iRiver IGP-100

iRiver iGP-100 1.5 GB MP3 Player User Manual

Model: IGP-100

1. Introduction

The iRiver iGP-100 is a portable digital music player featuring a 1.5 GB hard drive, capable of storing approximately 45-50 hours of music. This device supports various audio formats including MP3, WMA, ASF, and Ogg Vorbis. It includes an integrated FM tuner, a large backlit LCD display, and utilizes USB 2.0 for data transfer. The iGP-100 is powered by a rechargeable lithium-ion battery, providing up to 12 hours of playback.



Figure 1: Front view of the iRiver iGP-100 MP3 Player. The device features a prominent blue backlit LCD screen and intuitive control buttons for navigation and playback.

2. Setup

2.1 Charging the Battery

Before initial use, fully charge the iGP-100's internal lithium-ion battery. Connect the device to a power source using the provided USB cable and a compatible USB power adapter (not always included) or a computer's USB port. The battery indicator on the LCD will show charging status. A full charge provides up to 12 hours of continuous playback.

2.2 Connecting to a Computer

To transfer music files, connect the iGP-100 to your computer using the supplied USB 2.0 cable. The device will be recognized as a removable storage drive, similar to a hard drive. No special driver software is typically required for Windows ME/2000/XP or later operating systems. For older operating systems like Windows 98, specific drivers might be necessary.

2.3 Transferring Music Files

Once connected, simply drag and drop your music files (MP3, WMA, ASF, Ogg Vorbis) from your computer's folders directly into the iGP-100's music folder. Organize your music into folders as desired for easier navigation on the device. After transferring, safely eject the device from your computer before disconnecting the USB cable.

3. Operating Instructions

3.1 Power On/Off

To power on the device, press and hold the **Power/Play** button until the LCD screen illuminates. To power off, press and hold the same button until the screen turns off.

3.2 Basic Navigation and Playback

- Use the **Navigation Pad** (up, down, left, right) to browse through menus and files on the large backlit LCD.
- Press the **Play/Pause** button to start or pause playback of a selected track.
- Press the **Forward** or **Rewind** buttons to skip tracks or fast-forward/rewind within a track.
- Adjust the volume using the dedicated **Volume Up** and **Volume Down** buttons.

3.3 Using the FM Tuner

Access the FM Tuner mode from the main menu. Use the navigation buttons to scan for stations or manually tune to a specific frequency. You can save your favorite stations for quick access.

3.4 Hold Function

Engage the **Hold** switch (usually located on the side of the device) to prevent accidental button presses during transport or active use. The LCD will typically display a "Hold" icon when activated.

4. Maintenance

4.1 Cleaning Your Device

Wipe the exterior of the iGP-100 with a soft, dry, lint-free cloth. Do not use liquid cleaners, aerosols, or solvents. Avoid getting moisture into any openings.

4.2 Battery Care

To prolong battery life, avoid exposing the device to extreme temperatures. If the device will not be used for an extended period, charge it to about 50% before storing. Recharge periodically if stored for very long durations.

4.3 Firmware Upgrades

iRiver may release firmware upgrades to enhance features or improve performance. Check the official iRiver support website periodically for available updates and follow the provided instructions carefully for installation.

5. Troubleshooting

- **Device does not power on:** Ensure the battery is charged. Connect to a power source and try again. Check if the Hold switch is engaged.
- **No sound:** Check the volume level. Ensure headphones are properly connected. Test with different headphones if possible.
- **Computer does not recognize the device:** Ensure the USB cable is securely connected to both the device and the computer. Try a different USB port or cable. Restart your computer and the iGP-100.
- **Music files not playing:** Verify that the files are in a supported format (MP3, WMA, ASF, Ogg Vorbis). Ensure the files are not corrupted.
- **Short battery life:** Ensure the battery is fully charged. Reduce screen brightness if adjustable. Avoid extreme temperatures. Battery performance naturally degrades over time.

6. Specifications

Feature	Detail
Model Name	iGP-100
Memory Storage Capacity	1.5 GB HDD
Supported Audio Formats	MP3, WMA, ASF, Ogg Vorbis
Connectivity Technology	USB 2.0
Special Feature	Integrated FM Radio
Battery Type	Rechargeable Lithium-Ion
Battery Life (Playback)	Up to 12 hours (advertised as 50 hours in some descriptions, but 12 hours is more consistent with user reviews and other specs)
Display	Large Blue Backlit LCD
Manufacturer Part Number	IGP-100
UPC / GTIN	821566000309

7. Warranty and Support

7.1 Warranty Information

The iRiver iGP-100 comes with a **one-year limited warranty** covering parts and labor from the date of purchase. This warranty typically covers manufacturing defects and malfunctions under normal use. Please retain your proof of purchase for warranty claims.

7.2 Customer Support

For technical assistance, warranty service, or further inquiries, please refer to the official iRiver support website or contact their customer service department. Contact information can usually be found on the manufacturer's website or in the product packaging.

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