Bose® A20® Aviation Headset
Quick Reference Guide

Please read the Important Safety Instructions enclosed in the carton.

Bluetooth® control module

Conventional control module

Left/Right Intercom Volume controls
Power indicator
Power button

Bluetooth indicator
Bluetooth multi-function button

Secondary Audio Mode selector:
Mute
Intercom prioritized over secondary sources
Mix
Intercom mixed with secondary source(s)
Off
Intercom only

Auxiliary (AUX) audio input

Installing the batteries

1. Press down firmly on the finger indent and slide the battery cover down. The cover is tethered to the module. Do not attempt to detach it.

2. Insert two alkaline AA batteries into the control module, observing proper polarity.

   Warning: Replace batteries with alkaline batteries only. Do not use any other battery chemistries.
The operation switches
The operation switches are located inside the battery compartment.

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<th>Operation Switch</th>
<th>Purpose</th>
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<td><strong>PRIORITY</strong></td>
<td>Establishes priority between two secondary audio sources. Select BT to give the Bluetooth (wireless) connection higher priority. Select AUX to give the wired connection higher priority. See “Setting the Priority (BT-AUX) switch” on page 25 in the owner’s guide.</td>
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<td>(Available for Bluetooth headsets)</td>
<td>BT - AUX PRIORITY</td>
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<td><strong>INTERCOM</strong></td>
<td>For most configurations, set at the factory for mono audio systems (to provide audio in both ears). Set it to stereo (ST) if your aircraft has a stereo intercom.</td>
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<td>(Available for headset configurations that support two-channel or stereo intercom systems)</td>
<td>INTERCOM MON - ST</td>
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<td><strong>AUTO ON</strong></td>
<td>Set at the factory to enable the Auto On function. The headset will turn on when aircraft power is available. To disable Auto On, set the switch to OFF. With the switch in OFF position, the user must manually turn the headset on.</td>
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<td>AUTO ON ON - OFF</td>
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<td><strong>AUTO OFF</strong></td>
<td>Set at the factory to enable the Auto Off function. The headset will turn off after three to nine minutes of inactivity. To disable Auto Off, set the switch to OFF. With the switch in OFF position, the user must manually turn the headset off.</td>
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Pairing the headset with a Bluetooth® device
1. Press ( ) to turn on the headset. Make sure the Secondary Audio Mode selector is in the MUTE or MIX position (not in the OFF position).

   The power indicator glows green or yellow, depending on the charge level of the battery. (If the light is red, the battery is low and needs replacing.)

   **Note:** The first time you turn on the headset, it will automatically go into pairing mode and the Bluetooth indicator will flash purple. This will only happen the first time you turn on the headset.

2. Locate the Bluetooth menu on your device and make sure the Bluetooth feature is ON.

   Select Bose A20 from the Bluetooth device list.

   The Bluetooth indicator flashes purple when the headset is in pairing mode, and flashes blue when the devices are connecting.

   To pair another device, press and hold ( ) for one second to put the headset into pairing mode. Then repeat the steps above.

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