NOISE CANCELLING HEADPHONES 700 UC
Please read and keep all safety and use instructions.

Important Safety Instructions
1. Read these instructions.
2. Keep these instructions.
3. Heed all warnings.
4. Follow all instructions.
5. Do not use this apparatus near water.
6. Clean only with a dry cloth.
7. Only use attachments/accessories specified by the manufacturer.
8. Refer all servicing to qualified personnel. Servicing is required when the apparatus has been damaged in any way, such as power-supply cord or plug is damaged, liquid has been spilled or objects have fallen into the apparatus, the apparatus has been exposed to rain or moisture, does not operate normally, or has been dropped.

WARNINGS/CAUTIONS
• Do NOT use the headphones at a high volume for any extended period.
  – To avoid hearing damage, use your headphones at a comfortable, moderate volume level.
  – Turn the volume down on your device before placing the headphones on your ears, then turn the volume up gradually until you reach a comfortable listening level.
• Do NOT use your headphones while driving for phone calls or any other purpose.
• Do NOT use the headphones with noise canceling on at any time the inability to hear surrounding sounds may present a danger to yourself or others, e.g., while riding a bicycle or walking in or near traffic, a construction site or railroad, etc., and follow applicable laws regarding headphone use.
  – Remove the headphones, or use the headphones with noise cancelling off and adjust your volume, to ensure you can hear surrounding sounds, including alarms and warning signals.
  – Be aware of how sounds that you rely on as reminders or warnings may vary in character when using the headphones.
• Do NOT use the headphones if they emit any loud unusual noise. If this happens, turn the headphones off and contact Bose customer service.
• Remove headphones immediately if you experience a warming sensation or loss of audio.
• Do NOT use mobile phone adapters to connect headphones to airplane seat jacks, as this could result in injury or property damage due to overheating.
Do NOT use the headphones as aviation communication headsets except in case of emergency.

- No incoming audio will be heard with a discharged or improperly installed battery. This could result in the potential of missed communications while piloting an aircraft.

- Extremely loud ambient noise levels common to many propeller-driven aircraft may impair your ability to receive incoming audio communications, particularly during takeoff and climb out.

- The headphones are not engineered for noise conditions, altitude, temperature or other environmental conditions common in non-commercial aircraft, resulting in possible interference to critical communications.

Contains small parts which may be a choking hazard. Not suitable for children under age 3.

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- To reduce the risk of fire or electrical shock, do NOT expose this product to rain, liquids or moisture.

- Do NOT expose this product to dripping or splashing, and do not place objects filled with liquids, such as vases, on or near the product.

- Do NOT make unauthorized alterations to this product.

- Use this product only with an agency-approved power supply that meets local regulatory requirements (e.g., UL, CSA, VDE, CCC).

- Do not expose products containing batteries to excessive heat (e.g. from storage in direct sunlight, fire or the like).

- Do NOT wear the headphones while charging.

- The headphones do not play audio while charging.
NOTE: This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class B digital device, pursuant to Part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference in a residential installation. This equipment generates, uses, and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instructions, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation. If this equipment does cause harmful interference to radio or television reception, which can be determined by turning the equipment off and on, the user is encouraged to try to correct the interference by one or more of the following measures:

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

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This device complies with part 15 of the FCC Rules and with Industry Canada license-exempt RSS standard(s). Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) This device may not cause harmful interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

This device complies with FCC and Industry Canada radiation exposure limits set forth for general population. This transmitter must not be co-located or operating in conjunction with any other antenna or transmitter.

CAN ICES-3 (B)/NMB-3(B)

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For Europe:

Frequency band of operation 2400 to 2483.5 MHz:

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Management Regulation for Low-power Radio-frequency Devices

Article XII

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Article XIV

The low power radio-frequency devices shall not influence aircraft security and interfere legal communications; If found, the user shall cease operating immediately until no interference is achieved. The said legal communications means radio communications operated in compliance with the Telecommunications Act.

The low power radio-frequency devices must be susceptible with the interference from legal communications or ISM radio wave radiated devices.

Product type: Specific small output wireless devices (wireless devices for wireless data communication systems).
Certification number R-C-BFM-423352, Model number 423352 (headphones), 434489 (Bose USB Link)
**REGULATORY INFORMATION**

**DON’T** attempt to remove the rechargeable lithium-ion battery from this product. Contact your local Bose retailer or other qualified professional for removal.

**Please dispose of used batteries properly, following local regulations.** Do not incinerate.

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- Bose Noise Cancelling Headphones 700 UC
- Carry case
- Bose USB Link
- USB-C to USB-A cable
- Audio cable

NOTE: If any part of the product is damaged, do not use it. Contact your authorized Bose dealer or Bose customer service.

Visit: worldwide.Bose.com/Support/HP700UC
The Bose Music app lets you set up and control the headphones from any mobile device such as a smartphone or tablet. Using the app, you can configure Google Assistant or Amazon Alexa, choose your voice prompt language, adjust noise cancelling levels, and manage headphone settings.

**NOTE:** If you have already created a Bose account in the app for another Bose product, see “Add the headphones to an existing account”.

## DOWNLOAD THE BOSE MUSIC APP

1. On your mobile device, download the Bose Music app.

   ![Download the Bose Music app](image)

2. Follow the app instructions.

## ADD THE HEADPHONES TO AN EXISTING ACCOUNT

1. In the Bose Music app, from the **My Bose** screen, tap +.

   **NOTE:** To return to the **My Bose** screen, tap ☐ in the top-left corner of the screen.

2. Follow the app instructions.
ADJUST THE HEADPHONES

Before placing the headphones on your head, adjust the position of the earcups on the headband to ensure proper fit.

1. With the outer earcup facing toward you, firmly grip the side of the headband.

2. With your other hand, grip the earcup. Move the earcup up or down to adjust the position.

3. Repeat steps 1-3 for the other earcup.
HOW TO WEAR

BUTTON ORIENTATION
The inner scrims (cloth covers) of the headphone earcups are marked with an L (left earcup) and R (right earcup). There are two buttons on the right earcup and one on the left earcup.

Match the right earcup with your right ear and the left earcup with your left ear. Place the headphones on your head with the buttons facing behind you. Once the headphones are on your head, use your thumbs to press the buttons.
POWER ON/OFF

Bose USB Link
Insert the Bose USB Link into a USB port on your computer. The light on the USB Link will blink.

**NOTE:** If your computer has a USB-C port instead of a USB-A port, you can use a standard USB-A-to-C adapter or USB hub to make this connection.

![Bose USB Link](image)

Headphones
Press and release the Power/Bluetooth button on the headphones.

After powering on the headphones, you hear a voice prompt, and the status lights glow (see page 38). The light on the Bose USB Link will blink rapidly and then remain solid when connected to the headphones.

![Headphones](image)

Auto-off
Auto-off conserves the headphone battery by using motion-detection. The headphones power off when you have not moved the headphones for 10 minutes.

To wake the headphones, press the Power/Bluetooth button.

**TIP:** You can also set the headphones to power off when no audio is playing. To enable auto-off for audio, use the Bose Music app. You can access this option from the Settings menu.
Use touch control by swiping or tapping the touch surface of the headphones. With touch control, you can play or pause audio, skip forward or backwards, change the volume, and perform basic call functions.

**TOUCH SURFACE AREA**

The touch surface is located on the front of the right earcup.

**MEDIA PLAYBACK AND VOLUME FUNCTIONS**

**Play/Pause**

Double-tap to play or pause audio.
**Skip forward**
Swipe forward to skip to the next track.

**Skip backward**
Swipe backward to skip to the previous track.
Change the volume

- Swipe up to increase the volume.
- Swipe down to decrease the volume.
CALL FUNCTIONS

Answer/End a call
Double-tap to answer or end a call.

Decline an incoming call
Tap and hold for 1 second to decline an incoming call.
Mute a call
While on a call, press and release the Voice Assistant button to mute the microphone.

Call notifications
A voice prompt announces incoming callers and call status.

To disable call notifications, use the Bose Music app. You can access this option from the Settings menu.

NOTE: Disabling voice prompts also disables call notifications.
CUSTOMIZE SHORTCUT

You can customize a shortcut for the tap and hold action on the headphones to perform one of two functions:

• Announce the battery level (default).
• Disable/Enable the wake word for Amazon Alexa (not applicable for Google Assistant or mobile device voice control).

**NOTE:** For more information on Voice Assistant options, see page 25.

To customize touch control, use the Bose Music app. You can access this option from the Settings menu.

Once customized, tap and hold for your preferred function.
While the headphones are connected to the Bose USB Link, you can use the Microsoft Teams button on the headphones to control various functions in the Microsoft Teams app on your computer.

**NOTE:** The Voice Assistant is not available while the headphones are connected to the USB Link.

**USE THE MICROSOFT TEAMS BUTTON**

The Microsoft Teams button is used to control various functions in the Microsoft Teams app on your computer. It’s located on the right earcup.

Before you begin, make sure your mobile device is connected to a Wi-Fi® or cellular data network, and use the Bose Music app to learn how to use the Microsoft Teams button.
VOICE ASSISTANT OPTIONS

You can program the headphones to quickly and easily access Google Assistant or Amazon Alexa, or voice control capabilities on your mobile device.

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**NOTE:** The Voice Assistant is not available while the headphones are connected to the USB Link.

**NOTE:** You cannot set the headphones to access Google Assistant and Amazon Alexa at the same time.

SET UP YOUR VOICE ASSISTANT

Before you begin, make sure your mobile device is connected to a Wi-Fi® or cellular data network.

To set up your Voice Assistant, use the Bose Music app. You can access this option from the Settings menu.
ACCESS GOOGLE ASSISTANT

Your headphones are optimized for Google Assistant, making your headphones the perfect companion for getting stuff done on your travels or commute. Continue your conversations while on the go and easily access the best of Google, from Google Play Music to Google Maps. You can quickly enjoy entertainment, stay connected to friends, get information, and manage your day—all without glancing at your phone. Listen to your favorite songs, have notifications and messages read to you, or set reminders and timers. Just press and hold the Voice Assistant button to start a conversation with Google Assistant.

For more information on what Google Assistant can do, visit: https://support.google.com/headphones

NOTE: Google Assistant isn't available in certain languages and countries.
Use the Voice Assistant button

The Voice Assistant button is used to control Google Assistant. It’s located on the right earcup.

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<td>Press and hold the Voice Assistant button until you hear a tone. After you hear a tone, say your request. For examples of questions and things you can do, visit: <a href="https://support.google.com/headphones">https://support.google.com/headphones</a></td>
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<td>Get your notifications</td>
<td>Press the Voice Assistant button.</td>
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<td>Reply to a message</td>
<td>After receiving a message notification, press and hold the Voice Assistant button to respond. When you’re done, release the button.</td>
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<td>Stop Google Assistant</td>
<td>Double-press the Voice Assistant button.</td>
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ACCESS AMAZON ALEXA

The headphones are Amazon Alexa enabled. With Alexa, you can ask to play music, hear the news, check the weather, control smart home devices, and more. Using Alexa on your headphones is as simple as asking. Just ask or use the Voice Assistant button and Alexa responds instantly.

For more information about what Alexa can do, visit: https://www.amazon.com/usealexa

NOTE: Alexa isn’t available in certain languages and countries.

Custom access

During initial set up, the app prompts you to choose your preferred way to access Alexa. If you choose Alexa for your Voice Assistant, you can customize it to be accessed using:

• The Voice Assistant button only.
• Your voice and the Voice Assistant button.
Use your voice

Start with “Alexa,” then say:

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<td>Play audio</td>
<td>Play Beethoven.</td>
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<td><strong>NOTE:</strong> Amazon Music is set as the default music service. To change the default music service, use the Alexa app.</td>
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<td>Play from a specific audio service</td>
<td>Play NPR on TuneIn.</td>
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<td>Skip to the next song</td>
<td>Next song.</td>
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<td>Plan your day</td>
<td>What’s the weather?</td>
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<td>Add to your shopping list</td>
<td>Add eggs to my shopping list.</td>
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<td>Send a message (Alexa-to-Alexa messaging only)</td>
<td>Send a message to Tom.</td>
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<td>Discover more skills</td>
<td>What new skills do you have?</td>
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<td>Stop Alexa</td>
<td>Stop.</td>
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**Disable the wake word**

To disable the wake word for Amazon Alexa, use the Bose Music app. You can access this option from the Settings menu.

**NOTES:**

- After disabling the wake word, you can still use the Voice Assistant button (see page 25).
- You can also customize touch control to disable/enable the wake word (see page 23).
Use the Voice Assistant button
The Voice Assistant button is used to control Amazon Alexa. It’s located on the right earcup.

**THINGS TO TRY**

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<td>Press and release the Voice Assistant button.</td>
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ACCESS MOBILE DEVICE VOICE CONTROL

You can set the headphones to access voice control on your mobile device. Once set, the headphone microphone acts as an extension of the microphone in your mobile device.

Press and hold the Voice Assistant button to access mobile device voice control. You hear a tone that indicates voice control is active.
Noise cancellation reduces unwanted noise, providing a clearer, more lifelike audio performance. Each time you power on the headphones, noise cancellation is fully enabled at the highest level (10).

**NOTE:** To set the default noise cancelling level for power on, use the Bose Music app.

### ADJUST NOISE CANCELLING LEVELS

Choose your noise cancelling level based on your listening preferences and environment. As you increase noise cancellation, unwanted outside noise is reduced. As you decrease noise cancellation, you hear more outside sounds.

Set the level using the Noise Control button (see page 33) or use the Bose Music app.

### Noise cancelling levels

You can adjust between full awareness and near silence. On Level 0, noise cancellation is at the lowest level and provides full transparency. On Level 10, noise cancellation is fully enabled so you hear little from the outside world.

**TIP:** For access to all noise cancellation levels, use the Bose Music app.

### Favorites

By default, the Noise Control button cycles through three noise cancelling levels (see page 33): 0 (full awareness), 5 (some awareness), and 10 (full noise cancellation).

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<th>DEFAULT SETTING</th>
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<td>0</td>
<td>Provides full transparency so that you can hear the world around you as if you’re not wearing headphones.</td>
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<tr>
<td>5</td>
<td>Blocks most low frequency noises, like the rumble of a train or the hum of a vacuum cleaner, but still provides some awareness of your surroundings.</td>
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<tr>
<td>10</td>
<td>World-class noise cancellation eliminates virtually all the exterior noise around you.</td>
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**NOTE:** To customize Favorite noise cancelling levels, use the Bose Music app.
Cycle through Favorites

NOTE: To customize Favorite noise cancelling levels, use the Bose Music app.

1. Press and release the Noise Control button.
   You hear the current noise cancelling level.

2. Repeat until you hear your preferred level.
CONVERSATION MODE

Conversation mode is a convenient method to simultaneously pause your audio and give you full awareness. This allows you to have a quick conversation with someone or immediately be aware of your surroundings.

Turn on conversation mode
Press and hold the Noise Control button for 1 second.

Turn off conversation mode
Press any button or tap the touch surface.

The headphones return to the previous noise cancelling level and resume playing audio.
NOISE CANCELLATION WHILE ON A CALL

When you receive a call, the headphones remain at the current noise cancelling level, and Self Voice is activated. Self Voice helps you hear yourself speak more naturally. To adjust the noise cancelling level while on a call, use the Noise Control button (see page 33).

NOTES:

- To adjust Self Voice, use the Bose Music app. You can access this option from the Settings menu.
- You can’t use Conversation mode while on a call.

USE NOISE CANCELLATION ONLY

Clear away noisy distractions without audio. Focus on what matters most — your work or whatever your passion.

1. Press and hold the Power/Bluetooth button until you hear a voice prompt.
   
   Your mobile device(s) disconnects and all audio stops playing.

2. Set your preferred noise cancelling level (see page 33).
CHARGE THE HEADPHONES

1. Connect the small end of the USB cable into the USB-C port on the right earcup.

2. Connect the other end into a USB-A wall charger or computer that is powered on.

   While charging, the battery light blinks white. When the battery is fully charged, the battery light glows solid white (see page 39).

   NOTE: The headphones do not play audio or cancel noise while charging.
**Charging time**
Allow up to 2.5 hours to fully charge the headphones.

**NOTES:**
- A 15-minute charge powers the headphones for up to 3.5 hours.
- A full charge powers the headphones for up to 20 hours.

**HEAR THE BATTERY LEVEL**
Each time you power on the headphones, a voice prompt announces the battery level. When you’re using the headphones and the battery is low, you hear “Battery low, please charge now.”

To hear the battery level while using the headphones, tap and hold the touch surface until you hear a voice prompt.

**NOTE:** By default, the tap and hold action on the headphones is set to announce the battery level. For more information about customizing this action, see page 23.
**BLUETOOTH LIGHT**

The Bluetooth light is located on the right earcup and shows the connection status of a mobile device.

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<td>Slowly pulses blue</td>
<td>Ready to connect</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Blinks blue</td>
<td>Connecting</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Solid blue</td>
<td>Connected</td>
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<td>Off</td>
<td>Disconnected</td>
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BATTERY LIGHT

The battery light is located on the right earcup and shows the battery level.

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<th>LIGHT ACTIVITY</th>
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<td>Solid white</td>
<td>Medium to full charge</td>
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<tr>
<td>Solid red</td>
<td>Low charge</td>
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<tr>
<td>Blinks red</td>
<td>Need to charge</td>
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<tr>
<td>Blinks red and white</td>
<td>Error - contact Bose customer service</td>
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<tr>
<td>Quickly blinks white</td>
<td>Updating headphones</td>
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NOTES:

- While charging, the battery light blinks white. When the headphones are fully charged, the battery light glows solid white.
- If connected to an Apple device, the device displays the battery level near the upper right corner of the screen and in the notification center.
- You can also check the battery level of the headphones using the Bose Music app.
BOSE USB LINK LIGHT

The light on the Bose USB Link shows the connection status of the headphones and status of Microsoft Teams.

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<td>Slowly pulses blue</td>
<td>The USB Link is ready to connect to the headphones</td>
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<td>Rapidly blinks blue</td>
<td>The USB Link is connecting to the headphones.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Solid blue</td>
<td>The USB Link is connected to the headphones.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Solid purple</td>
<td>The USB Link is connected to the headphones, and the computer is logged into a Microsoft Teams account.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Blinks purple</td>
<td>The USB Link is connected to the headphones, and the computer is logged into a Microsoft Teams account, which is receiving a notification.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Solid red</td>
<td>The USB Link is connected to the headphones, and the microphone is muted.</td>
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Bluetooth wireless technology lets you stream music from mobile devices such as smartphones, tablets, and laptop computers. Before you can play audio from a device, you must connect the device with the headphones.

**CONNECT USING THE BLUETOOTH MENU ON YOUR MOBILE DEVICE**

**NOTE:** To get the most out of the headphones, set up and connect your mobile device using the Bose Music app (see page 14).

1. Press and hold the Power/Bluetooth button until you hear “Ready to connect another device,” and the Bluetooth light slowly pulses blue.

2. On your device, enable the Bluetooth feature.

**TIP:** The Bluetooth feature is usually found in the Settings menu.
3. Select the headphones from the device list.

   **TIP:** Look for the name you entered for the headphones in the Bose Music app.

   Once connected, you hear “Connected to `<mobile device name>`,” and the Bluetooth light glows solid blue.

**DISCONNECT A MOBILE DEVICE FROM THE HEADPHONES**

Use the Bose Music app to disconnect your mobile device.

**TIP:** You can also use Bluetooth settings to disconnect your device. Disabling the Bluetooth feature disconnects all other devices.

**RECONNECT A MOBILE DEVICE TO THE HEADPHONES**

When powered on, the headphones try to reconnect with the two most recently-connected devices.

**NOTES:**

- The devices must be within range (30 ft. or 9 m) and powered on.
- Make sure the Bluetooth feature is enabled on your mobile device.
CONNECT AN ADDITIONAL MOBILE DEVICE TO THE HEADPHONES

You can store up to eight devices in the headphone device list, and the headphones can be actively connected to two devices at a time.

To connect an additional device, use the Bose Music app. You can access this option from the Settings menu.

TIP: You can also use the Bluetooth menu on your mobile device (see page 41).

NOTE: You can play audio from only one device at a time.

SWITCH BETWEEN TWO CONNECTED MOBILE DEVICES

1. Pause audio on your first device.
2. Play audio on your second device.
**RECONNECT A SET OF HEADPHONES TO THE BOSE USB LINK**

Remove the USB Link from the USB port on your computer, and then reinsert it. The light on the USB Link will blink as it tries to reconnect to previously connected sets of headphones.

**CONNECT ANOTHER SET OF HEADPHONES TO THE BOSE USB LINK**

You can store up to eight devices (headphones) in the device list of the Bose USB Link.

1. Press and hold the button on the Bose USB Link for approximately 3 seconds, and then release it. The light on the USB Link will slowly pulse blue to indicate it is ready to connect to another Bluetooth device.

2. Enable your Bose headphones to connect to a new Bluetooth device. Wait a moment for your headphones to connect to the USB Link. The light on the USB Link will blink rapidly and then remain solid when connected to the headphones.

**NOTE:** If the Bose USB Link does not connect to a set of Bose Bluetooth headphones after approximately 5 minutes, the light on the USB Link will stop blinking. If you want to connect another set of Bose Bluetooth headphones, repeat the actions above.

**CLEAR THE HEADPHONE DEVICE LIST**

1. Press and hold Power/Bluetooth button until you hear “Bluetooth device list cleared,” and the Bluetooth light slowly pulses blue.

2. Delete the headphones from the Bluetooth list on your device.
   
   All devices are cleared, and the headphones are ready to connect.

**CLEAR THE BOSE USB LINK DEVICE LIST**

Press and hold the button on the Bose USB Link for 7–10 seconds. The light on the USB Link will slowly pulse blue.

All devices are cleared, and the USB Link is ready to connect.
CONNECT THE AUDIO CABLE

Use the audio cable to connect a non-wireless device or if the headphone battery is depleted.

1. Insert the cable into the 2.5 mm jack on the right earcup.

2. Insert the other end of the cable into the 3.5 mm jack on your device.
STORE THE HEADPHONES
The earcups rotate for easy, convenient storage.

1. Adjust the earcups so that the headband is at its smallest size (see page 15).
2. Rotate both earcups inward so they lay flat.
3. Place the headphones flat into the case.

NOTE: Make sure to power off the headphones when not in use.
CARE AND MAINTENANCE

CLEAN THE HEADPHONES AND BOSE USB LINK

The headphones and Bose USB Link may require periodic cleaning.
• Wipe the outside surfaces with a soft, dry cloth.
• Do NOT allow moisture to get inside the earcups or the 2.5 mm jack of the head-
phones or inside the USB Link.

REPLACEMENT PARTS AND ACCESSORIES

Replacement parts and accessories can be ordered through Bose customer service.
Visit: worldwide.Bose.com/Support/HP700UC

LIMITED WARRANTY

The headphones and Bose USB Link are covered by a limited warranty. Visit our web-
site at global.Bose.com/warranty for details of the limited warranty.

To register your product, visit global.Bose.com/register for instructions. Failure to
register will not affect your limited warranty rights.
SERIAL NUMBER LOCATIONS

The serial number is located:

- On the carton outer label.
- In the Bose Music app, under Technical Info.
- In the right earcup, underneath the scrim (cloth insert).

**View the serial number on the headphones (not recommended)**

1. On the right earcup, slightly pull the top of the right earcup cushion back.
2. Push down the scrim at the top-right edge to reveal the label.

**CAUTION:** Be careful not to press down on or remove any other components inside the earcup as this could damage the headphones.
TRY THESE SOLUTIONS FIRST

If you experience problems with the headphones or Bose USB Link try these solutions first:

• Charge the battery (see page 36).
• Power on the headphones (see page 17).
• Check the status lights (see page 38).
• Make sure your mobile device supports Bluetooth connections (see page 41).
• Make sure the USB Link is securely connected to your computer (see page 17).
• Download the Bose Music app and run available software updates (see page 14).
• Move your headphones closer to the device or the USB Link and away from any interference or obstructions.
• Increase the volume on the headphones, mobile device, music, or meeting app.
• Make sure the meeting app and operating system on your computer is up to date.
• Connect another mobile device (see page 43).
• Restart your computer, or sign out of the meeting app and sign back in.
• Remove the USB Link from the USB port on your computer, and then reinsert it.
• Check for available USB Link firmware updates (see page 55).

OTHER SOLUTIONS

If you could not resolve your issue, see the table below to identify symptoms and solutions to common problems. If you are unable to resolve your issue, contact Bose customer service.

Visit: worldwide.Bose.com/contact

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<td>• Delete the headphones from the Bluetooth list on your device. Connect again (see page 41).</td>
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<td>Visit: worldwide.Bose.com/Support/HP700UC to see how-to videos.</td>
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<td>Clear the headphone device list (see page 44).</td>
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<td>Connect again.</td>
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<td>Reboot the headphones (see page 55).</td>
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<td>Headphones don’t respond during app setup</td>
<td>Make sure you are using the Bose Music app for setup.</td>
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| Bose Music app doesn't work on mobile device | Make sure your mobile device is compatible with the Bose Music app and meets minimum system requirements. For more information, refer to the app store on your mobile device.  
Uninstall the Bose Music app on your mobile device, then reinstall the app (see page 14). |
| No sound                                   | Press Play on your mobile device to make sure audio is playing.  
Play audio from a different application or music service.  
Play audio from content stored directly on your device.  
Restart your device.  
If two devices are connected, pause the first device and play the other mobile device.  
If two devices are connected, move the devices within range of the headphones (30 ft. or 9 m).  
If you are in a meeting, make sure Bose USB Link is selected as the speaker in your meeting app. |
| No sound (wired connection)                 | Secure both ends of the audio cable.  
Press play on your mobile device to make sure audio is playing.  
Play audio from a different application or music service.  
Play audio from content stored directly on your device.  
Restart your device. |
| Poor sound quality                         | If in a windy environment, adjust the noise cancelling level (see page 32).  
Try a different audio track.  
Play audio from a different application or music service.  
Disconnect the second device.  
Turn off any audio enhancement features on the device or music app.  
On your device:  
• Turn the Bluetooth feature off and then on.  
• Delete the headphones from the Bluetooth list on your device. Connect again (see page 41). |
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<td>Secure both ends of the USB cable.</td>
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<td>If the headphones have been exposed to high or low temperatures, let the headphones return to room temperature and then try charging again.</td>
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<td>Try a different USB-A wall charger, USB cable, or AC (mains) power source.</td>
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<td>Can’t adjust noise cancelling</td>
<td>Power off and on the headphones (see page 17).</td>
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<td>If using the Noise Control button, try using the Bose Music app to adjust the noise cancelling level.</td>
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<td>Microphone doesn’t pick up sound</td>
<td>Make sure the microphone openings on the front edge of the headphones are not blocked.</td>
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<td>Try another phone call.</td>
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<td>Loud environment for phone calls</td>
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<td>Make sure you are tapping the touch control surface on the front of the right earcup (see page 18).</td>
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<td>Make sure your hands are dry.</td>
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<td>If wearing gloves, remove them before tapping the touch control surface.</td>
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<td>For multi-tap functions, vary the tap pressure.</td>
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<td>To customize or disable voice prompts, use the Bose Music app. You can access this option from the Settings menu.</td>
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<td>Google Assistant doesn’t respond</td>
<td>Make sure Google Assistant has been set up using the Bose Music app (see page 25). Connect your mobile device to a Wi-Fi or cellular data network. Make sure you’re in a country where Google Assistant is available. Make sure you are using the most up-to-date version of Google Assistant app. Make sure your mobile device is compatible. Visit: <a href="https://support.google.com/headphones">https://support.google.com/headphones</a> For additional support, visit: <a href="https://support.google.com/headphones">https://support.google.com/headphones</a></td>
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<td>Alexa doesn’t respond</td>
<td>Make sure Alexa has been set up using the Bose Music app (see page 25). Connect your mobile device to a Wi-Fi or cellular data network. Make sure you’re in a country where Alexa is available. Make sure the wake word is enabled (see page 29). Make sure you are using the most up-to-date version of the Amazon Alexa app. Make sure your mobile device is compatible. For additional support, visit: <a href="https://www.amazon.com/usealexa">https://www.amazon.com/usealexa</a></td>
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<td>Nothing happens when I press the button on the Bose USB Link.</td>
<td>If you are trying to connect another set of headphones to the USB Link, press and hold the button for at least 3 seconds before releasing it (see page 44). Make sure you are not in a meeting when you press the button. Otherwise, USB Link will not respond so as not to interrupt the meeting.</td>
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# Troubleshooting

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| Bose USB Link is not listed as a speaker in my meeting app.             | Wait approximately 30 seconds for your computer to register the USB Link as a microphone, speaker, and camera device. If this still does not work, try the following solutions:  
  • Try connecting the USB Link to a different USB port on your computer.  
  • Make sure the USB Link is connected securely to the USB port.          |
| Adjusting the volume on my computer has no effect on the volume of the Bose USB Link. | Your computer may not have the USB Link selected as the default audio playback device (even if your meeting app is working properly with the USB Link).  
  • **Windows**: Click the speaker icon in the system tray (in the taskbar) and select **Bose USB Link** as the playback device.  
  • **macOS**: Click the **Apple** icon in the upper-left corner of the screen, and select **System Preferences**, click **Sound**, and then click **Output**. Select **Bose USB Link** in the list of devices. |
| The status light on the Bose USB Link is solid blue, purple, or red, but my headphones are not connected. | Clear the device list on the USB Link (see page 44), and then try to connect your headphones again (see page 44). |
REBOOT THE HEADPHONES
If the headphones are unresponsive, you can reboot them. Rebooting the headphones doesn’t clear settings or connected devices.

NOTE: Do not connect the USB cable to the headphones until instructed to do so.

1. Disconnect all cables from the headphones.
2. Connect one end of the USB cable to a USB-A wall charger or computer that is powered on.
3. Press and hold the Power/Bluetooth button while connecting the small end of the USB cable into the USB-C port on the right earcup.
4. Release the Power/Bluetooth button after 2 seconds.

NOTE: You may need to reboot your headphones twice.

RESTORE THE FACTORY DEFAULT SETTINGS OF THE BOSE USB LINK
If the Bose USB Link is unresponsive or not functioning as expected, you can restore its factory default settings. Restoring the factory default settings will clear the USB Link device list.

Press and hold the button on the USB Link for 7–10 seconds.

UPDATE THE FIRMWARE
You may occasionally need to update the firmware installed on the Bose USB Link. If you experience any issues related to Bluetooth connectivity, integration with your meeting app, or audio quality, update the firmware to see if that fixes the issue.

To download, install, and use the Bose USB Link Updater app on your computer:

1. On your computer, visit pro.Bose.com/USBLink.
2. Download the ZIP file for the Bose USB Link Updater app.
3. Open the ZIP file, and then double-click the installer.
4. Follow the on-screen steps to complete the installation.
5. Insert the USB Link into a USB port on your computer. The light on the USB Link will blink.
6. Open the Bose USB Link Updater app on your computer and follow the app instructions.