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Model: MGP-556

1. INTRODUCTION

Thank you for choosing the Tomate MGP-556 Digital Voice Recorder. This compact and versatile device is designed for high-quality audio recording, offering 8GB of internal storage and USB connectivity for easy file management. Please read this manual carefully to ensure proper use and to maximize the performance of your device.

2. PRODUCT OVERVIEW

Familiarize yourself with the components and controls of your MGP-556 Digital Voice Recorder.



Figure 2.1: Front view of the Tomate MGP-556 Digital Voice Recorder, showing the display screen and main control buttons.



Figure 2.2: Top and side view of the Tomate MGP-556 Digital Voice Recorder, highlighting the microphone input, headphone jack, and various control buttons.



Figure 2.3: Front and side profile view of the Tomate MGP-556 Digital Voice Recorder, illustrating its compact design and button layout.

Controls and Ports:

- **Display Screen:** Shows recording status, battery level, time, and file information.
- **REC Button:** Initiates recording.
- **STOP Button:** Stops recording or playback.
- **PLAY/PAUSE Button:** Starts or pauses playback.
- **VOL+ / VOL- Buttons:** Adjusts playback volume.
- **UP / DOWN Buttons:** Navigates through menus or files.
- **MODE Button:** Switches between different modes (e.g., recording, playback, settings).
- **HOLD Switch:** Locks all buttons to prevent accidental operation.
- **MIC Input:** Built-in microphone for recording.
- **USB Port:** For connecting to a computer for file transfer and charging.
- **Headphone Jack:** For private listening during playback.

3. SETUP

3.1. Charging the Device

Before first use, fully charge the voice recorder. Connect the device to a computer's USB port or a compatible USB wall adapter using the provided USB cable. The battery indicator on the display will show charging status. A full charge typically takes a few hours.

3.2. Powering On/Off

- **To Power On:** Press and hold the **PLAY/PAUSE** button for a few seconds until the display lights up.
- **To Power Off:** Press and hold the **STOP** button until the display turns off.

4. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

4.1. Recording Audio

1. Ensure the device is powered on and not in HOLD mode.
2. Press the **REC** button. The display will show a recording indicator (e.g., a red dot or 'REC') and the recording time will start counting.
3. To pause recording, press the **PLAY/PAUSE** button. Press it again to resume.
4. To stop recording, press the **STOP** button. The recording will be saved automatically.

4.2. Playing Back Recordings

1. In standby mode, use the **UP** and **DOWN** buttons to navigate through your saved recordings.
2. Once you've selected a file, press the **PLAY/PAUSE** button to start playback.
3. During playback, use **VOL+** and **VOL-** to adjust the volume.
4. Press **PLAY/PAUSE** to pause playback, and again to resume.
5. Press **STOP** to end playback.

4.3. Connecting to a Computer

To transfer files or charge the device, connect the voice recorder to your computer using the USB cable. The device will appear as a removable disk drive. You can then drag and drop audio files to and from the device.

5. MAINTENANCE

- Keep the device dry. Moisture can damage electronic components.
- Avoid extreme temperatures. Do not expose to direct sunlight or very cold environments.
- Clean the device with a soft, dry cloth. Do not use harsh chemicals or abrasive cleaners.
- Store the device in a clean, dust-free environment when not in use.
- Regularly back up important recordings to your computer to prevent data loss.

6. TROUBLESHOOTING

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Device does not power on.	Low battery; HOLD switch is on.	Charge the device; Turn off the HOLD switch.
Cannot record.	Memory full; Device in HOLD mode.	Delete old files to free up space; Turn off the HOLD switch.
No sound during playback.	Volume too low; Headphones not connected properly.	Increase volume using VOL+; Ensure headphones are fully inserted.
Device not recognized by computer.	Faulty USB cable; Driver issue; Device not in data transfer mode.	Try a different USB cable/port; Restart computer; Ensure device is powered on when connected.

7. SPECIFICATIONS

- **Brand:** Tomate
- **Manufacturer:** Tomate

- **Product Type:** Electronics
- **Memory Storage Capacity:** 8 GB
- **Hardware Interface:** USB
- **Compatible Devices:** Personal Computer, MP3 Player, Notebook, Smartphone, Tablet
- **Microphone Format:** Built-in
- **Batteries Included:** No
- **Battery Operated:** Yes
- **Media Format:** WMA, MP3 Audio
- **Product Weight:** 110 g
- **Package Dimensions:** 14 x 8 x 5 cm; 110 g
- **ASIN:** B07WHRC6HW
- **Available for purchase since:** August 14, 2019

8. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

This product comes with a standard manufacturer's warranty. For specific warranty terms and conditions, please refer to the documentation included with your purchase or contact the retailer.

Extended warranty options may be available for purchase:

- Extended Warranty against failures and defects for 12 months.
- Extended Warranty against failures and defects for 24 months.

For technical support or service inquiries, please contact your point of purchase or visit the official Tomate website for contact information.