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### ACTIVISION 76411

# Rapala Pro Bass Fishing with Rod Peripheral for Xbox 360 Instruction Manual

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## 1. INTRODUCTION

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Welcome to the world of *Rapala Pro Bass Fishing* for Xbox 360. This game, bundled with the wireless Rapala Rod & Reel controller, offers an immersive virtual fishing experience. Engage in professional tournament fishing, utilizing full motion controls to cast, reel, jig, and set the hook as if you were on the water. Compete against virtual pros across North American freshwater lakes and strive for the season trophy.

This manual provides essential information for setting up your game and rod peripheral, understanding gameplay mechanics, and troubleshooting common issues to ensure an optimal fishing experience.



Image: The Rapala Pro Bass Fishing game box, featuring the game disc and the wireless rod and reel peripheral.

## 2. SETUP

### 2.1 Game Installation

1. Insert the *Rapala Pro Bass Fishing* game disc into your Xbox 360 console.
2. Follow the on-screen prompts to install the game to your console's hard drive.
3. Once installed, launch the game from the Xbox 360 dashboard.

### 2.2 Rod Peripheral Setup

The wireless Rapala Rod & Reel controller enhances your gameplay experience.

1. **Install Batteries:** Open the battery compartment on the rod peripheral and insert two (2) AA batteries, ensuring correct polarity. Close the compartment securely.
2. **Connect to Xbox 360:**
  - Turn on your Xbox 360 console.
  - Press and hold the Guide button on the rod peripheral until it powers on.
  - Press the connect button on your Xbox 360 console.
  - Within 20 seconds, press the connect button on the rod peripheral. The lights around the Guide button will flash and then remain solid, indicating a successful connection.
3. **Calibration:** Some games may require initial calibration of motion controllers. Follow any on-screen instructions within the game to calibrate your rod peripheral.

## 3. OPERATING THE GAME AND PERIPHERAL

### 3.1 Basic Controls with Rod Peripheral

- **Casting:** Mimic a real casting motion by swinging the rod forward. The strength and angle of your swing will affect the cast distance and accuracy.
- **Reeling:** Rotate the reel handle on the peripheral to reel in your line. Adjust reeling speed based on lure type and fish behavior.
- **Jigging:** Make short, sharp upward movements with the rod to simulate jigging action, attracting fish.
- **Setting the Hook:** When a fish bites, quickly pull the rod upward to set the hook. Timely action is crucial.
- **Fighting a Fish:** Use the rod's motion controls to guide the fish, keeping tension on the line while avoiding line breaks. Reel in when the fish is not pulling strongly.



*Image: A virtual fisherman on a boat, preparing to cast a lure into the water.*

### 3.2 Gameplay Overview

- **Tournament Mode:** Participate in over 20 professional tournament events across various North American lakes. Success depends on your technique and equipment choices.
- **Competitive Contests:** Engage in over 50 competitive contests, with challenges based on location, time, fish weight, and casting accuracy.
- **Equipment:** Utilize an assortment of licensed boats, rods, lures, and apparel to optimize your fishing strategy.
- **Multiplayer:** Fish by yourself, compete, or challenge friends in simultaneous 2-player mode.



Image: Two virtual anglers on a bass boat, fishing in a scenic lake environment.



Image: A fisherman on a boat, with an on-screen display showing current depth and total fish weight.



*Image: A bass fish leaping from the water, indicating a struggle during a catch.*



*Image: A virtual fisherman proudly displaying a caught bass.*

## 4. MAINTENANCE

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### 4.1 Game Disc Care

- Always handle the game disc by its edges to avoid fingerprints and scratches.
- Store the disc in its original case when not in use.
- Clean the disc with a soft, lint-free cloth, wiping from the center outwards if necessary. Do not use abrasive cleaners.

### 4.2 Rod Peripheral Care

- Keep the peripheral clean and dry. Wipe with a soft, damp cloth if needed.
- Avoid dropping or subjecting the peripheral to strong impacts, as this can damage internal components or the casing.

- Remove batteries if the peripheral will not be used for an extended period to prevent leakage.
- Store the peripheral in a safe place where it won't be accidentally damaged.

## 5. TROUBLESHOOTING

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- **Peripheral Not Connecting:**
  - Ensure fresh AA batteries are correctly installed.
  - Verify the peripheral is powered on (Guide button light).
  - Repeat the connection steps (Section 2.2).
  - Ensure no other wireless devices are causing interference.
- **Game Freezes or Crashes:**
  - Clean the game disc for smudges or scratches.
  - Ensure your Xbox 360 console has sufficient ventilation.
  - Try restarting the console and the game.
- **Inaccurate Motion Controls:**
  - Recalibrate the peripheral through the in-game options.
  - Ensure you are playing in an area with adequate space and no obstructions.
- **No Vibration Feedback:**
  - Please note that the Rapala Rod & Reel peripheral for Xbox 360 does not feature vibration feedback. This is by design.

## 6. SPECIFICATIONS

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Feature	Detail
Product Title	Rapala Pro Bass Fishing with Rod Peripheral
Platform	Xbox 360
Model Number	76411
Brand	ACTIVISION
Number of Players	2
UPC	047875764118
Release Date	September 14, 2010
Compatible Consoles	Microsoft Xbox 360, Microsoft Xbox 360 E
Item Weight	1.7 pounds (0.77 kg)
Product Dimensions	12 x 12 x 12 inches (30.48 x 30.48 x 30.48 cm)
Batteries Required	2 AA batteries (for Rod Peripheral)
Language	English
ESRB Rating	Everyone

## 7. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

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For specific warranty information regarding your *Rapala Pro Bass Fishing* game or Rod Peripheral, please refer to the documentation included with your product at the time of purchase.

For technical support, game-related inquiries, or assistance with your peripheral, please contact ACTIVISION Customer Support. You can typically find their contact information on the game packaging or by visiting the official ACTIVISION support website.

**Online Support:** Visit the official ACTIVISION support portal for FAQs, troubleshooting guides, and contact options.

