



FRESH 'N REBEL

# **ROCKBOX #3**

Full manual

# WELCOME!

Rockbox is the new portable speaker series in town. Pair it with your phone or tablet via Bluetooth to bring your music to life or use it as a speakerphone to make hands-free calls. With its stellar sound, long battery life and smart design Rockbox is sure to steal your heart.

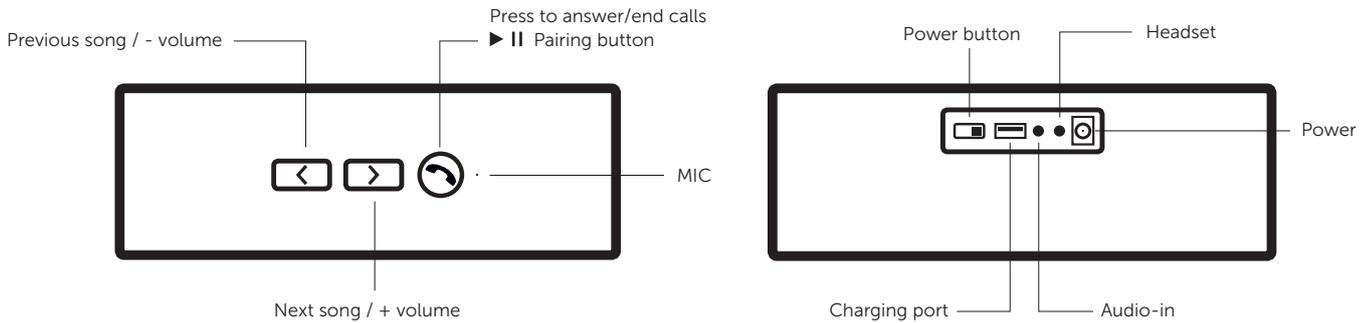


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# 1. Meet Rockbox #3

## a. Rockbox #3 overview



## b. Push my buttons. Get to know the control buttons

### When connected via Bluetooth

>  
Press short: next song  
Press long: volume up  
Press long until you hear the sound signal: maximum volume

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Press short: start of the song or pressed within the first 2 seconds of song: previous song  
Press long: volume down

### Speakerphone button

Press short while playing a song: pause  
Press short while on pause: play  
Press long while playing a song: end Bluetooth connection  
Press short while receiving a call: take call  
Press long while receiving a call: reject call  
Press short while answering a call: end call

### When connected via Cable

No button control, your Rockbox #3 is automatically on maximum volume

## c) What's blinking? Get to know the LEDs

Connection LED is **blue** and blinking fast  
Waiting for a Bluetooth connection

Connection LED is **blue** and blinking slow  
Connected via Bluetooth

Connection LED is **blue** and solid  
Connected via the audio cable

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## 2. Fuel up (charging)

### a) How to charge

For best results, fully charge your Rockbox #3 before use. If you cannot wait, use it while it's charging and enjoy the music!

Plug the Rockbox #3 into an available USB port of your PC or Notebook with the supplied micro USB charging cable. While your Rockbox #3 is charging, the LED light will be orange.

## **b) Use the Rockbox #3 to charge other devices**

With the USB port of the Rockbox #3 you can charge your mobile devices, handy if the phone that you are using to play the music is running out of battery.

Simply connect the mobile device to the Rockbox #3 with a USB cable and start charging your mobile device.

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## **3. Connect to your Rockbox #3**

### **a. Connect wirelessly via Bluetooth**

Your Rockbox #3 can wirelessly play your music from any Bluetooth device such as Smartphones, Tablets, MP3 players, notebooks and PCs.

**Just follow the steps:**

#### **1. Prepare your Rockbox #3 for pairing**

Turn on your Rockbox #3 by switching the On/Off button.  
You will a short sound signal when it is ready to connect.

#### **2. Prepare your Bluetooth device for pairing by enabling Bluetooth**

##### **iPhone, iPod or iPad**

1. Go to "Settings"
2. Go to "General"
3. Enable Bluetooth

##### **Android phone or Tablet**

1. Go to "Settings"
2. Go to "Bluetooth"
3. Enable Bluetooth

##### **Mac OS X**

1. Click the Bluetooth icon in the menu bar in the upper-right of your display
2. Turn Bluetooth on

##### **Windows 7**

1. Click the "Start button"
2. Click "Control Panel"
3. In the search box, type "Bluetooth"
4. Click "Change Bluetooth settings"
5. In the dialog box, click the "Options" tab
6. Select the check box for "Allow Bluetooth devices" to connect to this computer

##### **Windows 8**

1. Move the mouse to the lower right so that several icons begin to appear
2. Move the mouse upward to reveal them
3. Click "Settings"
4. Click "Change PC Settings"
5. Click "PC and devices"
6. Under Bluetooth, turn Bluetooth on

### **3. Pair your Bluetooth device with your Rockbox #3**

##### **iPhone, iPod or iPad**

1. After you have turned Bluetooth on, a list of all the discoverable devices appears
2. Tap the Rockbox #3 to connect to it
3. You will hear a short double beep when the connection is successful

### **Android phone or Tablet**

1. Click "Search for devices"
2. Tap the Rockbox #3 to connect to it
3. You will hear a short double beep when the connection is successful

### **Mac OS X**

1. Click the Bluetooth icon in the menu bar in the upper-right of your display
2. Click "Set up Bluetooth Device"
3. Follow the instructions
4. You will hear a short double beep when the connection is successful

### **Windows 7**

1. Click the "Start button"
2. Click "Devices and Printers"
3. Click "Add a device"
4. Select the Rockbox #3 from the list of Bluetooth devices and follow the instruction
5. You will hear a short double beep from your Rockbox #3 when the connection is successful

### **Windows 8**

1. Move the mouse to the lower right so that several icons begin to appear
2. Move the mouse upward to reveal them
3. Click "Settings"
4. Click "Change PC Settings"
5. Click "PC and devices"
6. Click "Bluetooth"
7. Select the Rockbox #3 from the list of Bluetooth devices and follow the instruction
8. You will hear a short double beep from your Rockbox #3 when the connection is successful

### **b) Connect via the audio cable**

No Bluetooth? Your Rockbox #3 also connects via 3.5mm stereo audio cable.

1. Take the supplied cable
2. Connect one end to your Rockbox #3
3. Connect the other end to any device with a headphone jack or audio output

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## **4. Make some noise! Play music with your Rockbox #3**

Music selected on your connected device will automatically play on your Rockbox #3. If you don't hear music, ensure you are connected and that the volume is turned up.

### **Control the music with your Bluetooth device**

Use your connected device (Smartphone, Tablet, notebook, PC) to skip tracks, pause, turn the volume up and down.

### **Control the music using the buttons on the Rockbox #3**

Check the button description under 1b to find out what you can do.

### **Note**

While a device is connected to the speaker via the audio cable, it is not possible to connect a mobile device via Bluetooth simultaneously. To connect via Bluetooth the audio cable has to be unplugged first.

## 5. Hellos and how are yous. Calling with your Rockbox #3

When you are connected to your Rockbox #3 via Bluetooth, calls received are automatically transferred to your Rockbox #3. The Rockbox #3 will work as a speakerphone.

### Taking calls

Use your connected Smartphone to answer calls. Alternatively have a look at 1b and use the buttons on the Rockbox #3 to take, end or reject calls.

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## 6. Use your Rockbox #3 to stream music to your home stereo

Did you know you can use your Rockbox #3 to stream music via Bluetooth to your home stereo or active speaker set?

Simply use an audio cable and plug in one end into the AUDIO OUT connector of your Rockbox #3 and the other end into the AUDIO IN of your home stereo or active speaker set. Done!

Now you have added Bluetooth capability to your home stereo or active speaker set. Any music streamed to the Rockbox #3 via Bluetooth will be played on your home stereo or active speaker set!

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## 7. Troubleshooting

### I hear some distortions. What do I do?

Lower the volume of the Rockbox #3 on your phone. Also make sure it is charged up.

### My Rockbox #3 lost the Bluetooth connection. What do I do?

Move the Rockbox #3 closer to your Bluetooth device. Your Rockbox #3 will automatically reconnect if you are in range.

### I can't pair my Bluetooth device with the Rockbox #3. What do I do?

We have tried to add explanations for as many devices as possible in this user guide. However, every Bluetooth device is different. Please check the user guide for your specific device.

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## 8. Other things you might want to know

### Do I have to pair my Rockbox #3 with my Bluetooth device every time I want to use it?

No, once paired with a device, Rockbox #3 will automatically reconnect when powered on. Of course, Bluetooth has to be enabled on your Bluetooth device as well.

### My Bluetooth device is asking for a PIN or Password to connect to Rockbox #3. What do I do?

When asked for a Pin or Password enter 0000 and confirm.

### Can I connect two Bluetooth devices at once?

No, it is not possible for two Bluetooth devices to be connected at once.

### How can I get the best sound out of my Rockbox #3?

For best sound, make sure your Rockbox #3 is resting on solid ground.