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Soundbar  
**ZEB** JUKE BAR  
**9525**



**User Manual**

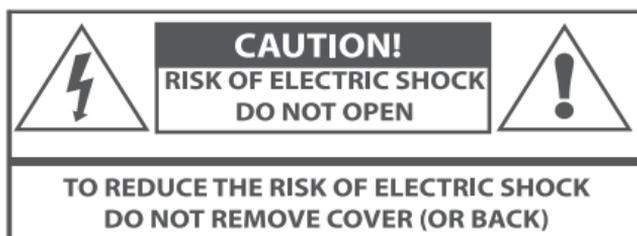
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## Important Safety Instruction:

Dear Customer,

Thank you for purchasing the **ZEB-JUKE BAR 9525** Soundbar. Please read this user manual carefully and keep for future reference.

### Warning



### Caution:

- To reduce the risk of electric shock, do not dismantle the product and do not expose the device to rain or moisture. No user-serviceable parts inside.
- Refer servicing to qualified personnel only.
- Plug on the power cord is used as disconnect device, the disconnect device shall be easily accessible.



The lightning flash within an equilateral triangle is intended to alert you to the presence of uninsulated dangerous voltage within the product's enclosure that may be of sufficient magnitude to constitute an electric shock to a person or persons.



Important! This symbol alerts you to read and observe important warnings and instructions on the unit or in this manual.

**Notice:**

- To prevent possible hearing damage, do not listen at high volume levels for long time periods or a sudden high volume level.
- Never use the device unsupervised! Switch off the device whenever you are not using it, even if not using it only for a short while.
- The device is not intended to be operated by means of an external timer or separate remote control system.
- If the supply cord is damaged, it must be replaced by the manufacturer, its service agent or similarly qualified persons in order to avoid a hazard.



- Before operating this system, check the voltage of this system to see if it is identical to the voltage of your local power supply.
- The unit should not be impeded by covering the ventilation opening with items such as newspaper, table-cloths, curtains etc. Make sure that there are at least 20 cm of space above and at least 5 cm of space on each side of the unit.
- The device must not be exposed to dripping or splashing liquid, no objects filled with liquids such as vases, should be placed on the device.
- To prevent fire or shock hazard, do not expose this equipment to direct heat, rain, moisture or dust.
- Do not position this unit near any water sources e.g. taps, bathtubs, washing machines or swimming pools. Ensure that you place the unit on a dry, stable surface.
- Do not place this soundbar close to a strong magnetic field.
- Do not place the soundbar on a amplifier or receiver.
- Do not place this soundbar in a damp area as the moisture will affect the life of electric components.
- Do not attempt to clean the soundbar with chemical solvents as this might damage the finish. Wipe with a clean, dry or slightly damp cloth.

- When removing the power plug from the wall outlet, always pull directly on the plug, never pull on the cord.
- Depending on the electromagnetic waves used by a television broadcast, if a TV is turned on near this unit while it is also on, lines might appear on the LED TV. Neither this unit nor the TV is malfunctioning. If you see such lines, keep this unit well away from the TV set.
- The mains plug is used to disconnect the device, the disconnected device should remain readily operable.

### **Important Safety Instructions:**

- Read these instructions. Keep these instructions. Follow all instructions. Heed all warnings.
- Do not use this apparatus near water. Do not block any ventilation openings. Install in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions.
- Do not install near any heat sources such as radiators, heaters, stoves, or other apparatus (including amplifiers) that produce heat.
- Protect the power cord from being walked on or pinched particularly at plugs, convenience receptacles or at the point where they exit from the apparatus.

## **Preparation for Use**

### **Unpacking and Set Up:**

- Remove the Sound bar from the carton and remove all packing material from the Sound bar. Save the packing material, if possible, in case the Sound bar ever needs to be serviced or transported.
- The original carton and packing material is the only safe way to pack your Sound bar to protect it from damage in transit.
- Remove any descriptive labels or stickers on the front or top of the cabinet. Do not remove any labels or stickers from the back or bottom of the cabinet.
- Place your Sound bar on a level surface such as a table, desk or shelf, convenient to an AC power socket, out of direct sunlight, and away from sources of excess heat, dirt, dust, moisture, humidity or vibration.
- Unwind the Line cord connecting the AC adapter and extend it to its full length.

### **Protect Your Furniture:**

This model is equipped with non-skid rubber 'feet' to prevent the product from moving when you operate the controls. These 'feet' are made from non-migrating rubber material specially formulated to avoid leaving any marks or stains on your furniture. However certain types of oil based furniture

polishes, wood preservatives, or cleaning sprays may cause the rubber 'feet' to soften, and leave marks or a rubber residue on the furniture. To prevent any damage to your furniture we strongly recommend that you purchase small self-adhesive felt pads, available at hardware stores and home improvement center everywhere, and apply these pads to the bottom of the rubber 'feet' before you place the unit.\

### **Important Notes:**

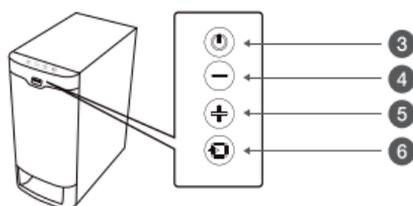
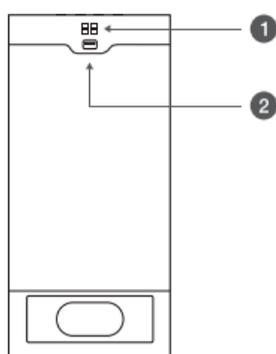
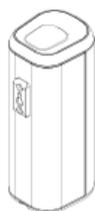
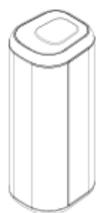
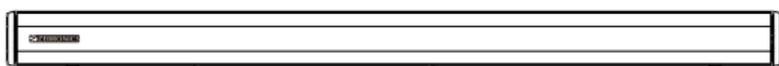
- Safety and operating instruction manual should be retained for future reference.
- The apparatus should not be exposed to dripping, splashing or placed in a humid atmosphere such as a bathroom.
- Do not install the product in the following areas:
  - Places exposed to direct sunlight or close to radiators.
  - On top of other stereo equipment that radiate too much heat - Blocking ventilation or in a dusty area.
  - Areas where there is constant vibration.
  - Humid or moist places.
  - Do not place near candles or other flames.
- Operate the product only as instructed in this manual.

### **Power Source:**

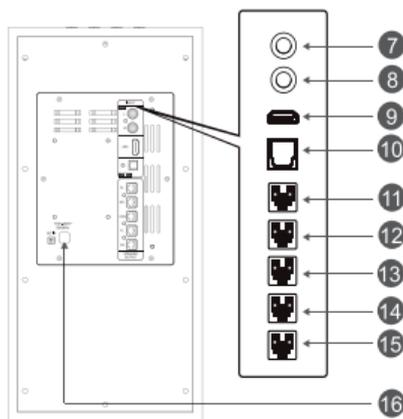
This soundbar is designed to operate in AC 220-240V 50/60Hz.

# Product Representation

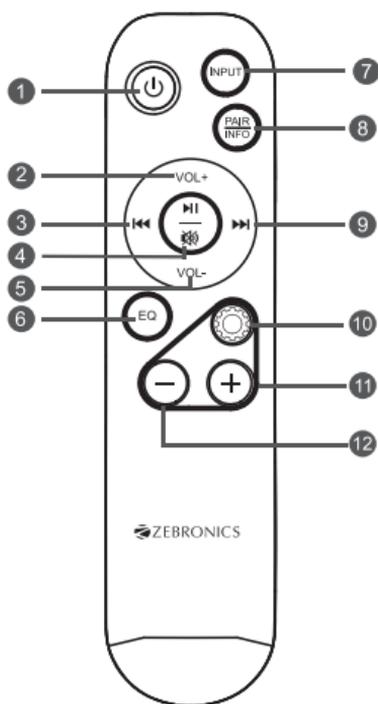
## Sound Bar & Sub Woofer:



- 1 DISPLAY
- 2 USB
- 3 STANDBY
- 4 VOL-
- 5 VOL+
- 6 INPUT
- 7 L (AUX)
- 8 R (AUX)
- 9 HDMI (ARC)
- 10 OPTICAL
- 11 SL
- 12 SR
- 13 CEN
- 14 FL
- 15 FR
- 16 AC IN



## Remote Control:



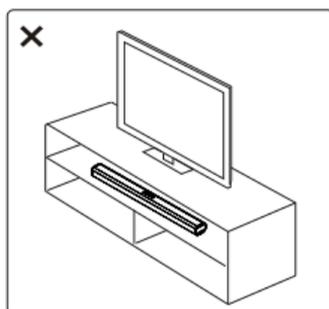
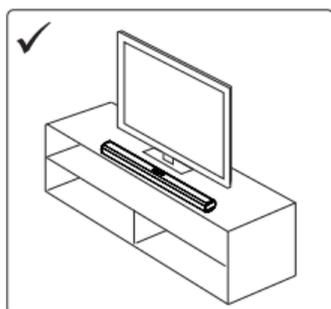
- ①  $\text{\textcircled{P}}$  : Standby mode for power on/off.
- ② Volume+: Master volume up.
- ③  $\text{\textcircled{⏮}}$  Pre button: Previous track  
(Only work under USB & BT mode of smartphone)
- ④  $\text{\textcircled{⏸}}$  : Long press  $\text{\textcircled{MI}}$  button Play/Pause  
(Only work under USB & BT mode of smartphone);  
 $\text{\textcircled{M}}$  : Short Press  $\text{\textcircled{MI}}$  button for Mute or unmute on other modes.
- ⑤ Volume - : Master volume down.

- ⑥ EQ, short press button from Movie / Music / News / Sports mode.EQ, long press button more than 4 seconds for reset to manufacturer defaults.
- ⑦ INPUT: Input mode(USB/AUX/TV(ARC) /OP/BT); long press the button more than 2 seconds for checking software version.
- ⑧ PAIR: -Long press  button more than 2 seconds for pair orreconnect last paired device.  
INFO: short press  button for checking signals format on TV ARC/OPT mode base on device with Dolby decoder.
- ⑨ Next button: Next track.  
(Only work under USB & BT mode of smartphone)
- ⑩ : Setup, press the button to switch to adjust increasing/decreasing of bass/mid/treble/surround.
- ⑪ + under setup button to adjust increasing of bass/mid/treble/surround.
- ⑫ – under setup button to adjust decreasing of bass/mid/treble/surround.

## Positioning the Sound Bar

### Place on a flat Surface:

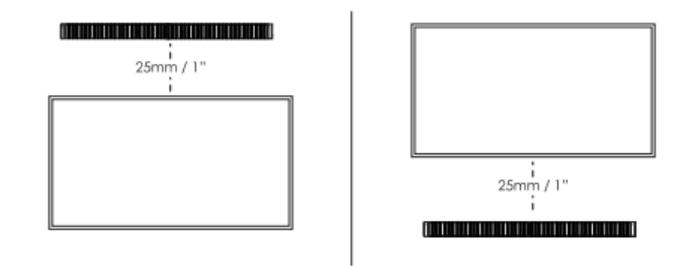
Place the sound bar horizontally on a flat surface such as a TV unit or shelves and align it centrally with the TV screen. Allow some space between the speaker and the wall. Don't place inside a cabinet or on a walled shelf. Follow this steps for best sound output and good airflow around the sound bar.



### Mount on the wall:

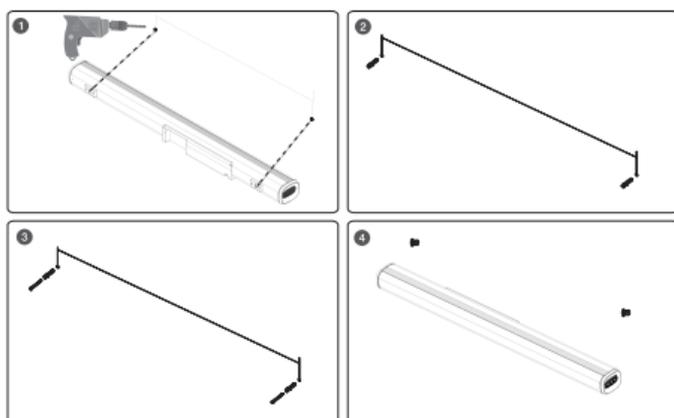
**WARNING :** If you don't feel confident to correctly and securely wall-mount the sound bar, Seek the assistance of an experienced person or professional.

Install the speaker on a vertical, fast, reinforced area of wall. For plaster walls, it is recommended to screw into wall studs for greater security. For optimum performance, allow at least 25mm/1" distance between the sound bar and the TV.



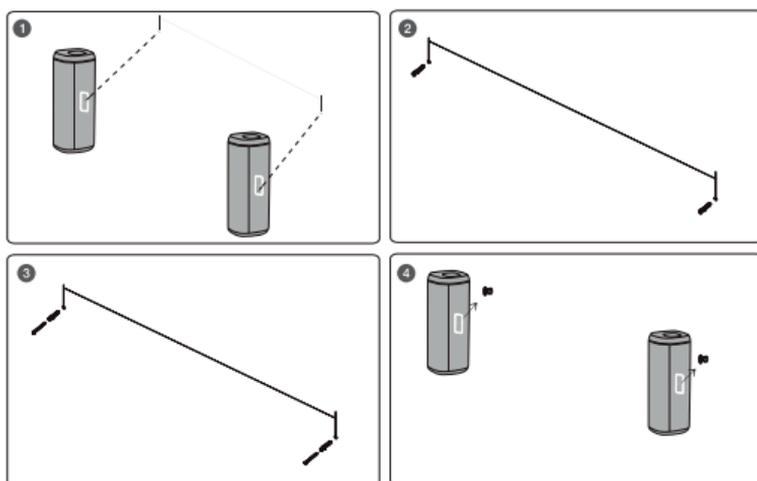
## Follow below steps to mount the sound bar on the wall:

1. Make 2 holes on the wall with distance same as the wall bracket on the soundbar.
2. Put the plastic anchors onto the wall and secure the screws to the plastic clip, do not tighten the screws all the way make sure leave some space.
3. Once the screws securely fastened, hang the sound bar over by inserting the screws onto the wall mount bracket.



## Follow below steps to mount the surround speaker on the wall:

1. Make 2 holes on the wall with distance of two surround speakers you needed.
2. Put the plastic anchors onto the wall and secure the screws to the plastic clip, do not tighten the screws all the way make sure leave some space.
3. Attached the 2 EVA pads onto the wall mount bracket. This will make sure that there is enough space between the wall and the surround speakers outlet, minimum 15mm.
4. Once the screws securely fastened, hang the surround speaker over by inserting the screws onto the wall mount bracket.



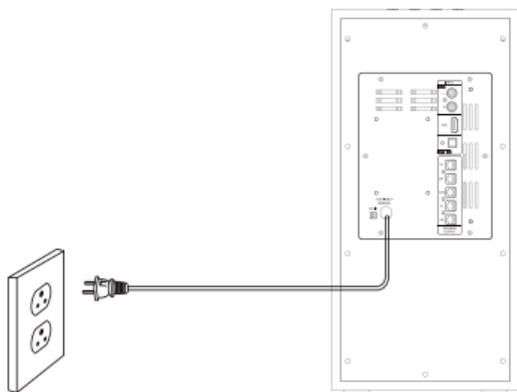
## Operate Instructions:

- Plug in the power cord of Subwoofer, and the display will light up (Standby mode).
- Switch on the Subwoofer by using STANDBY button on Subwoofer or by using POWER button on remote. After switching on, the default input mode will appear on display.
- Input mode can be changed by pressing the STANDBY button again or by using the INPUT button on remote.
- Below are input mode names appearing in the Subwoofer display:

**bT** - Bluetooth Pairing mode, **AU** - AUX mode,  
**OPT** - Optical mode, **Hd** - TV(ARC) mode,  
**USB** - USB mode

## Power ON and OFF:

- Plug the Subwoofer into a wall outlet, it will automatically enter standby mode.
- Short-press the multi-function button to turn on the Subwoofer.
- To turn off, press and hold the **“STANDBY”** button for 2 seconds, then unplug from wall outlet.



### Playing Audio via BT Connection:

- Turn on the Subwoofer and then short-press the **"INPUT"** button on Subwoofer or remote controller to switch it to BT mode and LED display on the Subwoofer will flicker in the Bluetooth pairing mode.
- Activate the pairing function on your phone or other compatible device and select **ZEB-JukeBar 9525** connection by BT connection.
- When successfully paired, you will hear a tone and LED display will turn on **"bt"** and stop flickering. Then music that you selected can be played on the sound bar.
- The remote controller includes BT mode playback controls.

## Notes:

- If your pairing device switched off or manual disconnected, the sound bar will automatically enter pairing mode.
- If the connected device is switched off or manual disconnected, the sound bar will automatically enter pairing successfully connected device will be re-established once you re-enter wireless range (10 meters). to connect to other devices, repeat the above pairing steps.
- There is no automatic shutdown in pairing mode. The sound bar will remain in pairing mode even if no device is paired, so switch off if not in use

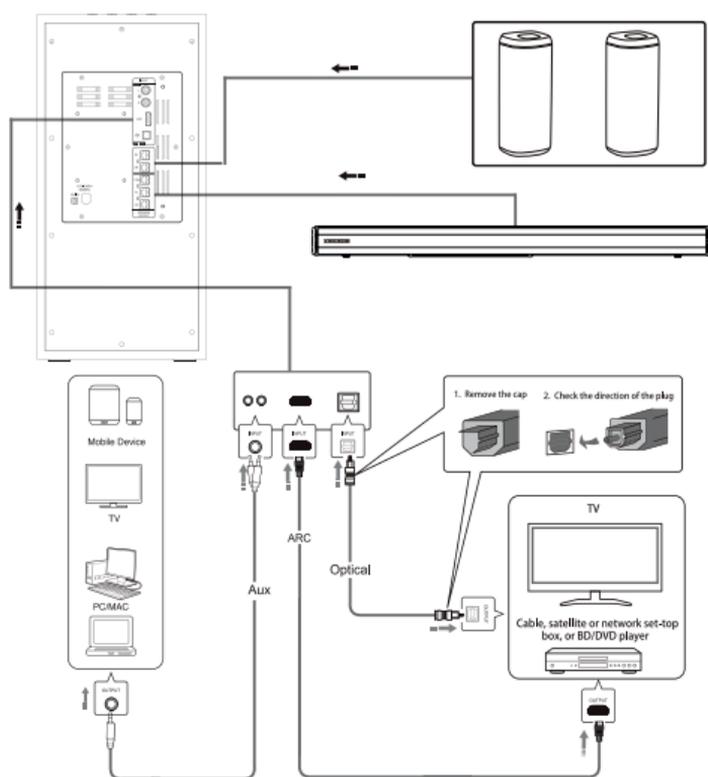


## Playing Audio via USB Port:

The sound bar automatically switches to USB input mode with the LED display “**Usb**” when a USB flash drive is inserted (this mode isn't selectable on the Subwoofer or remote control unless a USB flash drive is connected).

- Ensure that your USB flash drive contains MP3 audio files (other file types not supported)
- Connect the USB flash drive to the USB port on the Subwoofer (or your own USB extension cable connected to the USB port); music will automatically play.
- The remote control includes USB input mode playback controls

## Using the Soundbar:



### **Audio input (Aux) Connection:**

- Firstly connect the Subwoofer to your PC, laptop, smart-phone, TV, or other audio devices by using an AUX cable provided.
- Then short press the INPUT button on the Subwoofer or on the remote controller to switch to audio input mode with LED display lighting up **"AU"**.
- In this mode, playback can only be controlled on your connected device.

Note: For some computer, you may need to access the audio control panel to manually set the Subwoofer as above picture.

### **HDMI (ARC) Mode:**

- The Soundbar supports HDMI(ARC) with Audio Return Channel ARC. If your TV is HDMI(ARC) compliant, you can hear the TV audio through your Sound bar by using a single HDMI(ARC) cable.
- Using a High Speed HDMI(ARC) cable, connect the ARC connector on the Subwoofer to the HDMI(ARC) connector on the TV. The HDMI(ARC) connector on the TV might be labelled differently. For details, see the TV user manual.

- Press “INPUT” button on the Subwoofer or on the remote controller to select the HDMI(ARC) mode to open optical digital input of your Subwoofer. After successfully connected, the LED display will show “Hd”. Movie or music that you selected will be played on through sound bar and TV. You can use the volume buttons to adjust the volume to your requirements.
- If you wish, you can change the audio settings by using the relevant buttons on the remote controller.

### **Optical Mode:**

- Use this operating mode to play music from the optical digital input for example from a TV on your soundbar (A). The TV must have an optical digital output. Use the optical cable to make the connection. Proceed as follows:
- Connect the optical cable to the optical digital output of your TV.
- Then connect the optical cable to the optical digital input of your Subwoofer.
- Switch the TV set and sound bar on. Set the connected TV to “PCM Stereo” or “Stereo 2.0”.
- Start playing on the TV.

- Press “INPUT” button on the Subwoofer or on the remote controller to select the OPTICAL mode to open optical digital input of your Subwoofer. After successfully connected, the LED display will show . Movie or music that you selected will be played on through sound bar and TV.
- You can use the volume buttons to adjust the volume to your requirements.
- If you wish, you can change the audio settings by using the relevant buttons on the remote controller.

### **Features:**

- Dolby Audio
- Multi Connectivity (BT v5.3 | TV (ARC) | Optical IN | USB | AUX)
- 5.1 CH Surround Sound
- 16.51cm Subwoofer
- Soundbar with 3 Drivers
- Dual Rear Satellites
- LED Display
- Wall Mountable

### **Specifications:**

Model : ZEB-SBSPK C32

Driver Size

Subwoofer : 16.51cm x 1

Soundbar : [5.8 x 9 cm] x 3

Satellites : 6.35cm x 2

## Impedance

Subwoofer : 4Ω

Soundbar : 8Ω x 3

Satellite : 8Ω

Frequency Response : 45Hz-20kHz

S/N Ratio : ≥66dB

Separation : ≥33dB

File format support

(USB) : MP3

Line Input : 2CH RCA | Optical IN |  
TV (ARC)

Max supported

memory size (USB) : 32GB

BT name : ZEB-JukeBar 9525

BT version : v5.3

Product Dimensions (W x D x H)

Subwoofer : 19 x 33.5 x 39 cm

Soundbar : 96 x 8 x 6.7 cm

Satellites : 7.25 x 8.15 x 19 cm

Net.Weight

Soundbar : 1.7kg

Subwoofer : 5.1kg

Satellites : 500g x 2

Total : 7.8 kg

## **Package Contents:**

|                    |       |
|--------------------|-------|
| Sound Bar          | : 1 U |
| Subwoofer          | : 1 U |
| Satellites         | : 2 U |
| Remote Control     | : 1 U |
| Input Cable        | : 1 U |
| Wall Mount Bracket |       |
| With Fasteners     | : 1 U |
| QR Code Guide      | : 1 U |
| HD Cable           | : 1 U |

# Troubleshooting:

| PROBLEM/TROUBLE   | POSSIBLE CAUSE  | SOLUTION  |
|---|---|---|
| There is no sound output from soundbar.   | Another input source is selected.   | Select an appropriate input source.   |
|   | The mute function is activated.   | Cancel the mute function.   |
|   | The volume of soundbar or TV/other device is adjusted too low.  | Increase the volume level on soundbar or by remote control or on TV.  |
|   | The power cable of the unit is not connected properly.  | Make sure that the power cable of the unit is connected to an AC wall outlet securely.  |
|   | Input jacks on a playback device are connected.   | Connect the input jack on the soundbar and the output jack on the playback device.  |
|   | Signals that the soundbar cannot playback when being input.   | When soundbar and TV or other devices are connected by an audio cable through HDMI eARC port output, Select the correct audio input and output. Make sure the digital audio output setting on the playback device to PCM format. Since the output format of our soundbar is PCM, if it is used, the decoding format of TV or other devices will be adjusted to PCM state. |
| The sound is distorted or echoed.   | TV volume is not muted.   | If you play audio from TV through the soundbar, make sure that the TV is muted.   |
| The volume decreases when the unit is turned on.  | The automatic volume adjustment function is activated. To prevent excessive loudness, the unit automatically controls its volume within a certain level when the unit is turned on. | Turn up the volume as required.   |
| Noise is heard.   | The soundbar is too close to another digital or high-frequency device.  | Move those devices away from the sound bar.   |
| The unit cannot be operated by using the remote control.  | The unit is out of the operating range.   | Use the remote control within the operating range.  |
|   | The batteries are weak.   | Replace with new batteries.   |
|   | The remote control sensor of the soundbar is exposed to direct sunlight or strong lighting.   | Adjust the lighting angle or reposition the soundbar. Make sure our product cannot be used in sunlight.   |
| The TV cannot be operated by using the TV's remote control.   | The unit is blocking the TV's remote control sensor.  | Position the unit so that it does not obstruct the TV's remote control sensor.  |
| A device cannot connect the soundbar or the unit cannot be connected to a Bluetooth device.         | Bluetooth function of the device is not activated, not paired or connected correctly.   | Restart the soundbar and try pairing again. You have not enabled the Bluetooth function of the device; see the user manual of the device on how to enable the function and correctly connected the device. The sound bar is already connected with another Bluetooth device. Disconnect the connected device, and then try again.   |
|   | Bluetooth is not selected as the input source.  | Select Bluetooth as the input source.   |
|   | The unit is connected to a different Bluetooth device.  | Un-pair the Bluetooth device that is currently connected and pair with the desired Bluetooth device.  |
|   | The unit is too far away from the Bluetooth device.   | Move the Bluetooth device closer to this unit.  |
|   | A device emitting electromagnetic waves (such as a microwave oven, a wireless device and so on) may be placed nearby.   | Do not use this unit near devices that emit electromagnetic waves.  |
|   | The Bluetooth device that you are using may not support the protocol.   | Use a Bluetooth device that supports the protocol.  |
|   | The connection profile registered in the Bluetooth device may not be functioning correctly for some reason.   | Delete the connection profile in the Bluetooth device and then connect the Bluetooth device to this unit.   |
| Sound quality of audio play from a connected Bluetooth device is poor and connection is not stable. | The Bluetooth reception is poor.  | Move the device closer to the soundbar, or remove any obstacle between the device and the sound bar.  |
| No sound can be heard or sound breaks (Bluetooth mode)  | The volume on the Bluetooth device may be too low.  | Raise the volume on the Bluetooth device.   |
|   | Bluetooth is not selected as the input source.  | Select the Bluetooth as the input source.   |
|   | Playback on the device has not been performed.  | Perform playback on the device.   |
|   | The sound output on the Bluetooth device may not be set to this unit.   | Select this unit as the output device on the Bluetooth device.  |
|   | The connection to the Bluetooth device was cut off.   | Connect with the Bluetooth device one more time.  |
|   | The unit may be too far away from the Bluetooth device.   | Move the Bluetooth device near this unit.   |
|   | A device emitting electromagnetic waves (such as a microwave oven, a wireless device and so on) may be placed nearby.   | Do not use this unit near device that emit electromagnetic waves.   |

| <b>PROBLEM/TROUBLE</b>                          | <b>POSSIBLE CAUSE</b>  | <b>SOLUTION</b>  |
|---|--|--|
| There is no sound from soundbar - TV(eARC) Mode | Incorrect HDMI cable is used causing no signal to be sent to soundbar.<br>Incorrect input mode is selected.                                | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Make sure that the user connected TV and sound bar by a 19-core HDMI cable.</li> <li>2. The soundbar and TV are connected through TV(eARC) port output; make sure that the TV is HDMI eARC or HDMI ARC compliant.</li> <li>3. Set the TV to HDMI eARC or HDMI ARC (CEC). Set the audio output mode of TV to PCM format. (Or refer to your TV user manual)</li> </ol> |
| There is no sound from bar (OPTICAL Mode)       | OPTICAL cable might be damaged and no signal is received by the soundbar due to a failed connection and incorrect operation mode selected. | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Replace the OPTICAL cable with a new one to connect.</li> <li>2. Set your TV audio output to PCM format. (Pls refer to your TV user manual)</li> </ol>   |
| There is no sound from sound bar (USB mode)     | USB file type is not support & Soundbar doesn't switch to USB input mode automatically when USB is inserted.                               | Make sure that USB flash drive contains MP3, ALAC,FLAC files because other file types are not supported. Switch the input mode once again, then playback again.  |

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