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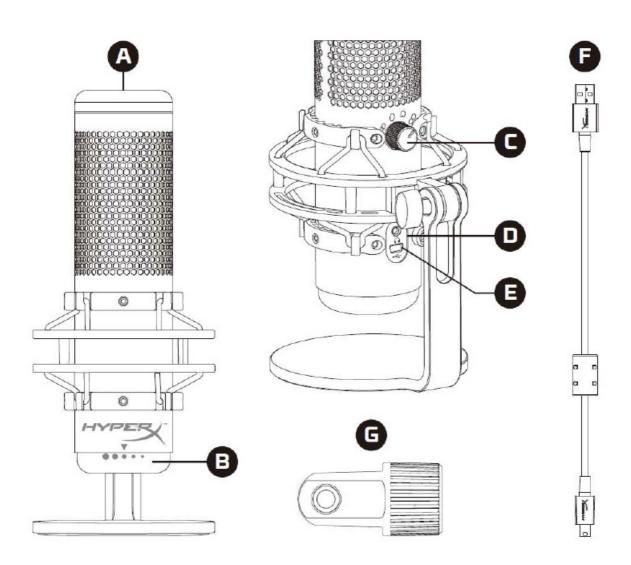
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Overview



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 - *Supports both 3/8" and 5/8" thread sizes

Specifications

Microphone

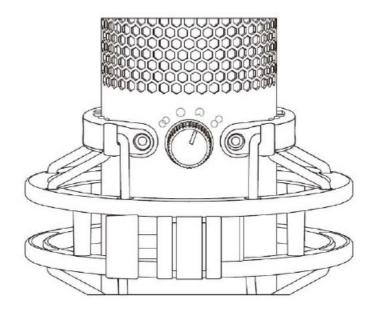
- Power consumption: 5V 125mA
- Sample/bit rate: 48kHz/16-bit
- Element: Electret condenser microphone
- Condenser type: Three 14mm condensers
- Polar patterns: Stereo, Omnidirectional, Cardioid, Bidirectional
- Frequency response: 20Hz 20kHz
- Sensitivity: -36dB (1V/Pa at 1kHz)
- Cable length: 3m
- Weight:
 - Microphone: 254g
 - Shock mount and stand: 364g
 - Total with USB cable: 710g

Headphone Output

- Impedance: 32 Ω
- Frequency response: 20Hz 20kHz
- Maximum power output: 7mW
- **THD:** ≤ 0.05% (1kHz/0dBFS)
- **SNR:** \geq 90dB (1kHZ, RL= ∞)

Microphone Controls

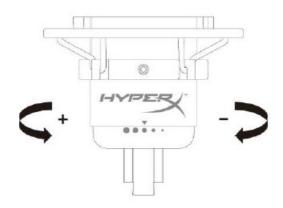
Selecting a Polar Pattern



Rotate the polar pattern knob to select one of the four polar patterns.

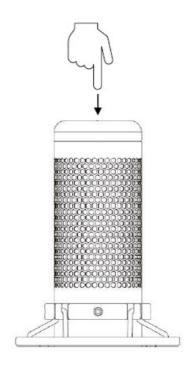
Symbol	Sound Direction	Polar Pattern	Scenarios
8	+	Stereo	Vocals, instruments
0	1	Omnidirectional	Multi-person podcasts, conference calls
<u>(a)</u>	••	Cardioid	Podcasts, streaming, voiceovers, instruments
<u></u>		Bidirectional	Face-to-face interviews

• Adjusting Gain Control



Rotate the gain control knob to adjust the gain of the microphone.

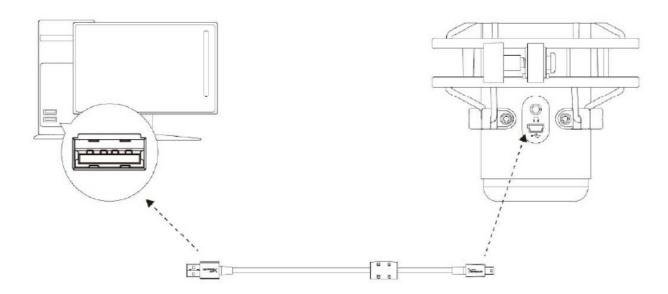
• Muting the Microphone



Tap the top of the microphone to mute/unmute the microphone. The microphone LED will indicate the current mute status of the microphone.

Microphone LED	Mute Status	
Red	Mute off	
Off	Mute on	

Using with PC or Mac

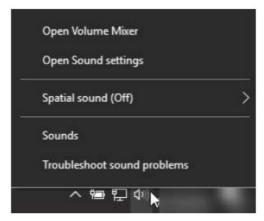


Connect the microphone to a USB port on the PC or Mac with the included USB cable.

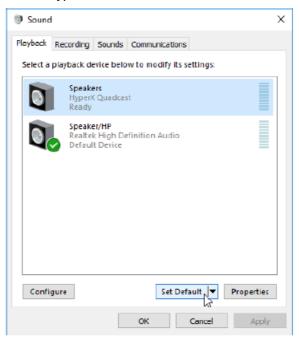
Windows

To ensure the microphone is configured correctly on the PC, follow the steps below:

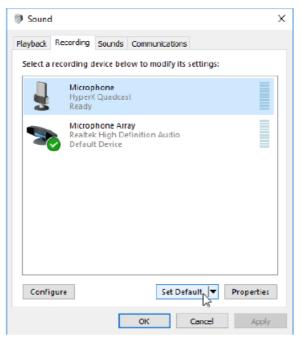
1. Right-click on the sound icon on the system tray and select Sounds.



2. On the Playback tab, select Speakers HyperX QuadCast and click on the Set Default button.



3. On the Recording tab, select Microphone HyperX QuadCast and click on the Set Default button.



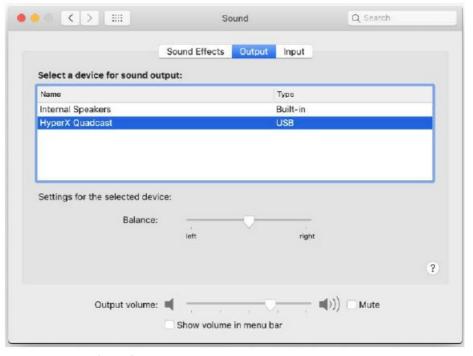
macOS

To ensure the microphone is configured correctly on the macOS, follow the steps below:

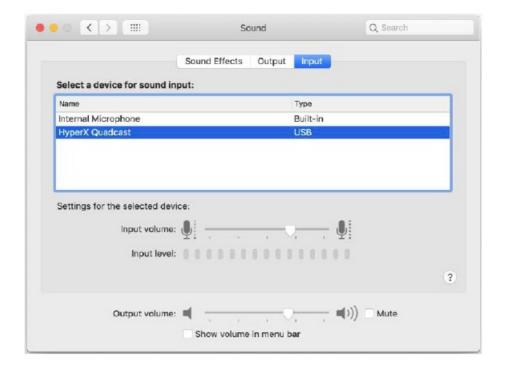
1. Open System Preferences and select Sound.



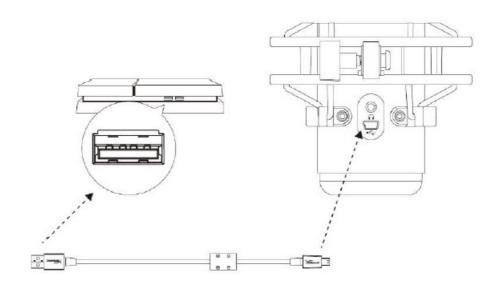
2. On the Output tab, select HyperX QuadCast.



3. On the Input tab, select HyperX QuadCast.



PS4™

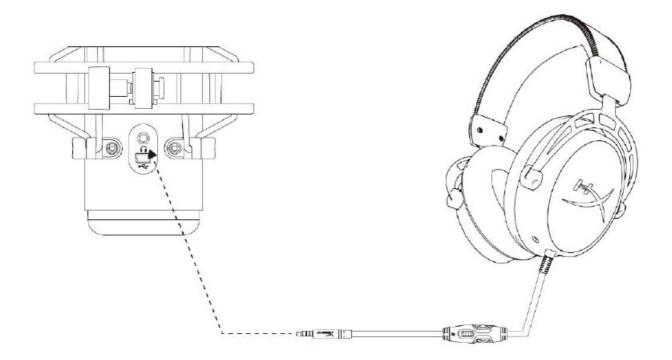


To ensure the microphone is configured with the most optimal settings on the PS4, follow the steps below:

- 1. From the PS4 main menu, go to Settings > Devices > Audio Devices
- 2. Set Input Device to USB Headset (HyperX QuadCast)
- 3. Set Output Device to USB Headset (HyperX QuadCast)
- 4. Set Output to Headphones to All Audio
- 5. Set Volume Control (Headphones) to desired volume.



Connecting Headphones



Connect headphones to the headphone jack on the microphone for microphone monitoring and playback audio.

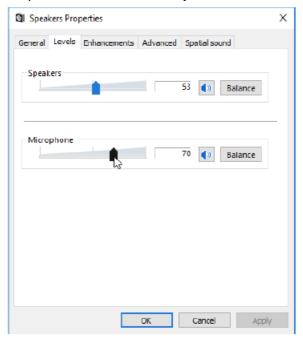
Controlling Microphone Monitoring

PC

1. From the Sound control panel, on the Playback tab, right-click on Speakers HyperX QuadCast and select Properties.

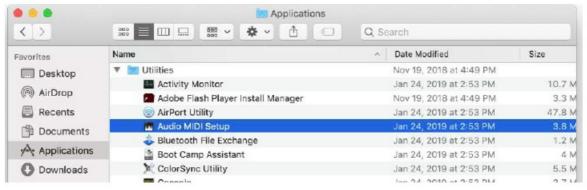


2. On the Levels tab, adjust the Microphone volume slider to adjust the level of microphone monitoring.

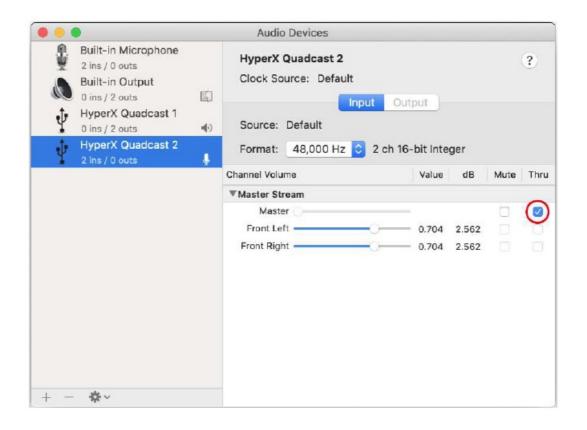


macOS

1. Open the Finder app and go to Applications > Utilities > Audio MIDI Setup.



2. Click on HyperX QuadCast 2 and click on the checkbox under the Thru column to toggle microphone monitoring on or off.



PS4

Microphone monitoring level cannot be directly controlled on PS4.

Installing the Mount Adapter

- Secure the included mount adapter onto a microphone boom arm. The mount adapter supports 3/8" and 5/8" thread sizes.
- 2. Remove both the thumb screw and nut from the microphone stand.
- 3. Remove the microphone stand from the microphone.
- 4. Align the mount adapter with the microphone mount holes and secure the adapter with the thumb screw and nut.

Questions or Setup Issues?

Contact the HyperX support team at: hyperxgaming.com/support/

Documents / Resources



References

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