



DAK's BuddyLink Bluetooth Speaker

Quick Start Guide

Dear Fellow DAKonian,

Thanks for ordering DAK's BuddyLink Bluetooth Speaker. Play them anywhere. No WiFi routers or networks needed. Just these two speakers and Bluetooth enabled music device.

If you're using this with DAK's Bluetooth Upgrade, read on, we'll cover that, too.

First thing's first, you'll want to charge up your BuddyLink. It'll help your battery's overall performance, and we don't want any wildcards during our setup process.

Charging Your Buddylink

Easy. Use the included charging cable and wall adapter. The LED light on the speaker will light solid red. Once fully charged, the LED will go dark.

All charged? Great. Let's keep going.

Setting It All Up

Pairing Your Bluetooth Device with Your Buddylink

Press your 1st Buddylink's power button for a few seconds, until you hear the distinctive startup noise. The speaker's LED light will be a solid blue. (It will blink red if you're running on low battery!)

Now press and hold the Bluetooth button on your Buddylink's control panel until the LED starts flashing red and blue. Yep—that's it—the one with the funny looking "B". **Do not confuse this with A↔B button. That comes later.**

From your Bluetooth Device, turn on Bluetooth and search for devices. Pair with "DAK's BT Buddy" and give them a few seconds to sync up. You only need to do this the first time. As long as they remain a pair, they will search for each other once powered on and connect automatically.

You'll know the pairing is successful once your Buddylink's LED light begins a slow, steady blue blink. And of course, the real test to know that it's working properly is to go ahead and play some music! Ready for the next step? Good. Keep your music playing in the background for this next part.

Pairing Speaker A with Speaker B (The Fun Part)

It's time to power on your second Buddylink. Wait for the now familiar "deewooop" sound and check that the LED light is solid blue.

Place it next to Speaker A, and **on Speaker A, CLICK the A↔B button.**

I say "click", because unlike the Bluetooth button, the A↔B button will only activate with a short tap. You'll know you did it right if Speaker A's LED begins flashing red and blue.

Now on Speaker B, click the A↔B button just like on Speaker A. Again, you'll see the LED flash blue and red.

Once both of your Buddylinks are flashing, it can take up to 30-40 seconds until they are synced up. And remember, this is happening while your music is playing normally over Speaker A.

Once they do pair up, you'll hear your music fade out for a second and fade back in. Only now, it's paying over both speakers. Cool, huh?

Good to Know:

Okay, so now that you're all hooked up, here's what you need to know moving forward. And keep reading if I haven't answered your question yet.

-Speaker A and Speaker B are now linked. Next time, you won't need to do a song and dance to get connected. Just power them on, and if they're within range (btwn 30-50 ft) they'll find each other.

-Speaker A plays your Left stereo channel, Speaker B plays your Right.

-When you hit the V+ or V- button on either speaker, both speakers' volume will adjust accordingly.

-Power one speaker off, the other will auto-power down. That also means if the battery runs out on one, the other will power down, too.

-If you ever want to reset your connections, and clear linked device memory (Bluetooth connections and your 2nd Buddylink), hold down on the V+ and V- simultaneously. Don't test it out, unless you want to reread my guide. 😊

Other Questions:

How do I use the line input?

Simple. Plug in the included 3.5mm cable into the Aux input. Press the "Input" button, and you'll see a green semi circle light up by the power button.

Can I link my Buddylinks while using the Aux input?

Yes. Follow the same steps as above. (I find it easier to have the music playing while linking A to B.)

I'm using DAK's Bluetooth Upgrade to wirelessly transmit the music from my home stereo receiver to my new pair of Buddylinks. How do I do that?

You'll want to follow the directions I write in the quickstart guide for the BT Upgrade for TX mode. In a nutshell, you'll make sure you set the BT Upgrade switch to TX, and pair it with Speaker A, just like any other Bluetooth Device. They'll find each other, and that will be indicated by the rhythmic blue double blink on your Buddylink. As always, you only need to pair them once. The next time you power on, they'll find each other automatically.

Well, I think that's all you really need to know about getting started with your new Buddylink Speakers. I hope you have as much fun as I do listening to all your favorite playlists in wireless, full stereo sound.

Thanks for giving me the opportunity to serve you. I'd love to hear your thoughts.

Your DAKonian Buddy,

Sol Harari



Questions? We're here to help!
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