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INTRODUCTION

The Bose Smart Soundbar 600 is engineered to provide a rich and immersive audio experience for all your entertainment. Featuring Dolby Atmos and Bose's exclusive TrueSpace technology, it intelligently analyzes audio signals to deliver multi-channel sound, including overhead effects, even from non-Atmos encoded content. This soundbar integrates seamlessly into your home entertainment system, offering a variety of connectivity and control options.



Image: The Bose Smart Soundbar 600, showcasing its sleek black design and top-firing speakers.

WHAT'S IN THE BOX

Verify that all components are present in your package:

- Soundbar Speaker
- User Manual
- Remote Control

- HDMI eARC/ARC Cable
- Optical Audio Cable
- Power Cord

SETUP

Follow these steps for initial setup of your Bose Smart Soundbar 600:

1. **Placement:** Position the soundbar centrally below your TV. Ensure there are no obstructions in front of the soundbar or above its top surface, as this can affect sound performance, especially for Dolby Atmos effects.
2. **Connect to TV:** Connect the soundbar to your TV using either the provided HDMI eARC/ARC cable or the optical audio cable. HDMI eARC/ARC is recommended for optimal performance, including Dolby Atmos support. Connect the HDMI cable to the HDMI eARC/ARC port on your TV and the HDMI (eARC) port on the soundbar. If using optical, connect the optical cable to the optical audio output on your TV and the OPTICAL IN port on the soundbar.
3. **Power Connection:** Connect the power cord to the soundbar and then to a power outlet.
4. **Bose Music App Setup:** Download the Bose Music app on your smartphone or tablet. The app will guide you through connecting the soundbar to your Wi-Fi network, setting up voice assistants (Amazon Alexa or Google Assistant), and configuring sound settings. This app is essential for unlocking the full functionality of your soundbar.



Image: The Bose Smart Soundbar 600 positioned below a television in a living room, demonstrating a typical setup.



Image: A diagram showing the dimensions of the Bose Smart Soundbar 600: 27.34 inches wide, 4.09 inches deep, and 2.21 inches high.

OPERATING YOUR SOUNDBAR

Once set up, your Bose Smart Soundbar 600 offers various ways to control and enjoy your audio.

Power On/Off

The soundbar will typically power on and off automatically with your TV when connected via HDMI eARC/ARC. You can also use the included remote control or the Bose Music app to manually power the soundbar on or off.

Volume Control

Adjust the volume using your TV remote (if connected via HDMI eARC/ARC), the included Bose remote, or the volume controls within the Bose Music app. The app also allows for fine-tuning of bass and treble levels to suit your preferences.

Input Selection

Switch between TV audio, Bluetooth, and other streaming sources using the Bose Music app. The soundbar automatically detects the active input when possible.

Voice Control

With built-in Amazon Alexa, you can control your soundbar, TV, and cable/satellite box using voice commands. The soundbar also supports Works With Google Assistant capabilities when paired with a compatible Google device.

Wireless Streaming

The soundbar supports multiple wireless streaming options:

- **Wi-Fi:** Connect to integrated music services and internet radio stations via the Bose Music app.
- **Bluetooth:** Stream audio directly from any Bluetooth-enabled device.
- **Apple AirPlay 2:** Stream audio from Apple devices.
- **Spotify Connect:** Directly control Spotify playback from the Spotify app.
- **Chromecast built-in:** Cast audio from compatible apps.

Bose SimpleSync Technology

Use Bose SimpleSync to pair your Smart Soundbar 600 with compatible Bose headphones or other Bose Bluetooth speakers for synchronized audio playback. This feature is ideal for private listening or expanding your sound system.



Image: A user interacting with the Bose Music app on a smartphone, showing the interface for controlling the soundbar.

MAINTENANCE

Proper care ensures the longevity and performance of your soundbar.

- **Cleaning:** Gently wipe the surface of the soundbar with a soft, dry cloth. Do not use liquid cleaners or sprays directly on the unit.
- **Ventilation:** Ensure the soundbar's vents are not blocked to prevent overheating.
- **Storage:** If storing the soundbar for an extended period, disconnect it from power and store it in a cool, dry place.

TROUBLESHOOTING

If you encounter issues with your Bose Smart Soundbar 600, try the following solutions:

Problem	Possible Solution
No sound from soundbar	Check all cable connections (HDMI, optical, power). Ensure the correct input source is selected in the Bose Music app. Verify TV audio output settings are configured for the soundbar. Try restarting both the TV and the soundbar by unplugging them for 30 seconds.
Sound is distorted or unclear	Adjust volume levels on both the soundbar and TV. Check audio settings in the Bose Music app (e.g., bass/treble). Ensure the soundbar is not placed in an enclosed space that could muffle sound.

Problem	Possible Solution
Voice assistant not responding	Ensure the microphone is not muted on the soundbar. Check internet connection. Verify voice assistant setup in the Bose Music app.
Bluetooth pairing issues	Ensure the soundbar is in Bluetooth pairing mode. Delete the soundbar from your device's Bluetooth list and try pairing again. Move closer to the soundbar.
Soundbar not connecting to Wi-Fi	Ensure your Wi-Fi network is active and within range. Re-run the Wi-Fi setup process in the Bose Music app. Restart your router.

For more detailed troubleshooting, refer to the full user manual or contact Bose customer support.

SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Model Name	Soundbar 600
Speaker Type	Soundbar
Special Features	Alexa Dolby Enabled, Bass Boost, Built-in Microphone, Dolby Enabled
Recommended Uses	For Televisions
Compatible Devices	Television
Controller Type	Amazon Alexa, Google Assistant
Surround Sound Channel Configuration	5.1
Color	Black
Product Dimensions (DxWxH)	4.09"D x 27.34"W x 2.21"H
Item Weight	10.21 pounds
Control Method	App, Voice
Wireless Communication Technology	Wi-Fi, Bluetooth
Power Source	Corded Electric
Manufacturer	Bose
Speaker Maximum Output Power	600 Watts

Feature	Detail
Connectivity Technology	Wired, Wireless
Audio Output Mode	Surround
Mounting Type	Tabletop Mount
UPC	017817841467

WARRANTY INFORMATION

The Bose Smart Soundbar 600 comes with a **Limited Warranty**. For specific terms and conditions, please refer to the warranty documentation included with your product or visit the official Bose support website. Extended protection plans may also be available for purchase from authorized retailers.

CUSTOMER SUPPORT

For additional assistance, troubleshooting, or product information, please utilize the following resources:

- **Bose Music App:** The app provides comprehensive guides, settings adjustments, and direct access to support resources.
- **Online User Manual:** A detailed PDF version of the user manual is available for download at [Bose Smart Soundbar 600 User Manual \(PDF\)](#).
- **Bose Support Website:** Visit the official Bose support website for FAQs, product registration, and contact information for customer service.