



Philips  
docking speaker



DS8500



## Exceptional sound quality and style

### Obsessed with sound

The elegant & chic Philips docking speaker delivers stunning sound from your iPhone/iPod with PureDigital technology. Enjoy advanced control with proximity sensor and intuitive remote that complements speaker design and finishing.

#### Exceptional sound performance

- Pure digital processing technology for best sound clarity
- Optimal acoustic volume to match speakers' requirements
- Precisely tuned bass pipes for deep, tight bass reproduction
- Shielding technology to block mobile phone interference

#### Chic and classy

- Sensually curved back for elegance and precise sound
- Great look with or without iPod/iPhone docked

#### Advanced intuitive control

- Proximity sensor to activate backlit control panel
- Remote control complements speaker design and finishing
- Dock any iPod/iPhone, even in its case
- Free DockStudio app for internet radio & other cool feature

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# Specifications

## iPhone compatibility

- Compatible with: iPhone, iPhone 3G, iPhone 3GS, iPhone 4

## iPod compatibility

- Compatible with: iPod, iPod mini, iPod with color display, iPod classic, iPod touch, iPod touch 2nd generation, iPod touch 2nd gen 8/16/32GB, iPod 5th generation, iPod nano 1st generation, iPod nano 2nd generation, iPod nano 3rd generation, iPod nano 4th generation, iPod nano 5th generation, iPod nano 6th generation

## iPod/iPhone App

- App name: DockStudio
- Free download from App store
- Compatibility: iPhone OS 3.0, iPhone OS 4
- Playback: album/track navigation, playback controls
- Sound settings: 5 band equalizer, DBB, DSC-Flat, Pop, Rock, Jazz, Classic
- Clock: analog display, digital display
- Alarm: multiple alarms, sleep timer, wake up to music, wake up to nature sounds, wake up to photo
- 7000+ Internet radio stations
- Worldwide weather forecast

## Audio playback

- Docking playback modes: next and previous track, play and pause

## Sound

- Sound system: stereo

- Volume control: up/down
- Output power: 2 x 15 W RMS

## Loudspeakers

- Speaker drivers: 2 x 3" full range woofers
- Loudspeaker enhancement: bass reflex speaker system

## Connectivity

- Aux in

## Convenience

- Charging device: iPhone, iPod

## Power

- Power supply: 100 - 240V AC, 50/60Hz

## Accessories

- Cables/Connection: 3.5 mm stereo line in cable, power cord
- Remote control
- Others: Quick start guide
- Warranty: Warranty Certificate, World Wide Guarantee booklet

## Dimensions

- Gross weight: 3.1 kg
- Packaging depth: 158 mm
- Packaging height: 220 mm
- Packaging width: 484 mm
- Weight: 2.3 kg
- Main unit depth: 139 mm
- Main unit height: 158 mm
- Main unit width: 421 mm



# Highlights

## Pure digital sound



Advanced pure digital sound processing technology offers vastly superior sound performance compared to the conventional analog audio processing technology that is found in docking players that use the analog audio output from an iPod/iPhone. By collecting the iPod's/iPhone's digital audio output and employing digital processing at each stage of the circuit, a much higher Signal-to-Noise ratio is produced. The result is unsurpassed sound clarity that is in perfect balance.

## Optimal acoustic volume

Smart sound design brings you the best bass reproduction possible. The acoustic volume allocated to each midrange driver perfectly matches its acoustic requirements. Low tones come out deep and tight – delivering strong and rich bass.

## Curved back for better sound

The clean lines and sensuality of the curved back cover not only looks fabulous – it also creates a more effective structure for acoustics. Carefully designed, the curve increases the stiffness of the speaker cabinet, dramatically reducing internal resonance and resulting in more precise and natural sound reproduction. You get to enjoy both lovely looking speakers and sensational sound.

## Proximity sensor



Most top-grade audiophile appliances allow the display to be turned off – for absolute enjoyment of music, and for power to be focused on sound reproduction. With the proximity sensor feature, you can enjoy that too. Walk away and the illuminated functional keys automatically dim. When your hand draws near, the functional keys light up so you can control your music without fuss.



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