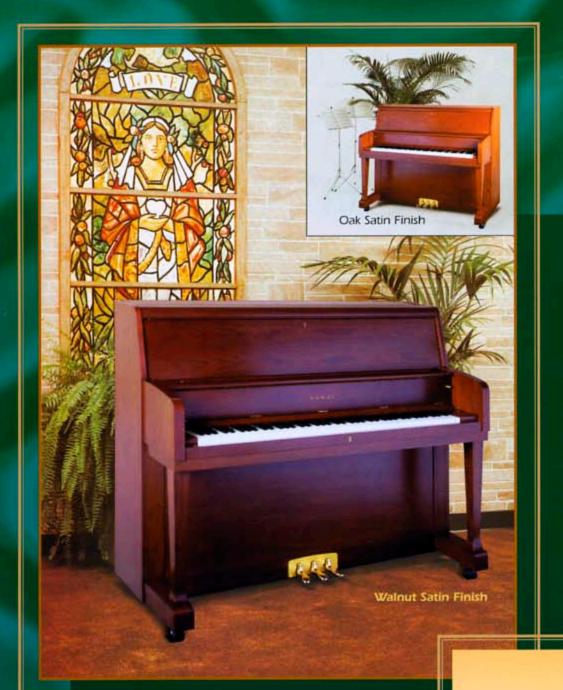
KAWAL



A professional piano for schools, studios, churches and homes.



UST-7 ... a professional piano of unique stature.

The Kawai UST-7 is regarded by piano professionals as the finest school and

institutional piano ever built. The result of over seven decades of piano manufacturing expertise, it sets a standard of exceptional tone, superb touch, and proven dependability that is unmatched in its class.

HEIGHT: 46" [1,775 mm]

WIDTH: 58" (1,479 mm)

DEPTH: 23" (582 mm)

WEIGHT: 574 lbs.

SOUNDBOARD MATERIAL: Solid Spruce

SOUNDBOARD AREA: 2,062 sq. in. (1.33 m²)

SOUNDBOARD RIBS: 10

LENGTH OF LONGEST STRING: 44 1/1" [1,140 mm]

DISTANCE - FLOOR TO KEYBOARD: 29" (734 mm)

Since its introduction, the UST-7 has been a professional upright piano of unique stature. Our master craftsmen designed it to exceed the strictest standards of school boards and institutional purchasing managers throughout North America. It is this design excellence that continues to make the Kawai UST-7 the "choice of those who know."

EXCLUSIVE ABS STYRAN ACTION PARTS

The innovative use of ABS Styran in all our piano actions is one of the chief reasons why a Kawai piano will maintain stable touch and tone over time better than other pianos. Endorsed by leading piano technicians and proven superior in scientific tests, ABS Styran is supported by over thirty years of proven reliability in Kawai pianos.



ACTION AND HAMMERS



The UST-7's Ultra-Responsive™ Direct Blow Upright Action is the most precise in the world. To make the action resistant to climatic and seasonal changes in temperature and humidity, we pioneered the use of extruded aluminum action rails and aluminum hammer rest rails ... as well as precision action parts made of extremely stable, low-friction ABS Styran.

KEYBOARD

The UST-7 keyboard features key surfaces of molded phenolic resin. Keys are weighted and balanced – with touch weight and key dip conforming to industry standards.



TUNING PINS



UST-7 tuning pins are 64mm in length and manufactured to rigid specifications with nickel-plated carbon steel. Our precision thread-cutting process produces a pin with tremendous "reverse-grip" holding power.

BRIDGES

The UST-7 features bridges made of select hard maple. Bridges are carefully secured to the soundboard with multiple joinery processes including specially selected glue, screws and soundboard buttons.



STRINGS

The UST-7 scale requires the finest steel music wire and bass strings that are wrapped with solid copper. The speaking length of the longest string is $44^{7}/s''$ (1,140mm).



SOUNDBOARD

The soundboard begins with matched pieces of select solid spruce. In conjunction with our unique "Drying/Re-Moisturizing Process," ten shaped spruce ribs are fastened to the soundboard in a curved press to create a permanent crown. The long bridge is "arch cut" 5mm to add lifetime support to the crown. The surfaces of the soundboard and ribs are

protected with fine varnish that provides long-term protection while maintaining the flexibility necessary to produce full tonal resonance.

THE KAWAI UST-7... built for lasting performance

BACK, PINBLOCK AND PLATE



The multiple ply, cross-banded rock maple pinblock is securely anchored to a five-post back assembly. UST-7 back posts are exceptionally strong and larger than those found

on other comparable pianos. The entire assembly is further solidified by an extra-heavy cast iron plate that provides the rigidity necessary for long-term tuning stability in all climates.



CASTERS AND LOCKS

To meet all school specifications, the UST-7 is equipped with four double-wheel, ball bearing casters. The double locking system, which secures both the lid and the fallboard, helps keep the instrument safe and secure.



CABINET AND FINISH



Walnut Satin Finish

UST-7 cabinets are offered in either Oak Satin or Walnut Satin finishes. Each panel is meticulously stained, sealed and coated to assure a beautiful and trouble-free finish. The exceptional reputation of the UST-7 has been built not only upon its dependability of performance, but also upon the durability of its cabinet, construction and finish.

TEN YEAR FULL WARRANTY

To ensure your piece of mind and protect the value of your investment, the UST-7 is covered by our own 10-Year Fully Transferable Warranty. This warranty is the seal of Kawai craftsmanship and the assurance of your satisfaction for many years to come.



A Never-Ending Quest For Perfection



KOICHI KAWAI Founder (1886-1955) Inventor, Master Builder



SHIGERU KAWAI Chairman Pursuing excellence at Kawai for over fifty years.



HIROTAKA KAWAI President Continuing the pursuit of perfection.

There is no more compelling reason to build an exceptional piano than one's own name on the instrument. For three generations, the Kawai family has blended knowledge, skill, technology and heart... in the quest to perfect the art of the piano.

