

JBL JBLPBOTGESAM

JBL PartyBox On-The-Go Essential User Manual

Model: JBLPBOTGESAM | Brand: JBL

INTRODUCTION

The JBL PartyBox On-The-Go Essential is a portable party speaker designed to deliver powerful JBL Pro Sound with a dynamic light show. It features a built-in wireless microphone, multiple connectivity options, and splashproof protection, making it ideal for various events and outdoor use.

This manual provides detailed instructions on setting up, operating, and maintaining your JBL PartyBox On-The-Go Essential to ensure optimal performance and longevity.

WHAT'S IN THE BOX

- 1 x JBL PartyBox On-The-Go Essential Speaker
- 1 x Wireless Microphone
- 1 x AC Power Cord (quantity and plug type vary by region)
- 1 x Quick Start Guide
- 1 x Safety Instruction and Warranty Card



Image: The JBL PartyBox On-The-Go Essential speaker, its wireless microphone, and the detachable shoulder strap.

SETUP

1. Charging the Speaker

Before first use, fully charge the JBL PartyBox On-The-Go Essential. Connect the AC power cord to the speaker's power input and then to a power outlet. The battery indicator lights will show the charging status. A full charge takes approximately 3.5 hours.

2. Powering On/Off

Press and hold the **Power button** located on the top panel to turn the speaker on or off.

3. Bluetooth Pairing

1. Turn on the JBL PartyBox On-The-Go Essential.
2. Press the **Bluetooth button** on the top panel to enter pairing mode. The Bluetooth indicator will flash.
3. On your mobile device, enable Bluetooth and select "JBL PartyBox On-The-Go Essential" from the list of available devices.
4. Once connected, the Bluetooth indicator will glow solid blue.

4. Wireless Microphone Setup

The included wireless microphone is pre-paired with the speaker. Simply turn on the microphone, and it should automatically connect. If not, refer to the troubleshooting section.



Image: Close-up view of the JBL wireless microphone, showing its power button and branding.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

1. Audio Playback

- **Bluetooth:** Stream audio wirelessly from your paired device.
- **USB Playback:** Insert a USB drive with audio files into the USB port. The speaker will automatically play compatible files.
- **AUX Input:** Connect an external audio device using a 3.5mm AUX cable.

2. Microphone and Guitar Inputs

The speaker features dedicated inputs for a microphone and a guitar. Adjust the volume and effects (like echo) for each input using the corresponding knobs on the top panel.

3. Light Show

The JBL PartyBox On-The-Go Essential features a dynamic light show that syncs to the music. Use the **Light Mode button** on the top panel to cycle through various preset patterns or turn the lights off. The speaker remembers your last light setting.



Synched light show

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Image: The JBL PartyBox On-The-Go Essential speaker displaying its synchronized light show during an outdoor gathering.

4. Bass Boost

Enhance the bass output by pressing the **Bass Boost button** on the top panel. This feature provides a deeper, more impactful bass experience.

MAINTENANCE

- **Cleaning:** Use a soft, dry cloth to clean the speaker's exterior. Avoid using abrasive cleaners or solvents.

- **Storage:** Store the speaker in a cool, dry place away from direct sunlight and extreme temperatures when not in use for extended periods.
- **Battery Care:** To prolong battery life, fully charge the speaker at least once every 3 months if not used regularly.
- **Splashproof Protection (IPX4):** The speaker is IPX4 splashproof, meaning it can withstand splashes of water. Do not submerge the speaker in water or expose it to heavy rain. Ensure all port covers are securely closed before exposure to water.

TROUBLESHOOTING

| Problem | Possible Cause | Solution |
|--|---|--|
| Speaker does not power on. | Battery is depleted. | Connect the speaker to a power outlet using the AC power cord and allow it to charge. |
| No sound from speaker. | Volume is too low or muted; incorrect input selected. | Increase volume on both the speaker and the source device. Ensure the correct input (Bluetooth, USB, AUX) is selected. |
| Bluetooth pairing fails. | Speaker is not in pairing mode; device is out of range; interference. | Press the Bluetooth button to enter pairing mode. Move the device closer to the speaker. Avoid strong electromagnetic interference. |
| Wireless microphone not connecting. | Microphone is off or battery is low; interference. | Ensure the microphone is turned on and has sufficient battery. Move closer to the speaker. If issues persist, try re-pairing the microphone (refer to Quick Start Guide for specific steps). |
| Echo effect on microphone cannot be removed. | Echo knob is not fully turned down. | Ensure the echo control knob on the top panel is turned completely counter-clockwise to minimize or remove the echo effect. |

SPECIFICATIONS

| Feature | Detail |
|-----------------------------------|---|
| Model Name | JBL PartyBox On-The-Go Essential |
| Speaker Type | Outdoor, Portable Party Speaker |
| Speaker Maximum Output Power | 100 Watts |
| Connectivity Technology | Bluetooth, Auxiliary, USB, Dual Guitar/Mic inputs |
| Wireless Communication Technology | Bluetooth |
| Bluetooth Range | 10 Meters |
| Battery Life | 6 Hours |
| Charging Time | 3.5 Hours |

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| Water Resistance Level | Water Resistant (IPX4 splashproof) |
| Product Dimensions (D x W x H) | 9"D x 19.3"W x 9.6"H |
| Item Weight | 13.4 Pounds |
| Included Components | Speaker, Wireless Microphone, AC Power Cord, Quick Start Guide, Safety Instruction and Warranty Card |

WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

Your JBL PartyBox On-The-Go Essential comes with a limited warranty. Please refer to the included Safety Instruction and Warranty Card for detailed terms and conditions.

For technical support, product registration, or further assistance, please visit the official JBL website or contact their customer service. Contact information can typically be found on the warranty card or the brand's official website.

For more information, visit the [JBL Store on Amazon](#).

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