# AQUAPHONICS AQ9

User Guide

# **SPEAKER ANATOMY**

### **AQ9 ANATOMY**



#### **Power Button**

Long press to turn on and off Short press to check battery level

#### Lock Switch

Flip to lock and unlock all buttons

#### **3.5 mm Auxiliary Audio Jack** Stream by wire

### Charge Port

Plug in and charge up

### **AQ9 ANATOMY**



Mic

Make and take calls hands free

Pair

Connect to Bluetooth devices

Play

Press to get the party started Press to take calls Forward

Advance to the next track

Volume Down

Hush your music

**Volume Up** Amplify your music

### **AQ9 ANATOMY**



**Carabiner** Attach speaker almost anywhere

#### A09 QUICK START

Make sure the Lock Switch is flipped to unlocked

Press the Power button until you hear chimes

AQ9 automatically goes into pairing mode, and the Pair LED blinks

Go to your device's Bluetooth settings, pick LIFEPROOF AQ9 and follow the manufacturer's pairing instructions

When you connect, AQ9 chimes and the Pair LED slowly pulses

To connect a different device, press the Pair button until it blinks and chimes, and follow the same steps

Pick a track and hit Play

Use the Volume Up, Volume Down and Forward buttons to control the music

Press Play to pause the music - press it again to resume

Press and hold the Power button until you hear a chime to turn AQ9 off

# **CARABINER**

#### **AQ9 CARABINER**

Slide latch down to release carabiner arm

Loop it through the mounting spot

Swing carabiner arm back into place until you hear a click

To disconnect AQ9 slide latch down, unloop and swing carabiner arm into place until you hear a click

## LOCK SWITCH

#### **LOCKING AQ9**

Once you have your settings dialed in, you can lock them down with the Lock Switch

Flip it to the Unlocked icon to bring function back

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If a call comes through while Locked, flip to Unlocked to answer

Flip the Lock Switch to the Locked icon to shut down button functions

## **CHARGING**

#### **CHARGING AQ9**

Use the included micro-USB cable to charge AQ9 (indoors only)

Connect the USB cable to AQ9 first, then plug into a USB power source

Most USB power sources will work, but we recommend 5V, 2A

The Power Level LEDs light up to show the charging progress — each illuminated LED represents

Disconnect the micro-USB cable when AQ9 reaches 100% charge

approximately 25% of capacity

To check the power level, short press the Power button and count the illuminated LEDs

## HANDS-FREE CALLING

#### **HANDS-FREE CALLS**

When you're connected to AQ9, you can take calls through the speaker

As the call comes in, the music stops and AQ9 turns into a speakerphone

Press Play to answer

Talk towards the mic for optimal sound clarity

When the call ends, press Play to hang up — the music picks back up

Note: If you don't want to answer through the speaker, select the desired output from your device

# AUX JACK

#### 3.5 MM AUXILIARY AUDIO JACK

AQ9 has a 3.5 mm Auxiliary Audio Jack to stream by wire

Connect the cable to the audio source first, then plug into the 3.5 mm Auxiliary Audio Jack

AQ9 automatically switches to play from the audio source

Disconnect the cable to switch back to Bluetooth streaming

## LIFEACTÍV **ACCESSORIES**

#### AQ9 + LIFEACTÍV QUICKMOUNT ACCESSORIES

Use your speaker in new ways and places with LIFEACTÍV QuickMount accessories (sold separately)

Adhere a QuickMount Adaptor (included with accessories) to the square-shaped depression on the

Connect AQ9 with a click and remove with a simple twist

#### Works with:

back of AQ9

Belt Clip with QuickMount Bike + Bar Mount with QuickMount

Suction Mount with QuickMount Multipurpose Mount with QuickMount

Armhand with QuickMount

# **CARE**

#### **CARING FOR YOUR AQ9**

Wipe with a dry cloth if it gets dirty

Do not use solvents, chemicals, cleaning solutions, alcohol, ammonia or abrasives

Rinse with fresh water after exposure to soap, chlorine or seawater

# WARNING

#### SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

Read, heed and refer back to these instructions and warnings

Use in accordance with LifeProof instructions

Do not store your speaker in extremely cold or hot places

Only use attachments/accessories specified by LifeProof

Unplug your speaker during lightning storms or when unused for long periods of time

Information such as model number, electrical rating and other classifications is located on the back of your speaker

Do not expose this device to excessive heat or place in a fire

Device contains no user serviceable parts — do not attempt to disassemble, modify or repair this device

Dispose of this product properly and in accordance to local disposal requirements — do not dispose in trash or fire

Failure to follow the above warnings may result in damage to persons or property, so please follow all warnings!

**Water**: Your speaker is waterproof to 1 meter for 30 minutes. Prolonged exposure is not recommended.

**Drop**: Your speaker is drop proof to 1.2 meters. After major impacts, inspect for damage, including port cover seals.

**Heat**: Never expose your speaker to fire, flame or lighted candles. Do not install near heat sources like radiators, heat registers, stoves, amplifiers or other apparatuses that produce heat.

**Battery**: Do not leave a battery on prolonged charge when not in use. The battery provided with your speaker is not user serviceable. Contact LifeProof Customer Service for all battery related issues.

Charging: The charger provided is designed for indoor use only. Charge your speaker with the micro-USB cable. Make sure the micro-USB cable is fully inserted into the speaker before plugging the other end into a USB power source.

**Repair**: Never dismantle your speaker. Refer all servicing to qualified service personnel. Servicing is required when your speaker has been damaged in any way. Contact LifeProof Customer Service.

## **SUPPORT**

#### A09 SUPPORT

#### Visit www.lifeproof.com/speakers for support

Life Support: If the LifeProof product was purchased from a retailer or other reseller of LifeProof product, you should first contact that retailer/reseller to ask about their return policy.

If you are within the return policy of your retailer/reseller, you should return your LifeProof product to them.

If you are no longer covered by the return/refund policy of that retailer/reseller, please contact LifeProof support

Customer Service: USA + Canada 1.888.533.0735 Toll Free www.lifeproof.com/support

# WARRANTY

### AQ9 LIMITED WARRANTY

All LifeProof products are backed by a limited warranty. Product warranty only covers the LifeProof product – it does not cover any non-LifeProof product or device. Otter Products, LLC together with its affiliated entities worldwide is the company responsible for providing this warranty coverage. Visit www.lifeproof.com/policies-and-warranties for more information.

# REGULATIONS

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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.

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. FCC radiation exposure statement: This equipment complies with FCC radiation exposure limits set forth for an uncontrolled environment. This transmitter must not be co-located or operating in conjunction with any other antenna or transmitter.

IC Statement: This device complies with Industry Canada license-exempt RSS standard(s). Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) This device may not cause interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference, including interference that may cause undesired operation of the device.

IC Radiation Exposure Statement: This equipment complies with Canada radiation exposure limits

set forth for uncontrolled environments. This transmitter must not be co-located or operating in conjunction with any other antenna or transmitter.

#### European RED statement:

Hereby, Otter Products, LLC, declares that the radio equipment type LPSAN-005-A, LPSAN-0006-A, and LPSAN-0007A are in compliance with Directive 2014/53/EU. The full text of the EU Declaration of Conformity is available for each model at www.lifeproof.com/speakers

Bluetooth Specification: Bluetooth Version: 4.2 (All Models)

Frequency band: 2.4GHz band (All Models)

Maximum output power LPSAN-0006-A AQ10: 0.83 mW

Maximum output power LPSAN-0007-A AQ11: 0.96 mW

CE Mark: Please refer to www.lifeproof.com/speakers for a European Declaration of Conformity showing the product standards that this product is in compliance with and why Otter Products,

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information for this product.

WEEE: This symbol on the product and/or accompanying documents means that used electrical and electronic products should not be mixed with general household waste. For proper treatment, recovery and recycling, please take this product to a designated collection point where it will be accepted free of charge. Alternatively, in some countries you may be able to return your product to your local retailer upon purchase of an equivalent new product. Disposing of this product correctly will help save valuable resources and prevent any potential negative effects on human health and the environment, which could otherwise arise from inappropriate waste handling. Please contact your local authority for further details of your nearest designated collection point.



Please refer to www.lifeproof.com/speakers for additional regulatory information.

Regulatory Model Number (RMN): LPSAN-0005-A.

# **LEGAL**

#### **LEGAL NOTICES**

Though all LifeProof products are tested to meet stated claims, your device can still be damaged. It is your responsibility to take reasonable precautions regarding how you use your device. Expose your device to hazards at your own risk. The LifeProof product warranty only covers the LifeProof product — it does not cover any non-LifeProof product or device, and does not provide warranty protection in all circumstances. Consult the LifeProof product warranty for full details.

For maximum protection, follow all instructions regarding your LifeProof product, and never substitute or otherwise rely on a LifeProof product instead of regular backups or device insurance.

Do not use a damaged LifeProof product for protection!

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