



5 Speaker **iQS** -iQS™ 3D Surround

with Bluetooth wireless

# MODEL Zeno



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Before attempting to connect, operate or adjust this product, please read these instructions carefully, and keep this manual for future reference

### Description:

The Zeno is a compact table top 3.1 speaker system with wireless Bluetooth connectivity and SoniQ **iQS™** surround processing. The superior surround technology is accomplished using a proprietary analog signal processing chip operating with a special algorithm based on Natural Audio Processing which preserves all the directionality and clarity of the original audio source while creating an incredible, immersive 3D sound field environment that envelops the listener without adding any artificial artifacts or unnatural, over-processed effects. The surround performance adapts to any audio content, whether pure stereo or surround encoded recording, and works equally well for any media, including music, movies, and TV.

Any Bluetooth enabled portable device can easily be connected wirelessly to the Zeno, which also includes an Auxiliary stereo input for all other sources, including MP3 players, DVD players, set top boxes, TV audio outputs, laptops, or anything with line level or headphone audio output.

### **KEY FEATURES**

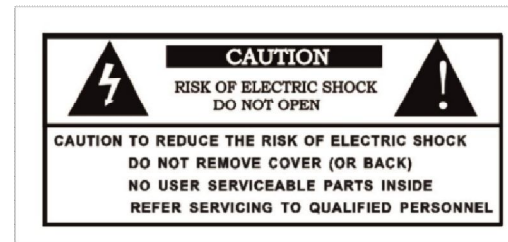
- ✓ Integrated iQS™ 3D Analog Audio Processor which faithfully reproduces the soundstage intended in the original recordings.
- ✓ 3 listening modes: normal stereo, maximum and narrow 3D sound fields.
- ✓ Wireless Bluetooth connectivity
- ✓ 3.1 channel system with independent subwoofer volume control
- ✓ 85 W total music power
- ✓ Powerful sound generated by four 2" speakers and one 4" internal subwoofer.
- ✓ Small, easy to use remote control
- ✓ Front panel control buttons
- ✓ Multicolor RGB LED indicators on front panel
- ✓ Attractive piano-black glossy finish.

## SPECIFICATIONS

Power Adaptor	100-240V 50/60 Hz
Audio Power	85 W of music power 30 W Internal Subwoofer
Inputs	Wireless Bluetooth 1x3.5mm AUX DC Input coax power Jack 15 V
Outputs	USB (Charger only) TYPE A USB connector
Sound Stages	Max 3D, Narrow 3D, Stereo
Front Panel	Power On / Off Volume +/- Bluetooth Pairing
Remote Control	Power On/Off Input Select (Bluetooth/AUX) 3D Sound field Select (Music, Movies, News) Master Volume (+/-) Subwoofer Lever (+/-) Mute
Construction	Plastic and wood with cloth grill
Dimensions	(WxDxH) 12"x8.5"x7"(30.5x21.6x17.8cm)
Weight	8.4 lbs (3.8 Kg)

As part of our policy of continuous improvements, we reserve the right to make design and specification changes for product improvement without prior notice. The performance specification figures indicated are nominal values for production units. There may be some deviations from these values in individual units.

## SAFETY INFORMATION



The lightning flash with arrowhead symbol inside an equilateral triangle is intended to alert the user to the presence of uninsulated “hazardous voltage” within the Product’s enclosure, which may be of sufficient magnitude to induce a risk of electric shock to persons.



The exclamation mark inside an equilateral triangle is intended to alert the user to the presence of important operating and maintenance (servicing) instructions in the literature accompanying the product.

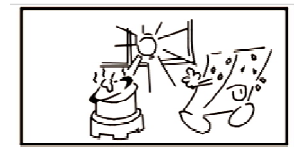
**WARNING: TO REDUCE THE RISK OF FIRE OR ELECTRIC SHOCK, DO NOT EXPOSE THIS APPLIANCE TO RAIN OR MOISTURE**



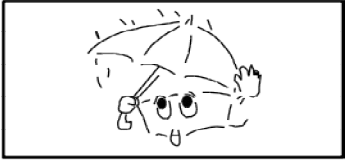
1. Caution: To reduce the risk of electric shock, do not remove cover (or back). No user-serviceable parts inside.

Refer servicing to qualified personnel.

2. Do not install the equipment in a place exposed to direct sunlight.

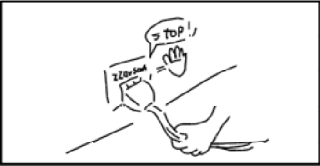
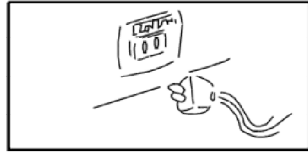


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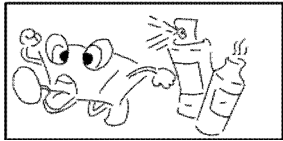
3. Do not install the equipment in a dusty, damp or poorly ventilated place.

4. To prevent damage to the equipment, please unplug from the power outlet if not in use.



5. To unplug the equipment, always handle the power cord using the plug. Do not pull out the plug by tugging the cord.

6. Place the equipment on the stable surface and avoid placing other objects on top.



7. Cleaning care: Use a soft, dry cloth for cleaning. For stubborn dirt, soak the cloth in a weak detergent solution; wring well and wipe to remove the dirt. Do not use volatile agents such as benzene or paint thinner, as they may damage the surface finish of the equipment.

## OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

### 1) Sound Stage Settings

The settings are selected using the remote and is indicated the iQS 3D LED#2.

a) If the selected setting is MOVIE mode, the LED color is Yellow. This creates wide sound stage which is ideal for action movies.

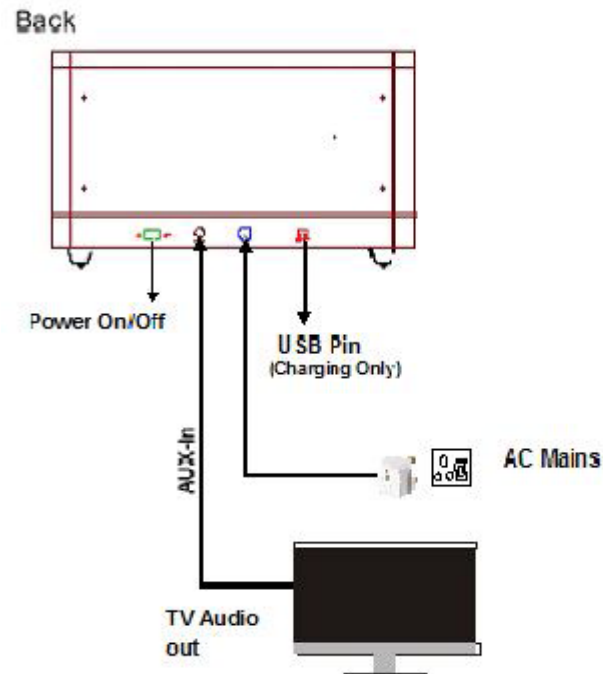
b) If the selected setting is MUSIC Mode, the LED color is Green. This creates a Narrow sound stage which is ideal for listening to Music and watching TV drama.

c) If the selected setting is NEWS Mode, the LED is Off. This setting is good for listening to News or Dialog

### 2) Speaker Placement

Do not place objects on either side of the speaker.

### 3) System Connections



### Charging mobile phone

The USB connector on the rear of the speaker is only for charging battery of Mobile phone.

It will not play audio from any audio device.

Plug in the USB cable into the USB connector, and the mobile phone / device will start charging.

### Power saving mode

If the music is stopped on S550 and remain for 30 minutes with no music playing, the S550 will automatically go into Standby mode to save power.

### Cleaning

To clean the exterior surface of your product, you can wipe it using a soft, dry cloth.

Do not use solvents, chemicals, or sprays

Do not allow liquids to spill or objects to drop into any openings.

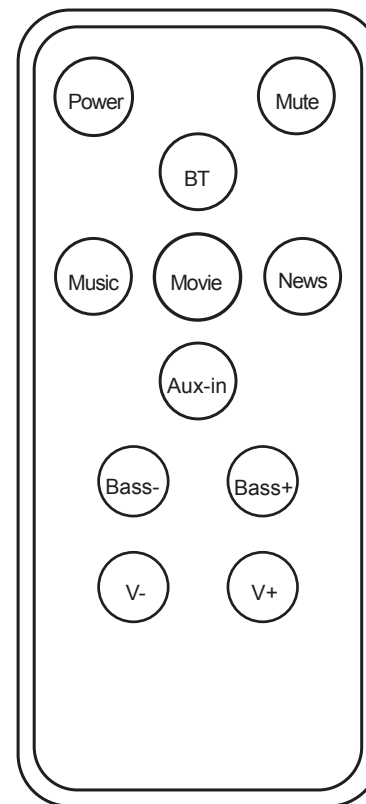
### Troubleshooting

#### The Paired Bluetooth device will not connect

1. Turn the Zeno off and back on.
2. Remove the “SoniQ” from the pairing list on your Bluetooth device. Then pair the device and the Zeno again.

#### Cannot pair the Zeno with my Bluetooth device

1. Make sure Zeno is discoverable. Press and hold the Pairing button until the Bluetooth indicator, LED #3, slowly flashes.
2. Make sure the Bluetooth is enabled on your Bluetooth device.
3. Your Bluetooth device may be out of range – make sure the distance is within 10 meters.
4. If there are many Bluetooth devices on your list of your device, please try removing some of the devices and pair with Zeno again.
5. Turn the Zeno off and back on



### Location of controls

Power

Mute

BT - Bluetooth mode

iQS 3D – Music, Movie, News.

Aux-in

Bass - / Bass+ -- Adjusting the bass level

Volume - / Volume+ -- Adjusting volume level

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|------------------|------------------------------------|
| 1. Speaker       | 9. Speaker                         |
| 2. LED indicator | 10. Power ON/OFF                   |
| 3. Standby       | 11. AUX -IN                        |
| 4. Pairing       | 12. DC Socket                      |
| 5. Volume –      | 13. USB Socket for charging Mobile |
| 6. Volume +      | 14. Speaker                        |
| 7. Speaker       | 15. Sub Woofer                     |
| 8. Remote sensor |                                    |

### To pair additional devices

With the Bluetooth device and the Zeno speaker both turned On, press the PAIR button once to disconnect your paired Bluetooth device. The blue LED #3 will turn off, then press the Pairing button until LED #3 flashes Blue, and SoniQ is ready to be discoverable again. Follow the steps above "**To Begin pairing with a Bluetooth device**".

### Adding another source – AUX IN

You can connect the Zeno with your other audio device, such as a portable digital music player. This requires an audio cable with a 3.5mm plug to connect with the AUX input on the Zeno. For audio devices with dual stereo RCA connectors, use an adapter that converts from RCA to 3.5mm.

### To add a source

Plug in the 3.5 mm Line In cable to the audio device and the other end to the AUX connector at the back of Zeno.

Press the AUX-IN button on the remote control, and LED #1 on the unit will change to Purple color. The AUX IN mode is now ready. You can play the music from the external audio device.

### Volume Level

Adjust the master volume level by pressing the Volume Up (V+) or the Volume Down (V-) button on the unit or remote control.

### Bass Level

Similarly adjust the bass level by pressing the Bass+ - or Bass - button on the remote control.

Note: Holding the Level buttons will continuously adjust the level, until the minimum or maximum range is reached.

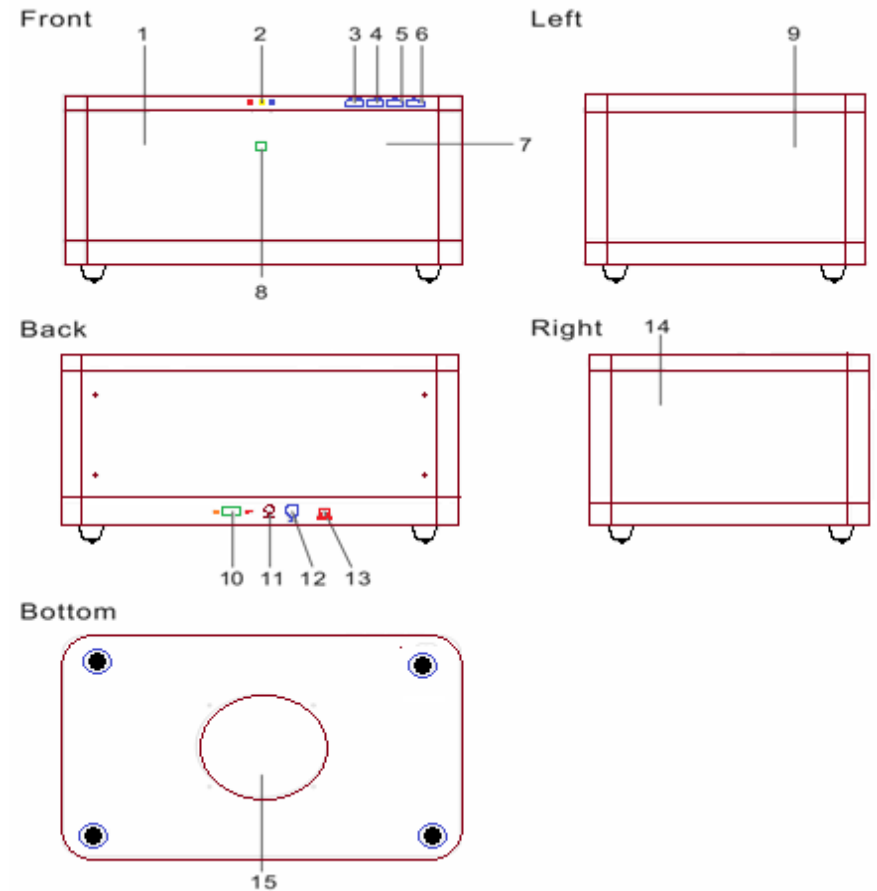
**To Begin pairing with a Bluetooth device**

1. Switch on the **Power** button, LED #1 indicator will be in Red, then press the **STBY** button to power On the Zeno. The LED will change to Blue.
2. Hold and press the **“PAIR”** button on the unit until the LED #3 starts flashing in Blue. You will hear a beeping tone. It is now ready for Bluetooth connection.
3. Make sure your Bluetooth device has the Bluetooth enabled. After scanning starts, select the name SoniQ on the list of discoverable devices.
4. When the Bluetooth is connected, it will show **“Connected”** next to the name of SoniQ on the list and you will hear a beep. The LED #3 on Zeno will light up in Blue and remain steady On.
5. If your Bluetooth device asks for a passkey, enter digits 0000 (four zeros) or 1234 and press OK. Some devices may ask you to accept the connection.
6. Your Bluetooth device indicates when pairing is complete, and you will hear a tone from the Zeno speaker. The LED #3 turns to Blue and remain steady On while connected.

**To connect a previously paired device**

Normally, a previously paired device will automatically connect when Zeno Power is turned On. Otherwise, simply select **"SoniQ"** on the list of the Bluetooth devices to connect. When the Zeno speaker is connected with the Bluetooth device, the LED #3 will be illuminated in steady Blue.

*Note: The Zeno can only connect with ONE Bluetooth device at one time. Please always disconnect with the existing Bluetooth device before connecting to another one.*





### 1. Insert Batteries:

Insert one CR2025 Lithium button cell battery into the battery compartment. Make sure the battery is inserted with the “+” side facing down.

**Notice:** Do not throw the remote control down on the ground or tread on it. Remove the battery from the remote control when it’s not in use for an extended period or during Shipment.

### 2. When to change the batteries:

The remote control has an operating range of up to 7 meters and effective left or right operating angle of 30 degrees away from the system. If the remote does not work within these specifications, make sure that nothing is blocking the line of sight between the remote and the remote sensor. If the line of sight is clear yet the remote does not function properly, change the battery.

### A. Connecting to AC power

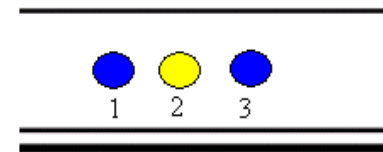
To use the Zeno, connect the external AC power adaptor.

1. Connect the AC adaptor coax power plug to the DC jack on the rare panel. Plug the AC power cord into the wall socket.
2. Switch the Power to ON using the ON/OFF switch on the rare panel. LED #1 will illuminates in Red and the Zeno will be in Standby mode.
3. Press the Standby button on the front panel or the Power button on the remote control. LED #1 will change from Red to Blue and LED #2 will be Yellow, and LED #3 will be off.

### B. LED STATUS INDICATOR

The LED indicators, located at the centre of SoniQ will illuminate to indicate when a source is activated.

1. LED #1 (left) shows the operating mode
  - RED : Standby
  - Blue : Bluetooth selected
  - Purple : AUX IN selected
2. LED #2 (center) shows the iQS 3D mode
  - Yellow : Movie Mode (maximum 3D width)
  - Green : Music Mode (reduced 3D width)
  - Off : News Mode(normal stereo, 3D off)
3. LED #3 (right) indicates Bluetooth function
  - Steady Blue : Bluetooth Connected
  - Flashing Blue : Bluetooth pairing
  - Off : Disconnected



Zeno Front Panel Multi-color LED's

## **FCC WARNING**

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 1: Any changes or modifications to this unit not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate the equipment.