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Orbit 24637

# Orbit B-hyve XD 2-Port Smart Hose Watering Timer with Wi-Fi Hub Instruction Manual

Brand: Orbit | Model: 24637

## 1. OVERVIEW

The Orbit B-hyve XD 2-Port Smart Hose Watering Timer with Wi-Fi Hub provides advanced control over your watering routine. This system combines a durable, waterproof hose timer with a Wi-Fi hub to enable smart, efficient, and remote irrigation management. It utilizes hyper-local weather data and property attributes to optimize watering schedules, ensuring your plants receive the right amount of hydration while conserving water.

Key features include hybrid device control (on-device, Bluetooth, or Wi-Fi), drought-tolerant adjustments, IPX-5 waterproof certification for outdoor durability, and EPA WaterSense Certification when paired with the Wi-Fi hub.



**B-hyve XD Smart  
Hose Timer**

**Image 1:** The Orbit B-hyve XD Smart Hose Watering Timer connected to a faucet, with a smartphone displaying the B-hyve app interface. This image illustrates the remote control capabilities of the system, allowing users to manage watering schedules from any location with internet access.

## 2. WHAT'S IN THE BOX

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- Orbit B-hyve XD 2-Port Smart Hose Watering Timer
- Wi-Fi Hub (Gen 2)
- User Manual (this document)

**Note:** Two (2) AA (1.5V) batteries are required for the timer and are not included.

## 3. SETUP

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### 3.1. Install Batteries

1. Locate the battery compartment on the timer.
2. Open the compartment and insert two (2) fresh AA (1.5V) alkaline batteries, ensuring correct polarity.
3. Securely close the battery compartment to maintain its waterproof seal.

### 3.2. Connect Timer to Faucet

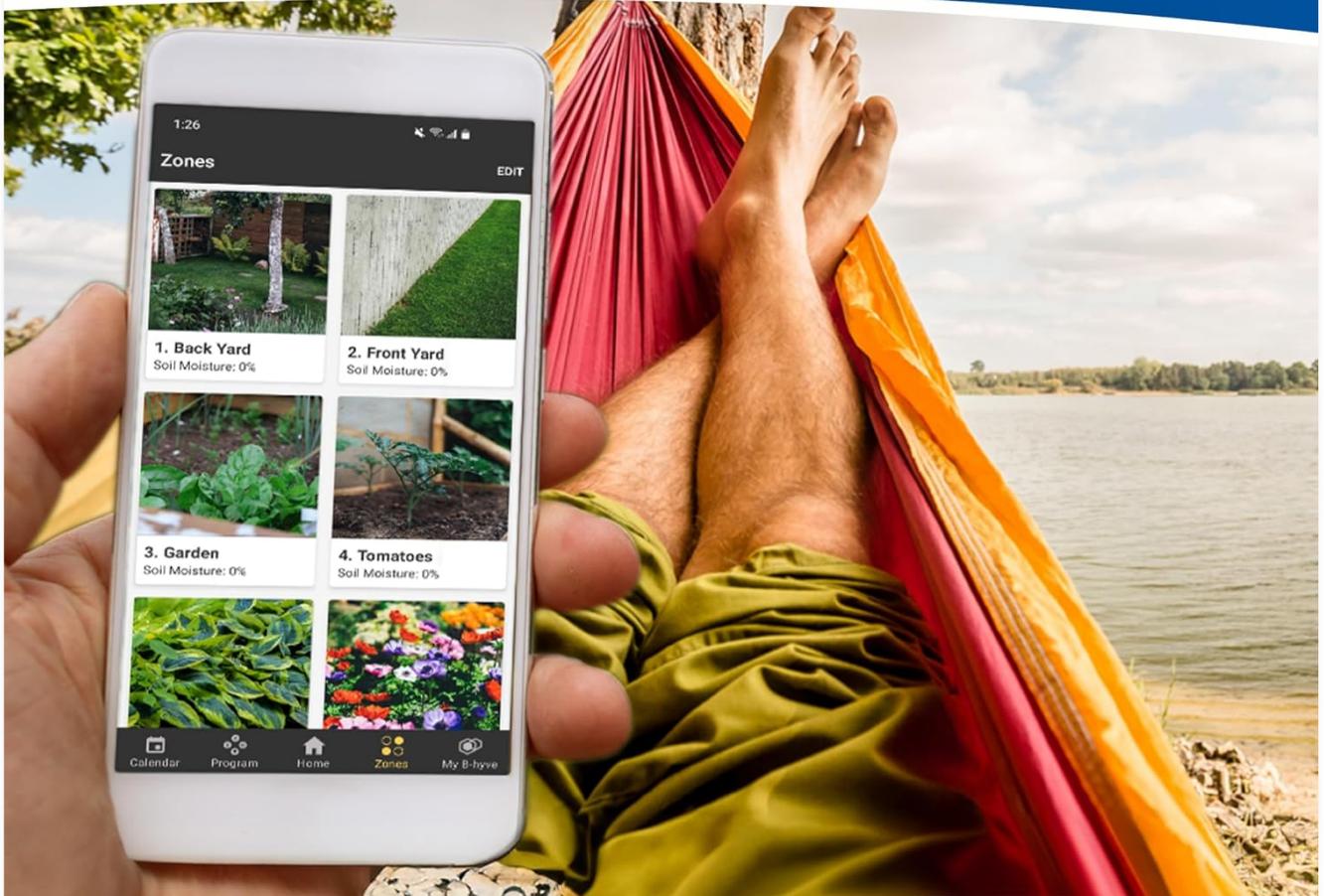
1. Ensure your outdoor faucet is turned off.
2. Thread the brass inlet of the B-hyve XD timer onto your outdoor hose faucet. Hand-tighten until snug.
3. Turn on your outdoor faucet fully. The timer is designed to withstand continuous water pressure.

### 3.3. Connect Hoses

1. Attach your garden hoses to the two outlets at the bottom of the B-hyve XD timer.
2. Ensure connections are tight to prevent leaks.



# Control from Anywhere



**With Optional Wi-Fi Hub, Unlock the Power of Control from Anywhere You Have Internet.**

**Image 2:** The Orbit B-hyve XD 2-Port Smart Hose Watering Timer is shown installed on an outdoor faucet, with two green hoses connected to its outlets. This illustrates the physical setup of the timer for garden use.

### 3.4. Wi-Fi Hub Setup (Optional)

The Wi-Fi Hub enables remote control of your timer from anywhere with an internet connection and unlocks smart watering features. The B-hyve XD is compatible with the Gen 2 Wi-Fi Hub.

1. Plug the Wi-Fi Hub into an indoor electrical outlet near your Wi-Fi router.
2. Wait for the indicator light on the hub to turn solid green, indicating a successful connection to your home network.



## Effortless Automatic Watering with the Free B-hyve App.

**Image 3:** The Orbit B-hyve Gen 2 Wi-Fi Hub is shown plugged into a standard wall outlet, with its green indicator light illuminated. This signifies that the hub is powered on and connected to the network, ready to communicate with the timer.

### 3.5. App Installation

1. Download the free B-hyve app from your device's app store (iOS or Android).
2. Create an account or log in if you already have one.
3. Follow the in-app instructions to add your B-hyve XD timer and Wi-Fi Hub (if applicable) to your account.

## 4. OPERATING THE TIMER

### 4.1. Manual Control (On-Device)

The B-hyve XD timer can be programmed directly on the device using the selector knob and buttons.

1. Use the selector knob to navigate through settings like SET CLOCK, START TIME, HOW LONG, and HOW OFTEN.
2. Press the knob to select a setting and turn it to adjust values.
3. Use the 'ZONE' button to switch between the two watering zones.
4. To manually water, select 'AUTO/MANUAL' and hold for a rain delay, or select 'OFF' and hold to reset.

## 4.2. Bluetooth Control (Local)

For local control, ensure your smartphone's Bluetooth is enabled and you are within range of the timer (up to 150 feet).

1. Open the B-hyve app on your smartphone.
2. The app will automatically connect to the timer via Bluetooth if it's within range.
3. You can then program schedules, initiate manual watering, or adjust settings directly from the app.

## 4.3. Wi-Fi Control (Remote)

With the Wi-Fi Hub connected, you can control your B-hyve XD timer from anywhere in the world with an internet connection.

1. Ensure your Wi-Fi Hub is properly set up and connected to your home network.
2. Open the B-hyve app on your smartphone or tablet.
3. The app will communicate with your timer through the hub, allowing full remote management.



**Image 4:** A smartphone screen shows the B-hyve app, displaying various watering zones and their current status or scheduled events. This highlights the app's user-friendly interface for managing multiple irrigation areas.

## 4.4. Smart Watering Features

When connected via Wi-Fi, the B-hyve XD leverages advanced smart watering capabilities:

- **Hyper-local Precision:** Adjusts watering based on your property's specific attributes and real-time local weather data.
- **Drought-Tolerant:** Automatically modifies watering schedules based on local drought levels and allows customization for local watering restrictions.
- **Rain Delay:** Automatically pauses watering if rain is detected or forecasted, preventing overwatering and saving water.

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**Video 1:** An official Orbit video introducing the B-hyve Hose Timer Gen 2, highlighting its new features and compatibility. This video provides a visual overview of the product's design and core functionalities.

## 5. MAINTENANCE

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### 5.1. Battery Replacement

Replace batteries annually or when the low battery indicator appears on the timer's display or in the app.

1. Turn off the outdoor faucet and detach the timer.
2. Open the battery compartment, remove old batteries, and insert new AA batteries.
3. Reattach the timer to the faucet and turn on the water.

### 5.2. Winterization

To prevent damage from freezing temperatures, remove the timer from the faucet and store it indoors in a dry location above 32°F (0°C) during winter months.

### 5.3. Cleaning

Periodically check and clean the brass inlet filter to ensure optimal water flow and prevent debris from entering the timer.

## 6. TROUBLESHOOTING

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- **No Water Flow:** Ensure the outdoor faucet is fully open. Check the inlet filter for clogs and clean if necessary. Verify that the timer's program is active and not on rain delay or off mode.
- **Connectivity Issues (Bluetooth/Wi-Fi):** For Bluetooth, ensure your device is within 150 feet of the timer. For Wi-Fi, confirm the hub is powered, has a solid green light, and is within range of your router. Restarting the app or unplugging/replugging the hub may resolve minor issues.
- **Timer Freezing/Unresponsive:** Remove and reinsert the batteries to perform a soft reset.
- **Leaks:** Ensure all connections (faucet to timer, hoses to timer) are hand-tight. Check for worn-out washers and replace if needed. Using plumber's tape on threads can help prevent leaks.
- **Inaccurate Smart Watering:** Verify your location and property attributes are correctly entered in the B-hyve app. Ensure the app has access to local weather data.

## 7. SPECIFICATIONS

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Feature	Detail
Model Number	24637
Ports	2
Color	Gray
Material	Silicone
Product Dimensions	9.25"D x 9.75"W x 2.88"H
Item Weight	0.704 ounces
Number of Settings	5
Power Source	2 x AA Batteries (not included)
Connectivity	Bluetooth, Wi-Fi (via Hub)
Smart Home Compatibility	Smart Home Compatible
Waterproof Rating	IPX-5
Certifications	EPA WaterSense Certified (with Wi-Fi Hub)

## 8. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

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For warranty information and customer support, please refer to the official Orbit website or contact Orbit customer service directly. Keep your purchase receipt for warranty claims.

Online resources, FAQs, and troubleshooting guides are often available on the manufacturer's support pages.