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You can charge the speaker from an AC outlet via the AC adaptor (supplied).

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[Using the BLUETOOTH/Network standby function](#) 

The speaker turns on automatically by operating a BLUETOOTH device or network device, and BLUETOOTH or network connection starts.

[Charging USB devices, such as smartphones](#) 

You can charge your smartphone from the speaker connected with the USB cable.

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If no operation is performed and no sound is input for about 15 minutes, the speaker turns off automatically.

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About "SongPal"

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"SongPal" is a dedicated application for controlling Sony audio devices which are compatible with "SongPal," by your smartphone/iPhone. 

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"SongPal" provides Wi-Fi connection setup with the speaker, and allows you to select/play music on the PC or server via your home network. 

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[Connecting to a Wi-Fi network using "SongPal" \(Smartphone\)](#)

You can connect the speaker to a Wi-Fi network using "SongPal" installed on your smartphone. First, make a BLUETOOTH connection between the speaker and the smartphone. 

[Connecting to a Wi-Fi network using "SongPal" \(iPhone\)](#)

You can connect the speaker to a Wi-Fi network using "SongPal" installed on your iPhone. First, make a BLUETOOTH connection between the speaker and the iPhone. 

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You can listen to music on a PC via a Wi-Fi network, using "SongPal" installed on your smartphone/iPhone.

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You can easily customize the sound of the speaker or use Sony's recommended "ClearAudio+" setting, using "SongPal" installed on your smartphone/iPhone. 

[Setting the auto standby function](#)

You can turn on/off the auto standby and the BLUETOOTH/Network standby functions of the speaker, using "SongPal" installed on your smartphone/iPhone. 

[Checking the battery level](#)

You can check the battery level of the speaker using the "SongPal" installed on your smartphone/iPhone. 

[Setting the BLUETOOTH audio streaming playback quality](#)

You can select the BLUETOOTH audio streaming playback quality of the speaker, using "SongPal" installed on your smartphone/iPhone. 

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You can listen to music stored in a DLNA server (PC etc.) on a home network using the speaker.



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Connect the speaker to a computer with a LAN cable (not supplied), then connect to the wireless router.

[Connection method 3: Connecting to a Wi-Fi network using a PC connected wirelessly \(Windows 8 UI\)](#) 

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You can listen to music on a Mac or PC with iTunes using the speaker with AirPlay.

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[Connection method 3: Connecting to a Wi-Fi network using a PC connected wirelessly \(Windows 7/Windows 8\)](#)

Connect the speaker with a Windows 7 or Windows 8 PC wirelessly, then connect to the Wi-Fi network.

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Listening to music on a PC via network connection (Windows Vista)

[Connection method 1: Connecting to a Wi-Fi network using the WPS button of a wireless router](#)

If your wireless router has a WPS button, you can connect to the Wi-Fi network by this method.

[Connection method 2: Connecting to a Wi-Fi network using a computer connected with a LAN cable](#)

Connect the speaker to a computer with a LAN cable (not supplied), then connect to the wireless router.

[Connection method 3: Connecting to a Wi-Fi network using a PC connected wirelessly \(Windows Vista\)](#)

Connect the speaker with a Windows Vista PC wirelessly, then connect to the Wi-Fi network.

[Connection method 4: Connecting to a wired network](#)

Connect the speaker to a wireless router with a LAN cable (not supplied), then connect the wireless router to the computer.

[Setting your PC as a DLNA server \(Windows Vista\)](#)

Set a Windows Vista PC for use as a DLNA server.

[Listening with the AirPlay function \(iTunes\)](#)

You can listen to music on a Mac or PC with iTunes using the speaker with AirPlay.

[Listening to music on a PC via network connection \(Media Go\)](#)

You can listen to music stored in a PC connected to your network using Media Go.

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Listening to music on a computer via network connection (Mac)

[Connection method 1: Connecting to a Wi-Fi network using the WPS button of a wireless router](#)

If your wireless router has a WPS button, you can connect to the Wi-Fi network by this method.

[Connection method 2: Connecting to a Wi-Fi network using a computer connected with a LAN cable](#)

Connect the speaker to a computer with a LAN cable (not supplied), then connect to the wireless router.

[Connection method 3: Connecting to a Wi-Fi network using a Mac connected wirelessly](#)

Connect the speaker with a Mac wirelessly, then connect to the Wi-Fi network.

[Connection method 4: Connecting to a wired network](#)

Connect the speaker to a wireless router with a LAN cable (not supplied), then connect the wireless router to the computer.

[Listening with the AirPlay function \(iTunes\)](#)

You can listen to music on a Mac or PC with iTunes using the speaker with AirPlay.

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Listening to music on an iPhone/iPad/iPod via network connection

[Connection method 1: Connecting to a Wi-Fi network using the WPS button of a wireless router](#)

If your wireless router has a WPS button, you can connect to the Wi-Fi network by this method.

[Connection method 2: Connecting to a Wi-Fi network using a computer connected with a LAN cable](#)

Connect the speaker to a computer with a LAN cable (not supplied), then connect to the wireless router.

[Connection method 3: Connecting to a wired network](#)

Connect the speaker to a wireless router with a LAN cable (not supplied), then connect the wireless router to the computer.

[Listening with the AirPlay function \(iPhone/iPad/iPod touch\)](#)

You can listen to music on an iPhone/iPad/iPod touch using the speaker with AirPlay.

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[Connection method 1: Connecting to a Wi-Fi network using the WPS button of a wireless router](#)

If your wireless router has a WPS button, you can connect to the Wi-Fi network by this method.

[Connection method 2: Connecting to a Wi-Fi network using a computer connected with a LAN cable](#)

Connect the speaker to a computer with a LAN cable (not supplied), then connect to the wireless router.

[Connection method 3: Connecting to a wired network](#)

Connect the speaker to a wireless router with a LAN cable (not supplied), then connect the wireless router to the computer.

[Listening to music with the WALKMAN application \(Xperia\)](#)

You can listen to music on an Xperia using the speaker with WALKMAN application installed on your Xperia.

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You can register (pair) a BLUETOOTH device and the speaker with each other, and make a BLUETOOTH connection.

[Connection method 2: Connecting with a paired BLUETOOTH device](#)

You can connect the speaker with a BLUETOOTH device that is already paired.

[Connection method 3: Connecting with a smartphone by one touch \(NFC\)](#)

By touching the speaker with a smartphone, the speaker is turned on automatically and then proceeds to pairing and making BLUETOOTH connection.

[Listening to music on a device via BLUETOOTH connection](#)

You can enjoy listening to music of your BLUETOOTH device wirelessly via BLUETOOTH connection.

[Selecting the BLUETOOTH audio streaming playback quality](#)

You can select the BLUETOOTH audio streaming playback quality of the speaker.

[Terminating the BLUETOOTH connection \(After use\)](#)

After use, terminate the BLUETOOTH connection between the speaker and a BLUETOOTH device.

[Disconnecting the smartphone by one touch \(NFC\)](#)

You can disconnect the speaker from a connected smartphone by touching the speaker with it.

[Switching devices by one touch \(NFC\)](#)

You can switch devices by touching a new device once on the N-Mark of the speaker.

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[Connecting to a portable audio device, etc.](#)

You can connect a portable audio device, etc., with an audio cable (not supplied).

[Listening to music on a portable audio device, etc.](#)

You can enjoy music of a portable audio device, etc., connected to the AUDIO IN jack.

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Listening to music on an Xperia via network connection

[Connection method 1: Connecting to a Wi-Fi network using the WPS button of a wireless router](#)

If your wireless router has a WPS button, you can connect to the Wi-Fi network by this method.

[Connection method 2: Connecting to a Wi-Fi network using a computer connected with a LAN cable](#)

Connect the speaker to a computer with a LAN cable (not supplied), then connect to the wireless router.

[Connection method 3: Connecting to a wired network](#)

Connect the speaker to a wireless router with a LAN cable (not supplied), then connect the wireless router to the computer.

[Listening to music with the WALKMAN application \(Xperia\)](#)

You can listen to music on an Xperia using the speaker with WALKMAN application installed on your Xperia.

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[Connection method 2: Connecting with a paired BLUETOOTH device](#) 

You can connect the speaker with a BLUETOOTH device that is already paired.

[Connection method 3: Connecting with a smartphone by one touch \(NFC\)](#) 

By touching the speaker with a smartphone, the speaker is turned on automatically and then proceeds to pairing and making BLUETOOTH connection.

[Listening to music on a device via BLUETOOTH connection](#) 

You can enjoy listening to music of your BLUETOOTH device wirelessly via BLUETOOTH connection.

[Selecting the BLUETOOTH audio streaming playback quality](#) 

You can select the BLUETOOTH audio streaming playback quality of the speaker.

[Terminating the BLUETOOTH connection \(After use\)](#) 

After use, terminate the BLUETOOTH connection between the speaker and a BLUETOOTH device.

[Disconnecting the smartphone by one touch \(NFC\)](#) 

You can disconnect the speaker from a connected smartphone by touching the speaker with it.

[Switching devices by one touch \(NFC\)](#) 

You can switch devices by touching a new device once on the N-Mark of the speaker.

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[Listening to music on a portable audio device, etc.](#)

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[Connection method 2: Connecting with a paired BLUETOOTH device](#)

You can connect the speaker with a BLUETOOTH device that is already paired.

[Connection method 3: Connecting with a smartphone by one touch \(NFC\)](#)

By touching the speaker with a smartphone, the speaker is turned on automatically and then proceeds to pairing and making BLUETOOTH connection.

[Listening to music on a device via BLUETOOTH connection](#)

You can enjoy listening to music of your BLUETOOTH device wirelessly via BLUETOOTH connection.

[Selecting the BLUETOOTH audio streaming playback quality](#)

You can select the BLUETOOTH audio streaming playback quality of the speaker.

[Terminating the BLUETOOTH connection \(After use\)](#)

After use, terminate the BLUETOOTH connection between the speaker and a BLUETOOTH device.

[Disconnecting the smartphone by one touch \(NFC\)](#)

You can disconnect the speaker from a connected smartphone by touching the speaker with it.

[Switching devices by one touch \(NFC\)](#)

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[Listening to music on a portable audio device, etc.](#)

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If your wireless router has a WPS button, you can connect to the Wi-Fi network by this method.

[Connection method 2: Connecting to a Wi-Fi network using a computer connected with a LAN cable](#)

Connect the speaker to a computer with a LAN cable (not supplied), then connect to the wireless router.

[Connection method 3: Connecting to a wired network](#)

Connect the speaker to a wireless router with a LAN cable (not supplied), then connect the wireless router to the computer.

[Listening with the AirPlay function \(iPhone/iPad/iPod touch\)](#)

You can listen to music on an iPhone/iPad/iPod touch using the speaker with AirPlay.

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[Connection method 2: Connecting with a paired BLUETOOTH device](#)

You can connect the speaker with a BLUETOOTH device that is already paired.

[Listening to music on a device via BLUETOOTH connection](#)

You can enjoy listening to music of your BLUETOOTH device wirelessly via BLUETOOTH connection.

[Selecting the BLUETOOTH audio streaming playback quality](#)

You can select the BLUETOOTH audio streaming playback quality of the speaker.

[Terminating the BLUETOOTH connection \(After use\)](#)

After use, terminate the BLUETOOTH connection between the speaker and a BLUETOOTH device.

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[Connecting to a portable audio device, etc.](#)

You can connect a portable audio device, etc., with an audio cable (not supplied).

[Listening to music on a portable audio device, etc.](#)

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[Connection method 2: Connecting with a paired BLUETOOTH device](#)

You can connect the speaker with a BLUETOOTH device that is already paired.

[Listening to music on a device via BLUETOOTH connection](#)

You can enjoy listening to music of your BLUETOOTH device wirelessly via BLUETOOTH connection.

[Selecting the BLUETOOTH audio streaming playback quality](#)

You can select the BLUETOOTH audio streaming playback quality of the speaker.

[Terminating the BLUETOOTH connection \(After use\)](#)

After use, terminate the BLUETOOTH connection between the speaker and a BLUETOOTH device.

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[Connecting to a portable audio device, etc.](#)

You can connect a portable audio device, etc., with an audio cable (not supplied).

[Listening to music on a portable audio device, etc.](#)

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Listening to music on a PC via network connection (Windows 8 UI)

[Connection method 1: Connecting to a Wi-Fi network using the WPS button of a wireless router](#)

If your wireless router has a WPS button, you can connect to the Wi-Fi network by this method.

[Connection method 2: Connecting to a Wi-Fi network using a computer connected with a LAN cable](#)

Connect the speaker to a computer with a LAN cable (not supplied), then connect to the wireless router.

[Connection method 3: Connecting to a Wi-Fi network using a PC connected wirelessly \(Windows 8 UI\)](#)

Connect the speaker with a Windows 8 UI PC wirelessly, then connect to the Wi-Fi network.

[Connection method 4: Connecting to a wired network](#)

Connect the speaker to a wireless router with a LAN cable (not supplied), then connect the wireless router to the computer.

[Setting your PC as a DLNA server and controller \(Windows 8\)](#)

Set a Windows 8 PC for use as a DLNA server and a controller.

[Setting your PC for operating from the DLNA controller \(Windows 8\)](#)

Set a Windows 8 PC to listen to music stored that PC using the speaker by operating from the DLNA controller.

[Listening with the AirPlay function \(iTunes\)](#)

You can listen to music on a Mac or PC with iTunes using the speaker with AirPlay.

[Listening to music on a PC via network connection \(Windows 8\) \(Windows Media Player\)](#)

You can listen to music stored in a Windows 8 PC connected to your network using Windows Media Player.

[Listening to music on a PC via network connection \(Media Go\)](#)

You can listen to music stored in a PC connected to your network using Media Go.

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Listening to music on a PC via network connection (Windows 8)

[Connection method 1: Connecting to a Wi-Fi network using the WPS button of a wireless router](#) 

If your wireless router has a WPS button, you can connect to the Wi-Fi network by this method.

[Connection method 2: Connecting to a Wi-Fi network using a computer connected with a LAN cable](#) 

Connect the speaker to a computer with a LAN cable (not supplied), then connect to the wireless router.

[Connection method 3: Connecting to a Wi-Fi network using a PC connected wirelessly \(Windows 7/Windows 8\)](#) 

Connect the speaker with a Windows 7 or Windows 8 PC wirelessly, then connect to the Wi-Fi network.

[Connection method 4: Connecting to a wired network](#) 

Connect the speaker to a wireless router with a LAN cable (not supplied), then connect the wireless router to the computer.

[Setting your PC as a DLNA server and controller \(Windows 8\)](#) 

Set a Windows 8 PC for use as a DLNA server and a controller.

[Setting your PC for operating from the DLNA controller \(Windows 8\)](#) 

Set a Windows 8 PC to listen to music stored that PC using the speaker by operating from the DLNA controller.

[Listening with the AirPlay function \(iTunes\)](#) 

You can listen to music on a Mac or PC with iTunes using the speaker with AirPlay.

[Listening to music on a PC via network connection \(Windows 8\) \(Windows Media Player\)](#) 

You can listen to music stored in a Windows 8 PC connected to your network using Windows Media Player.

[Listening to music on a PC via network connection \(Media Go\)](#) 

You can listen to music stored in a PC connected to your network using Media Go.



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Listening to music on a PC via BLUETOOTH connection

[Connection method 1: Pairing and connecting with a BLUETOOTH device](#)

You can register (pair) a BLUETOOTH device and the speaker with each other, and make a BLUETOOTH connection.

[Connection method 2: Connecting with a paired BLUETOOTH device](#)

You can connect the speaker with a BLUETOOTH device that is already paired.

[Listening to music on a device via BLUETOOTH connection](#)

You can enjoy listening to music of your BLUETOOTH device wirelessly via BLUETOOTH connection.

[Selecting the BLUETOOTH audio streaming playback quality](#)

You can select the BLUETOOTH audio streaming playback quality of the speaker.

[Terminating the BLUETOOTH connection \(After use\)](#)

After use, terminate the BLUETOOTH connection between the speaker and a BLUETOOTH device.

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Listening to music on a PC via network connection (Windows 7)

[Connection method 1: Connecting to a Wi-Fi network using the WPS button of a wireless router](#)

If your wireless router has a WPS button, you can connect to the Wi-Fi network by this method.

[Connection method 2: Connecting to a Wi-Fi network using a computer connected with a LAN cable](#)

Connect the speaker to a computer with a LAN cable (not supplied), then connect to the wireless router.

[Connection method 3: Connecting to a Wi-Fi network using a PC connected wirelessly \(Windows 7/Windows 8\)](#)

Connect the speaker with a Windows 7 or Windows 8 PC wirelessly, then connect to the Wi-Fi network.

[Connection method 4: Connecting to a wired network](#)

Connect the speaker to a wireless router with a LAN cable (not supplied), then connect the wireless router to the computer.

[Setting your PC as a DLNA server and controller \(Windows 7\)](#)

Set a Windows 7 PC for use as a DLNA server and a controller.

[Listening with the AirPlay function \(iTunes\)](#)

You can listen to music on a Mac or PC with iTunes using the speaker with AirPlay.

[Listening to music on a PC via network connection \(Windows 7\)](#)

You can listen to music stored in a Windows 7 PC connected to your network.

[Listening to music on a PC via network connection \(Media Go\)](#)

You can listen to music stored in a PC connected to your network using Media Go.

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[Connection method 1: Pairing and connecting with a BLUETOOTH device](#)

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[Connection method 2: Connecting with a paired BLUETOOTH device](#)

You can connect the speaker with a BLUETOOTH device that is already paired.

[Listening to music on a device via BLUETOOTH connection](#)

You can enjoy listening to music of your BLUETOOTH device wirelessly via BLUETOOTH connection.

[Selecting the BLUETOOTH audio streaming playback quality](#)

You can select the BLUETOOTH audio streaming playback quality of the speaker.

[Terminating the BLUETOOTH connection \(After use\)](#)

After use, terminate the BLUETOOTH connection between the speaker and a BLUETOOTH device.

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Listening to music on a PC via network connection (Windows Vista)

[Connection method 1: Connecting to a Wi-Fi network using the WPS button of a wireless router](#) 

If your wireless router has a WPS button, you can connect to the Wi-Fi network by this method.

[Connection method 2: Connecting to a Wi-Fi network using a computer connected with a LAN cable](#) 

Connect the speaker to a computer with a LAN cable (not supplied), then connect to the wireless router.

[Connection method 3: Connecting to a Wi-Fi network using a PC connected wirelessly \(Windows Vista\)](#) 

Connect the speaker with a Windows Vista PC wirelessly, then connect to the Wi-Fi network.

[Connection method 4: Connecting to a wired network](#) 

Connect the speaker to a wireless router with a LAN cable (not supplied), then connect the wireless router to the computer.

[Setting your PC as a DLNA server \(Windows Vista\)](#) 

Set a Windows Vista PC for use as a DLNA server.

[Listening with the AirPlay function \(iTunes\)](#) 

You can listen to music on a Mac or PC with iTunes using the speaker with AirPlay.

[Listening to music on a PC via network connection \(Media Go\)](#) 

You can listen to music stored in a PC connected to your network using Media Go.

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[Connection method 2: Connecting with a paired BLUETOOTH device](#)

You can connect the speaker with a BLUETOOTH device that is already paired.

[Listening to music on a device via BLUETOOTH connection](#)

You can enjoy listening to music of your BLUETOOTH device wirelessly via BLUETOOTH connection.

[Selecting the BLUETOOTH audio streaming playback quality](#)

You can select the BLUETOOTH audio streaming playback quality of the speaker.

[Terminating the BLUETOOTH connection \(After use\)](#)

After use, terminate the BLUETOOTH connection between the speaker and a BLUETOOTH device.

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Listening to music on a computer via network connection (Mac)

[Connection method 1: Connecting to a Wi-Fi network using the WPS button of a wireless router](#) >

If your wireless router has a WPS button, you can connect to the Wi-Fi network by this method.

[Connection method 2: Connecting to a Wi-Fi network using a computer connected with a LAN cable](#) >

Connect the speaker to a computer with a LAN cable (not supplied), then connect to the wireless router.

[Connection method 3: Connecting to a Wi-Fi network using a Mac connected wirelessly](#) >

Connect the speaker with a Mac wirelessly, then connect to the Wi-Fi network.

[Connection method 4: Connecting to a wired network](#) >

Connect the speaker to a wireless router with a LAN cable (not supplied), then connect the wireless router to the computer.

[Listening with the AirPlay function \(iTunes\)](#) >

You can listen to music on a Mac or PC with iTunes using the speaker with AirPlay.

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Listening to music on a PC via BLUETOOTH connection

[Connection method 1: Pairing and connecting with a BLUETOOTH device](#)

You can register (pair) a BLUETOOTH device and the speaker with each other, and make a BLUETOOTH connection.

[Connection method 2: Connecting with a paired BLUETOOTH device](#)

You can connect the speaker with a BLUETOOTH device that is already paired.

[Listening to music on a device via BLUETOOTH connection](#)

You can enjoy listening to music of your BLUETOOTH device wirelessly via BLUETOOTH connection.

[Selecting the BLUETOOTH audio streaming playback quality](#)

You can select the BLUETOOTH audio streaming playback quality of the speaker.

[Terminating the BLUETOOTH connection \(After use\)](#)

After use, terminate the BLUETOOTH connection between the speaker and a BLUETOOTH device.

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About the indicators

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The indicators show the status of the speaker.



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Compatible device

[Compatible iPhone/iPad/iPod models](#)



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[Compatible operating systems \(Mac\)](#)



[Compatible DLNA devices](#)



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Software update

[Updating the software](#)

Update the software of the speaker.



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Wi-Fi signal strength

[Checking the Wi-Fi signal strength \(reception sensitivity\)](#)

You can check the signal strength (reception sensitivity) when the speaker is connected to a Wi-Fi network.



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About standby functions

[Differences of standby modes](#)

Explanation of the standby functions (standby, BLUETOOTH/network standby, auto standby).



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[Precautions](#)

Precautions on safety and use, etc.

[Notes on charging](#)

Notes about the built-in battery of the speaker

[Disposing of the speaker](#)

Before disposing of the speaker, remove the built-in battery pack.

[What is BLUETOOTH wireless technology?](#)

BLUETOOTH wireless technology is a short-range wireless technology that enables wireless data communication between digital devices, such as a computer and digital camera.

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[What can I do to solve a problem?](#)



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Power supply

[Unable to turn on the speaker or charge the built-in battery](#)



[None of the speaker buttons can be operated.](#)



[The speaker has entered standby mode or BLUETOOTH/Network standby mode unexpectedly.](#)



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Sound

[No sound/Sound from only one speaker/Low sound level](#)



[Distorted sound/Humming or noise in the speaker output](#)



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- [Distorted sound/Humming or noise in the speaker output](#)

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Network connection

The speaker cannot connect to the network. (Other equipment on the network cannot find or recognize the speaker.) 

The speaker cannot connect to the network via a Wi-Fi network connection. 

The speaker cannot connect to a network using the WPS button. 

The speaker does not appear in the device list on the computer's music playback application. 

The speaker does not appear in the device select screen on "SongPal." 

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Music Services

The speaker cannot connect to music services.



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Home network (DLNA)

[The controller cannot find the speaker. \(The controller cannot browse the contents of the speaker.\)](#)



[Music started automatically.](#)



[The sound is interrupted.](#)



[Playback does not start.](#)



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AirPlay

The speaker cannot be found from an iPhone/iPod touch/iPad or computer with iTunes.



Music started automatically.



There is no sound, or the sound skips during playback.



The speaker cannot be operated.



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Pairing

[Unable to pair the speaker with a BLUETOOTH device](#)



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One-touch connection (NFC)

[Unable to connect the speaker to a BLUETOOTH device with One-touch connection \(NFC\)](#)



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Reset

[Using the RESET button](#)



[Initializing the speaker](#)



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Disposal and transfer

[Disposing of or giving away this speaker](#)



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What you can do with the speaker

- Music playback via wireless connection (AirPlay/DLNA/BLUETOOTH)
- Music service support
- BLUETOOTH supported codec^{*1}: SBC (Subband Codec) / AAC (Advanced Audio Coding) / aptX
- Easy operation from your smartphone and tablet.^{*2}
- Compatible with DSEE
- Compatible with ClearAudio+
- Tap operation

^{*1} Codec: Audio signal compression and conversion format

^{*2} Only when the dedicated application "SongPal" is installed on your device.

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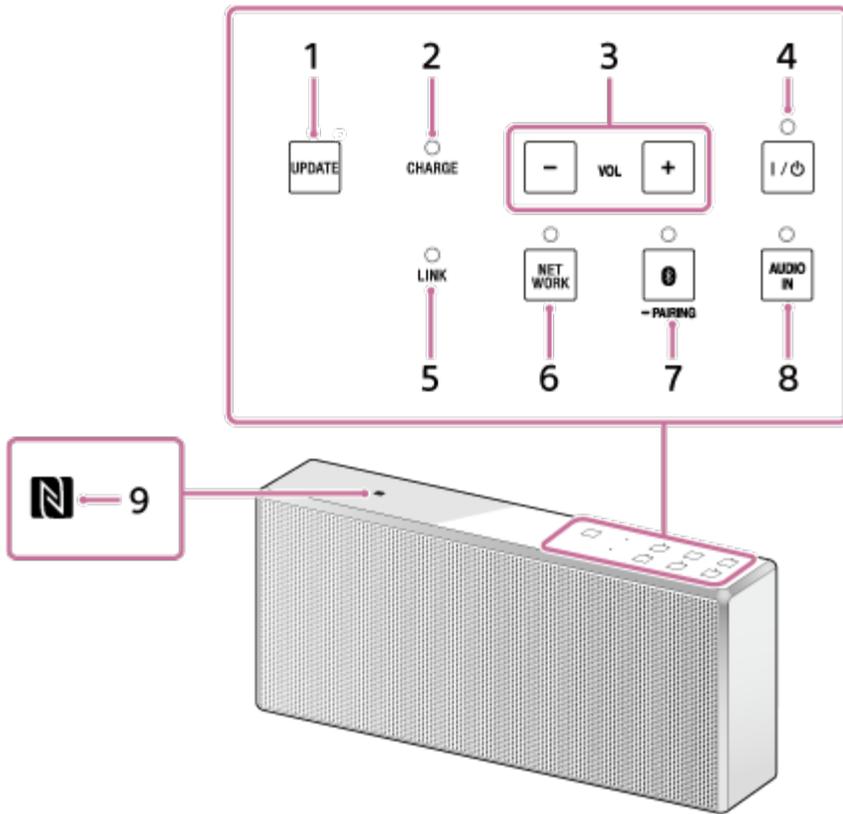
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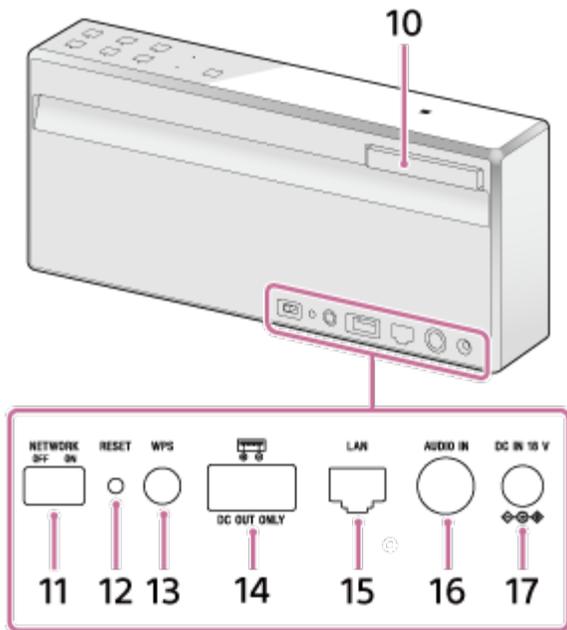
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Parts and controls

Front and top side



Rear side

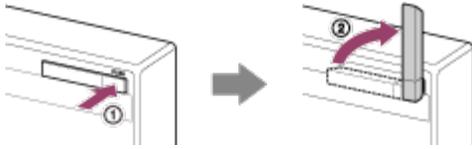


1. UPDATE button
Tap and hold to update the speaker's software.
Lights up in orange when the speaker detects the latest software while connected to the Internet. (Normally off.)
This button is usually not displayed.
2. CHARGE indicator
Display the charging status of the built-in lithium-ion battery by the lighting and flashing of the indicator.
3. VOL (volume) -/+ buttons
Tap to adjust the volume.
The | / ⏻ (on/standby) indicator flashes according to the volume adjustment when tapped.
4. | / ⏻ (on/standby) button/indicator
Press to turn the power of the speaker on and off.
The power status of the speaker is indicated by the lighting or flashing of the indicator.
5. LINK indicator
Indicates the status of the network connection of the speaker.
6. NETWORK button/indicator
Tap to switch the speaker to NETWORK mode.
Tap to listen to music stored in a device on the home network by the speaker.
The connection status of the network is indicated by the flashing or lighting of the indicator.
7.  (BLUETOOTH) — PAIRING button/indicator
Tap to switch the speaker to BLUETOOTH mode or pairing mode.
Tap when pairing or connecting with a BLUETOOTH device or listening to music with a BLUETOOTH device.
The connection status of the BLUETOOTH device is indicated by the flashing or lighting of the indicator.
Tap once to switch the speaker to BLUETOOTH mode. Tap and hold to switch the speaker to pairing mode.
8. AUDIO IN button/indicator
Tap to switch the speaker to AUDIO IN mode.
Tap to listen to music in a device connected to the AUDIO IN jack.
The AUDIO IN indicator lights up when tapped.
9. N-mark
If your smartphone is NFC-compatible, touch the smartphone on the N-Mark. The speaker will turn on automatically

and registering (pairing) and BLUETOOTH connection can be made.

10. Wi-Fi antenna

Set upright during Wi-Fi connection as below.



① Push the right side of the antenna, and the antenna comes out from the recess.

② Put up the antenna.

11. NETWORK OFF/ON switch

Turn the network function on and off. Set this switch to ON when connecting to the network.

12. RESET button

Push to reset the speaker.

13. WPS button

Press and hold when connecting to a Wi-Fi network.

Beeps will be heard by pressing and holding the WPS button for 2 seconds, which indicates that the speaker is ready to connect to a wireless router.

If your wireless router has a WPS button, you can use this button to connect to the network.

14. DC OUT ONLY port (USB)

Connect a USB device, such as smartphone, using a USB cable (not supplied) to charge from the speaker. If you play music on the connected USB device, sound will not be output from the speaker.

15. LAN port

Use a LAN cable (not supplied) to connect the computer or the wireless router.

16. AUDIO IN jack

Connect to the headphone jack of a portable audio device, etc., using a connecting cable (not supplied).

17. DC IN 18 V jack

Connect the AC adaptor (supplied).

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Checking the included items

After unpacking, check that all items in the list below are included in the package.

If any items are missing, contact your dealer.

The number in () indicates the item amount.

- Main unit (SRS-X7) (1)
- AC power cord (1)
- AC adaptor (1)
- Start Guide "Enjoy Music over Your Wi-Fi Network"
Provides how to listen to music in your computer over your Wi-Fi network.
- Reference Guide
Provides important safety information.
- Warranty card
(depending on your region/country)

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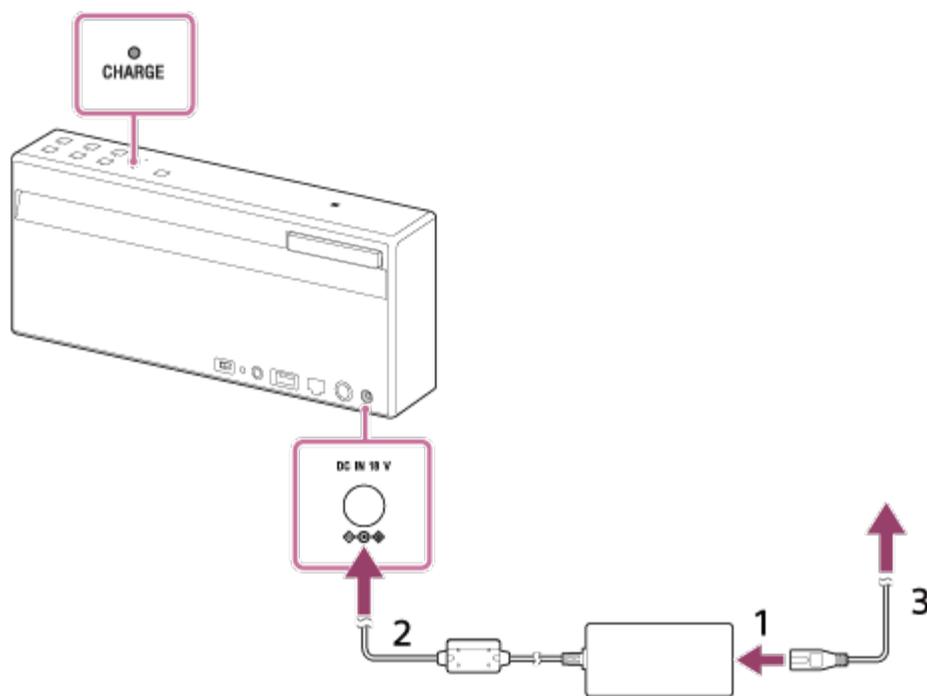
Connecting to an AC outlet

The speaker can operate by AC adaptor or built-in lithium-ion battery (rechargeable).

Charge the battery before using the speaker for the first time.

You can operate the speaker by battery instead of the AC adaptor by charging the speaker before use.

1. Connect the AC power cord (supplied) to the AC adaptor (supplied).
2. Connect the AC adaptor (supplied) to the DC IN 18 V jack.
3. Plug the AC power cord connected to the AC adaptor to an AC outlet securely.



When the speaker is connected to an AC outlet via the AC adaptor, charging starts and the CHARGE indicator lights up. Charging is completed in about 3 hours* and the indicator goes off.

*Time that is required to charge the empty battery to its full capacity.

Usage life of lithium-ion battery

When the NETWORK OFF/ON switch is OFF: Approx. 6 hours

When the NETWORK OFF/ON switch is ON: Approx. 3 hours

Time stated above may vary, depending on ambient temperature or conditions of use.

When the battery is running low

- When the CHARGE indicator flashes slowly, the battery is running low and needs to be charged by connecting an AC outlet via the AC adaptor.
- If the CHARGE indicator flashes 3 times and goes off when you turn on the speaker, the battery is empty and needs to be charged by connecting an AC outlet via the AC adaptor.

Note

- When you switch the power source between AC adaptor and battery by connecting/disconnecting the AC adaptor, the speaker stops sound output for a short while. This is not a malfunction.
- The maximum power output will be lower when the AC adaptor is disconnected.
- In an extremely hot environment, charging of the battery will stop.
- Even if you do not intend to use the speaker for a long time, charge the battery to its full capacity once every 6 months to maintain its performance.

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- [Turning the power on](#)
- [Charging USB devices, such as smartphones](#)
- [Notes on charging](#)
- [Disposing of the speaker](#)

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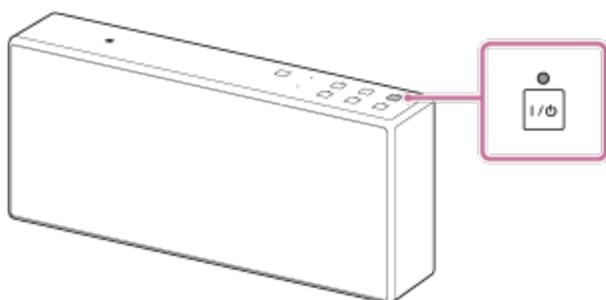
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Turning the power on

1. Press the  (on/standby) button.
The  (on/standby) indicator lights up in green.



Hint

- The LINK indicator also begins to flash when the speaker is turned on. You can set up or use the network function when it stops flashing.
- When you turn on the speaker in the BLUETOOTH/Network standby mode, the start-up time becomes shorter and the speaker will become operational sooner, than when you turn on the speaker in standby mode. To turn on the BLUETOOTH/Network standby function, with the speaker turned on, press and hold the  (on/standby) button until the  (on/standby) indicator lights up in orange.

Note

- When the CHARGE indicator flashes slowly, the battery is running low and needs to be charged by connecting an AC outlet via the AC adaptor.
- If the CHARGE indicator flashes 3 times and goes off when you turn on the speaker, the battery is empty and needs to be charged by connecting an AC outlet via the AC adaptor.

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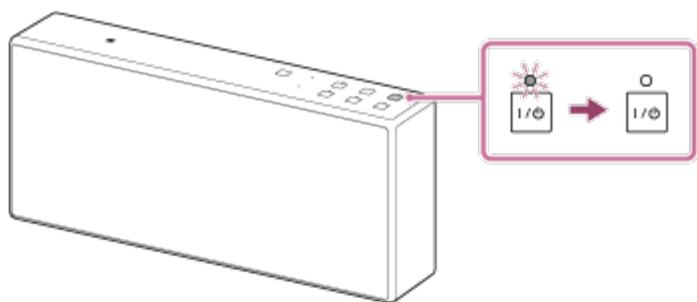
- [Connecting to an AC outlet](#)
- [Turning the power off](#)
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Turning the power off

1. Press the  (on/standby) button.

The  (on/standby) indicator flashes slowly in green. When the  (on/standby) indicator turns off, the speaker enters the standby mode.



Hint

- If you turn off the speaker while the BLUETOOTH/Network standby function is on, the  (on/standby) indicator lights up in orange and the speaker enters the BLUETOOTH/Network standby mode.

Note

- While the  (on/standby) indicator is flashing, the speaker is not operational. If the speaker is turned off while the LINK indicator is flashing, the  (on/standby) indicator will flash for several tens of seconds.

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- [Auto standby function](#)
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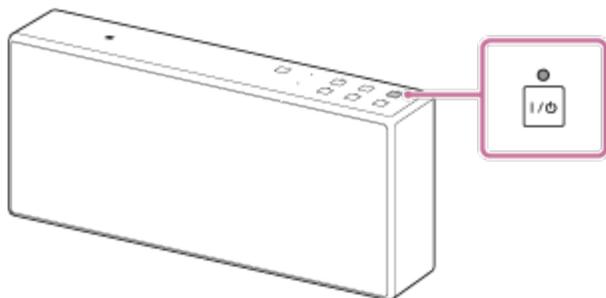
Using the BLUETOOTH/Network standby function

If the BLUETOOTH/Network standby function is on, the speaker turns on automatically by operating a BLUETOOTH device or network device, and BLUETOOTH or network connection starts.

The BLUETOOTH/Network standby function can be set only when the speaker is connected to an AC outlet via the AC adaptor.

When you turn on the speaker in the BLUETOOTH/Network standby mode, the start-up time becomes shorter and the speaker will become operational sooner, than when you turn on the speaker in standby mode.

1. Connect the speaker to the AC outlet.
2. Turn on the speaker.
The  (on/standby) indicator lights up in green.
3. Press and hold the  (on/standby) button until the  (on/standby) indicator lights up in orange.



The speaker turns off and enters the BLUETOOTH/Network standby mode.

If you operate a BLUETOOTH device or network device, the speaker turns on automatically and connection starts.

To turn off the BLUETOOTH/Network standby function

With the speaker turned on, press and hold the  button.

When the  (on/standby) indicator turns off, the BLUETOOTH/Network standby function is turned off and the speaker enters the standby mode.

Note

- The BLUETOOTH/Network standby function can be set only when the speaker is connected to an AC outlet via the AC adaptor. When the speaker is being powered by the built-in battery only, the BLUETOOTH/Network standby function is not available.

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- Turning the power off
- Setting the auto standby function
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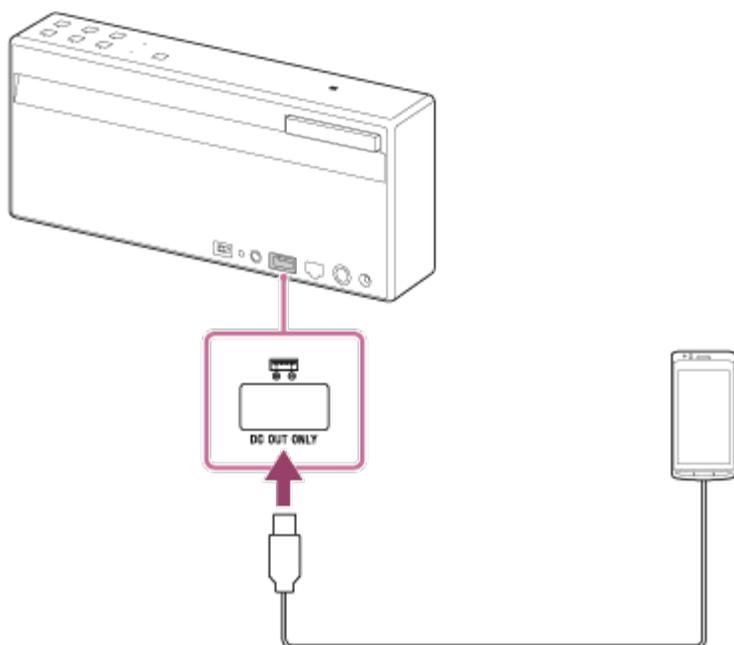
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Charging USB devices, such as smartphones

You can charge your smartphone from the speaker connected via the USB cable.

1. Connect a USB device, such as smartphone to DC OUT ONLY port (USB) using the USB cable (not supplied).



When you connect the speaker to an AC outlet via the AC adaptor, the connected USB device starts to be charged automatically.

When the speaker is being powered by the built-in battery only, proceed to step 2.

2. Turn on the speaker.
The | / ⏻ (power) indicator lights up in green and a USB device starts to be charged automatically.

Note

- If the speaker is being powered by the built-in battery only, charging of the connected USB device will stop when the speaker turns off.
- When the CHARGE indicator flashes slowly, the battery is running low and needs to be charged. In this state, the speaker cannot supply the power to other devices.
- Do not use the charging dock of a smartphone. The smartphone may not be charged.
- Charging of all USB devices cannot be guaranteed.
- If you play music on a USB device connected to the DC OUT ONLY port (USB), sound will not be output from the

speaker.

- In an extremely hot environment, charging of the connected USB device will stop.

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Auto standby function

The speaker automatically enters standby mode or switches to the BLUETOOTH/Network standby mode if the speaker remains in any of the following states for about 15 minutes.

- No operation of the speaker.
- Connect/disconnect operations to the speaker from the external devices have not been performed.
- Music (voice) is not played while connected to external devices.

Note

- Even when charging a USB device by connecting it to the DC OUT ONLY port (USB) of the speaker, if the above conditions continue for 15 minutes, the speaker automatically enters standby mode or BLUETOOTH/Network standby mode. If the speaker is being powered by the battery only, charging will stop.
- The auto standby function can be turned off by using the dedicated application "SongPal".

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- [Setting the auto standby function](#)
- [Differences of standby modes](#)

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How to use the "SongPal" screen

"SongPal" is a dedicated application for controlling Sony audio devices which are compatible with "SongPal," by your smartphone/iPhone.

After downloading "SongPal" on your smartphone or iPhone,  [SongPal] will be displayed on the screen.

For details about "SongPal," refer to the following URL:

<http://rd1.sony.net/help/speaker/songpal/>

To start up "SongPal" on your smartphone/iPhone

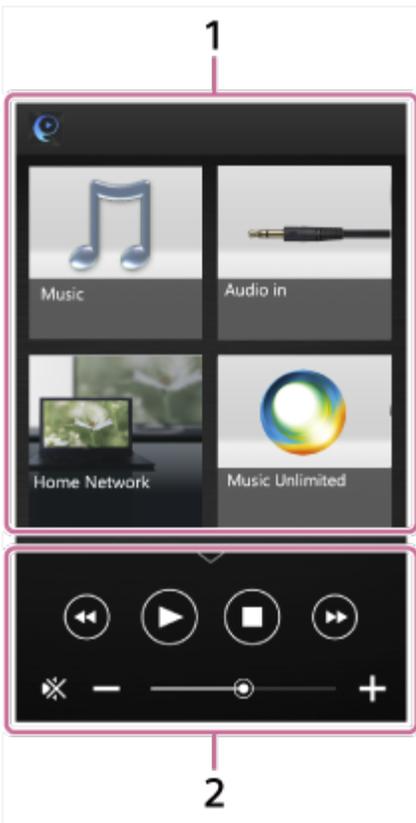
Tap [SongPal] on your smartphone/iPhone.



Make sure you are connected to a network the first time you start "SongPal" with your smartphone/iPhone.

Home screen

When you start up "SongPal" on your smartphone/iPhone, the home screen is displayed.



1. Home screen

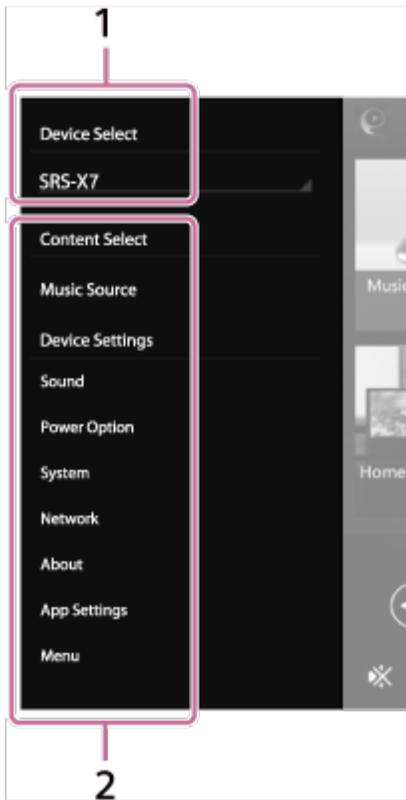
Displays the functions of the selected device, music services, and applications installed on your smartphone/iPhone.

2. Mini player

Controller for the selected function

Setting menu

Flick right on any "SongPal" screen to display this menu.



1. Device Select
Select a "SongPal" compatible device.
2. Settings of the connected device
Various sound/network settings are displayed.

Note

- The home screen and the setting menu above are the display examples. The actual display may differ.

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- [What you can do with "SongPal"](#)

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What you can do with "SongPal"

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<http://rd1.sony.net/help/speaker/songpal/>

Downloading "SongPal" on your smartphone or iPhone provides the following.

Sound settings of the speaker

You can easily customize your sound, or use Sony's recommended "ClearAudio+" setting.

Music service

You can enjoy various music services*.

*Depending on the country or region, music services and their period of availability may differ. Separate registration is required for certain services. An update of the device may be required.

About the settings of Music Unlimited, refer to the following URL:

<http://munlimited.com/home/>

Controlling devices on your home network

You can play music stored in your PC or DLNA server over your network.

Note

- What you can control with "SongPal" varies depending on the connected device. The specification and design of the application may change without notice.

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Connecting to a Wi-Fi network using "SongPal" (Smartphone)

You can connect the speaker to a Wi-Fi network using "SongPal" installed on your smartphone.

First, make a BLUETOOTH connection between the speaker and the smartphone. Then configure the Wi-Fi settings. Complete step 9 within 15 minutes after turning on the speaker. If the settings are not completed within 15 minutes, the speaker will turn off automatically.

Check the following before starting the operation.

- Connect your smartphone to the wireless router using IEEE 802.11b or IEEE 802.11g.
- Disconnect the LAN cable from the speaker.
- Place the speaker closer to the wireless router.
- Set the Wi-Fi antenna on the rear to the upright position.
- Set the NETWORK OFF/ON switch on the rear of the speaker to ON.

Before starting this procedure, be aware that the setting information of your Wi-Fi network will not be protected until the setting is complete. After the setting is complete, the setting information of your Wi-Fi network will be protected again when you set wireless LAN security.

1. Have the Wi-Fi network name (SSID) and password of the wireless router to be used available for reference.
For the SSID and password, refer to the operating instructions of the wireless router.
2. Install the application "SongPal" on your smartphone.
Search for "SongPal" at Google Play™.

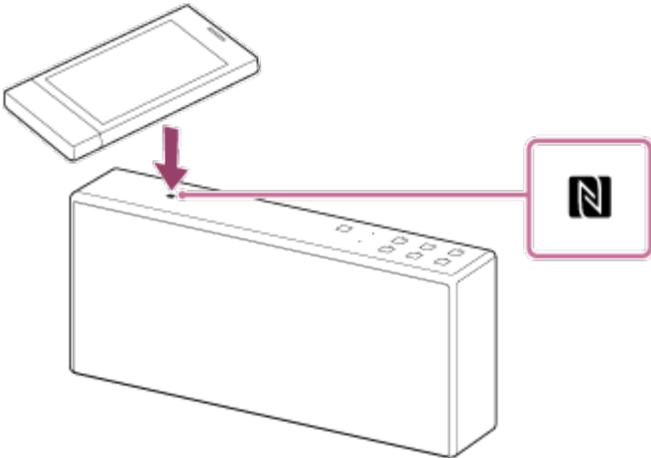


3. Turn on the speaker.
The  (on/standby) indicator lights up in green, then the LINK indicator begins to flash.
When you configure the settings of the speaker for the first time after purchase, or after you initialize the speaker, wait until the LINK indicator turns off (about a minute).
4. Start up "SongPal."
Tap [SongPal] on your smartphone.



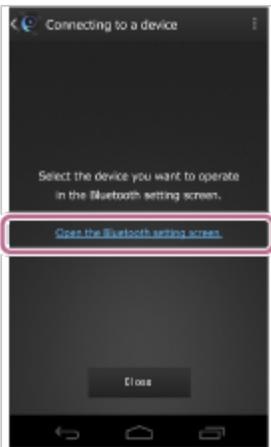
Follow the on-screen instructions.

5. If your smartphone is NFC-compatible, touch the smartphone on the N-Mark of the speaker.
Keep touching the smartphone on the N-Mark of the speaker until the smartphone responds (it may take a few seconds). In this case, proceed to step 7.

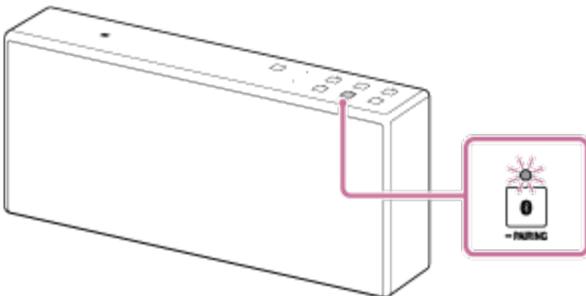


If your smartphone is not NFC-compatible, proceed to step 6.

6. IF your smartphone is not NFC-compatible, make the BLUETOOTH connection between the speaker and the smartphone.
- i. Tap [Open the Bluetooth setting screen].



- ii. Tap the  (BLUETOOTH)  PAIRING button once.
The  (BLUETOOTH) indicator begins to flash in white.



From the factory, pairing information is not stored in the speaker. In this case, if you only tap the  (BLUETOOTH)  PAIRING button, the  (BLUETOOTH) indicator will begin to flash quickly in white and the speaker enters pairing mode automatically. In this case, proceed to step iv.

- iii. Tap and hold the  (BLUETOOTH)  PAIRING button until beeps are heard.
The  (BLUETOOTH) indicator begins to flash quickly in white, and the speaker enters pairing mode.

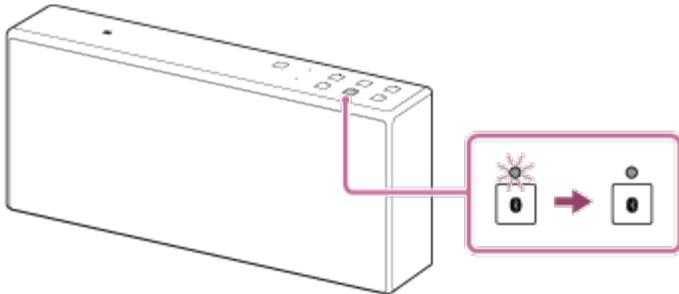
iv. Tap [SONY:SRS-X7 (Bluetooth)] on the smartphone's screen.

If [SONY:SRS-X7 (Bluetooth)] is not displayed, search for the device. For details, refer to the operating instructions of your smartphone.



7. Check that the  (BLUETOOTH) indicator is lit.

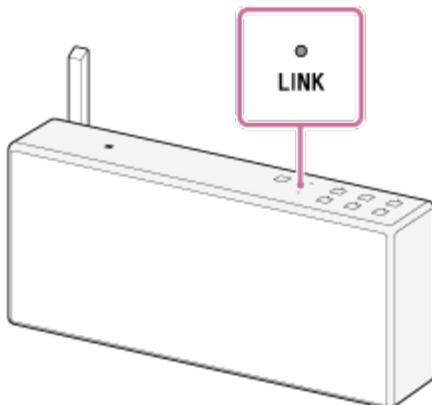
When the BLUETOOTH connection is established, the  (BLUETOOTH) indicator stays lit.



8. Configure the Wi-Fi settings, following the on-screen instructions of "SongPal."

9. Check that the LINK indicator lights up in green.

When the Wi-Fi connection is completed, the LINK indicator lights up in green.



The connection is complete.

Related Topic

[Listening to music on a PC via a Wi-Fi network](#)



Connecting to a Wi-Fi network using "SongPal" (iPhone)

You can connect the speaker to a Wi-Fi network using "SongPal" installed on your iPhone.

First, make a BLUETOOTH connection between the speaker and the iPhone. Then configure the Wi-Fi settings.

Complete step 10 within 15 minutes after turning on the speaker. If the settings are not completed within 15 minutes, the speaker will turn off automatically.

Check the following before starting the operation.

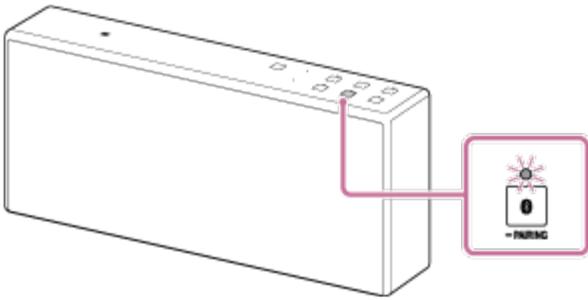
- Connect your iPhone to the wireless router using IEEE 802.11b or IEEE 802.11g.
- Disconnect the LAN cable from the speaker.
- Place the speaker closer to the wireless router.
- Set the Wi-Fi antenna on the rear to the upright position.
- Set the NETWORK OFF/ON switch on the rear of the speaker to ON.

Before starting this procedure, be aware that the setting information of your Wi-Fi network will not be protected until the setting is complete. After the setting is complete, the setting information of your Wi-Fi network will be protected again when you set wireless LAN security.

1. Have the Wi-Fi network name (SSID) and password of the wireless router to be used available for reference.
For the SSID and password, refer to the operating instructions of the wireless router.
2. Install the application "SongPal" on your iPhone.
Search for "SongPal" at Google Play™.

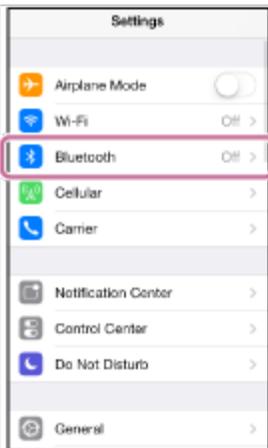


3. Turn on the speaker.
The  /  (on/standby) indicator lights up in green, then the LINK indicator begins to flash.
When you configure the settings of the speaker for the first time after purchase, or after you initialize the speaker, wait until the LINK indicator turns off (about a minute).
4. Tap the  (BLUETOOTH) — PAIRING button once.
The  (BLUETOOTH) indicator begins to flash in white.



From the factory, pairing information is not stored in the speaker. In this case, if you only tap the  (BLUETOOTH)  button, the  (BLUETOOTH) indicator will begin to flash quickly in white and the speaker enters pairing mode automatically. In this case, proceed to step 6.

5. Tap and hold the  (BLUETOOTH)  button until beeps are heard.
The  (BLUETOOTH) indicator begins to flash quickly in white, and the speaker enters pairing mode.
6. Search the speaker by the iPhone.
 - i. Tap [Settings].
 - ii. Tap [Bluetooth].



- iii. Tap  to turn on BLUETOOTH.

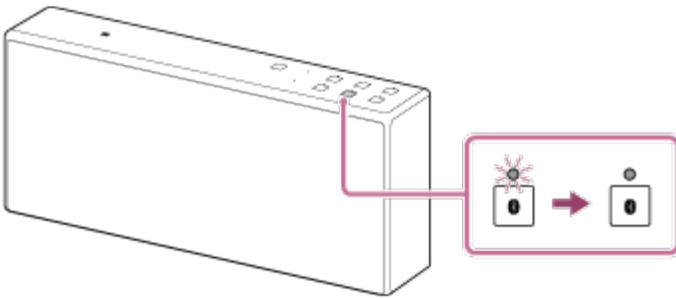


- iv. Tap [SONY:SRS-X7(Bluetooth)].



7. Check that the  (BLUETOOTH) indicator is lit.

When the BLUETOOTH connection is established, the  (BLUETOOTH) indicator stays lit.



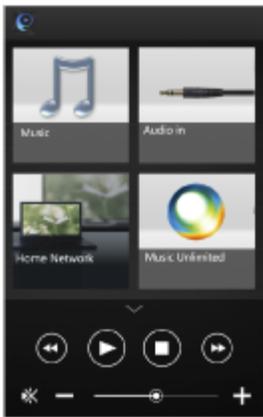
8. Start up "SongPal."

Tap [SongPal] on your iPhone.



The home screen of "SongPal" is displayed.

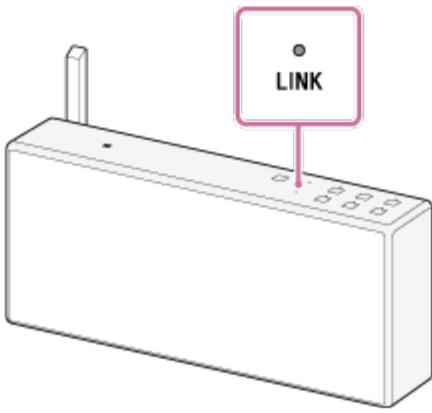
Follow the on-screen instructions.



9. Configure the Wi-Fi settings, following the on-screen instructions of "SongPal."

10. Check that the LINK indicator lights up in green.

When the Wi-Fi connection is completed, the LINK indicator lights up in green.



The connection is complete.

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Listening to music on a PC via a Wi-Fi network

You can use the "SongPal" installed on your smartphone/iPhone as a DLNA controller (operating device). This application allows you to select/play music on a PC.

To listen to music on the PC, it is necessary to set the PC as a DLNA server.

1. Set up your PC as a DLNA server.

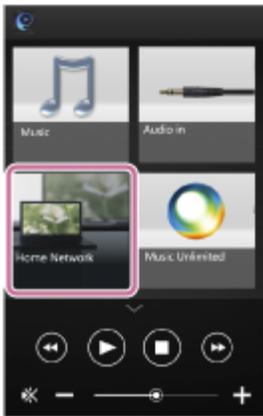
For details about settings, refer to the topic in "Related Topic" described below.

2. Start up "SongPal."

Tap [SongPal] on your smartphone/iPhone.



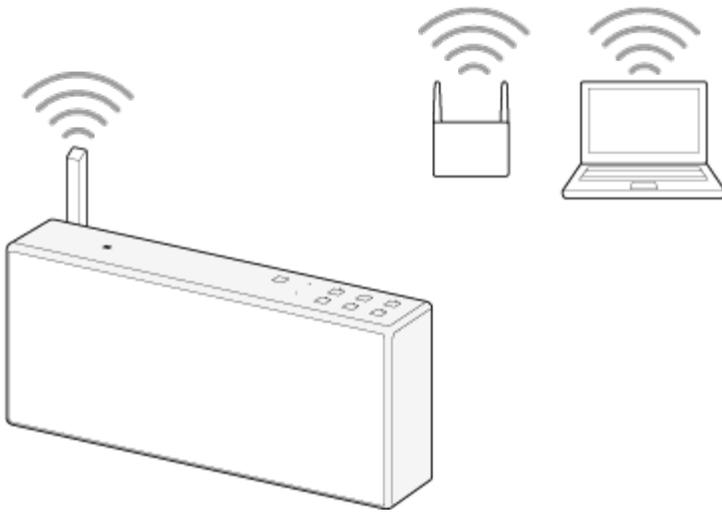
3. Tap [Home Network].



4. Select the DLNA server following the on-screen instructions.

Following the on-screen instructions of "SongPal," select the PC in which music is stored.

5. Select a song from the list and start playback.



Music in your PC will be heard from the speaker.

Related Topic

- [Setting your PC as a DLNA server and controller \(Windows 8\)](#)
- [Setting your PC for operating from the DLNA controller \(Windows 8\)](#)
- [Setting your PC as a DLNA server and controller \(Windows 7\)](#)
- [Setting your PC as a DLNA server \(Windows Vista\)](#)

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Listening to various Internet music streaming (music service)

You can use various Internet music streaming offered on the Internet, using the "SongPal" installed on your smartphone/iPhone as the controller without using a computer.

About the settings of Music Unlimited, refer to the following URL:

<http://munlimited.com/home/>

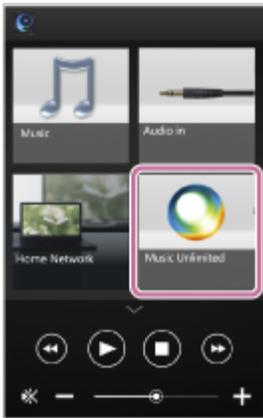
1. Start up "SongPal."

Tap [SongPal] on your smartphone/iPhone.



2. Select a music service.

Tap the desired music service.



The selected music service starts, and a list of playable music is displayed.

3. Select the desired content and start playback.

Music will be heard from the speaker.

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Setting the sound quality

You can easily customize the sound of the speaker or use Sony's recommended "ClearAudio+" setting using "SongPal" installed on your smartphone/iPhone.

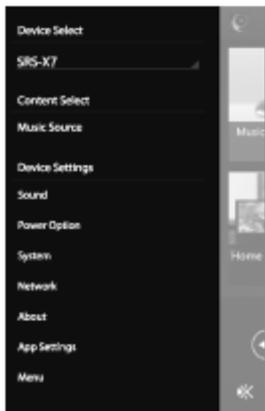
1. Start up "SongPal."

Tap [SongPal] on your smartphone/iPhone.



2. Flick right on the "SongPal" screen.

The setting menu is displayed.



3. Tap [Sound].
4. Select the desired setting and set the sound quality.

You can set the following sound settings.

- ClearAudio+
You can enjoy Clear Audio+ mode (Sony-recommended sound quality). ClearAudio+ mode is set as the default.
- Equalizer
You can set the sound quality according to the music genre.
- Wide Stereo
You can set the surround sound level to "Normal" or "High."

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Setting the auto standby function

You can turn on/off the auto standby and the BLUETOOTH/Network standby functions of the speaker, using "SongPal" installed on your smartphone/iPhone.

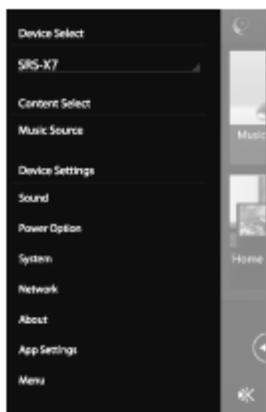
1. Start up "SongPal."

Tap [SongPal] on your smartphone/iPhone.



2. Flick right on the "SongPal" screen.

The setting menu is displayed.



3. Tap [Power Option].
4. Select the desired setting item, and configure the setting.

You can set the following.

- Network Standby

You can turn on/off the BLUETOOTH/Network standby function of the speaker.

- Auto Standby

You can turn on/off the auto standby function of the speaker.

When you turn the auto standby function off, the standby function and the BLUETOOTH/Network standby function will not work unless the  (on/standby) button on the speaker is pressed.

Related Topic

- [Using the BLUETOOTH/Network standby function](#)
- [Auto standby function](#)
- [Differences of standby modes](#)

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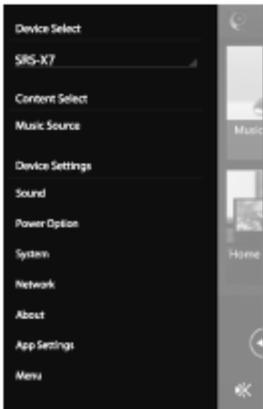
Checking the battery level

You can check the battery level of the speaker using the "SongPal" installed on your smartphone/iPhone.

1. Start up the "SongPal".
Tap [SongPal] on your smartphone/iPhone.



2. Flick right on the "SongPal" screen.
The setting menu is displayed.



3. Tap [Power Option].
4. Check [Battery Level] on the screen.
The battery level of the speaker is displayed.

Related Topic

- [Connecting to an AC outlet](#)
- [Charging USB devices, such as smartphones](#)

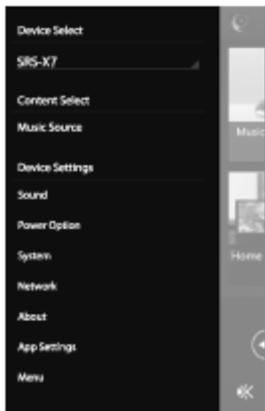
Setting the BLUETOOTH audio streaming playback quality

You can select the BLUETOOTH audio streaming playback quality of the speaker using the "SongPal" installed on your smartphone/iPhone.

1. Start up "SongPal."
Tap [SongPal] on your smartphone/iPhone.



2. Flick right on the "SongPal" screen.
The setting menu is displayed.



3. Tap [Other Settings].
4. Tap [Bluetooth Codec] and select the desired codec.
You can set the following.
 - Auto: Optimal codec is automatically selected from AAC, aptX, and SBC.
 - SBC: SBC is selected.

Note

- If the playback quality setting is changed with the speaker turned on, the BLUETOOTH connection is terminated once. In this case, connect the BLUETOOTH device manually again. After reconnecting, the playback quality is switched.

Related Topic

- [Selecting the BLUETOOTH audio streaming playback quality](#)

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Selecting the method of network connection

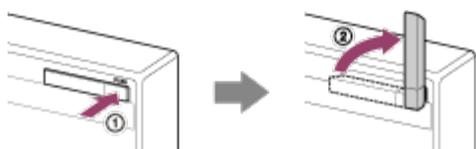
Set the network after checking your network environment.

To connect to a Wi-Fi network

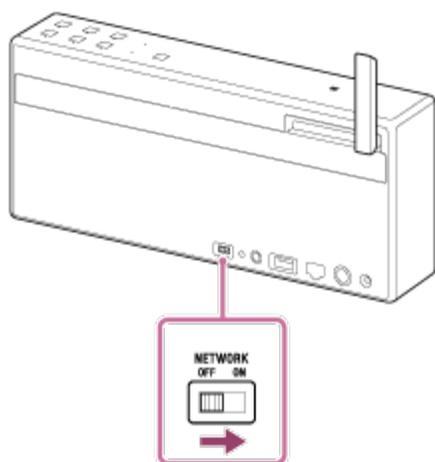
Select the appropriate connecting method for your network environment from below.

Check the following before starting the operation.

- Disconnect the LAN cable from the speaker.
- Place the speaker closer to the wireless router.
- Set the Wi-Fi antenna on the rear to the upright position.



- Set the NETWORK OFF/ON switch on the rear to ON.



Connecting to a Wi-Fi network using the dedicated application "SongPal"

Download the dedicated application "SongPal," to your smartphone or iPhone. This application provides Wi-Fi connection setup with the speaker, and allows you to select/play music in a PC.

For details, refer to "SongPal."

Connecting to a Wi-Fi network using the WPS button of the wireless router

If your wireless router has a WPS button, connect to the Wi-Fi network by this method.

To check if your wireless router is compatible with WPS (Wi-Fi Protected Setup), refer to the operating instructions of your router.

Connecting to a Wi-Fi network using a computer

If your wireless router does not have a WPS button, use your computer to connect the speaker to the Wi-Fi network. Select one of the connecting methods from below.

- Connecting to a Wi-Fi network using a computer connected with a LAN cable
- Connecting to a Wi-Fi network using a computer connected wirelessly

To connect to a wired network

Connecting to a wired network

Connect the speaker to a wireless router with a LAN cable, then connect the wireless router and computer.

To turn off the wireless function

With the speaker turned on, press and hold both the NETWORK button and WPS button. When the  (BLUETOOTH) and NETWORK indicators begin to flash at the same time, the wireless function turns off. To turn on the wireless function, do the above again.

Note

- If you turn off the wireless function, the Wi-Fi network, BLUETOOTH and NFC functions will not be available.

Related Topic

- [Connecting to a Wi-Fi network using "SongPal" \(Smartphone\)](#)
- [Connecting to a Wi-Fi network using "SongPal" \(iPhone\)](#)
- [Checking the Wi-Fi signal strength \(reception sensitivity\)](#)

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DLNA (Digital Living Network Alliance)

You can listen to music stored in a DLNA server (PC etc.) on a home network using the speaker.

By connecting DLNA-compatible digital devices with each other on the network, you can play back a music stored in a DLNA server by using a DLNA controller.

To use the PC as a DLNA server or controller, it is necessary to set the PC.

To listen to music in a DLNA server (PC etc.) by operating a smartphone/iPhone

Download the dedicated application "SongPal" to your smartphone/iPhone.

This application provides Wi-Fi connection setup with the speaker, and allows you to select/play music in the PC.

For details, refer to "SongPal."

To listen to music in a DLNA server using your PC as a controller

You can play back music stored in a DLNA server by operating your PC.

Start Windows Media Player on your PC, then play back music by using the [Play To] function (Windows 8) or the [Remote Play] function (Windows 7). Follow the on-screen instructions to operate.

To use the PC as a DLNA server or controller, it is necessary to set the PC.

Hint

- You need the DLNA controller to listen to music stored in a Windows Vista PC with the speaker.
For details, refer to the operating instructions of the PC.

Note

- The speaker can play MP3, Linear PCM, WMA, AAC, WAV, FLAC, ALAC and AIFF format files (only AAC files with the extension ".m4a," ".mp4," or ".3gp" are playable). Even if the bit rate and file format are supported, the playback of all files is not guaranteed.
- Files with DRM (Digital Rights Management) copyright protection cannot be played on the speaker. To check if a WMA file is protected by DRM, right-click the file on the PC. If there is a [License] tab, the file is DRM-copyrighted.
- When you listen to music via a home network, it may take some time, since each DLNA-compatible device has to recognize the component currently used.
- You may not be able to play back some content of DLNA certified products.

Related Topic

- [Listening to music on a PC via a Wi-Fi network](#)

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Connection method 1: Connecting to a Wi-Fi network using the WPS button of a wireless router

If your wireless router has a WPS button, you can connect to the Wi-Fi network by the following method.

To check if your wireless router is compatible with WPS (Wi-Fi Protected Setup), refer to the operating instructions of your router.

Check the following before starting the operation.

- Disconnect the LAN cable from the speaker.
- Place the speaker near the wireless router.
- Set the Wi-Fi antenna on the rear in the upright position.
- Set the NETWORK OFF/ON switch on the rear of the speaker to ON.

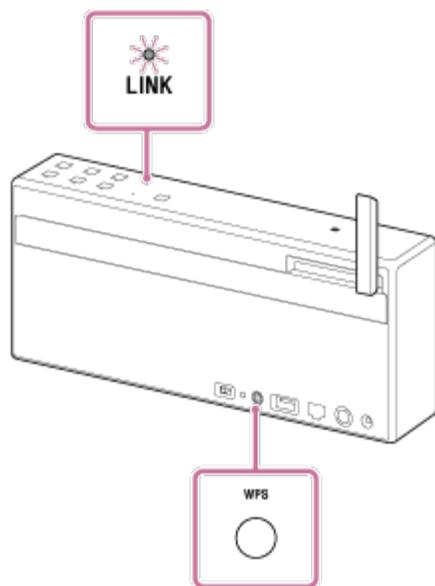
1. Turn on the speaker.

The  /  (on/standby) indicator lights up in green, then the LINK indicator begins to flash.

When you configure the settings of the speaker for the first time after purchase, or after you initialize the speaker, wait until the LINK indicator turns off (about a minute).

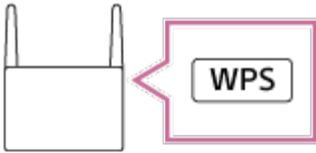
2. Press and hold the WPS button on the rear of the speaker until a beep sound is heard (for about 3 seconds).

The LINK indicator flashes in green.



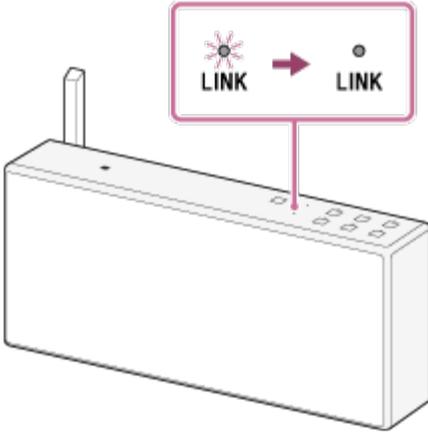
3. Press the WPS button of the wireless router for more than 3 seconds.

Operate within 90 seconds after pressing the WPS button of the speaker.



*The position and shape of the WPS button differ depending on the wireless router.

4. Check that the LINK indicator changes from flashing to staying lit in green.
When the Wi-Fi connection is completed, the LINK indicator lights up in green.



The connection is complete.

If the LINK indicator lights up in red

The speaker failed to connect to the Wi-Fi network. Wait until the LINK indicator changes to staying lit in red, and try connecting again.

Hint

- For details on the WPS button of your wireless router, refer to its operating instructions.
- If the Wi-Fi connection fails even if you try several times, initialize the speaker and delete the setting information of the Wi-Fi connection, then try connecting again.

Note

- While a LAN cable is connected to the speaker, the speaker cannot connect to a Wi-Fi network.

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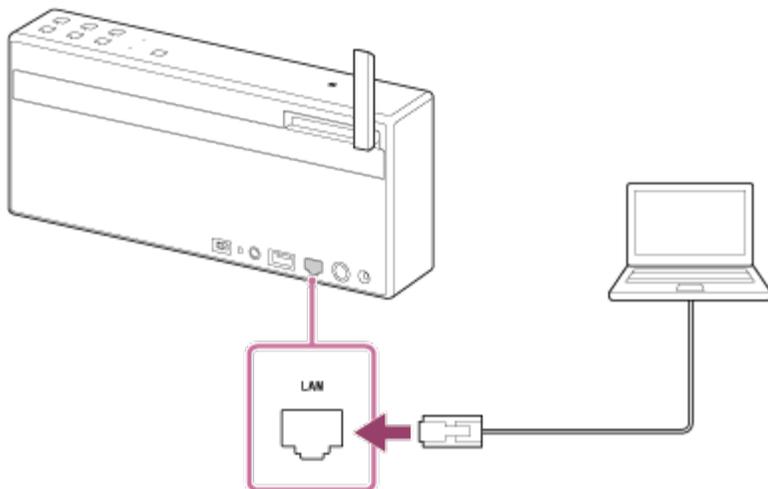
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Connection method 2: Connecting to a Wi-Fi network using a computer connected with a LAN cable

This section describes the method to connect the speaker with a LAN cable (not supplied), and to connect the wireless router using a computer.

Check the following before starting operation.

- Place the speaker closer to the wireless router.
 - Set the Wi-Fi antenna on the rear to the upright position.
 - Set the NETWORK OFF/ON switch on the rear to ON.
1. Have the Wi-Fi network name (SSID) and password of the wireless router to be used available for reference.
For the SSID and password, refer to the operating instructions of the wireless router.
 2. Connect the computer to the LAN port with a LAN cable (not supplied).



3. Turn on the speaker.
The  /  (on/standby) indicator lights up in green, then the LINK indicator begins to flash.
Wait about 3 minutes until the LINK indicator lights up in orange.
4. Display the [Sony Network Device Setting] screen on the computer.
 - i. Launch a browser.
 - ii. Enter the following URL in the address bar.
<http://169.254.1.1>



5. Select the language from [Language Setup].



6. Select [Network Settings] from the menu.



If the above screen does not appear, disconnect your computer from the wireless Internet connection.

7. Select the SSID of the wireless router, and enter the password.



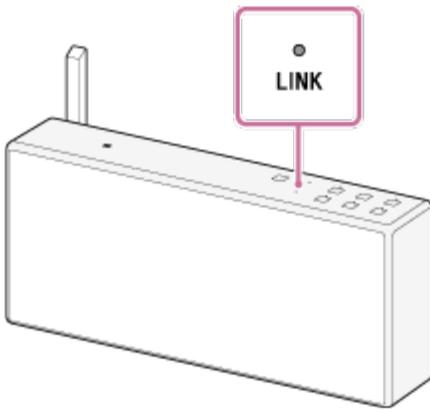
8. Select [Apply].



9. According to the computer screen, unplug the LAN cable from the speaker.

10. Check that the LINK indicator lights up in green.

When the Wi-Fi connection is completed, the LINK indicator lights up in green.



The connection is complete.

If the LINK indicator lights up in red

The speaker failed to connect to the Wi-Fi network. Wait until the LINK indicator changes to stay lit in red, and try connecting again.

Hint

- If the Wi-Fi connection fails even if you try several times, initialize the speaker and delete the setting information of the Wi-Fi connection, then try connecting again.

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Connection method 3: Connecting to a Wi-Fi network using a PC connected wirelessly (Windows 8 UI)

Note that the speaker should be initialized to the factory default for this connection. All BLUETOOTH device registration (pairing) information are deleted.

This section describes how to connect a Windows 8 UI PC and the speaker wirelessly, then connect to a wireless router, using the PC.

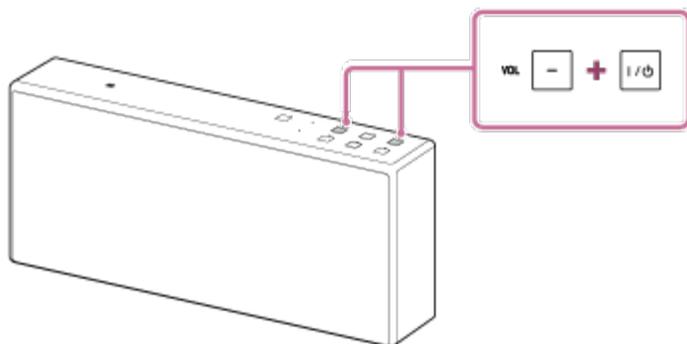
Check the following before starting the operation.

- Disconnect the LAN cable from the speaker.
- Place the speaker closer to the wireless router.
- Set the Wi-Fi antenna on the rear to the upright position.
- Set the NETWORK OFF/ON switch on the rear of the speaker to ON.

1. Have the Wi-Fi network name (SSID) and password of the wireless router available for reference.

For details, refer to the operating instructions of your wireless router.

2. With the speaker turned on, press and hold the VOL (volume) – button and the | / ⏻ (on/standby) button at the same time for more than 5 seconds.



The power of the speaker turns off automatically. The settings of the speaker return to their factory defaults, and network settings and all BLUETOOTH device registration (pairing) information are deleted.

3. Turn on the speaker.

The | / ⏻ (on/standby) indicator lights up in green, then the LINK indicator begins to flash.

When you configure the settings of the speaker for the first time after purchase, or after you initialize the speaker, wait until the LINK indicator turns off (about a minute).

4. Connect the speaker to the PC.

- i. Move the mouse pointer to the top-right (or bottom-right) corner of the Start screen to display the charms, then select [Settings]. In the case of a touch panel, display the charms by swiping from the right side of the Start screen, then select [Settings].



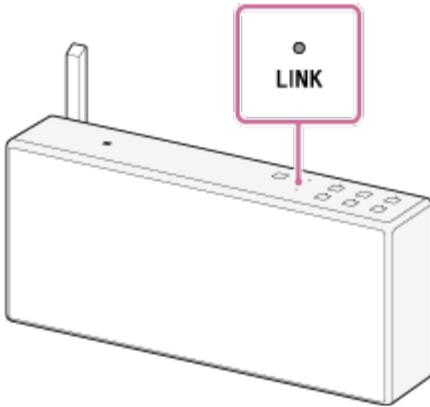
9. Select [Apply].



10. Select [OK] in the displayed window.

11. Check that the LINK indicator lights up in green.

When the Wi-Fi connection is completed, the LINK indicator lights up in green.



The connection is complete.

12. Connect the PC to the wireless router to be used.

Hint

- If you want to set a fixed IP address, set in the screen in step 7 above.

Note

- This procedure needs to be completed within 10 minutes. If you cannot complete within 10 minutes, start over from step 2.
- Until you finish the Wi-Fi network setting, it will not be protected. The Wi-Fi network will be protected again after setting the Wi-Fi security.

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Connection method 4: Connecting to a wired network

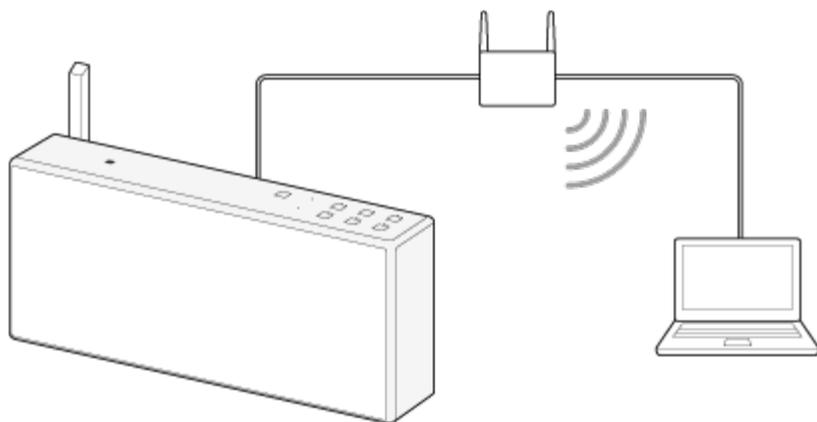
This section describes how to connect the speaker to a wireless router with a LAN cable (not supplied), then connect the router to the computer.

Usually, the DHCP setting is set to ON when you connect your computer to the network.

Set the DHCP setting of your computer to ON in advance.

Check the following before starting the operation.

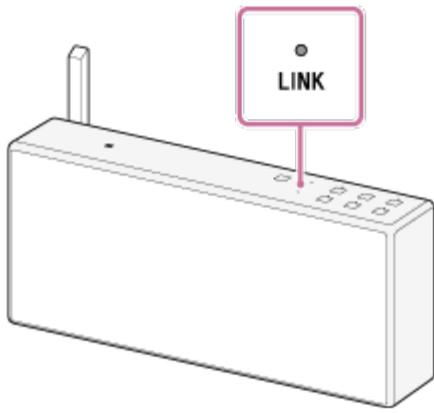
- Set the NETWORK OFF/ON switch on the rear to ON.
1. Check whether your computer and wireless router are turned on.
 2. Connect the wireless router to the LAN port with a LAN cable (not supplied).
 3. Connect the wireless router to your computer using another LAN cable (not supplied), or Wi-Fi connection.



4. Turn the speaker on.

The  /  (on/standby) indicator lights up in green, then the LINK indicator begins to flash in orange.

When the connection is completed, the LINK indicator changes from flashing to staying lit in orange.



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Setting your PC as a DLNA server and controller (Windows 8)

Windows 8 supports DLNA1.5. A Windows 8 PC can be used as both a DLNA server and controller.

By operating from a Windows 8 PC, you can enjoy music stored in a DLNA server (including a Windows 8 PC) on your home network with the speaker if you set the following.

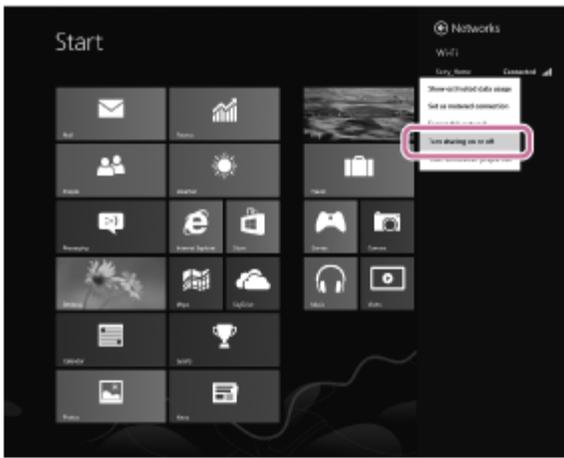
If you download the dedicated application "SongPal" to your smartphone/iPhone and operate a Windows 8 PC, perform "Setting your PC for operating from the DLNA controller (Windows 8)."

1. Move the mouse pointer to the top-right (or bottom-right) corner of the Start screen to display the charms, then select [Settings].

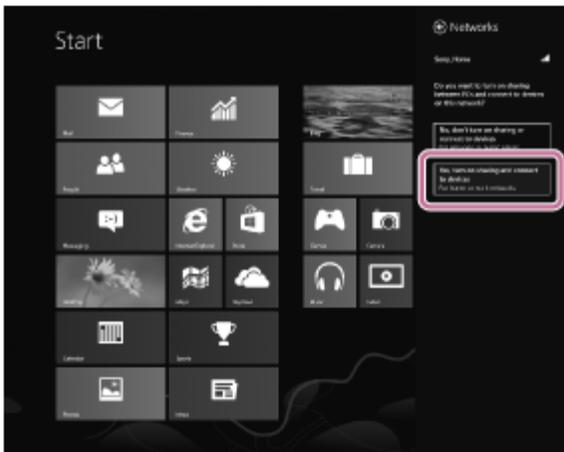
In the case of a touch panel, display the charms by swiping from the right side of the Start screen, then select [Settings].



2. Select the  or  icon.
3. Right-click the name of the connected network or press and hold it, then select [Turn sharing on or off].



4. Select [Yes, turn on sharing and connect to devices].



Related Topic

- [Setting your PC for operating from the DLNA controller \(Windows 8\)](#)
- [Listening to music on a PC via network connection \(Windows 8\) \(Windows Media Player\)](#)
- [Listening to music on a PC via network connection \(Media Go\)](#)
- [Listening to music on a PC via a Wi-Fi network](#)

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Setting your PC for operating from the DLNA controller (Windows 8)

By operating from the DLNA controller on your home network, you can enjoy music stored in a Windows 8 PC on your home network with the speaker if you set the following.

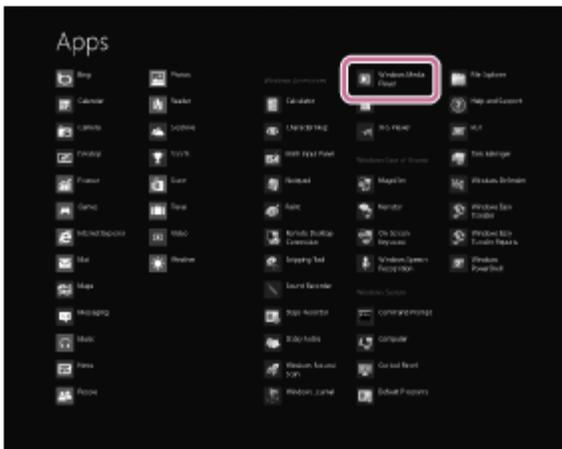
If you download the dedicated application "SongPal" to your smartphone/iPhone and operate a Windows 8 PC, perform the following settings.

1. Right-click on the Start screen.

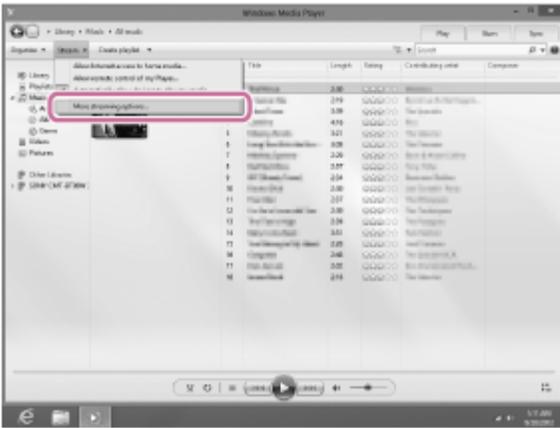
In the case of a touch panel, swipe the Start screen from the bottom to the top, and select [All apps] at the bottom-right of the screen.



2. Select [Windows Media Player].



3. Click or tap [Stream], then select [More streaming options].



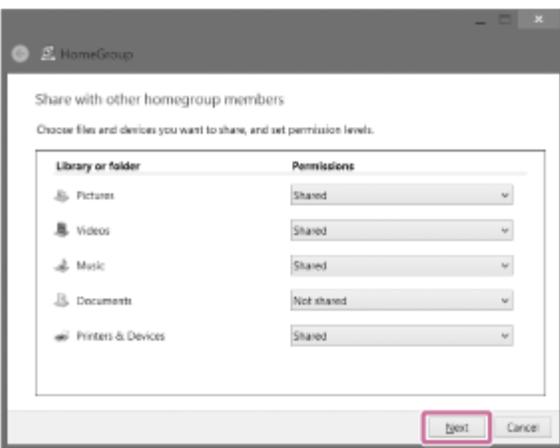
If [More streaming options] does not appear, select [Turn on media streaming...]. Then select [Turn on media streaming] on the [Media streaming options] screen.

4. Check if all devices are allowed, then select [Next].



If not, select [Allow All], then the [Allow All Media Devices] screen appears. Select [Allow all PCs and Media Devices].

5. Check if [Music] is set to [Shared], then select [Next].



6. Select [Finish] to close the screen.
7. Select [Stream], then check if [Automatically allow devices to play my media...] has been ticked. The setting is now complete. You can listen to music stored in your PC, using the DLNA controller.

Related Topic

- [Setting your PC as a DLNA server and controller \(Windows 8\)](#)
- [Listening to music on a PC via a Wi-Fi network](#)

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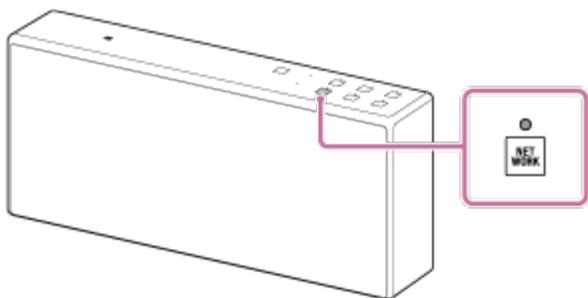
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Listening with the AirPlay function (iTunes)

You can enjoy sound stored in Mac/PC with iTunes wirelessly by using AirPlay.
Update iTunes to the latest version in advance.

1. Connect the speaker and Mac/PC with iTunes to your network.
The LINK indicator lights up in green or orange when the connection is complete.
2. Tap the NETWORK button.
The NETWORK indicator lights up in white, and the speaker switches to NETWORK mode.

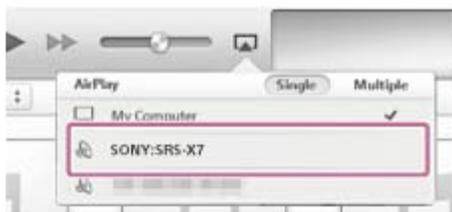


The speaker can also be switched to NETWORK mode automatically, instead of tapping the NETWORK button, by selecting the speaker in the AirPlay menu of iTunes and then playing back music.

3. Select the  icon on the iTunes window.



4. Select [SONY:SRS-X7] on the AirPlay menu of iTunes.



5. Start playing back music on iTunes, and adjust the volume.

The speaker starts playing back the selected song.

If playback does not start, perform the process again from step 3.

Hint

- The procedure explained above is for guideline purposes. For details, refer to the operating instructions supplied with the device.
- After the dedicated application "SongPal" is downloaded and installed to your smartphone/iPhone, you can use your smartphone/iPhone as a remote control to operate components connected to the speaker.
- The volume level set by the VOL (volume) +/- buttons of the speaker and that set in iTunes are linked.
- For details on how to operate iTunes, refer to the help documentation of iTunes.

Note

- Loud sound may be output from the speaker if you set the volume too high in iTunes.
- In some cases, the volume level of iTunes might not link with the volume level of the speaker.

Related Topic

- [Using the BLUETOOTH/Network standby function](#)
- [Listening to music on a device via BLUETOOTH connection](#)

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Listening to music on a PC via network connection (Windows 8) (Windows Media Player)

You can use a PC as a controller (operating device).

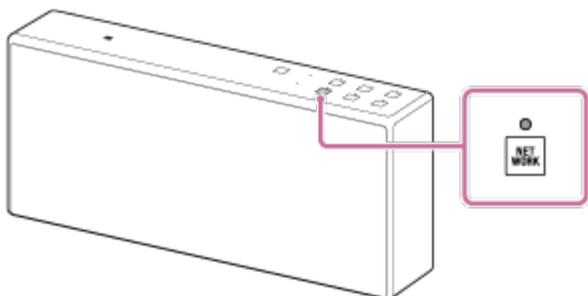
Music can be played back by using the [Play To] function, after starting Windows Media Player. Follow the instructions on the PC screen to operate.

1. Connect the speaker and PC to your network.

The LINK indicator lights up in green or orange when the connection is complete.

2. Tap the NETWORK button.

The NETWORK indicator lights up in white, and the speaker switches to NETWORK mode.



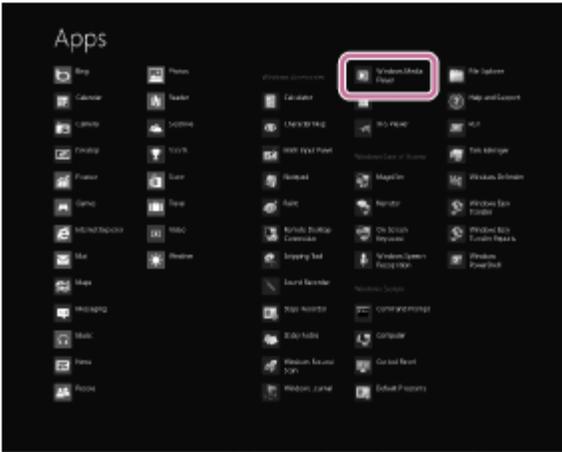
The speaker can also be switched to NETWORK mode automatically, instead of tapping the NETWORK button, by playing back music using the [Play To] function, after starting Windows Media Player.

3. Right-click on the Start screen of the PC.

In the case of a touch-panel, swipe from the bottom to the top on the Start screen, then select [All Apps] at the bottom-right of the screen.

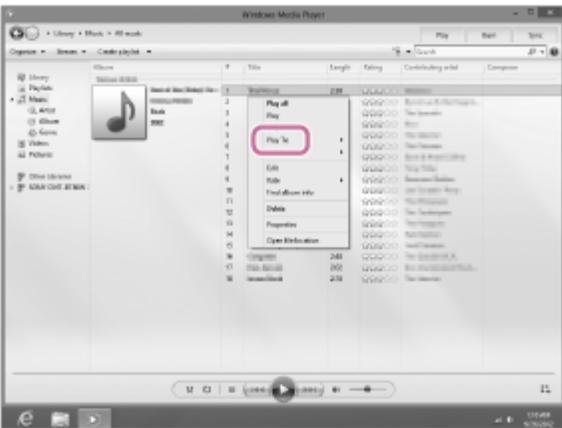


4. Select [Windows Media Player].



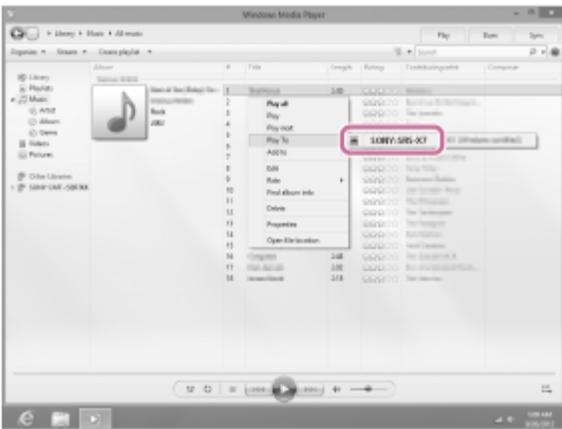
5. Right-click or press and hold a song to be played.

6. Select [Play To] from the menu.



The device list appears.

7. Select [SONY:SRS-X7].



8. Play back the selected song, and adjust the volume.
The speaker plays back the selected song.

Hint

- After the dedicated application "SongPal" is downloaded and installed to your smartphone/iPhone, you can use your smartphone/iPhone as a remote control to operate components connected to the speaker.

Note

- Normally, the volume level between a computer and the speaker does not link. However, depending on the version of the Windows Media Player installed on a computer or the computer's condition, the volume levels may link with each other.
- The speaker can play MP3, Linear PCM, WMA, AAC, WAV, FLAC, ALAC and AIFF format files (only AAC files with the extension ".m4a," ".mp4," or ".3gp" can be played). Even if the bit rate and file format are supported, the playback of all files is not guaranteed.
- Files with DRM (Digital Rights Management) copyright protection cannot be played on the speaker. To check if a WMA file is protected by DRM, right-click the file on the PC. If there is a [License] tab, the file is DRM-copyrighted.
- When you listen to music via a home network, it may take some time, since each DLNA-compatible device has to recognize the component currently used.
- Some content may not be playable with DLNA certified products.

Related Topic

- [Using the BLUETOOTH/Network standby function](#)
- [Setting your PC as a DLNA server and controller \(Windows 8\)](#)
- [Listening to music on a PC via a Wi-Fi network](#)

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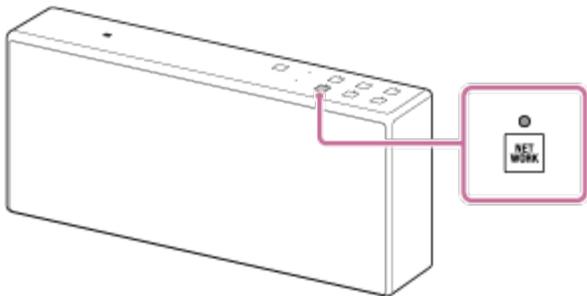
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Listening to music on a PC via network connection (Media Go)

[Music] in [Library] of Media Go can be shared by setting Media Go installed on your PC as a home network server. You can listen to music on your PC from the speaker via a Wi-Fi network by using the "SongPal" installed on your smartphone/iPhone as a DLNA controller.

Before listening to music, connect your smartphone/iPhone installed with "SongPal" to the same network that the speaker and PC are connected to.

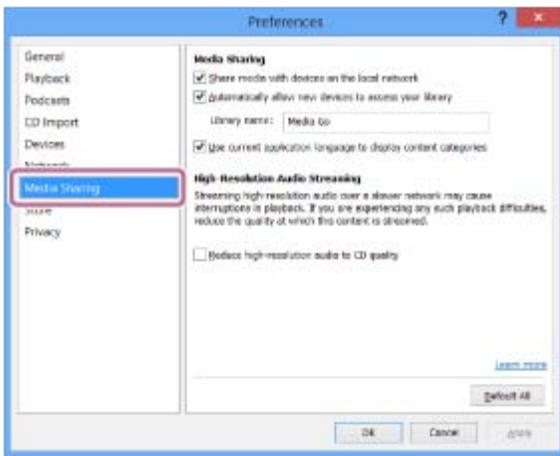
1. Connect the speaker and PC to your network.
The LINK indicator lights up in green (when connecting to a Wi-Fi network) or orange (when connecting to a wired network) when the connection is complete.
2. Tap the NETWORK button.
The NETWORK indicator lights up in white, and the speaker switches to NETWORK mode.



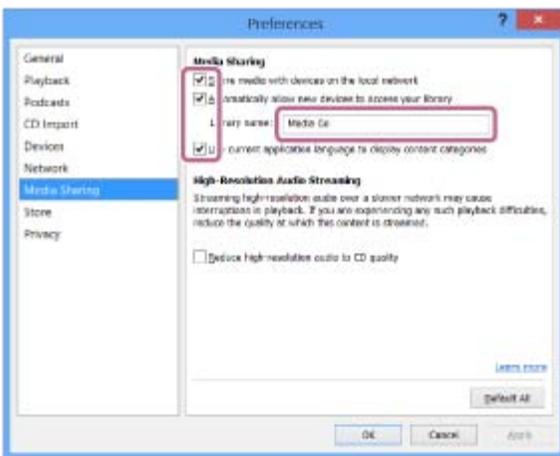
3. Start [Media Go] installed on the PC.
4. Select [Preferences...] from the [Tools] menu.



5. Select [Media Sharing] on the [Preferences...] screen.



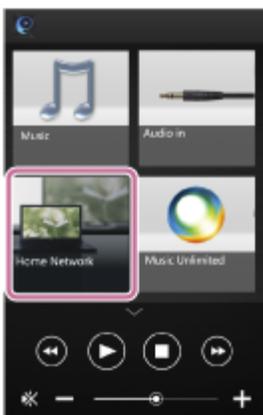
6. Check [Library name] of [Media Sharing].
You can change [Library name] to any name.
Make sure that a check mark is in all three items of [Media Sharing].



7. Start up "SongPal" to select music on the PC.
Tap [SongPal] on your smartphone/iPhone.



8. Tap [Home Network].



9. Select the same name as [Library name] checked in step 6 from the server list that appeared on the screen.



10. Select [Music], then select a song from the list, and start playback.
The playback of the video and photo are not supported.



The speaker plays back the selected song.

11. Adjust the volume using "SongPal."

Note

- Before listening to music, connect your smartphone/iPhone installed with "SongPal" to the same network that the speaker and PC are connected to.
- The speaker can play MP3, Linear PCM, WMA, AAC, WAV, FLAC, ALAC and AIFF format files (only AAC files with the extension ".mp4," or ".3gp" can be played). Even if the bit rate and file format are supported, the playback of all files is not guaranteed.
- Files with DRM (Digital Rights Management) copyright protection cannot be played on the speaker. To check if a WMA file is protected by DRM, right-click the file on the PC. If there is a [License] tab, the file is DRM-copyrighted.
- When you listen to music via a home network, it may take some time, since each DLNA-compatible device has to recognize the component currently used.
- Some content may not be playable with DLNA certified products.

Related Topic

● [Listening to music on a PC via a Wi-Fi network](#)

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Connection method 3: Connecting to a Wi-Fi network using a PC connected wirelessly (Windows 7/Windows 8)

Note that the speaker should be initialized to the factory default for this connection. All BLUETOOTH device registration (pairing) information are deleted.

This section describes how to connect a Windows 7 or Windows 8 PC and the speaker wirelessly, then connect to a wireless router using the PC.

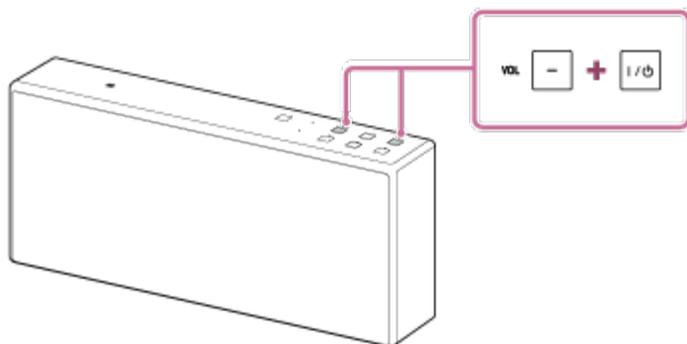
Check the following before starting the operation.

- Disconnect the LAN cable from the speaker.
- Place the speaker near the wireless router.
- Set the Wi-Fi antenna on the rear to the upright position.
- Set the NETWORK OFF/ON switch on the rear to ON.

1. Have the Wi-Fi network name (SSID) and password of the wireless router available for reference.

For details, refer to the operating instructions of your wireless router.

2. With the speaker turned on, press and hold the VOL (volume) – button and the | / ⏻ (on/standby) button at the same time for more than 5 seconds.



The power of the speaker turns off automatically. The settings of the speaker return to their factory defaults, and network settings and all BLUETOOTH device registration (pairing) information are deleted.

3. Turn on the speaker.

The | / ⏻ (on/standby) indicator lights up in green, then the LINK indicator begins to flash.

When you configure the settings of the speaker for the first time after purchase, or after you initialize the speaker, wait until the LINK indicator turns off (about a minute).

4. Connect the speaker to the PC.

- i. Click or tap the desktop on the Start screen.
- ii. Select the  or  icon.

iii. Select [Sony_Wireless_Audio_Setup] from the network list.

5. Display the [Sony Network Device Setting] screen.

i. Launch a browser.

ii. Enter the following URL in the address bar.

<http://192.168.100.1>



6. Select the language from [Language Setup].



7. Select [Network Settings] from the menu.



8. Select the SSID of the wireless router, and enter the password.



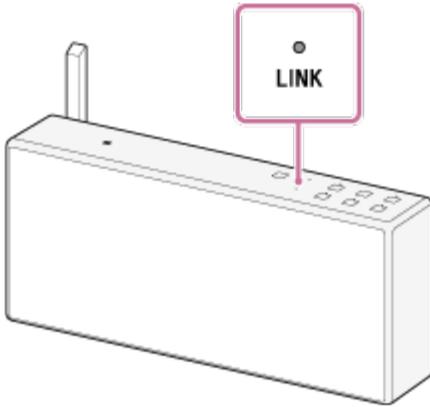
9. Select [Apply].



10. Select [OK] in the displayed window.

11. Check that the LINK indicator lights up in green.

When the Wi-Fi connection is completed, the LINK indicator lights up in green.



The connection is complete.

12. Connect the PC to the wireless router to be used.

Hint

- If you want to set a fixed IP address, set in the screen in step 7 above.

Note

- This procedure needs to be completed within 10 minutes. If you cannot complete within 10 minutes, start over from step 2.
- Until you finish the Wi-Fi network setting, it will not be protected. The Wi-Fi network will be protected again after setting the Wi-Fi security.

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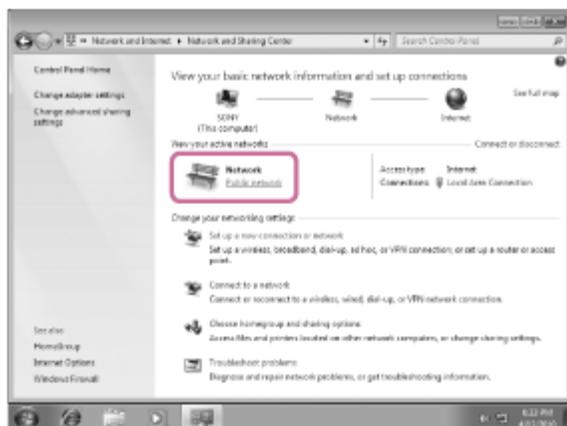
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Setting your PC as a DLNA server and controller (Windows 7)

Windows 7 supports DLNA1.5. Windows 7 PC can be used as both DLNA server and controller.

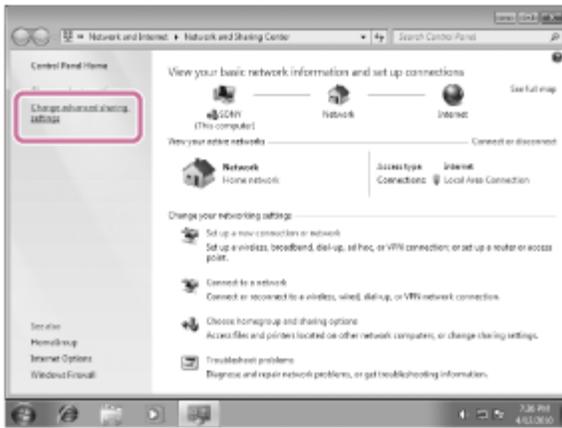
By operating from a Windows 7 PC and DLNA controller on your home network, you can enjoy music stored in a DLNA server (including a Windows 7 PC) on your home network with the speaker if you set the following.

1. Go to [Start]-[Control Panel], then select [Network and Sharing Center].
The [Network and Sharing Center] screen appears.
If the desired item does not appear in the display, try changing the Control Panel display type.
2. Select [Public network] under [View your active networks].
If the display shows other than [Public network], go to step 5.

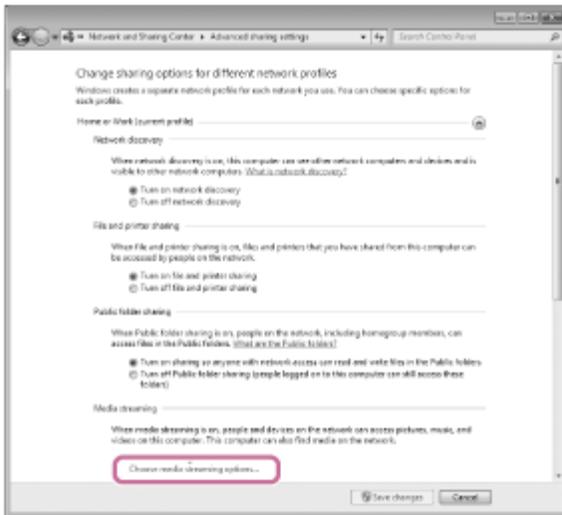


The [Set Network Location] screen appears.

3. Select [Home network] or [Work network] according to the environment in which the speaker is used.
4. Follow the instructions that appear on the display according to the environment in which the speaker is used.
When the setting is completed, in the [Network and Sharing Center] screen, confirm that the item under [View your active networks] has changed to [Home network] or [Work network].
5. Select [Change advanced sharing settings].



6. Select [Choose media streaming options...] from [Media streaming].



7. If [Media streaming is not turned on] appears in the [Media streaming options] screen, select [Turn on media streaming].

8. Select [Allow All].



The [Allow All Media Devices] screen appears. If all the devices in the local network are allowed ([Allow]) to access your network, select [OK] and close the screen.

9. Select [Allow all computers and media devices].

10. Select [OK] to close the screen.

Related Topic

- [Listening to music on a PC via network connection \(Windows 7\)](#)
- [Listening to music on a PC via a Wi-Fi network](#)

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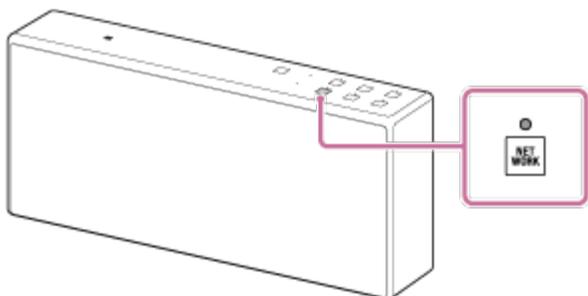
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Listening to music on a PC via network connection (Windows 7)

You can use a PC as a controller (operating device).

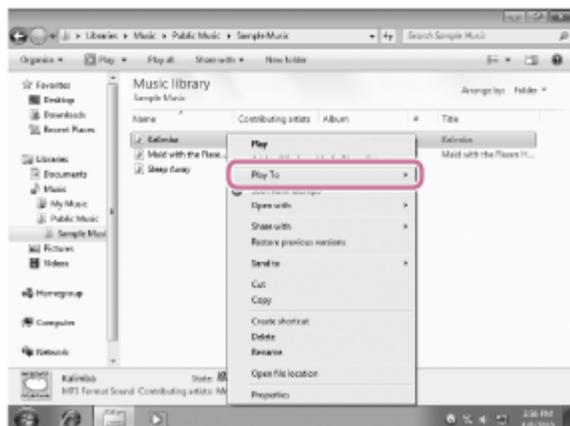
Music stored in the PC can be played back by simple operations with the [Play To] function of Windows 7. Follow the instructions on the PC screen to operate.

1. Connect the speaker and PC to your network.
The LINK indicator lights up in green or orange when the connection is complete.
2. Tap the NETWORK button.
The NETWORK indicator lights up in white, and the speaker switches to NETWORK mode.



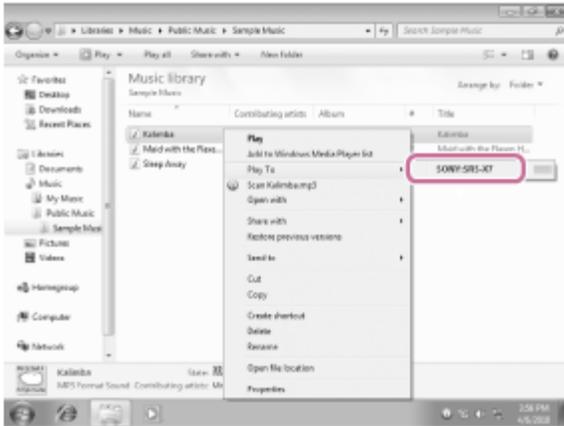
The speaker can also be switched to NETWORK mode automatically, instead of tapping the NETWORK button, by playing back music using the [Play To] function, after starting Windows Media Player.

3. Start [Windows Media Player] in the PC.
4. Right-click the song to be played.
5. Select [Play To] from the menu.



The device list appears.

6. Select [SONY:SRS-X7].



7. Play back the selected song, and adjust the volume.
The speaker plays back the selected song.

Hint

- After the dedicated application "SongPal" is downloaded and installed to your smartphone/iPhone, you can use your smartphone/iPhone as a remote control to operate components connected to the speaker.

Note

- The speaker can play MP3, Linear PCM, WMA, AAC, WAV, FLAC, ALAC and AIFF format files (only AAC files with the extension ".m4a," ".mp4," or ".3gp" can be played). Even if the bit rate and file format are supported, the playback of all files is not guaranteed.
- Files with DRM (Digital Rights Management) copyright protection cannot be played on the speaker. To check if a WMA file is protected by DRM, right-click the file on the PC. If there is a [License] tab, the file is DRM-copyrighted.
- When you listen to music via a home network, it may take some time, since each DLNA-compatible device has to recognize the component currently used.
- Some content may not be playable with DLNA certified products.

Related Topic

- [Using the BLUETOOTH/Network standby function](#)
- [Setting your PC as a DLNA server and controller \(Windows 7\)](#)
- [Listening to music on a PC via a Wi-Fi network](#)

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Connection method 3: Connecting to a Wi-Fi network using a PC connected wirelessly (Windows Vista)

Note that the speaker should be initialized to the factory default for this connection. All BLUETOOTH device registration (pairing) information are deleted.

This section describes how to connect a Windows Vista PC and the speaker wirelessly, and then connect to a wireless router, using a PC.

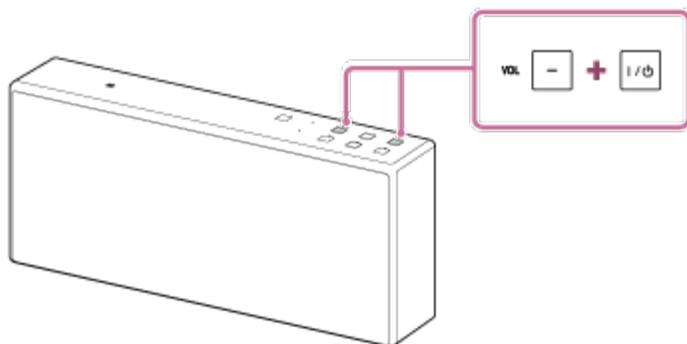
Check the following before starting the operation.

- Disconnect the LAN cable from the speaker.
- Place the speaker closer to the wireless router.
- Set the Wi-Fi antenna on the rear to the upright position.
- Set the NETWORK OFF/ON switch on the rear to ON.

1. Have the Wi-Fi network name (SSID) and password of the wireless router available for reference.

For details, refer to the operating instructions of your wireless router.

2. With the speaker turned on, press and hold the VOL (volume) – button and the | / ⏻ (on/standby) button at the same time for more than 5 seconds.



The power of the speaker turns off automatically. The settings of the speaker return to their factory defaults, and network settings and all BLUETOOTH device registration (pairing) information are deleted.

3. Turn on the speaker.

The | / ⏻ (on/standby) indicator lights up in green, then the LINK indicator begins to flash.

When you configure the settings of the speaker for the first time after purchase, or after you initialize the speaker, wait until the LINK indicator turns off (about a minute).

4. Connect the speaker to the PC.

- i. Click the  icon at the bottom of the screen.
- ii. Select [Connect to a network].

iii. Select [Sony_Wireless_Audio_Setup] from the network list.

5. Display the [Sony Network Device Setting] screen.

i. Launch a browser.

ii. Enter the following URL in the address bar.

<http://192.168.100.1>



6. Select the language from [Language Setup].



7. Select [Network Settings] from the menu.



8. Select the SSID of the wireless router, and enter the password.



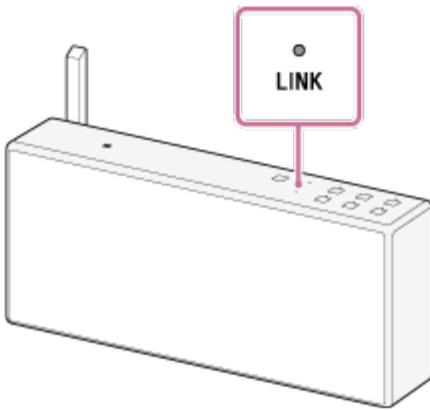
9. Select [Apply].



10. Select [OK] in the displayed window.

11. Check that the LINK indicator lights up in green.

When the Wi-Fi connection is completed, the LINK indicator lights up in green.



The connection is complete.

12. Connect the PC to the wireless router to be used.

Hint

- If you want to set a fixed IP address, set in the screen in step 7 above.

Note

- This procedure needs to be completed within 10 minutes. If you cannot complete within 10 minutes, start over from step 2.
- Until you finish the Wi-Fi network setting, it will not be protected. The Wi-Fi network will be protected again after setting the Wi-Fi security.

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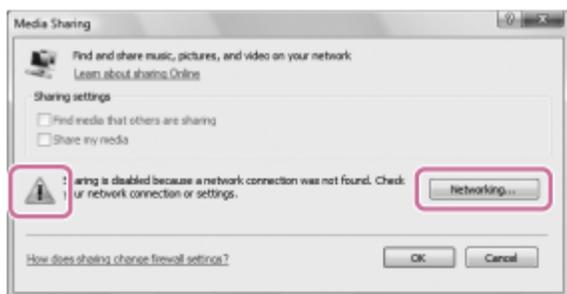
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Setting your PC as a DLNA server (Windows Vista)

Windows Vista PC can be used as a DLNA server. You need to set up Windows Media Player 11 to listen to music using Windows Vista PC as a server.

By operating from the DLNA controller on your home network, you can enjoy music stored in a Windows Vista PC, set as a DLNA server, with the speaker if you set the following.

1. Go to [Start]-[All Programs], then select [Windows Media Player].
Windows Media Player 11 starts up.
2. Select [Media Sharing...] from the [Library] menu.
3. When  is displayed, select [Networking...].



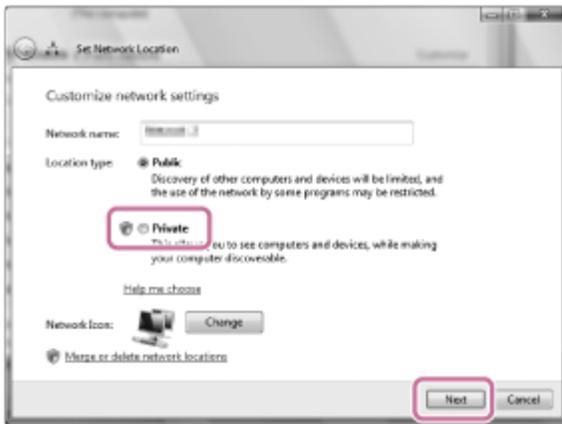
The [Network and Sharing Center] screen appears.

4. Select [Customize].



The [Set Network Location] screen appears.

5. Add a check next to [Private], then select [Next].

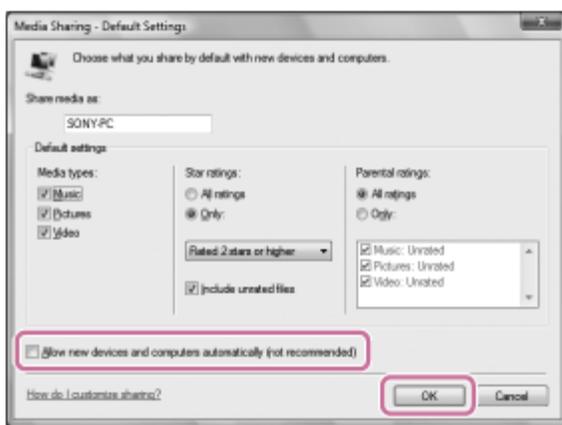


6. Confirm that [Location type] has changed to [Private], then select [Close].
7. Confirm that [(Private network)] is displayed in the [Network and Sharing Center] screen, then close the screen.
8. If a check is not added next to [Share my media] in the [Media Sharing] screen displayed in step 2, add a check, then select [OK].



A list of connectable devices is displayed.

9. Select [Settings...] that appears beside [Share my media to :].
10. Add a check next to [Allow new devices and computers automatically], then select [OK].



Note

- Uncheck this item after you confirm that the speaker can connect to the PC and play audio data on the speaker.

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Connection method 3: Connecting to a Wi-Fi network using a Mac connected wirelessly

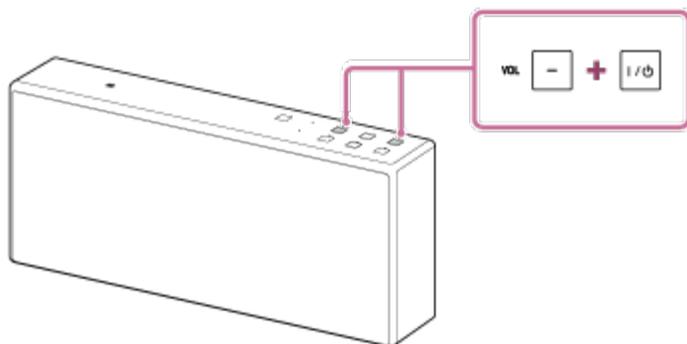
Note that the speaker should be initialized to the factory default for this connection. All BLUETOOTH device registration (pairing) information are deleted.

This section describes how to connect a Mac and the speaker wirelessly, then connect to a wireless router, using the Mac.

Check the following before starting the operation.

- Disconnect the LAN cable from the speaker.
- Place the speaker near the wireless router.
- Set the Wi-Fi antenna on the rear to the upright position.
- Set the NETWORK OFF/ON switch on the rear to ON.

1. Have the Wi-Fi network name (SSID) and password of the wireless router available for reference.
For the SSID and password, refer to the operating instructions of the wireless router.
2. With the speaker turned on, press and hold the VOL (volume) – button and the | /  (on/standby) button at the same time for more than 5 seconds.



The power of the speaker turns off automatically. The settings of the speaker return to their factory defaults, and network settings and all BLUETOOTH device registration (pairing) information are deleted.

3. Turn on the speaker.
The | /  (on/standby) indicator lights up in green, then the LINK indicator begins to flash.
When you configure the settings of the speaker for the first time after purchase, or after you initialize the speaker, wait until the LINK indicator turns off (about a minute).
4. Connect the speaker to the Mac.
 - i. Click the  icon at the top of the screen.
 - ii. Select [Open Network Preferences...].

iii. Select [Sony_Wireless_Audio_Setup] from the network list.

5. Display the [Sony Network Device Setting] screen.

i. Launch a browser.

ii. Enter the following URL in the address bar.

<http://192.168.100.1>



6. Select the language from [Language Setup].



7. Select [Network Settings] from the menu.



8. Select the SSID of the wireless router, and enter the password.



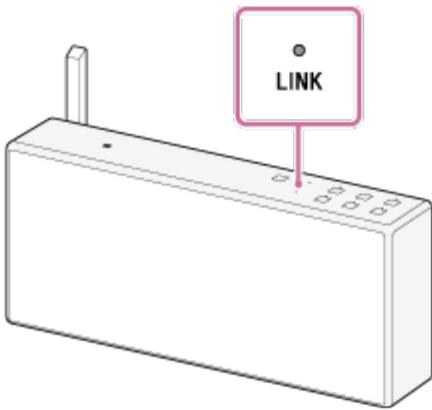
9. Select [Apply].



10. Select [OK] in the displayed window.

11. Check that the LINK indicator lights up in green.

When the Wi-Fi connection is completed, the LINK indicator lights up in green.



The connection is complete.

12. Connect the Mac to the wireless router to be used.

Hint

- If you want to set a fixed IP address, set in the screen in step 7 above.

Note

- This procedure needs to be completed within 10 minutes. If you cannot complete within 10 minutes, start over from step 2.
- Until you finish the Wi-Fi network setting, it will not be protected. The Wi-Fi network will be protected again after setting the Wi-Fi security.

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Connection method 3: Connecting to a wired network

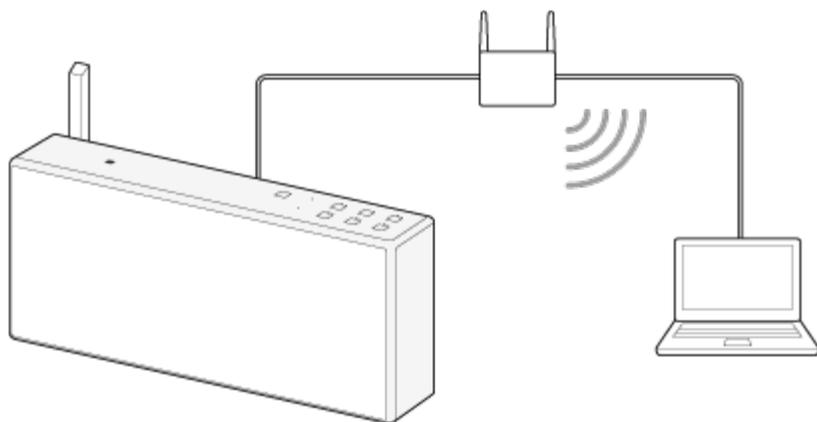
This section describes how to connect the speaker to a wireless router with a LAN cable (not supplied), then connect the router to the computer.

Usually, the DHCP setting is set to ON when you connect your computer to the network.

Set the DHCP setting of your computer to ON in advance.

Check the following before starting the operation.

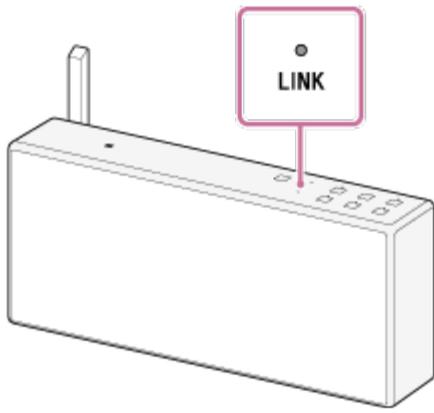
- Set the NETWORK OFF/ON switch on the rear to ON.
1. Check whether your computer and wireless router are turned on.
 2. Connect the wireless router to the LAN port with a LAN cable (not supplied).
 3. Connect the wireless router to your computer using another LAN cable (not supplied), or Wi-Fi connection.



4. Turn the speaker on.

The  /  (on/standby) indicator lights up in green, then the LINK indicator begins to flash in orange.

When the connection is completed, the LINK indicator changes from flashing to staying lit in orange.



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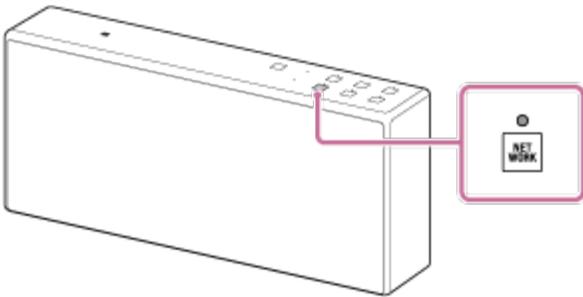
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Listening with the AirPlay function (iPhone/iPad/iPod touch)

You can enjoy music stored in an iPhone/iPad/iPod touch wirelessly using AirPlay.
Update the iPhone/iPad/iPod touch to the latest version in advance.

1. Connect the speaker and iPhone/iPad/iPod touch to your network.
The LINK indicator lights up in green or orange when the connection is complete.
2. Tap the NETWORK button.
The NETWORK indicator lights up in white, and the speaker switches to NETWORK mode.



The speaker can also be switched to NETWORK mode automatically, instead of tapping the NETWORK button, by selecting the speaker in the AirPlay menu of iPhone/iPad/iPod touch, then playing back music.

3. Select the  icon in the bottom right of the iPhone/iPad/iPod touch screen.



4. Select [SONY:SRS-X7] on the AirPlay menu of iPhone/iPad/iPod touch.



5. Start playing back music on the iPhone/iPad/iPod touch, and adjust the volume.
The speaker starts playing back the selected song.
If playback does not start, perform the process again from step 3.

Hint

- The procedure explained above is for guideline purposes. For details, refer to the operating instructions supplied with the device.
- After the dedicated application "SongPal" is downloaded and installed to your smartphone/iPhone, you can use your smartphone/iPhone as a remote control to operate components connected to the speaker.
- The volume level set by the VOL (volume) +/- buttons of the speaker and that set in iPhone/iPad/iPod touch are linked.

Note

- Loud sound may be output from the speaker if you set the volume too high by the iPhone/iPad/iPod touch.
- In some cases, the volume level of the iPhone/iPad/iPod touch might not link with the volume level of the speaker.

Related Topic

- [Using the BLUETOOTH/Network standby function](#)
- [Listening to music on a device via BLUETOOTH connection](#)

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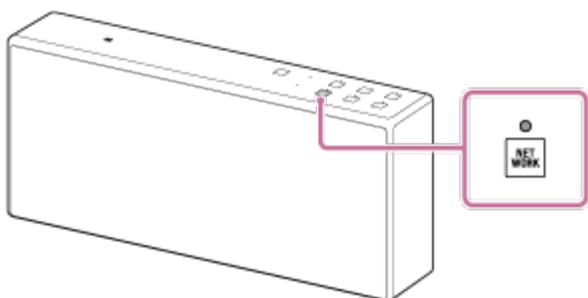
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Listening to music with the WALKMAN application (Xperia)

Using the WALKMAN application, you can play music stored in an Xperia.
Operations of WALKMAN application are subject to change without notice. For details about how to use the WALKMAN application, be sure to refer to the operating instructions supplied with the Xperia.
Update its Android OS to the latest version before using it with the speaker.

1. Connect the speaker and Xperia to your network.
The LINK indicator lights up in green or orange when the connection is complete.
2. Tap the NETWORK button.
The NETWORK indicator lights up in white, and the speaker switches to NETWORK mode.

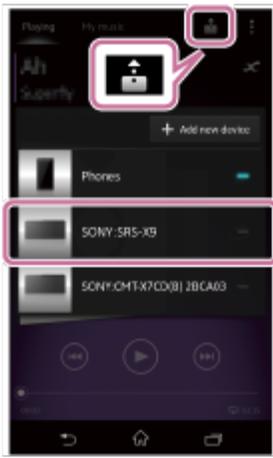


The speaker can also be switched to NETWORK mode automatically, instead of tapping the NETWORK button, by selecting the speaker in the menu of the WALKMAN application on the Xperia, then playing back music.

3. Select  [WALKMAN] on your Xperia.



4. Tap  and select [SONY:SRS-X7] on the Xperia.



5. Start playing back music on the Xperia, and adjust the volume.
The speaker starts playing back the selected song.
If playback does not start, perform the process again from step 1.

Hint

- Refer to the operating instructions of your Xperia for details.
- For details on the use of the Android OS, refer to Help of Android OS.

Related Topic

- [Using the BLUETOOTH/Network standby function](#)

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How to make wireless connection with BLUETOOTH devices

You can enjoy music with the speaker wirelessly by using your device's BLUETOOTH function.

Before operating the speaker, be sure to do the following:

- Place the BLUETOOTH device within 1 m (3 ft) of the speaker.
- Connect the speaker to the AC outlet or charge the battery sufficiently.
- Prepare the operating instructions supplied with the BLUETOOTH device for reference.

Pairing the speaker with a BLUETOOTH device

Pairing is the process required to mutually register the information on BLUETOOTH devices to be connected wirelessly. It is necessary to pair a device with the speaker to be able to make BLUETOOTH connection for the first time.

Select your situation from the following.

- Pairing and connecting with a BLUETOOTH device
- Connecting with a smartphone by one touch (NFC)

Connecting the speaker with a paired device

Once BLUETOOTH devices are paired, there is no need to pair them again. To connect a device already paired, refer to the following topic.

- Connecting with a paired BLUETOOTH device

Connecting the speaker with a smartphone by one touch (NFC)

By touching the speaker with a smartphone, the speaker is turned on automatically and then proceeds to pairing and making BLUETOOTH connection. For details, refer to the following topic.

- Connecting with a smartphone by one touch (NFC)
- Disconnecting the smartphone by one touch (NFC)
- Switching devices by one touch (NFC)

Compatible smartphones

NFC-compatible smartphones with Android 4.1 or later installed

NFC

NFC (Near Field Communication) is a technology enabling short-range wireless communication between various devices, such as smartphones and IC tags.

Thanks to the NFC function, data communication - for example, BLUETOOTH pairing - can be achieved easily by simply touching NFC-compatible devices together (i.e., at the N-Mark symbol or location designated on each device).

Note

- Once BLUETOOTH devices are paired, there is no need to pair them again, except in the following cases:
 - Pairing information has been deleted after repair, etc.
 - The speaker is already paired with 9 devices and another device is to be paired.
The speaker can be paired with up to 9 devices. If a new device is paired after 9 devices are already paired, the paired device with the oldest connection time is replaced by the new one.
 - The pairing information with the speaker has been deleted from the BLUETOOTH device.
 - When the speaker is initialized, all pairing information is deleted.
- The speaker can be paired with multiple devices, but can only play music from one paired device at a time.

Related Topic

- [Connection method 1: Pairing and connecting with a BLUETOOTH device](#)
- [Connection method 2: Connecting with a paired BLUETOOTH device](#)
- [Connection method 3: Connecting with a smartphone by one touch \(NFC\)](#)

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Connection method 1: Pairing and connecting with a BLUETOOTH device

The speaker can be paired with up to 9 BLUETOOTH devices.

It is necessary to pair a device with the speaker to be able to make BLUETOOTH connection for the first time.

Before operating the speaker, be sure to do the following:

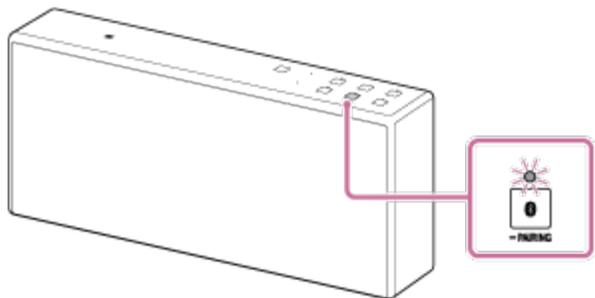
- Place the BLUETOOTH device within 1 m (3 ft) of the speaker.
- Connect the speaker to the AC outlet or charge the battery sufficiently.
- Prepare the operating instructions supplied with the BLUETOOTH device for reference.

1. Turn on the speaker.

The  (on/standby) indicator lights up in green.

2. Tap the  (BLUETOOTH)  button.

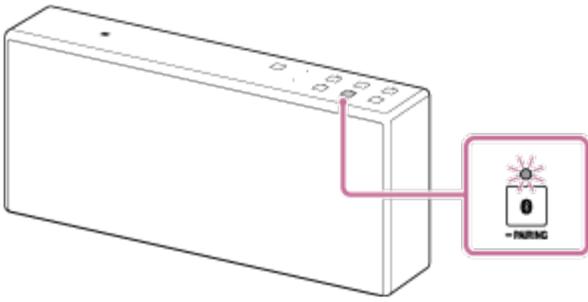
The  (BLUETOOTH) indicator begins to flash in white.



- From the factory, pairing information is not stored in the speaker. In this case, if you only tap the  (BLUETOOTH)  button, the  (BLUETOOTH) indicator will begin to flash quickly in white and the speaker enters pairing mode automatically. In this case, proceed to step 4.
- When you tap the  (BLUETOOTH)  button, the speaker tries to make BLUETOOTH connection with the last connected BLUETOOTH device. If the device is nearby, the BLUETOOTH connection is established automatically and the  (BLUETOOTH) indicator stays lit. When you want to connect another BLUETOOTH device, terminate the current BLUETOOTH connection by operating the currently connected BLUETOOTH device.

3. Tap and hold the  (BLUETOOTH)  button until beeps are heard.

The  (BLUETOOTH) indicator begins to flash quickly in white, and the speaker enters pairing mode.

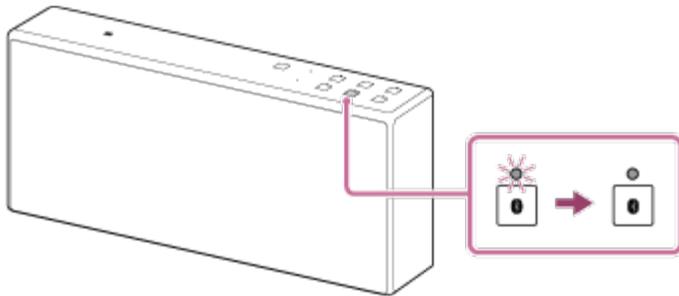


4. Perform the pairing procedure on the BLUETOOTH device to detect the speaker.
When a list of detected devices appears on the display of the BLUETOOTH device, select "SONY:SRS-X7 (Bluetooth)."

If passkey* entry is required on the display of the BLUETOOTH device, enter "0000."

*A passkey may be called "Passcode," "PIN code," "PIN number," or "Password."

5. Make the BLUETOOTH connection from the BLUETOOTH device.
When the BLUETOOTH connection is established, the  (BLUETOOTH) indicator stays lit.



If the BLUETOOTH connection is not established, repeat from step 3.

Hint

- For details, refer to the operating instructions supplied with the BLUETOOTH device.

Note

- Pairing mode of the speaker is released after about 5 minutes and the  (BLUETOOTH) indicator flashes slowly. However, when pairing information is not stored in the speaker, such as from the factory, pairing mode is not released. If pairing mode is released before finishing the process, repeat from step 3.
- When pairing with a BLUETOOTH device that cannot display a list of detected devices or that has no display, you may pair the device by setting both the speaker and the BLUETOOTH device to pairing mode. At this time, if a passkey besides "0000" is set on the BLUETOOTH device, pairing cannot be done with the speaker.
- Once BLUETOOTH devices are paired, there is no need to pair them again, except in the following cases:
 - Pairing information has been deleted after repair, etc.
 - The speaker is already paired with 9 devices and another device is to be paired.
The speaker can be paired with up to 9 devices. If a new device is paired after 9 devices are already paired, the paired device with the oldest connection time is replaced by the new one.
 - The pairing information with the speaker has been deleted from the BLUETOOTH device.
 - When the speaker is initialized, all the pairing information is deleted.
- The speaker can be paired with multiple devices, but can only play music from one paired device at a time.

Related Topic

• [Listening to music on a device via BLUETOOTH connection](#)

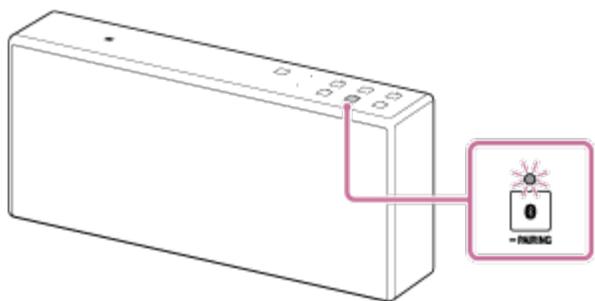
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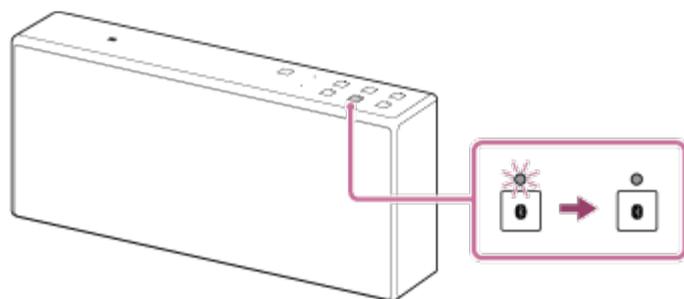
Connection method 2: Connecting with a paired BLUETOOTH device

1. Turn on the speaker.
The **| / ⏻** (on/standby) indicator lights up in green.
2. Tap the **📶** (BLUETOOTH) **— PAIRING** button.
The **📶** (BLUETOOTH) indicator begins to flash in white.



When you tap the **📶** (BLUETOOTH) **— PAIRING** button, the speaker tries to make BLUETOOTH connection with the last connected BLUETOOTH device. If the device is nearby, the BLUETOOTH connection is established automatically and the **📶** (BLUETOOTH) indicator stays lit. When you want to connect another BLUETOOTH device, terminate the current BLUETOOTH connection by operating the currently connected BLUETOOTH device.

3. Make the BLUETOOTH connection from the BLUETOOTH device.
When the BLUETOOTH connection is established, the **📶** (BLUETOOTH) indicator stays lit.



Hint

- When you turn on the speaker or tap the **📶** (BLUETOOTH) **— PAIRING** button, the speaker tries to make BLUETOOTH connection with the last connected BLUETOOTH device. If the device's BLUETOOTH function is on, the BLUETOOTH connection is started automatically.
- When the BLUETOOTH/Network standby function is turned on, the speaker turns on automatically by operating a

BLUETOOTH device, and starts the BLUETOOTH connection.

Note

- If the speaker tries to make connection with the last connected BLUETOOTH device, connection may fail in some cases. In this case, terminate the BLUETOOTH connection by operating the connected BLUETOOTH device.

Related Topic

- [Using the BLUETOOTH/Network standby function](#)
- [Listening to music on a device via BLUETOOTH connection](#)

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Connection method 3: Connecting with a smartphone by one touch (NFC)

By touching the speaker with a smartphone, the speaker is turned on automatically and then proceeds to pairing and BLUETOOTH connection.

Compatible smartphones

NFC-compatible smartphones with Android 4.1 or later installed

NFC

NFC (Near Field Communication) is a technology enabling short-range wireless communication between various devices, such as smartphones and IC tags.

Thanks to the NFC function, data communication - for example, BLUETOOTH pairing - can be achieved easily by simply touching NFC-compatible devices together (i.e., at the N-Mark symbol or location designated on each device).

1. Set the NFC function of the smartphone to on.

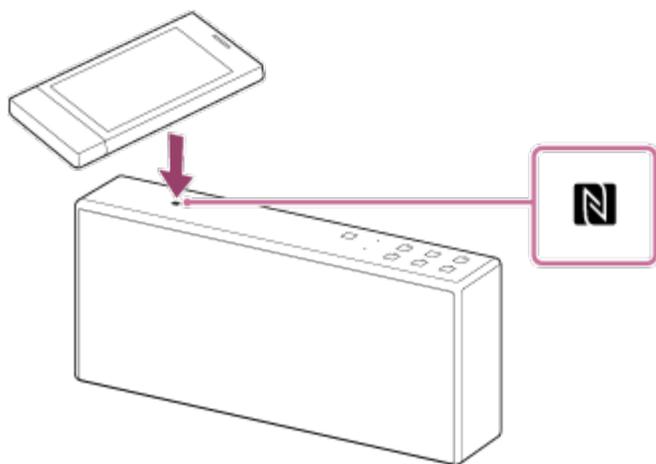
For details, refer to the operating instructions supplied with the smartphone.

2. Touch the speaker with the smartphone.

Unlock the screen of the smartphone beforehand.

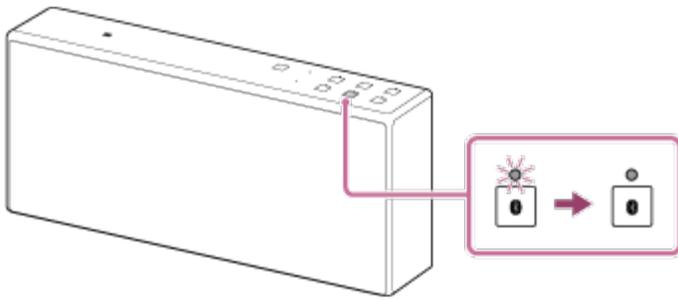
Keep touching the smartphone on the N-Mark of the speaker until the smartphone responds (it may take a few seconds).

If the speaker is off, the  (BLUETOOTH) indicator begins to flash when the smartphone touches it. When the BLUETOOTH connection is established, the speaker turns on automatically.



Follow the on-screen instructions to establish the connection.

When the BLUETOOTH connection is established, the  (BLUETOOTH) indicator stays lit.



To disconnect, touch the speaker with the smartphone again.

Hint

- If you cannot connect the speaker, try the following.
 - Move the smartphone slowly over the N-Mark of the speaker.
 - If the smartphone is in a case, remove the case.
 - Make sure that the app screen is displayed on the smartphone.
- If you touch a smartphone on the speaker, the smartphone terminates BLUETOOTH connection with any current device (NFC-compatible headset, etc.), and connects with the speaker (One-touch connection switching).

Related Topic

- [Disconnecting the smartphone by one touch \(NFC\)](#)
- [Switching devices by one touch \(NFC\)](#)
- [Listening to music on a device via BLUETOOTH connection](#)

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Listening to music on a device via BLUETOOTH connection

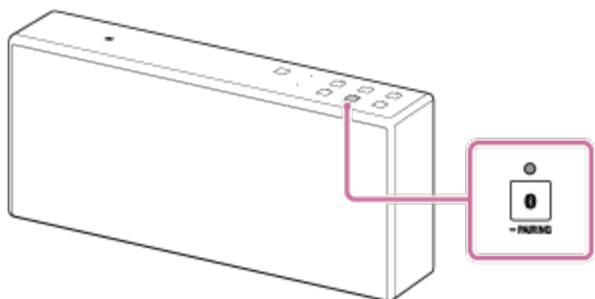
You can enjoy listening to music of a BLUETOOTH device and operate it via a BLUETOOTH connection if it supports the following BLUETOOTH profiles.

- A2DP (Advanced Audio Distribution Profile)
Enables you to enjoy high-quality audio contents wirelessly.
- AVRCP (Audio Video Remote Control Profile)
Enables you to adjust the volume of a BLUETOOTH device.

The volume of a BLUETOOTH device may not be adjusted depending on the BLUETOOTH device. Refer also to the operating instructions supplied with your BLUETOOTH device.

1. Connect the speaker with the BLUETOOTH device.

The  (BLUETOOTH) indicator lights up in white when the BLUETOOTH connection is established.

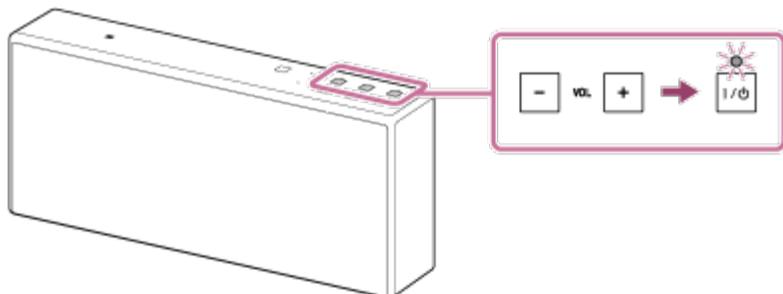


2. Start playback on the BLUETOOTH device, and adjust the volume.

Set the volume of the BLUETOOTH device to a moderate level.

3. Tap the VOL (volume) $-/+$ button to adjust the volume.

When you tap the VOL (volume) $-/+$ button, the  (on/standby) indicator flashes once or three times according to the volume adjustment.



Hint

- After the dedicated application "SongPal" is downloaded and installed to your smartphone/iPhone, you can use your smartphone/iPhone as a remote control to operate components connected to the speaker.
- Depending on the BLUETOOTH device, it may be necessary to adjust the volume or set the audio output setting on the connected device.

Note

- If the communication condition is poor, the BLUETOOTH device may react incorrectly to the operation on the speaker.

Related Topic

- [Using the BLUETOOTH/Network standby function](#)
- [Selecting the BLUETOOTH audio streaming playback quality](#)
- [Terminating the BLUETOOTH connection \(After use\)](#)

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Selecting the BLUETOOTH audio streaming playback quality

"Priority on stable connection" and "Priority on sound quality" modes are available as options for selecting the playback quality of BLUETOOTH audio streaming. "Priority on stable connection" is set as the default.

Supported Codecs

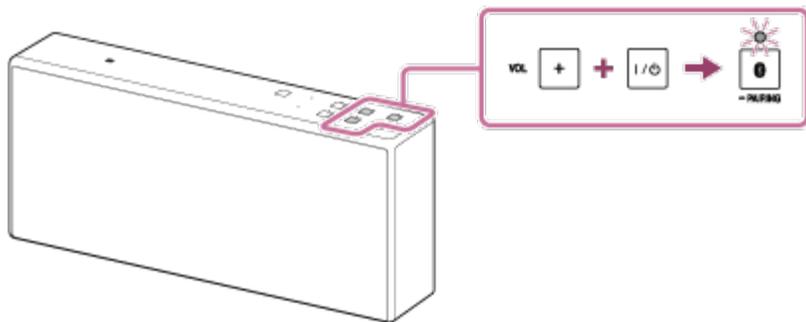
- Priority on stable connection: SBC (Default setting)
- Priority on sound quality: AAC or aptX, SBC

1. With the speaker turned on, press and hold the  (on/standby) button until the  (on/standby) indicator lights up in orange.

The speaker turns off and enters the BLUETOOTH/Network standby mode.

2. Press and hold the VOL (volume) + button and  (on/standby) button at the same time, until the  (BLUETOOTH) indicator flashes in white.

When the setting is changed to "Priority on sound quality" mode, the  (BLUETOOTH) indicator flashes 3 times. When the setting is changed to "Priority on stable connection" mode, the  (BLUETOOTH) indicator flashes 2 times.



The playback quality is switched, and the speaker turns on.

Note

- Communication may become unstable in the "Priority on sound quality" mode, depending on the setting of your BLUETOOTH device and the ambient conditions. In this case, reset the speaker to the "Priority on stable connection" mode by performing step 1 and 2 above.
- You can switch the playback quality by using the dedicated application "SongPal." However, if the playback quality setting is changed with the speaker turned on, the BLUETOOTH connection is terminated once. In this case, connect the BLUETOOTH device manually again. After reconnecting, the playback quality is switched.

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- [Using the BLUETOOTH/Network standby function](#)
- [Setting the BLUETOOTH audio streaming playback quality](#)

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Terminating the BLUETOOTH connection (After use)

When you finish playing music with the BLUETOOTH device, perform any of the following operations to terminate the BLUETOOTH connection.

- Turn off the BLUETOOTH function on the BLUETOOTH device. For details, refer to the operating instructions supplied with the device.
- Turn off the BLUETOOTH device.
- Turn off the speaker.
- Touch the smartphone on the N-Mark of the speaker again (if your smartphone has the NFC function).

Hint

- If no operation is performed and no music (sound) is input by a BLUETOOTH device for about 15 minutes, the speaker enters standby mode automatically by the auto standby function, then the BLUETOOTH connection terminates.
- When you finish playing music, the BLUETOOTH connection may terminate automatically, depending on the BLUETOOTH device.

Related Topic

- [Turning the power off](#)
- [Auto standby function](#)
- [Disconnecting the smartphone by one touch \(NFC\)](#)

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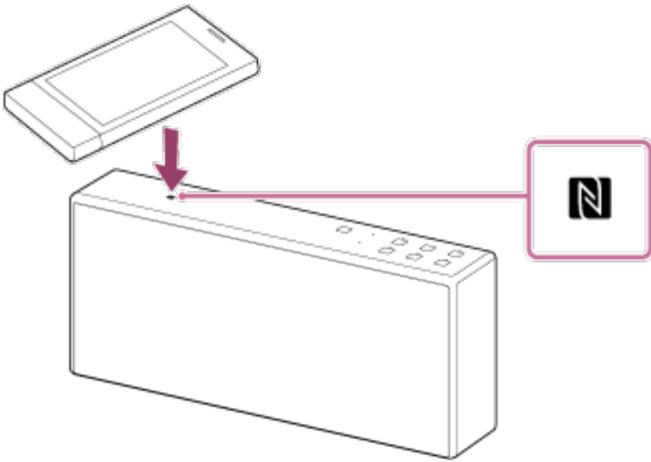
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Disconnecting the smartphone by one touch (NFC)

You can disconnect the speaker from a connected smartphone by touching the speaker with it.

1. Touch the speaker with the smartphone.
Touch the smartphone on the N-Mark of the speaker.

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Switching devices by one touch (NFC)

- When the speaker is connected with a BLUETOOTH device, if you touch a smartphone on the N-Mark of the speaker, then connects with the smartphone.
- When the speaker is connected with a smartphone, if you touch the smartphone on another NFC-compatible device, the smartphone disconnects from the speaker, and connects with the NFC-compatible device it touched.

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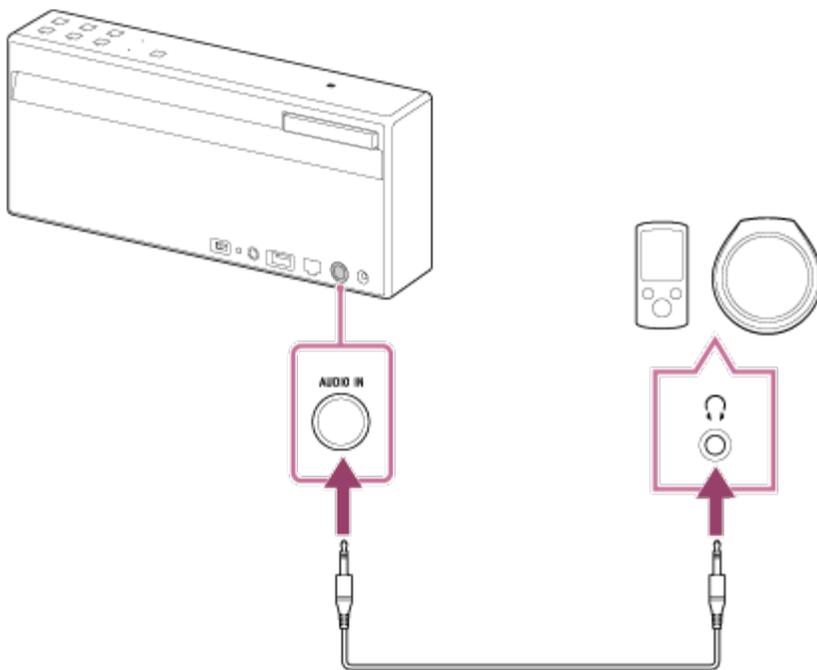
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Connecting to a portable audio device, etc.

Be sure to turn off the power of the device before making any connections.

1. Connect the device to the AUDIO IN jack with an audio cable (not supplied).



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- [Listening to music on a portable audio device, etc.](#)

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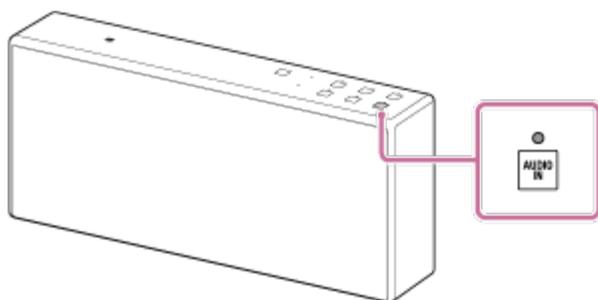
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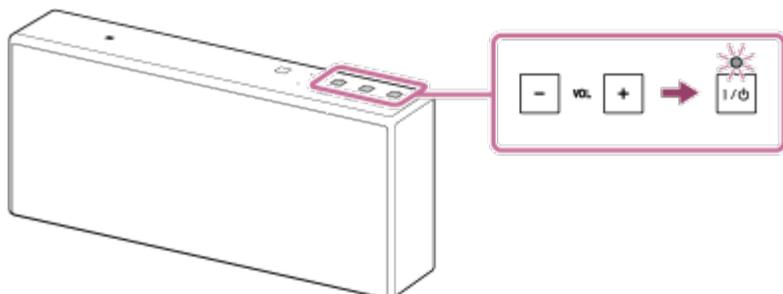
Listening to music on a portable audio device, etc.

You can use the speaker as an ordinary wired speaker system by connecting a portable audio device, etc., using an audio cable (not supplied).

1. Connect the device to the speaker using an audio cable (not supplied).
2. Turn on the speaker.
The (on/standby) indicator lights up in green.
3. Tap the AUDIO IN button.
The speaker switches to AUDIO IN mode and the AUDIO IN indicator lights up in white.



4. Turn on the connected device.
5. Start playback on the connected device, and adjust the volume.
Set the volume of the connected device to a moderate level.
6. Tap the VOL (volume) $-/+$ button to adjust the volume.
When you tap the VOL (volume) $-/+$ button, the (on/standby) indicator flashes once or three times according to the volume adjustment.



Hint

- After the dedicated application "SongPal" is downloaded and installed to your smartphone/iPhone, you can use your smartphone/iPhone as a remote control to operate components connected to the speaker.

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About the indicators

| / (on/standby) indicator

Turns off

The speaker is in the standby mode.

Lights up (green)

The speaker is turned on.

Lights up (orange)

The speaker is in the BLUETOOTH/Network standby mode.

The BLUETOOTH/Network standby function can be set only when the speaker is connected to an AC outlet via the AC adaptor. When the speaker is being powered by the built-in battery only, the BLUETOOTH/Network standby function is not available.

Flashes (green)

- If you press the | /  (on/standby) button to turn off the speaker, the indicator flashes slowly, then turns off. While the indicator is flashing, the speaker is not operational.
- When you tap the VOL (volume) +/- button, the indicator flashes once or three times according to the volume adjustment.

Flashes (red)

The speaker is in the protect mode. Push the RESET button on the rear of the speaker with a pointed object, such as a pin.

CHARGE indicator

Turns off

Charging of the speaker is completed.

Lights up

The speaker is charging.

Flashes slowly

The built-in battery is running low and needs to be charged. In this state, the speaker cannot supply power to other devices.

Flashes three times and turns off

If the CHARGE indicator flashes three times and goes off when you turn on the speaker, the battery is empty and needs to be charged.

LINK indicator

Turns off

The speaker is not connected to a network.

Lights up (green)

The speaker is connected to a Wi-Fi network.

Lights up (orange)

The speaker is connected to a wired network.

Flashes (green)

The speaker is in the process of connecting to a Wi-Fi network.

Flashes (orange)

The speaker is in the process of connecting to a wired network.

Flashes (red)

The network connection failed.

Lights up (red)

The network connection failed, or connection failed even though the network setting is complete.

AUDIO IN indicator^{*1*2}

Lights up (white)

The speaker is in the AUDIO IN mode.

(BLUETOOTH) PAIRING indicator^{*1*2*3*4}

Lights up (white)

The speaker is connected to a BLUETOOTH device.

Flashes quickly (white)

The speaker is pairing with a BLUETOOTH device.

Flashes (white)

The speaker is searching for a BLUETOOTH device to connect.

NETWORK indicator^{*1*2*3}

Lights up (white)

The speaker is in the NETWORK mode.

Flashes (white)

The speaker is receiving an audio file via the network.

UPDATE indicator

Lights up (orange)

The indicator lights up when software update is available. (Normally off.)

*1 If software update fails, the indicator also lights up.

*2 When checking Wi-Fi signal strength, the indicator also flashes.

*3 When switching the wireless function to on or off, the indicator also flashes.

*4 When switching the BLUETOOTH audio streaming, the indicator also flashes.

Related Topic

- [Parts and controls](#)
- [Updating the software](#)
- [Checking the Wi-Fi signal strength \(reception sensitivity\)](#)

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Compatible iPhone/iPad/iPod models

iPhone/iPad/iPod models that can be used with the speaker are shown below.

Update the software of your iPhone/iPad/iPod to the latest version before using it with the speaker.

For the latest iPhone/iPad/iPod compatible models, access the following URL:

For customers in Europe:

<http://support.sony-europe.com>

For customers in the U.S.A.:

<http://esupport.sony.com/US>

For customers in Canada:

<http://esupport.sony.com/CA/>

For customers in other countries/regions:

<http://www.sony-asia.com/section/support>

AirPlay connection compatible models

- iPhone 5s
- iPhone 5c
- iPhone 5
- iPhone 4s
- iPhone 4
- iPhone 3GS
- iPad Air*
- iPad mini with Retina display*
- iPad (4th generation)*
- iPad mini*
- iPad (3rd generation)*
- iPad 2*
- iPad*
- iPod touch (5th generation)
- iPod touch (4th generation)
- iPod touch (3rd generation)*

BLUETOOTH connection compatible models

- iPhone 5s
- iPhone 5c
- iPhone 5
- iPhone 4s

- iPhone 4
- iPhone 3GS
- iPad Air*
- iPad mini with Retina display*
- iPad (4th generation)*
- iPad mini*
- iPad (3rd generation)*
- iPad 2*
- iPad*
- iPod touch (5th generation)
- iPod touch (4th generation)
- iPod touch (3rd generation)*
- iPod nano (7th generation)*

*The dedicated application "SongPal" does not support iPod touch (3rd generation) or iPod nano. The dedicated application "SongPal" does not support iPad (as of January, 2014).

AirPlay works with iPhone, iPad, and iPod touch with iOS 4.3.3 or later, Mac with OS X Mountain Lion, and Mac and PC with iTunes 10.2.2 or later.

Note

- Sony cannot accept responsibility in the event that data recorded to iPhone/iPad/iPod is lost or damaged when using an iPhone/iPad/iPod connected to this speaker.

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Compatible operating system (Windows)

Compatible PC

IBM PC/AT compatible computers

Supporting Operating Systems

- Windows RT 8.1
- Windows 8.1 Enterprise
- Windows 8.1 Pro
- Windows RT
- Windows 8 Enterprise
- Windows 8 Professional
- Windows 8 Core Edition
- Windows 7 Ultimate
- Windows 7 Professional
- Windows 7 Home Premium
- Windows 7 Home Basic
- Windows 7 Starter
- Windows Vista Ultimate
- Windows Vista Business
- Windows Vista Home Premium
- Windows Vista Home Basic

Suitable browsers

Internet Explorer 7 or later

- Any of the above operating systems must be factory installed in the PC.
- Correct operation of all PCs is not guaranteed.
- Correct operation with a home-built PC, personally upgraded operating system, or multi-boot environment is not guaranteed.
- Operations such as system suspend mode, sleep mode or hibernation mode are not guaranteed for all PCs.

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Compatible operating systems (Mac)

Supporting Operating Systems

- Mac OS X v10.9 Mavericks
- Mac OS X version 10.8 Mountain Lion
- Mac OS X version 10.7 Lion
- Mac OS X version 10.6 Snow Leopard

Suitable browsers

Safari (latest version at the time of Mac OS X version 10.6 Snow Leopard being released, or later)

- Any of the above operating systems must be factory installed in the computer.
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Compatible DLNA devices

For the latest compatible models, access the following URL:

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Compatible BLUETOOTH devices

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Updating the software

You can update to the latest software by connecting to the Internet.

While the speaker is connected to the Internet, whenever a software update becomes available, the UPDATE button lights up.

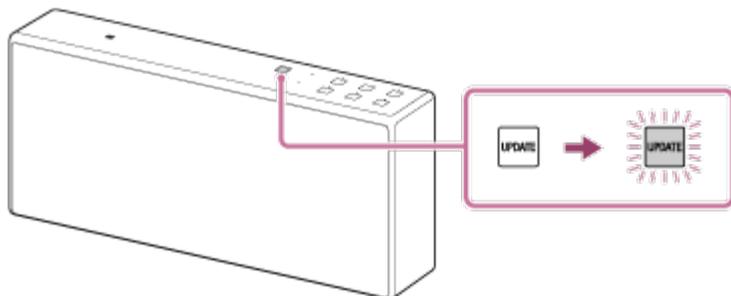
In this case, follow the steps below to update the software to the latest version.

Once updating is started, the speaker stops music playback and BLUETOOTH communications.

1. Tap and hold the UPDATE button until beeps are heard.

When the latest software update starts, the UPDATE button flashes.

The speaker is not operational while updating.



The UPDATE button turns off and the speaker switches to standby mode or BLUETOOTH/Network standby mode automatically after updating is completed.

If the UPDATE button flashes slower than during the update

Software update failed. Press the  (on/standby) button to turn off the speaker, then turn on again. Make sure the speaker is connected to the Internet and the UPDATE button is lit, then start updating again.

Hint

- The flashing interval of the UPDATE button becomes slow temporarily depending on the progress of the software update. Be careful not to turn off the speaker. If the speaker fails to update its software, the UPDATE button will keep flashing slowly until the speaker is turned off. Before turning off the speaker, make sure that the UPDATE button keeps flashing slowly to distinguish if it indicates a software update failure.

Note

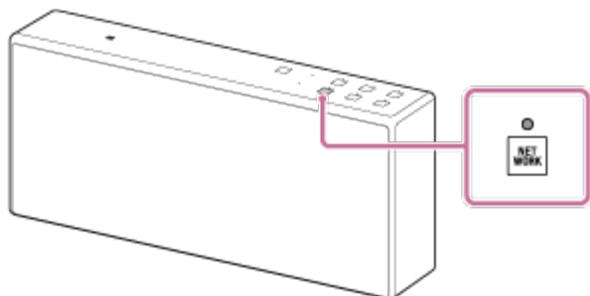
- Updating normally takes about 3 to 10 minutes. It may take more time depending on your network environment.
- Keep the speaker connected to the power supply and network while updating.
- Software update is active only when the speaker is connected to an AC outlet via the AC adaptor.

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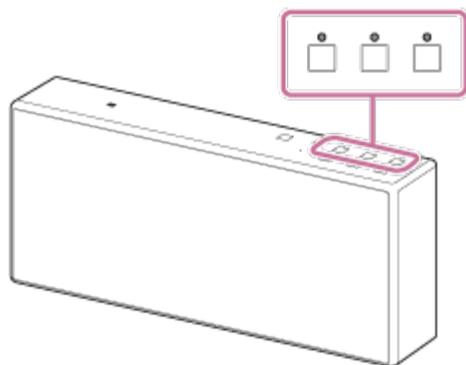
Checking the Wi-Fi signal strength (reception sensitivity)

The indicator of the speaker shows signal strength (reception sensitivity) by its flashing status when the speaker is connected to a Wi-Fi network.

1. While the speaker is connected to Wi-Fi a network (the LINK indicator lights up in green), tap and hold the NETWORK button until beeps are heard.



The function indicators (NETWORK, ) (BLUETOOTH), AUDIO IN) on the top panel start to flash. The number of flashing indicators shows the strength of the signal. Flashing stops when any button is tapped.



When no indicator is flashing, the signal strength is the weakest. When 3 indicators are flashing, the signal strength is the strongest.

To receive a stronger signal

Try the following:

- Change the direction of the wireless LAN antenna.
- Turn off other wireless devices.

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Differences of standby modes

Standby function

When the speaker is in standby mode, the  /  (on/standby) indicator is off.

If you press the  /  (on/standby) button to turn off the speaker, the  /  (on/standby) indicator turns off and the speaker enters standby mode.

BLUETOOTH/Network standby function

The speaker is in the BLUETOOTH/Network standby mode when the  /  (on/standby) indicator lights up in orange.

If the BLUETOOTH/Network standby function is on, the speaker turns on automatically by operating a network device or BLUETOOTH device, and network or BLUETOOTH connection starts.

The BLUETOOTH/Network standby function can be set only when the speaker is connected to an AC outlet via the AC adaptor.

When you turn on the speaker in the BLUETOOTH/Network standby mode, the start-up time becomes shorter and the speaker will become operational sooner, than when you turn on the speaker in standby mode.

With the speaker turned on, press and hold the  /  (on/standby) button until the  /  (on/standby) indicator lights up in orange. The speaker turns off and enters the BLUETOOTH/Network standby mode.

Auto standby function

The speaker automatically enters standby mode or switches to the BLUETOOTH/Network standby mode if the speaker remains in any of the following states for about 15 minutes.

- No operation of the speaker.
- Connect/disconnect operations to the speaker from external devices have not been performed.
- Music (voice) is not played while connected to external devices.

Hint

- In standby mode, the power consumption of the speaker will reduce.
- In BLUETOOTH/Network standby mode, the speaker's start-up time will be shorter.
- The auto standby function can be turned off by using the dedicated application "SongPal."

Related Topic

- [Turning the power off](#)
- [Using the BLUETOOTH/Network standby function](#)

- Auto standby function

- Setting the auto standby function

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Precautions

On safety

The nameplate indicating Sony trademark, model number and electrical rating is located on the bottom exterior of the speaker.

The MAC address is located on the bottom exterior of the speaker.

- Before operating the speaker, be sure that the operating voltage of the speaker is identical with that of your local power supply.
 - Where purchased: all countries/regions
 - Operating voltage: varies depending on the country/region.

Notes on the AC adaptor

- When connecting or disconnecting the AC adaptor, turn off the speaker beforehand. Otherwise, it may cause malfunction.
- Use only the supplied AC adaptor. To avoid damaging the speaker, do not use any other AC adaptor.

Polarity of the plug



- Plug the AC adaptor into a nearby wall outlet (mains). In the case of a problem, unplug it from the wall outlet (mains) immediately.
- Do not install the AC adaptor in a confined space, such as a bookcase or built-in cabinet.
- To reduce the risk of fire or electric shock, do not expose the AC adaptor to dripping or splashing, and do not place objects filled with liquids, such as vases, on the AC adaptor.
- The validity of the CE marking is restricted to only those countries where it is legally enforced, mainly in the countries EEA (European Economic Area).

On placement

- Do not set the speaker in an inclined position.
- Do not leave the speaker in a location near heat sources, or in a place subject to direct sunlight, excessive dust, moisture, rain or mechanical shock.

On operation

- Do not insert any small objects, etc., into the jacks or ventilation hole on the rear of the speaker. The speaker may short out or malfunction.

On cleaning

- Do not use alcohol, benzine, or thinner to clean the cabinet.

Others

- If you have any questions or problems concerning the speaker that are not covered in this Help Guide, please consult your nearest Sony dealer.
- When disposing of or giving away the speaker, make sure to initialize it to reset all settings to the factory defaults.

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Notes on charging

Caution

If the speaker detects a problem while charging the battery, the CHARGE indicator may turn off, although charging is not completed.

Check for the following causes:

- Ambient temperature exceeds the range of 5 °C – 35 °C (41 °F – 95 °F).
- There is a problem with the battery.

Note

- Charging time varies depending on battery usage conditions.
- Charge the speaker in an ambient temperature of between 5 °C and 35 °C (41 °F and 95 °F).
- The speaker becomes warm during charging. This is not a malfunction.
- If the speaker is not used for a long time, it may take longer to charge the battery.
- Avoid exposure to rapid temperature change, direct sunlight, moisture, sand, dust, or mechanical shock. Also, never leave the speaker in a car parked in the sun.

Related Topic

- [Connecting to an AC outlet](#)

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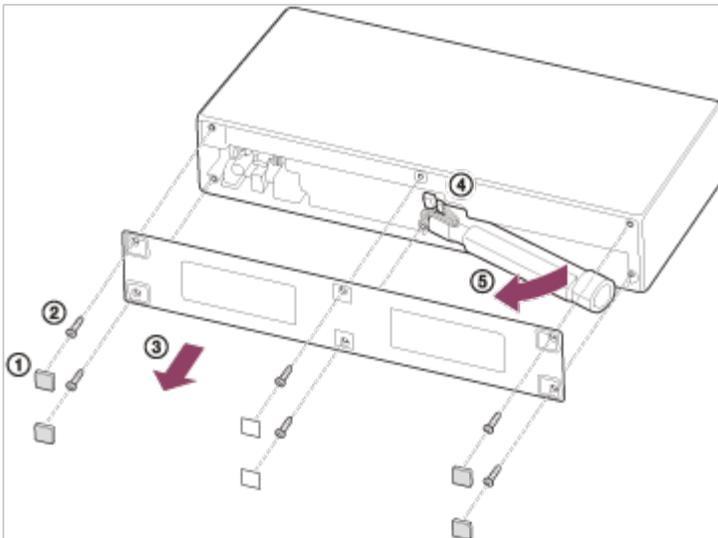
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Disposing of the speaker

For environment protection, remove the built-in battery pack from the speaker. Before removing the battery, drain the battery by removing the AC adaptor and using the speaker only with the battery.

Take out the built-in battery for recycling. Do not open the cabinet other than when disposing of the speaker.

1. Turn off the speaker and remove the AC adaptor.
2. Detach the cover from the bottom of speaker to remove the battery pack.
 - ① Remove the 6 rubber covers from the bottom of the speaker.
 - ② Remove the 6 screws.
 - ③ Remove the cover.
 - ④ Remove the connector plug from the speaker.
 - ⑤ Remove the battery.



Note

- Be careful not to damage the cord cover and battery with metallic tweezers, etc. when you remove the battery pack from the speaker.

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What is BLUETOOTH wireless technology?

BLUETOOTH wireless technology is a short-range wireless technology that enables wireless data communication between digital devices, such as a computer and digital camera. BLUETOOTH wireless technology operates within a range of about 10 m (about 30 ft).

Connecting two devices as necessary is common, but some devices can be connected to multiple devices at the same time.

You do not need to use a cable for connection, nor is it necessary for the devices to face one another, such is the case with infrared technology. For example, you can use such a device in a bag or pocket.

BLUETOOTH standard is an international standard supported by thousands of companies all over the world, and employed by various companies worldwide.

Maximum communication range

Maximum communication range may shorten under the following conditions.

- There is an obstacle such as a person, metal, or wall between the speaker and BLUETOOTH device.
- A wireless LAN device is in use near the speaker.
- A microwave oven is in use near the speaker.
- A device that generates electromagnetic radiation is in use near the speaker.

Interference from other devices

Because BLUETOOTH devices and wireless LAN (IEEE802.11b/g/n) use the same frequency, microwave interference may occur and resulting in communication speed deterioration, noise, or invalid connection if the speaker is used near a wireless LAN device. In such a case, perform the following.

- Use the speaker at least 10 m (about 30 ft) away from the wireless LAN devices.
- If the speaker is used within 10 m (about 30 ft) of a wireless LAN device, turn off the wireless LAN device.

Interference to other devices

Microwaves emitting from a BLUETOOTH device may affect the operation of electronic medical devices. Turn off the speaker and other BLUETOOTH devices in the following locations, as it may cause an accident.

- where inflammable gas is present, in a hospital, train, airplane, or a gas station
- near automatic doors or a fire alarm

Note

- To be able to use the BLUETOOTH function, the BLUETOOTH device to be connected requires the same profile as the system's.

Note also that even if the same profile exists, devices may vary in function depending on their specifications.

Due to the characteristic of BLUETOOTH wireless technology, the sound played on the speaker is slightly delayed from the sound played on the BLUETOOTH device during talking on the telephone or listening to the music.

- This speaker supports security capabilities that comply with the BLUETOOTH standard to provide a secure connection when the BLUETOOTH wireless technology is used, but security may not be enough depending on the setting. Be careful when communicating using BLUETOOTH wireless technology.
- We do not take any responsibility for the leakage of information during BLUETOOTH communication.
- A device featuring the BLUETOOTH function is required to conform to the BLUETOOTH standard specified by Bluetooth SIG, and be authenticated. Even if the connected device conforms to the above mentioned BLUETOOTH standard, some devices may not be connected or work correctly, depending on the features or specifications of the device.
- Noise or sound skips may occur depending on the BLUETOOTH device connected with the speaker, the communication environment, or the usage environment.

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What can I do to solve a problem?

If the speaker does not function as expected, try the following steps to resolve the issue.

- Find the symptoms of the issue in this Help Guide, and try any corrective actions listed.
- Connect the speaker to an AC outlet via the AC adaptor to charge the battery.
You may be able to resolve some issues by charging the battery.
- Push the RESET button of the speaker.
- Initialize the speaker.

All settings of the speaker return to their factory defaults. All the pairing information and all the network settings are deleted.

- Look up information on the issue on the customer support website.

If the operations above do not work, consult your nearest Sony dealer.

Related Topic

- [Connecting to an AC outlet](#)
- [Using the RESET button](#)
- [Initializing the speaker](#)
- [Customer support websites](#)

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Unable to turn on the speaker or charge the built-in battery

- Charge the built-in battery.
- Make sure the AC adaptor is connected to the speaker and the AC outlet firmly.
- Push the RESET button on the rear of the speaker.

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- [Connecting to an AC outlet](#)
- [Using the RESET button](#)

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None of the speaker buttons can be operated.

- If the  (on/standby) indicator is flashing red, the speaker may be in the protect mode.
- Push the RESET button on the rear of with a pointed object, such as a pin. Then turn on the speaker. If the  (on/standby) indicator keeps flashing, consult your nearest Sony dealer or the shop from which you purchased this speaker.

Related Topic

 [Connecting to an AC outlet](#)

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The speaker has entered standby mode or BLUETOOTH/Network standby mode unexpectedly.

- This is not a malfunction. The speaker enters standby mode or BLUETOOTH/Network standby mode automatically if no operation is performed and no sound is input for about 15 minutes. For details, refer to "Auto standby function."

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- [Auto standby function](#)

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No sound/Sound from only one speaker/Low sound level

- Check that both the speaker and the connected device are turned on.
- Turn up the volume of the speaker and the connected device.
- Check that the connected device is playing back.
- If the device is connected to the AUDIO IN jack, check that both plugs of the audio cable (not supplied) are firmly inserted into the speaker and the connected device.
- If the device that is connected to the AUDIO IN jack is monaural, sound will only be output from the left speaker.
- Keep the speaker away from metal objects.

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Distorted sound/Humming or noise in the speaker output

- Turn down the volume of the connected device.
- If the connected device has an equalizer function, set it to off.
- Keep the speaker away from a microwave oven, etc.
- Charge the speaker by connecting the AC adaptor if the CHARGE indicator is flashing.
- If you connect a device with a built-in radio or tuner to the speaker, broadcasts may not be received, or sensitivity may be reduced. Locate the speaker farther away from the device and check that you can listen to broadcasts satisfactorily.
- Move the speaker away from sources of noise.
- Connect the speaker to a different wall outlet.
- Use of an AC power extension cord with a noise filter (not supplied) is recommended.
- Keep the speaker away from metal objects.

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The speaker cannot connect to the network. (Other equipment on the network cannot find or recognize the speaker.)

- It takes about 1 minute for the speaker to acquire an IP address when it is turned on in a communication environment without a router.
- If you use a fixed IP address, the same IP address may be used by other equipment. Therefore, use a different IP address.
- There are several home networks. The computer and smartphone are connected to a different network than the speaker.

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The speaker cannot connect to the network via a Wi-Fi network connection.

- Make sure the wireless router/access point is turned on.
- When the speaker is connected to a Wi-Fi network, place the wireless router/access point and the speaker closer together and perform the setup again.
- If a LAN cable is connected to the speaker, it automatically makes a wired network connection. If you wish to use a Wi-Fi network connection, do not connect a LAN cable to the speaker.
- Check the settings of the wireless router/access point. Make sure the SSID stealth mode is set to OFF on the wireless router. For details on the settings of the wireless router, refer to its operating instructions.
- Bring the speaker and wireless router closer together. Devices that use the 2.4 GHz frequency band, such as a microwave oven, BLUETOOTH or digital cordless device, etc., may interrupt Wi-Fi communication. Move the speaker away from such devices or turn them off.
- The speaker does not support 5 GHz bands such as IEEE 802.11a for Wi-Fi network. Connect the speaker to a Wi-Fi network using IEEE 802.11b or IEEE 802.11g.
- There are several home networks. The computer and smartphone are connected to a different network than the speaker.

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The speaker cannot connect to a network using the WPS button.

- Set up your network after searching the wireless router/access point using the computer connected to the speaker (access point scan).
- Update the firmware of the wireless router/access point to the latest version.
- Press and hold the WPS button for about two seconds.
- Refer to the operating instructions of your wireless router to check if you are operating the WPS button on the wireless router correctly.

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The speaker does not appear in the device list on the computer's music playback application.

- Check the network connection.
- Check that the speaker and the computer are connected to the same network.
- Check that the speaker is turned on.
- If your computer uses a firewall, this may prevent the speaker from appearing on the list.
In this case, disable the firewall software. For details, refer to the operating instructions or help guide of the firewall software.

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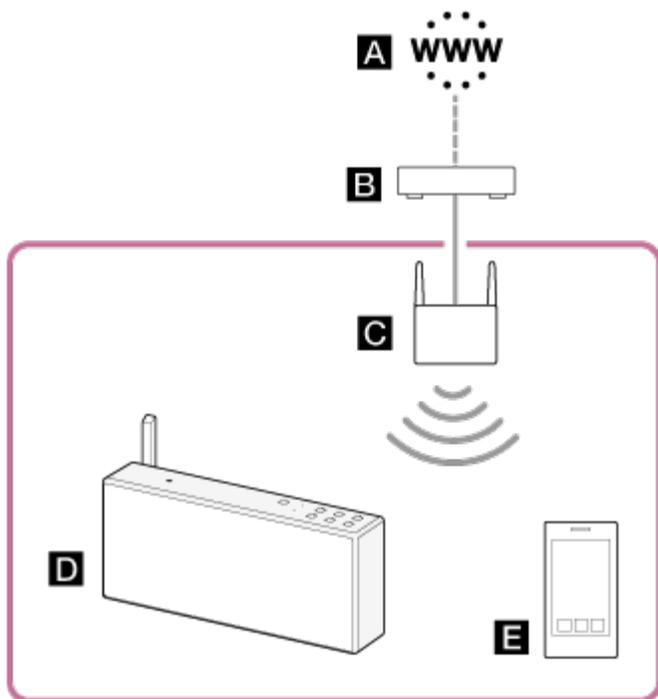
The speaker does not appear in the device select screen on "SongPal."

- Check the network connection.
- Check that the speaker and the smartphone/iPhone are connected to the same network.

Example of a good network connection

(The speaker (**D**) and the smartphone/iPhone (**E**) are connected to one router (**C**), so they belong to the same network.)

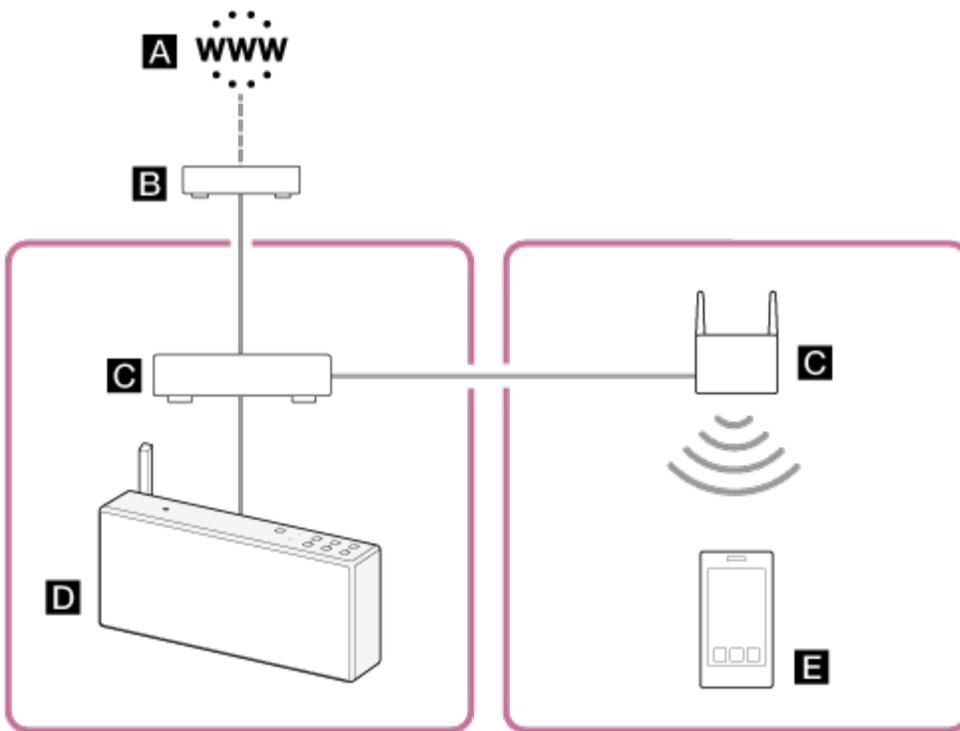
In this situation, the smartphone/iPhone is able to recognize the speaker using "SongPal."



Example of a bad network connection

(The speaker (**D**) and the smartphone/iPhone (**E**) are connected to different routers (**C**) or servers, so they belong to different networks.)

In this situation, the smartphone/iPhone is not able to recognize the speaker using "SongPal."



- A** : Internet
- B** : Modem
- C** : Router
- D** : Speaker
- E** : Smartphone/iPhone

Distribute the connection using a network hub or a Wi-Fi access point set to infrastructure mode when it is difficult to connect the speaker and the smartphone/iPhone directly to one router (for example, when using "SongPal" on a smartphone/iPhone placed in a different room from the speaker).

Depending on your network environment, for example if you are living in an apartment building, the router may be shared with the other residents. For details about your network environment, contact the person in charge of your network. You can verify the SSID of the wireless router/access point that the speaker is connected to. While the speaker is connected to the wireless router/access point, do steps 1 to 7 of "Connection method 2: Connecting to a Wi-Fi network using a computer connected with a LAN cable," then check the SSID of the wireless router/access point on the screen of step 7.

Related Topic

- [Connection method 2: Connecting to a Wi-Fi network using a computer connected with a LAN cable](#)

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The speaker cannot connect to music services.

- Make sure the wireless router/access point is turned on.
- When the speaker is connected to a Wi-Fi network, place the wireless router/access point and the speaker closer together and perform the setup again.
- Depending on the provider, only one connection to the internet may be allowed. In that case, the speaker will not be able to connect if the connection is currently occupied. Please consult your carrier or service provider.
- If you turn on your smartphone or iPhone after a moment of power off, try to restart the "SongPal" application.
- About the settings of Music Unlimited, refer to the following URL:
<http://munlimited.com/home/>

Related Topic

- [What you can do with "SongPal"](#)

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The controller cannot find the speaker. (The controller cannot browse the contents of the speaker.)

- Make sure the wireless router/access point is turned on.
- When the speaker is connected to a Wi-Fi network, place the wireless router/access point and the speaker closer together and perform the setup again.
- Make sure that the controller is connected to the home network.
- Disable the multicast control on the wireless router/access point.

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Music started automatically.

- The speaker may be under the control of another component. To defeat the control, set the BLUETOOTH/Network standby function to off.

Related Topic

- [Using the BLUETOOTH/Network standby function](#)
- [Setting the auto standby function](#)

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The sound is interrupted.

- The DLNA server is overloaded. Quit all running applications.
- Wireless signal condition is poor. Stop using your microwave oven.
- The communication speed of the Wi-Fi network may become slower for IEEE802.11n-compliant wireless routers/access points if the security method is set to WEP or WPA/WPA2-PSK (TKIP). If slower speed occurs, change the security method to WPA/WPA2-PSK (AES). The encryption (security) scheme varies depending on the device. For details, refer to the operating instructions of your router/access point.
- If the sound is interrupted or noise is generated via a Wi-Fi connection, connect the speaker and wireless router via a LAN cable, not via Wi-Fi. If the quality still does not improve, also connect the computer and wireless router via a LAN cable.

Related Topic

- [Checking the Wi-Fi signal strength \(reception sensitivity\)](#)
- [Connection method 4: Connecting to a wired network](#)

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Playback does not start.

- Check that the speaker and the network device are connected to your home network.
- Check whether the audio file is improper or has been deleted from the server. Refer to the operating instructions of the server.
- The server tries to play the audio file in an audio format that the speaker does not support. Check the audio format information on the server.
- Disable the multicast control on the wireless router/access point. If it is enabled, it may take several minutes to output audio. For details, refer to the operating instructions of the wireless router/access point.
- Access from the speaker may not be permitted by the server. Change the settings on the server to allow access from the speaker. For details, refer to the operating instructions of the server.

Related Topic

- [DLNA \(Digital Living Network Alliance\)](#)

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The speaker cannot be found from an iPhone/iPod touch/iPad or computer with iTunes.

- Make sure the wireless router/access point is turned on.
- When the speaker is connected to a Wi-Fi network, place the wireless router/access point and the speaker closer together and perform the setup again.
- It takes about 1 minute for the speaker to acquire an IP address when the speaker is turned on in a communication environment without a router.
- If you use a fixed IP address, the same IP address may be used by other equipment. Therefore, use a different IP address.
- Make sure that the iPhone/iPod touch/iPad or computer with iTunes is connected to your home network.
- Before using with the speaker, update iOS and iTunes to the latest versions.

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Music started automatically.

- The speaker may be under the control of another component. To defeat the control, set the BLUETOOTH/Network standby function to off.

Related Topic

- [Using the BLUETOOTH/Network standby function](#)
- [Setting the auto standby function](#)

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There is no sound, or the sound skips during playback.

- Make sure that the iPhone/iPod touch/iPad or computer with iTunes is connected to your home network.
- The server is overloaded. Quit all unnecessary running applications.
- Wireless signal condition is poor. Stop using your microwave oven.
- The communication speed of the Wi-Fi network may become slower for IEEE802.11n-compliant wireless routers/access points if the security method is set to WEP or WPA/WPA2-PSK (TKIP). If slower speed occurs, change the security method to WPA/WPA2-PSK (AES). The encryption (security) scheme varies depending on the device. For details, refer to the operating instructions of your router/access point.
- If the sound is interrupted or noise is generated via a Wi-Fi connection, connect the speaker and wireless router via a LAN cable, not via Wi-Fi. If the quality still does not improve, also connect the computer and wireless router via a LAN cable.

Related Topic

- [Checking the Wi-Fi signal strength \(reception sensitivity\)](#)
- [Connection method 4: Connecting to a wired network](#)

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The speaker cannot be operated.

- Update the software version of the iPhone/iPod touch/iPad to the latest version.
- Update the software of the speaker to the latest version.
- Make sure another device is not streaming to the AirPlay compatible device at the same time.
- Update the "SongPal" software to the latest version.

Related Topic

[Updating the software](#)

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Unable to pair the speaker with a BLUETOOTH device

- Bring the speaker and the BLUETOOTH device to within 1 m (3 ft) of each other.
- If the (BLUETOOTH) indicator is not flashing quickly in white, tap and hold the (BLUETOOTH) (PAIRING) button until the speaker beeps and the (BLUETOOTH) indicator starts flashing quickly in white.
- Connect the speaker to an AC outlet or charge the battery of the speaker sufficiently.

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Unable to connect the speaker to a BLUETOOTH device with One-touch connection (NFC)

- Keep the smartphone close to the speaker until the smartphone reacts. If you fail to connect, move the smartphone slowly on the N-Mark of the speaker.
- Check that the NFC function of the smartphone is set to on.
- If the smartphone is in a case, remove it.
- NFC reception sensitivity varies, depending on the device. If you repeatedly fail to connect the speaker with a smartphone by one touch, make the connection by on-screen operation.
- Check that your smartphone is compatible with NFC. Look up information on the issue on the customer support website.

Related Topic

• [Compatible BLUETOOTH devices](#)

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There is no sound

- If you are connecting a personal computer to the speaker, make sure the audio output setting of the computer is set for a BLUETOOTH device.
- Check that the speaker has established BLUETOOTH connection with the BLUETOOTH device.
- Pair the speaker and the BLUETOOTH device again.

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Distorted sound/Humming or noise in the speaker output

- Bring the speaker and the BLUETOOTH device closer together. Remove any obstacles between the speaker and the BLUETOOTH device.
- Select "Priority on stable connection" for BLUETOOTH audio streaming playback quality.

Related Topic

- [Selecting the BLUETOOTH audio streaming playback quality](#)

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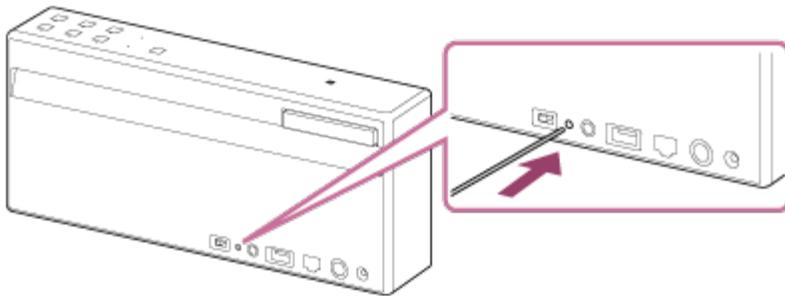
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Using the RESET button

If any of the followings occurs, push the RESET button on the rear of the speaker with a pointed object, such as a pin.

- The speaker cannot be turned on.
- The speaker cannot be operated even when it is turned on.
- The  (on/standby) indicator flashes in red.



After pushing the RESET button, turn on the speaker. If it does not turn on, consult your nearest Sony dealer.

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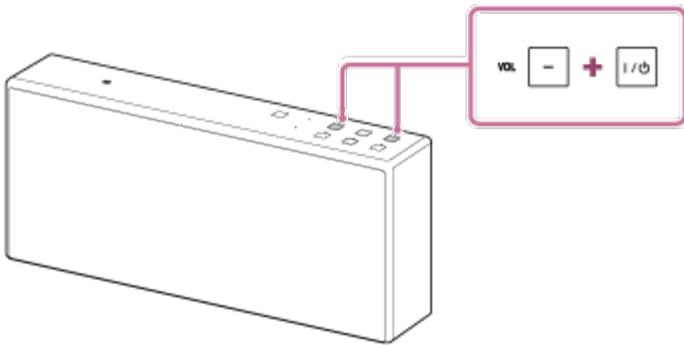
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Initializing the speaker

With the speaker turned on, press and hold the VOL (volume) – button and the | / ⏻ (on/standby) button at the same time for more than 5 seconds.

When the speaker receives the signal, the | / ⏻ (on/standby) button flashes in green quickly for about two seconds.



The speaker is initialized, and it enters the standby mode. All settings of the speaker return to their factory defaults. All the pairing information and all the network settings are deleted.

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Disposing of or giving away this speaker

- When disposing of or giving away this speaker, erase information from the speaker. Make sure you to initialize it to reset all settings to the factory defaults.
- If you use a network service such as music service, information about the speaker may be retained by the service provider. In this case, contact the network service provider to delete information of the speaker.

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- [Disposing of the speaker](#)
- [Initializing the speaker](#)

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