

User Guide

True Wireless Earbuds

TW-EF3A



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Read This First

Advantages of this product

This product is a set of wireless earbuds that connect to Bluetooth devices such as a portable music player or smartphone.

This product also features "LISTENING CARE", Yamaha's proprietary technology for reducing ear fatigue.

Supported codecs

This product supports SBC and AAC codecs.

■ Google Fast Pair

You can easily pair this product with your Android™ smartphone. Pairing is supported with Android devices that run Android OS 6.0 or later, or Google Play 11.7 or later.

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■ Multipoint connection

You can pair and connect this product to two Bluetooth devices simultaneously.

■ LISTENING CARE

This product features LISTENING CARE, which lets you enjoy rich sound quality even at a low volume. Focusing on the characteristics of the human ear where the low- and high-end sounds become harder to hear at lower volumes, as well as how things sound differently in different listening environments, this feature corrects the sound balance for the optimal sound to match the volume. By rendering a natural sound that's easy to listen to, this feature reduces the load on your ears caused by excessive levels.

CLEAR VOICE

Enabling CLEAR VOICE reproduces human voices with clarity, making them more discernible in content. This is recommended for movies and games with a lot of background music and sound effects.

■ GAMING MODE

This function also makes the audio and video sound more in sync, which is useful when you are watching a video or playing a game.

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Smartphone feature support

You can use this product to talk on the phone and start up the voice assistant while connected to this product.

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NOTE

When using GAMING MODE, the video/audio latency may change or the sound quality and connection stability may degrade, depending on the usage environment and how you wear the product.

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- "Multipoint connection (connecting to two devices at the same time)" (p.23)
- "Operations during audio playback" (p.26)
- "Starting the voice assistant" (p.29)

About the manuals

Three manuals (Safety Guide, QUICK REFERENCE GUIDE and User Guide) are available for users of this product. Be sure to read all manuals and keep them in a safe, accessible place for future reference.

Available manuals

Safety Guide (included)

This provides "Safety Precautions" that must be observed when using this product. Be sure to read them before using this product.

QUICK REFERENCE GUIDE (illustrations on product's inner box)

This illustrates how to immediately use the product after purchase.

User Guide (this guide)

This provides details on all functions. This guide is only available from our website.

• The precautions and other matters in this guide are classified as follows.



This content indicates "risk of injury."

NOTICE

Indicates points that you must observe in order to prevent product failure, damage or malfunction and data loss, as well as to protect the environment.

· NOTE

Indicates notes on instructions, restrictions on functions, and additional information that may be helpful.

NOTE

- The explanations in this guide are based on the latest specifications at the time of publication.
- The latest version (PDF) of each guide can be downloaded from the following website. https://download.yamaha.com/

Cautions regarding product handling

Please read the "Safety Guide" included with this product, and use caution regarding the following points.

Waterproof performance

The waterproof performance of this product are as shown below. Product failures caused by water ingress due to incorrect handling are not covered by the warranty.

Earbuds

- The waterproof performance of the body of these earbuds is compliant with IPX4 standards. This
 product will continue functioning even when exposed to water splashing from any direction (Earbud
 nozzle: Excluding the sound conduit).
- The waterproof performance of this product will not continue to last, and may degrade through regular use.

· Charging case

The charging case and the included USB power cable are not waterproof. Use caution regarding the following to avoid electric shock or product failure.

- Do not expose this product to liquids such as sweat, rainwater or seawater.
- Thoroughly wipe off any sweat, rainwater, seawater or other liquids that get on the earbuds before placing them back in the charging case.

About IPX

- IPX refers to a product's "liquid ingress protection" according to JIS C 0920 (the harmonized standard of IEC 60529), "Degrees of
 protection provided by enclosures (IP Code)".
- These are provisions that guarantee the performance of a product in fresh water or tap water at room temperature. This does
 not guarantee equivalent performance in warm water, seawater or the like.

About the charging performance

This product uses lithium-ion batteries in both the earbuds and in the charging case. Lithium-ion batteries are consumable items. To extend the life of the batteries as long as possible, use caution regarding the following.

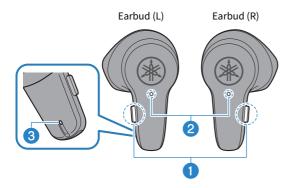
- If the product is not used for a long period of time, it may take longer to recharge the batteries.
- When storing the product for a long time, charge the product around once every six months to avoid excessive discharge.
- If the duration of the battery's charge is too short, it may have reached the end of its lifespan. Contact a Yamaha repair consulting center.
- Refer to the "Safety Guide" for details such as disposal methods.

When using this product for the first time

Accessories and part names

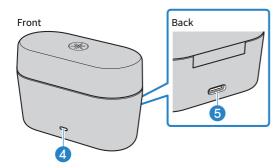
Make sure that all of the accessories are included with this product.

Earbuds



- Function key
- 2 Indicator
- 6 Microphone for phone calls

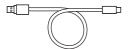
Charging case



- 4 Charging indicator
- 6 Charging connector

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USB power cable (30 cm (11-3/4 in); type A to C)



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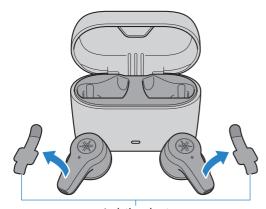


NOTE

- At the time of purchase, the earbuds are stored in the charging case.
- The charging case contains a battery for charging the earbuds.

Peeling off isolation sheets

Remove the earbuds from the charging case the first time you use this product, and peel off the isolation sheets found on each.



Isolation sheet

Charging and Powering

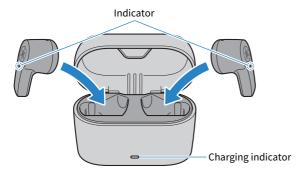
Charging the earbuds

Charge the earbuds before use by placing them in the charging case.



CAUTION

- The charging case is not waterproof. Thoroughly wipe off any sweat, rainwater, seawater or other liquids that get on the earbuds before placing them back in the charging case.
- Charge this product within a temperature range of 5 to 40 °C.



1 Open the charging case lid.

2 Place the earbuds in the charging case.

Make sure that the L and R earbuds are in their respective locations, and then firmly and fully insert them into the charging case.

The earbud indicators light up while charging, and turn off when charging is completed.

Charging takes about two hours.

If earbud charging does not begin after placing them in the charging case, make sure that the earbuds are correctly seated in their earbud storage compartments in the charging case.

NOTE

- Remove the earbuds from the charging case the first time you use this product, and peel off the isolation sheets found on each.
- If the charging case has no remaining battery power, the earbuds will not turn on when they are taken out of the charging case. If this happens, charge the charging case and then try charging and removing the earbuds again.
- You cannot connect the earbuds via Bluetooth or use them for playback while they are recharging.

Charging and Powering > Charging the earbuds

Related links

- "Remaining Battery Power" (p.16)
- "Specifications" (p.48)

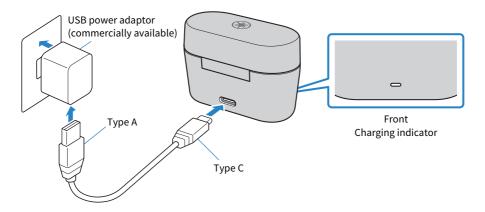
Charging the charging case

To charge the charging case, connect the included USB power adaptor.



CAUTION

- The charging case is not waterproof. Do not expose this product to liquids such as sweat, rainwater or seawater.
- Be sure to use the USB power cable that was included with this product.
- When using a USB power adaptor, be sure that the commercially-available adaptor is compatible with 5 V DC (at least 0.5 A)
 power output.
- When charging this product inside of China, be sure to use a USB power adaptor that is approved by CCC.
- Charge this product within a temperature range of 5 to 40 °C.



- 1 Plug the USB power cable (type C side) into the charging case.
- 2 Plug the USB power cable (type A side) into the USB power adaptor.
- 3 Plug the USB power adaptor into the power outlet.

After the remaining battery power of the charging case has been indicated, charging begins. Charging takes about two hours.

The charging case indicator flashes while charging and is lit when charging is completed.

NOTE

- You can also charge the earbuds while the charging case is charging.
- You can charge from the USB port on your computer instead of using a USB power adaptor.

Related links

"Remaining Battery Power" (p.16)

Turning on the power

Once you remove the earbuds from the charging case, the earbuds will turn on.

1 Remove the earbuds from the charging case.

The indicators light up as shown below, and the power turns on.



NOTE

- If the earbuds do not turn on after removing them from the charging case or if they had already been removed from the charging case, hold down the function keys on earbuds (L) and (R) for about three seconds to turn on the earbuds.
- When an earbud is low on battery power, its indicator flashes three times when you turn the earbud on. If this happens, charge the earbud.
- If the charging case has no remaining battery power, the earbuds will not turn on when they are taken out of the charging case. If this happens, charge the charging case and then try charging and removing the earbuds again.

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Turning off the power

Placing the earbuds back into the charging case turns them off.

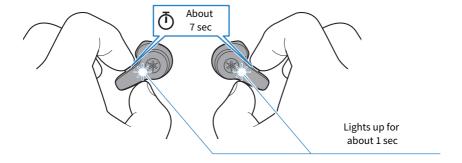
1 Place the earbuds in the charging case.

The earbuds will turn off and enter charging mode.



NOTE

To turn off the earbuds without placing them back into the charging case, hold down the function keys on earbuds (L) and (R) for about seven seconds. The "Power Off" audio message plays in the earbuds, and the indicators will display as shown below.



Remaining Battery Power

Earbuds

After this product is turned on, the audio message in the earbuds tells you how much battery power is left.

- · Audio messages:
 - · Battery High: plenty of charge remaining
 - · Battery Medium: moderate charge remaining
 - · Battery Low: small amount of charge remaining

Charging case

After placing the earbuds in the charging case, the indicator on the charging case indicates the remaining battery power as shown below.

Remaining battery power	Indicator
20% or more	Lights up for about three seconds
Less than 20%	Flashes for about three seconds
0%	Not lit

Related links

- "Charging the earbuds" (p.11)
- "Charging the charging case" (p.13)

Bluetooth® Connectivity

Pairing and Connecting for the First Time

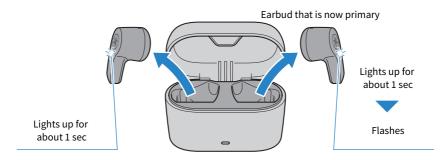
When first connecting this product to a Bluetooth device (such as a smartphone), follow the steps below to pair (register) this product with that device.

NOTE

- Remove the earbuds from the charging case the first time you use this product, and peel off the isolation sheets found on each.
- You can use Google Fast Pair (described afterwards) to easily pair this product with your Android smartphone.

1 Remove the earbuds from the charging case.

The earbuds turn on, and a sound effect plays when they are connected to each other. Next, either the left or right earbud becomes the primary earbud and enters pairing standby mode. Then, the earbud indicators light up as shown below, and the "Pairing" audio message plays.



NOTE

The illustrated example shows earbud (R) as the primary earbud. The primary earbud is automatically determined based on the remaining battery power. It is not important whether earbud (L) or earbud (R) becomes the primary earbud.

2 Activate Bluetooth on your Bluetooth device (such as a smartphone).

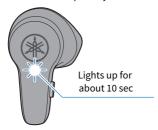
A list of Bluetooth devices that can be connected will be shown.

3 Select this product from the list on your Bluetooth device.



Once connected, the indicator on the primary earbud lights up as shown below. You will hear the "Connected" audio message in the earbud.

Earbud that is now primary



This completes pairing and connection. Play music on your Bluetooth device and check if you can hear sound from the earbuds.

Connecting using Google Fast Pair



You can easily pair this product with your Android smartphone.

Pairing is supported with Android devices running Android OS 6.0/Google Play 11.7 or later.

1 Activate Bluetooth on your Android device.

2 Remove earbud (L) and (R) from the charging case and bring them near your Android device.

A notification will be shown on your Android device.

3 Tap the notification on your Android device.

The device will then finish pairing with this product.

The indicator on the primary earbud lights up for about 10 seconds, and the "Connected" audio message plays.

NOTE

To use Google Fast Pair, you'll need to configure your Google account and connect to a network.

■ How can I disconnect the Bluetooth device?

Disconnect using one of the following methods.

- Place the earbuds back into the charging case, or manually turn off the earbuds.
- Deactivate Bluetooth on the Bluetooth device.
- Delete the device from the list of Bluetooth devices that can be connected (pairing is required to reconnect).

■ After disconnecting, can I reconnect?

After activating Bluetooth on the device you want to connect, remove the earbuds from the charging case. The earbuds automatically connect to the last Bluetooth device to which they were connected.

NOTE

- Pairing standby mode will automatically end on this product after about two minutes. To pair again or if the connection was unsuccessful, place the earbuds back into the charging case and start again at step 1.
- If earbuds (L) and (R) do not automatically connect, one earbud will not output sound. When this happens, place the earbuds back into the charging case, and then take them out again.
- This product cannot be paired with devices that require a passkey when pairing, as this feature is unsupported.

Related links

- "Pairing and Connecting with a Different Device" (p.20)
- "Using only one of the earbuds" (p.40)

Pairing and Connecting with a Different Device

Follow the steps below to pair with another Bluetooth device, or to try pairing with the same device again.

NOTE

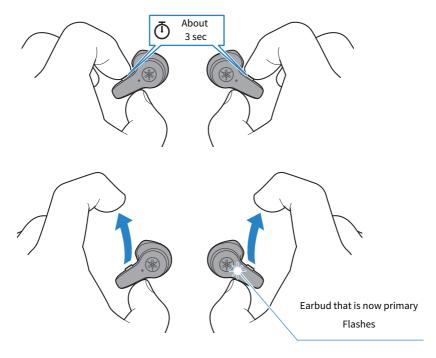
Up to four Bluetooth devices can be registered with this product. If you pair a device beyond the maximum number, the information for device you first paired (the oldest pairing) will be deleted.

1 Remove the earbuds from the charging case.

The earbuds will turn on.

With earbuds (L) and (R) turned on, hold down the function keys on earbuds (L) and (R) at the same time for about three seconds.

Either earbud (L) or (R) will be the primary earbud, and its indicator alternately flashes while you hear the message "Pairing". This means that the earbud is in pairing standby mode.



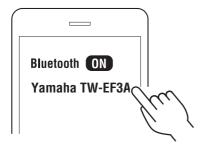
NOTE

- The illustrated example shows earbud (R) as the primary earbud. The primary earbud is automatically determined based on the remaining battery power. It is not important whether earbud (L) or earbud (R) becomes the primary earbud.
- Google Fast Pair can also be used to connect.

3 Activate Bluetooth on your Bluetooth device (such as a smartphone).

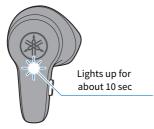
A list of Bluetooth devices that can be connected will be shown.

4 Select this product from the list on your Bluetooth device.



Once connected, the indicator on the primary earbud lights up as shown below. You will hear the "Connected" audio message in the earbud.

Earbud that is now primary



This completes pairing and connection. Play music on your Bluetooth device and check if you can hear sound from the earbuds.

To pair with additional devices, repeat steps 1 through 4.

■ How can I disconnect the Bluetooth device?

Disconnect using one of the following methods.

- Place the earbuds back into the charging case, or manually turn off the earbuds.
- Deactivate Bluetooth on the Bluetooth device.
- Delete the device from the list of Bluetooth devices that can be connected (pairing is required to reconnect).

■ After disconnecting, can I reconnect?

After activating Bluetooth on the device you want to connect, remove the earbuds from the charging case. The earbuds automatically connect to the last Bluetooth device to which they were connected.

Bluetooth® Connectivity > Pairing and Connecting with a Different Device

NOTE

- Pairing standby mode will automatically end on this product after about two minutes. To pair again or if the connection was
 unsuccessful, go back to step 1.
- If earbuds (L) and (R) do not automatically connect, one earbud will not output sound. When this happens, place the earbuds back into the charging case, and then take them out again.
- This product cannot be paired with devices that require a passkey when pairing, as this feature is unsupported.
- This product supports Multipoint connection, which lets you connect to two Bluetooth devices at the same time.

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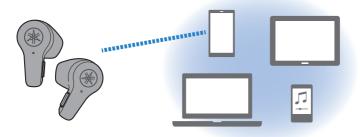
- "Pairing and Connecting for the First Time" (p.17)
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- "Using only one of the earbuds" (p.40)

Usage hints (when paired with multiple Bluetooth devices)

When paired with multiple Bluetooth devices, the earbuds can be used in the following ways.

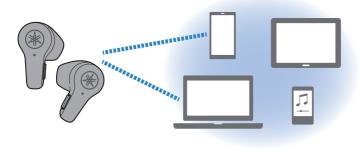
- . Connecting and using with any one Bluetooth device
 - In this case, disconnect all Bluetooth devices other than the one that you want to connect to.

Connection with one of the paired Bluetooth devices



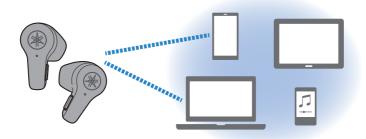
- . Connecting and using with any two Bluetooth devices at the same time (Multipoint connection)
 - For details, refer to "Multipoint connection (connecting to two devices at the same time)" (p.23).

Connection with two of the paired Bluetooth devices at the same time



Multipoint connection (connecting to two devices at the same time)

This product features Multipoint connection, which lets you connect the product to two Bluetooth devices to which it has been paired at the same time. For instance, this is useful when you want to use this product to listen to music on your computer, while being able to receive phone calls on your smartphone.



Connection with two of the paired Bluetooth devices at the same time

For a Multipoint connection, pair (register) this product beforehand with the two Bluetooth devices to which you wish to connect.

Steps for Multipoint connection

Here are the operations for establishing a Multipoint connection.

1 Remove the earbuds from the charging case.

The earbuds will turn on.

2 Activate Bluetooth on the first Bluetooth device you want to connect to. When Yamaha TW-EF3A appears in the list of devices that can be connected, select it to connect.

If the device is already connected, this step is not necessary.

Activate Bluetooth on the second Bluetooth device you want to connect to. When Yamaha TW-EF3A appears in the list of devices that can be connected, select it to connect.

■ Canceling the Multipoint connection

To cancel the Multipoint connection, disconnect from the Bluetooth devices.

Bluetooth® Connectivity > Multipoint connection (connecting to two devices at the same time)

NOTE

- You can connect to up to two Bluetooth devices that support Multipoint connection at the same time. Before connecting to a different Bluetooth device, disconnect one of the previously connected Bluetooth devices.
- Either device that's connected can be used to play music, but music cannot be played from both devices at the same time.
- If you put the earbuds back into the charging case after establishing a Multipoint connection and then take the earbuds out of the
 case again, the earbuds automatically connect to both devices to which they were connected. When connecting to a different
 Bluetooth device, disconnect one of the previously connected Bluetooth devices.
- The operations for Multipoint connection vary depending on your Bluetooth device. We do not guarantee that these operations will work on all Bluetooth devices. See the user's manual of your Bluetooth device for details.
- The connection to the second device may be interrupted when you use the first device, depending on the connected device.
- The earbuds may not operate correctly with some apps and software. If they do not work correctly, operate using the connected device.

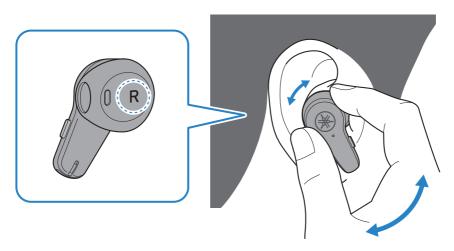
Related links

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- "Pairing and Connecting with a Different Device" (p.20)
- "Using only one of the earbuds" (p.40)

Wearing This Product

Putting on the earbuds

Check the markings on the L (left) and R (right) earbuds to make sure they are worn in the correct ear. Rotate the earbuds slowly to adjust them so that they fit well in your ears after you put them on.





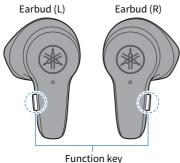
CAUTION

- Do not forcibly press on or move the earbuds once you've put them on. Doing this may damage your ears.
- Your ears may feel tired depending on how the earbuds fit. If you notice any skin problems after coming into direct contact with this product, stop using this product immediately. If the problem does not improve, consult with a physician.

Operation (Audio Playback and Phone Calls)

Operations during audio playback

The function keys on the earbuds can be used for the following operations.



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Volume controls

- Turn the volume up
 Press the function key on earbud (R) two times in a row.
- Turn the volume down
 Press the function key on earbud (L) two times in a row.

Playing back audio

- Pause/play
 Press the function key on earbud (L) once.
- Skip to the next track
 While music is playing, hold down the function key on earbud (R) for about one second.
- Go back to the beginning of the track (while in the middle of the track), or back to the previous track (when at the beginning of a track)

While music is playing, hold down the function key on earbud (L) for about one second.

The operation may differ, depending on the Bluetooth device or app you use.

Switching between playback devices (with Multipoint connection)

While music is playing on the first connected device during a Multipoint connection, music playback will automatically switch by simply performing music playback operations on the second connected device.

CLEAR VOICE

Enabling CLEAR VOICE reproduces human voices with clarity, making them more discernible in content. This is recommended for movies and games with a lot of background music and sound effects.

1 Press the function key on earbud (R) once.

Each press of the function key switches between activating and deactivating the function.

CLEAR VOICE → OFF → back to CLEAR VOICE

- When CLEAR VOICE is activated: A sound effect plays.
- When CLEAR VOICE is deactivated: The "Off" audio message plays.

GAMING MODE

This function also makes the audio and video sound more in sync, which is useful when you are watching a video or playing a game.

1 Press the function key on the earbud (R) three times in a row.

Pressing the function key three times in a row switches between activating and deactivating the function.

GAMING MODE → OFF → back to GAMING MODE

- When GAMING MODE is activated: The "Gaming On" audio message plays.
- When GAMING MODE is deactivated: The "Gaming Off" audio message plays.

NOTE

- When using Multipoint connection, either device that's connected can be used to play music, but music cannot be played from both devices at the same time.
- By default, CLEAR VOICE and GAMING MODE are deactivated.
- CLEAR VOICE and GAMING MODE cannot be used during a phone call.
- When connecting to a device (such as a smartphone) on which the volume can be adjusted, you can also adjust the volume using that device.
- To select a song for playback, operate the connected device.
- You can listen to music from a paired Bluetooth device by removing only one earbud from the charging case and putting it on.

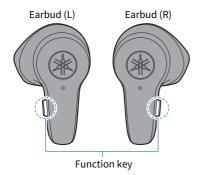
 When only one earbud is used, it may not be possible to operate some functions, depending on which earbud you are using. In that case, perform operations from the Bluetooth device.

Related links

"Using only one of the earbuds" (p.40)

Talking on the phone

When connecting to a Bluetooth device, you can talk, adjust the volume and so on using this product. Operate this product as follows.



Operations can be performed using either earbud (L) or (R).

Receive a phone call	When a phone call comes in, press the function key once.
End a phone call	During the phone call, hold down the function key for about one second.
Ignore a call	When a phone call comes in, hold down the function key for about one second.
Turn the volume up	During the phone call, press the function key three times in a row.
Turn the volume down	During the phone call, press the function key two times in a row.

Switching between connected devices (with Multipoint connection)

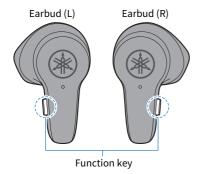
- When music is playing on the first connected device, answer the phone call coming in using the other connected device (such as a smartphone).
 - The music that was playing on the first device is automatically paused. Once the ringtone plays through the earbuds, press the function key of either earbud (L) or (R) once, or operate the connected device (such as a smartphone) receiving the call.
- While on a phone call using the first connected device (such as a smartphone), a phone call coming in on the other connected device (such as a smartphone) can be answered.
 - Once the ringtone plays while you are on a phone call, operate the first connected device that was being used for a phone call (such as by placing the caller on hold or hanging up the phone), and then press the function key of either earbud (L) or (R) once, or operate the connected device (such as a smartphone) receiving the call.

NOTE

- When a call is coming in, any music being played will pause. Audio playback will automatically resume when the call ends or you
 ignore the call.
- You can be on a phone call using only one earbud by removing only one earbud from the charging case and putting it on. During
 the call, you can operate only one earbud.
- While using Multipoint connection, you cannot be on more than one phone call at a time or play music while on a phone call.

Starting the voice assistant

If connecting this product to a Bluetooth device that supports the use of Siri, Google Assistant or similar features, you can control the voice assistant with this product.



Voice assistant operations

- Start voice assistant
 Press the function key on the earbud (L) three times in a row.
- Stop voice assistant
 Press the function key on the earbud (L) three times in a row.

Voice assistant volume operations

- Turn the volume up
 Press the function key on earbud (R) two times in a row.
- Turn the volume down
 Press the function key on earbud (L) two times in a row.

NOTE

The operations for the voice assistant feature will vary depending on your Bluetooth device. See the user's manual of your Bluetooth device for details.

Troubleshooting

Read this first

If this product does not operate normally while you are using it, first check the following.

After putting the earbuds back into the charging case, wait for at least 10 seconds and then take them out again.

If this does not solve the problem, initialize (factory reset) the earbuds.

• "Initializing (performing a factory reset)" (p.41)

• Make sure that this product has been sufficiently charged.

- · "Charging the earbuds" (p.11)
- · "Charging the charging case" (p.13)

• Check the following items according to the trouble you are experiencing.

- "Cannot pair/connect" (p.31)
- "Power will not turn on" (p.33)
- "The product cannot be charged" (p.34)
- "The product does not operate or play back" (p.35)
- "No sound can be heard" (p.36)
- "Sound can only be heard from one earbud" (p.37)
- · "Sound is not good or sounds strange" (p.38)
- "The sound is distorted, noisy or choppy" (p.39)
- "Using only one of the earbuds" (p.40)
- "Initializing (performing a factory reset)" (p.41)

Cannot pair/connect

If the earbuds and a Bluetooth device (such as a smartphone) cannot connect, try the following operations.

- After placing the earbuds into the charging case, take them out again.
 - "Pairing and Connecting for the First Time" (p.17)
- After deleting the information for this product from the list of Bluetooth devices that can be connected, try
 pairing again.
 - "Pairing and Connecting with a Different Device" (p.20)
- Check if the Bluetooth device is connected to another device. If it is connected, disconnect that other device, and then connect to this product.
 - "Pairing and Connecting with a Different Device" (p.20)
- Check the setting on the Bluetooth device. Turn Bluetooth on, and then connect with this product. "Pairing and Connecting with a Different Device" (p.20)
- When attempting to pair more than four Bluetooth devices with this product, the information for the oldest paired device is deleted. Pair this product once more.
 - "Pairing and Connecting with a Different Device" (p.20)
- Move this product within one meter of the Bluetooth device.
- Do not use this product near other devices that emit electromagnetic waves.
- This product cannot be paired with Bluetooth devices that require a passkey for pairing, as this feature is unsupported.

Multipoint connection unavailable

If a Multipoint connection is unavailable, try the following operations.

- You can connect to up to two Bluetooth devices that support Multipoint connection at the same time.
 When connecting a third Bluetooth device, disconnect one of the previously connected Bluetooth devices.
 "Multipoint connection (connecting to two devices at the same time)" (p.23)
- If the information for this product still remains in the list of connected devices on your Bluetooth device, delete that information and try pairing again.
 - "Pairing and Connecting with a Different Device" (p.20)
 - "Multipoint connection (connecting to two devices at the same time)" (p.23)

Power will not turn on

If the earbuds cannot be turned on, there may be no remaining battery power, or they have become inoperable for some reason. Try the following operations.

- · Charge the earbuds.
 - "Charging the earbuds" (p.11)
- · Charge the charging case.
 - "Charging the charging case" (p.13)
 - "Turning on the power" (p.14)
- After putting the earbuds back into the charging case, wait for at least 10 seconds and then take them out again. If this does not solve the problem, initialize (factory reset) the earbuds.
 - "Initializing (performing a factory reset)" (p.41)

The product cannot be charged

If the earbuds or charging case cannot be charged, try the following operations.

- When charging with a computer, turn on the computer to charge this product.
- Use the included USB power cable to make sure the product correctly charges.
- The earbuds will not charge if they are not properly seated in the charging case. Use your fingertips to
 lightly slide the earbuds from side to side and store them in the proper position within their storage
 compartments, and make sure that the earbud indicators are lit.
 - "Charging the earbuds" (p.11)
- The earbuds may not charge correctly if there is any dust or dirt on the surfaces where the earbuds and the charging connectors in the charging case come into contact. Use a dry and soft cloth, a cotton swab or similar material to wipe these surfaces off before charging.

The product does not operate or play back

If the earbuds do not operate or play back, try the following operations.

- The earbuds cannot be used while they are charging. Use the earbuds after charging is finished.
- If the earbuds have no remaining battery power, charge them before operating them.
 - "Charging the earbuds" (p.11)
 - "Charging the charging case" (p.13)
- After putting the earbuds back into the charging case, wait for at least 10 seconds and then take them out again. If this does not solve the problem, initialize (factory reset) the earbuds.
 - "Initializing (performing a factory reset)" (p.41)

No sound can be heard

If no sound is output from the earbuds, try the following operations.

- After pairing, connect the earbuds and the Bluetooth device.
 - "Pairing and Connecting for the First Time" (p.17)
 - "Pairing and Connecting with a Different Device" (p.20)
 - "Multipoint connection (connecting to two devices at the same time)" (p.23)
- · Raise the volume.
 - "Operations during audio playback" (p.26)
 - "Talking on the phone" (p.28)
- · Start playback.
 - "Operations during audio playback" (p.26)

Sound can only be heard from one earbud

If no sound is output from one earbud, try the following operations.

- Place both earbuds into the charging case, and then remove the earbuds again before operating them.
 "Turning on the power" (p.14)
- Move away from wireless devices such as access points, or appliances that produce electromagnetic waves such as microwave ovens. After placing both earbuds into the charging case, take them out again.
- Confirm that sound played back from a different app on the Bluetooth device can be heard from both earbuds.
- Delete the connection information of this product from the Bluetooth device, and then pair the earbuds with the Bluetooth device.
 - "Pairing and Connecting with a Different Device" (p.20)

Sound is not good or sounds strange

If the sound is not good or sounds strange, try the following operations.

• Be sure to wear the earbuds properly. Check that the left (L) and right (R) earbuds are worn on the correct sides.

"Putting on the earbuds" (p.25)





The sound is distorted, noisy or choppy

If the sound is distorted or otherwise abnormal, try the following operations.

- Move away from wireless devices such as access points, or appliances that produce electromagnetic
 waves such as microwave ovens.
- Try placing the connected Bluetooth device as close to this product as you can.
- Devices with wireless network connectivity may transmit signals that obstruct Bluetooth communications. In this case, turn off the wireless network connectivity feature on your Bluetooth device.
- After putting the earbuds back into the charging case, wait for at least 10 seconds and then take them out again. If this does not solve the problem, initialize (factory reset) the earbuds.
 "Initializing (performing a factory reset)" (p.41)
- Deactivate GAMING MODE. When using GAMING MODE, the video/audio latency may change or the sound
 quality and connection stability may degrade, depending on the usage environment and how you wear
 the product.
 - "Operations during audio playback" (p.26)

Using only one of the earbuds

This product allows you to wear only one earbud. Be aware of the following when using this product in this way.

- Pair the earbud you want to use with the Bluetooth device.
 When doing this, note the following.
 - This product does not offer a function to convert stereo sound to monaural sound. Check whether such a function is available on the Bluetooth device to be connected.
- When only one earbud is used to play back music, it may not be possible to operate some functions, depending on which earbud you are using. In that case, perform operations from the Bluetooth device.
 "Operations during audio playback" (p.26)
- When using only one earbud on a phone call, either earbud can operate all functions. "Talking on the phone" (p.28)

Initializing (performing a factory reset)

Follow the steps below to initialize (perform a factory reset on) this product.

Initializing (performing a factory reset)

This will restore all of the earbud settings to their factory defaults. The information for devices registered (paired) will be deleted.

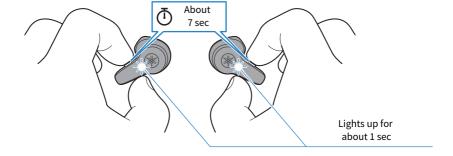
1 Remove earbuds (L) and (R) from the charging case.

The indicators light up for about one second.



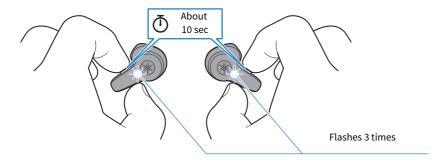
2 Hold down the function keys on earbuds (L) and (R) for about seven seconds to turn off the earbuds.

Make sure that the indicator lights up as shown below.



3 After the earbuds have been turned off, hold down the function keys on earbuds (L) and (R) for about 10 seconds.

Make sure that the indicator lights up as shown below.



4 Place earbuds (L) and (R) in the charging case.

The earbuds are now initialized (factory reset).

NOTE

Initializing the earbuds (performing a factory reset) restores all of the earbud settings to their factory defaults. As this deletes all information for devices registered (paired), you must register (pair) the devices again.

Related links

"Pairing and Connecting for the First Time" (p.17)

List of support centers

If the trouble still cannot be solved, please contact us for product support as shown below.

For customers within Japan

• Please contact the store where you purchased this product, or the Product Support Center as listed in the "Safety Guide" included with this product.

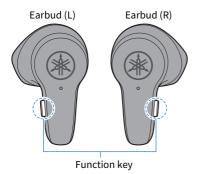
For customers outside of Japan

• Please contact your nearest authorized Yamaha dealer or service center. https://manual.yamaha.com/av/support/

List of operations and indications

List of operations

The main operations of this product are as shown below.



Charging and Powering

Power on

- Remove earbuds (L) and (R) from the charging case.
- Hold down the function keys on earbuds (L) and (R) for about three seconds.

Power off

- Place earbuds (L) and (R) into the charging case.
- Hold down the function keys on earbuds (L) and (R) for about seven seconds.

Volume controls (during audio playback and voice assistant operations)

Volume up

Press the function key on earbud (R) two times in a row.

Volume down

Press the function key on earbud (L) two times in a row.

Volume controls (during a phone call)

Volume up

Press the function key on either earbud (L) or (R) three times in a row.

Volume down

Press the function key on either earbud (L) or (R) two times in a row.

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Operations during audio playback

Pause/play

Press the function key on earbud (L) once.

Skip to the next track

Hold down the function key on earbud (R) for about one second.

Go back to the beginning of the song, or skip to the previous song

Hold down the function key on earbud (L) for about one second.

Selecting the modes

Activating/deactivating CLEAR VOICE

Press the function key on earbud (R) once.

Activating/deactivating GAMING MODE

Press the function key on earbud (R) three times in a row.

Operations while on a phone call

Receive a phone call

When a phone call comes in, press the function key on either earbud (L) or (R) once.

End a phone call

During the phone call, hold down the function key on either earbud (L) or (R) for about one second.

Ignore a call

When a phone call comes in, hold down the function key on either earbud (L) or (R) for about one second.

Other operations

Start pairing

With earbuds (L) and (R) turned on, hold down the function keys on earbuds (L) and (R) at the same time for about three seconds.

Starting/stopping voice assistant

Press the function key on earbud (L) three times in a row.

List of indicator displays and audio messages

The indicator displays and audio messages on this product are shown below.

Earbud indicator display

Status	Indication
Power on	Lights up for about one second, then turns off
Power off	Lights up for about one second, then turns off (when the earbuds are turned off with their function keys)
Standby mode for pairing with Bluetooth device	Flashes (only the primary earbud)
Searching for paired Bluetooth device	Not lit
Finished connecting to Bluetooth device	Lights up (for about 10 seconds), then turns off (only the primary earbud)
Charging	Lights up
Charging completed	Not lit

Charging case indicator display

Status		Indication
When the charging case is not connected to a power source		Indicates the remaining battery power after placing the earbuds in the charging case, and then lights up for about three seconds, then turns off
When the charging case is connected to a power source	Charging	Flashes
	Charging completed	Lights up

Audio messages

Status	Indication
Battery High	Plenty of battery charge remaining
Battery Medium	Moderate battery charge remaining
Battery Low	Small amount of battery charge remaining
Power Off	Power off
Pairing	Start pairing (device registration)
Pairing Failed	Pairing unsuccessful
Connected	Finished connecting to Bluetooth device
Disconnected	Disconnected from Bluetooth device
Off	CLEAR VOICE disabled
Gaming On	GAMING MODE enabled
Gaming Off	GAMING MODE disabled

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Related links

- "Charging the earbuds" (p.11)
- "Charging the charging case" (p.13)
- "Turning on the power" (p.14)
- "Turning off the power" (p.15)
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- "Multipoint connection (connecting to two devices at the same time)" (p.23)

Appendix

Specifications

The specifications of this product are as shown below.

- Driver type
 - In-ear type
- Driver unit
 - 13.0 mm
- Playback frequency range
 - 40 Hz-19,000 Hz
- Bluetooth version
 - 5.3
- · Supported profiles
 - A2DP, AVRCP, HFP, HSP
- Supported codecs
 - SBC, AAC
- Supported content protection
 - SCMS-T
- · RF output power
 - Class 1
- Maximum communication range 10 m (without obstructions)
- Maximum number of pairable devices
 - 4

Microphone for phone calls

- Driver type MEMS
- Directivity
 - Omnidirectional
- Frequency range 100 Hz-10,000 Hz

Rechargeable battery

- Internal rechargeable battery Lithium-ion battery
- Charging time (to full capacity)
 Earbuds: approx. 2 hours
 Charging case: approx. 2 hours
- Continuous playback time Approx. 10 hours maximum
- Added playback time when charged in the case Approx. 16 hours maximum
- Continuous playback time after 10 minutes of charging Approx. 1 hour
- Temperature range for usage (when charging)
 5–40 °C
 Charge this product within the listed temperature range.

General

- Waterproof rating IPX4 (earbuds)
- Weight5.9 g (each earbud)
- * The contents of this User Guide apply to the latest specifications as of the publishing date. For the latest version of the User Guide, refer to the Yamaha website.

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