

PHILIPS

Headphones

4000 Series

TAE4205



User manual

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1 Important safety instructions

Hearing Safety



Danger

- To avoid hearing damage, limit the time you use headphones at high volume and set the volume to a safe level. The louder the volume, the shorter the safe listening time is.

Be sure to observe the following guidelines when using your headphone.

- Listen at reasonable volumes for reasonable periods of time.
- Be careful not to adjust the volume continuously upwards as your hearing adapts.
- Do not turn up the volume so high that you can't hear what's around you.
- You should use caution or temporarily discontinue use in potentially hazardous situations.
- Excessive sound pressure from earphones and headphones can cause hearing loss.
- Using headphones with both ears covered while driving is not recommended and may be illegal in some areas while driving.
- For your safety, avoid distractions from music or phone calls while in traffic or other potentially dangerous environments.

General information

To avoid damage or malfunction:

Caution

- Do not expose headphones to excessive heat
- Do not drop your headphones.
- Headphones shall not be exposed to dripping or splashing.
- Do not allow your headphones to be submerged in water.
- Do not use any cleaning agents containing alcohol, ammonia, benzene, or abrasives.
- If cleaning is required use a soft cloth, if necessary dampened with a minimum amount of water or diluted mild soap, to clean the product.
- The integrated battery shall not be exposed to excessive heat such as sunshine, fire or the like.
- Danger of explosion if battery is incorrectly replaced. Replace only with the same or equivalent type.

About operating and storage temperatures and humidity

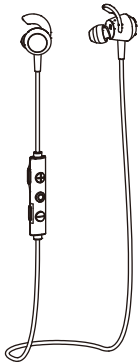
- Operate or store in a place where temperature is between -20°C (4°F) and 60°C (140°F) (up to 90% relative humidity).
- Battery life may be shorter in high or low temperature conditions.

2 Your Bluetooth in-ear headphones

Congratulations on your purchase, and welcome to Philips! To fully benefit from the support that Philips offers, register your product at www.philips.com/welcome. With this Philips in-ear headphones, you can:

- enjoy convenient wireless handsfree calls;
- enjoy and control wireless music;
- switch between calls and music.

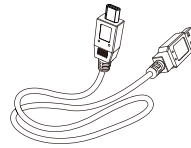
What's in the box



Philips Bluetooth in-ear headphones
Philips TAE4205



Replaceable rubber ear caps x 2 pairs



USB-C charging cable (for charging only)



Quick start guide



Global Warranty

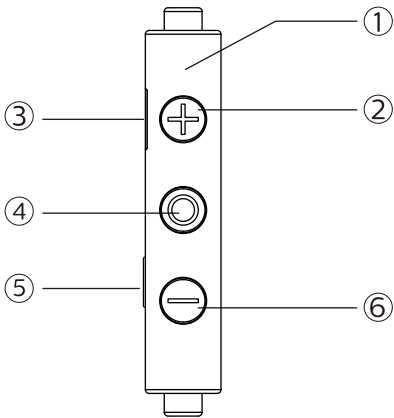



Safety leaflet

Other devices

A mobile phone or device (e.g. notebook, PDA, Bluetooth adapters, MP3 players etc) which supports Bluetooth and is compatible to the headphone (see 'Technical data' on page 8).

Overview of your Bluetooth wireless headphone



- ① LED indicator
- ② Next / Volume up
- ③ Charging slot
- ④  (Power On / Off / Pairing)
- ⑤ BASS+ button
- ⑥ Previous/Volume down

3 Get started

Charge the battery

Note

- Before you use your headphone for the first time, place the headphones in the charging case and charge the battery for 2 hours for optimum battery capacity and lifetime.
- Use only the original USB charging cable to avoid any damage.
- Finish your call before charging the headphone, as connecting the headphone for charging will power the headphone off.

Connect the supplied USB charging cable to the charging slot on the headphones and the charger/USB port of a computer.

LED turns white during charging and turns off when the headphones is fully charged.

Tip

- Normally, a full charge takes 2 hours.

Pair the headphones with your mobile phone

Before you use the headphones with your mobile phone for the first time, pair it with a mobile phone. A successful pairing establishes a unique encrypted link between the headphones and mobile phone. The headphones store the last 4 devices in the memory. If you try to pair more than 4 devices, the earliest paired device is replaced by the new one.

- 1 Make sure that the headphones are fully charged and turned off.
- 2 Press and hold the on/off button(>6s), blue and whites LED flashes alternately which means the headphones enter Bluetooth pairing mode. The headphones remain in pairing mode for 5 minutes.
- 3 Make sure that the mobile phone is turned on and its Bluetooth feature is activated.
- 4 Pair the headphones with the mobile phone. For detailed information, refer to the user manual of your mobile phone.

Tip

- Enter the headset password "0000" (4 zeros) if prompted. For those mobile phones featuring Bluetooth 3.0 or higher, no need to enter a password

Download Philips Headphones app

Download and install the Philips Headphones app from Google Play store or App Store on your mobile phone.

When your headset is connected to the mobile phone, you can launch the Philips Headphones app and use features listed as below:

- ↳ Adjust volume
- ↳ Adjust equalizer
- ↳ Check the status of remaining battery
- ↳ Headset software update

4 Use your headphone

Connect the headphone to your Bluetooth device

- 1 Turn on your mobile phone/ Bluetooth device.
- 2 Press and hold the on/off button (>2s) to turn the headphones on.
 - ↳ The headphones are reconnected to the last connected device automatically. If the last one is not available, the headphones try to reconnect to the second last connected device.

Tip

- If you turn on the mobile phone or activate the Bluetooth feature after turning on the headphones, you have to reconnect the headphones and mobile phone manually.
- If the headphones fail to connect to any Bluetooth device within range in 5 minutes, it will switch off automatically to save the battery life.

Manage your calls and music

On/off

Task	Button	Operation
Power on	On/off, music/call control	Press and hold (>2s)
Power off	On/off, music/call control	Press and hold (>4s)

Music control

Task	Button	Operation
Play or pause music.	On/off, music/call control	Press once.
Adjust volume	+/-	Press once.
Next track	+	Long press.
Previous track	-	Long press.
Bass boost	Bass button	Press once.

Call control

Task	Button	Operation
Pick up/hang up a call.	On/off, music/call control	Press once.
Reject a call	On/off, music/call control	Press and hold (>2s)

Triger voice assistant (Android/iOS)

Task	Button	Operation
Triger voice assistant	On/off, music/call control	Press twice

Factory Reset

Task	Button	Operation
Factory reset	Volume + and -	Press and hold together (>4s)

Summary of LED indicator

Headphones status	Indicator
The headphones are connected to a mobile phone.	The blue LED flashes for every 5 seconds.
The headphones are disconnected to a mobile phone	The blue LED flashes for every 10 seconds.
The headphones are ready for pairing.	The LED flashes blue and white alternatively.
Low battery level.	White LED double flashes Trigger once in 60 seconds.
Charging	The white LED turns on until battery is fully charged.

5 Technical data

- Music time: 10 hours
Talk time: 8 hours
- Standby time: 60 hours
Normal time for a full charge: 2 hours
- Battery: Rechargeable lithium polymer battery (100 mAh)
- Bluetooth version: 5.0
- Compatible Bluetooth profiles:
- Bluetooth profile: HSP, HFP, A2DP, AVRCP
- Operating range: Up to 10 meters (33 feet)
- Speaker driver: 8.6mm
- Transmitter power: < 10 dBm
- Frequency response: 20 – 20kHz
- DImpedance: 16 ohm
- Sensitivity: 108.5db/1mW/1000Hz
- Distortion: <3%@1kHz THD
- Maximum power input: 5mW
- USB-C port for charging
- Low battery warning: available



Note

- Specifications are subject to change without notice.

6 Notice

Declaration of conformity

Hereby, MMD Hong Kong Holding Limited declares that this product is in compliance with the essential requirements and other relevant provisions of Directive 2014/53/EU. You can find the Declaration of Conformity on www.p4c.philips.com.

Disposal of your old product and battery



Your product is designed and manufactured with high quality materials and components, which can be recycled and reused.



This symbol on a product means that the product is covered by European Directive 2012/19/EU.



This symbol means that the product contains a built-in rechargeable battery covered by European Directive 2013/56/EU which cannot be disposed of with normal household waste. We strongly advise you to take your product to an official collection point or a Philips service centre to have a professional remove the rechargeable battery. Inform yourself about the local separate collection system for electrical and electronic products and rechargeable batteries. Follow local rules and never dispose of the product and rechargeable batteries with normal household waste. Correct disposal of old products and rechargeable batteries helps prevent negative consequences for the environment and human health.

Remove the integrated battery

If there is no collection/recycling system for electronic products in your country, you can protect the environment by removing and recycling the battery before disposing the headphones.

- Make sure the headphone is disconnected from the charging case before removing the battery.



Compliance with EMF

This product complies with all applicable standards and regulations regarding exposure to electromagnetic fields.

Environmental information

All unnecessary packaging has been omitted. We have tried to make the packaging easy to separate into three materials: cardboard (box), polystyrene foam (buffer) and polyethylene (bags, protective foam sheet.)

Your system consists of materials which can be recycled and reused if disassembled by a specialized company. Please observe the local regulations regarding the disposal of packaging materials, exhausted batteries and old equipment.

Notice of compliance

The device complies with the FCC rules, Part 15. 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.

FCC rules

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 instruction manual, 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 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.

Caution: The user is cautioned that changes or modifications not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate the equipment.

Canada:

This device contains licence-exempt transmitter(s)/receiver(s) that comply with Innovation, Science and Economic Development Canada's licence-exempt RSS(s). 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 of the device.

CAN ICES-3(B)/NMB-3(B)

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.

7 Trademarks

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8 Frequently asked questions

My Bluetooth headphone does not turn on.

The battery level is low. Charge the headphone.

I cannot pair my Bluetooth headphones with my Bluetooth device.

The Bluetooth is disabled. Enable the Bluetooth feature on your Bluetooth device and turn on the Bluetooth device before you turn on the headphone.

The audio quality is poor and crackling noise can be heard.

- The Bluetooth device is out of range. Reduce the distance between your headset and Bluetooth device, or remove obstacles between them.
- Charge your headset.

How to reset the headset

- Power on the headset.
- Press and hold vol+ and vol- button together for more than 4 second.

For further support, visit www.philips.com/support.



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