1. Read all instructions completely and heed all warnings. Install in accordance with TV Ears, Inc.’s instructions.
2. Keep these instructions in a safe place for future reference.
3. Do not use or submerge TV Ears products near water, moisture, or other liquids.
4. Clean with a dry cloth.
5. Do not install near any heat sources such as radiators, heat registers, stoves, or other apparatus (including amplifiers) that produce heat.
6. For safety purposes, do not deface the prongs on the AC adapters. If the provided plug does not fit into your outlet, purchase the correct adapter or consult an electrician for replacement of the obsolete outlet.
7. Protect the power cord from being walked on or pinched particularly at plugs, convenience receptacles, and the point where the cord exits from the transmitter.
8. TV Ears recommends using a surge protector to protect your TV Ears from power surges.
9. Only use attachments and accessories specified by TV Ears, Inc. with your TV Ears system.
10. Refer all servicing to qualified service personnel. Servicing is required when the TV Ears product 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 TV Ears product, the TV Ears product has been exposed to rain or moisture, does not operate normally, or has been dropped, cracked, or broken.

Warning: To reduce the risk of fire or electric shock, do not expose the TV Ears product to rain or moisture. The TV Ears product should not be exposed to dripping or splashing liquids. Do not place objects filled with liquid such as vases on or near the TV Ears product.

Warning: To prevent possible hearing damage, do not listen at high volume levels for long periods of time.

Warning: The magnetic field emitted by the TV Ears speakers is minimal. When used as indicated, TV Ears headsets should not cause magnetic interference with pacemakers or internal defibrillators. The magnetic field strength of the speakers is less than 1 Gauss when within 1 inch (3 cm) of the pacemaker or internal defibrillator. It is recommended that the user keep the ear tips at least an inch away from any pacemaker or internal defibrillator. If you have concerns, we recommend you contact your physician.
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TV Ears Digital Transmitter

TV Ears Wireless Speaker

Optical Cord
Audio Cord

2 AC Adapters

Auxiliary Cord
Ideal TV Ears Set Up

The infrared diodes must be in direct line of sight with the speaker so the speaker can receive the infrared signal.
The transmitter should be placed on a flat surface 3 to 5 feet off the ground and should be pointed towards the area where the speaker will be placed.
Installation | Step 1

Connect the Transmitter to your TV

Analog Audio

1. Plug the dual end of the audio cord (red and black male plugs) into the analog (RCA) audio out ports on the back of the television, satellite, or cable box.

2. Plug the single end of the audio cord into the port labeled Analog Audio In on the back of the TV Ears transmitter.

TIP

1. Ports on the front of TVs are usually audio in ports and will not send sound to your TV Ears speaker.
2. Fixed/Variable Audio Setting: audio out ports may be marked fixed or variable/fixed or L & R. A fixed audio out setting will allow the television volume to work independently from the TV Ears speaker. The television volume can be on mute or at a low level while the TV Ears’ volume can be turned up.
   - Consult your television manual / manufacturer to manually program the television to FIXED audio if currently set to VARIABLE audio.
Place and Power the Digital Transmitter

The infrared diodes must be in direct line of sight with the speaker so the speaker can receive the infrared signal.

1. Place the transmitter on a flat surface 3 - 5 feet off the ground and point it towards the area where the speaker will be placed.

2. Then plug the end of the AC adapter into the port labeled **12V** on the back of the transmitter.

3. Plug the AC adapter into a standard electrical outlet or surge protector.
Installation | Step 3

Using the Speaker

Each speaker comes with a 360° receiving dome on the top of the speaker for 360° signal reception wherever it is placed.

1. Plug the ac adapter into the port labeled **power** on the back of the speaker. Then plug the AC adapter into a standard electrical outlet or surge protector.

2. Place the speaker next to where you will be sitting or wherever you feel is comfortable.

3. Turn the big grey knob on the front of the speaker clockwise to turn on the speaker. This knob will also adjust the volume.
1. Determine which digital audio jack you will use on your transmitter and your TV, satellite, or cable box.
   - The transmitter supports optical connections with a TOSLINK-style port and coaxial connections with an RCA-style port.
   - Most devices have an optical audio output jack that is compatible with the included TOSLINK-style optical cable.
   - If you have a device that uses a coaxial jack for digital audio, you will need to purchase a standard RCA cable (standard RCA cable is not included in this package).

2. If using the optical cord, remove clear sleeves from each end. Plug in the appropriate digital audio cable into the appropriate jack labeled **Digital Audio In** on the back of the TV Ears transmitter.

3. Plug the other end of the digital audio cord into your chosen digital audio output jack of your TV, satellite, or cable box.

   ![Diagram of digital audio connection]

**TIP**

The TV must be set to PCM mode in order for this installation option to work. TV Ears systems are not compatible with Dolby Digital. The PCM setting can normally be adjusted through the television’s audio settings. Note that not all TVs have the option to be set to PCM. The amber lock light indicates that the transmitter is currently receiving a valid digital audio signal.
Frequently Asked Questions

Why do my TV Ears mute when I mute the TV?
Fixed audio out will allow the television volume and TV Ears volume to work independently from one another. Some televisions have to be manually switched from the “Variable” audio setting to the “Fixed” audio setting by using your TV menu. Not all TVs have the ability to switch from a variable to a fixed audio out (consult your television manual or manufacturer). When the TV is set to a “Variable” audio out setting, the volume of the TV Ears headset will be the same volume as the TV.

Why do I hear a television station when I’m watching a DVD/video?
When the audio cord is plugged into the analog (RCA) audio out port of a cable or satellite box AND an analog (RCA) audio out port of a DVD player or VCR, you must turn off whichever device is not in use. Turn off the cable/satellite box when watching a DVD or video. Turn off the DVD/VCR player when watching TV.

What does 2.3MHz mean?
2.3MHz is the frequency of the infrared signal that is sent by the transmitter to the headset. Infrared signals are invisible light signals and are not disturbed by electrical storms.

What is the “Music” port/hole on the back of the Speaker?
The music port allows you to attach any audio producing device that you choose. All you need is a 3.5mm auxiliary cord (included) to hook up things such as an iPod, iPad, MP3 player, or CD player.
Warranty and Guarantee

5 Year Limited Warranty
This 5 year limited warranty will cover defects in manufacturing and product failure for a period of five years after the original purchase date. If your product fails or breaks for any reason within 180 days of the original purchase it will be replaced with a new product of the same model at no charge. If your product fails or breaks after 180 days of the original purchase date and up to five years after original purchase date it will be replaced for 50% off manufacturers suggested retail price with a new product of the same model. If the model you purchased is discontinued you will receive a new or similar model. Perishable items such as ear tips and batteries are not covered under this warranty. Shipping charges are also not covered under this warranty.

Repairs or alterations performed by non-authorized TV Ears representatives will void the warranty and may damage the equipment. Also if the TV Ears product is taken outside of the US the warranty becomes void.

This warranty is provided at the discretion of TV Ears, Inc. and does not cover cosmetic damage or damage due to acts of nature, accident, misuse, abuse, negligence, commercial use, or modification of or to any part of the product.

Contact Information

1-888-883-3277 | For sales and returns. 6am to 6pm PST Monday through Friday.

1-866-611-9934 | For Customer Support. 6am to 6pm PST Monday through Friday.

1-888-958-7899 | Main Fax line.

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WEEE Declaration
TV Ears products are developed and manufactured with high-quality materials and components that can be recycled and/or reused. This symbol indicates that electrical and electronic equipment must be disposed of separately from normal waste at the end of its operational lifetime. Please dispose of this product by bringing it to your local collection point or recycling center for such equipment. This will help protect the environment.
## Technical Specifications

### System

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