





#### **US VERSION**





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# IMPORTANT INSTRUCTIONS! PLEASE RETAIN!

Read through these instructions for use carefully before you use the device for the first time, and keep them for reference later. If you pass the device on to someone else, these instructions should also be provided.

The device should only be used as described in these instructions. The manufacturer and importer do not assume any liability if the device is not used according to these instructions.

If you have a question please contact our customer service by email: customer-service@earebel.com

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# **Explanation of the Symbols Used**



The symbols designate hazards. They warn users of risks of injury (e.g. electric shock or fire). Please read and carefully follow the safety precautions at the end of this list of hazard warning signs to avoid possible injury or death.



Read the instructions before use.



**==** Electrical symbol for direct current



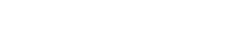
regulations. This device meets the specifications of Section 15 of FCC

#### **Designated Use**

- The headphones are suitable for Bluetooth®-(compatible) devices such as smartphones. They enable you to listen to music and make phone calls wirelessly.
- The device is meant for private household use and is not for commercial use.
- The device must only be used as described in the instructions for use. Any other type of use is deemed to be contrary to the intended purpose.
- Any modification of the device will be regarded as improper use and can lead to serious risk. The manufacturer accepts no liability for any damage or loss resulting from improper use.
- All defects which result from improper handling, damage or repair attempts are excluded from the warranty. This also applies to normal wear and tear.

#### IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR CONSUMERS

This device has been manufactured in compliance with the strict specifications and voltage requirements which apply in the country of intended use. If you have purchased this device online, by mail order and/or telephone sales, you must make sure that it is suitable for use in your country of residence.





NOTE: Using this device in any country other than the country for which it is destined could be dangerous and render the warranty of the manufacturer or the dealer null and void.

Please keep the sales receipt as evidence of purchase in the event of warranty claims.

#### **Safety Instructions**

If not properly used and / or used for some other purpose, the device may lead to hazards. The following safety precautions as well as the procedure described in these instructions must be followed.



#### Risk of injury!

- MORTAL DANGER OF SUFFOCATION! Keep children younger than 3 and animals well away from the packaging and the device, because it contains parts which could be swallowed.
- MORTAL DANGER OF CHEMICAL INJURY!
  - The device contains a battery which could be fatal if swallowed. Keep the device out of the reach of small children and animals.
  - Keep cells and batteries out of reach of children.
  - Seek medical advice immediately if a cell or battery has been swallowed. Contact your local poison control center.
- RISK OF BURNS FROM BATTERY ACID! If a battery leaks, avoid touching the skin, eyes or mucous membranes with the battery acid. In the event that the electrolyte comes into contact with the skin or eyes, immediately flush with fresh water for at least 15 minutes and seek medical advice.
- IMPROPER USE COULD LEAD TO INJURY! This device can be used by persons with reduced physical, sensory or mental capacities or with a lack of experience and/or know-how, provided that they are supervised or have been instructed in the safe use of the device and have understood the risks which are involved.

Children should be supervised if they use the device. It is not a toy.





- RISK OF INJURY FROM MAGNETIC FIELDS! This device generates magnetic fields that could interfere with implanted medical devices such as pacemakers or implanted defibrillators (ICDs). Affected persons should consult a doctor before using the device to find out whether it can influence the operation of their implanted medical device.
  - Always keep a distance of at least 10 cm between the article and an implanted medical device!
- DANGER OF HEARING DAMAGE! Hearing can be damaged if exposed to high volumes for too long or too suddenly. Hearing damage is irreversible! Before putting on the headphones, set the volume of the playback device to a minimum and then gradually increase it until a medium, pleasant volume is reached.
- RISK OF ELECTRIC SHOCK! Never touch the device and the connecting cable with wet hands when these components are connected to the power supply.
- RISK OF ACCIDENT! Take care of your own safety and the safety of others when the device is used during an activity that requires attention (e.g. on the road). Follow applicable laws regarding the use of smartphones and headphones. Remove the device or adjust the volume to ensure that ambient noise, such as alarms and warnings, is heard.



#### Fire and explosion hazards

- Batteries should not be placed into a fire. Failure to observe this precaution may result in an explosion/disassembly.
- Do not use this product in rooms containing highly flammable or explosive substances.
- Do not expose the battery and headphones to high temperatures (above 158°F / 70°C) (hair dryer, heating, long exposure to sunlight, etc.). The battery could overheat and explode.
- Do not crush or puncture the battery! Do not expose the battery to high pressure that could cause an internal short-circuit and overheating.
- The headphones and their battery must not be taken apart, thrown into fire, immersed in liquids or short-circuited.





#### Damage to property and articles

Do not immerse the headphones and the connecting lead in water or other liquids and make sure that they cannot fall into the water. Do not wear the article for water sports (e.g. swimming, water skiing, surfing).

- Protect the headphones and the connection cable against: Moisture, frost, extreme heat, dust, electrostatic interference, shock and high pressure. Do not place heavy objects on the headphones or the connecting cable.
- Connect and charge the headphones only to a power source that matches the headphone specifications.
- Keep the headphones away from magnetic data carriers to avoid data loss due to the generated magnetic field!
- In the event of damage / malfunctions, switch off the device immediately.
- Do not use the headphones and USB cable if they are damaged, modified or if liquid has entered them.
- Never repair or modify the headphones and connecting cable yourself, but always contact customer service or a specialist workshop to ensure your own safety.
- Only use original spare parts by the manufacturer. Use of parts not authorized by the manufacturer renders the warranty null and void.
- Use the device only in environments where Bluetooth® wireless technology is permitted.
- If the battery is not used for a longer period of time, recharge it regularly (approx. every 3 months).
- Long storage or long use can impair the quality of the ear cushions.

# Scope of Supply

- 1 cap or headband
- 1 pair of headphones
- 1 USB cable (A plug to micro-B plug)
- 2 spare ear cushions
- 1 instruction manual







#### **Before First Use**

1 Check that everything is complete and no damage has occurred during transport. In case of damage do not use the device (!), but contact customer service at customer-service@earebel.com

**2** Fully charge the battery (see below).

# **Charging the Battery**

- Only use a USB cable (A plug to micro-B plug) to charge the battery.
- Only charge the battery at an ambient temperature of 50° F to 104° F / 10° C to 40° C. In an environment that is too cold, the charging time could increase, and in an environment that is too hot, the battery could overheat.



Connect the micro USB cable to the jack on the headphones and to a power source (e.g. computer). During the charging process, the LED lights up red and switches off as soon as the battery is fully charged.

The battery is not replaceable by the user. If you have problems with the battery, contact customer service at **customer-service@earebel.com** 









# **Setting Up the Headphones**

Place the headphones with the *earebel* logo on the right side and with the *e* logo on the left side.



# Only in the case of models with a slit in the fleece strip on the inside:

Guide the headphones through the slit in the fleece with the ear cushion upwards. Push them up to the round opening in the cap, while paying attention to the left and right sides.



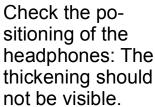




Push the headphone from the inside of the cap/headband outwards through the round opening.

Press the thickening at the edge of the opening into the headphones.





(Similar to illustrations.)





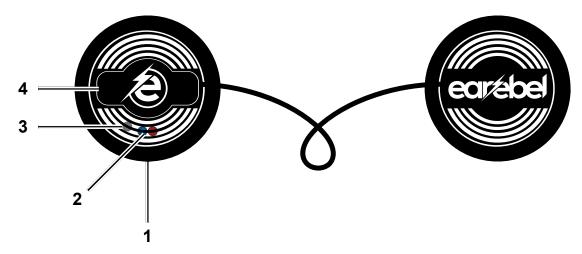


Wrong!

- 6 Repeat steps 1 to 4 on the other side with the second headphone.
- 7 Now connect your earebel to a smartphone or player and enjoy perfect sound!



#### **Headphone Components**



- 1 Micro-USB socket for charging
- 2 LED
- 3 Microphone for telephoning
- 4 Soft-touch operating panel



# Connecting the Headphones via Bluetooth®



Press for 5 seconds

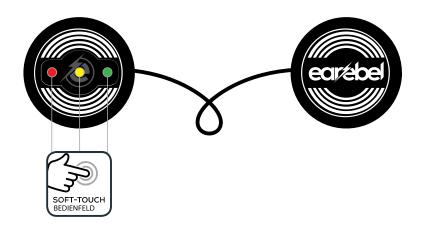
- To connect the headphones to a smartphone or other Bluetooth®-enabled device, press the Play/ Pause button (on the soft-touch panel) for 5 seconds until the LED alternately flashes blue and red. Now the headphones can be found by Bluetooth ®-enabled devices.
- 2 Switch on Bluetooth® on the Bluetooth®-enabled device and start the search for available devices.
- 3 "Select "Earebel" and connect. As soon as both devices are connected, the LED lights up blue only.

NOTICE: To conserve battery power, the headphones automatically turn off when there is no Bluetooth® connection for 5 minutes.



# **Operating the Headphones**

INTERFERENCE WITH OTHER ELECTRICAL DEVICES!! Radios and televisions in the vicinity can cause interference with reception. Operate the device at an appropriate distance from radios and televisions.



POWER ON

POWER OFF

CONNECTION MODE

Press and hold for approx. 3 sec.

Press and hold for approx. 3 sec.

Press and hold for approx. 5 sec.

PHONE

Answer/Hang up

MUSIC Play/Pause

Press once

Press once

PREVIOUS TRACK

TILLVIOUS TRACK

REDUCE VOLUME

Press once

Press and hold

NEXT TRACK

INCREASE VOLUME

Press once

Press and hold







# **Cleaning and Storage**

- Never submerge the headphones in water or other liquids!
- Never use abrasive or aggressive cleaning agents for cleaning.
- Wipe the headphones with a damp cloth only.
- To wash the cap/headband, remove the headphones and follow the care instructions on the label.

# **Changing Ear Cushions**

If the ear cushions are damaged or worn, they must be replaced.

- 1 Remove the old ear cushions from the headphones.
- 2 Remove the new ear cushions from the foil and stick them on the headphones.

# **Technical Specifications**

Headphones model: SF543/BTS

Sensitivity: -35 dB (microphone)

120 +/- 3 dB (headphones)

Frequency range: 20 Hz – 20 kHz

Max. input: 0.5 W Impedance:  $16 \Omega$ 

Bluetooth® version: Vimicro 4.1

Bluetooth® range: 10 m

Power supply: 5 V DC 500 mA

(3.7 V lithium polymer battery)

Battery capacity: 180 mAh

Battery life: approx. 500 charging cycles

Battery charging time: approx. 2 hours if completely empty

Operating time: approx. 8 hours at full volume;

approx. 30 hours standby (POWER ON,

but without Bluetooth® connection)

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Model: SF543/BTS

# **FCC** statement

This device complies with Part 15 of the FCC Rules.

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.

The grantee is not responsible for any changes or modifications not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance. Such modifications could void the user's authority to operate the equipment.

The RF Exposure Compliance distance is 5 millimeters.

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:

- Reorient or relocate the receiving antenna.
- 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.







#### **Disposal**

The **packaging** should be disposed of at a local recycling facility and in compliance with all federal, state and local regulations.

The device should not be disposed of with regular household trash. For information about disposing of the device at the end of its useful life, please contact your local administration.

Improper disposal of batteries can harm the environment! Defective or empty batteries must be recycled. Take your batteries and/or the device to a local collecting point. Never throw batteries into household trash. They can contain heavy metals and are classed as hazardous waste. The chemical symbols for heavy metals are: Cd = cadmium, Hg = quicksilver, Pb = lead. You should therefore take your batteries to a local collecting point.



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