

Soundfreaq SFQ-17

Soundfreaq Sound Rise DAB SFQ-17 User Manual

Model: SFQ-17

INTRODUCTION

The Soundfreaq Sound Rise DAB SFQ-17 is a multi-functional bedside device designed to enhance your daily routine. It combines a DAB+/FM radio, a Bluetooth speaker, a dual alarm clock, and fast USB charging capabilities. This manual provides detailed instructions for its setup, operation, and maintenance to ensure optimal performance and user satisfaction.

PRODUCT FEATURES

- **All-in-One Design:** Features a 3.5-inch LCD display with 6 dimming levels, a wireless Bluetooth speaker for audio streaming, and a sleep timer. Its compact form factor is suitable for bedrooms, offices, and hotel rooms.
- **Enhanced Audio Experience:** Equipped with a high-performance bass diaphragm for strong low frequencies and a mono driver for balanced sound and vocal clarity. A passive radiator optimizes bass response for distortion-free audio. Six preset equalizer settings are available.
- **Multiple Functions & Fast Charging:** Includes two fast USB charging ports: one USB Type-C (PD fast charging) and one USB Type-A (18W QC3.0), capable of charging two devices simultaneously. An optional Soundfreaq wireless charger can be integrated.
- **Natural Sound Machine:** Offers soothing nature sounds such as bird chirping, forest sounds, ocean waves, rain, city ambiance, and temple bells to aid relaxation, improve sleep quality, and enhance focus.
- **Gradual Wake-Up Volume:** Features a snooze function and a progressive alarm volume. Wake up gently to a built-in chime, Bluetooth audio, DAB+ radio, or FM radio. The maximum alarm volume is user-adjustable.



Image: Front view of the Soundfreaq Sound Rise DAB SFQ-17, highlighting its clock, radio, and Bluetooth capabilities.

SETUP

1. Power Connection

Connect the provided USB cable to the power input port on the back of the Sound Rise DAB SFQ-17 and plug the other end into a suitable power adapter (not included) or a powered USB port. The device will power on automatically.

2. Initial Time Setting

1. Press and hold the **SETUP** button on the back of the unit for 2 seconds to enter time setting mode.
2. Use the **TUNE/SET** dial to adjust the hour, then press **ENTER** to confirm.
3. Repeat the process to set the minutes.
4. Press **ENTER** again to save the time and exit the setting mode.

EASY SETUP USING INTUITIVE CONTROLS

Set your **ALARM 1** or **ALARM 2** in two steps:

1. Long press either **ALARM** button to start setting
2. Select through **TUNE/SET** and press **ENTER** to confirm your settings



Image: Rear view of the device, indicating the 'SETUP' button for time configuration and the USB charging ports.

3. Setting Alarms

1. Long press either the **ALARM 1** or **ALARM 2** button to begin setting the alarm.
2. Use the **TUNE/SET** dial to adjust the alarm time (hour and minute), pressing **ENTER** after each adjustment.
3. Select the alarm source (Buzzer, DAB+, FM, or Bluetooth) using the **TUNE/SET** dial and press **ENTER**.
4. Choose the alarm frequency (Every Day, Weekdays, Weekends) and press **ENTER**.
5. Adjust the desired maximum alarm volume and press **ENTER** to confirm.

NATURE SOUND MACHINE BUILT-IN

Soothing sounds to help you stay relaxed and sleep better



Image: Top control panel with buttons for setting alarms, tuning, and navigating menus.

4. Radio Tuning (DAB+/FM)

- Press the **SOURCE** button to select DAB+ or FM radio.
- For DAB+, the radio will automatically scan for available stations. Use the **TUNE/SET** dial to browse stations.
- For FM, use the **TUNE/SET** dial to manually tune or long-press to auto-scan for the next available station.
- To save a preset, long-press a numbered preset button (1-5) while listening to a station.

5. Bluetooth Pairing

1. Press the **PAIR** button (Bluetooth icon) on the top panel. The Bluetooth indicator on the display will flash.
2. On your mobile device, enable Bluetooth and select "Soundfreak SFQ-17" from the list of available devices.
3. Once connected, the indicator will stop flashing, and you can stream audio.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Basic Controls

- **Power On/Off:** Press the **Power** button.
- **Volume Adjustment:** Rotate the **Volume** dial.
- **Snooze:** Press the **SNOOZE** bar when an alarm sounds.
- **Alarm Off:** Press the corresponding **ALARM 1** or **ALARM 2** button to turn off the alarm for the day.
- **Display Dimmer:** Press the **DIMMER** button to cycle through display brightness levels.

Using Nature Sounds

Press the **NATURE SOUND** button to activate the natural sound machine. Cycle through available sounds by pressing the button again. Adjust volume with the main volume dial. Press the button once more to turn off the nature sounds.

CHARGING STATION WITH 2 USB PORTS

Charges 2 devices at the same time



Image: The device positioned on a table, illustrating its use as a natural sound machine for relaxation.

USB Charging

The Sound Rise DAB SFQ-17 features two USB charging ports on the back: a USB Type-C port (PD fast charging) and a USB Type-A port (18W QC3.0). Connect your mobile devices to these ports using appropriate cables for fast charging. The device can charge up to two devices simultaneously.

DAB+ CLOCK RADIO & BLUETOOTH SPEAKER

Wake up to your favourite tunes with progressive volume



Dual
Alarms



DAB+ / FM
Radio



Bluetooth
Wireless



Image: The device shown charging a smartphone and a tablet simultaneously via its USB-C and USB-A ports.

MAINTENANCE

- **Cleaning:** Use a soft, dry cloth to clean the exterior of the device. Do not use liquid cleaners or abrasive materials.
- **Placement:** Place the unit on a stable, flat surface away from direct sunlight, heat sources, and moisture.
- **Ventilation:** Ensure proper ventilation around the device to prevent overheating. Do not block any ventilation openings.

TROUBLESHOOTING

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
No power	Power cable not connected or power outlet not active.	Ensure the power cable is securely connected and the outlet is functional.
No sound	Volume too low, incorrect source selected, or device not paired (Bluetooth).	Increase volume, select the correct audio source, or re-pair Bluetooth device.
Alarm not sounding	Alarm not set, volume too low, or alarm turned off.	Verify alarm settings, increase alarm volume, and ensure alarm is active.
Poor radio reception	Antenna not extended or poor signal area.	Extend the antenna fully and try repositioning the unit for better reception.
Bluetooth pairing issues	Device not in pairing mode or too far from the Sound Rise.	Ensure the Sound Rise is in pairing mode and your device is within range. Try restarting both devices.

SPECIFICATIONS

- **Brand:** Soundfreaq
- **Model Number:** SFQ-17
- **Display Type:** LCD
- **Special Feature:** Alarm
- **Power Source:** Rechargeable (USB)
- **Room Type:** Bedroom
- **Shape:** Rectangular
- **Indoor/Outdoor Use:** Indoor
- **Alarm Clock:** Yes
- **Operation Mode:** Manual
- **Connectivity Technology:** Bluetooth
- **Item Weight:** 1.27 Kilograms
- **Material:** Wood
- **Frame Material:** Wood
- **Theme:** Relaxation
- **Clock Form:** Shelf Clock
- **Number of Items:** 1
- **Included Components:** USB Cable
- **Product Dimensions:** 13.2 cm (Width) x 14.9 cm (Height)

WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

For warranty information and technical support, please refer to the documentation included with your product or visit the official Soundfreaq website. Contact details for customer service can typically be found on the manufacturer's support page.

ASK A QUESTION ABOUT THIS MANUAL

Ask about setup, troubleshooting, compatibility, parts, safety, or missing instructions. Manuals+ will review the question and use this page's manual context to help answer it.

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Question

Example: How do I reset this device or fix this error?

Details

Model number, symptoms, what you tried, or the section of the manual you are using.

Submit question