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Soundcore Life Q30 Hybrid Active Noise Cancelling Headphones User Manual

Model: A3028

Product Overview

The Soundcore Life Q30 headphones are designed to provide an immersive audio experience with advanced noise-cancelling capabilities. Featuring 40mm dynamic drivers, they deliver Hi-Res Audio with extended frequency response. The hybrid active noise cancellation system effectively reduces ambient sounds, offering multiple modes for various environments. These headphones also boast extended battery life and comfortable earcups for prolonged listening.



Figure 1: Front view of the Soundcore Life Q30 Hybrid Active Noise Cancelling Headphones in Black.
The Soundcore Life Q30 headphones feature a sleek, over-ear design with plush earcups for comfort. The headband is adjustable to fit various head sizes.

Setup

Charging the Headphones

Before initial use, fully charge the headphones. A short 5-minute charge provides approximately 4 hours of listening time. A full charge can last up to 40 hours in noise-cancelling mode or 60 hours in standard mode.

- Connect the provided USB-C charging cable to the charging port on the headphones.

- Connect the other end of the cable to a compatible USB power source (e.g., computer USB port, USB wall adapter).
- The LED indicator will show charging status. Once fully charged, the indicator will change or turn off.

Bluetooth Pairing

The Life Q30 headphones support Bluetooth and NFC for wireless connectivity.

1. Ensure the headphones are powered off.
2. Press and hold the power button for 3 seconds until the LED indicator flashes blue, indicating pairing mode.
3. On your device (smartphone, tablet, computer), enable Bluetooth and search for "Soundcore Life Q30" in the list of available devices.
4. Select "Soundcore Life Q30" to connect. Once connected, the LED indicator will turn solid blue.

NFC Pairing (for compatible devices)

1. Ensure NFC is enabled on your device.
2. Tap the right earcup of the headphones with the back of your NFC-enabled device.
3. Follow the on-screen prompts on your device to complete the pairing.

Multipoint Connection

The Life Q30 headphones can connect to two Bluetooth devices simultaneously.

- Pair the headphones with the first device as described above.
- Disable Bluetooth on the first device.
- Put the headphones back into pairing mode and pair with the second device.
- Re-enable Bluetooth on the first device. The headphones will automatically connect to both devices.



Figure 2: Multipoint Connection allows seamless switching between two paired devices.
This feature enables users to switch audio sources between a computer and a phone without re-pairing, ideal for calls and media consumption.

Operating Instructions

Controls Overview

The Soundcore Life Q30 headphones feature intuitive controls located on the earcups. The left earcup typically houses the Noise Cancellation (NC) mode button, power button, and USB-C charging port. The right earcup contains volume

controls, play/pause, and the 3.5mm AUX input.



Figure 3: Hybrid Active Noise Cancellation technology utilizes both internal and external microphones to block up to 95% of engine noise. This diagram highlights the microphone placement crucial for the advanced noise-cancelling functionality.

Noise Cancellation Modes

The Life Q30 offers three distinct noise cancellation modes, customizable via the Soundcore app or by pressing the NC button on the left earcup:

- **Transport Mode:** Minimizes low-end frequencies, ideal for airplane engine noise or bus travel.
- **Outdoor Mode:** Reduces traffic and wind noise, suitable for outdoor environments.
- **Indoor Mode:** Dampens the sound of busy offices with people talking in the background.
- **Transparency Mode:** Allows you to hear your surroundings without removing the headphones, useful for conversations or announcements. Activate by holding the right earcup for 1 second.
- **Normal Mode:** Standard audio mode without active noise cancellation.



Figure 4: Visual representation of the three tailored noise cancellation modes: Outdoor, Transport, and Indoor.
These modes are designed to optimize your listening experience by adapting to different ambient sound profiles.

Soundcore App Features

The Soundcore app (available for Android and iOS) enhances your control over the Life Q30 headphones:

- **Custom EQ:** Adjust the equalizer settings to personalize your audio profile.
- **Noise Cancellation Customization:** Select and fine-tune the noise cancellation modes.
- **Superior Sleep:** Access a mix of ambient sounds (e.g., rain, wind, birds) to aid sleep, with adjustable volumes for each sound.

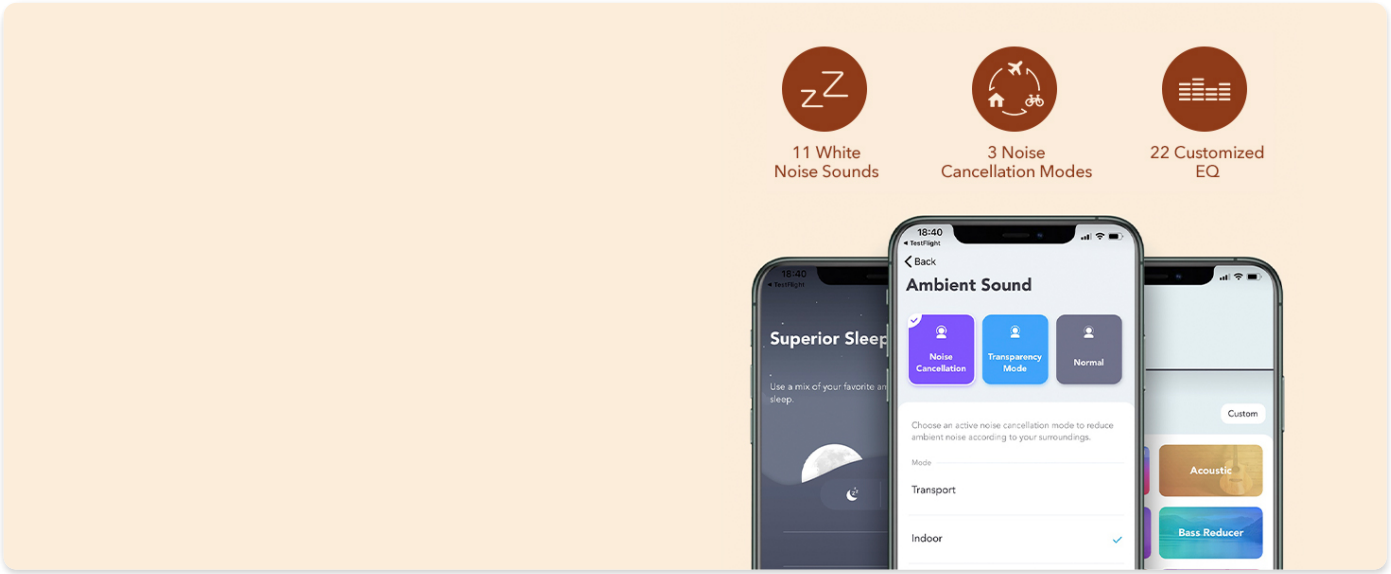


Figure 5: The Soundcore app provides advanced controls for ambient sound and audio equalization.
The app allows users to tailor their listening experience, including creating custom soundscapes for relaxation or sleep.

Maintenance

Cleaning

- Wipe the earcups and headband with a soft, dry cloth.
- Do not use abrasive cleaners or solvents.

Storage

Store the headphones in their provided hard shell carrying case when not in use to protect them from dust and damage.



Figure 6: The comfortable design of the Life Q30 headphones ensures extended wear without discomfort. Proper storage helps maintain the integrity of the earcups and overall build quality.

Troubleshooting

- **No Power:** Ensure the headphones are fully charged.
- **Cannot Pair:**
  - Ensure Bluetooth is enabled on your device and the headphones are in pairing mode.
  - Clear the pairing history on both the headphones and your device, then try pairing again.
  - Move the headphones closer to your device and away from other electronic devices that may cause interference.
- **Poor Sound Quality:**
  - Check the audio source and ensure the volume is not too low or too high.
  - Adjust the equalizer settings in the Soundcore app.

- Ensure the earcups are properly sealed around your ears.

- **Noise Cancellation Not Effective:**
  - Ensure the correct noise cancellation mode is selected for your environment.
  - Adjust the fit of the headphones to ensure a good seal.

Specifications

Feature	Detail
Model Name	Life Q30
Model Number	A3028
Noise Control	Hybrid Active Noise Cancellation
Connectivity	Bluetooth, NFC, 3.5mm AUX (wired)
Audio Driver Size	40mm Dynamic Drivers
Frequency Range	20 Hz - 40,000 Hz (Hi-Res Audio)
Impedance	16 Ohm
Battery Life	Up to 40 hours (NC mode), 60 hours (Standard mode)
Fast Charging	5-minute charge for 4 hours playtime
Weight	9.6 ounces (272 grams)
Dimensions	7.68 x 7.09 x 3.07 inches
Earcup Material	Leather, Silk
Carrying Case Material	Hard Shell

Warranty and Support

For warranty information and customer support, please refer to the official Soundcore website or contact their customer service directly. Details regarding product registration, FAQs, and troubleshooting guides are typically available online.

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