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# User manual Escape® Remote Application (app)

The Escape® Remote app, one application for the entire Escape® range, can be downloaded from the Apple APP Store or the Google Play Store under the name Escape® Remote.

The Escape® Remote iOS app is supported by iOS 10.0 or a higher version. The app is compatible with iPhone, iPad and iPod touch. The app is not compatible with the Apple Watch. iPad users should ensure that the App Store filter is not set to "iPad only" but "All" or "iPhone only". The Android app requires 6.0 or higher. Important: The audio part of Escape® products operates on a Bluetooth® platform for superior audio performance.

However, the Escape® Remote app works via BLE (Bluetooth® Low Energy) and stays in sleep mode constantly, except when a connection is started. The two platforms are related but work separately. Both platforms are listed in the list of Bluetooth® devices. Note that you can only make one BLE connection at a time with one device (iPhone, iPad, Android phone, etc.). If you fail to connect to the M1 Air, P6 BT, P6 Air or P9, check if the app is active on another device or turn the M1 Air, P6 BT, P6 Air or P9 off and on again.

How can you find the M1 Air, P6 BT, P6 Air or P9 BLE APP name on your phone or tablet? The M1 Air, P6 BT, P6 Air or P9 BLE APP name consists of the model number (Escape® M1 Air, P6 BT, P6 Air or P9) and the last four digits of the serial number (printed in bold on the serial number label) and ends in "APP". For example: the Escape® P9 serial number is "P91804034500BF".

The Escape® P9 in the App selection menu and Bluetooth® device list is indicated as: **Escape P9 OOBF APP (this is just the same for all other Escape® devices)**.

The serial number can be found on the packaging or on the label at the bottom of the device.



#### Launch screen

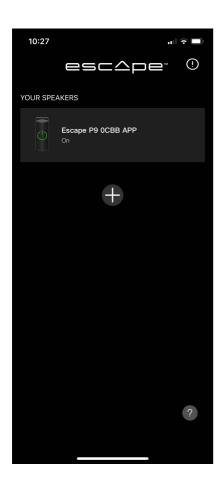
First switch on your Escape® product, M1 Air, P6 BT, P6 Air or the P9, then activate the Escape® remote app. When opening the app, the home screen (pictured opposite) is briefly displayed while the app loads.

After the device is dectected, you will see this screen with all Escape<sup>®</sup> products in range.

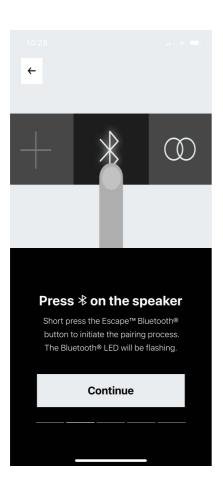


Here a Bluetooth\*-BLE connection has already been established with the Escape\* device enabled but not yet a Bluetooth\* audio connection! Hence the DETECTED indication above the detected Escape\* device. Now select one of the detected Escape\* devices to go to the next screen.

Below is the following screen when you have performed the action described above. You will now see that above the selected Escape® device is YOUR SPEAKERS.



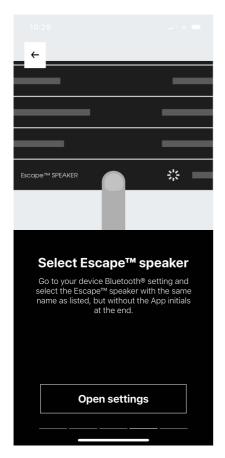
Now the device is connected to the Escape® Remote app. Now select the Escape® device to go to the next screen and make a Bluetooth® audio connection.



This screen invites you to briefly press the Bluetooth® button on the Escape® speaker to start the Bluetooth® audio pairing process. The Bluetooth® LED will then flash slowly, then press **Continue**.



This screen invites you to open your mobile device settings and enable Bluetooth\*. After this, press **Open settings**.



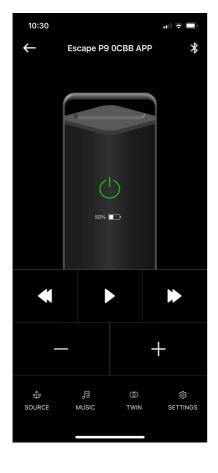
In this next screen, after pressing "Open settings", you will be directed to your mobile device's settings. Iln the settings of your mobile device, go to Bluetooth® settings and there, in the Bluetooth® device list, select the Escape® device name without the App initials. The Escape® device name with initials is the BLE Bluetooth® connection that causes the Escape® device to connect to Escape® Remote application, so do not select it.



Once the Bluetooth® audio connection is established after you pair it in the Bluetooth® settings of your mobile device, return to the Escape® Remote app, where you will be directed to this screen. Once here, press "Open Remote App" after which you will be taken to the "Player" control screen (below).

To operate the P6 BT, P6 Air and M1 Air in the Escape® Remote App, go directly to the following pages of this manual:

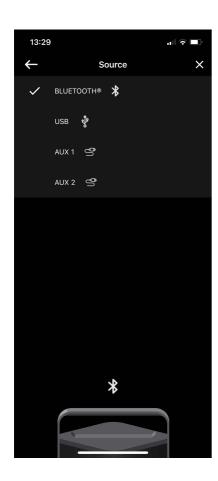
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## P9 Player control screen

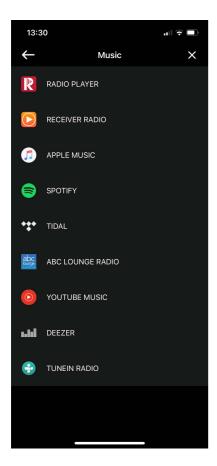
After pressing "Open Remote App" in the previous screen you will be taken to the screen shown here. This is the Player control screen, from here you can control your Escape® device, the P9\*.

<sup>\*</sup> The MCU of the P9 must be updated to 3.19 as a minimum in order to use the Escape\* Remote. You can download the latest update version of the MCU from the Escape\* P9's product page, put it on a USB stick and update it to the latest MCU version via the P9 speaker's USB input. (www.escapespeakers.com/en/products/p9/p9-escape-speaker-black/)



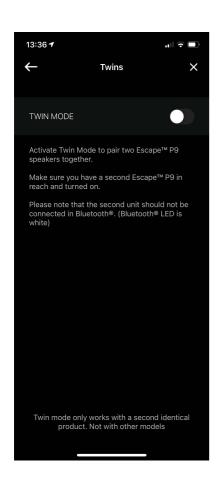
#### **SOURCE**

Audio source selection page, here you can switch between different sources, Bluetooth®, USB, AUX 1 and AUX 2 on your device if active.



## **MUSIC**

The choice screen for the best-known streaming services and Radio apps.



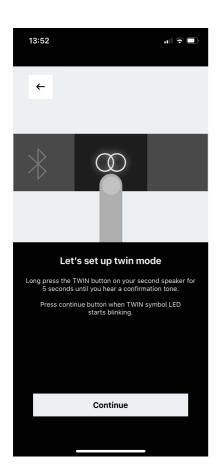
#### **TWIN MODE**

The Twin Mode switch allows you to activate Twin Mode and pair two Escape® P9 devices as a pair.

Make sure you have a second Escape® P9 within reach and switched on.

Note: the second Escape® P9 device must not be connected to Bluetooth®. (Bluetooth® LED is white)

Twin Mode only works with a second identical product. Not with other models.



Long press the TWIN button on your second Escape® P9 speaker for +/- 5 seconds until you hear a confirmation tone.

Press **Continue** when the TWIN symbol LED on your second Escape® P9 speaker starts flashing.



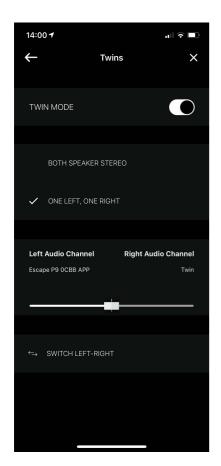
The P9 TWIN MODE connection is started.... Make sure both speakers remain switched on and connected. This may take a few seconds...



The P9 Twin Mode connection is successful, now press **Continue** to go to the "Twin-Mode Player" control screen.



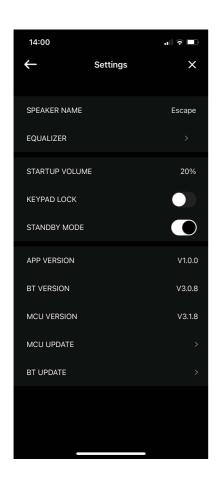
The P9 Twin Mode Player control screen, on this screen the in Twin Mode devices can be controlled. If you press the TWIN selection at the bottom of this screen, you will be taken to the screen below, the Twin Mode dashboard.



The P9 Twin Mode dashboard, here you can choose to configure both devices in stereo on their own, this is useful if both devices are far apart. You can also configure both devices in a stereo pair with a left and right channel.

If you choose the stereo pair configuration, you can change the "balance" from left to right with slider.

There is also a switch to reverse the stereo signal, left channel becomes right channel and right channel becomes left channel.

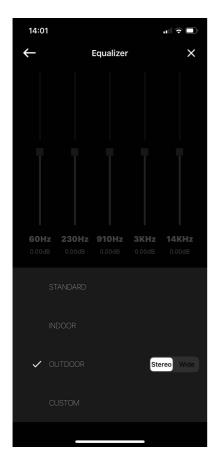


#### P9 SETTINGS

This screen contains information about the P9 speaker connected to the Escape® Remote app. The name of the speaker you can also change, as well as the startup volume can be adjusted here, as well as lock the keyboard and enable Standby mode. When Standby mode is activated (default setting) and the device is not connected to the mains and for 20 minutes you receive no audio signal, the device will automatically switch off. When the device is connected to the mains and does not receive an audio signal for 20 minutes, the device automatically enters standby mode and can be reactivated via the app. The standby mode can be switched off if necessary.

You will also find info on the app., Bluetooth<sup>®</sup> and MCU (microcontroller unit) versions. The MCU and Bluetooth<sup>®</sup> versions of the P9 speaker can be updated here when updates are available.

Finally, there is also the equaliser where you can select different sound settings. Tapping EQUALIZER takes you to the screen below.



In the Equaliser control screen, you can choose from 3 preset sound settings, STANDARD, INDOOR and OUTDOOR. In the fourth sound setting CUSTOM, you can adjust the frequencies from treble to bass yourself. You can set these four sound settings in both Stereo and Wide mode. Depending on whether the speakers are in one-on-one listening in Stereo mode or in a crowd (house parties, BBQs, etc,...) in Wide mode.

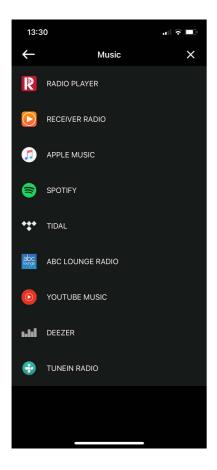
The P9's default Equaliser setting is Outdoor and Stereo sound mode. When the device is switched off, the equaliser remembers the last setting.



## P6 BT Player control screen

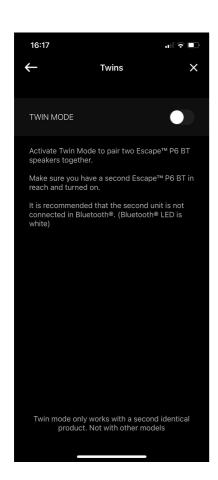
After pressing "Open Remote App" in the previous screen\*, you will be taken to the screen shown here. This is the Player control screen, from here you can control your Escape\* device, the P6 BT.

\* see page 5 of this manual.



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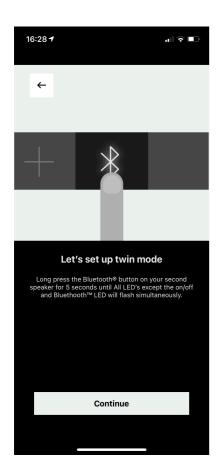
#### **TWIN MODE**

The Twin Mode switch allows you to activate Twin Mode and pair two Escape® P6 BT as a pair.

Make sure you have a second Escape® P6 BT within reach and switched on.

It is recommended that the second Escape® P6 BT device must not be connected to Bluetooth®.(Bluetooth® LED is white)

Twin mode only works with a second identical product. Not with other models.



Long press the Bluetooth® button on your second Escape® P6 BT speaker until all LEDs except the power and Bluetooth® LED flash simultaneously.

Press **Continue** when all LEDs, except the on/off and Bluetooth® LEDs, flash alternately.



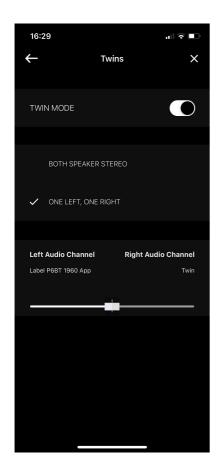
The P6 BT Twin Mode connection is started.... Make sure both speakers remain switched on and connected. This may take a few seconds...



The P6 BT Twin Mode connection is successful, now press **Continue** to go to the "Twin mode -Player" control screen.

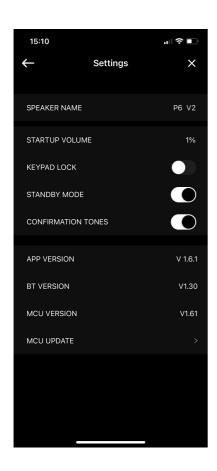


The P6 BT Twin Mode Player control screen, on this screen the in Twin Mode devices can be controlled. If you press the TWIN selection at the bottom of this screen, you will be taken to the screen below, the Twin Mode dashboard.



The P6 BT Twin Mode dashboard, here you can choose to configure both devices on their own stereo, this is useful if both devices are far apart. You can also configure both devices in a stereo pair with a left and right channel.

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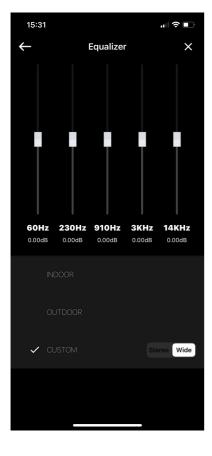
#### P6 BT settings

This screen contains information about the P6 BT speaker connected to the Escape\* Remote app. The name of the speaker which you can also change as well as the startup volume can be adjusted here, as well as lock the keypad and enable Standby mode. When Standby mode is activated (default setting) and the device is not connected to the mains and for 20 minutes you receive no audio signal, the device will automatically switch off.

When the device is connected to the mains and does not receive an audio signal for 20 minutes, the device automatically enters standby mode and can be reactivated via the app.

Standby mode can be switched off if necessary. Below the Standby mode switch you will find the Confirmation Tones switch, if you switch this off you will no longer hear confirmation tones when e.g. adjusting the volume on the P6 BT's keyboard. You will also find info on the app, Bluetooth® and MCU (microcontroller unit) versions.

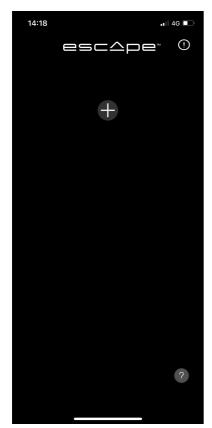
The MCU version of the P6 BT speaker can be updated here if an update is available.



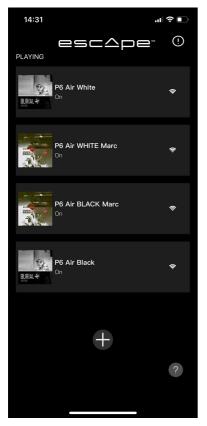
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#### **GENERAL WIFI**

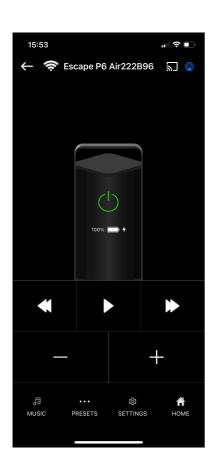


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Pic. 2

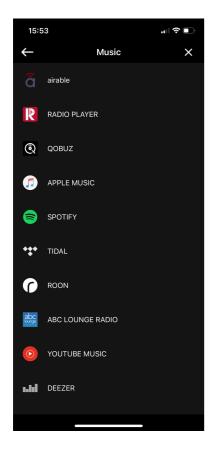
If your Escape® Air device is not visible(see pic.1), you may still need to connect your device to your WiFi network first. This can be done via Airplay 2 or via Google Home (Chromecast). For Android devices it is Google Home and for Apple devices (iOS) it is AirPlay 2 but can also be done via Google Home. Once the WiFi connection between your Escape® Air device and the WiFi network is complete, your Escape® Air device does appear in this list as shown in Pic. 2 below. After this, you can click your device and you will be taken to the Player control screen as shown at the top of page 17.



# P6 Air Player control screen

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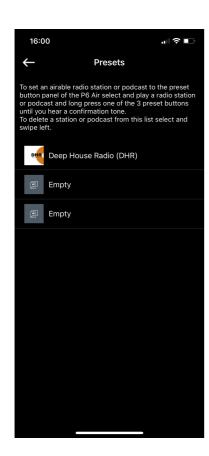
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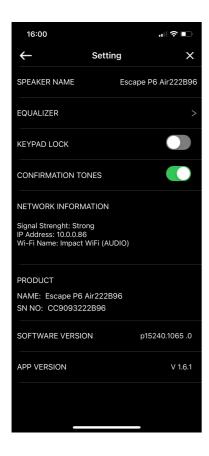
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\* Roon streams digital audio, wired or wireless, from hard drives, NAS drives and streaming services such as Qobuz, Tidal and Live Radio to endpoints (active speakers and DACs) in the home: Roon Ready, AirPlay, Chromecast, Sonos and Squeezeboxes. Many audio devices from leading brands are and have been made Roon Ready. These devices communicate via the ROON transmission protocol RAAT. Roon Advanced Audio Transmission. This allows in a home network over fixed Ethernet and Wi-Fi simultaneously send audio to several audio systems from different brands. This is a paid service. Our Escape\* Air products are ROON ready.



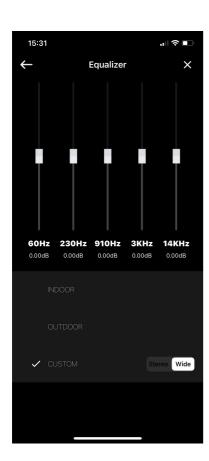
#### Presets in airable

To set an airable radio station or podcast on the P6 Air's preset keypad, select and play a radio station or podcast, then long press one of the 3 preset buttons until you hear a confirmation tone. To delete a station or podcast from this list, select and swipe left.



## **P6 Air SETTINGS**

This screen contains information about the P6 Air speaker connected to the Escape® Remote app. The name of the speaker which you can also change, as well as locking and unlocking the keypad, as well as enabling and disabling the confirmation tones. If you turn these off, you will no longer hear confirmation tones when e.g. adjusting the volume on the P6 Air's keypad. Furthermore, you will also find WiFi network information such as Signal strength, the IP address and name of the WiFi network as well as product information such as the name, serial number and App version. The software version can also be found here, it is automatically updated when updates are available.



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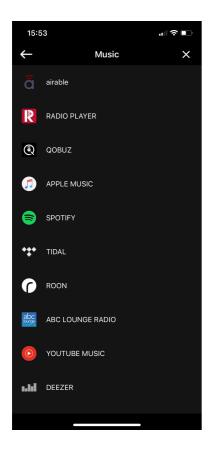
When the P6 Air is switched off, the equaliser remembers the last setting.



# M1 Air Player control screen

After pressing Open Remote App in the previous screen\*, you will be taken to the screen shown here. This is the Player control screen, from here you can control your Escape® device, the M1 Air\*\*.

\* Fig. 1 on page 5 of this manual \* The MCU of the P9 must be updated to 3.26 as a minimum in order to use the Escape® M1 Air use. On the product page of the Escape' P9 you can download the latest update version of the MCU download it, put it on a USB stick and via the USB input of the P9 speaker update it to the latest MCU version. (www.escapespeakers.com/en/products/p9/p9-escape-speaker-black/)



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#### M1 Air SETTINGS

This screen contains information about the M1 Air module connected to the Escape® Remote app. The name of the module which you can also change as well as enabling and disabling the confirmation tones. If you switch these off, you will no longer hear the confirmation tones that you hear, for example, when the M1 Air has connected to the network. Furthermore, you will also find WiFi network information such as Signal strength, the IP address and name of the WiFi network as well as product information such as the name, serial number andApp version. You will also find the software version here, which is automatically updated when updates are available.

Here you can also change the "Preamp setting" voltage from 1 Volt to 2 Volts according to whether you use the M1 Air with a P9 (1 Volt) or with a HiFi system (2 Volts). PLEASE READ USER MANUAL FIRST BEFORE SWITCHING FROM 1 VOLT TO 2 VOLT!

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