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Nomad Alpha Bluetooth Speaker

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01. What's in the box?

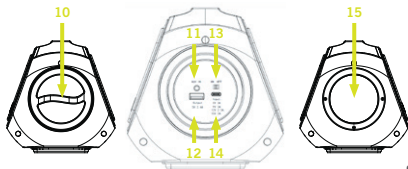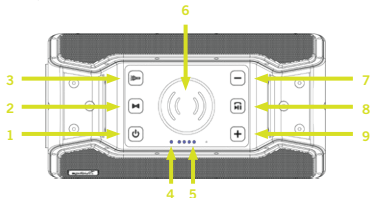Thank you for choosing our
Nomad Alpha Bluetooth Speaker.

For optimum performance and safety,
please read instructions carefully before usage.

Please keep this manual for future reference.

1x Nomad Alpha Bluetooth Speaker
1x USB Type-A to USB Type-C charging cable
1x Aux-in audio cable
1x Product manual

Unlocking side panel cap

1. Turn the cap anti-clockwise

2. Lift the cap to detach

Locking side panel cap

1. Place the cap over the input panel

2. Turn the cap clockwise until tight*

*Nomad Alpha is only dust and waterproof when this cap is properly closed.

Charging Nomad Alpha

1. Switch off the main power switch.

2. Connect the USB Type-C into Nomad Alpha input 5V/3A and connect the other end of cable into a power source*.

3. Blue LEDs indicate the power level of charge**.

*Power source options include USB connection to a Sprout AC power adapter, a Sprout car charger or computer/notebook USB connection.

**Full charge will take about 8-10 hours. Please refer to LED indicator section in this product manual.

Operating Nomad Alpha with auxiliary cable

To play music by using the auxiliary cable, connect the Aux-in audio cable with your device or mobile phone and Nomad Alpha.

Bluetooth Pairing

1. Switch on the main power switch.

2. Press power button for approximately three seconds. Nomad Alpha single LED will flash blue/red to indicate Nomad Alpha is ready for pairing*.

3. Turn on Bluetooth on your mobile phone/music device**.

4. 'Nomad Alpha' will appear on your mobile phone/music device. Select 'Nomad Alpha' to pair.

5. Once your mobile phone/music device is connected to Nomad Alpha, you will hear 'Bluetooth connected'***.

6. Enjoy your music

*If single LED is not flashing red and blue, hold UNISYNC button for 5 seconds to initiate Bluetooth pairing.

**If you are not familiar with Bluetooth pairing for your mobile phone or music device, refer to the user guide for your mobile phone/music device for instructions to pair a new device using Bluetooth.

***Nomad Alpha will always store the last device paired and if the device is within Bluetooth range, Nomad Alpha will automatically search & pair with the device.

Play/Pause/Answer:
Press the play/pause/answer button to play or pause songs and answer mobile phone calls.

Volume control:
Short press '-' button to decrease volume.
Short press '+' button to increase volume.

Track control:
Long press '-' button to select previous song.
Long press '+' button to select next song.

Power:
Press the power button to turn on or off.
When turned off, Nomad Alpha remains in standby power mode. Please note that the main power switch at the side panel needs to be switched to on for the power button to operate.

LED flashlight button:
Hold the LED flashlight button for 5 seconds to turn on or off. Continue pressing the button to cycle through the available flashlight modes. Normal brightness, highlights, slow flash, quick flash.

WARNING: In about 5% of people with epilepsy, exposure to flashing or flickering lights can trigger seizures (Source: Epilepsy action Australia). The strobe light function in this device may potentially trigger seizures for people with photosensitive epilepsy. User discretion is advised.

Wireless charging pad:
Wireless charging pad conveniently recharges your Qi-compatible devices, efficient charge of up to 10W power output.

USB Type-C charging input:
To charge your Nomad Alpha, connect the USB Type-C cable provided to USB Input 5V/3A, 9V/3A, 12V/2.5A, 15V/2A.

USB 2.0 output 5V/2.4A:
To charge other devices with the Nomad Alpha, connect a USB Type-A cable into the Nomad Alpha USB 2.0 output 5V/2.4A, and plug the other end of the cable into your device. The main power switch must be in the 'ON' position.

Aux-in:
Audio Aux-in provides an alternative to Bluetooth and allows the Nomad Alpha to connect with your mobile phone/music device by using a 3.5mm auxiliary cable.

Main power switch:
The main power switch must be set to the 'ON' position for Nomad Alpha to be operational. The power standby function will only work when the main power switch is in the 'ON' position.

UNISYNC mode

If you are using the UNISYNC feature you can connect one Nomad Alpha as a primary, then connect up to 50 UNISYNC devices as replicas.

To connect a replica, short press the UNISYNC button on your primary device once to enter UNISYNC Mode. Once the primary announces it is in UNISYNC Mode, repeat on the replica. After the replica announces it is in UNISYNC Mode, press the UNISYNC button once more – the replica should now announce it is using UNISYNC Audio. The primary speaker will show a solid blue light while replicas will show a flashing red and blue light.

Press UNISYNC button again to disable UNISYNC.* Press and hold the UNISYNC button for five seconds to reset the UNISYNC function.**

*If UNISYNC is disabled, Nomad Alpha will disconnect from but remember the replicas connected to it.

**Resetting UNISYNC will enable Nomad Alpha to 'forget' all replica devices.

Wireless charging

To charge a device wirelessly using the inbuilt battery, place your wireless charging compatible device on the wireless charging pad.

To use wireless charging, the main power switch must be turned on.

LED indicator

The single blue LED indicator will flash when Nomad Alpha is switched on.

When it is flashing red and blue LED light, Nomad Alpha is in pairing mode.

The battery LED indicator will flash from one to four LEDs to indicate Nomad Alpha is charging. The lights will stop flashing once Nomad Alpha is fully charged.

4 blue lights on: Battery 100% ●●●●

3 blue lights on: Battery 75% ●●●○

2 blue lights on: Battery 50% ●●○○

1 blue light on: Battery 25% ●○○○

1 red light on: Battery requires recharge 🔴○○○

Flashlight

Turn on: hold flashlight button for 5 seconds
Turn off: hold flashlight button for 5 seconds

Brighter flash strobe: While flashlight is on, the flashlight has a number of lighting options that can be cycled through by clicking the flashlight button. Additional lighting options include extra bright, flash and strobe.

05. Specifications

- Unit size: 280 x 140.5 x 150.5 mm (L x W x H)

- Weight: 2kg

- Output power: RMS 40W

- S/N ratio: 85db +/- 3db

- Frequency range: 90Hz - 20 kHz

- Power source: 11.1V, 15600mAh lithium battery

- Playtime: 10 hours from full charge at 75% volume level

- Charging time: Approximately 8-10 hours

- Function: Bluetooth/Aux-in/Microphone/ Powerbank/LED lights/UNISYNC

- Bluetooth: BT V5.1 + EDR

- Operating temperature: -10°C to 55°C

- Drop proof to 2 metres

- Waterproof IP67

- Shock proof

06. Care and Maintenance

Nomad Alpha Bluetooth speaker is intended to be used both indoors and outdoors. The speaker has been tested to IP67 waterproofing and dustproofing standards. IP67 standard allows Nomad Alpha to be submerged in water up to 1 metre for 30 minutes without any damage. However, Nomad Alpha is not intended for constant underwater use. Close the side panel cap properly before use (see Locking side panel cap section). If Nomad Alpha is placed in water without the cap securely closed, water will enter Nomad Alpha and void the warranty.

Always make sure the side panel cap is clean, free of any debris and correctly fitted. The speaker will only meet IP67 ratings when the side panel cap is properly locked and sealed. Included USB cables are NOT waterproof.

If you notice a muffling of audio after submersion, gently shake Nomad Alpha to clear excess water. If your speaker is exposed to saltwater clean it thoroughly after use with fresh water. Do not apply excessive force to any surfaces of Nomad Alpha when it is wet or in a wet environment.

Check the rubber seal periodically for premature wear and clean Nomad Alpha with a soft moist cloth and ensure no objects such as dirt, hair, sand are on the rubber seal ring. Do not use any oily solvents or chemicals for cleaning.

07. Important Safety Information

1. Do not attempt to charge Nomad Alpha when it is wet, or you suspect water has seeped into Nomad Alpha. Thoroughly dry Nomad Alpha and make sure all connections are dry before attempting to open the side panel cap and connect to a USB cable or power source. Failure to do so may result in electrical shock, fire or electrical damage to Nomad Alpha and may void the warranty.

2. Do not use Nomad Alpha when you are charging the battery.

3. Do not use Nomad Alpha near any open fire, heat source or excessive heat.

4. Do not open to modify, repair or remove any original component of Nomad Alpha. A qualified technician must carry out repair work. Do not remove the built-in battery or the grill cover. Doing so could cause damage to Nomad Alpha and allow water to enter.

5. Sound levels should be appropriate to your environment and comply with all local regulations. Ensure that you can hear and are aware of any potential hazards around you when you are enjoying your Nomad Alpha.

6. For approximately 5% of people with epilepsy, exposure to flashing or flickering lights can trigger seizures (Source: Epilepsy action Australia). The strobe light function in this device may potentially trigger seizures for people with photosensitive epilepsy. User discretion is advised.

08. Consumer Guarantee

Our goods come with guarantees that cannot be excluded under the Australian Consumer Law. You are entitled to a replacement or refund for a major failure and compensation for any other reasonably foreseeable loss or damage. You are also entitled to have the goods repaired or replaced if the goods fail to be of acceptable quality and the failure does not amount to a major failure. If you have any questions about your rights in relation to this product, please return it to point of sale or contact us at www.sproutinc.com.au. This warranty does not affect your legal statutory rights under the Australian Consumer Law. For more information about your rights under Australia Consumer Law go to www.accc.gov.au.

Your Immerse Bluetooth Speaker is warranted to the original owner for 24 months from the date of purchase against defects in material and workmanship under normal use and service. The warranty does not cover misuse of this product and liability will not exceed the purchase price of the product.

If you have any problems while using the product, please do not hesitate to contact our customer support team.

For warranty and technical support please visit www.sproutinc.com.au or contact us at

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