

Rear Speaker
BRAVIA Theatre Rear 9



Model : YY2101C

The connection procedure of this rear speaker varies depending on the connected device.
Be sure to select the link (blue text) of the device to which you want to connect from the list below, then follow the guidance displayed on the page to connect the rear speaker.

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About devices that are compatible with the rear speaker

This rear speaker is a product that works only with specific models.

The model names of devices that are compatible with the rear speaker can be found at the following URL.

Main audio devices (sound bar/home theater system/AV receiver/AV amplifier) that are compatible with the rear speaker

<https://www.sony.net/comp-home/>

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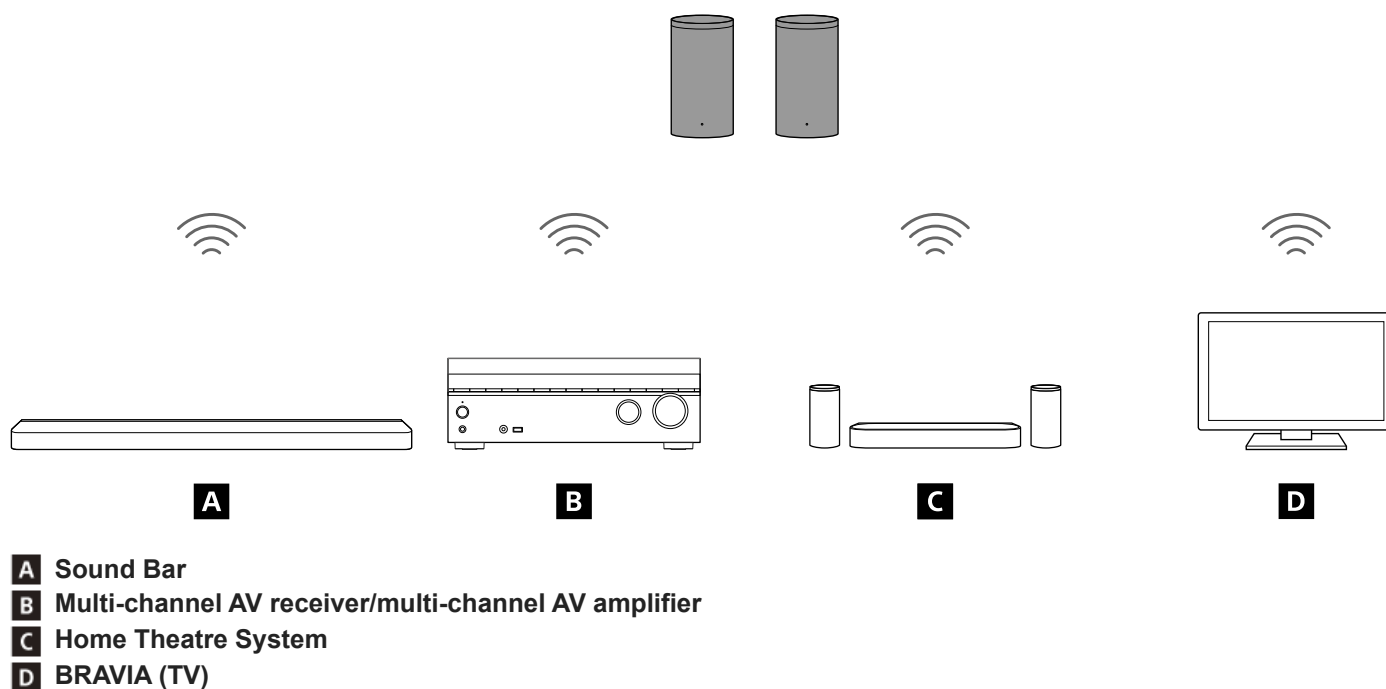
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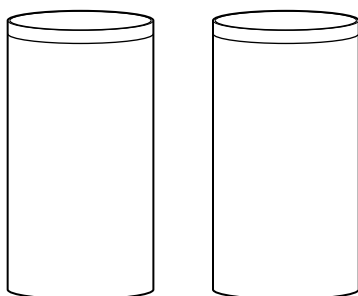
Checking the Package Contents

If any of the supplied items are missing, please consult your nearest Sony dealer. The numbers indicate the supplied quantity.

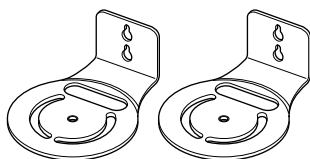
The availability and quantity of the supplied items vary depending on the country/region of purchase.

Refer to the Reference Guide included with your product to confirm the availability and quantity of the supplied items.

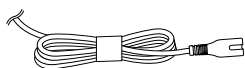
- Rear speaker (REAR L) (1), Rear speaker (REAR R) (1)



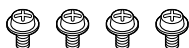
- Wall mounting bracket (2)



- AC power cord (mains lead) (2 or 4)



- Screw (4)



- Documents (1 set)

Parts included only in some countries/regions

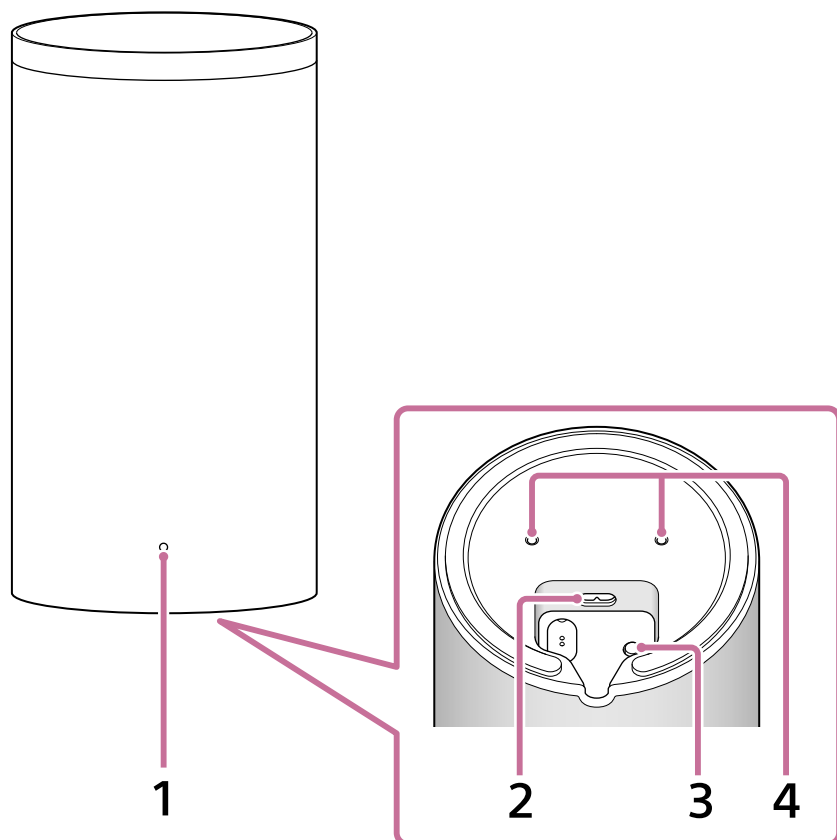
- AC plug adaptor (2)

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Rear Speaker

Front, Bottom



1. Power indicator

Indicates the rear speaker status by lighting or flashing in 3 colors (white/blue/red).

2. AC inlet

3. LINK

- **Press:** Press to connect the rear speaker. Follow the connection procedure to operate.
- **Press and hold for 2 seconds until the notification sound plays:** Turns off the rear speaker.
- **Press and hold for 10 seconds until the second notification sound plays:** Resets the rear speaker.

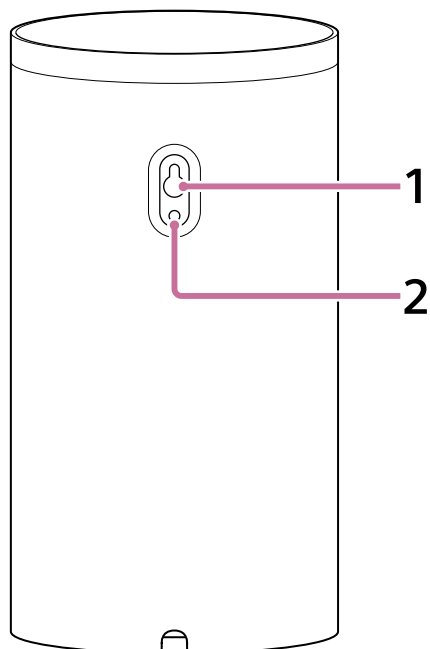
4. Holes for installing the wall mounting bracket

Hint

- In the hollow area on the bottom of the left rear speaker (REAR L), you will find two tactile dots side by side that are about 1 mm (1/16 in) in size. Use them as a guide to distinguish the left rear speaker from the right rear speaker.

Rear

The illustration below shows the rear speaker with the cover on the rear removed.



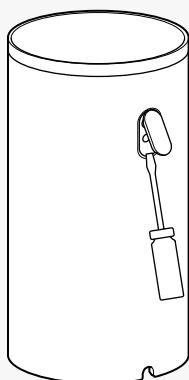
1. Wall mounting hole

2. Mounting hole for the general speaker stand

This is compatible with the M5 size screw.

Note

- When using the wall mounting hole or mounting hole for the general speaker stand, remove the cover by inserting a flathead screwdriver, etc.



Related Topic

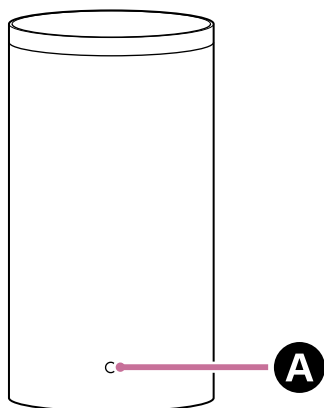
- [About the Indicator](#)
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About the Indicator

The rear speaker has an indicator on the lower front to indicate the product status.



A Power indicator

Power condition

- (Flashing slowly in white)
Power is turning on.
- (Lit up in red)
The rear speaker is in standby mode.
- (Turned off)
The rear speaker is turned off.

Connecting status with the compatible device

- (Lit up in white)
The rear speaker is connected to a compatible device.
- (Flashing slowly in white)
The rear speaker is waiting for a connection from the compatible device.
- (Flashing twice repeatedly in white)
The rear speaker is waiting for a manual connection from the compatible device.

Special conditions

- (Flashing in white/blue alternately)
Software updating/resetting, etc. is in progress.
- (Flashing in white)
Wireless function is off. Operate LINK to turn on the wireless function.
- (Flashing in red)
An abnormality or error has been detected. Follow the steps in [“Troubleshooting.”](#)

Related Topic

- [Troubleshooting](#)
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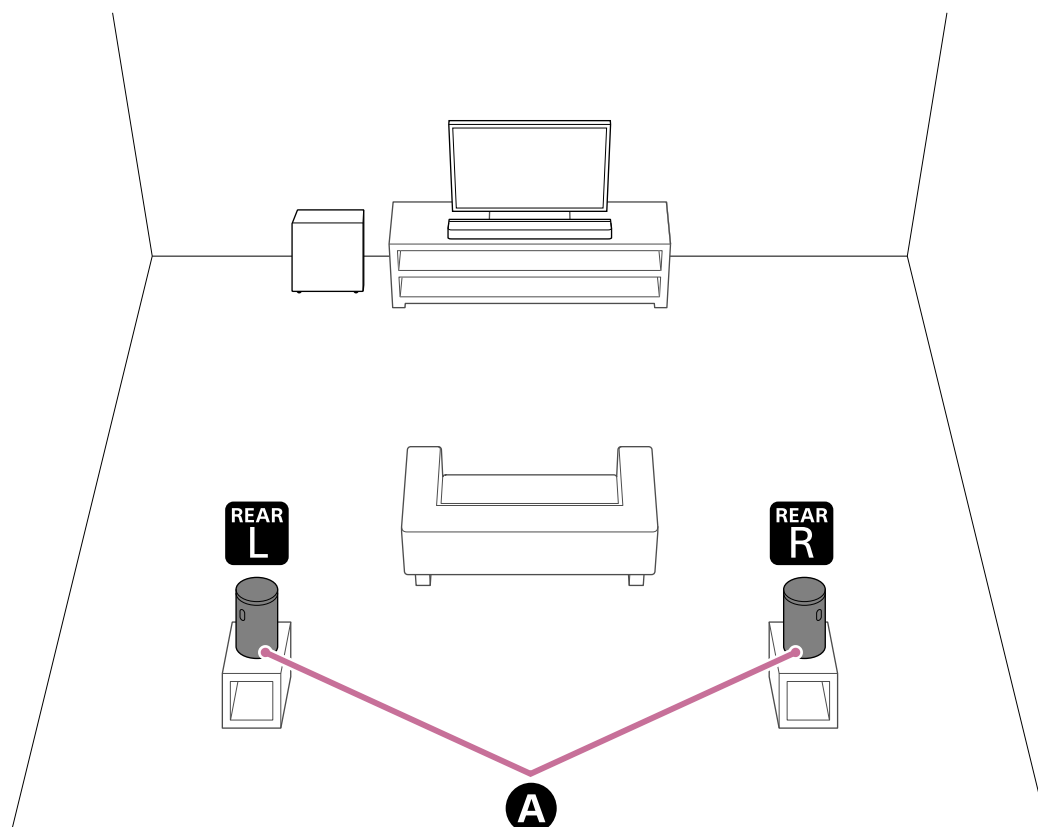
Installing on the Floor or Shelf

This section explains examples of installing the rear speaker.

How to install

The following installation diagram is an example.

Example of installation in combination with the sound bar and BRAVIA (TV)



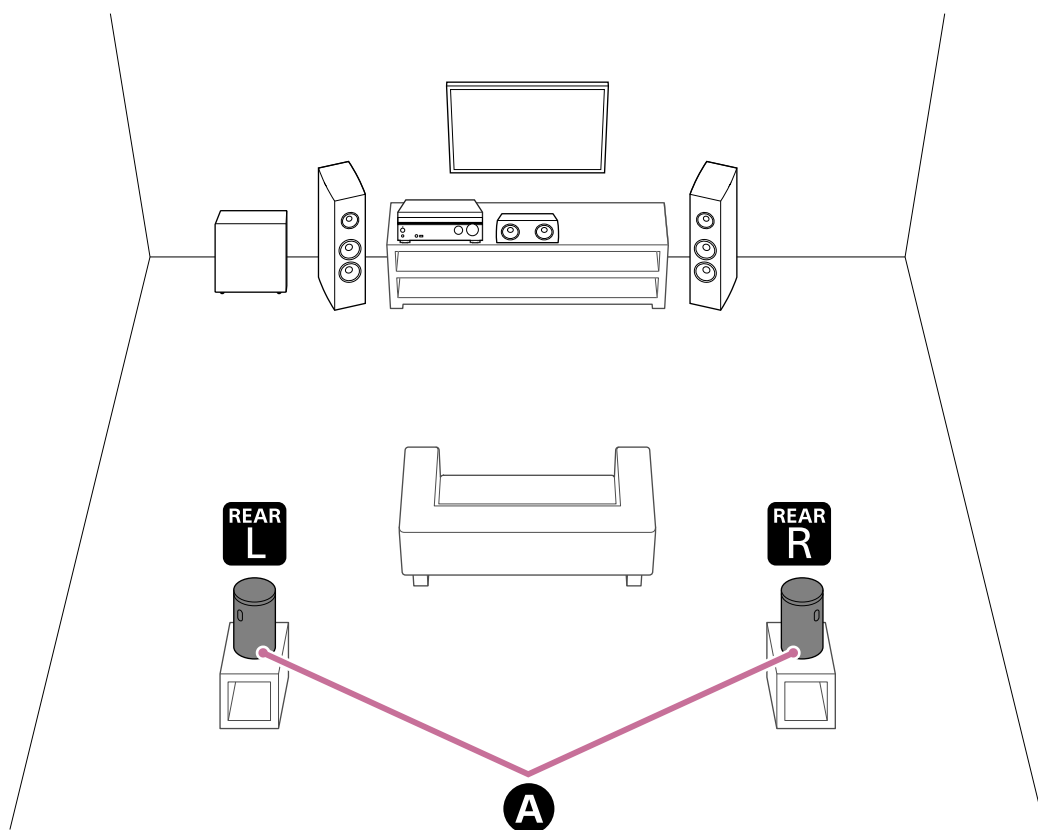
A Rear speakers

Example of installation with the multi-channel AV receiver/multi-channel AV amplifier

This is an installation example for a 5.1 channel speaker system.

When used with a 5.1 channel speaker system, the front and center speakers and subwoofer are required in addition to the rear speaker.

Refer to the Help Guide of the multi-channel AV receiver/multi-channel AV amplifier for information on speaker placement according to speaker system configuration.



A Rear speakers

Installing the rear speaker

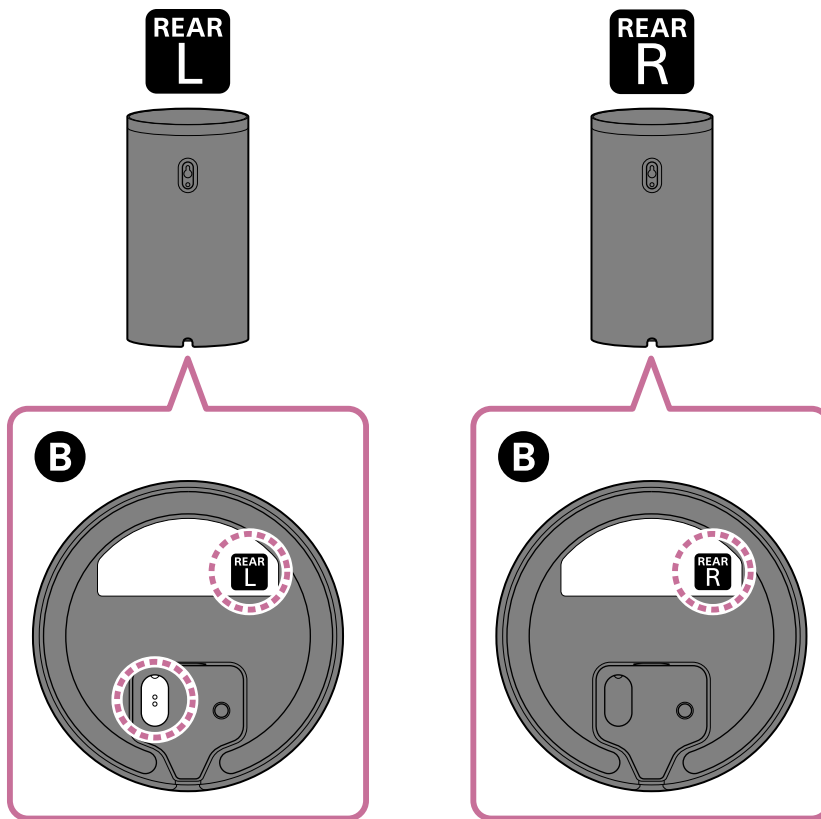
Install 2 rear speakers in combination as a pair on compatible models.

- Place the rear speakers backward toward the viewing position.
- It is recommended that the height of the rear speakers be placed in line with the height of the listener's ears.

1. Check the labels on the bottom of the rear speakers to identify the left and right rear speakers.

The left rear speaker is labeled "REAR L" and the right rear speaker is labeled "REAR R."

In the hollow area on the bottom of the left rear speaker (REAR L), you will find two tactile dots side by side that are about 1 mm (1/16 in) in size. Use them as a guide to distinguish the left rear speaker from the right rear speaker.



B Bottom of the rear speaker

2. Place the left rear speaker in the left rear facing the front and the right rear speaker in the right rear facing the front.

Note

- Sound is also output from the top of the rear speaker. Do not block the top and do not place the rear speaker inside a shelf or just under a ceiling.

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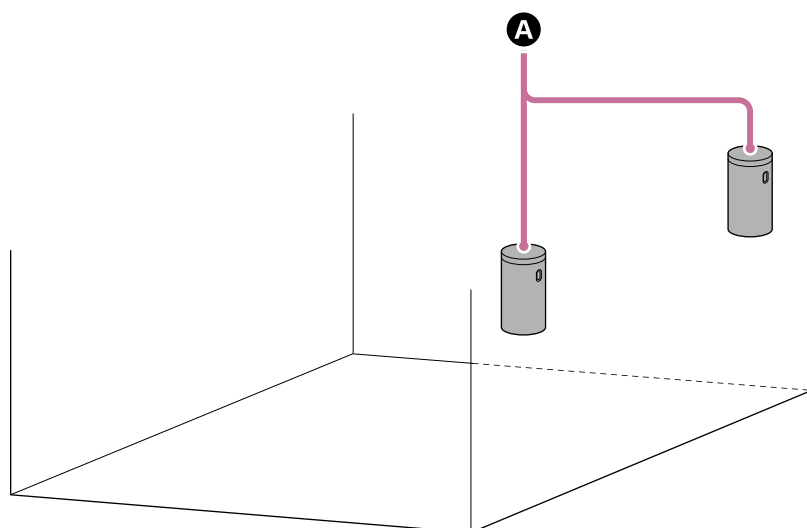
Mounting on a Wall Directly

By using a commercially-available screw, you can mount the rear speaker on a wall directly. If you want to turn the rear speaker toward the viewing position, you can also mount the rear speaker on a wall with the wall mounting bracket.

[Mounting on a Wall with the Supplied Wall Mounting Bracket](#)

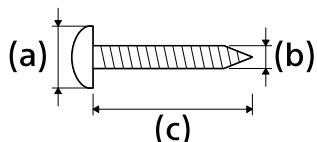
Note

- Prepare commercially-available screws that are suitable for the wall material and stability. The screw may damage the wall depending on the wall material.
- Fasten the screws securely in the wall beam.
- Hang the rear speakers horizontally on the reinforced wall.
- Ask a Sony dealer or licensed contractor to install the rear speakers securely with full consideration of safety.
- Sony shall not be held responsible for accidents or damage caused by improper installation, lack of installation strength, misuse, or natural disaster.



A Rear speakers

- 1 Prepare a commercially-available screw that is suitable for the wall mounting hole on the rear of the rear speaker.

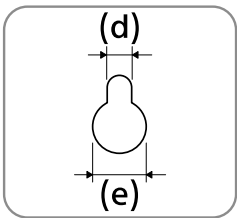


(a) 6 mm to 9.5 mm (1/4 in to 3/8 in)

(b) 4 mm (3/16 in)

(c) 30 mm (1 3/16 in) or longer (approximate)

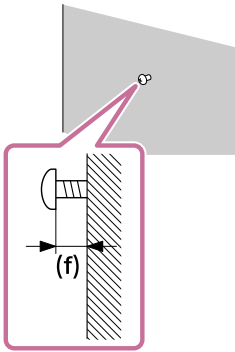
Wall mounting hole on the rear of the rear speaker



(d) Approx. 4.5 mm (3/16 in)

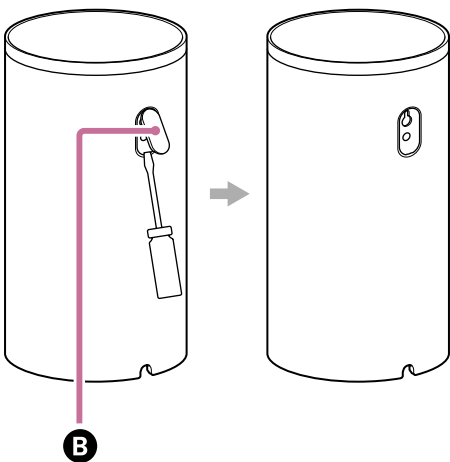
(e) Approx. 10 mm (13/32 in)

2 Fasten the screw to a wall.



(f) Approx. 12 mm (1/2 in)

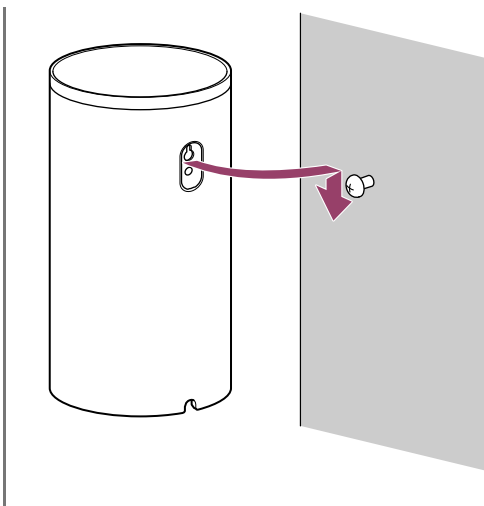
3 Remove the cover on the rear of the rear speaker by inserting a flathead screwdriver, etc. into the lower side of the cover.



B Cover

4 Check the labels on the bottom of the rear speakers to identify the left and right, and hang the wall mounting hole on the rear of the rear speaker on the screw.

- : Left
- : Right

**Note**

- Keep the cover that was removed in step 3 for use when you do not mount the rear speaker on a wall.

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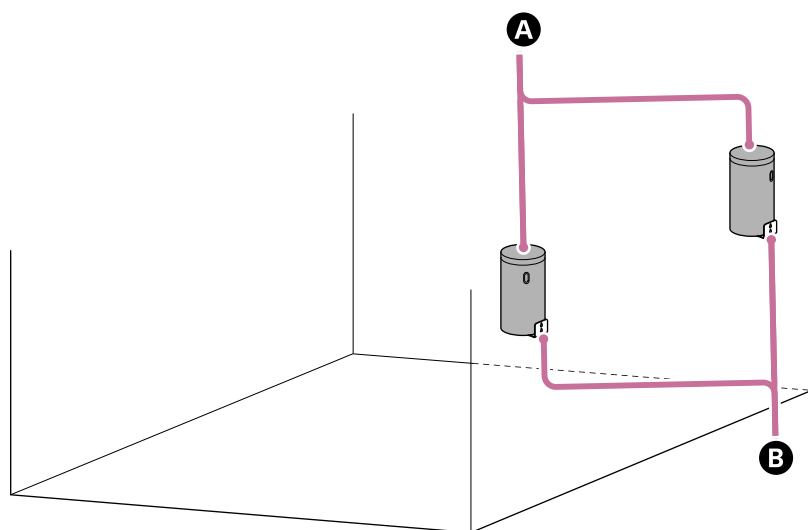
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Mounting on a Wall with the Supplied Wall Mounting Bracket

By using the wall mounting bracket, you can mount the rear speaker on a wall and turn it toward the viewing position.

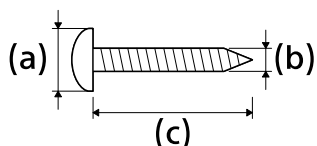
Note

- When you adjust the direction of the rear speaker by using the wall mounting bracket, you may not be able to press LINK depending on the direction.
As you may need to press LINK when connecting the rear speaker, follow the procedure on this page to mount the rear speaker on a wall.
- Prepare commercially-available screws that are suitable for the wall material and stability. The screw may damage the wall depending on the wall material.
- Fasten the screws securely in the wall beam.
- Ask a Sony dealer or licensed contractor to install the rear speakers securely with full consideration of safety.
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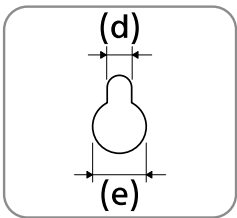
- A** Rear speakers
- B** Wall mounting bracket

- 1 Prepare commercially-available screws that are suitable for the hole on the wall mounting bracket.



- (a) 6 mm to 9.5 mm (1/4 in to 3/8 in)
- (b) 4 mm (3/16 in)
- (c) 30 mm (1 3/16 in) or longer (approximate)

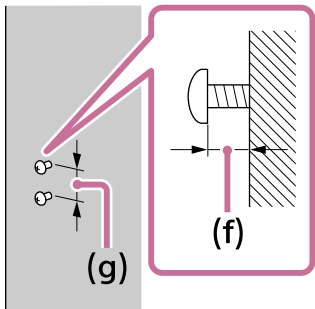
Hole on the wall mounting bracket



(d) Approx. 4.5 mm (3/16 in)

(e) Approx. 10 mm (13/32 in)

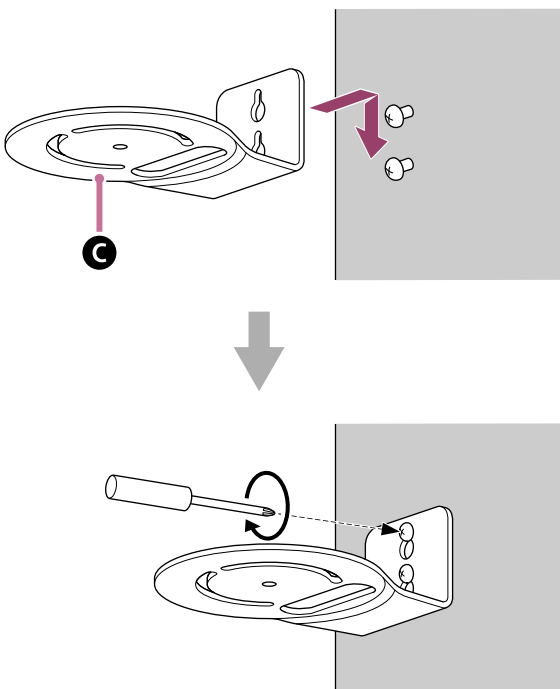
2 Fasten the screws to a wall.



(f) Approx. 3 mm (1/8 in)

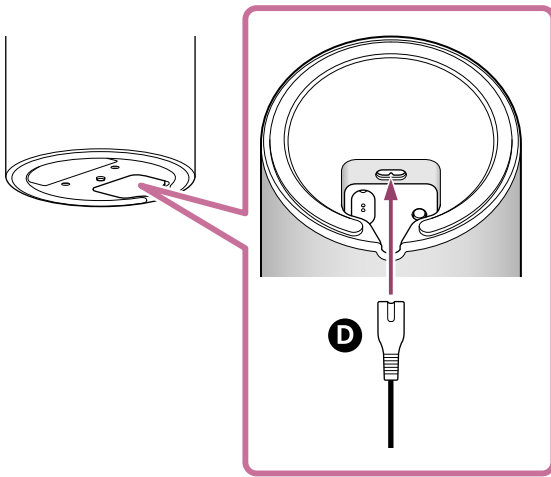
(g) Approx. 21 mm (27/32 in)

3 Hang the wall mounting bracket on the screws, then fasten the screws to fix the wall mounting bracket to the wall.



C Wall mounting bracket

4 Connect the AC power cord (mains lead) to the AC inlet on the rear speaker.



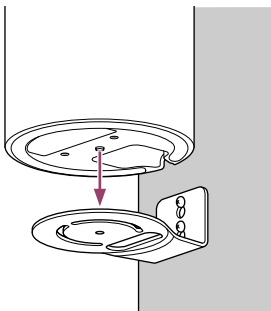
D AC power cord (mains lead)

5 Put the rear speaker on the wall mounting bracket.

Join the projection on the bottom center of the rear speaker to the hole on the bottom center of the wall mounting bracket.

Before putting the rear speaker on the wall mounting bracket, check the labels on the bottom of the rear speakers to identify the left and right.

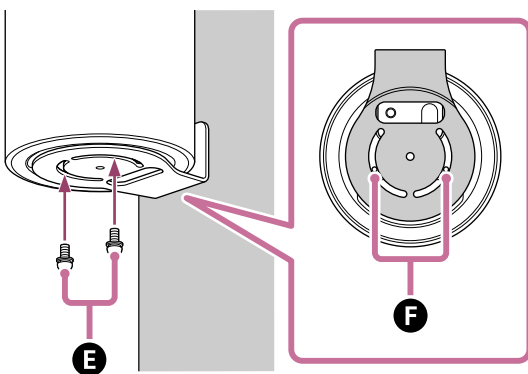
- **REAR L** : Left
- **REAR R** : Right



6 Install the screws to the hole on the bottom of the rear speaker through the slit on the wall mounting bracket and secure them temporarily.

Use the supplied screws.

Secure the screws temporarily until you determine the direction of the rear speaker.



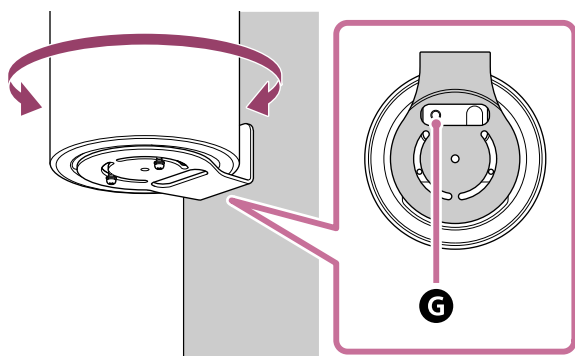
E Screws (supplied)

F Hole on the bottom of the rear speaker

7 Adjust the direction of the rear speaker to turn it toward the viewing position.

Note

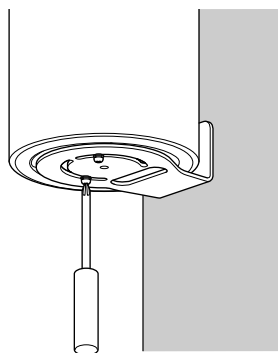
- You may need to press LINK on the bottom of the rear speaker when connecting it to the device you want to connect. If you cannot press LINK when turning the rear speaker to the viewing position, complete the connection between the rear speaker and the device before beginning the next step.



G LINK

8 Fix the rear speaker to the wall mounting bracket, after determining the direction of the rear speaker.

Fasten the screws firmly by using a cross head screwdriver, etc.



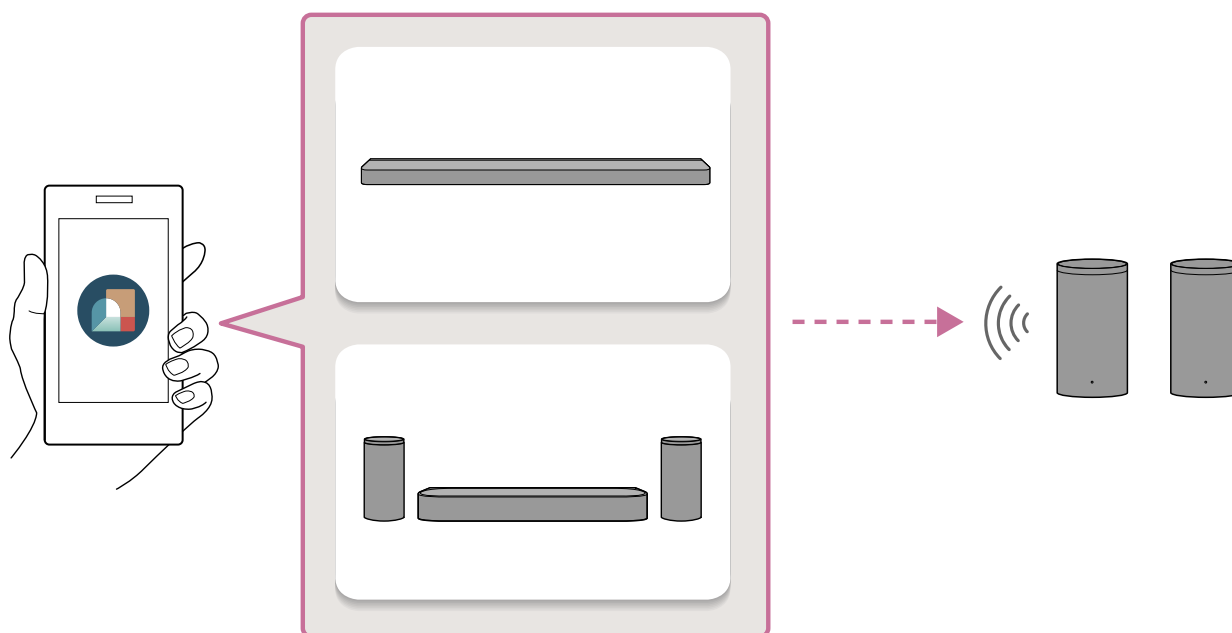
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Connecting to a Main Audio Device such as a Sound Bar that Supports the “Sony | BRAVIA Connect” App

Be sure to launch or install the “Sony | BRAVIA Connect” app from the link in step 1 on this page.
The guidance for installing and connecting the rear speaker starts on the app.

If you have installed the app already, be sure to update the app to the latest version before beginning the steps below.
[Go to the website where you can update the app to the latest version.](#)



- 1 Tap the following link (blue text), then start the setup of the rear speaker with the app.

Note

- Your IP address and device identifier information will be shared with Sony corporation's service providers when you install or launch the app.

Connecting BRAVIA Theatre Rear 9 (the rear speaker)

[Start the setup of BRAVIA Theatre Rear 9 with the app.](#)

Hint

- Perform the same procedure when connecting optional Sony wireless speakers other than the rear speaker together. Follow the guidance on the app screen, and you will see the connection guidance for each speaker.
- You may not be able to launch or install the app by tapping the link above or scanning the QR code below. In this case, tap the link corresponding to your smartphone on the displayed web page to launch or install the app. Then, proceed to step 2.

If you are viewing this Help Guide on a computer, scan the QR code below with your smartphone.



2 Follow the guidance on the app screen to continue setting up the rear speaker.

First, select the device to which you want to connect the rear speaker.

If a notification of a software update for your main audio device (such as a sound bar) is displayed, follow the guidance on the app screen. Similarly, follow the guidance on the app screen for installation and connection of the rear speaker.

Hint

- If the initial setup of your main audio device (such as a sound bar) has not been completed, you will need to set up your main audio device before connecting the rear speaker. Follow the guidance on the app screen.
- If the initial setup of the main audio device (such as a sound bar) has been completed, select the main audio device to which you want to connect the rear speaker on the app screen, then connect the rear speaker by tapping [Settings] - [Wireless Speaker Settings] - [Wireless Speaker Connection].

Related Topic

- [Installing on the Floor or Shelf](#)
- [Mounting on a Wall Directly](#)
- [Mounting on a Wall with the Supplied Wall Mounting Bracket](#)

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Connecting to an HT-A7000, HT-A5000, or HT-A3000 Sound Bar

HT-A7000, HT-A5000, and HT-A3000 sound bars do not support the “Sony | BRAVIA Connect” app. Display the setting screen of the sound bar on the TV screen to operate the connection procedure.

The sound bar may not connect to the rear speaker until the software of the sound bar is updated.

- 1 Turn on the sound bar to which the rear speaker is connected as well as the TV, and switch the TV input to the sound bar.**

It takes a while for the sound bar to start up. The operation can be performed when [HELLO] or [PLEASE WAIT] disappears from the display panel.

- 2 Update the software of the sound bar to the latest version.**

The procedure for updating the software depends on whether the initial setup of the sound bar has been completed.

Note

- The Help Guide for the sound bar may suggest updating the software with the optional speakers connected to the sound bar, but update the software of the sound bar without connecting the rear speaker.

If the initial setup of the sound bar has already been completed (if you are already using it)

1. Press HOME on the remote control supplied with the sound bar and select [Setup] - [Advanced Settings] - [Software Update] - [Network Update] on the home menu displayed on the TV screen.
2. Follow the on-screen instructions on the TV screen to update the software.

If the initial setup of the sound bar has not been completed (e.g., immediately after purchasing the sound bar)

1. Press HOME on the remote control supplied with the sound bar and follow the on-screen instructions that appear on the TV screen to begin the initial setup.
2. Even if the [Checking Wireless Speaker Connection] screen appears, select [Next] without connecting the rear speaker to the sound bar.
3. Connect the sound bar to the Internet via the [Easy Network Setup] screen and follow the on-screen instructions to continue the initial setup.
4. When the screen confirming the execution of the software update appears, select [Yes] to execute the software update.
5. Even if the [Sound Field Optimization] screen appears, proceed without executing it.
6. If the [Easy Sound Setup] screen appears, select [Cancel].
7. Continue the initial setup until the home menu appears.

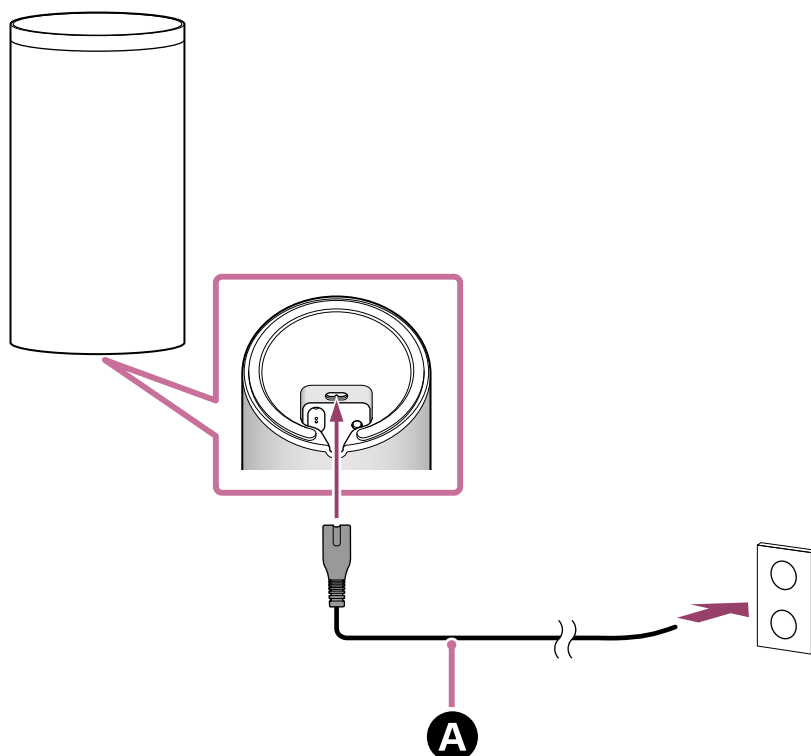
Hint

- You can also update the sound bar software to the latest version by downloading the latest software from Sony's support page to a USB memory.
For details, refer to the Help Guide for the sound bar.

- 3 Connect the AC power cord (mains lead) to the AC inlet on the rear speaker, then connect to the AC outlet (mains).

Turn on all the speakers to be connected.

For information on installation, see “Related Topic” listed at the bottom of this page.



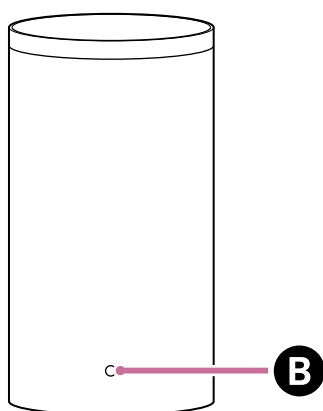
A AC power cord (mains lead) (supplied)

- 4 Check that the power indicator on the rear speaker lights in white.

When the power indicator lights in white, the connection between the rear speaker and the sound bar is complete.

Note

- The Help Guide for the sound bar may state that the power indicator lights in green, but the power indicator on the rear speaker is white.



B Power indicator

If the rear speaker does not automatically connect to the sound bar or if you replace another rear speaker that is already connected to the sound bar with this rear speaker

The rear speaker must be connected manually to the sound bar.

For instructions on how to connect manually, refer to “Connecting the Optional Speaker with the Manual Connection” in the Help Guide for the sound bar. You can connect the rear speaker to the sound bar with the same operation.

Note

- If the optional subwoofer has been connected already, it must also be connected manually again.

- 5 Press HOME on the remote control supplied with the sound bar and perform sound field optimization by selecting [Setup] - [Advanced Settings] - [Speaker Settings] - [Sound Field Optimization] in the home menu.**

Related Topic

- [Installing on the Floor or Shelf](#)
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Connecting to an STR-AN1000, STR-AZ7000ES, STR-AZ5000ES, STR-AZ3000ES, STR-AZ1000ES, or TA-AN1000 AV Receiver/Amplifier

STR-AN1000, STR-AZ7000ES, STR-AZ5000ES, STR-AZ3000ES, STR-AZ1000ES, and TA-AN1000 AV receivers/amplifiers do not support the “Sony | BRAVIA Connect” app. Display the setting screen of the AV receiver/amplifier on the TV screen to operate the connection procedure.

The AV receiver/amplifier may not connect to the rear speaker until the software of the AV receiver/amplifier is updated.

- 1 **Turn on the AV receiver/amplifier to which the rear speaker is connected as well as the TV, and switch the TV input to the AV receiver/amplifier.**

It takes a while for the AV receiver/amplifier to start up. The operation can be performed when [HELLO] or [PLEASE WAIT] disappears from the display panel.

- 2 **Update the software of the AV receiver/amplifier to the latest version.**

The procedure for updating the software depends on whether the initial setup of the AV receiver/amplifier has been completed.

Note

- The Help Guide for the AV receiver/amplifier may suggest updating the software with the optional speakers connected to the AV receiver/amplifier, but update the software of the AV receiver/amplifier without connecting the rear speaker.

If the initial setup of the AV receiver/amplifier has already been completed (if you are already using it)

1. Press HOME on the remote control supplied with the AV receiver/amplifier and select [Setup] - [Software Update] - [Network Update] on the home menu displayed on the TV screen.
2. Follow the on-screen instructions on the TV screen to update the software.

If the initial setup of the AV receiver/amplifier has not been completed (e.g., immediately after purchasing the AV receiver/amplifier)

1. Press HOME on the remote control supplied with the AV receiver/amplifier.
2. Follow the instructions on the TV screen to set the language to be displayed on the screen, select [Internet Settings] on the displayed screen, follow the on-screen instructions to complete the connection of the AV receiver/amplifier to the Internet, then select [OK].
Do not proceed to the next setting.
3. Press HOME on the remote control supplied with the AV receiver/amplifier and select [Setup] - [Software Update] - [Network Update] on the home menu displayed on the TV screen.
4. Check the software update progress in the display panel of the AV receiver/amplifier.
The progress rate is displayed in percentage (“XXX%”).
When the update is completed, [COMPLETED] appears in the display panel and the AV receiver/amplifier restarts automatically.

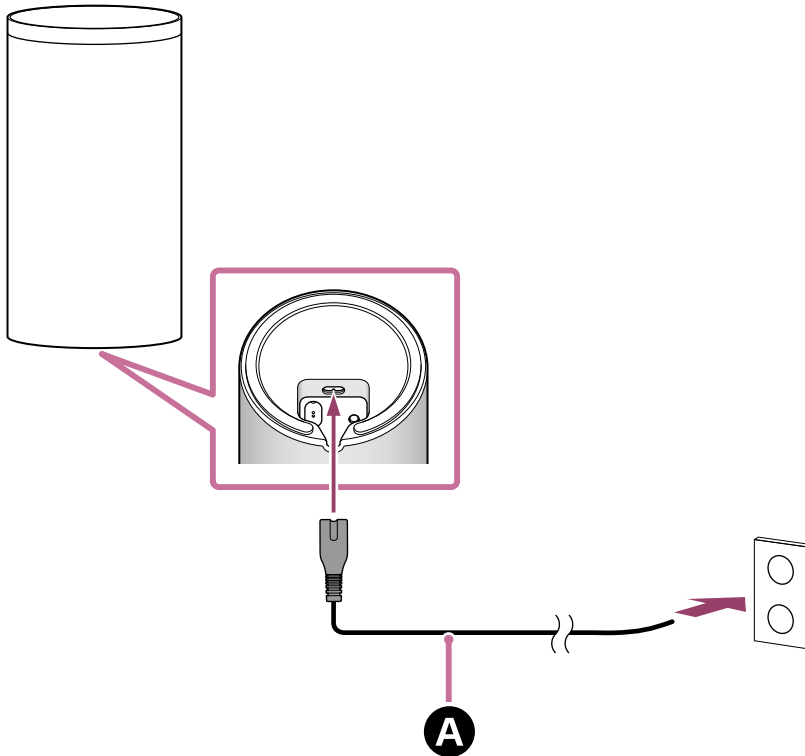
Hint

- You can also update the AV receiver/amplifier software to the latest version by downloading the latest software from Sony's support page to a USB memory.
For details, refer to the Help Guide for the AV receiver/amplifier.

3 Connect the AC power cord (mains lead) to the AC inlet on the rear speaker, then connect to the AC outlet (mains).

Turn on all the speakers to be connected.

For information on installation, see "Related Topic" listed at the bottom of this page.



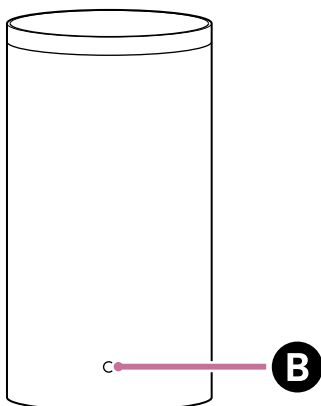
A AC power cord (mains lead) (supplied)

4 Check that the power indicator on the rear speaker lights in white.

When the power indicator lights in white, the connection between the rear speaker and the AV receiver/amplifier is complete.

Note

- The Help Guide for the AV receiver/amplifier may state that the power indicator lights in green, but the power indicator on the rear speaker is white.



B Power indicator

If the rear speaker does not automatically connect to the AV receiver/amplifier or if you replace another rear speaker that is already connected to the AV receiver/amplifier with this rear speaker

The rear speaker must be connected manually to the AV receiver/amplifier.

For instructions on how to connect manually, refer to “Connecting Sony wireless rear speakers/subwoofer” in the Help Guide for the AV receiver/amplifier. You can connect the rear speaker to the AV receiver/amplifier with the same operation.

Note

- If the optional subwoofer has been connected already, it must also be connected manually again.

- 5** Press **HOME** on the remote control supplied with the AV receiver/amplifier and perform sound field optimization by selecting **[Setup]** - **[Speaker Settings]** - **[Auto Calibration]** in the home menu.

Related Topic

- [Installing on the Floor or Shelf](#)
- [Mounting on a Wall Directly](#)
- [Mounting on a Wall with the Supplied Wall Mounting Bracket](#)

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Rear Speaker
BRAVIA Theatre Rear 9

About the Connection to a BRAVIA (TV)

You can connect this rear speaker to a BRAVIA (TV) that supports the wireless speaker connection.

The connection target of the rear speaker varies depending on whether the main audio device (such as a sound bar) is connected to the BRAVIA (TV) and the type of main audio device. Select the applicable one from A, B or C below, and tap the link (blue text) of the connection procedure.

A: If you have not connected the audio device (such as a sound bar) to the BRAVIA (TV)

Connect the rear speaker to the BRAVIA (TV).
For instructions on how to connect, see the link below.

[Connecting to a BRAVIA \(TV\)](#)

B: If you have connected the audio device (such as a sound bar) that does not support the connection with the rear speaker to the BRAVIA (TV)

Connect the rear speaker to the BRAVIA (TV).
For instructions on how to connect, see the link below.

[Connecting to a BRAVIA \(TV\)](#)

Note

- If using connection B, the sound of the TV is not output from the rear speaker and the audio device (such as a sound bar) at the same time.

C: If you have connected the main audio device (such as a sound bar) that supports the connection with the rear speaker to the BRAVIA (TV)

Connect the rear speaker to the main audio device. You can enjoy a more ideal sound experience.
For instructions on how to connect, select and see the connection method for the device that is connected to your BRAVIA (TV) from the links below.

- [Connecting to a Main Audio Device such as a Sound Bar that Supports the “Sony | BRAVIA Connect” App](#)
- [Connecting to an HT-A7000, HT-A5000, or HT-A3000 Sound Bar](#)
- [Connecting to an STR-AN1000, STR-AZ7000ES, STR-AZ5000ES, STR-AZ3000ES, STR-AZ1000ES, or TA-AN1000 AV Receiver/Amplifier](#)

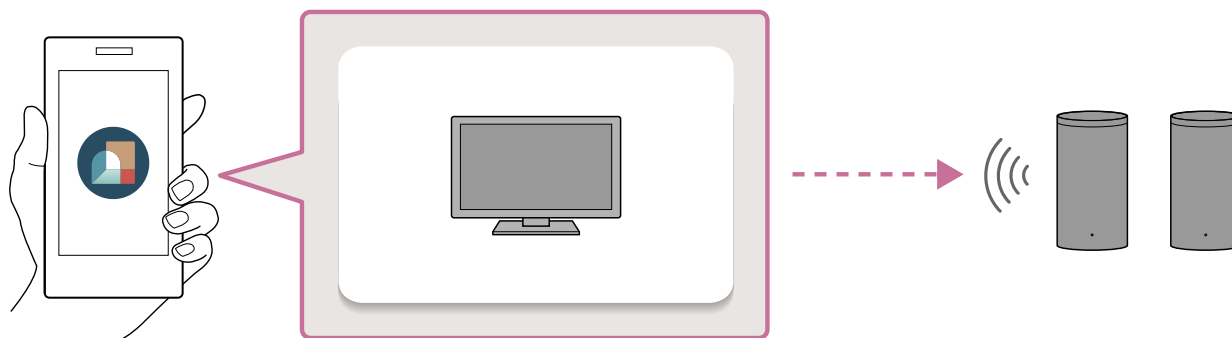
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Connecting to a BRAVIA (TV)

Be sure to launch or install the “Sony | BRAVIA Connect” app from the link in step 3 on this page.
The guidance for installing and connecting the rear speaker starts on the app.

If you have installed the app already, be sure to update the app to the latest version before beginning the steps below.
[Go to the website where you can update the app to the latest version.](#)



1 Update the software of the BRAVIA (TV) to the latest version.

You can check the update method of the software at the link below.
<https://www.sony.net/TVupdate/>

2 Turn on the BRAVIA (TV).

3 Tap the following link (blue text), then start the setup of the rear speaker with the app.

Note

- Your IP address and device identifier information will be shared with Sony corporation's service providers when you install or launch the app.

Connecting BRAVIA Theatre Rear 9 (the rear speaker)

[Start the setup of BRAVIA Theatre Rear 9 with the app.](#)

Hint

- Perform the same procedure when connecting optional Sony wireless speakers other than the rear speaker together. Follow the guidance on the app screen, and you will see the connection guidance for each speaker.
- You may not be able to launch or install the app by tapping the link above or scanning the QR code below. In this case, tap the link corresponding to your smartphone on the displayed web page to launch or install the app. Then, proceed to step 4.

If you are viewing this Help Guide on a computer, scan the QR code below with your smartphone.



4 Follow the guidance on the app screen to continue setting up the rear speaker.

First, select the BRAVIA (TV) to which you want to connect the rear speaker.

If a notification of a software update for the rear speaker is displayed, follow the guidance on the app screen. Similarly, follow the guidance on the app screen for installation and connection of the rear speaker.

Hint

- If the BRAVIA (TV) has not been registered on the app, you will need to register the BRAVIA (TV) on the app before connecting the rear speaker. Follow the guidance on the app screen.
- If the BRAVIA (TV) has been registered on the app, select the BRAVIA (TV) to which you want to connect the rear speaker on the app screen first. Then, connect the rear speaker to the BRAVIA (TV) with one of the following procedures.
 - If you have connected one or more wireless speakers to the BRAVIA (TV)
Tap [Settings] - [Connection settings] - [Wireless Speaker Connection].
 - If you have not connected a wireless speaker to the BRAVIA (TV) yet
Tap [Settings] - [Wireless Speaker Connection].

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BRAVIA Theatre Rear 9

Troubleshooting

If you have any problems, please follow the process below.

1. Check that the AC power cord (mains lead) of the rear speaker is firmly and fully inserted all the way.



2. Disconnect the AC power cord (mains lead) from the AC outlet (mains), and then reconnect after several minutes.



3. Check for applicable problems and solutions by using one of the following methods.

- Select Help from the menu on the “Sony | BRAVIA Connect” app for support information.
- On the support page, select the model name of the rear speaker and check the support information. For the URL of the support page, see “[Customer Support Website](#).”



4. Reset the rear speaker.

All the rear speaker settings are returned to their initial state.



5. If the rear speaker still does not work properly, consult Sony support contact or your nearest Sony dealer.

- Sony support contact:
<https://www.sony.net/support-contact>

Related Topic

- [Resetting the Rear Speaker](#)
- [Customer Support Website](#)

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Customer Support Website

On the support page, you can find the following information.
See the support page for your country/region.

- Questions & Answers
- Latest Drivers and software update
- Contact Support
- Product Repair
- Register Your Product

For customers in the USA, Canada and Latin America:

<https://www.sony.com/am/support>

For customers in Europe:

<https://www.sony.eu/support/>

For customers in Mainland China:

<https://service.sony.com.cn/>

For customers in Asia-Pacific, Oceania, the Middle East and Africa:

<https://www.sony-asia.com/support>

For customers in Japan:

<https://www.sony.jp/support/>

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Resetting the Rear Speaker

If the rear speaker still does not operate properly with "[Troubleshooting](#)," reset the rear speaker.
Reset the left and right rear speakers respectively.

- 1 With the power on, press and hold LINK on the rear speaker for more than 10 seconds until the notification sound indicating the start of reset plays.**

The reset starts when the power indicator on the rear speaker flashes in white/blue alternately and the notification sound indicating the start of reset is played. When the reset is complete, the power indicator will stop flashing, the notification sound indicating the power off will play, and the rear speaker will turn off.

- 2 Press LINK on the rear speaker to turn on the rear speaker.**

When you connect the rear speaker again, follow the connection procedure to operate. Depending on the connected device, the rear speaker automatically connects to it when the rear speaker is turned on.

Related Topic

- [About the Indicator](#)
- [Connecting to a Main Audio Device such as a Sound Bar that Supports the "Sony | BRAVIA Connect" App](#)
- [Connecting to an HT-A7000, HT-A5000, or HT-A3000 Sound Bar](#)
- [Connecting to an STR-AN1000, STR-AZ7000ES, STR-AZ5000ES, STR-AZ3000ES, STR-AZ1000ES, or TA-AN1000 AV Receiver/Amplifier](#)
- [Connecting to a BRAVIA \(TV\)](#)

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Rear Speaker

BRAVIA Theatre Rear 9

Specifications

Rear speaker (YY2101C)

The following descriptions are the specifications per speaker.

Top speaker section

80 mm (3 1/4 in) Cone type (1)

Speaker system

Acoustic suspension type

Front speaker section

Tweeter

16 mm (21/32 in) Soft dome type (1)

Woofer

80 mm (3 1/4 in) Cone type (1)

Speaker system

Passive radiator type

Wireless LAN section

Communication system

IEEE 802.11 a/b/g/n/ac/ax

BLUETOOTH section

Output

BLUETOOTH Specification Power Class 1.5

Maximum communication range

Line of sight approx. 30 m (98.4 ft)*

* The actual range will vary depending on factors such as obstacles between devices, magnetic fields around a microwave oven, static electricity, cordless phone use, reception sensitivity, the operating system, software applications, etc.

Frequency band

2.4 GHz band (2.400 0 GHz - 2.483 5 GHz)

Wireless transmitter/receiver section

Communication system

Wireless Sound Specification

Modulation method

OFDM

General

Power consumption

On: 22 W

Network standby mode: 1.8 W or less

Turned off: 0.3 W or less

When the [Auto Standby] function is enabled, if the product is not being operated and there is no signal input for about 20 minutes, the product automatically enters the network standby mode or turned off.

Disabling the [Auto Standby] function will increase the power consumption of this product.

When this product is connected to home audio equipment, the power of the product is controlled in conjunction with the auto standby function of home audio equipment.

Dimensions* (W × H × D)

* Including projecting parts and controls.

Speaker:

Approx. 154 mm × 286 mm × 154 mm (6 1/8 in × 11 3/8 in × 6 1/8 in)

Speaker with the Wall mounting bracket:

Approx. 154 mm × 294 mm × 167 mm (6 1/8 in × 11 5/8 in × 6 5/8 in)

Mass

Speaker:

Approx. 2.7 kg (5 lb 16 oz)

Speaker with the Wall mounting bracket:

Approx. 2.9 kg (6 lb 7 oz)

Note

- Design and specifications are subject to change without notice.
- Refer to the Reference Guide included with your product, which may contain specification information not listed above.

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Notes on Use

Precautions

- The supplied AC power cord (mains lead) is designed exclusively for this rear speaker. It should not be used with any other device.
- Unplug the AC power cord (mains lead) from the AC outlet (mains) when the rear speaker is not being used for long periods of time. When unplugging the AC power cord (mains lead) from the AC outlet (mains), always unplug it by holding the plug. Never pull the cord itself.
- If the AC power cord (mains lead) is damaged, contact Sony support or the store you purchased the product from for a replacement.

On placement

- Do not place the rear speaker near heat sources or in a location subject to direct sunlight, excessive dust, or mechanical shock. These conditions may cause malfunction.
- Place this rear speaker on a flat, level surface. When placed on a sloped surface, the rear speaker may fall over or fall off the surface due to its own vibration, resulting in injuries, malfunctions, or performance degradation.
- Placing the rear speaker on a floor that is coated with special paint, wax, grease, or solvent, etc. may result in discoloration or stains on the floor.
- The speakers of this rear speaker are not the magnetically shielded type. Do not place magnetic cards on the rear speaker or near it.
- Do not place metal objects other than a TV around the rear speaker. Wireless functions may become unstable.
- When the rear speaker is used with a tuner, TV, or VCR, noise or distorted images may be produced. In this case, install the rear speaker away from these devices.
- Do not place the rear speaker near objects that emit a strong magnetic field, such as microwave ovens or large speakers.

How to care for the rear speaker

- Dust and dirt on the fabric part should be removed with a soft cloth by applying light pressure.
 - Scratching dirt with fingernails or applying excessive force may damage the fabric part.
 - Do not use cleaning brushes, etc. as they may damage the fabric part depending on the material.
 - If the fabric part is heavily soiled, wipe it with a soft cloth slightly moistened with neutral detergent, then wipe it with a soft dry cloth. Use of non-neutral detergents or cleaners may cause color fading or fabric damage.
- The cabinet should be wiped with a soft cloth slightly moistened with neutral detergent. Do not use abrasive pads, cleansers, or solvents such as alcohol or benzene.

On BLUETOOTH® communications

- BLUETOOTH wireless technology is a short-range wireless technology that enables communication between digital devices, such as smartphones and computers. The maximum communication range may vary depending on the presence of obstacles (people, metal objects, walls, etc.) or the electromagnetic environment.
- Microwaves that are generated by a BLUETOOTH device may affect the operation of electronic medical devices. Turn off the rear speaker and other BLUETOOTH devices in the following locations, as it may cause an accident:
 - In hospitals, near priority seating on trains, locations where inflammable gas is present, near automatic doors, or near fire alarms.
- This rear speaker supports security functions that comply with the BLUETOOTH security standard during communication using BLUETOOTH wireless technology. However, depending on the configured settings and other

factors, this security may be insufficient. Be careful when using BLUETOOTH communication.

- Sony shall assume no responsibility for any damages or loss resulting from data leaks that may occur when using BLUETOOTH communications.

Other notes

- The temperature of the rear speaker may rise during use. This is not a malfunction.
- If a foreign object or water gets into the rear speaker, turn off the rear speaker immediately, unplug the rear speaker from the AC outlet (mains), and consult with Sony support or the store you purchased the product from.
- When connecting the rear speaker to the Internet, connect it via a router(*) with the appropriate security settings. If there is a security issue, the rear speaker may be subject to malware (malicious software) attacks, etc. over the internet. Your information and digital assets may be exposed to threats such as extraction and falsification. The rear speaker may also damage other network services without your knowledge.

* A router is a device that relays between an internet line and a local network line.

There are the following types of routers:

- Wired router
- ADSL modem with router function
- Optical network unit (ONU) with router function
- Wi-Fi access point with router function (wireless LAN router)
- Wall socket (wall outlet) device with network line (**)

** If you are uncertain whether a wall socket (wall outlet) device with a network line has a router function, check with the manager of the housing complex or the internet provider.

Note

- Check that the router is turned on.
 - Check the network connection and network settings.
 - When a wireless LAN router is being used, the communication range may become shorter depending on the usage environment (including the wall material), radio wave reception conditions, or obstacles between the rear speaker and wireless LAN router. Move the rear speaker and wireless LAN router closer to each other.
 - Devices that use a 2.4 GHz frequency band, such as microwaves, BLUETOOTH devices, or digital cordless devices, may interrupt communication. Move the rear speaker away from such devices, or turn off such devices.
 - A wireless LAN connection may become unstable depending on the usage environment, especially while the BLUETOOTH function is being used on the rear speaker. Try to improve your wireless LAN usage environment.
- If you have any questions or problems concerning this rear speaker, consult with Sony support or the store you purchased the product from.

Related Topic

- [Troubleshooting](#)
- [Customer Support Website](#)

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