User Manual

Optoma NuForce BE Free6

TRUE WIRELESS EARPHONES

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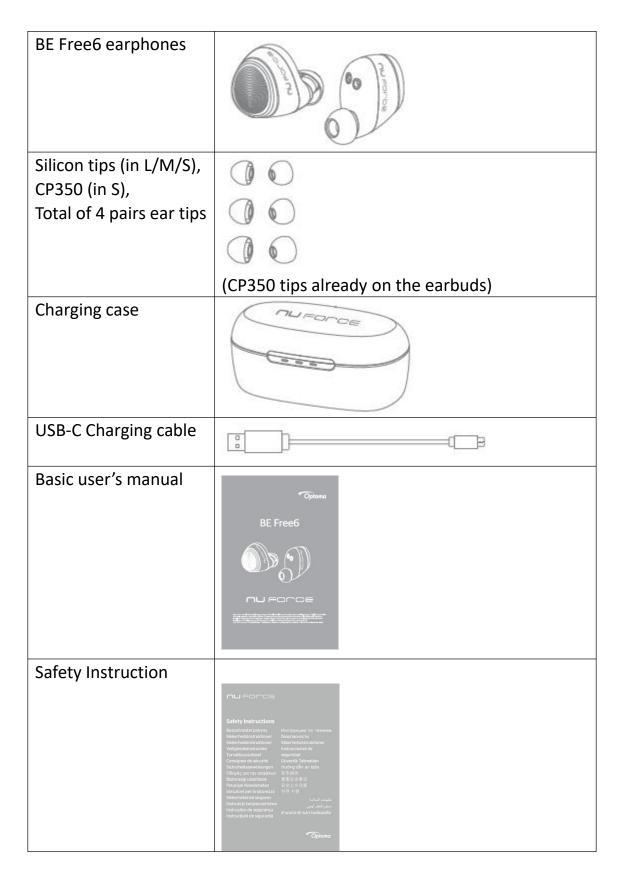
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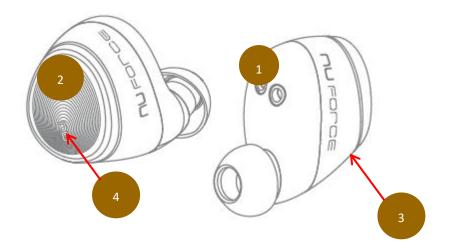
Specification

WHAT'S IN THE BOX

Item	



BE Free6 EARPHONES



- 1. Charging pins
- 2. Multifunction button (MFB)
- 3. Microphone
- 4. LED indicator

The BASICS

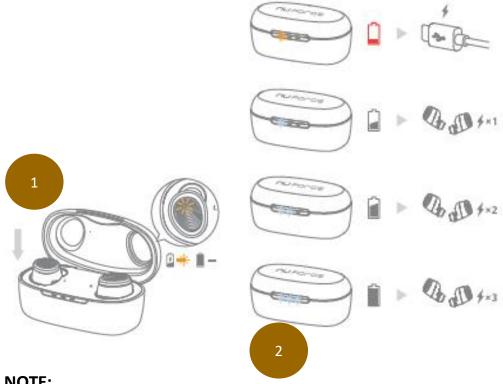
Charging Your BE Free6

Although your BE Free6 come with a partially charged battery, it is recommended that you fully charge your BE Free6 and the charging case before first use.

Note: Please remove the film between charging pins and the earbuds in the case before you charge.

- 1. Place the BE Free6 earbuds into the charging case (1). The USB-C charging cable should be connected to the USB-C port on the charging case and to either a PC or a dedicated USB charger.
 - When charging, the LED indicator(s) on the earbuds will be in orange. Once charging is complete the LED Indicator on the earbuds' will turn off.
- 2. When charging, the LED indicator on charging case (2) will flash white.

Once charging is complete the charging case LED indicators will be solid white to show how many cycles charge case can fully charge earbuds.



NOTE:

- A. It takes up to one and a half hours to fully charge the left/right earbuds and charging case.
- B. To maintain the best performance of the battery, we recommend that the battery in both the earbuds and charging case are charged regularly. Do not deplete the battery of the earbuds and charging case before charging.
- C. To check the battery level of the charging case:

 Open the top cover and check the number of LEDs that are solid white.

If the most left LED indicator is white, the battery can fully charge the earbuds for one cycle.

If the left and middle LED indicators are white, the battery can fully charge the earbuds for two cycles.

If all three LED indicators are white, the battery can fully charge the earbuds for three cycles

It is strongly recommended that you charge the charging case immediately when the most left LED indicator turns orange.

Please note, low battery of the charging case might cause abnormal functionality such as auto on and auto off.

Battery Low Alarm and Battery Status

When the battery level of the earbuds are low, you will hear the voice prompt "Battery Low" in your BE Free6 every 4 minutes. The estimated battery reserve remaining time is less than 15 minutes.

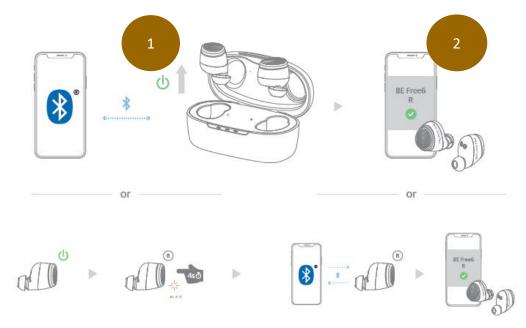
Users with iOS devices and some Android models will be able to view the earbuds' battery status on their device's display.

Your BE Free6 can perform in stereo mode (both earbuds connect to each other), or in mono mode (Right and left earbuds in individual uses).

Earbuds behaviors are shown in steps:

	Step1, connect to	Step 2, connect to	Step 3, enter to pairing	Step 4, enter to
	Master	smartphone (BT	mode	stand-by mode
		devices, etc)		
Right earpiece	(Not applied)	Perform connecting	In pairing mode for	In stand-by mode for
(Master)		for 90 seconds,	180 seconds, flash in	180 seconds, solid
		flash in orange	white/orange	orange light,
		every 2 seconds.		When overtime, will
		Will skip the step if		auto switch off
		paired list is empty		
Left earpiece	Perform	Perform connecting	3a: Can only manually	In stand-by mode for
	connecting for 30	for 60 seconds,	press for 4 seconds to	180 seconds, solid
	seconds, flash in	flash in orange	enter pairing mode.	orange light,
	orange every 2	every 2 seconds.	3b: In pairing mode for	When overtime, will
	seconds	Will skip the step if	180 seconds, flash in	auto switch off
		paired list is empty	white/orange	

Using your BE Free6 earbuds to have stereo sound:



Remove both earbuds from the charging case and insert them in your ear, both earbuds will turn on automatically and connect to each other. You

will hear voice prompt "Paired".

Pairing BE Free6 earbuds with source device

- **1.** When removing the Right earbud from the charging case, press and hold the BE Free6's Power/Function button for 4 seconds until the LED indicator light flashes orange and white or you hear voice prompt "Pairing mode activated". Your BE Free6 is now in pairing mode.
- **2.** Turn on *Bluetooth*® on your source device, then select "BE Free6 R" once it appears on the device list.
- **3.** Once successfully paired, the LED indicator will flash white and you hear "Device connected" from your BE Free6.

Note:

Please be aware of press and hold power/function button for 5 seconds will turn off the earbuds.

Using your BE Free6 right and left earbuds in mono mode, by pairing to two different source devices:

To use mono mode, you will need to pair the Left earbud with the first source device and then to pair right earbud with a second source device.

- 1. To pair the Left earbud with source device, pick up the Left earbud from the charging case, press and hold the left earpiece's Power/Function button for 4 seconds until the LED indicator light flashes orange and white or you hear voice prompt "Pairing mode activated". Your left earbud is now in pairing mode.
- 2. Turn on *Bluetooth*® on your source device and then select "BE Free6 L (Mono)" once it appears on the device list.
- **3.** Once successfully paired, the LED indicator will flash white and you hear "Device connected" from your BE Free6.
- **4.** To pair right earpiece with a second source device, repeats the above steps 1,2 and 3.

NOTE:

Consult your source device's user manual for instructions on activating Bluetooth.

Pairing additional devices with your BE Free6

To pair additional devices to your BE Free6 ensure that your BE Free6 is not connected to any device then repeat the steps 1,2,3 outlined above.

Note:

- A. Your BE Free6 can store pairing information for up to eight devices. If your BE Free6 have already been paired with eight devices and a ninth device is paired, the stored information for the very first device will be deleted.
- B. If the earbud is left inactive in pairing mode, your BE Free6 will automatically power off after 6 minutes.

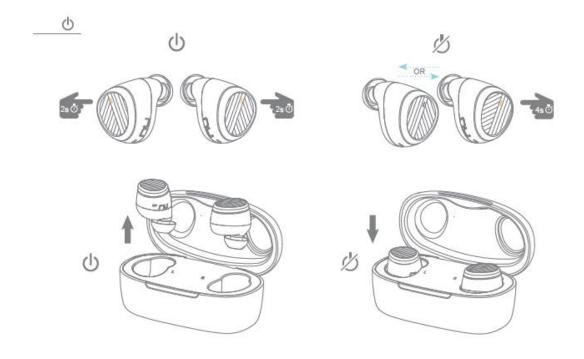
Reset BE Free6 Right earpiece with Left earpiece

Each unit of BE Free6 are paired in the factory. However, when pairing information is lost, your BE Free6 can be used in mono mode only.

You can follow procedure to restore the Right/Left pairing information, in order to enjoy the stereo sound:

- From power off state, to press and hold the Power/Function button of both earbuds for 15 seconds. During the process, you will see the LED flash 3 times. Then, release the button on the earbuds.
- 2. Place both earbuds back in the charging case. When charging is activated the LEDs on the earbuds turn orange. Then remove the earbuds from the case and place them side by side (within 8cm).
- 3. Once both earbuds have completed pairing the Left earbud LED will flash white, while the Right earbud switches to pairing mode and the LED flashes white/orange.

Power On/Power Off



There are two ways to turn on your BE Free6

- 1) Pick up the earbuds from the charging case (case with sufficient power capacity), they will automatically power on.
- 2) When your BE Free6 are not in the charging case and are Off, press Power/Function button for 5 seconds until the LED indicator flashes white and you hear the voice prompt "Power on" on both earbuds.

NOTE:

Once you have successfully paired the BE Free6 to a Bluetooth-enabled device, the BE Free6 will automatically connect with that device once it is powered on again. For more information check "Bluetooth Pairing" section.

There are two ways to turn Off your BE Free6

To turn off the BE Free6, either place each earbud back into the charging case, or to press the Power/Function button on either the left or right earbud for 5 seconds until the LED indicator turns orange and then off or you hear the voice prompt "Power off".

Handling Phone Calls and Siri/Google Voice

When your BE Free6 are connected to a *Bluetooth*-enabled smartphone, you can handle your phone calls directly using power/function button on both earbuds.

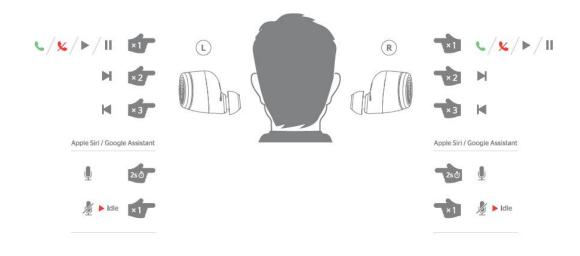
NOTE:

When on a call both earbuds handle audio.

In a noise background, you can pick right earbud and place its microphone close to your mouth to enhance your voice (to the other side of the call).

The following functions are available for calls:

Call option	Status	Action	
Answer a call	Incoming call	Tap the Power/Function button on both earbuds	
End a call	In a call/outgoing call	Tap the Power/Function button on both earbuds	
Activate Siri (iOS) or Google Voice	Standby/Connected	Press the Power/Function button on either right or left	
(Android)	earpiece for 2 seconds, beep sound.		
		To stop it, by clicking on Power/function button	



Listening to Music

You can enjoy and control audio through Power/Function button on your BE Free6.

Audio option	Action	
Play or pause audio	Tap the Power/Function button on either right or left earpiece	
Skip to next track	Double click the Power/Function button on right or left earpiece	
Back to previous track*	Triple click the Power/Function button on right or left earpiece	



NOTE:* To operate function of "back to previous track", you can only back to start of the sound on some Android smartphones.

MISCELLANEOUS

Water Resistant

NuForce headsets with the IPX5 water ingress rating are splash-resistant and water-resistant, preventing malfunctions due to moisture entering the body of the headset. However, the splash-resistant and water-resistant qualities are non-permanent and may degrade with wear and tear from daily use. Liquid damage is not covered by the warranty.

- To prevent liquid damage, please avoid the following situations:
 - Wearing the headset while swimming or showering
 - Exposing the headset to pressurized or high-speed water, such as showering, water skiing, wakeboarding, surfing or riding a water scooter, etc.
 - Using the headset in a sauna or steam room
 - Immersing the headset in water
 - Operating the headset outside the recommended temperature range, or in extremely humid conditions
 - Dropping the headset or any other actions that cause the headset to take impact
 - Disassembling the headset, including the disassembling of screws
- Types of liquids covered by the water resistance rating: The water resistance rating only applies to fresh water and tap water. Other liquids such as the following are not within the scope of the water resistance rating: soap water, solutions mixed with detergents, solutions mixed with bath products, shampoos, hot spring water, swimming pool water, seawater, soap water, detergents, salt water, perfumes, insect repellents, lotions, sunscreens, oils, gel removers, hair dyes, and solvents.
- If the headset has already come into contact with liquids, do not charge the headset until it is fully dry. Using or charging the headset or accessories while they are wet may damage your headset.
- The charging box (if any) containing the genuine wireless Bluetooth headset does not have a waterproof design. Any water-resistant qualities described in the product specifications are limited to the body of the headset.

If the headset is not wiped after being worn during a workout, the salt from the sweat may negatively impact the lifespan of the headset. Therefore, we recommend that you use a clean cotton cloth to wipe the headset after your workout, in order to keep the headset clean.

Bluetooth Connectivity

Bluetooth is a short-range wireless technology. Its connection quality may be interfered with metals, walls, and devices including but not limited to microwave ovens. At the same time, Bluetooth's 2.4 GHz frequency is also shared by some Wi-Fi connections, which may result in a slower connection. This technical problem cannot be completely eliminated despite Bluetooth's status as an international standard.

A Bluetooth headset's wireless transmission is not limited to the connection between the headset and the signal transmission device, but also between the main and auxiliary earbud. Therefore, when using a genuine wireless Bluetooth headset, we advise placing the signal transmitting device (such as your cellphone) on the same side as the main earbud in order to reduce the potential technical limitations of Bluetooth signal shielding to some extent.

The connection quality of the Bluetooth headset is influenced by factors such as the Bluetooth device connected to the headset, the communication environment, or the environment in which it is used. If the headset audio is intermittent, please run through the following scenarios to identify and avoid the following caused by environmental interference:

- There are obstacles such as people, metal objects, or walls between the headset and the Bluetooth device.
- There is a Wi-Fi device in use near the headset.
- There is a microwave oven in use near the headset.
- There is an electromagnetic radiation generating device in use near the headset.
- The distance between the headset and Bluetooth device exceeds 10 meters

Voice Prompts list

The BE Free6 are pre-loaded with English voice prompts

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"Power On"
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Disclaimer

The BE Free6 is equipped with the latest technology however functionality may vary by device.

Federal Communication Commission Interference Statement

- 1. 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.
- (2) This device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.
- 2. Changes or modifications not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate the equipment.

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

[&]quot;Power Off"

[&]quot;Battery Low"

[&]quot;Device connected"

[&]quot;Paired"

[&]quot;Pairing Mode Activated"

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

The device has been evaluated to meet general RF exposure requirement. The device can be used in portable exposure condition without restriction.



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Operating temperature: 0-45C

Operating frequency range: 2402-2480MHz

Rated Power: 7.2 dBm (Left earbud), 7.8 dBm (Right earbud)

RF exposure information: The Maximum Permissible Exposure (MPE) level has been calculated based on a distance of d=0 cm between the device and the human body.

CAUTION RISK OF EXPLOSION IF BATTERY IS REPLACED BY AN INCORRECT TYPE.
DISPOSE OF USED BATTERIES ACCORDING TO THE INSTRUCTIONS

Excessive sound pressure from earphones and headphones can cause hearing loss.



Regulatory Conformance

Hereby, Optoma Corporation declares that the radio equipment type [Bluetooth earphones APBEFREEL] is in compliance with Directive 2014/53/EU.

The full text of the EU declaration of conformity is available at the following internet address: www.optoma.com



Notice: This device may be used in each member state in EU

NCC

Administrative Regulations on Low Power Radio Waves Radiated Devices warning:

Article 12

Without permission granted by the NCC, any company, enterprise, or user is not allowed to change frequency, enhance transmitting power or alter original characteristic as well as performance to a approved low power radio-frequency devices.

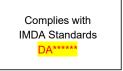
Article 14

The low power radio-frequency devices shall not influence aircraft security and interfere legal communications; If found, the user shall cease operating immediately until no interference is achieved.

The said legal communications means radio communications is operated in compliance with the Telecommunications Act.

The low power radio-frequency devices must be susceptible with the interference from legal communications or ISM radio wave radiated devices.

IMDA



Specification

Connection type

Bluetooth type

Bluetooth profile

Codec

Driver Type

Driver size

Impedance

Battery life (estimated)

Battery type

Microphone sensitivity

Frequency response

Sensitivity

Range

Weight

Bluetooth 2.4Ghz

V5.0

HSP v1.2, HFP v1.7, A2DP v1.3, AVRCP v1.6,

SBC, AAC

Dynamic

5.6mm, Graphene diaphragm

16 Ohm

Up to 6 hours (for the earbuds)

Lithium-ion battery, Typical 3.7V/ (Earbuds)

50mAh, (Charging case) 500mAh

-38 +/-3 dB

20Hz - 20kHz

95dB +/-3dB at 1KHz

Up to 10m (33ft)

A pair of earphones (incl.CP350 tips) 10g,

Charging case 53g

Right:

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Left:

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