

Pro-Ject T1 Evo BT

Pro-Ject T1 EVO BT Turntable with Bluetooth (Gloss Black) Instruction Manual

Model: T1 Evo BT

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1. INTRODUCTION

Welcome to the world of high-fidelity audio with your new Pro-Ject T1 EVO BT Turntable. This manual provides essential information for setting up, operating, and maintaining your turntable to ensure optimal performance and longevity. The T1 EVO BT combines classic analog sound with modern Bluetooth connectivity, offering a versatile listening experience.



Image: The Pro-Ject T1 EVO BT Turntable in Gloss Black, showcasing its sleek design and main components.

2. SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

Please read these instructions carefully before using the turntable. Keep this manual for future reference.

- **Power Supply:** Only use the power supply provided with the unit. Ensure the voltage matches your local power supply.
- **Water and Moisture:** Do not expose the turntable to rain, moisture, or excessive humidity. Avoid placing liquid-filled objects on the unit.
- **Heat Sources:** Keep the unit away from direct sunlight, radiators, heat registers, stoves, or other heat-producing appliances.
- **Ventilation:** Ensure proper ventilation. Do not block any ventilation openings.
- **Cleaning:** Disconnect the unit from the power supply before cleaning. Use a soft, dry cloth. Avoid liquid cleaners.
- **Servicing:** Do not attempt to service the unit yourself. Refer all servicing to qualified service personnel.
- **Placement:** Place the turntable on a stable, level surface to prevent vibrations and ensure proper operation.

3. WHAT'S IN THE BOX

Upon unpacking, please ensure all items listed below are present and in good condition:

- Dust cover

- Felt mat
- Power-supply
- High-quality phono/line RCA cable
- Pro-Ject T1 EVO BT Turntable Unit
- Pre-adjusted Ortofon OM10 cartridge (pre-installed on tonearm)

4. SETUP

Follow these steps to set up your Pro-Ject T1 EVO BT Turntable:

1. **Placement:** Choose a stable, level surface away from direct sunlight, heat sources, and strong vibrations.
2. **Platter Installation:** Carefully place the heavy, low-resonance glass platter onto the spindle. Ensure it sits flush.
3. **Belt Installation:** Gently stretch the drive belt around the sub-platter and the motor pulley. Rotate the platter a few times manually to ensure the belt is correctly seated.
4. **Cartridge & Tonearm:** The Ortofon OM10 cartridge is pre-adjusted. Ensure the tonearm is unlocked from its rest.
5. **Dust Cover:** Attach the adjustable hinge dust cover to protect your turntable from dust.
6. **Connections:**
 - Connect the high-quality phono/line RCA cable to your amplifier's phono input (for MM cartridges) or line input, depending on your setup and whether you use the internal preamp.
 - Connect the ground wire from the turntable to your amplifier's ground terminal.
 - Connect the power supply to the turntable and then to a wall outlet.



Image: Close-up of the Bluetooth switch, indicating its location for activation.



Image: Detailed view of the RCA Line and Phono outputs, showing connectivity options.



Image: A close-up of the Ortofon OM10 cartridge mounted on the tonearm, highlighting its design.

General Turntable Setup Guide (External Video)

For a visual guide on general turntable setup, including platter, belt, counterweight, and tonearm balancing, please refer to this video. While this video features a different brand, the fundamental setup principles are widely applicable to many turntables, including your Pro-Ject T1 EVO BT.

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Video: A general guide demonstrating the initial setup steps for a turntable, including component installation and tonearm adjustments. This video is provided by Fluance Audio and offers universal setup principles.

5. OPERATING YOUR TURNTABLE

1. **Power On:** Turn on the turntable using the power switch.
2. **Select Speed:** Use the electronic speed change control to select 33 or 45 RPM, matching your record's speed.
3. **Place Record:** Carefully place your vinyl record on the platter.
4. **Start Playback:** Gently lift the tonearm using the cueing lever and position it over the desired track. Lower the cueing lever to drop the stylus onto the record. The turntable is fully automatic and can also be started with a dedicated start button, which will automatically move the tonearm and lower the stylus.
5. **Stop Playback:** At the end of the record, the tonearm will automatically return to its rest. You can also manually lift the tonearm or press the stop button for automatic return.

6. BLUETOOTH CONNECTIVITY

The Pro-Ject T1 EVO BT features Bluetooth 5.0 with aptX HD for high-quality wireless audio streaming.

1. **Activate Bluetooth:** Ensure your turntable is powered on. Locate the Bluetooth switch/button (refer to image in Setup section) and activate it. The indicator light should start blinking, indicating pairing mode.
2. **Pairing:** On your Bluetooth-enabled device (e.g., wireless speakers, headphones), enable Bluetooth and search for available devices. Select "Pro-Ject T1 BT" (or similar) from the list.
3. **Connection Confirmation:** Once successfully paired, the Bluetooth indicator light on the turntable will turn solid.
4. **Playback:** Start playing a record, and the audio will stream wirelessly to your connected Bluetooth device.

7. MAINTENANCE

- **Dust Cover:** Keep the dust cover closed when not in use to protect the turntable from dust and debris. Clean the dust cover with a soft, damp cloth.
- **Stylus Cleaning:** Regularly clean the stylus using a soft brush designed for stylus cleaning, brushing gently from back to front.
- **Record Cleaning:** Use a carbon fiber brush or a record cleaning solution to keep your vinyl records free of dust and static, which can affect sound quality and stylus life.
- **Turntable Surface:** Wipe the turntable chassis with a soft, dry cloth. Avoid abrasive cleaners.

8. TROUBLESHOOTING

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No power/No sound	Power cable disconnected; Amplifier input incorrect; Internal preamp switch incorrect.	Check power connections. Ensure RCA cable is connected to the correct input (Phono for internal preamp OFF, Line for internal preamp ON). Verify internal preamp switch setting.
Skipping records	Turntable not level; Dirty stylus/record; Damaged stylus.	Ensure turntable is on a level surface. Clean stylus and record. Replace stylus if damaged.
Bluetooth not connecting	Turntable not in pairing mode; Device too far; Interference.	Ensure Bluetooth is activated and blinking on turntable. Move device closer. Reduce interference from other wireless devices.
Sub-platter not spinning	Belt dislodged or broken; Motor issue.	Check and re-seat the drive belt. If the problem persists, contact support.

9. SPECIFICATIONS

- **Product Dimensions:** 13.19 x 4.33 x 16.34 inches
- **Item Weight:** 8.8 pounds (4 Kilograms)
- **Item Model Number:** 9120129864800
- **Brand:** Pro-Ject
- **Maximum Rotational Speed:** 45 RPM
- **Material:** Aluminum, Glass, Plastic/Metal (Cartridge)
- **Style:** T1 Evo BT
- **Color:** Gloss Black
- **Compatible Devices:** Headphone, Laptop, Personal Computer, Smartphone, Speaker
- **Motor Type:** Belt-driven
- **Wireless Audio:** Bluetooth 5.0 with aptX HD
- **Preamp:** Internal, Switchable, Compatible with Multiple Inputs
- **Included Cartridge:** Pre-Adjusted Ortofon OM10
- **Tonearm:** 8.6" Single-Piece Aluminum
- **Chassis:** CNC-Machined, No Hollow Spaces
- **Craftsmanship:** Handmade in Europe

10. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

For warranty information and technical support, please refer to the official Pro-Ject Audio Systems website or contact your authorized dealer. Keep your proof of purchase for any warranty claims.

Online Support: Visit the [Pro-Ject Store on Amazon](#) for additional resources and contact information.