



BarkBlaster Instruction Manual

Thank you for purchasing the BarkBlaster. We believe that training dogs requires consistent action using a command or sound followed by reward or humane consequences. The BarkBlaster is sound activated, monitoring your dog(s) 24/7. Using a tone and water spray, BarkBlaster trains multiple dogs at once to stop barking when they hear the sound or get sprayed with water. In a short time, your dog will learn to respond to the tone alone.

Setup Instructions

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Materials:

- 8 D batteries (not included)
- Garden hose
- Outdoor water hookup
- Smartphone (not required)

Adding/Changing Batteries

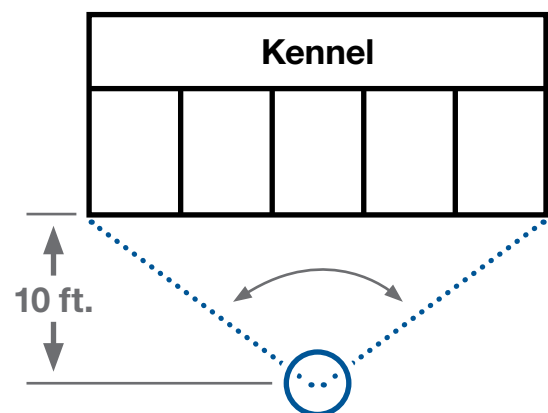
1. Remove the base of the BarkBlaster by squeezing the plastic tabs and rotating the base counterclockwise. Remove the plastic cover.
2. Remove the black battery case.
3. Insert 8 D batteries. The BarkBlaster is active once batteries are installed and may respond to noise as you handle it.
4. Replace the black battery case and back cover. Align the locking tabs on the base next to the locks on the unit. Turn clockwise until locks click.

Attaching A Garden Hose

Attach a standard size garden hose to your water source and the hose connection to the BarkBlaster. Hoses should be attached to an outdoor water source in above freezing temperatures.

Positioning the BarkBlaster

1. Find the midpoint of the kennel.
2. Position the BarkBlaster 10 feet from the midpoint as shown.
3. Face the spray end of the nozzle toward the kennel.
4. Adjust the spray.
 - Turn the knob on the top of the unit to adjust the distance of the spray.
 - Move the rings to control the range of motion for the spray to sweep across all of the kennels.



Operation

Standard 24/7 operation is as follows:

- 3 consecutive barks within 5 seconds.



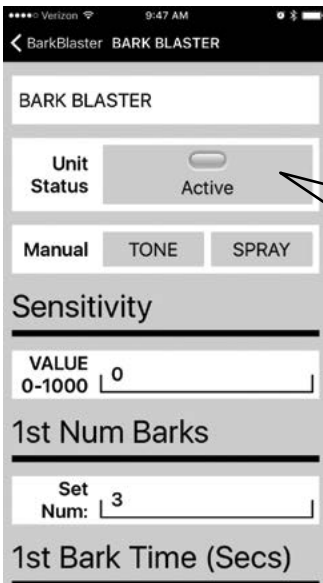
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Smartphone App Setup


1. Using the Apple iTunes Store or Google Play Store, download the free BarkBlaster app.



2. Open the app and allow it to connect to Bluetooth by selecting “Yes” in the pop-up window.
3. Check the box for “Auto Connect,” unless you own multiple units.
4. Select “Scan for local devices.”
5. Select your BarkBlaster device. This will appear as an alphanumeric code.
6. Once the device is connected the menu will appear:



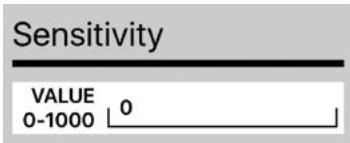
Click the “Unit Status” button, this will allow you to put your BarkBlaster into “Standby” mode or “Active” mode, without disconnecting the water source or battery.



7. On this screen you can manually test the “Tone” and “Spray” features. Press “Tone” to hear the BarkBlaster tone. Press “Spray” to activate the BarkBlaster spray feature.



8. Under “Sensitivity” use the number pad to set the “level of sound” that you would like your BarkBlaster to recognize. For example, a lower number will only recognize very loud noises, whereas a higher number will recognize softer noises. *Note: Before using the BarkBlaster app, the out-of-box, default setting is 600. However, once you activate the BarkBlaster app, the sensitivity will drop to zero and will need to be reset.*





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9. Next, set the “1st Num Barks” section. This setting allows you to choose the acceptable number of times the dog can bark before the BarkBlaster will tone/spray. This setting can be any number above 3 (to allow for more barking if desired). **A setting below 3 will create a “loop” and the BarkBlaster will not shut off.**

1st Num Barks

Set Num:

10. Next, set the “1st Bark Time.” This setting tells the BarkBlaster how long to listen for the “acceptable number of barks” that was set in step 9. For example, if you set “1st Num Barks” to 3 (in step 9) and “1st Bark Time” to 5 the BarkBlaster will tone/spray when the dog barks 3 times within 5 seconds. *Note: The higher your “acceptable number of barks” is (from step 9), the more time you should add to the “1st Bark Time.” If the time is set too low, the BarkBlaster may not count enough barks to react.*

1st Bark Time (Secs)

Set Time:

11. Then, set the “Spray Interval” to choose how long the BarkBlaster will spray water. If you need your BarkBlaster to cover more area, increase your “Spray Interval” time. If the BarkBlaster sprays too long, decrease time. *Note: Setting the “Spray Interval” time to zero is not recommended (doing so may cause the spray feature to continuously run). If the BarkBlaster spray feature will not shut off, please remove the batteries and restart the unit.*

Spray Interval (Secs)

Set Time:

12. Finally, set the “Tone Interval” this setting is simply the amount of time the BarkBlaster tone will go off once activated.

Tone Interval (Secs)

Set Time:

Note: Consistent settings will better train your dog(s) to respond. On exiting the app, settings will remain in place until batteries are removed. Upon battery removal, the BarkBlaster will reset to default.

Automated Sprinkler

The BarkBlaster may be used as a timed sprinkler with the BarkBlaster app.

1. Set the “Spray Interval” to a large number of seconds (3600 seconds = 1 hour).
2. Select the spray button.
3. To stop the spray, before the set time expires—turn off the water source, and remove one battery to reset the unit. 3