

# QUICKSTART GUIDE

HD WIRELESS SOUND FOR YOUR HDTV

## connect hub

**UNIVERSAL DUAL HD BLUETOOTH®**

**WIRELESS AUDIO TRANSMITTER**

For Headphones and Speakers

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Model: AF-CH

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# TX (TRANSMITTER) MODE

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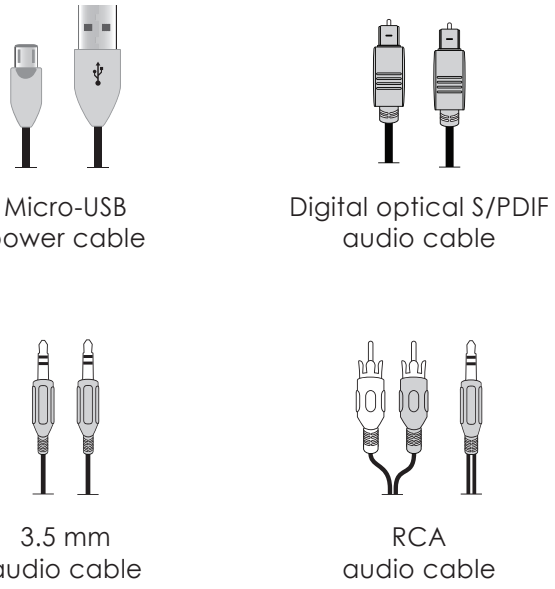
### GETTING STARTED

#### USE IN TX (TRANSMITTER) MODE

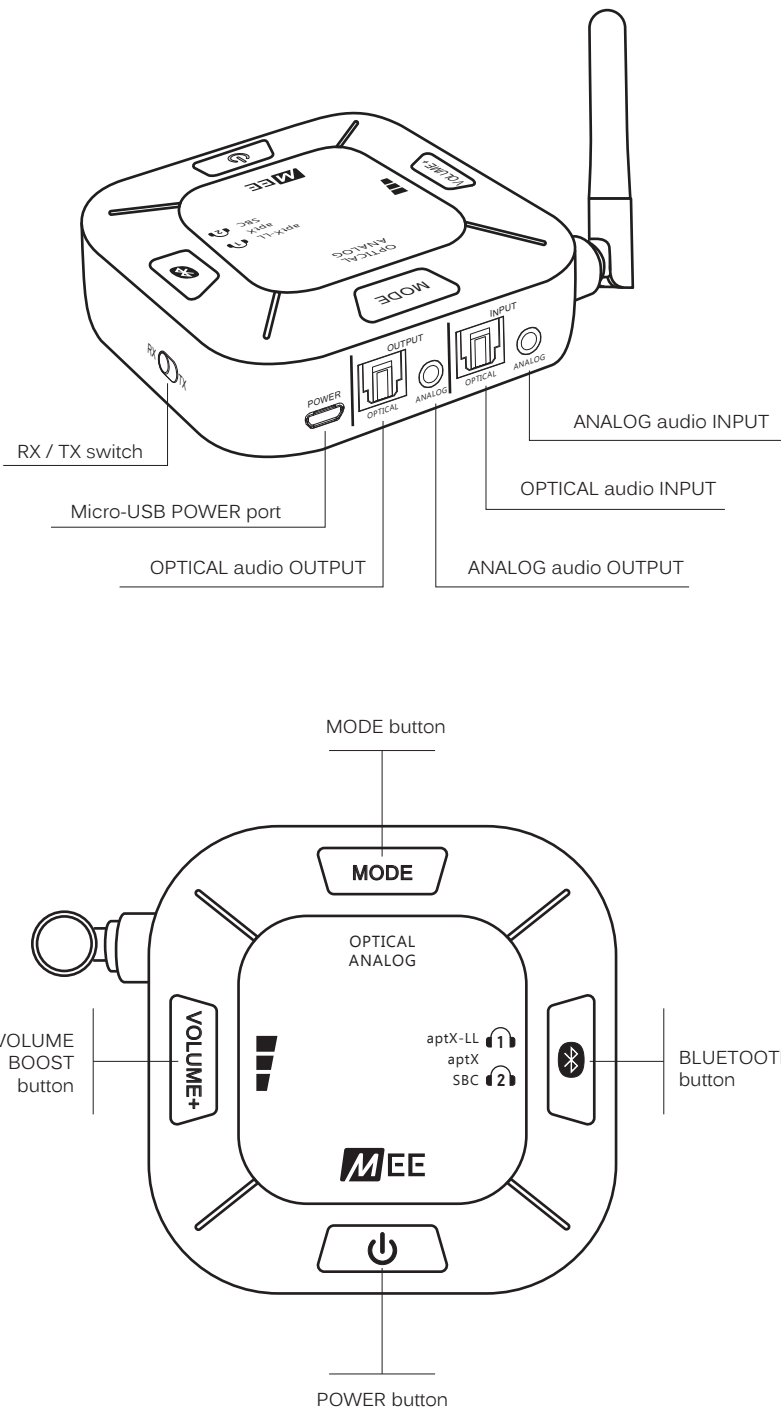
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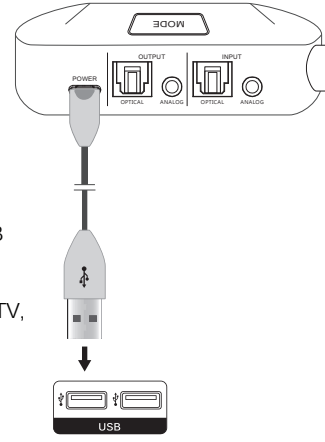


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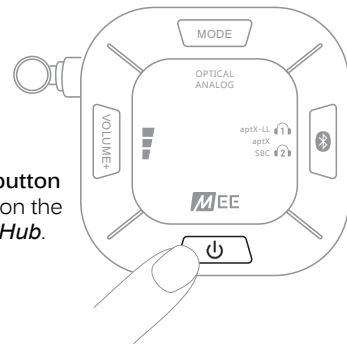
### STEP 1

#### POWER ON

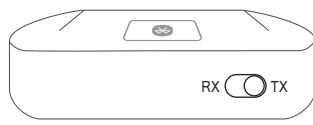
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2. Plug the USB end of the cable into an AC adapter, TV, or computer USB port.



3. Press the **POWER** button to power on the **Connect Hub**.



4. Ensure the **TX / RX** switch is in the **TX** position.

5. Proceed to **STEP 2**

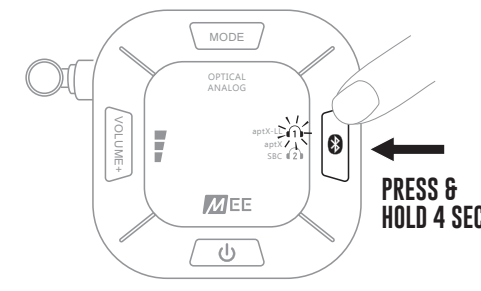
### STEP 2

#### PAIR WITH BLUETOOTH HEADPHONES

1. Put your Bluetooth headphones in pairing mode.

! Consult the user manual of your Bluetooth headphones if you are not sure how to put them in pairing mode

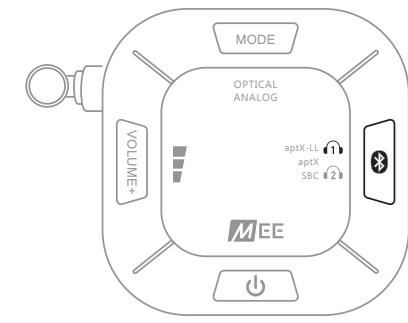
2. Once the headphones are in pairing mode, press and hold **BLUETOOTH** button for 4 seconds to put the **Connect Hub** in pairing mode.



#### PAIRING

BLINKING RED AND BLUE LIGHT

Blinking red and blue light will change to solid blue light once successfully paired.

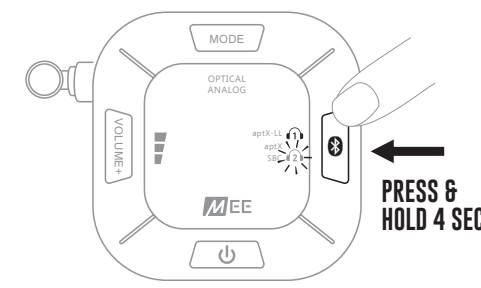


PAIRED  
SOLID BLUE LIGHT

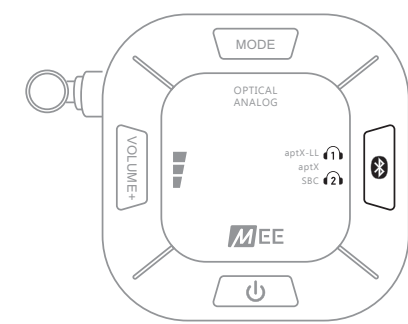
3. If you need to pair a second Bluetooth headphone, see below, otherwise, proceed to **STEP 3**

#### OPTIONAL: PAIR WITH 2ND BLUETOOTH HEADPHONES

Use the procedure above to pair a second headphone after one is already connected.



PAIRING 2ND HEADPHONE  
BLINKING RED AND BLUE LIGHT

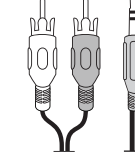
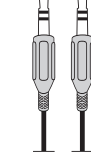
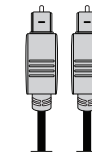


TWO HEADPHONES PAIRED  
TWO SOLID BLUE LIGHTS

3. Proceed to **STEP 3**

### STEP 3

#### Choose ONLY ONE audio cable supported by your TV



#### CHOICE A: OPTICAL

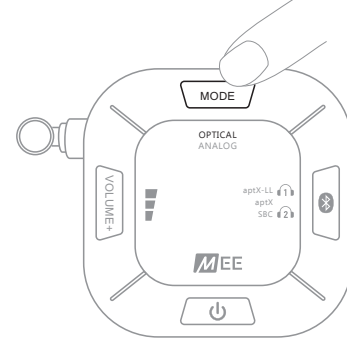
OR

#### CHOICE B: 3.5 MM

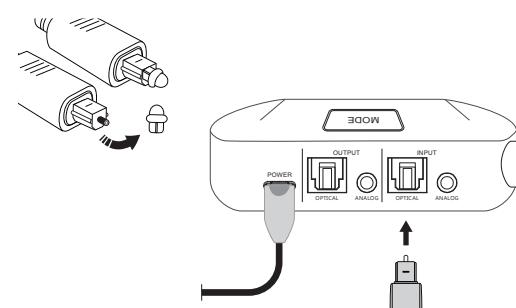
OR

#### CHOICE C: RCA

1. Press the **MODE** button to select **OPTICAL** audio input.

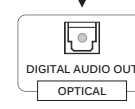


2. Remove protective caps from both ends of the digital optical S/PDIF audio cable



3. Plug digital optical S/PDIF audio cable into the **OPTICAL INPUT** of the **Connect Hub**.

4. Plug the other end into the TV's **DIGITAL AUDIO OUT (OPTICAL)** port.

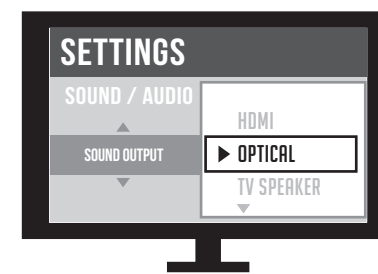


5. Test for sound. Make sure the volume on both your TV and headphones is turned up.

6. Proceed to **STEP 4**

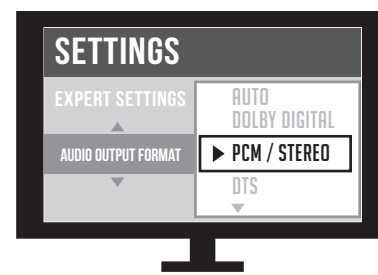
! NO SOUND? CHECK YOUR TV SETTINGS.

1. Change **Sound Output** to "Optical"\*\*\*



2. Change **Digital Audio Output Format** to "STEREO" or "PCM"\*\*\*

This may also need to be done in the audio output settings menu(s) of your streaming app(s) and/or device(s) such as Apple TV®

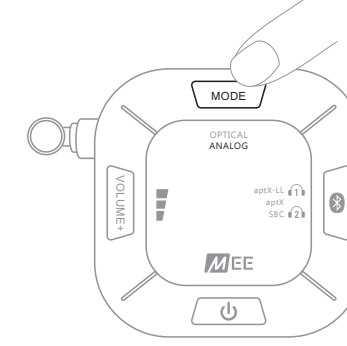


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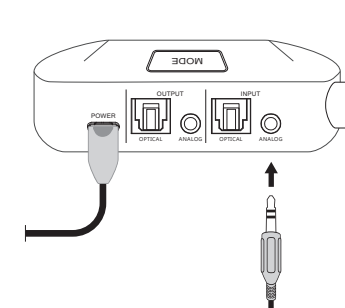
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3. Proceed to **STEP 4**

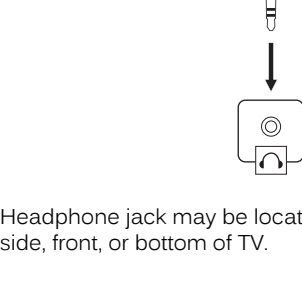
1. Press the **MODE** button to select **ANALOG** audio input.



2. Plug 3.5 mm audio cable into the **3.5 mm ANALOG INPUT** of the **Connect Hub**.



3. Plug the other end into the TV's headphone jack.

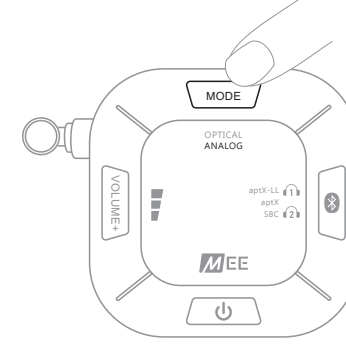


Headphone jack may be located on rear, side, front, or bottom of TV.

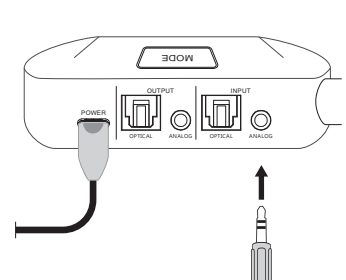
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5. Proceed to **STEP 4**

1. Press the **MODE** button to select **ANALOG** audio input.



2. Plug red/white ends of **RCA** audio cable into the TV's red/white **RCA AUDIO OUT** port.



3. Plug 3.5 mm end of **RCA** audio cable into the **3.5 mm ANALOG INPUT** of the **Connect Hub**.

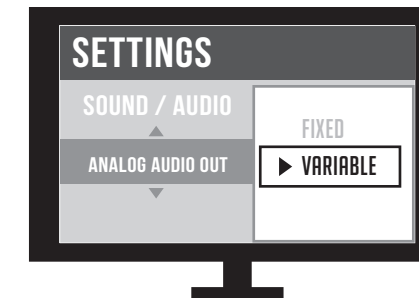
! RCA jacks on TV must be designated an **AUDIO OUT**. RCA input jacks, commonly labeled **AV IN**, **INPUT**, or **COMPONENT** will not work.

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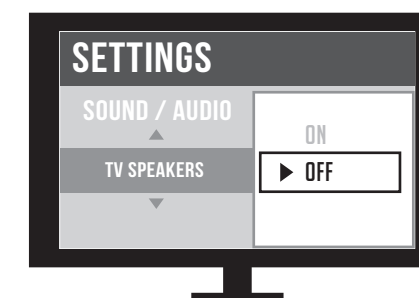
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1. Change audio output settings to "VARIABLE".



2. Set TV's internal speakers to "OFF".



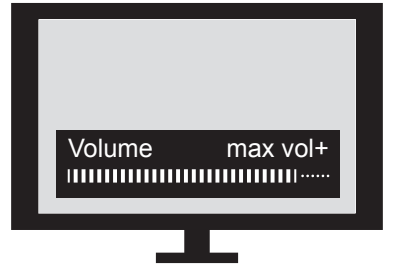
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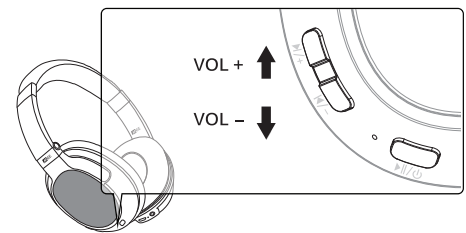
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#### ADJUSTING VOLUME

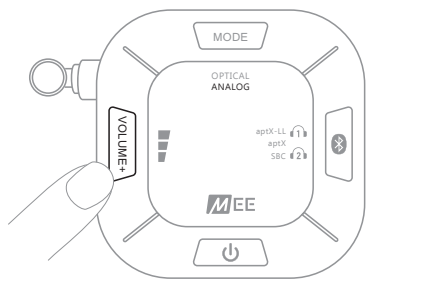
Maximize the volume level on your TV, then use volume controls on headphones to adjust to preferred volume.



If you are using the **Optical** cable, you may mute the TV speakers, which allows you to directly control the volume on your Bluetooth headphones.



Note: when using the 3.5 mm audio cable or the RCA audio cable, the **Volume Boost (VOLUME+)** button can be used to amplify the audio signal. Pressing the **VOLUME+** button repeatedly will cycle through the three available volume boost levels.



WHEN FINISHED, POWER OFF HEADPHONES UNTIL NEXT USE

### SUBSEQUENT USE

WHEN READY TO USE AGAIN, POWER ON THE HEADPHONES AND THEY WILL RECONNECT AUTOMATICALLY.

If your headphones do not automatically reconnect, tap the **BLUETOOTH** button on the **Connect Hub** to initiate reconnection.

! Do not put the **Connect Hub** or your headphones into pairing mode.

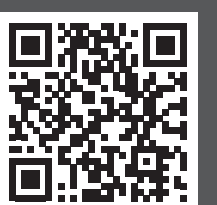
A solid blue light on the **Connect** will indicate that a connection has been re-established.

#### DISABLING VOICE PROMPTS

The voice prompts of the **Connect Hub** can be disabled for uninterrupted listening. Press and hold the **Volume Boost (VOLUME+)** button for 7 seconds to disable voice prompts. Press and hold for 7 seconds again to re-enable.

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# RX (RECEIVER) MODE

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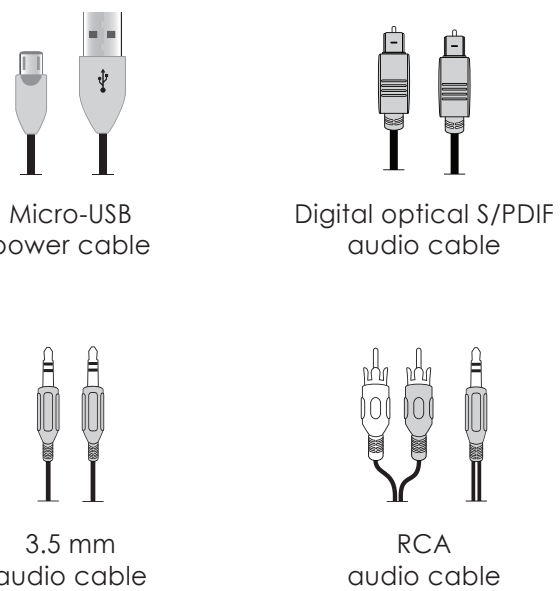
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#### USE IN RX (RECEIVER) MODE

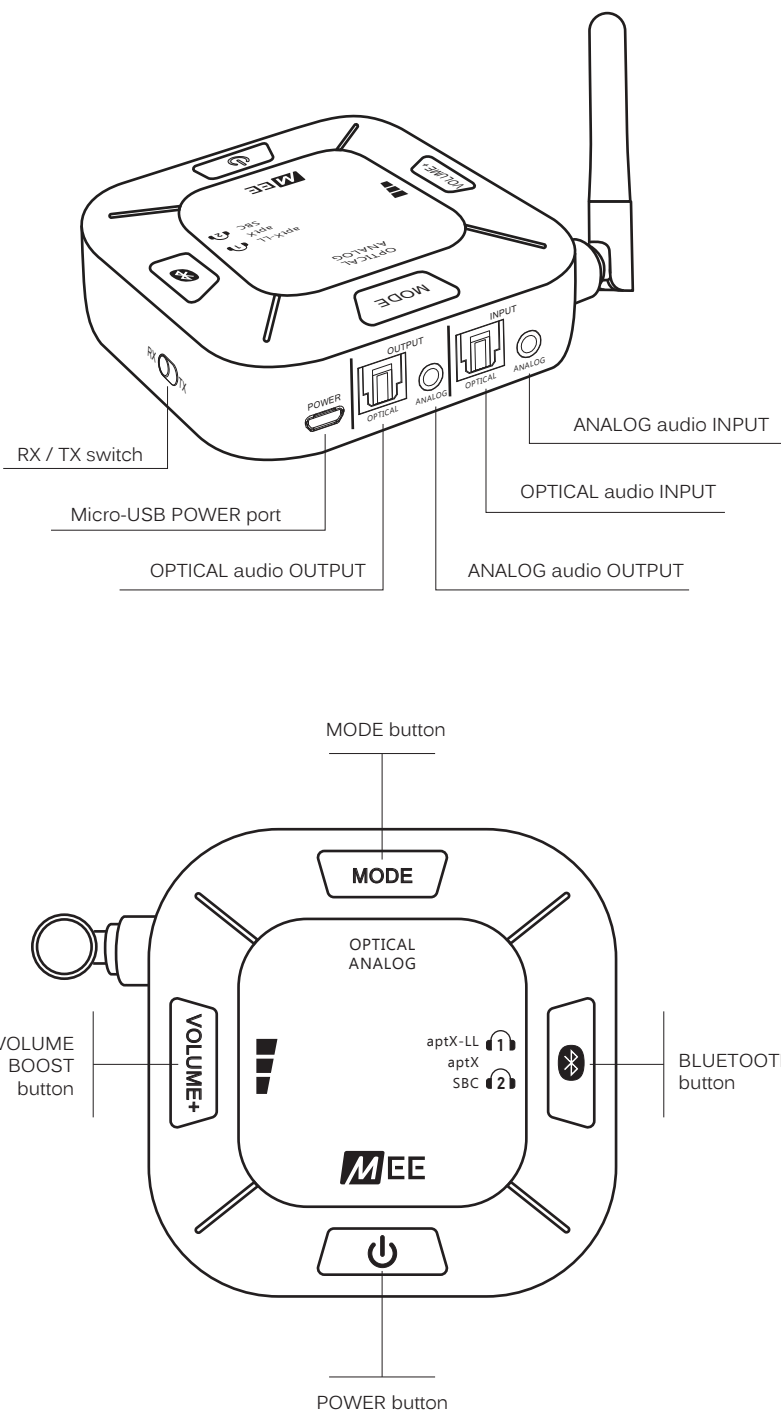
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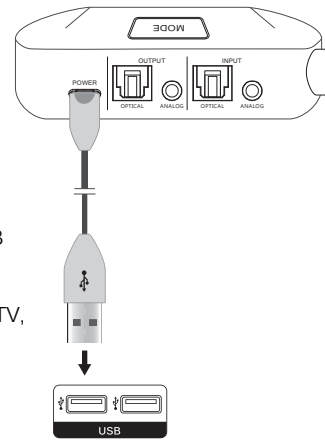


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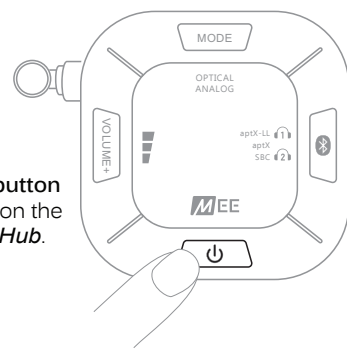
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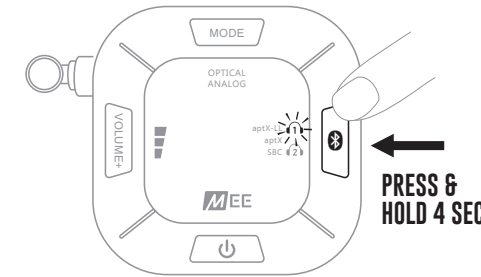
4. Ensure the TX / RX switch is in the RX position.

5. Proceed to **STEP 2**

### STEP 2

#### PAIR WITH PHONE OR TABLET

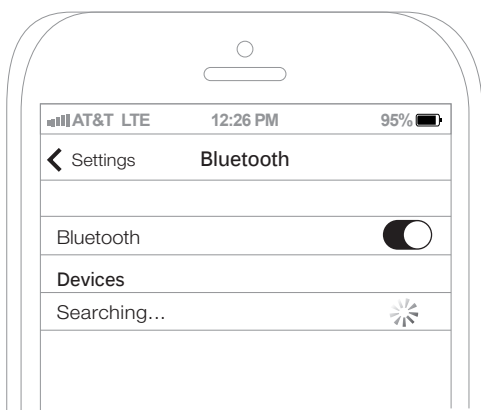
1. Press and hold the BLUETOOTH button for 4 seconds until you hear the "Pairing" voice prompt and an alternating red and blue blinking light appears on the display.



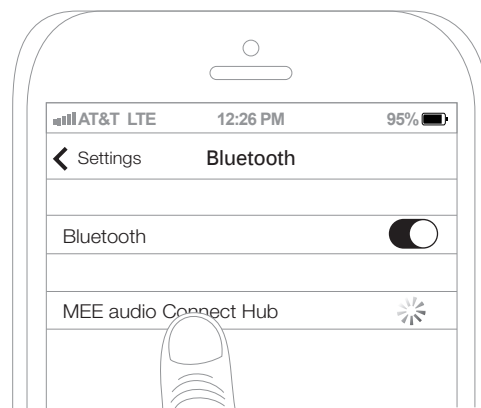
**PAIRING**  
BLINKING RED AND BLUE LIGHT

2. Open the Bluetooth menu on your phone, tablet, or other device you wish to pair, usually located in Settings > Bluetooth.

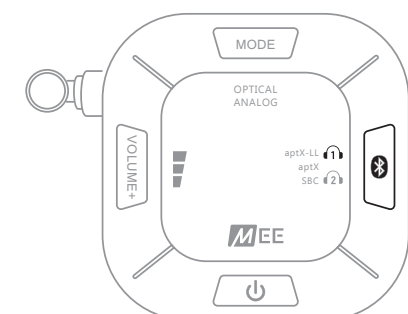
If needed, select "search for devices", "add new device", or "refresh."



3. Select "MEE audio Connect Hub" and allow pairing to complete. Use "0000" if a pin is required.



4. Once successfully paired, the blinking light will turn solid blue.



**PAIRED**  
SOLID BLUE LIGHT

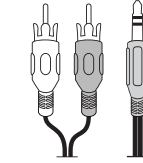
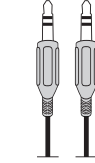
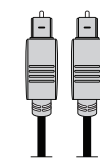
5. Proceed to **STEP 3**

Note: in RX mode, only one Bluetooth device can be used with the Connect Hub at a time.

### STEP 3

#### Connect to speaker or other audio device

#### CHOOSE ONE AUDIO CONNECTION SUPPORTED BY THE NON-BLUETOOTH SOUNDBAR OR SPEAKER YOU ARE PLUGGING INTO THE CONNECT HUB



#### CHOICE A: OPTICAL

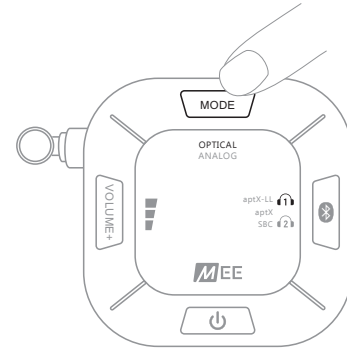
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#### CHOICE B: 3.5 MM

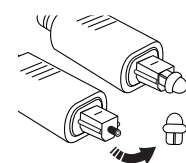
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#### CHOICE C: RCA

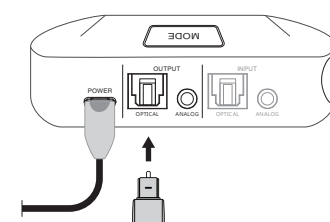
1. Press the MODE button to select OPTICAL.



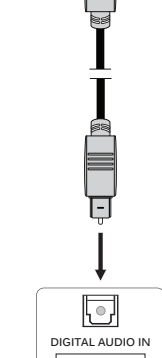
2. Remove protective caps from both ends of the digital optical S/PDIF audio cable.



3. Plug digital optical S/PDIF audio cable into the OPTICAL OUTPUT of the *Connect Hub*.

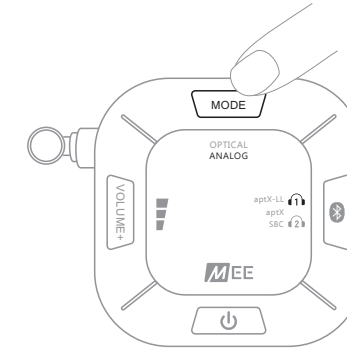


4. Plug the other end into the DIGITAL OPTICAL INPUT of your audio device.

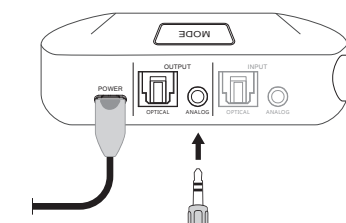


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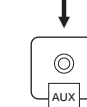
1. Press the MODE button to select ANALOG.



2. Plug 3.5 mm audio cable into the 3.5 mm ANALOG OUTPUT of the *Connect Hub*.

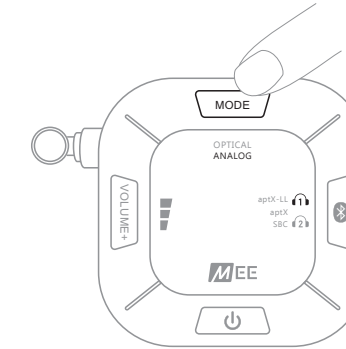


3. Plug the other end into the 3.5 mm AUX input jack of your audio device.

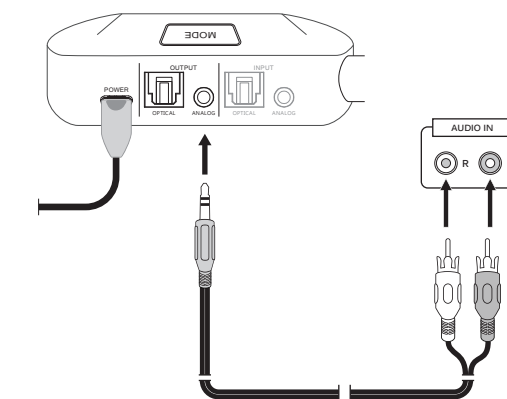


4. Proceed to **STEP 4**

1. Press the MODE button to select ANALOG.



2. Plug the 3.5 mm end of the RCA audio cable into the 3.5 mm ANALOG OUTPUT of the *Connect Hub*.



3. Plug red/white ends of RCA audio cable into the red/white RCA AUDIO INPUT jacks of your audio device.



4. Proceed to **STEP 4**

### STEP 4

#### ADJUSTING VOLUME

Use volume controls on device you are streaming from (such as your phone) to adjust volume. If there is a volume control on your speaker or soundbar, you may use it to further adjust the volume.

### SUBSEQUENT USE

#### DISABLING VOICE PROMPTS

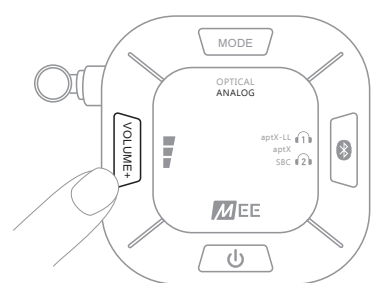
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#### DISABLE AUDIO PROMPTS

Press and hold the Volume Boost (VOLUME+) button for 7 seconds

#### ENABLE AUDIO PROMPTS

Press and hold the Volume Boost (VOLUME+) button for 7 seconds



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## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

### PASS-THROUGH

When used in TX (Bluetooth transmitter) mode, the audio outputs of the **Connect Hub** can pass the TV's sound through to a soundbar or other audio device. This makes it possible to plug both the **Connect Hub** and a soundbar / speaker into a TV that only has one audio output.

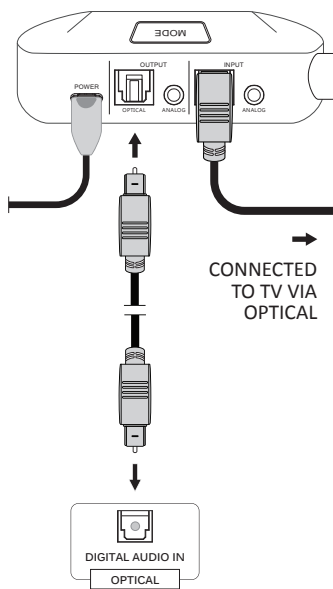
Complete **STEP 1** through **STEP 4** of this setup guide. Pass-through only works when the input and output connections match. If you connected your TV via optical in **STEP 3**, then use optical to connect your soundbar. If you connected your TV via 3.5 mm or RCA in **STEP 3**, then use 3.5 mm to connect your soundbar.

#### OPTICAL

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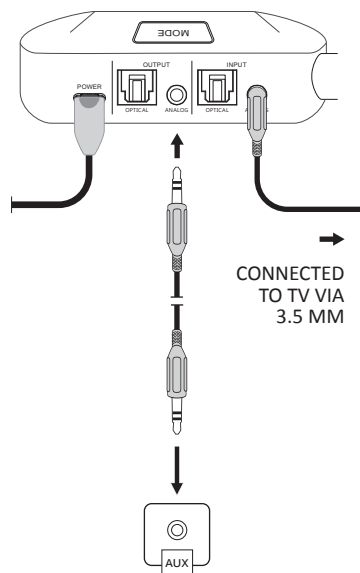
#### ANALOG

Plug digital optical S/PDIF audio cable into the **OPTICAL OUTPUT** of the **Connect Hub**.



Plug the other end into the soundbar's **DIGITAL OPTICAL INPUT**

Plug 3.5 mm audio cable into the **3.5 mm ANALOG OUTPUT** of the **Connect Hub**.



Plug the other end into the soundbar's 3.5 mm **AUX input jack**



The **Connect Hub** needs to be powered on for pass-through functionality.

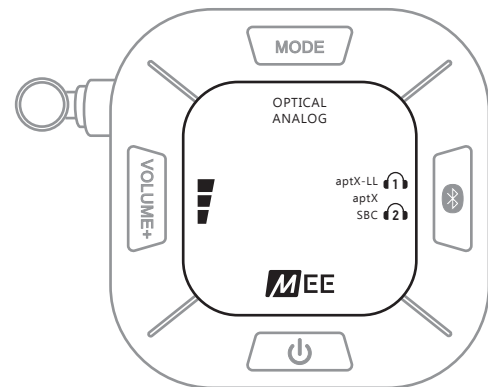
### FACTORY RESET/CLEAR MEMORY

The **Connect Hub**, can be reset by holding the **MODE** button for approximately 5 seconds, until you hear a voice prompt say "Memory cleared".

All previously paired devices will be cleared from memory and a new pairing will need to be created by following the procedure in **STEP 2**

### LED INDICATOR LIGHTS

The status of the **Connect Hub** is shown by a green power / charging indicator light on the rear of the unit and two blue indicator lights on the top as follows:

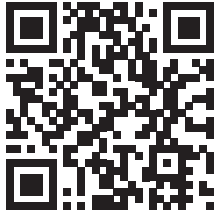


INDICATOR LIGHT (S)	CONNECT STATUS
	Powered on
	Red and blue blinking: ready to pair device Solid blue: one Bluetooth device connected
	Red and blue blinking: ready to pair second device Solid blue: second Bluetooth device connected
aptX-LL aptX SBC	Audio codec currently in use
OPTICAL	Optical audio mode
ANALOG	Analog audio mode
	Current volume boost level

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### QUESTIONS?

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Monday ~ Friday 9am to 5:00pm PST

**Email Support:** [support@MEEaudio.com](mailto:support@MEEaudio.com)  
All emails are responded to within 2 business days

### COMPLIANCE INFORMATION

*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.*

### 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:

- 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.

### DISPOSAL AND RECYCLING

Dispose of this product in accordance with all local laws and regulations. Because this product contains electronic components and a battery, it must be disposed of separately from household waste. Contact local authorities to learn about disposal and recycling options.



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