



## **WAVBAND WRISTBAND AUDIO RECORDER**

Hidden in an innocent-looking fitness tracker, the WAVband Wristband Audio Recorder is a simple, one-button device for recording conversations, meetings, dictation notes or ambient sounds. The tiny recorder slips into a rubberized wristband that adjusts to your wrist size. The rechargeable battery can power a recording for up to 20 hours and the built-in 8GB of memory can store up to 140 hours of audio. The WAVband comes with a USB cable for charging and transferring recordings into a Windows computer.

# In the Box

Recorder  
Rubberized wrist strap  
USB data/charging cable  
User manual

## Precautions

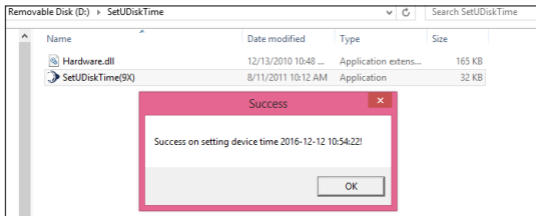
- Don't store or operate the device where high temperatures, dampness or dust prevail.
- Avoid dropping the device or banging it against something.
- Back up files regularly.
- This product should not be used in illegal ways. Observe relevant laws.

## Getting Started

Connect the included cable to the micro USB port on the tip of the WAVband and a standard USB port on your computer. It should take between one and two hours to charge the WAVband. While charging, a red LED will flash on an edge of the WAVband. When fully charged, the LED will turn a steady red.

**Note:** If you use an AC adapter/USB charger (not included), see Specifications (pg. 5). A typical phone charger may destroy the WAVband. Don't use a charger with current higher than 0.5A.

Make sure the WAVband appears as an external drive such as "Removable Disk (D:)" on your Windows computer. If you don't see it, turn the power button on and off. You should hear an audio cue on your computer as the drive letter appears.



Double click on the drive to see two folders: SetUDiskTime and Record. The former contains a utility to set the date and time on the WAVband; the latter will contain your recordings.

To synchronize the current date and time from your computer to the WAVband, double click on SetUDiskTime. Then double click on the SeUDiskTime(9X) application. A confirming message that you've successfully set the date and time will appear. (See image on previous page.) You can now remove the WAVband from your computer and insert it in the wrist strap.



## Wearing and Operating

When you insert the recorder into the wristband, make sure to line up the microphone with the hole on the edge of the band. The mic is on the opposite side of the On button from the LED indicator. So, if you're looking at the recorder with the On label pointed up, the mic is on the right edge from the button.

Place the rubberized band over your wrist. Pull the metal-button tip through the other end and tug the band into a tight but comfortable position so that you can push the fastener into one of the holes and it stays in place.

**Tip:** Unless you're doing self-dictation, mount the band on either wrist so that the mic points outward to pick up voices in front of you.

As an alternative to wearing the recorder in the band, you can thread string or floss (not included) through the rope hole in a corner of the WAVband and create a loop to hang the device from clothing or a fashion accessory.

Slide the button toward the On position. You'll see a steady red LED. Once the LED turns to white, wait another two seconds for recording to begin. Thus, figure a wait period of 10 seconds between turning on the WAVband and audio to be saved. For the clearest audio, don't block the path to the mic by inadvertently putting a finger over the mic hole, letting a shirt or coat sleeve cover it or wearing a glove over it. Try to keep the microphone side of the WAVband pointed in the direction of the speaker whose voice you're trying to capture. Your own voice likely will be louder since you're already close to the mic.

To end the recording, slide the button towards the Off position. The LED will turn from white to red, then shut off.

If the LED indicator turns red and blinks during recording, it means the WAVband is almost out of power. Stop recording and charge the device.

## **Playback and File Management**

Plug the WAVband into a USB port on a Windows-compatible computer. Slide the WAVband's button to the On position, then to the Off position. You should hear a tone from your computer and the device will appear as a removable drive such Removable Disk (D:).

Recordings are stored under the Record folder. Double clicking on one will load the Windows Media Player or another media player you specify.

If you want to archive a recording, copy it to your computer. Once the storage capacity in the WAVband is exhausted, you will not be able to start a new recording. You must delete files on the WAVband from your computer.

# SPECIFICATIONS

Embedded memory	8GB that only supports the FAT32 format
Recording time	About 140 hours
Card slot/removable memory	None
Recording format	WAV at 128 kbps (mono)
Continuous recording time from full charge	About 20 hours
Port	Micro USB
USB cable length	18" (45.7 cm)
Battery	Non-removable polymer
Power supply	3.7v 110 mAh
AC adapter/USB charger (not included)	5V, 500mA
Recorder size	1.7" x 0.7" x 0.4" (4.3 x 1.8 x 1 cm)
Recorder weight	0.3 oz. (8 g)
Strap size	9 " x 0.5 " (22.9 x 1.3 cm)
Strap weight	0.5 oz. (14 g)

## FAQs

### **What can I do if the WAVband stops working?**

Assuming you've charged the device, use a pin to press the reset hole located on the rear of the WAVband around the edge from the micro USB port. (See diagram on pg. 3.)

### **What happens when the WAVband's memory capacity is reached?**

When the memory fills up, the device cannot continue to record unless the user first transfers desired files to a computer, then deletes the files in the WAVband. The device will not automatically delete old files to make room for new ones.

### **For continuous recording, does the WAVband automatically create smaller but contiguous files?**

Yes. Each file is 4 hours long.

### **What's the maximum distance the WAVband can be from the person speaking to pick up the words?**

About 9.7' (6 m) but circumstances vary. Try to be as close as possible.

**Can a WAVband be connected to a Macintosh computer to transfer recordings?**

No. Though the Mac's USB port will charge the device, the WAVband must be connected to a Windows-compatible PC for files to be recognized.

**Can the WAVband record while the USB cable is connected to a computer for charging?**

Yes. However, the WAVband won't be recognized by the computer while recording.

**When you slide the button to the On position, how much time elapses until recording starts?**

It takes about 10 seconds. Once the LED turns from red to white, figure another 2- or 3 seconds for the beginning of the recording to be picked up and saved.

**Does the WAVband contain an earphone jack or a speaker?**

No. Files must be played through a connected computer.

**Why isn't the date-time stamp always accurate?**

You must run the SetUDiskTime utility with the WAVband connected to your computer prior to the first recording of the day—even if the WAVband is charged.

**How can I keep the WAVband from falling off my wrist?**

Make sure the metal fastener is firmly inserted in a hole on the band.

**Is the WAVband a fitness tracker?**

No. It only looks like one.

## Help

Thanks for purchasing a SpyTec product! We appreciate your business and strive to make your experience the best possible. If you have any issues with your product, please contact us at [support@spytecinc.com](mailto:support@spytecinc.com) so that we can help you get things started.

# Warranty

This Limited Warranty applies to physical goods sold by STI and lasts for a period of 90 days from the date of sale of the device. This Limited Warranty covers any manufacturing defects to the device or accessories encountered by normal use. This warranty does NOT cover damages resulting from improper use of the device (including the use of incompatible accessories such as chargers, storage devices, etc.), unauthorized modifications to the device, negligence, or from any environmental or natural disasters, or from loss or theft. This warranty requires proof of sale of the device from STI or from approved resellers only.

Devices that are covered will be repaired or replaced at STI's discretion. Devices requiring replacement will be fulfilled with a new or refurbished unit, or a similar unit if the original unit is no longer available.

To take advantage of our warranty, go to <http://www.spytecinc.com/return-policy/> and review our returns policy. If your device meets the above guidelines as well as the guidelines on our website, please click the button to proceed to the Return Authorization Form. In the event our online guidelines change, this warranty will supersede any newer changes. Once you have filled out the Return Merchant Authorization form, please wait for instructions. The date the form is filled out must not exceed 90 days from the date of sale.

