

PLANETHEADSET®

PLANETBLU PHS BTH-600 Wireless BT Speaker Microphone

For use with PLANETBLU radio adapters, or Icom and Kenwood radios with built-in BT.



Model No.: PHS BTH-600

(Manual also pertains to PHS BTH-600-IC) **Made in Taiwan**

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Federal Communication Commission Interference Statement

This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class B digital device pursuant to Part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference in a residential installation. This equipment uses spread spectrum technology which may reduce the potential for harmful interference, and may allow more devices to operate together. However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation. If this equipment does cause harmful interference to radio or television reception, which can be determined by turning the equipment off and on, the user is encouraged to try to correct the interference by one of the following measures:

- Reorient or relocate the receiving antenna.
- Increase the separation between the equipment and receiver.
- Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected.
- Consult the dealer or an experienced radio/TV technician for help.

FCC Caution: Any changes or modifications not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate this equipment. This device complies with Part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) This device may not cause harmful interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

This equipment complies with FCC RF radiation exposure limits set forth for an uncontrolled environment. To maintain compliance with FCC RF exposure compliance requirements, please avoid direct contact to the transmitting antenna during transmitting.

RF Exposure Warning!

This device contains transmitters and receivers which emit Radio Frequency (RF) energy. The device is designed to comply with the limits for exposure to RF energy set by the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) of the United States, Industry Canada (IC) of Canada, and the regulating entities of other countries.

If you are still concerned about exposure to RF energy, you can further limit your exposure by limiting the amount of time you use the equipment or by placing more distance between your body and the device, since exposure level drops off dramatically with distance.

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Charging the Speaker Microphone



The BTH-600 Speaker Microphone has a replaceable Lithium Ion rechargeable battery pack which must be charged prior to operation, and must be recharged regularly. A fully charged battery will provide up to 40 hours of continuous operation before needing to be recharged. However, operating time can vary depending on usage and the condition of the battery pack. Recharge the battery regularly.

To charge the Speaker Microphone

1. Ensure the device is turned off using the multifunction button.
2. Plug the charge cable into any powered USB outlet, such as an AC wall charger, and then into the charge jack on the Speaker Microphone.
3. Once the charging process has begun, the LED indicator on the Speaker Microphone will show a constant red light.
4. Typical charge time is approximately five hours. Actual charge time will vary depending on several factors including the battery's charge state, condition, and age.
5. When the battery is fully charged the LED indicator on the side of the Speaker Microphone will turn off.
6. Disconnect the charger from the microphone when charging is completed.

Charging Cautions:

- Do not use a wall charger or charge cable that appears to be damaged. (Example: frayed wires, melted plastic, etc.) Contact PlanetHeadset to get a new manufacturer-approved replacement charger.
- Do not tamper with or modify the Speaker Microphone or charger.
- Always turn the Speaker Microphone off when charging.

Install optional Button Hook for vehicular mounting (P-CLIP-MP16-BUTTON)

1. Press tab and slide off belt clip
2. Slide on P-CLIP-MP16-BUTTON



Controls and Connection

Front Firing Speaker
Received calls are heard over this speaker. The volume level can be controlled using either the Volume Up / Down buttons on the Speaker Microphone, or by using the volume controls on the two-way radio or phone.

Microphone:
This Microphone picks up the user's voice audio when sending a call.

Volume Up and Down Buttons
These buttons can be used to turn the receive audio volume of the Speaker Microphone up or down in five preset steps.

Status LEDs
The red and blue LEDs flash messages that let the user know the current status of the Speaker Microphone.

PTT Button
This button is used to activate the push-to-talk feature of the 2-way radio.

Clothing Clip
The alligator-type clip secures the Speaker Microphone to the user's clothing during use. The clip can be rotated to allow the Microphone to be better positioned.

Phone Button
This button is used to answer or hang up phone calls when the BTH-600 is connected to a cellphone phone.

Earphone Jack
This jack is used to connect an (optional) wired listen-only earphone to the Speaker Microphone for enhanced privacy.

Charge Jack
This mini-USB jack is used to recharge the removable battery of the Speaker Microphone by connecting the PHS BTH-600 to a USB charger or any powered USB source.

Multifunction Button
Holding down this button for one second will turn the Speaker Microphone on and off. This button can also be used to place the Speaker Microphone into pairing mode so that it can be connected wirelessly to a cellphone phone.

Battery Cover
The rear cover of the Speaker Microphone can be removed by loosening the thumbscrew on the rear of the Microphone. This allows the user to gain access to the removable battery pack.

Removable Battery
The Speaker Microphone is powered by a removable Lithium battery pack.

Installing or Replacing the Battery Pack

The PHS BTH-600 BT Speaker Microphone gets its power from a rechargeable Lithium-Ion type battery pack. The battery pack must be installed inside the Microphone prior to operation. Under normal usage, this battery should have a lifespan of over 1,500 charge/discharge cycles before needing to be replaced.



To access the battery compartment:

1. Rotate the thumbscrew counter-clockwise until the cover opens. Remove the battery door.
2. Insert the rechargeable battery pack into the battery compartment. Ensure that the battery terminals are properly lined up with the contacts inside of the battery compartment.
3. Reinstall the battery compartment cover and rotate the thumbscrew clockwise to tighten. DO NOT over tighten.

Pairing with a PlanetBlu Radio Adapter or 2-Way Radio

When pairing the PlanetBlu Speaker Microphone with a PlanetBlu Radio Adapter or an Icom or Kenwood radio, make sure that the Speaker Microphone is powered off to start.



- Hold down the Multifunction Button on the PlanetBlu Speaker Microphone. Continue to hold the button down for approximately 3 seconds, until you see the LED on the Speaker Microphone begin to quickly flash RED-BLUE-RED-BLUE in sequence. The PlanetBlu Speaker Microphone is now in pairing mode.
- If you are pairing the microphone to a PlanetBlu adapter, place the adapter into pairing mode following the instructions in the user's manual for that device. Typically, this is done by holding down the PTT button on the adapter while powering the adapter or attached two-way radio on and then continuing to hold the PTT button down until the LED on the adapter flashes two times per second.
- If you are pairing the microphone with an Icom or Kenwood two-way radio, follow the manufacturer's instructions to have the radio scan for nearby headset devices. Once it finishes scanning, select the PlanetBlu microphone from the list of nearby devices.
- After a few seconds, the two devices should sync to one another. Once the PlanetBlu Speaker Microphone and Adapter/Radio are paired with each other the status LED on the Speaker Microphone will then show one FLASH every few seconds.

- If a PlanetBlu Radio Adapter does not detect the Speaker Microphone within 60 seconds of being put into pairing mode, the adapter will exit the pairing mode and resume normal operation.
- Once successfully paired, you will be able to operate your 2-way radio using the PlanetBlu Speaker Mic.

Reconnecting a Previously Paired Speaker Microphone and Radio Adapter/Radio

Once the PlanetBlu Speaker Microphone and radio/adapter have been successfully paired together, both devices will remember that connection. The adapter/radio and Speaker Mic will attempt to re-establish their link whenever the radio/adapter and Microphone are both powered on and in within range of each other. Re-establishing this connection can take 10-60 seconds.

Pairing with a Cellphone

The PlanetBlu BT Speaker Microphone is capable of working with a BT-enabled cellphone .

When pairing the PlanetBlu Speaker Microphone with a cellphone phone, make sure that the Speaker Microphone and all other nearby BT devices are powered off- before beginning.

- Hold down the Multifunction Button on the PlanetBlu Speaker Microphone. Continue to hold the button down for approximately 3 seconds, until you see the LED on the Speaker Microphone begin to quickly flash RED-BLUE-RED-BLUE in sequence. The PlanetBlu Speaker Microphone is now in pairing mode.
- Activate the BT feature on your phone.
- Activate the "scan/discover new BT devices" feature on the phone. The exact steps needed to do this will vary depending on the brand/model of phone you are using.
- Select the PlanetBlu Speaker Microphone from the list of BT devices shown on your phone. If the phone asks for a passcode, enter "0000". The phone may also prompt you to confirm the connection.
- After a few seconds, the two devices should sync to one another. Once the PlanetBlu Speaker Microphone and phone are paired with each other, the status LED on the Microphone will revert back to a single blue flash every few seconds.
- Once successfully paired, you will be able to make and receive phone calls using the PlanetBlu Speaker Microphone.



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SPECIFICATIONS

BT Version:	v2.1+EDR
Speaker Output:	1 watt
Receiver Sensitivity:	-82 dBm (typ.)
Power Class:	BT class 2
Range:	10 meters
Display:	Blue, Red, and Green
BT Profile:	HFP,HSP,SPP Profile
Operating Voltage:	5 VDC
Battery Capacity:	1,020 mAH
Operating Time (Standby)	> 30 days
Operating Time (Typical)	> 80 hours
Operating Time (Continuous Talk)	> 40 hours
Push-to-Talk Function:	Built-in
Operating Temperature:	-4°F to +120°F (approx.)

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Using the PlanetBlu Speaker Microphone

Once your PlanetBlu Speaker Microphone and PlanetBlu Adapter or cellphone phone have been paired together:

Received signals will be heard over your PlanetBlu Speaker Microphone's front- firing speaker or through the optional earphone. The volume of received calls can be adjusted using the volume up/down button on the Speaker Microphone or the volume control on the two-way radio or cellphone phone.

When transmitting or on a phone call, the operator's voice is picked-up by the Microphone in the PlanetBlu Speaker Microphone.

Push-to-Talk can be activated one of several different ways:

- By pressing and holding the PTT button on the PlanetBlu Speaker Microphone.
- By pressing and holding the Talk button on the PlanetBlu Adapter.
- Using an optional wired PTT that is plugged into the PlanetBlu Adapter.
- Using an optional PlanetBlu Wireless BT PTT (model BT-PTT2, sold separately). Note that if you are using a PlanetBlu BT-PTT2, you will first need to pair the adapter with the PTT using the instructions located in the PlanetBlu PTT User's Guide.

To answer or hang up a call, press the orange Phone Button on the side of the Speaker Microphone or use the user interface on the phone itself.

You can also activate your phone's voice dialing feature by pressing and holding the Phone Button on the side of the Microphone for three seconds. (This function works only when the Microphone is NOT connected to a two-way radio.)

NOTE: When you are on a phone call, signals received by the two-way radio will not be heard. Additionally, if you press the PTT button on the PlanetBlu Speaker Microphone while you are on a phone call, the two-way radio will transmit, however no transmit audio will be sent over the air, since Microphone audio is being routed to the cellphone phone.

STATUS LED MESSAGES

The meanings of the various status LED messages shown by the Speaker Microphone are shown on the following table:

LED INDICATION	MEANING
Constant Red (while plugged into charger)	Charge mode
No indication (while plugged into charger)	Charging is finished
Flashes red-blue-red-blue repeatedly	Pairing mode
Two blue flashes every two seconds	Speaker Microphone is powered on but not paired
One blue flash every two seconds	Speaker Microphone is powered and paired
Constant red with one blue flash every two seconds	PTT is pressed
No indication	Speaker Microphone is powered off

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SUPPORT AND WARRANTY

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