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Model: e740

1. INTRODUCTION

The Toshiba e740 Pocket PC is a lightweight and thin handheld device designed for productivity and multimedia. It features a powerful 400 MHz Intel XScale processor, dual expansion capabilities, and integrated wireless connectivity. This manual provides essential information for setting up, operating, maintaining, and troubleshooting your e740 Pocket PC.



Figure 1: Toshiba e740 Pocket PC. This image shows the Toshiba e740 Pocket PC, a compact handheld device. The screen displays a grid of application icons including 'Programs', 'Games', 'Backup', 'Calculator', 'File Explorer', 'Home', 'Infrared Receive', 'Microsoft Reader', 'MSN Messenger', 'Pocket Excel', 'Pocket Word', and 'Terminal Services'. Below the screen, the 'TOSHIBA' logo is visible, along with four circular buttons and a central navigation pad. A blue Toshiba-branded card is partially visible inserted at the top of the device.

Key features include:

- Lightweight, thin design with 64 MB RAM and 32 MB ROM.
- Blazing fast 400 MHz XScale processor for improved performance.
- Dual expansion capabilities with built-in CompactFlash and Secure Digital (SD) slots.
- 240 x 320 pixel TFT LCD screen displaying over 64,000 colors.
- Integrated Wi-Fi capability for wireless connectivity.

2. SETUP

2.1. What's in the Box

Upon unboxing your Toshiba e740 Pocket PC, verify that all components are present:

- Toshiba e740 Pocket PC unit
- USB cradle
- AC adapter
- Stylus
- Soft slipcase
- Quick-start card
- Warranty card
- Software CD (if applicable)

2.2. Initial Charging

Before first use, it is recommended to fully charge the device's built-in lithium rechargeable battery. Connect the USB cradle to the AC adapter, and then plug the AC adapter into a power outlet. Place the e740 Pocket PC into the USB cradle. The charging indicator light will illuminate, indicating the device is charging. A full charge may take several hours.

2.3. Powering On and Basic Configuration

Once charged, press and hold the power button (typically located on the top or side of the device) to turn on the e740. Follow the on-screen prompts to complete the initial setup, which may include:

- Setting the date and time.
- Calibrating the screen.
- Configuring basic user preferences.

3. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

3.1. Display and Navigation

The e740 features a 3.5-inch TFT display with 240 x 320 pixel resolution, capable of displaying over 64,000 colors. Navigation is primarily done using the included stylus to tap on the screen. The device also includes physical buttons and a central navigation pad for quick access to common functions and menu navigation.

3.2. Operating System and Applications

The Toshiba e740 runs on Microsoft Windows Pocket PC 2002. This operating system provides a familiar interface and includes pocket versions of popular Microsoft applications:

- **Pocket Outlook:** For managing emails, contacts, and calendar.
- **Pocket Word:** For viewing and editing Word documents.
- **Pocket Excel:** For viewing and editing Excel spreadsheets.
- **Internet Explorer:** For web browsing.
- **MSN Messenger:** For instant messaging.
- **Windows Media Player:** For multimedia playback.
- **Microsoft Reader:** For e-book consumption.

The device also supports improved handwriting recognition for text input.

3.3. Expansion and Storage

The e740 is equipped with integrated slots for both Secure Digital (SD) and CompactFlash (CF) memory cards. These slots allow for significant expansion of storage capacity for multimedia files, documents, and applications. Optional CF cards can also add functionality such as wireless and land-line connectivity, Ethernet networking, and bar-code scanning.

3.4. Multimedia Features

The device supports playback of digital audio files (MP3 and WMA) and video files (MPEG-4) through Windows Media Player. It is also compatible with audible.com files for audiobooks and radio broadcasts. A built-in microphone and voice-recording software allow for capturing audio notes. Audio can be played back via the small integrated speaker or through the stereo headphone jack.

3.5. Connectivity

The Toshiba e740 offers versatile connectivity options:

- **USB:** For synchronization with a computer via the included USB cradle.
- **Wi-Fi (WLAN):** Integrated Wi-Fi capability allows for wireless network access.
- **Bluetooth:** Integrated wireless Bluetooth for connecting to compatible peripherals.

4. MAINTENANCE

Proper maintenance ensures the longevity and optimal performance of your Toshiba e740 Pocket PC.

- **Cleaning:** Use a soft, lint-free cloth to clean the screen and exterior. For stubborn smudges, slightly dampen the cloth with water or a screen-cleaning solution. Avoid abrasive materials or harsh chemicals.
- **Battery Care:** To maximize battery life, avoid extreme temperatures. If storing the device for an extended period, ensure the battery is partially charged (around 50%) rather than fully charged or completely depleted.
- **Software Updates:** Periodically check the Toshiba support website for any available software or firmware updates for your device.
- **Storage:** When not in use, store the device in its soft slipcase to protect it from scratches and dust.

5. TROUBLESHOOTING

This section addresses common issues you might encounter with your Toshiba e740 Pocket PC. For more detailed troubleshooting, refer to the official user manual or Toshiba's support resources.

- **Device does not power on:**
 - Ensure the battery is sufficiently charged. Connect the device to the AC adapter and allow it to charge for at least 30 minutes before attempting to power on again.
 - Perform a soft reset by gently pressing the reset button (usually a small recessed button requiring a stylus tip) if the device is unresponsive.
- **Screen is unresponsive or inaccurate:**
 - Recalibrate the screen through the device's settings menu.
 - Ensure the stylus tip is clean and free of debris.
- **Cannot connect to Wi-Fi:**

- Verify that Wi-Fi is enabled on the device.
 - Check that you are within range of a compatible Wi-Fi network.
 - Ensure the correct network password (if any) is entered.
 - Restart both the Pocket PC and the wireless router.
- **Applications are slow or crashing:**
 - Close any unnecessary background applications to free up RAM.
 - Perform a soft reset.
 - If the issue persists, consider a hard reset (factory reset), but be aware this will erase all data on the device. Back up important data before performing a hard reset.

6. SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Specification
Brand	TOSHIBA
Model Name	e740
Platform	Pocket PC
Processor	400 MHz Intel XScale
RAM	64 MB
ROM	32 MB Flash ROM
Display	3.5-inch TFT LCD, 240 x 320 pixels, 64,000+ colors
Expansion Slots	CompactFlash (CF), Secure Digital (SD)
Connectivity	USB, Wi-Fi (WLAN), Bluetooth
Operating System	Microsoft Windows Pocket PC 2002
Battery	Built-in Lithium Rechargeable
Item Weight	2.65 pounds
Package Dimensions	13.4 x 9.4 x 4 inches
Date First Available	June 17, 2002

7. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

The Toshiba e740 Pocket PC is backed by a one-year limited warranty from the date of purchase. This warranty covers defects in materials and workmanship under normal use. Please refer to the warranty card included in your product packaging for full terms and conditions.

For further assistance, technical support, or to access the complete user manual, please visit the official Toshiba support website or refer to the PDF user manual provided by Amazon:

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