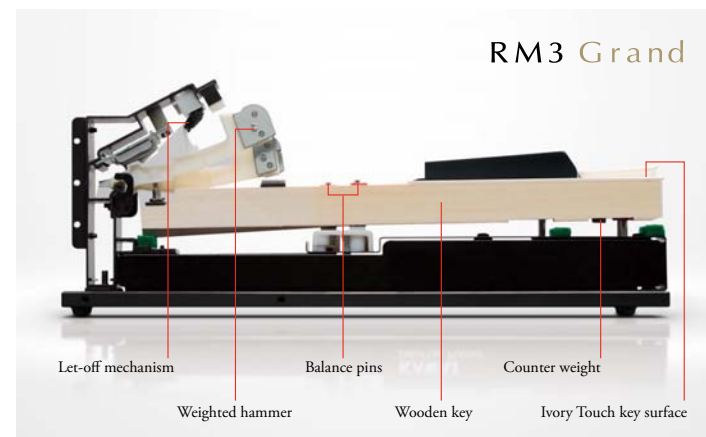
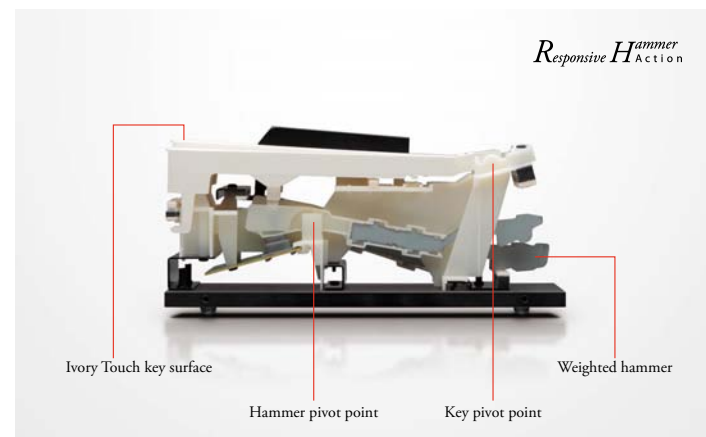
## Remarkably Responsive Touch

Kawai's digital piano engineers – inspired by the company's eight decades of experience in building the world's finest acoustic pianos – strive to incorporate in our digital instruments the same subtle nuances of touch and expressiveness found in our acoustic pianos.

The Responsive Hammer (RH) Action utilizes an innovative system of "hammer grading" in which the weights of the hammers mirror the heavier bass hammers and lighter treble hammers of an acoustic piano. Finely textured ivory-like surfaces are applied to the keys to absorb moisture, enhance control and provide the tactile feel of acoustic piano keys.

The RM3 Grand Action offers an even more expressive playing experience through the use of extra-long wooden keys and a mechanical design that closely resembles the real motion of a grand piano action. Like an acoustic piano, additional counterweights are placed at the front of the bass keys to provide the natural balance of an acoustic piano action. Similarly, the new *Let-off* feature (found in upper-level CP models) re-creates the subtle "notch" sensation felt when playing gently on the keys of a grand piano.

Both the RH and RM3 Grand Actions are crafted with the utmost care and attention to detail, ensuring that the Concert Performer will satisfy the demands of even the most discerning pianist.



## Powerful Performance Features



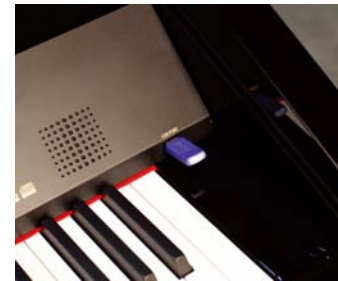
### Simple, Intuitive Operation

A streamlined panel and intuitive touch screen combine for easy operation.



### Built-in CD-RW Drive

The exclusive built-in CD drive allows you to play your favorite CD's, or record and share your very own.



### USB Audio and File Storage

Record and Play MP3 or WAV song files, or save all your User Songs and Data to a USB memory device.



### Music Player Input

Plug your MP3 player into the panel jack and listen to, or play along with, your favorite artists.



### 100's of Sounds & Styles

Hundreds of quality sounds and styles give you the flexibility to play any kind of music you wish.



### Powerful Features

Features such as Microphone Input and Registration Groups allow you to create and perform at your highest musical level.



### Fun Features

Concert Magic and built-in Piano Music allow even non-players to enjoy making music with the Concert Performer.



### Warranty

Purchase the Concert Performer with confidence. There is no warranty stronger than the CP's 5-year Parts and Labor Warranty.



## CP139

Premium Rosewood



## CP119

Premium Mahogany



## CP139 & CP119 Cabinet Finishes



# Specifications

	CP209	CP179	CP139	CP119
Sound Technology	Progressive Harmonic Imaging (PHI), 88-key piano sampling	Progressive Harmonic Imaging (PHI), 88-key piano sampling	Progressive Harmonic Imaging (PHI), 88-key piano sampling	Progressive Harmonic Imaging (PHI), 88-key piano sampling
Action	RM3 with Let-off	RM3 with Let-off	RM3	RH
Keyboard	88 wooden keys with Ivory Touch key surfaces	88 wooden keys with Ivory Touch key surfaces	88 wooden keys with Ivory Touch key surfaces	88 plastic keys with Ivory Touch key surfaces
Music Player Input	Yes	Yes	Yes	-
USB Audio	Play & Rec MP3/WAV	Play & Rec MP3/WAV	Play & Rec MP3/WAV	-
CD-RW	Yes	Yes	Yes	-
CD Vocal Reduction	Yes	Yes	Yes	-
Song Stylist	1000 registrations	1000 registrations	1000 registrations	700 registrations
Piano Music	6 hours of built-in music	6 hours of built-in music	5 hours of built-in music	-
Display Type	Touchscreen – Color	Touchscreen – Color	Touchscreen – Grayscale	Touchscreen – Grayscale
Polyphony	max. 192 notes	max. 192 notes	max. 192 notes	max. 96 notes
No. of Sounds	1000+	1000+	900+	700+
Sound Editing	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
No. of Rhythm Styles	390 + User	390 + User	306 + User	182 + User
Rhythm Variations & Fills	4	4	4	4
Rhythm Intro/Ending	4	4	2	2
1-2 Play Settings	4 per style	4 per style	4 per style	4 per style
Registrations	8 x 20 groups	8 x 20 groups	8 x 20 groups	8 x 10 groups
Concert Magic	176 songs	176 songs	176 songs	176 songs
RH Parts	R1, R2, Solo	R1, R2, Solo	R1, R2, Solo	R1, R2
Octave Shift	4 octaves for each part	4 octaves for each part	4 octaves for each part	4 octaves for each part
RH Harmony	10 types	10 types	10 types	10 types
Mic Input	Yes	Yes	Yes	-
Vocal Effects & Harmony	Yes	Yes	Yes	-
Sympathetic Resonance	Yes	Yes	Yes	-
Damper Effect/Resonance	Damper Resonance	Damper Resonance	Damper Resonance	Damper Effect
Key-off Sampling	Yes	Yes	Yes	-
Virtual Voicing	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Recorder	Easy & Advanced (up to 16 tracks)	Easy & Advanced (up to 16 tracks)	Easy & Advanced (up to 16 tracks)	Easy & Advanced (up to 16 tracks)
Internal Song Memory	4 MB	4 MB	4 MB	1 MB
Jacks	MIDI (IN/OUT/THRU), USB (to Host, to Device), LINE IN (L/MONO, R), LINE IN Level Adjust, LINE OUT (L/MONO, R), Exp. Pedal, Video Out, Mic, In, Mic Volume, Music Input, Phones x 2			MIDI (IN/OUT), USB (to Host), LINE IN (L/MONO, R), LINE OUT (L/MONO, R), Phones x 2
XLR Out	FIXED (L, R), GND LIFT SWITCH	FIXED (L, R), GND LIFT SWITCH	-	-
Sound System	200W – 9 speakers	100W – 6 speakers	80W – 4 speakers	60W – 2 speakers
Finishes	Ebony Polish	Ebony Polish Real Wood Cherry	Premium Rosewood Premium Mahogany Premium Satin Black	Premium Rosewood Premium Mahogany
Bench	Artist Style	Padded, with storage area (Artist Style for Ebony Polish finish)	Padded, with storage area	Padded, with storage area

Specifications are subject to change without notice.

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