

Neck Speaker & Personal Hearing Amplifier



Model: ABH-130

Quick Start Guide

Place BeHear PROXY on your shoulders and enjoy a rich, clear, and comfortable listening experience for:

- Television
- Streamed music
- Mobile calls
- Gaming



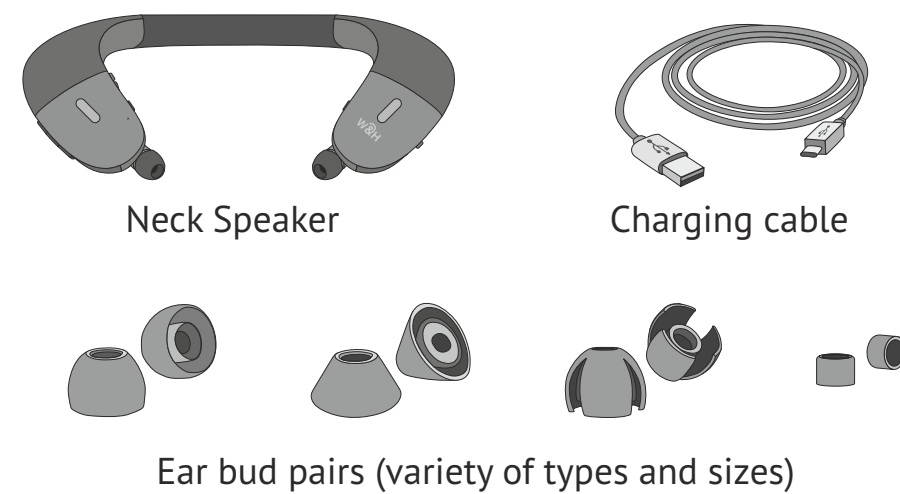
Use its extractable earphones for privacy and personalized hearing amplification.



Suitable for use with hearing aids

1 Getting Started

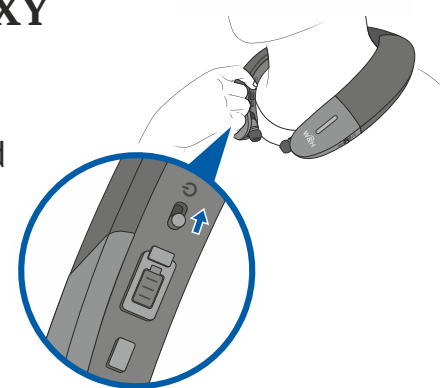
1 What's in the Box?



2 Turn ON BeHear PROXY

Shift the power button up and hold it until the unit vibrates and the LED turns light blue. A voice prompt will be played.

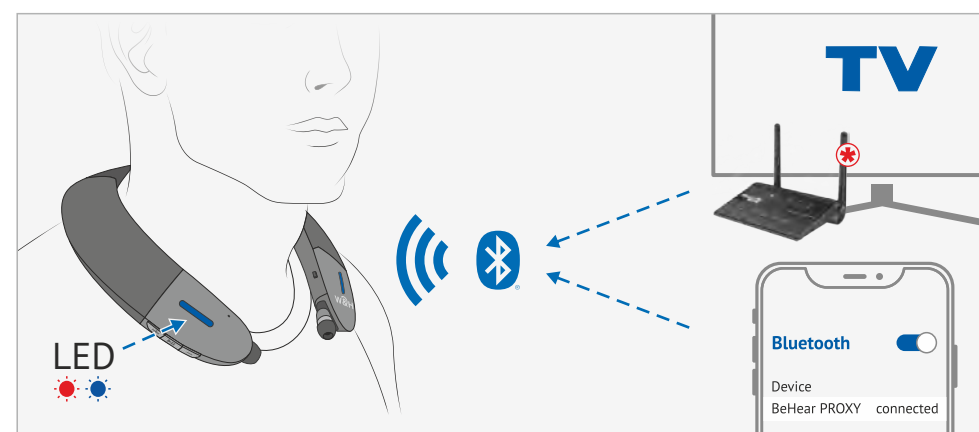
To turn BeHear PROXY OFF repeat this action.



Verify that the mode switch is set to **Loudspeaker** position.



3 Connect to Bluetooth® Device



First Time Connection

- Turn BeHear PROXY ON. It will automatically enter pairing mode (the LED will blink in alternating red and blue).
- If pairing with a smartphone, choose "BeHear PROXY" from the list of available Bluetooth devices.

For connecting to other devices, such as a TV set, audio transmitter, etc., please refer to their respective manuals.

Subsequent Connections

- Turn OFF BeHear PROXY.
- Shift its power switch up and hold it until the LED blinks in alternating red and blue.
- Complete the pairing process as directed in the manual of the new Bluetooth device.

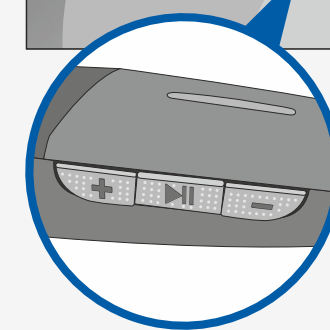
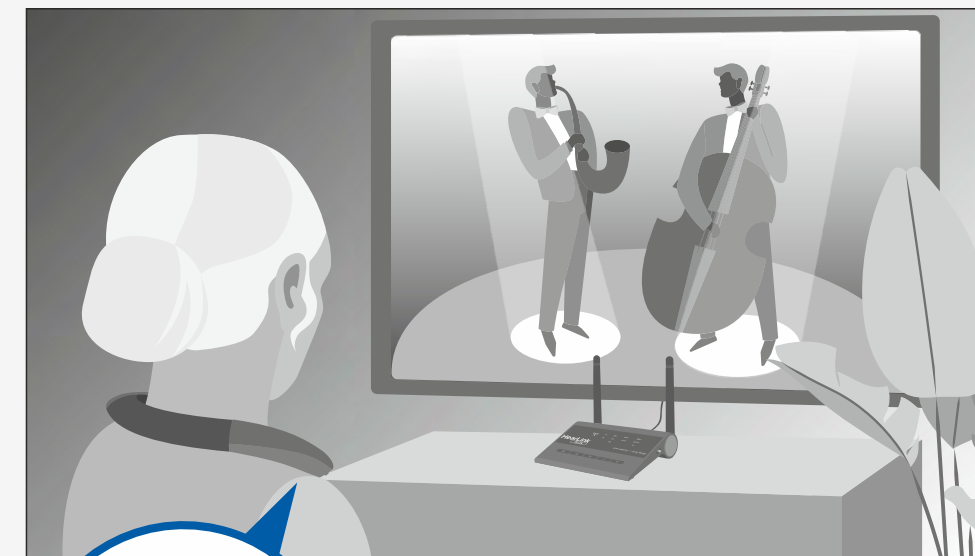
4 Place on Your Shoulders

Put the BeHear PROXY neck band around your neck. The hard plastic tips should rest on either side of your chest and the fabric covers of the speakers should face up, just below your ears.



2 Listen and Talk with BeHear PROXY

Watching Television



Connect BeHear PROXY to your TV set and manage the audio from the right-hand side of the neck speaker.

Short press to mute/unmute the sound.

Increase the volume.

Decrease the volume.



*If your TV doesn't have a built-in Bluetooth transmitter, we recommend purchasing our **HearLink® PLUS** - a high quality, long-range Bluetooth transmitter.*

Music / Gaming / Video Calls



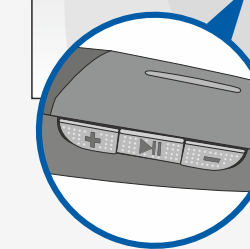
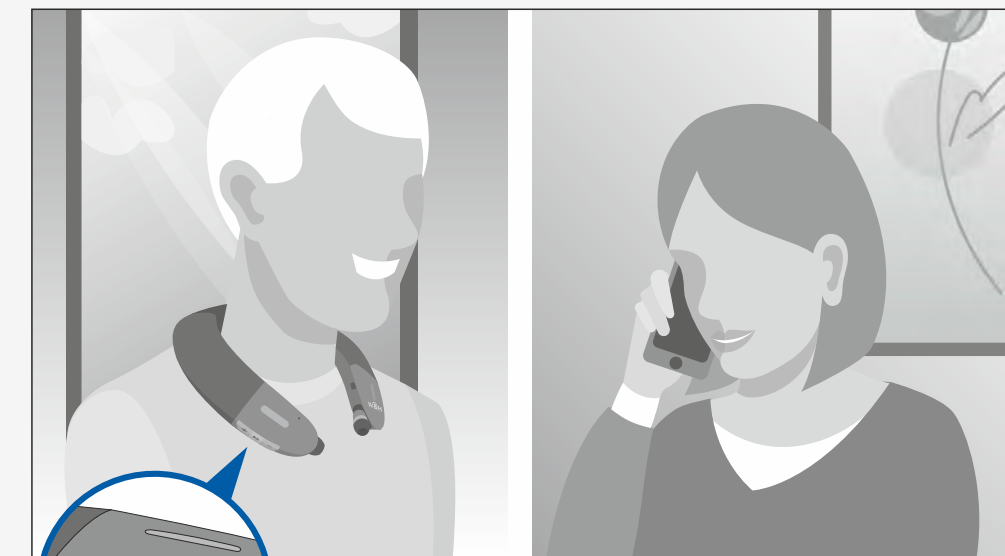
Connect BeHear PROXY to your smartphone, music player, game console, laptop, or other audio streaming device and manage audio play from the right-hand side of the neck speaker.

Short press to toggle Play/Pause audio.

Short press to increase the volume.
Press and hold to advance to the next audio track.

Short press to decrease the volume.
Press and hold to return to the previous audio track.

Mobile Calls



Connect BeHear PROXY to your smartphone and handle calls from the right-hand side of the neck speaker.

Short press to accept an incoming call.
Short press to end the active call.
Long press to reject an incoming call.
Double press to redial last number.

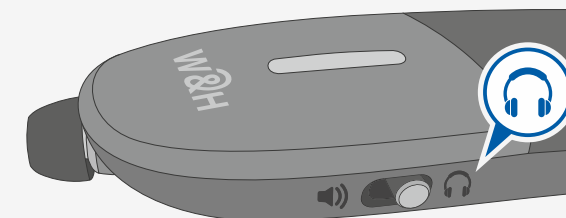
Increase the call volume.

Decrease the call volume.

Earphones Mode

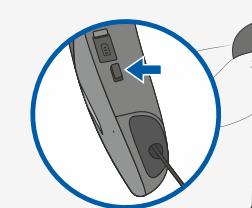
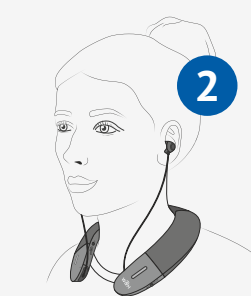
Handle phone calls and listen to music privately with your BeHear PROXY by using the extractable earphones housed in the neck speaker.

- **Switch the Mode**
Set the mode switch to "Earphones".



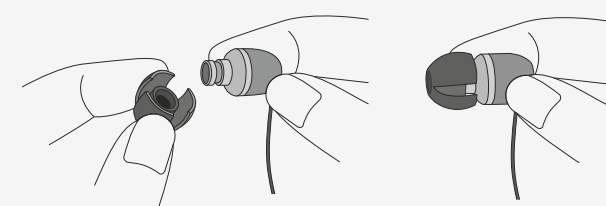
- **Extract the Earphones**

1. Pull the earphones gently to extract the cables.
2. Insert the earphones into your ears.
3. Press the buttons to retract the cables, or to adjust their length.



- **Choose Earbuds**

Experiment to find the buds that fit your ears most comfortably for continuous wear.



Personalize, manage, and get help for your BeHear PROXY neck speaker with the free **W&H BeHear** smartphone application.

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Download the App



Personalize What You Hear

Adjust the acoustic performance of the neck speaker to suit your own hearing preferences.

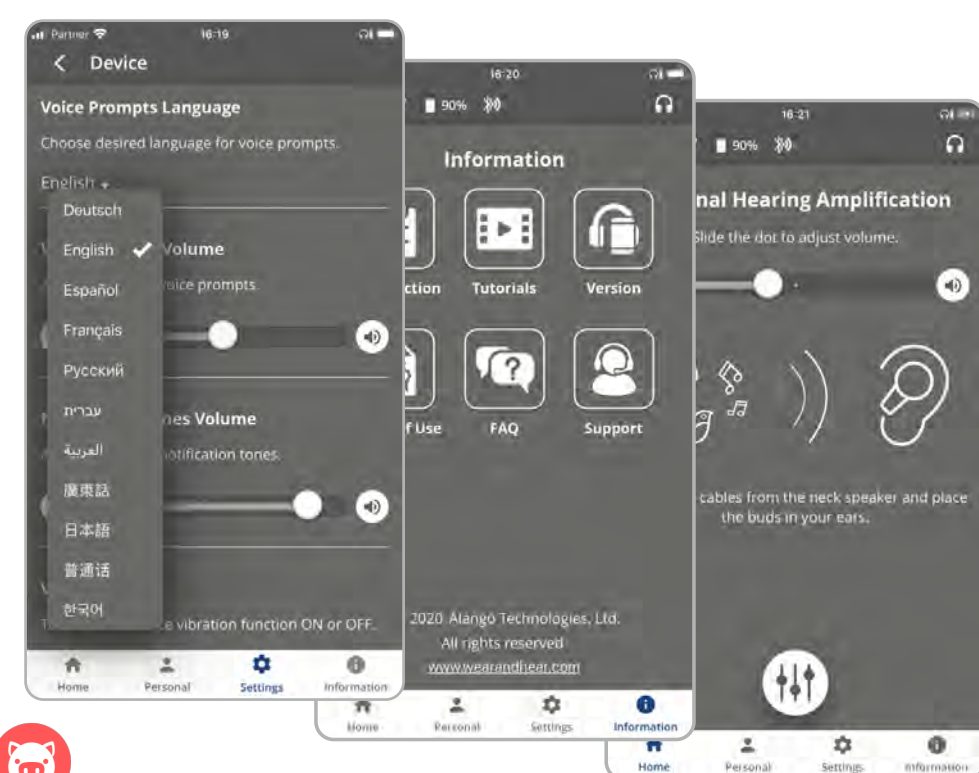
1. Set the mode switch to "Earphones".
2. Put on the neck speaker, inserting the ear buds into your ears.
3. Choose **Personal >> Assessment** in the W&H BeHear app.

4. Follow the prompts to perform the hearing assessment.

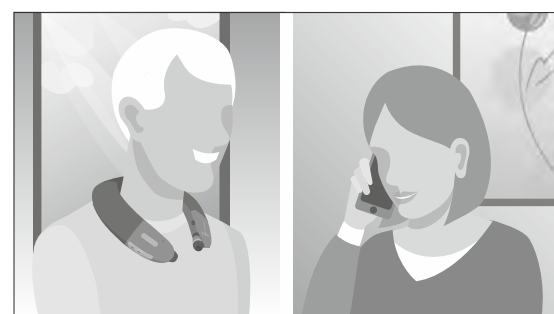
5. Save and apply the results to the neck speaker.



Manage Your BeHear PROXY



For Mobile Calls*



Improve intelligibility during a mobile call by slowing down incoming speech using **EasyListen™**.

+ Press and hold briefly to slow down the speech.

- Press and hold briefly to return to the normal speech tempo.

* In Loudspeaker and Earphones modes

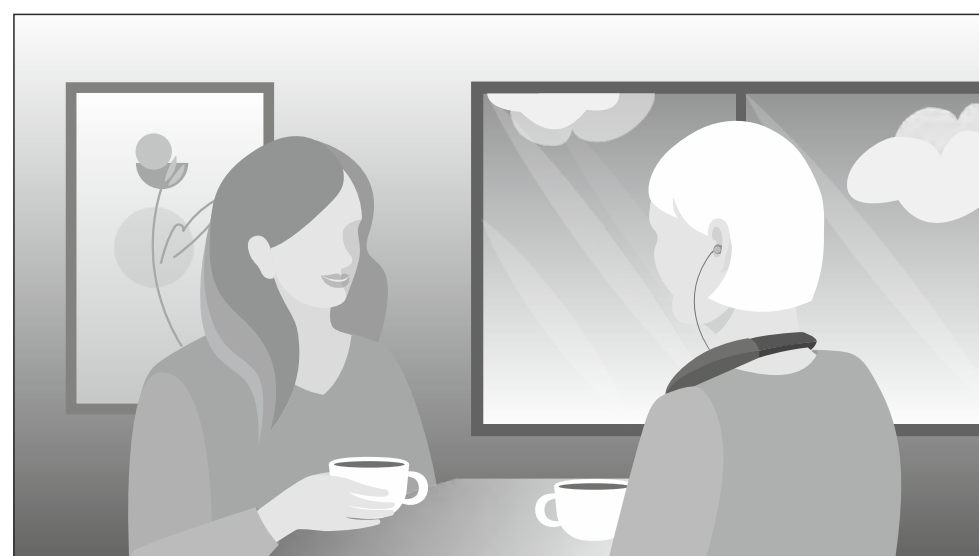
For Private Listening**

To stay aware of important world sounds and nearby conversation during audio play, activate the ListenThrough™ function. Ambient sounds will pass to your ears when the earphones are inserted.

▶ Press and hold briefly to turn ambient sounds ON/OFF.
To enable this function, go to **Settings >> Device** menu in the W&H BeHear app.

** In Earphones mode only

For Live Conversations***



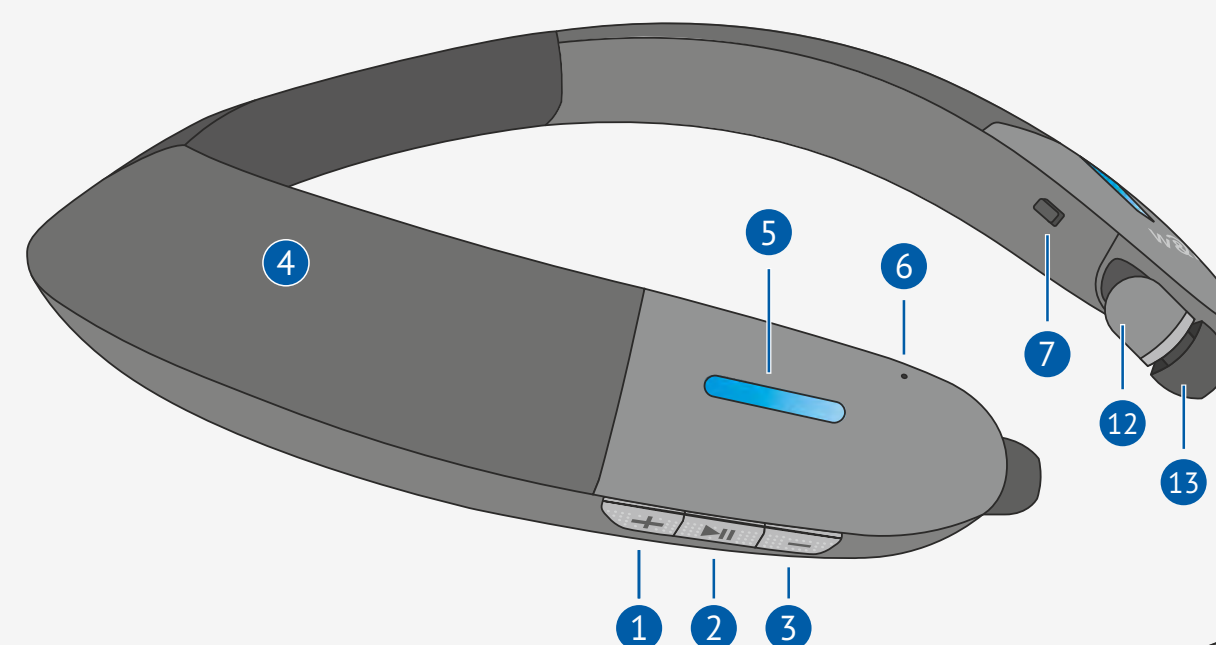
- Amplify and clarify nearby conversations.
- Use the most comfortable ear buds.
- Match amplification level to suit your own hearing profile.

▶ Press and hold briefly to turn personalized sound amplification ON/OFF.

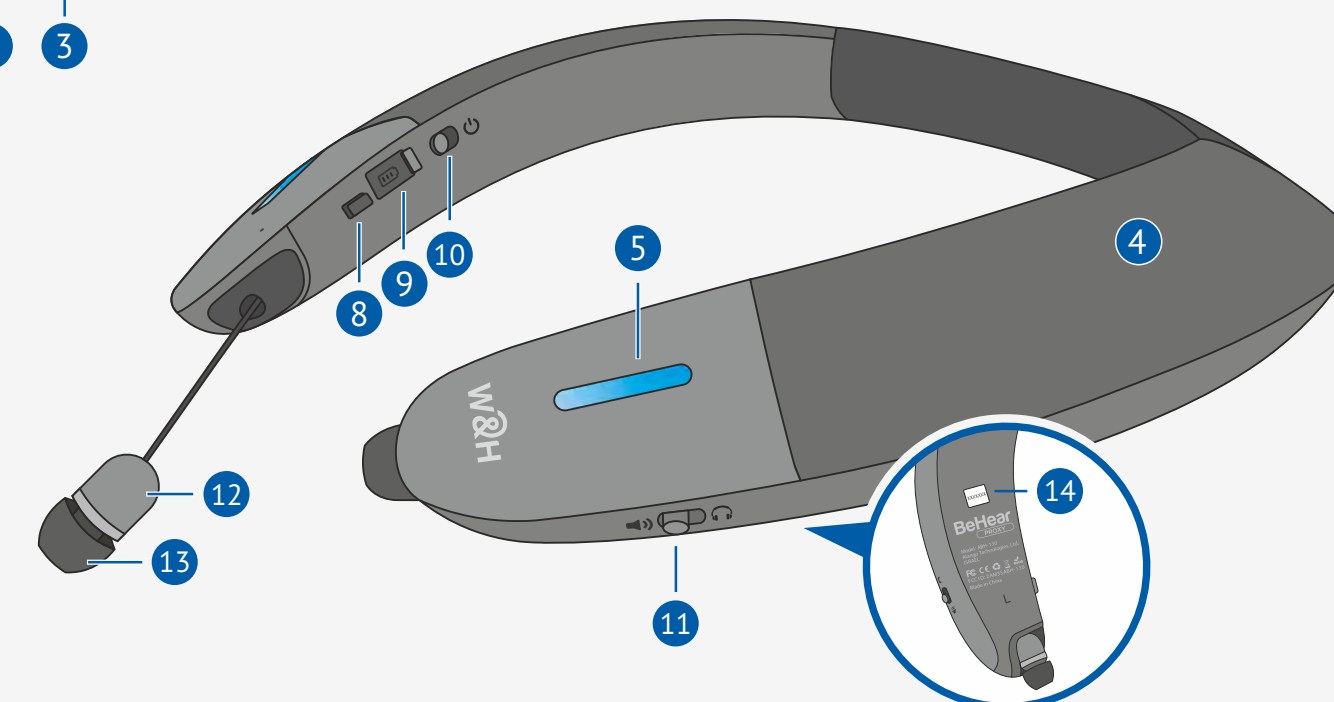
+ Increase the volume.

- Decrease the volume.

*** In Earphones mode only



1. Volume up
2. Multifunction button
3. Volume down
4. Loudspeakers (left & right)
5. Notification LED (left & right)
6. Microphone
7. Left retract button



8. Right retract button
9. Micro USB charging port
10. Power ON/OFF switch
11. Mode switch
12. Extractable earphones (left & right)
13. Silicone earbuds (left & right)
14. Serial number label

LED Indication

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| Light blue (1s flash) | • Neck speaker is powered ON/OFF (toggle) |
| Purple, blinking | • Assistive function active |
| Red/blue alternating | • Bluetooth pairing mode |
| Red, blinking | • Disconnected from paired Bluetooth device, or battery low |
| Red, steady | • Charging |
| Green, steady | • Battery fully charged |

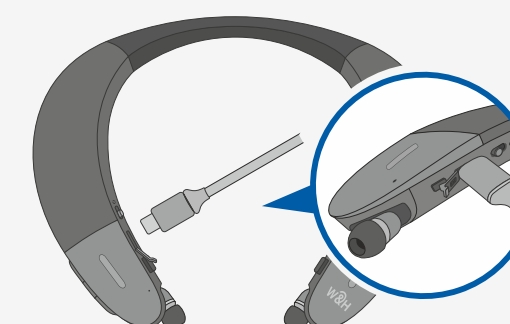
To check battery level, briefly press power button when the unit is turned on:

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| Green | • Good > 50% |
| Yellow | • Fair > 10% and < 50% |
| Red, blinking | • Low < 10% |

Charging the Battery

Charge the neck speaker directly from a wall outlet or computer USB port.

The LED indicator is red during charging and turns green when the neck speaker is fully charged. Full charging takes up to 3 hours.



Troubleshooting

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| No sound | • Verify battery is charged. |
| | • Adjust volume level. |
| | • Check ear caps for debris. |
| Ear buds are uncomfortable | • Experiment with different silicone ear tips. |
| Phone calls and/or music not routed | • Verify Bluetooth pairing. |
| Bluetooth disconnects often | • Verify that you are not more than 10 meters (30 feet) from the Bluetooth device. |
| Hearing interruptions | • Silence phone tones (alerts, notification sounds, key taps, etc.). |
| Unexpected behavior | • Reset the neck speaker by connecting it to the charger. |

Support



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