



Atech Flash Technology, Inc.

# iCarta™

## User's Guide



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## IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

When used in the directed manner, this unit has been designed and manufactured to ensure your personal safety. However, improper use can result in potential electrical shock or fire hazards. Please read all safety and operating instructions carefully before installation and use, and keep these instructions handy for future reference. Take special note of all warnings listed in these instructions and on the unit.

1. **Water and Moisture** – The unit should not be used near water. For example: near a bathtub, washbowl, kitchen sink, laundry tub, swimming pool or in a wet basement.
2. **Ventilation** – The unit should be situated so that its location or position does not interfere with its proper ventilation. For example, it should not be situated on a bed, sofa, rug or similar surface that may block ventilation openings. Also, it should not be placed in a built-in installation, such as a bookcase or cabinet, that may impede the flow of air through the ventilation openings.
3. **Heat** – The unit should be situated away from heat sources such as radiators, heat registers, stoves or other appliances (including amplifiers) that produce heat.
4. **Power Sources** – The unit should be connected to a power supply only of the type described in the operating instructions or as marked on the appliance. .
5. **Power Cord Protection** – Power supply cords should be routed so that they are not likely to be walked on or pinched by items placed upon or against them. It is always best to have a clear area from where the cord exits the unit to where it is plugged into an AC outlet.
6. **Cleaning** – The unit should be cleaned only as recommended. See the Maintenance section of this manual for cleaning instructions.
7. **Objects and Liquid Entry** – Care should be taken so that objects do not fall and liquids are not spilled into any openings or vents located on the product.
8. **Attachments** – Do not use attachments not recommended by the product manufacturer.

9. Lightning and Power Surge Protection – Unplug the unit from the wall outlet and disconnect the antenna or cable system during a lightning storm or when it is left unattended and unused for long periods of time. This will prevent damage to the product due to lightning and power-line surges.
10. Overloading – Do not overload wall outlets, extension cords, or integral convenience receptacles as this can result in a risk of fire or electric shock.
11. Damage Requiring Service – The unit should be serviced by qualified service personnel when:
  - A) the power supply cord or plug has been damaged.
  - B) objects have fallen into or liquid has been spilled into the enclosure.
  - C) the unit has been exposed to rain.
  - D) the unit has been dropped or the enclosure damaged.
  - E) the unit exhibits a marked change in performance or does not operate normally.
12. Periods of Nonuse – If the unit is to be left unused for an extended period of time, such as a month or longer, the power cord should be unplugged from the unit to prevent damage or corrosion.
13. Servicing – The user should not attempt to service the unit beyond those methods described in the user's operating instructions. Service methods not covered in the operating instructions should be referred to qualified service personnel.

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## FCC INFORMATION

This device complies with part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the condition that this device does not cause harmful interference.

This equipment complies with the limits for a Class B digital device as specified in Part 15 of FCC Rules. These limits provide reasonable protection against radio and TV interference in a residential area.

However, your equipment might cause TV or radio interference even when it is operating properly. To eliminate interference, try one or more of the following corrective measures:

- Reorient or relocate the receiving antenna.
- Increase the distance between the equipment and the radio or TV.
- Use outlets on different electrical circuits for the equipment and the radio or TV.

Consult your dealer or an experienced radio/television technician if the problem still exists.

Modifying or tampering with your system's internal components can cause a malfunction and might invalidate the system's warranty and void your FCC authorization to operate it.

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## Wall Mounting / Installation Instructions

### Parts Supplied

- 2 x Phillips head screws
- 1 x Mounting Template

### Tools Required

- Phillips head Screwdriver
- Pencil
- Ruler or Tape Measure

### Before Mounting

Select a location with adequate clearance near an AC electrical outlet. Make sure the power cord will reach the outlet easily.

### Mounting the iCarta

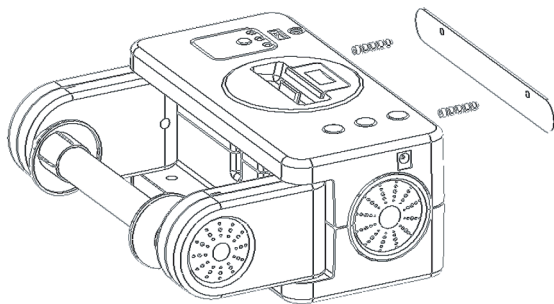
We recommend the unit be mounted flush against the cabinet or wall.

1. Position Mounting Template on your chosen location.
2. Use a pencil to mark centerpoint of the guide hole.



3. Take one of the Phillips Screws and press into the marked centerpoint.
4. Remove backing on Mount template, place adhesive side onto on wall.
5. Use the Phillips Screwdriver and start tightening the screws into the wall. Make sure to leave about +/- quarter inch of the screw exposed.

**CAUTION: DO NOT USE POWER TOOLS TO TIGHTEN SCREWS**



6. Mount the unit by lining up the holes on the backside.
7. Slide the unit down until it locks into place.
8. Make any adjustments to the screws to have a tighter/looser fit.

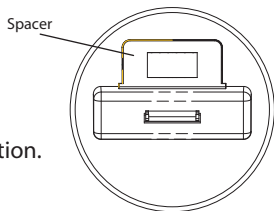
Once the unit is securely mounted, connect the AC adapter plug into the jack on the side of the unit, then plug the AC adapter into AC electrical outlet.

## Using Dock Spacer with iPod

Your iCarta comes with an adjustable spacer that slides to accommodate different sized iPod. This is to ensure your iPod will fit properly with the dock on top of unit.

To adjust the spacer:

1. Insert your iPod onto the dock.
2. Check to see if there is space behind your iPod.
3. If there is space, remove your iPod from dock.
4. Slide the spacer forward until clicks to next position.
5. Re-insert your iPod onto the dock.

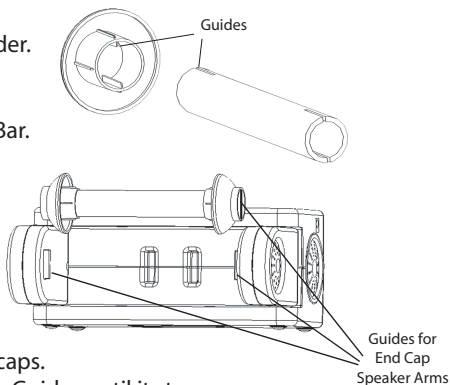


## Install Bath Tissue Holder

Your iCarta comes with a bath tissue holder.

To assemble the holder:

1. Take one of the End Caps and Holder Bar.
2. Line up the Holder Bar cut out guides with End Cap guides.
3. Insert Bar into End Cap.
4. Insert Bath Tissue onto Bar.
5. Line up other End Cap with Bar.
6. Insert Bar into End Cap.
7. Open up Speaker Arms on iCarta.
8. Line up the guides on iCarta and End caps.
9. Slide both End Caps onto Speaker Arm Guides until it stops.





## Install AC Adapter

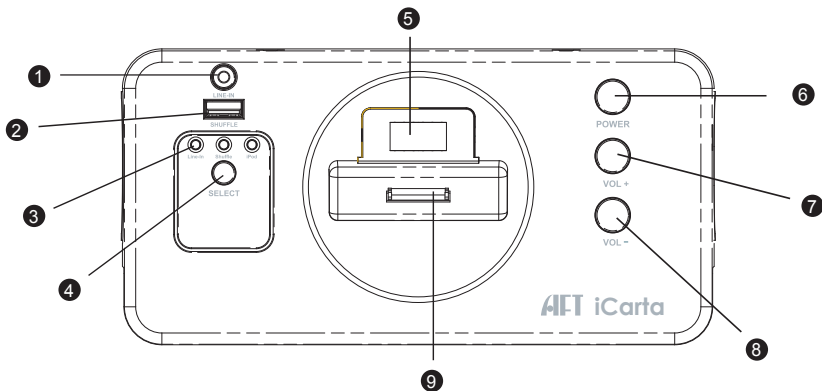
Connect the of AC adaptor cable plug into the jack on the side of the unit, then plug the AC adaptor into the wall outlet.

## Using your iCarta on Desk/Tabletop

1. Fold the Speaker Arms into the unit.
2. Place the unit on your chosen location (desk, nightstand, kitchen, etc...)
3. Connect the of AC adapter cable plug into the jack on the side of the unit, then plug the AC adaptor into the wall outlet.
4. Turn on the iCarta with the POWER button.
5. Select iPod using the SELECT button.
6. Dock your iPod
7. While your iPod is docked in the iCarta, it recharges (until fully charged).  
(Note: iPod shuffle will not charge with the unit.)



# Controls and Indicators



1. Audio Line-in
2. iPod Shuffle USB connector
3. Selection Indicator (iPod, iPod shuffle, Line-in)
4. SELECT
5. Adjustable spacer for iPod
6. POWER
7. VOLUME UP +
8. VOLUME DOWN -
9. Dock connector for iPod

## Charging your iPod

1. Turn on the iCarta with the POWER button.
2. Select iPod using the SELECT button.
3. Dock your iPod
4. While your iPod is docked in the iCarta, it recharges (until fully charged).  
(**Note:** iPod shuffle will not charge with the unit.)

## Listening to your iPod

1. Turn on the iCarta with the POWER button.
2. Select iPod using the SELECT button.
3. Dock the already playing iPod and you will hear music playing from your iPod.
4. Push the VOL+ and VOL- buttons to adjust the system volume on the unit.
5. Now enjoy the music from your iPod.

## Listening to your iPod shuffle

1. Turn on the iCarta with the POWER button.
2. Select Shuffle using the SELECT button.
3. Dock the already playing iPod shuffle and you will hear music playing from your iPod shuffle.  
(**Note:** If the playing song/music loudness on the iPod shuffle itself is too high, the iCarta audio will sound too distorted. Decrease the volume on your iPod shuffle to prevent this.)
4. Push the VOL+ and VOL- buttons to adjust the system volume.
5. Now enjoy the music from your iPod shuffle.

## Listening to a non-docking iPod or other audio device

1. Turn on the iCarta with the POWER button.
2. Select Line-in using the SELECT button.
3. Plug one end of an audio patch cable into the headphone/line-out jack of device and other end into the Line-in jack, located on top of unit.  
(**Note:** If the playing song/music loudness on the audio device itself is too high, the iCarta audio will sound too distorted. Make adjustments on the device to prevent this.)
4. Push the VOL+ and VOL- buttons to adjust the system volume.
5. Now enjoy the music from your audio device.

## Rechargeable Battery (iCarta Deluxe model only)

1. The iCarta Deluxe with rechargeable battery must first charge for 14 hours.
2. Plug in the AC adapter plug into jack on side of unit, then plug the AC adapter into AC electrical outlet.
3. Once battery is fully charged, you can now power on the unit.
4. Dock your iPod and follow the previous instructions from this guide.
5. Now you can enjoy the music from your iPod for up to 8 hours with battery.

**Note:** Use the original AC adapter that is supplied with the iCarta Deluxe. Failing to do so will result in damaging your unit. In this case it will not be covered under warranty. If you need another adapter, contact us immediately.

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## Maintenance

Do not expose the system to sources of excessive heat, dust or vibrations. Protect your furniture when placing the unit on a flat surface made of natural wood and lacquered finish. A protective material such as a cloth should be placed between the unit and furniture.

Clean your unit with a lightly damp cloth without any solvents.

**Caution:** Using stronger cleaning solvents such as Bleach, thinner or similar chemicals can result in damaging the surface of the unit.

## Troubleshooting

Symptom	Possible Problem	Solution
Unit does not respond (no power).	Power supply jack is not plugged into side of the unit or AC Adapter isn't plugged into a wall outlet.	Plug power supply jack into the unit and plug the AC adapter into a wall outlet.
	Wall outlet isn't functioning (no power).	Plug a different device into same outlet to confirm outlet is functioning.
	Rechargeable battery not fully charged.	Plug power supply jack into the unit and plug the AC adapter into a wall outlet to recharge battery.
iPod does not respond to unit.	iPod is not connected properly.	Remove your iPod from dock and check for obstruction on the connectors in your iPod and the dock. Then redock your iPod.
	iPod software out of date.	Update software on your iPod. For details visit: <a href="http://www.apple.com">www.apple.com</a>
	iPod is frozen or locked up.	Please check to see if your iPod is working properly before docking into unit. Refer to your iPod User's Guide for details.
	iPod is in Pause mode.	Press the Play/Pause button on your iPod.

## Troubleshooting

Symptom	Possible Problem	Solution
iPod did not charge up	iPod is not connected properly. Note: Does not recharge iPod shuffle.	Remove your iPod from dock and check for obstruction on the connectors in your iPod and the dock. Then redock your iPod.
Audio is distorted.	Volume level is set too high on the unit.	Decrease volume on the unit.
	Playing from iPod shuffle.	Decrease volume output on iPod shuffle.
	Playing from different audio device.	Decrease volume output on audio device.
	iPod software out of date.	Update software on your iPod. For details visit: <a href="http://www.apple.com">www.apple.com</a>
Unit gets warm after extended play at high volume	This is normal.	Decrease the volume or turn off unit for awhile.

# Limited Warranty

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