

# **BLAUPUNKT** EBIKES USA WARRANTY POLICY

Limited Warranty (applicable for product purchased in the United States of America.

This Limited Warranty ("Warranty") is a voluntary manufacturer's warranty by Blaupunkt eBikes for the United States (collectively, "Blaupunkt"). It applies to the products listed below, purchased in the U.S.(the "Product(s)") and is provided at no extra charge. Your rights under this Warranty are in addition to and separate from your legal rights as a purchaser of the Product which may vary by country, state, province, or region. This Warranty does

Before your first ride, please read the manual(s) provided with each Product. They contain important safety information and information about assembly, use, and maintenance.

#### What is covered under this Warranty?

As explained in more detail below. Blaupunkt warrants the Products for a limited time from the date of original retail purchase against defects in materials and workmanship when used normally in accordance with Blaupunkt's published guidelines. The guidelines include, but are not limited to, information contained in technical specifications, user manuals and service communications. "Original retail purchase" means the Product was purchased new for the first time from an Authorized Blaupunkt Retailer or directly from Blaupunkt. Partial warranty coverage can be transferred to subsequent owners, as detailed below.

#### What Products are covered under this Warranty and for how long?

If you are the original retail purchaser, the following applies:

- Frames and frame sets: Blaupunkt warrant the structural integrity of the frame or frameset to the original retail purchaser for a period of two (2) years\* from the date of original retail purchase. Paint and graphics are not included in this definition. Frameset means a Blaupunkt-branded frame equipped with a Blaupunkt-branded rigid fork. Suspension forks and suspension parts are not included in the definition of frame or frameset. Frame includes seat stays and chain stays on both rigid and full suspension models.
- Batteries equipped on electric bicycles: 2-year Warranty from the date of original retail purchase or up to 300 charging cycles, whichever occurs first. The batteries are designed to retain up to 75% of their original capacity during that time.
- Wheels: 2-year\* Warranty from the date of original retail purchase.

I purchased a complete bicycle; are third-party components on Blaupunkt-branded bicycles covered under this Warranty?

There may be an applicable warranty from the third-party manufacturer for non-Blaupunkt components, such as drivetrain, brakes, or suspension parts. Warranty information for third-party components should have been included with the purchase of your bicycle. Third-party components are not covered by this Warranty. Your Authorized Blaupunkt Retailer will be able to provide you with more information.

I am a subsequent owner; do I still need proof of original retail purchase?

Yes. The warranty period is always calculated from the date of original retail purchase and Blaupunkt needs to be able to determine when and where the Product was purchased originally. Proof of purchase should be obtained from the original owner or the

Authorized Blaupunkt Retailer who sold the Product.

#### What are the Terms of this Warranty?

To take advantage of this Warranty, a dated proof of original retail purchase must be presented to Blaupunkt in North America. Proof of original retail purchase is needed whether you are the original retail purchaser or subsequent owner. In all events, Blaupunkt reserves the right to limit warranty service to the country where the Product was purchased. During the duration of the Warranty, Blaupunkt will either repair the Product or, at Blaupunkt's option, replace it with the same or most similar Product then available. That is because we do not keep inventory forever, so we may not have the exact replacement part or exact color available. If the Product is replaced, it needs to be returned to Blaupunkt before the replacement is provided unless otherwise agreed to by Blaupunkt in writing. You will not be charged for shipping the Product to Blaupunkt or receiving any replacement product, or for labor charges incurred in processing the Warranty

## What is not covered by this Warranty?

This Warranty is void under the following circumstances and does not apply to damage caused by:

- Improper assembly or installation.
- Crash, neglect, improper repair, improper maintenance, or other abnormal, excessive, or improper use.
- Improper alteration or installation of components, parts or accessories not originally intended for or compatible with the Product.
- Failure to perform maintenance or service at appropriate intervals in accordance with the written instructions provided with the Product.

#### What is Wear and Tear and is it covered under this Warranty?

Wear and tear refer to damage that naturally and inevitably occurs as a result of normal riding. For example, your cassette and chain will, even if properly maintained, eventually wear out requiring replacement. The same applies to scratches and other potential damage to the paint or graphics of your bicycle that can result from normal use and exposure to the elements. Your bicycle may over time also develop minor creaks or other noises while riding which usually means it requires maintenance. Wear and tear items are not covered by this Warranty. The following is a non-exhaustive list of other typical wear and tear items not covered by this Warranty.

•	Rubber moving parts	Free hub bodies & pawls		Tools	•	Saddle cover		Sprockets
•	Bearings	Handlebar grips & grip tape	•	Transmission gears	•	Shifter, brake cables & casings	•	Stripped threads/bolts
•	Brake pads	Tires		Wheel braking surfaces		Spokes		

### How do I start the Warranty process?

The first step is to visit your nearest Authorized Blaupunkt Retailer. Your retailer will inspect the Product and contact Blaupunkt for next steps. Contact information for your nearest Authorized Blaupunkt Retailer can be found on www.Blaupunkt.com.

## What are my options if the damage is not covered by this Warranty?

As riders we understand accidents happen. Even if the damage is not covered by this Warranty, there may be a program available in your local market to purchase a new replacement Product at a reduced price. You should inquire with your Authorized

Blaupunkt Retailer and/or with Blaupunkt directly whether such program is in place and whether you are eligible.

#### DISCLAIMER OF IMPLIED WARRANTIES

THIS IS A FULL AND COMPLETE STATEMENT OF BLAUPUNKT'S WARRANTY FOR THE PRODUCT. NO OTHER REPRESENTATION OF ANY KIND BY ANYONE SHALL CREATE ANY WARRANTY REGARDING THE PRODUCT. BLAUPUNKT'S LIABILITY UNDER THIS WARRANTY SHALL TO THE FULLEST EXTENT PERMITTED BY LAW BE NO GREATER THAN THE AMOUNT OF THE ORIGINAL PURCHASE PRICE AND IN NO EVENT SHALL BLAUPUNKT BE LIABLE FOR INCIDENTAL OR CONSEQUENTIAL DAMAGES OR LOSSES. THIS LIMITATION DOES NOT EXCLUDE LIABILITY FOR DEATH OR PERSONAL INJURY CAUSED BY BLAUPUNKT'S NEGLIGENCE. Some states, provinces, or countries do not allow the exclusion or limitation of incidental or consequential damages or warranties, so the above limitations or exclusions may not apply. If it is determined by a court of competent jurisdiction that a certain provision of this Warranty does not apply, all other provisions shall remain in full force and effect.

For questions concerning warranty, contact your Authorized Blaupunkt Retailer or Blaupunkt. You can find up-to-date contact information for your market at www.Blaupunkt.com.

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