Creative Inspire S2

Creative Inspire S2 Bluetooth Wireless Multimedia Speaker System User Manual

Model: Inspire S2 (51MF0390AA003)

PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The Creative Inspire S2 Bluetooth Wireless Multimedia Speaker System provides high-quality audio through its two satellite speakers and a subwoofer, with the added convenience of Bluetooth wireless connectivity. This system is designed for use with computers and other Bluetooth-enabled devices, offering a versatile audio solution.

Image: The Creative Inspire S2 system, showing the central subwoofer unit, two compact satellite speakers, and a small USB Bluetooth transmitter. The satellite speakers are white with black grilles, and the subwoofer is black.

BOX CONTENTS

Verify that all components are present in the packaging:

- Two Satellite Speakers
- One Subwoofer
- USB Bluetooth Transmitter
- Universal Power Adapter
- Quick Start Guide (refer to this manual for detailed instructions)

- Warranty/Technical Support Leaflet

SETUP INSTRUCTIONS

1. Physical Connection

1. **Positioning:** Place the subwoofer on the floor or a sturdy surface. Position the two satellite speakers on either side of your computer monitor or listening area for optimal stereo separation.

2. **Connect Satellite Speakers:** Connect the cables from the satellite speakers to the corresponding ports on the back of the subwoofer. Ensure a secure connection.

3. **Connect Power:** Plug the universal power adapter into the subwoofer's power input, then connect the adapter to a wall outlet.

2. Bluetooth Connection (Wireless Audio)

For Computers (using included USB Bluetooth Transmitter):

1. **Insert Transmitter:** Plug the included USB Bluetooth transmitter into an available USB port on your computer. Your computer may automatically install necessary drivers.

2. **Power On Speakers:** Ensure the speaker system is powered on. The power button is typically located on one of the satellite speakers. A green light should indicate power.

3. **Automatic Pairing:** The speaker system and USB transmitter should automatically pair. A blue light on the satellite speaker will indicate a successful Bluetooth connection.

4. **Select Audio Output:** On your computer, navigate to your sound settings and select the "Creative Inspire S2" or similar Bluetooth audio device as your default playback device.

For Other Bluetooth Devices (e.g., Smartphones, Tablets, Laptops with built-in Bluetooth):

1. **Power Off Speakers:** Ensure the speaker system is turned off.

2. **Enter Pairing Mode:** With the speakers off, press and hold the '+' (volume up) button on the satellite speaker. Continue holding until a blue light begins to flash rapidly. This indicates the speakers are in pairing mode.

3. **Enable Bluetooth on Device:** On your smartphone, tablet, or laptop, go to the Bluetooth settings and ensure Bluetooth is enabled.

4. **Select "Inspire S2":** In the list of available devices, select "Inspire S2" (or similar). If prompted for a passcode, enter "0000" (four zeros).

5. **Confirm Connection:** Once paired, the blue light on the satellite speaker will become solid, indicating a successful connection.

3. Wired Connection (Auxiliary Input)

The Inspire S2 system also supports a wired connection for devices without Bluetooth or for a direct audio link.

1. **Connect Audio Cable:** Connect a 3.5mm audio cable (not included) from the audio output of your device (e.g., MP3 player, laptop headphone jack) to the "Audio In" port on the side of the satellite speaker.

2. **Power On Speakers:** Ensure the speaker system is powered on.

3. **Playback:** Begin audio playback from your connected device. The system will automatically prioritize the wired input if a cable is connected.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Power On/Off

- To power on the system, press the power button located on one of the satellite speakers. A green LED will illuminate.
- To power off, press the power button again. The LED will turn off.

Volume Control

- Use the '+' and '-' buttons on the satellite speaker to adjust the system's volume.
- You can also control the volume from your connected Bluetooth device or computer.

Audio Playback

- Once connected via Bluetooth or auxiliary cable, simply start playing audio from your source device.
- Ensure the volume on both the speaker system and your source device is adjusted appropriately.

MAINTENANCE

- **Cleaning:** Use a soft, dry cloth to clean the surfaces of the speakers and subwoofer. Avoid using liquid cleaners or abrasive materials.
- **Placement:** Ensure the speakers are placed on stable surfaces to prevent accidental falls. Avoid placing them in direct sunlight, near heat sources, or in excessively humid environments.
- **Ventilation:** Do not block the ventilation openings on the subwoofer to ensure proper airflow and prevent overheating.
- **Cable Management:** Keep cables organized and untangled to prevent damage and tripping hazards.

TROUBLESHOOTING

Problem	Possible Solution
No sound from speakers.	○ Ensure the system is powered on (green LED). ○ Check all cable connections (power, satellite speakers). ○ Increase volume on both the speaker system and the source device. ○ Verify the correct audio output is selected on your computer/device.
Bluetooth device cannot pair or connect.	○ Ensure the speakers are in pairing mode (flashing blue LED). If not, power off the speakers, then press and hold the '+' button until the blue light flashes. ○ Make sure Bluetooth is enabled on your source device. ○ Move the source device closer to the speakers. ○ Forget/remove "Inspire S2" from your device's Bluetooth list and attempt to pair again. ○ If using the USB transmitter, ensure it is securely plugged into the computer. ○ Restart both the speaker system and your Bluetooth device.

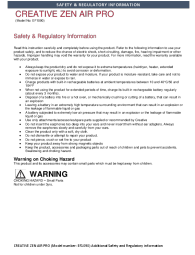| Problem	Possible Solution
Sound is distorted or intermittent.	◦ Reduce the volume on both the speakers and the source device. ◦ Ensure there are no obstructions or strong interference sources (e.g., Wi-Fi routers, microwaves) between the Bluetooth device and speakers. ◦ Check for loose cable connections. ◦ If using a wired connection, try a different audio cable.
Speakers turn off unexpectedly when using auxiliary input.	◦ Ensure the audio source is actively playing and providing a strong signal. Some systems may enter standby if no audio is detected for a period. ◦ Verify the power adapter connection.

SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Model Name	Inspire S2
Model Number	51MF0390AA003
Speaker Type	Desktop Multimedia Speaker System
Connectivity Technology	Bluetooth Wireless, Wired (3.5mm Auxiliary)
Speaker Maximum Output Power	7 Watts (RMS)
Signal-to-Noise Ratio	75 dB
Product Dimensions (Satellite)	2.9 x 2.9 x 4.05 inches (approximate)
Item Weight	3 Pounds (total system)
Power Source	Corded Electric
Special Features	USB Bluetooth technology, Creative DIRECT-THROW subwoofer, easy-access controls, Energy Star qualified

WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

For warranty information and technical support, please refer to the warranty/technical support leaflet included in your product packaging. You may also visit the official Creative website for the latest support resources, FAQs, and contact information.

Online Support: www.creative.com/support

Related Documents - Inspire S2

	Creative Sound Blaster User Guide: Connecting Speakers & AV Receivers Comprehensive user guide for connecting Creative speakers and AV receivers to Sound Blaster audio cards. Covers 7.1, 5.1, 4.1, and stereo configurations, plus troubleshooting and setup instructions.
	Creative Zen Air Pro EF1090 Safety and Regulatory Information Comprehensive safety, regulatory, and compliance information for the Creative Zen Air Pro (Model EF1090) headphones, including warnings, instructions, and regional notices.
	Creative GigaWorks T20 Series II Speaker System - User Guide and Specifications This document provides safety information, compliance declarations, and specifications for the Creative GigaWorks T20 Series II speaker system. It includes details on power output, signal-to-noise ratio, and frequency response, along with connection diagrams and multilingual setup instructions.
	Creative Sound BlasterX G5 User's Guide User's guide for the Creative Sound BlasterX G5, detailing its features, system requirements, setup instructions, input/output connections, software installation, usage, and troubleshooting for this high-fidelity gaming audio device.
	Creative ZEN X-Fi User Manual: Features, Operation, and Troubleshooting Comprehensive user guide for the Creative ZEN X-Fi portable media player. Learn about its features, how to navigate menus, manage media files, customize settings, and troubleshoot common issues.
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