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Tidalwave

Wireless Speaker



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FCC Information

This device complies with Part 15 of the FCC Rules.

Caution: Any changes or modifications not expressly approved could void the user's authority to operate the equipment.

Note: This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class B digital device, pursuant to part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference in a residential installation. This equipment generates, uses and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instructions, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. 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:

- Reorient or relocate the receiving antenna.
- Increase the separation between the equipment and receiver.
- Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected.
- Consult the dealer or an experienced radio/TV technician for help.

This device complies with Part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) This device may not cause harmful interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

Radiation Exposure Information

This device has been evaluated to meet general RF exposure requirements. The device can be used in portable exposure conditions without restriction.

LITHIUM POLYMER BATTERY WARNINGS

This device contains a non-removable Lithium-Polymer battery. The battery must be recycled or disposed of properly. Contact your local waste management office for information on battery recycling or disposal.



Rating Label Definitions

— — — Direct current symbol.



This symbol signifies the product must not be discarded as household waste, and should be delivered to an appropriate collection facility for recycling. Proper disposal and recycling helps protect natural resources, human health and the environment.



This symbol signifies and declares that this equipment has battery charging which complies with California CEC and energy efficiency.



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Warranty Information

90-day Limited Warranty
Territory: United States/Canada

LIMITED WARRANTY TO ORIGINAL CONSUMER

This product (including any accessories included in the original packaging) as supplied and distributed new by an authorized retailer is warranted by Southern Telecom, Inc. to the original consumer purchaser against defects in materials and workmanship ("Warranty") as follows:

To obtain warranty service:

- Visit our website at www.southerntelecom.com
- Click on **Product Support**
- Select the **Brand** of your device
- Select **Service Request** and fill out the form to begin your inquiry

Your product will be repaired or replaced, at our option, for the same or similar model of equal value if examination by the service center determines this product is defective. Products received damaged as a result of shipping will require you to file a claim with the carrier.

Warranty service not provided

This warranty does not cover damage resulting from accident, misuse, abuse, improper installation or operation, lack of reasonable care, unauthorized modification including software modifications such as the installation of custom firmware. This warranty is voided in the event any unauthorized person opens, alters or repairs this product. All products being returned to the authorized service center for repair must be suitably packaged.

Before You Begin...

READ THIS MANUAL CAREFULLY AND SAVE FOR FUTURE REFERENCE

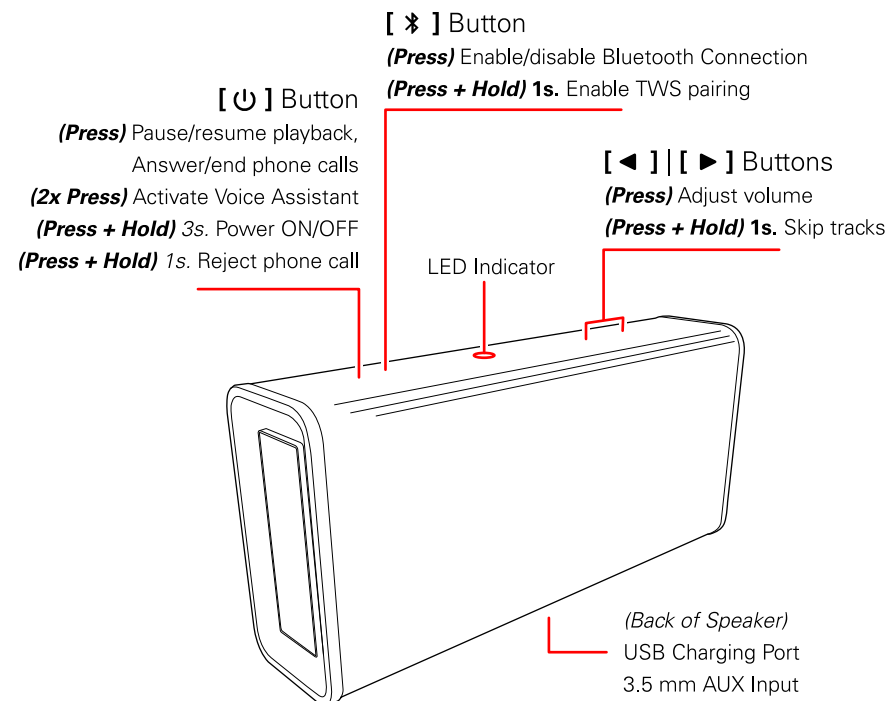
To ensure safe and proper use, read all safety information before using the device. Only use with manufacturer-approved batteries, chargers, accessories, and supplies.

- **THIS DEVICE IS NOT A TOY**, do NOT allow children or pets to use or play with this device.
- **Do not disassemble, modify, or repair the device.**
- Do not expose the device to extreme temperatures (heat or cold) or open flames.
- **Do not submerge in water.**
- **This speaker has an IPX5 rating.** This means it is protected from splashes and jets of water in any direction, but CANNOT under any circumstances be submerged in water.
- **The protective rubber seal must completely cover the speaker's input panel to protect it from water damage**
- Low power may cause poor Bluetooth connection or sound distortion.
- Do not overcharge battery.
- If using with a USB adapter, make sure the adapter is not damaged.
- Do not allow the USB port or the connectors of the supplied USB cable to be exposed to dust, or water, or come into contact with any conductive materials such as liquids, metallic powders, etc.

In the Box

- BSSK9015 - Wireless Speaker (x1)
- USB Charging Cable (x1)
- Instruction Manual (x1)

Location of Controls



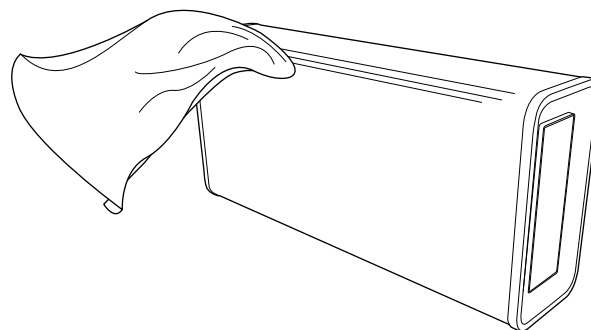
Storage & Maintenance

When not using the speaker, it is recommended that it is stored away in a safe location, away from sources of water or heat and free of dust and debris. If not used for an extended period of time the battery may be low and the speaker should be recharged.

If the speaker is dirty, wipe it down with a **clean microfiber cloth**. Do not clean with water or any sort of cleaning liquid or detergent.








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to clean





Playing Music

Once the speaker has been successfully paired, you can play music, control playback, and adjust volume with the controls on your speaker or on your paired device.

Adjusting Playback & Volume


- Press the [] button to pause/resume playback.
- Press and hold the [] and [] buttons to skip tracks.
- Press the [] and [] buttons to adjust volume.

Phone Calls

- Press the [] button to answer/end a phone call.
- Press and hold the [] button for 1 second to ignore an incoming phone call.

Activate Voice Assistant

To activate voice assistant, the BSSK9015 must be paired to a device that has a voice assistant, such as Siri® or Google Assistant®. For more on using voice assistant's please consult the instructional materials for them online.

- Double press the [] button to activate your device's voice assistant.

Using the AUX Input

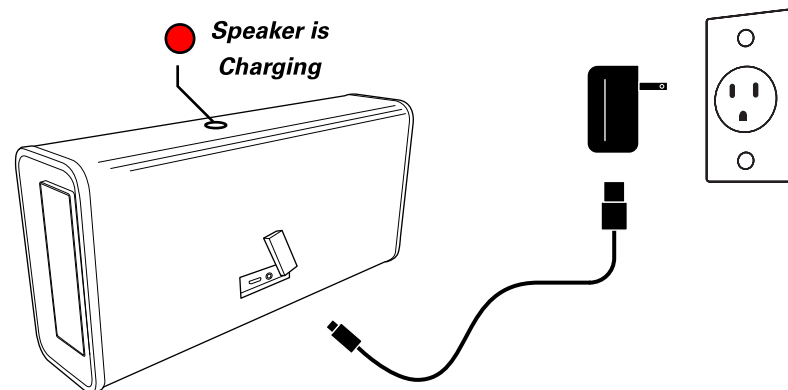
Plug the connector of a 3.5 mm AUX cable (not included) into the 3.5 mm AUX input jack on the back of the speaker. Plug the other connector into the audio output jack of your media-playing device.

The speaker will automatically switch to AUX mode when the cable is plugged in.

Charging the Speaker

Undo the rubber protective seal on the back panel of the speaker.



Insert the small connector of the supplied micro-USB charging cable into the USB charging input on the back of a speaker. Insert the large connector into the USB port on a computer, USB charging device, or a **5V/2A USB adapter** (not included) and plug into an electrical outlet.



The LED indicator on the speaker will **turn RED** while charging and turn off when fully charged. When done charging, make sure the rubber protective seal is fully pressed back into place to prevent any water or moisture from entering.


On low battery a tone will be heard indicating that the speaker should be charged.

Power On/Off

- Press and hold the [] button to power the speaker ON. When powered ON the speaker will automatically pair to any nearby, previously-paired device that has Bluetooth enabled.
- Press and hold the [] button to power the speaker off.

TWS Pairing

The BSSK9015 can be connected with a second BSSK9015 to form a TWS (True Wireless Stereo) pair, where the *Main speaker* will act as the left channel and the *Secondary speaker* will act as the right channel. When connected, playback can be controlled from either speaker.

1. Power both BSSK9015 speakers ON.
2. Press and hold the [] button on both speakers for 1 second. A tone will be heard on both speakers and the LED indicator will **flash RED and white**.
3. After a moment, another tone will be heard and one of the speakers' LED indicators will **quickly flash WHITE** (this is the *Main speaker*), the other speaker LED indicator will **slowly flash WHITE** (this is the *Secondary speaker*).

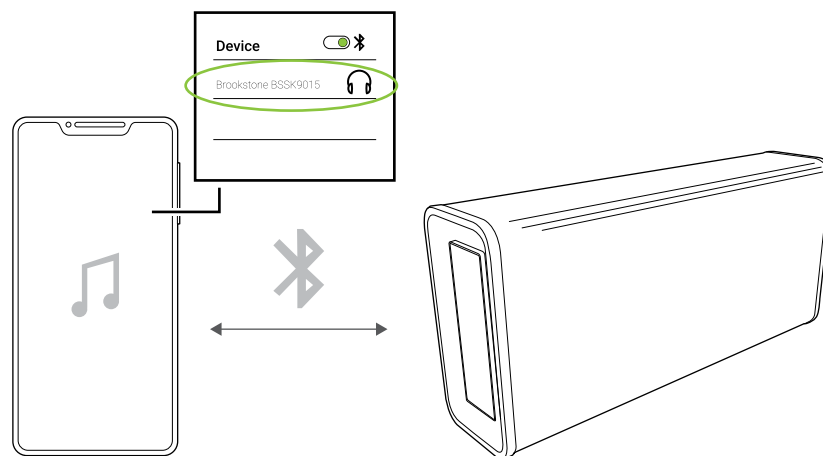
Once the speakers are connected to each other you can pair to them using the steps in the **Bluetooth Pairing** section on the next page.

Keep the speakers within 16 ft of each other to maintain their connection.



Note: Powering one of the speakers OFF will power them BOTH off.

Bluetooth Pairing

1. Power the speaker ON. A tone will be heard and the LED indicator will **quickly flash WHITE**.
2. Open your device's Bluetooth menu and find **Brookstone BSSK9015** and select it.
3. A tone will be heard and the LED indicator will **slowly flash WHITE**.



Quick Pairing

- Press the [] button to disconnect any connected device and set the speaker in Bluetooth pairing mode.
- Press the [] button again to re-pair to the last paired device. The device must have Bluetooth enabled and be within 30 ft of the speaker for this function to operate.