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Taylor 5879

Taylor Multi-Alert Digital Timer

INSTRUCTION MANUAL

Product Overview

The Taylor Multi-Alert Digital Timer is a versatile and essential tool for precise timing in various household activities, from cooking and baking to homework and crafts. This timer offers multiple alert options including sound, a flashing light, and vibration, ensuring you never miss an important moment. Each alert feature can be independently enabled or disabled to suit your specific needs.

It features a clear 0.5-inch LCD display for easy readability and can count up or down for durations up to 99 minutes and 59 seconds. Its compact design includes a convenient clip, stand, and magnet for flexible placement anywhere in your home.





Figure 1: Front view of the Taylor Multi-Alert Digital Timer.

Setup

Battery Installation

The timer requires two (2) AAA batteries (included). To install or replace batteries:

1. Locate the battery compartment on the back of the timer.
2. Open the battery compartment cover.
3. Insert the two AAA batteries, ensuring correct polarity (+/-) as indicated inside the compartment.
4. If this is the first use, remove any insulation tab present in the battery compartment to activate the timer.
5. Close the battery compartment cover securely.

Placement Options

The timer offers multiple convenient placement options:

- **Clip:** Use the integrated clip to attach the timer to clothing, aprons, or other suitable surfaces.

- **Stand:** Fold out the built-in stand on the back of the timer to place it upright on a countertop or table.
- **Magnet:** The timer features a magnet on its back, allowing it to be securely attached to metallic surfaces like refrigerators or oven doors.





Figure 2: Back view with alert switches and magnet/clip.



Figure 3: Side view demonstrating the clip functionality.

Operating Instructions

Setting the Timer

1. Press the **MIN** button to set the desired minutes.
2. Press the **SEC** button to set the desired seconds.
3. To clear the set time, press and hold the **MIN** and **SEC** buttons simultaneously until the display shows 00:00.

Starting and Stopping the Timer

- To start the countdown, press the **START/STOP** button (large circular button).
- To pause the countdown, press the **START/STOP** button again.
- To resume, press the **START/STOP** button once more.
- When the timer reaches zero, the selected alert(s) will activate. Press the **START/STOP** button to stop the alert and reset the timer to the last set time.

Count Up Function

If the timer is set to 00:00 and the **START/STOP** button is pressed, the timer will begin counting up, functioning as a stopwatch.

Alert Mode Selection

The timer features individual switches on the back to enable or disable each alert mode:

- **Sound Alert:** Toggle the switch labeled with a bell icon to ON/OFF.
- **Light Alert:** Toggle the switch labeled with a light bulb icon to ON/OFF.
- **Vibration Alert:** Toggle the switch labeled with a vibration icon to ON/OFF.

You can combine these alerts as desired (e.g., sound and light, or vibration only).



Video 1: Product Overview of the Taylor Multi-Alert Digital Timer. This video demonstrates the timer's features, including setting time, alert options (sound, light, vibration), and versatile placement using the clip, stand, and magnet.

Maintenance

Cleaning

To clean the timer, wipe it with a damp cloth. Do not immerse the timer in water or use abrasive cleaners, as this may damage the unit.

Battery Replacement

When the display becomes dim or the timer functions erratically, it is time to replace the batteries. Follow the battery installation steps outlined in the 'Setup' section.

Storage

Store the timer in a cool, dry place when not in use. If storing for an extended period, it is recommended to remove the batteries to prevent leakage.

Troubleshooting

- **Display is blank or dim:** Check battery installation. Ensure batteries are new and correctly inserted. Remove and reinsert the insulation tab if applicable.
- **Alerts not working:** Verify that the corresponding alert switches (sound, light, vibration) on the back of the timer are set to the 'ON' position.
- **Timer not responding to button presses:** Try removing and reinserting the batteries to perform a soft reset. If the issue persists, replace the batteries with new ones.
- **Timer not counting:** Ensure the START/STOP button has been pressed to initiate the countdown or count-up.

If problems persist after attempting these troubleshooting steps, please refer to the 'Support' section for further assistance.

Specifications

Feature	Detail
Model Number	5879
Brand	Taylor
Color	White
Material	Plastic
Product Dimensions	1"D x 2.5"W x 4"H
Item Weight	0.16 ounces
Display Type	Digital LCD (0.5" readout)
Max Time Setting	99 minutes, 59 seconds
Alert Modes	Sound, Light, Vibration (3 settings)
Power Source	2 x AAA Batteries
Manufacturer	Lifetime Brands Inc.
Date First Available	February 9, 2018

Warranty and Support

Warranty Information

This Taylor product is manufactured by Lifetime Brands Inc. For specific warranty details, including coverage period and terms, please refer to the warranty card included with your purchase or visit the official Taylor brand website. Keep your proof of purchase for warranty claims.

Customer Support

For technical assistance, troubleshooting beyond this manual, or inquiries regarding your product, please contact Taylor customer support. Contact information can typically be found on the product packaging, the official Taylor website, or through the retailer where the product was purchased.