



MONSTER® **SOLARA**

**INDOOR/OUTDOOR WIRELESS
SOLAR POWERED SPEAKER**

USER MANUAL

VER. 4.2

MODEL: **MNSOLANZ-BLK**

SOLARA HIGHLIGHTS

**SOLAR
PANEL**

**CARRYING
HANDLE**

**360°
LIGHT**

**CONNECT 8
SPEAKERS**
EZ-PLAY

**360°
SOUND**

**LIGHT
TIMER**

SUB-WOOFER

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PACKAGE CONTENTS

1. MONSTER SOLARA: Wireless Solar Speaker



2. Power Adapter (5.5V/2.6A DC Adapter)



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3. Aux Cable



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4. User Manual (incl. Limited Warranty Statement)

5. Quick Start Guide

If any items are missing, contact our customer service team at 1300-792-219.

CONTROLS & CONNECTIONS

Light Timer
Battery Level
Indicator

Short Press
Color

Long Press
Battery Life

Short Press
Brightness

Long Press
Light Timer

Short Press
Wake

Long Press
Standby Mode

AUX
Input

USB Charging
Port

Power
Input

Power
Switch

Source
Selection

Bluetooth Pairing
(When in Bluetooth mode)

Volume
DOWN/UP

Play/Pause

EZ-Play
Pairing

LED INDICATORS

Bluetooth



Slow Flash
Bluetooth On
Standby

Fast Flash
Bluetooth
Pairing mode

Solid
Bluetooth
Connected

AUX



Solid
AUX
Connected

TX Mode (Transmit)



RX Mode (Receive)



Slow Flash
Transmit Mode
Standby

Fast Flash
Transmit Mode
Searching

Solid
Transmit Mode
Connected



Slow Flash
Receive Mode
Standby

Fast Flash
Receive Mode
Searching

Solid
Receive Mode
Connected

GETTING STARTED - CHARGING THE SPEAKER

BEFORE FIRST USE:

Charge the unit for 6 hours.

Connect the speaker to a power outlet to start charging.

When fully charged

RED LED +1, +2, +3

Will remain solid



When low on battery

RED LED will flash rapidly.

To indicate battery level

Long Press (3 seconds) the Color/Battery Indicator button.



1. Connect the power cable to the Solara speaker.
2. Plug the power cable into a wall outlet.
3. **Flip the Power switch to ON**
4. Solara will enter Bluetooth Pairing mode automatically. Pair with your Bluetooth device.




 When unplugged, the speaker will enter standby mode after 15 minutes of inactivity.

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LED COLOR FUNCTION


CHANGING COLORS

Short Press the Color/Battery Indicator  button to cycle through the preset colors:


Chrome (Demo Mode), Red, Dark Blue, Green, Purple, Amber, Light Blue, White

NOTE: Long Press (3 seconds) the Color/Battery Indicator  button to display battery capacity: (LOW, 1,2,3)

CHANGING LIGHT BRIGHTNESS/TIMER

Short Press the Light/Brightness  button to cycle through the preset brightness level:

100%, 75%, 50%, 25%, OFF.

Long Press (3 seconds) the Light/Brightness button  to adjust light timer duration:

2 Hours, 4 Hours, 6 Hours, 8 Hours

NOTE: When light is OFF, press  the key to turn light ON


AUTO MODE

Auto Mode will be enable/disable when light sensor in solar panel detects change from day to night or night to day.

Day Time (AUTO MODE ON): Lights will remain off during day time, unless user input changes light brightness, color, or enables timer.

Night Time (AUTO MODE ON): Lights will remain on during night time to the last color and brightness level setting that was used. **NOTE:** To disable **AUTO MODE** at night set brightness to 0%



Long Press (3 seconds) the Standby key  to enter Standby mode



For best sound it is recommended to turn the volume on your mobile device up.



3.5MM AUX INPUT (Cable Included)

1. Ensure the speaker is in AUX mode, if not press the **SOURCE** button until the green LED is solid.
2. Plug a the 3.5mm cable into the AUX port.
3. Connect your audio device to the AUX cable to play your music.
4. Control volume on the speaker.



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BLUETOOTH CONNECTION

1. Set the speaker source to Bluetooth (unpaired).
Blue LED will flash
2. Make sure the Bluetooth function is enabled on your device.
3. Place the Bluetooth device and speaker within pairing distance (~1 meter).
4. Press and hold the Bluetooth button for 3 seconds to enter pairing mode (**BLUE LED will flash fast**).
5. Search for Bluetooth connections on your device.
Select "Monster Solara."
6. The speaker will confirm connection with an audible message (**BLUE LED will turn solid**).



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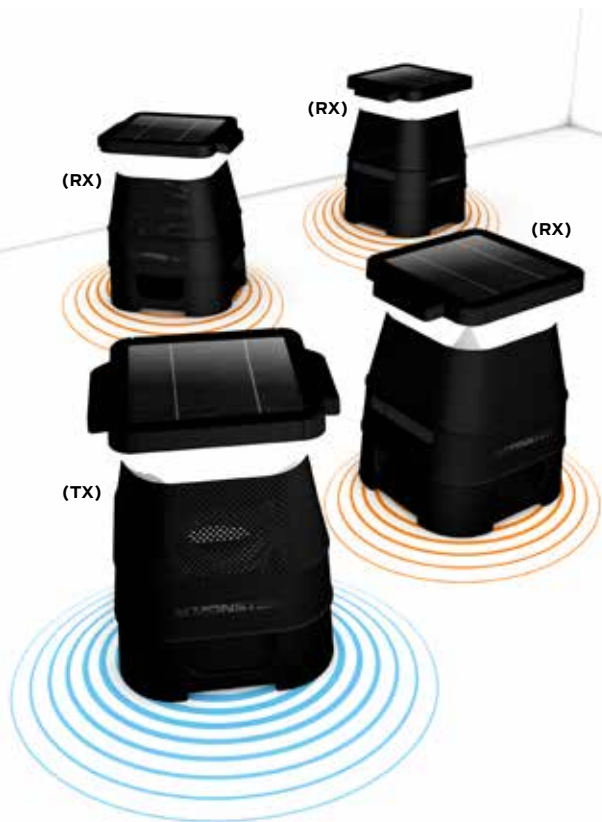


SOLARA
must be in
Bluetooth
Pairing Mode
(Fast Flash
Blue LED)
to connect
to device.



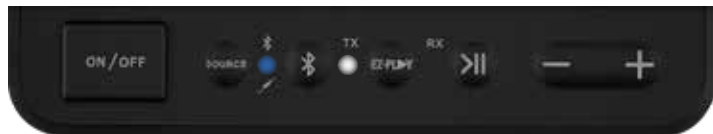
EZ-PLAY WIRELESS CONNECTION (ADDITIONAL SPEAKERS SOLD SEPARATELY)

The EZ-Play feature allows you to connect up to 8 compatible speakers and broadcast your favorite music through all speakers simultaneously – without using a single wire! Speakers can sync and play up to 30 meters apart from each other, and continue to function effectively through walls.



SET **TX** SPEAKER (TRANSMIT)

1. Make sure the speaker is powered on. The **Bluetooth BLUE LED** and **EZ-PLAY TRANSMIT (TX) WHITE LED** will flash slowly.



2. Press and hold the **EZ-PLAY** button for 3 seconds to put the speaker into Transmit Pairing Mode. The **TRANSMIT (TX) WHITE LED** will flash rapidly.



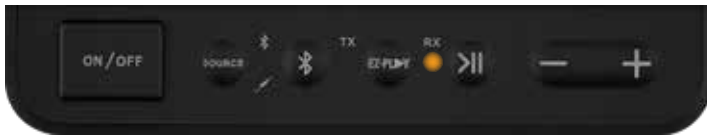
3. The **TX** speaker will automatically connect with **RX** speakers that are in Receive Pairing Mode and within pairing range (<30 meters).

SET RX SPEAKER (RECEIVING)

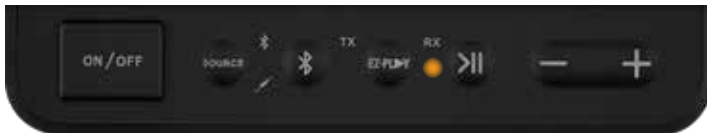
1. Make sure the speaker is powered on.
The **Bluetooth BLUE LED** and **EZ-PLAY TRANSMIT (TX) WHITE LED** will flash slowly.



2. Press the **EZ-PLAY** button to change the speaker mode from Transmit to Receive. The **RECEIVE (RX) AMBER LED** will flash slowly.



3. Press and hold the **EZ-PLAY** button for 3 seconds to put the speaker into Receive Pairing Mode. The **RECEIVE (RX) AMBER LED** will flash rapidly.



4. The RX speaker will automatically connect with a **TX** speaker that is in Transmit Pairing Mode and within pairing range (<3 meters). **RECEIVE (RX) AMBER LED** will stay solid.
5. Repeat steps to add up to 7 **RX** speakers. Play audio through up to 8 speakers at once.



HARNESS THE SUN

Wireless speakers can free your listening experience in ways that a corded speaker cannot. But even wireless speakers need time to recharge at the power outlet.

**The Solara speaker harnesses the sun's energy to recharge its power bank.
Every minute out in the sun means less time being spent plugged into a socket.**

By taking advantage of solar energy, you get to spend more time outdoors, enjoying the music you love and bask in the Solara experience.



SPECIFICATIONS

General	
Input(s)	Bluetooth 3.0 AUX EZ-Play USB (5V/1A)
Buttons	Wake Up Brightness/Light Timer Color/Battery Level Source Bluetooth EZ-PLAY Play/Pause Volume Down/UP
Switch	ON/OFF
LED Indicators	Transmit (TX) (White) Receive (RX) (Amber) AUX (Green) Bluetooth (Blue) Battery/Timer (Red x1, Green x3)
Power Input	5.5V/2.6A DC In
Power Saving	Auto off after 15 min.
Speaker Power	2 x 3.5W
Drive(s)	3.5" Full Range (x4) 6.5" Passive Radiator (x1)
THD + Noise	75dB
Cabinet Material	Plastic
Dimensions (W x H x D)	28.70" x 36.07" x 28.70"
Weight	4 kg
Operating Temperature	
Operating Temperature Range	0°C - 40°C
Operating Humidity Range	40~90% RH
Storage Temperature Range	-25°C to 70°C

IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

1. **Read all instructions** and save them for personal reference in the future.
2. **Follow all directions** for operating the product.
3. **Heed all warnings** on the product and in the operation instructions.
4. **Clean with a dry cloth only.** Always unplug the product from any power source before cleaning.
5. **Do not use third-party attachments** or non-recommended accessories with this product.
6. **Do not place product on an unstable surface,** such as a cart, stand, tripod, table, etc.
Unstable surfaces may cause the product to fall and cause serious injury to people and serious damage to the product. Follow all manufacturer instructions for mounting and accessories.
7. **Do not block or cover ventilation slots.** Openings in the product cabin ensure reliable operation and prevent overheating. Avoid placing on beds, sofas, and rugs, or mounting on racks or bookcases, unless proper ventilation is provided.
8. **Do not use plug incorrectly.** The product may come with a polarized, alternating-current line plug (one blade is wider/larger than the other). This is a safety feature: the plug will only go into outlet receptacles one way. Do not force the plug. If the plug does not fit, contact your electrician to replace the outlet.
9. **Prevent power cord hazards.** Route cords to avoid walking on them or pinching them, especially at plug ends and connection points to the product & power outlets.



IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS (CONTINUED)

10. **Unplug power cord when not in use.** The product should not be plugged into a power source when not in use for long periods of time.
11. **Do not use this product near bodies of water.** The product is not waterproof and cannot be fully submerged in water. Power cords and electric currents should never be exposed to water.
12. **Do not set up near heat sources.** Avoid radiators, stoves, heat registers, amplifiers, and other devices that produce heat. Avoid long exposure to sunlight and high temperatures.
13. **Refer all service to qualified personnel.** If the product becomes damaged during use or encounters a malfunction, contact qualified service personnel. Do not attempt to service yourself.
14. **To use wirelessly, disconnect AC plug completely.** The plug must be completely disconnected from the power outlet.
15. **Do not stand, sit, jump or strike** the Solara with sharp objects. The product may break and not function.
16. **Solar panel must be cleared of dust, leaves and water** to achieve maximum power conversion. Avoid using cleaning materials and manually dissecting parts.
17. **Solar panel may be hot when sitting under sun**, please use caution when touching.

HELP & TROUBLESHOOTING

No power / Will not turn on	Press the battery indicator button to check the current battery level. Plug into a power source and charge the speaker.
No sound playing	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Increase the volume on source device, press Volume Up (+). Ensure device is not muted.• Increase the volume on speaker, press Volume Up (+).• Ensure speaker is properly paired with the source device.• Press Play/Pause button on speaker.• If source device is outside Bluetooth range move speaker closer.
Smartphone / Tablet remote app isn't working	Ensure phone or tablet is properly paired with the Solara speaker.
LED button is flashing red	Please charge by plugging directly into wall outlet. Ensure that charging cable is not damaged.

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Phone: Telephone: 1300-792-219

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A lightning flash and arrowhead within an equilateral triangle denotes the presence of insulated “dangerous voltage” within the product’s enclosure. The voltage may be of sufficient magnitude to constitute a risk of electric shock to persons who come into contact with it.



An exclamation point within an equilateral triangle denotes the presence of important operation & maintenance/ service instructions.

WARNING

Prevent fire and shock hazards. Do not use extension cords or outlets that expose plug blades. Do not expose cables and plugs to rain or moisture.

Do not attempt to perform any servicing that is not included in the operating instructions. Do not attempt to replace the battery, as incorrect installation can cause fire or explosion. For service, contact qualified service personnel.

Do not remove cover or back of product. There are no user-serviceable parts inside. Attempting to modify controls or performance beyond manufacturer specifications may result in hazardous exposure to radiation.

LIMITED WARRANTY

Model: **MNSOLANZ-BLK**

To obtain warranty service:

Telephone: 1300-762-219
Email: monster.products@arisit.com

The Warranty

Subject to the following terms, Arisit Pty Limited will repair or replace any part of any eligible Arisit product that is defective within the warranty period indicated in the table below or refund you the cost of the replacement. The benefits to a consumer given by this warranty are in addition to other rights and remedies of the consumer under a law in relation to the goods or services to which the warranty relates.

Eligibility

1. To claim the benefit of this warranty you must:
 - (a) be the original purchaser of a genuine Arisit product from an authorised reseller (this warranty is not transferable);
 - (b) produce proof of your purchase; and
 - (c) provide the details required in the 'How to Claim' section below.
2. This warranty is limited to defects that arise:
 - (a) In the course of normal installation and use; and
 - (b) within the warranty period identified for the product in the table below, commencing on the date of original purchase.
3. This warranty excludes:
 - (a) defects arising from misuse, accident, neglect or improper care, fluctuation in electrical current, incorrect or failed software upgrade, damage or malfunction from incorrect assembly or installation, defects from alteration or modification, unauthorised service or repair.
4. Arisit may elect between repair, replacement or refund to honour this warranty, at its sole discretion.

In making a claim under this warranty, you agree that if, following receipt of your claim under this warranty, Arisit or its authorised service centre determine that your claim in respect of a product is invalid or you have provided false, inaccurate or misleading information with your claim, Arisit or its authorised service centre may charge you for any labour, parts or transport costs incurred.

How to Claim:

In order to make a claim under this warranty, take the following steps:

1. Attach your proof of purchase document(s) to this card and complete the following details:
Brand: _____ Model No: _____
Date of Purchase: _____ Where Purchased: _____
2. a) AUSTRALIA - Contact Arisit by telephone in Melbourne, Australia on 1300 726 219, or by emailing productreturns@arisit.com or by letter to ATTN: Product Returns, Arisit Pty Limited, 40-44 Mark Anthony Drive, Dandenong South, VIC 3175 and submit such details of your claim as Arisit requires.
b) NEW ZEALAND - Contact Arisit by telephone in Auckland on (+64) 9 306 1020, or by e-mailing sales2@arisit.co.nz or by letter to ATTN: Product Returns, Arisit Pty Limited, 1a Howe Street, Newton, Auckland 1145, NZ and submit such details of your claim as Arisit requires.
3. Deliver the product(s) to the address above or the original place of purchase.
4. You must bear any expense you incur in claiming this warranty.

Notice to Australian Consumers

Our goods come with guarantees that cannot be excluded under the Australian Consumer Law. You are entitled to a replacement or refund for a major failure and compensation for any other reasonably foreseeable loss or damage. You are also entitled to have the goods repaired or replaced if the goods fail to be of acceptable quality and the failure does not amount to a major failure.

Notice to New Zealand Consumers

Our goods come with guarantees that cannot be excluded under the Consumer Guarantees Act 1993. This warranty should not be construed as any attempt to contract out of or exclude any or the guarantees available to any consumers under this Act provided that you agree that the provisions of the Consumer Guarantees Act 1993 will not apply if you are acquiring the goods for the purpose of a business.

Warranty Period Use:

Brand	Category	Warranty Period
MONSTER	AUDIO	1 (One) Year

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