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Motorola Sonic Sub 500 Bluetooth Speaker User Manual

Model: Sonic Sub 500

Introduction

This manual provides essential instructions for the safe and efficient operation of your Motorola Sonic Sub 500 Bluetooth Speaker. Please read this manual thoroughly before using the device and retain it for future reference.

Safety Information

- Do not expose the device to extreme temperatures or direct sunlight for extended periods.
- Avoid dropping or subjecting the device to strong impacts.
- Do not attempt to disassemble or modify the device. This will void the warranty.
- Keep the device away from medical devices.
- Use only the provided charging cable or a certified equivalent.
- Ensure the charging port cover is securely closed when using the speaker near water to maintain IPX7 waterproofing.

Product Overview

The Motorola Sonic Sub 500 is a portable Bluetooth speaker featuring a built-in subwoofer, 10W wireless charging pad, and a microphone for hands-free calls. It is IPX7 waterproof, making it suitable for various environments.

Package Contents

- Motorola Sonic Sub 500 Bluetooth Speaker
- Charging Cable
- Quick Start Guide (not included in this digital manual)



Image: Motorola Sonic Sub 500 speaker in its retail packaging, showing the front of the box.



Image: Top view of the Motorola Sonic Sub 500 speaker, highlighting the power, volume, and play/pause control buttons.

Setup

1. Charging the Speaker

Before first use, fully charge the speaker. Connect the provided charging cable to the speaker's charging port and a USB power adapter (not included). The charging indicator lights will show the charging status.

2. Powering On/Off

- **To power on:** Press and hold the **Power button** until the indicator light illuminates.
- **To power off:** Press and hold the **Power button** until the indicator light turns off.

3. Bluetooth Pairing

1. Ensure the speaker is powered on and in pairing mode (indicator light will flash).
2. On your device (smartphone, tablet, etc.), enable Bluetooth and search for available devices.
3. Select "**Motorola Sonic Sub 500**" from the list of devices.
4. Once paired, the speaker will indicate a successful connection, and the indicator light will become solid.

4. Aux-in Connection

To connect a device via an auxiliary cable (not included), plug one end into the speaker's Aux-in port and the other end into your audio device's headphone jack. The speaker will automatically switch to Aux-in mode.

Operating Instructions

Music Playback

- **Play/Pause:** Press the **Play/Pause button** once.
- **Volume Up:** Press the **'+' button**.
- **Volume Down:** Press the **'-' button**.
- **Next Track:** Press and hold the **'+' button**.
- **Previous Track:** Press and hold the **'-' button**.

Hands-Free Calls

- **Answer Call:** Press the **Play/Pause button** once when a call comes in.
- **End Call:** Press the **Play/Pause button** once during a call.
- **Reject Call:** Press and hold the **Play/Pause button** when a call comes in.

Wireless Charging Function

The Motorola Sonic Sub 500 features a 10W wireless charging pad. To use, place your Qi-compatible device on the designated charging area on top of the speaker. Ensure the device is centered for optimal charging. The speaker must be powered on or connected to power for the wireless charging function to operate.



Image: A smartphone placed on the Motorola Sonic Sub 500 speaker, demonstrating the wireless charging feature.

IPX7 Waterproofing

The speaker is rated IPX7 waterproof, meaning it can be submerged in up to 1 meter of water for up to 30 minutes. Ensure all port covers are securely closed before exposing the speaker to water. This rating applies to fresh water; exposure to salt water or other liquids may cause damage.

Maintenance

Cleaning

Wipe the speaker with a soft, damp cloth. Do not use abrasive cleaners, alcohol, or chemical solvents, as these may damage the surface or internal components. Ensure the speaker is dry before charging.

Storage

Store the speaker in a cool, dry place away from direct sunlight and extreme temperatures. If storing for an extended period, charge the battery periodically to maintain its lifespan.

Troubleshooting

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Speaker does not power on.	Low battery.	Charge the speaker using the provided cable.
Cannot pair via Bluetooth.	Speaker not in pairing mode; device Bluetooth off; too far from speaker.	Ensure speaker is in pairing mode. Turn Bluetooth on/off on your device. Move device closer to speaker.

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
No sound.	Volume too low; incorrect input mode; device not playing.	Increase speaker and device volume. Check if Aux-in cable is connected. Ensure music is playing on your device.
Wireless charging not working.	Device not Qi-compatible; device not centered; speaker not powered.	Verify device supports Qi wireless charging. Reposition device on the charging pad. Ensure speaker is powered on or connected to power.

Specifications

Model Name	Sonic Sub 500
Connectivity Technology	Bluetooth 5.0
Speaker Type	Subwoofer
Speaker Output Power	10 Watts (RMS)
Wireless Charging Output	10W
Water Resistance	IPX7
Playtime	Up to 10 hours
Included Components	Charging cable
Item Weight	0.3 Kilograms (10.6 ounces)
Dimensions	7.2 x 4.76 x 1.61 inches (Package)

Warranty

This Motorola product comes with a limited warranty. For detailed warranty terms and conditions, please refer to the warranty card included with your product or visit the official Motorola support website. Proof of purchase may be required for warranty claims.

Support

For further assistance, technical support, or product information, please visit the official Motorola Lifestyle website: **motorolalifestyle.com**
You may also refer to the contact information provided in your product's packaging.

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