

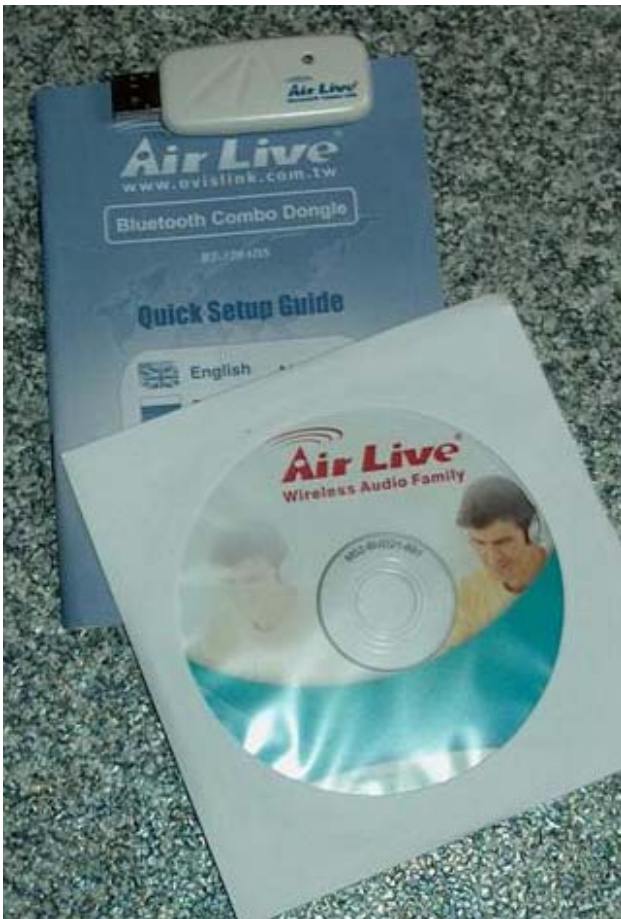
Introduction

Since everything is getting wireless, why isn't everyone using wireless headphones? Well most of the times it would give interference when you're to close to someone else using a wireless headset and the sound would be pretty crappy. So then the hands free kits for cell phones were introduced, these were using the bluetooth protocol. A lot of notebooks already had bluetooth onboard, still the use of such a hands free set as headset almost never happened. The reason was you had to deal with fairly low sound quality and you could only hear everything in mono while now-a-days everything is at least stereo. But Ovislink made a change in that. They designed a new headset called the BT-120HP which connects to a bluetooth connection and can be used as either a stereo headset or as hands free kit. For those who haven't got bluetooth there's a small USB bluetooth controller made by Ovislink which is able to deal with the headset. This USB dongle is called the BT-120ADS and is a 2-way bluetooth controller which allows you to connect the stereo headset to it.



Contents

Both the BT-120HP and BT-120ADS were delivered in plastic retail boxes and are very well packed. When opening the packages we found the USB dongle, a CD, a manual, an other manual, another CD, the bluetooth headset, a power brick and an USB charger cable. So everything was pretty well stuffed. As we could read from the package, both these bluetooth products support the Bluetooth V1.2 standard. Let's take a closer look at the bluetooth dongle. It's a small white USB dongle with a blue LED on top. To control the connection of the dongle they included the BlueSoleil program which is a very easy to use program. Then when looking closer at the white headset we discovered that it's actually a foldable headset which allows you to make it rather small.



Using it

For those who aren't used to this type of headsets it can be awkward to put such a thing on your head, but after a few try's we found the best way to put it on your head and heck, we even found a great way to use it as personal speaker system! When I had the headset on my head I started pushing some buttons and suddenly my music paused... I pushed the power button again and my music continued. Nice, so it has a play/pause button, but what are those on the left for? It looked somewhat like a joystick. Up and down seemed to control my volume and when pressing the button forward my next track began. I was astonished, such a buttons are darn easy! A little later I found another button which appeared to be a small mute switch. Handy for when someone suddenly talks to you and you can't stop the music. After 4 hours of playing with this headset I almost forget there was a headset on my head and I was doing several other things. And suddenly I realized I still didn't recharge the batteries. As I started counting the hours it would work without recharging I discovered you can use it almost 6 hours non-stop! But what happens if your battery is low? You can connect the USB cable to the headset and it recharges even while you're still listening music! So what have we learned today? Bluetooth headset are very handy and can be of high quality.





Conclusion

This headset is amazingly good, you can just plug it in, turn it on and it works. The sound quality is a lot better than the average bluetooth headset. And the buttons on the headset are so amazingly handy. The folks from Ovislink made an outstanding product... again! Let's check the pro's and con's we found.

PRO

- Wireless
- Bluetooth
- Stereo + microphone
- long battery life
- very handy buttons on the side
- high sound levels
- Li-ION battery

CONTRA

Weird way to put it on your head

This great combination gets a deserved 10 / 10 from us!

We would like to thank Ovislink (<http://www.ovislink.be>) for sending us the outstanding kit.

