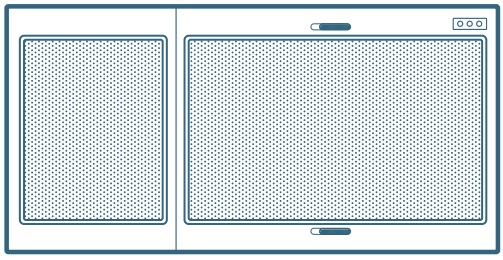
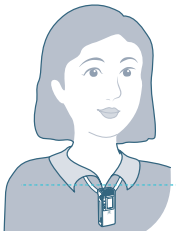
Topcat® Instructional Audio System



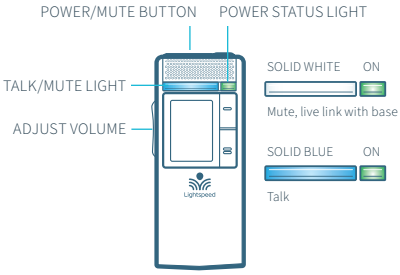
FIRST, ENSURE THE SYSTEM IS POWERED ON

When powered on, the status light will glow green to indicate that microphone(s) are connected.

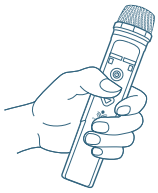
USING THE CLEARMIKE



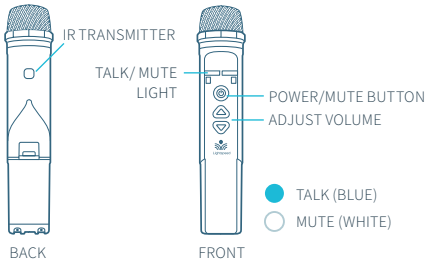
1. Remove from charger.
2. Place it around your neck.
3. Tap the power button to unmute.



USING THE SHAREMIKE

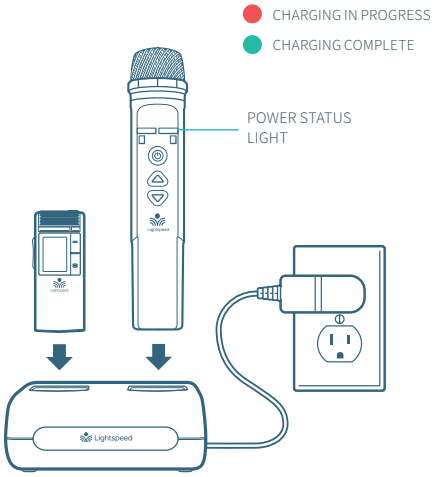


Remove microphone from charger and press the mute button to begin speaking.



CHARGE MICROPHONES NIGHTLY

It takes about 5-6 hours to fully charge the battery.



PAIRING MICROPHONES TO TOPCAT

Your system is shipped with microphones and base units pre-paired for quick and easy use. If you ever need to pair new components, follow this pairing process:

PLEASE NOTE: Microphones should be out of the charger while pairing.

1 POINT MICROPHONES AT TOPCAT

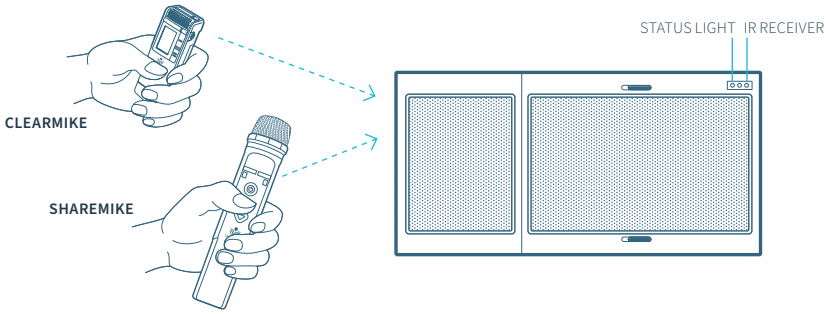
From a powered off state, point the IR transmitter lens toward the base unit (for Sharemike, the transmitter lens is located on the back of the microphone).

2 PRESS AND HOLD POWER BUTTON

Press and hold the power button for 5 seconds until the talk/mute light start flashing, then release the button and let the pairing process finish.

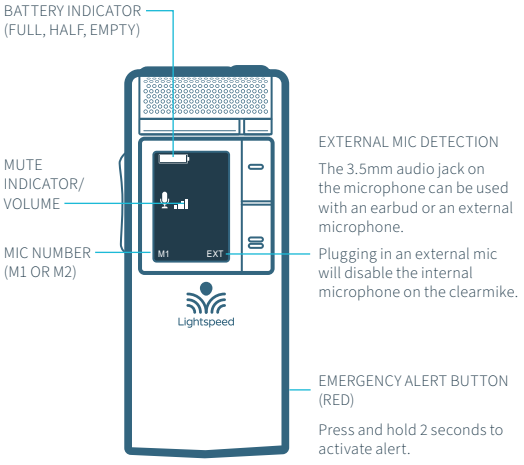
3 CONFIRM STATUS

When complete, the Status light on Topcat will turn green, the Talk/Mute light on the microphone will be white, and the display on the microphone will say “Pair Success”.

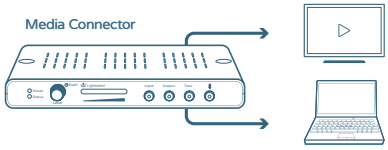


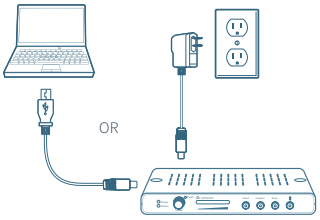
CLEARMIKE OPERATION (default screen shown)

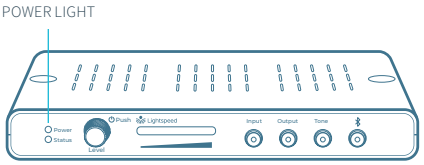
NOTE: Alert functions only available if integration is connected/enabled during setup.



Topcat with optional Media Connector







1 DETERMINE LOCATION

Media Connector is designed to be connected to the primary media source in the classroom, usually the computer or display panel.

2 CONNECT TO POWER

Connect the USB cable power cord to a computer, or use the USB power adapter to plug into wall outlet.

Plug the USB cable into the USB input on the back of the Media Connector.

3 POWER ON

When powered on, the white LED on the front panel will glow.

Topcat does not need to be powered off at the end of day, but if desired, you may power down Topcat by powering down the Media Connector.

CONNECTING MEDIA CONNECTOR TO AUDIO

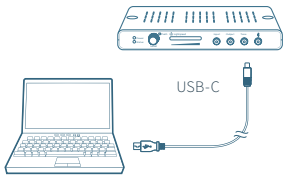
Audio can be connected using either a digital 2-way USB audio or analog audio.

USB Audio

USB audio enbles a 2-way audio link to:

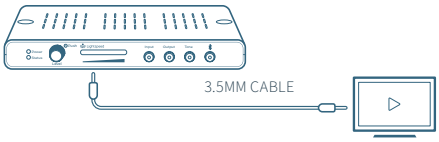
Send audio **from the computer** to Topcat to ensure all audio can be played through the Topcat speaker.

Send audio **to the computer** from Topcat to ensure the teacher's Clearmike and any student microphones are clearly picked up by a video conferencing solution.



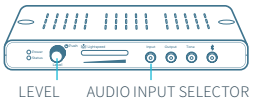
COMPUTER SETTINGS

Once connected, open computer sound setting to select "Lightspeed Audio" as the microphone and speaker.



Analog Audio

Plug your external audio equipment (e.g., video display) into one of the Audio input jacks.



Adjust the volume as needed by pressing the Audio Input selector and adjusting the level knob as needed.

BLUETOOTH PAIRING TO CONNECT TO OTHER AUDIO SOURCES

1 SET UP YOUR OTHER AUDIO SOURCE

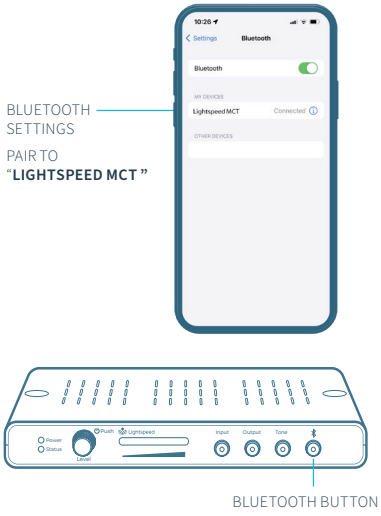
On your personal device, make sure your bluetooth setting is on and in the search mode.

2 PUT MEDIA CONNECTOR IN PAIRING MODE

Press and hold Bluetooth button for 3-5 seconds until status light starts blinking blue to be discovered by your personal device.

3 PAIR TO YOUR DEVICE

Locate LS_MCT on your personal device and complete pairing process.



For complete operating instructions, go to https://lightspeed-tek.com/support/topcat-user-manual-tct/ (or scan the 2D barcode).

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