

Sunbeam[®]



advanced
bark
control
collar



ULTRASONIC
INSTRUCTION MANUAL

IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS

- This device should only be used for bark deterrent training of dogs.
- This device is not a toy; keep out of reach of children.
- This device is not intended to provide protection against aggressive dogs.
- Your dog should be in good health when using this product.
- This product is not to be used on dogs less than 9 lbs.
- This product is not to be used on dogs less than 6 months old.
- Your dog should not be left unattended with this collar on.
- Do not attach a leash to the Sunbeam® Advanced Bark Control Collar. A separate collar or harness may be used provided it does not interfere with the bark control collar.

WARNING: This device uses two Lithium (CR 2032) coin batteries. Keep the batteries out of reach of children. If swallowed, immediately seek medical help as serious injury may occur.

SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS

About this product:

The Sunbeam® Advanced Bark Control Collar uses a proprietary dual microphone voice mapping system for detecting barking behavior. This unique system ensures that only the dog wearing the collar determines when a correction is administered.

- This product should be used when training dogs for deterring barking behavior.
- This product can be used indoors and outdoors.
- Adjustable collar can fit neck sizes between 6 and 28 inches.
- 3 levels of correction can be adjusted for your dog
- Low battery indicator
- Weatherproof

DO NOT USE THIS BARK CONTROL COLLAR UNTIL YOU HAVE READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS

Product Overview:

MAIN CONTROL BUTTON:

- On/Off
- Correction level adjustment
- System reset



INDICATOR LIGHTS:

- Low • Med • High

Solid Green:

Correction level selected and functioning properly

Flashing Green:

Bark detected and correction administered

All 3 Flashing Red

for two minutes:

Over Correction Mode (on selected level LED only)

All 3 Flashing Red

5 times:

Low battery

SENSOR PROBE:

Used to detect barking



BATTERY DOOR:

Located on bottom of unit for battery installation and removal



How it Works:

The Sunbeam® Advanced Bark Control Collar has a proprietary bark detection system that uses sensors and a voice mapping system to determine barking behavior. This specially designed system ensures that a correction is administered only when unwanted barking behavior is occurring. The system also has been designed to prevent continuous corrections if excessive barking is detected. **OVER CORRECTION MODE** causes the system to turn off and automatically reset.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Battery Installation:

IMPORTANT: This step is to be completed when the collar is NOT on your dog.

- Remove two screws securing the battery compartment using a cross head or Phillips head screwdriver. (*fig. 1*)
- Lift battery compartment from main body of bark collar. (*fig. 2*)
- Insert two CR2032 Lithium coin batteries into battery compartment. Batteries should be placed with the positive side facing down.

IMPORTANT: Follow orientation as described on graphics illustrated on battery compartment. (*fig. 3*)

- Replace battery compartment with two CR2032 Lithium coin batteries back into main body. **Note:** The battery compartment can only be assembled in one orientation, do not force closed.
- Tighten the two screws using the cross head screwdriver, do not over tighten.
- To test the unit, turn on by pressing and holding the main control button for 4 seconds. The unit will beep twice and flash twice, leaving one LED illuminated to indicate which correction level is in use. LED will turn off after 10 seconds.
- To turn off the unit, press and hold the main control button for 4 seconds. The unit will beep twice and flash twice, leaving no LEDs illuminated, indicating the unit is off.



figure 1



figure 2



figure 3

COLLAR FITTING

Proper fit of the Sunbeam® Advanced Bark Control Collar is essential to establish a good training foundation and optimal performance.

Note: Batteries should be installed properly and collar in OFF position before proceeding with fitting the collar to your dog.

STEP 1: Ensure dog is in a relaxed position.

STEP 2: With the collar clasp open loosen the adjustment buckle such that it can reach completely around your dog's neck. (fig. 4) Place sensors directly over the dog's voicebox. When buckled, the collar should rest directly behind the dog's ears (the highest part of the neck). (fig. 5)

Note: Make sure both sensors go through the coat completely and make contact with the skin.

Trimming the hair around the dog's neck where the sensors will touch the skin is optional, **DO NOT** trim the hair so short that the skin is completely exposed as this might allow for an irritation or rash to occur.

STEP 3: Close and lock clasp. (fig. 6)

STEP 4: Adjust for proper fit by pulling on strap until you can fit two fingers in between your dog's neck and the collar. (fig. 7)

Note: Verify that the sensors are directly over the dog's voicebox. The collar should be firm but not excessively tight.

STEP 5: Let your dog wear the product for sufficient time confirming that they are moving around normally. This step is to ensure that under daily activity the collar will remain secure and not become loose.

STEP 6: Reattach collar to your dog. Check the fit of the collar several times per day. Wipe the sensors weekly with a damp cloth while collar is in off position.

Reminder: If you choose to use a 2nd collar, leash or harness system make sure it does not interfere with the operation of the Sunbeam® Advanced Bark Control Collar.

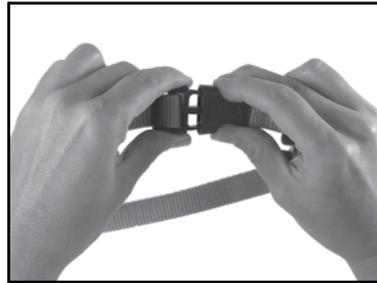


figure 4



figure 5



figure 6



figure 7

READY TO USE

Note: The **BATTERY INSTALLATION** and **COLLAR FITTING** steps must be completed before you are ready to use.

STEP 1: Holding the main body of the Sunbeam® Advanced Bark Control Collar in both hands PRESS and HOLD the Main Control Button for 4 seconds.

Note: You will hear 1 audible beep and 3 LEDs flash GREEN indicating the device is on.

The default correction level is **LOW**; this setting will illuminate green for 10 seconds and then automatically turn off. During the ten seconds, you may toggle to different correction levels by pressing the Main Control Button.

The Sunbeam® Advanced Bark Control Collar has been designed to maximize battery life and has a **SLEEP MODE** that it enters if no user input or barking is detected.

STEP 2: Set correction level by PRESSING AND HOLDING (approximately 2 seconds) the Main Control Button until a GREEN LED illuminates at the desired setting.

When a GREEN LED is illuminated press once the Main Control Button to toggle to the next correction level.

Once a correction level is chosen the GREEN LED will turn off and the system has entered **SLEEP MODE**.

Note: It is recommended to start on the **LOW** setting and monitor your dog's behavior before determining if a higher correction level is needed. The Sunbeam® Advanced Bark Control Collar retains the last correction level setting and will resume this mode when the unit is turned on.



STEP 3: Attach collar to your dog as you did in the **COLLAR FITTING** stage.

SPECIAL OPERATING NOTES

SLEEP MODE: This is the normal operating mode of the bark control collar. The system has been designed to maximize battery life. You can verify the status of the system by pressing and holding the Main Control Button for 2 seconds.

The Sunbeam® Advanced Bark Control Collar retains the LAST correction

level setting and will resume this mode when the unit is turned on.

The LED of the setting chosen will illuminate GREEN when a bark has been detected and a correction is being administered.

OVER CORRECTION MODE: If excessive barking is detected the bark control system will enter a mode designed to shut down the system.

The LED of the selected level will illuminate RED and the collar will automatically reset. You can manually reset the system by pressing and holding the Main Control Button.

LOW BATTERY MODE: All 3 LEDs will flash RED for 5 seconds when the battery needs to be replaced.

TRAINING GUIDE

Proper training is essential to achieving the best results from the Sunbeam® Advanced Bark Control Collar. For best results, prior to use of the bark collar, you should put the collar on your dog for a few days without turning it on. You do not want the dog to associate the collar with the correction because the dog can become collar smart. The dog that is collar smart will only behave when the collar is on. Your goal is to eliminate the unwanted behavior whether the collar is on or off.

When first starting to use the bark collar you should closely monitor your dog's reaction to the correction. You should be inside a protected area. The protected area should not be a cage, crate or kennel. If outside, your dog should be in a safe protected area so that it cannot run away when it receives a correction from the bark collar.

Each dog can have a different reaction to the correction it receives from the bark collar. Reactions can vary from a dip of the head, to shaking the head, whining, excessive barking, confusion or running away. In the event of an extreme reaction or aggression, wait until your dog is calm before approaching your dog.

The bark collar should be used when you want to deter unwanted barking. Do not leave the bark collar on your dog when you are not present. Consistently using the bark collar at the right time will give you the best results. The more disciplined you are when using the bark collar the better your dog will understand that unwanted barking is not acceptable.

It is important for the training process to be interactive. Once your dog has received a correction and stopped the unwanted barking you should reward your dog with a treat or praise.

HINTS AND TIPS

Is this product right for me and my dog?

- The Sunbeam® Advanced Bark Control Collar is best used in conjunction with behavior training from a qualified behaviorist or obedience trainer.
- Before using the bark control collar on an aggressive or phobic dog, consult a qualified behaviorist or obedience trainer.
- If your dog begins to display aggressive behavior during or after using the bark collar, discontinue use immediately and consult a qualified obedience trainer or behaviorist.
- All training methods require time, commitment and consistency to achieve optimum results.
- Each dog will have a different reaction to the correction it receives from the bark collar. Some dogs may not respond to the correction. If this is the case, please carefully review the steps provided in this instruction manual. If you have further questions, please visit www.sunbeampets.com or call 1-866-537-2249.

CARE AND MAINTENANCE

The Sunbeam® Advanced Bark Control Collar is weatherproof but is **NOT** submersible so care must be taken when cleaning.

- Always remove the battery before cleaning
- Use a clean damp cloth, water only
- Never use any household or industrial cleaners
- Do not submerge the unit in water or any other liquid
- Keep the dog's coat and skin clean in the area where the collar makes contact
- Check the fit of the collar several times per day

Note: The Lithium coin batteries used in this product contain perchlorate material. Special handling may apply in California. Go to: www.dtsc.ca.gov/hazardouswaste/perchlorate for more information.

FCC STATEMENT

Potential for Radio/Television Interference

This product has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class B digital device, pursuant to part 15 of the FCC rules.

These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against

harmful interference in a residential installation. The product generated, uses, and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instructions, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. However, there is no guarantee that the interference will not occur in a particular installation. If the product does cause harmful interference to radio or television reception, which can be determined by turning the product on or off, the user is encouraged to try to correct the interference by one or more of the following measures:

- Reorient or relocate the receiving antenna.
- Increase the separation between the product and the receiver.
- Connect the product into an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected.
- Consult the dealer or an experienced radio/TV technician for help.

Changes or modifications not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate the equipment.

This class B digital apparatus complies with Canadian ICES-003.

Cet appareil numérique de la classe B est conforme à la norme NMB-003 du Canada.

1 YEAR WARRANTY

In the U.S.A. and Canada

If you have any question regarding this warranty or would like to obtain warranty service, please call 1-866-537-2249 and a convenient service center address will be provided to you.

Sunbeam® Products, Inc. doing business as Jarden Consumer Solutions, or if in Canada, Sunbeam® Corporation (Canada) Limited doing business as Jarden Consumer Solutions (collectively "JCS") warrants that for a period of one year from the date of purchase, this product will be free from defects in material and workmanship. JCS, at its option, will repair or replace this product or any component of the product found to be defective during the warranty period. Replacement will be made with a new or remanufactured product or component. If the product is no longer available, replacement may be made with a similar product of equal or greater value. This is your exclusive warranty.

DO NOT attempt to repair or adjust any electrical or mechanical functions on this product. Doing so will void this warranty.

This warranty is valid for the original retail purchaser from the date of initial retail purchase and is not transferable. Keep the original sales receipt. Proof of purchase is required to obtain warranty performance. JCS dealers, service centers, or retail stores selling JCS products do not have the right to alter, modify or any way change the terms and conditions of this warranty. This warranty does not cover normal wear of parts or damage resulting from any of the following: negligent use or misuse of the product, use on improper voltage or current, use

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