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Zunate MC-56AG 2-in-1 Numeric Keypad & Calculator User Manual

Introduction

Thank you for choosing the Zunate MC-56AG 2-in-1 Numeric Keypad & Calculator. This device offers dual functionality, serving as both a wireless numeric keypad for your computer and a standalone calculator. It features a 2.4G USB connection for the keypad function and a clear LCD display. This manual provides detailed instructions for setup, operation, maintenance, and troubleshooting to ensure optimal performance.

Product Overview

The Zunate MC-56AG combines the convenience of a 29-key numeric keypad with the utility of a calculator. Its compact design makes it ideal for various environments, from office desks to on-the-go use.

Key Features:

- **2-in-1 Functionality:** Seamlessly switch between numeric keypad and calculator modes.
- **Wireless Connectivity:** 2.4G USB receiver for reliable connection to your computer.
- **LCD Display:** Clear 10-digit display for calculations.
- **Solar Powered Calculator:** Operates on solar power when used as a calculator (requires sufficient light).
- **Battery Powered Keypad:** Requires 2 AAA batteries for numeric keypad mode.
- **29 Keys:** Comprehensive layout for efficient data entry and calculations.

Components Diagram:



Figure 1: Labeled components of the Zunate MC-56AG. 1. Reset key, 2. USB receiver, 3. Battery cover, 4. Solar panel, 5. 10-digit display screen, 6. Keyboard.

This diagram illustrates the main parts of your device. Familiarize yourself with these components for easier setup and operation.

Setup

1. Battery Installation (for Keypad Mode)

To use the device as a numeric keypad, you must install 2 AAA batteries. The calculator function can operate on solar power in sufficient light, but batteries are essential for the keypad mode.

1. Locate the battery cover on the back of the device.
2. Gently slide the battery cover open.
3. Insert two AAA batteries, ensuring correct polarity (+/-).
4. Replace the battery cover, ensuring it clicks securely into place.



Figure 2: Battery compartment with cover removed, showing battery insertion and USB receiver storage.

2. USB Receiver Connection

The 2.4G USB receiver enables the wireless connection between the keypad and your computer.

1. The USB receiver is typically stored in a compartment on the back of the keypad (refer to Figure 2). Carefully remove it.
2. Plug the USB receiver into an available USB port on your computer.
3. Your computer should automatically detect and install the necessary drivers. This may take a few moments.



Figure 3: The 2.4G USB receiver.

3. Compatibility

The Zunate MC-56AG is compatible with various operating systems, including Windows XP, Vista, 7, 8, 10, and Mac OS 10.3.9 and above.

Operating Modes

The device features a dedicated button to switch between its two primary functions.

Switching Between Modes

- Locate the **PC/CAL** button on the keypad.
- Pressing this button toggles the device between**Numeric Keypad Mode** and **Calculator Mode**.

1. Numeric Keypad Mode

In this mode, the device functions as a standard 29-key numeric keypad for your computer.

- Ensure the USB receiver is plugged into your computer and the device has batteries installed.
- Press the **PC/CAL** button until the device is in keypad mode (the display may show a blank screen or a small indicator, depending on the specific model's behavior in this mode).

- You can now use the keys to input numbers and perform operations in any application on your computer that accepts numeric input.
- The **CONNECT** button can be used to re-establish connection if the keypad becomes unresponsive.

2. Calculator Mode

In this mode, the device operates as a standalone calculator.

- Press the **PC/CAL** button until the device is in calculator mode. The LCD display will activate and show '0' or the last calculated value.
- The calculator is primarily solar-powered. Ensure it is exposed to sufficient light for optimal operation. If light is insufficient, the installed AAA batteries will power the calculator.
- Use the numeric keys and function keys (e.g., +, -, *, /, %, =, AC/ON, CE) to perform calculations.
- The **AC/ON** key clears all entries and turns the calculator on.
- The **CE** key clears the last entry.



Figure 4: Front view of the Zunate MC-56AG in calculator mode, displaying a number.

Maintenance

Cleaning

To maintain the appearance and functionality of your device:

- Wipe the surface with a soft, dry cloth.
- For stubborn dirt, slightly dampen the cloth with water. Avoid using harsh chemicals or abrasive cleaners.
- Do not immerse the device in water or any other liquid.

Battery Replacement

If the keypad function becomes unresponsive or the calculator display dims even in good light, it may be time to replace the AAA batteries. Follow the battery installation steps outlined in the Setup section.

Storage

When not in use for extended periods, store the device in a cool, dry place. It is recommended to remove the batteries to prevent leakage.

Troubleshooting

If you encounter issues with your Zunate MC-56AG, refer to the following common problems and solutions:

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Keypad not responding	Low or dead batteries; USB receiver disconnected; device in calculator mode.	Replace AAA batteries; ensure USB receiver is securely plugged in; press **PC/CAL** to switch to keypad mode; press **CONNECT** button.
Calculator display is blank or dim	Insufficient light for solar power; low or dead batteries.	Move to a brighter area; replace AAA batteries.
Keys are sticky or unresponsive	Dirt or debris under keys.	Clean the keypad surface as described in the Maintenance section.
USB receiver not detected by computer	Faulty USB port; driver issue.	Try a different USB port; restart your computer.

Specifications

Below are the technical specifications for the Zunate MC-56AG 2-in-1 Numeric Keypad & Calculator:

- **Color:** Black
- **Material:** ABS + Metal
- **Connection:** 2.4G USB Wireless
- **LCD Display Size:** Approximately 77 x 22 mm (3.0 x 0.9 inches)
- **Number of Keys:** 29
- **Battery:** 2 x AAA Batteries (not included)
- **Solar Panel Voltage:** 3V

- **Solar Panel Current:** 3mA
- **Compatibility:** Windows XP / Vista / 7 / 8 / 10, Mac OS 10.3.9 and above
- **Product Dimensions:** Approximately 7.62 x 7.62 x 0.1 cm (3 x 3 x 0.04 inches)
- **Item Weight:** Approximately 59 g



Figure 5: Zunate MC-56AG with key dimensions highlighted.

Warranty and Support

For warranty information or technical support, please refer to the documentation provided with your purchase or contact Zunate customer service through their official website or the retailer where the product was purchased. Please have your product model number (MC-56AG) and purchase details ready when contacting support.