## LILYGO T-Watch-S3

# LILYGO T-Watch-S3 User Manual

Model: T-Watch-S3 | Brand: LILYGO

## 1. Introduction

This manual provides detailed instructions for the setup, operation, and maintenance of your LILYGO T-Watch-S3. The T-Watch-S3 is a versatile programmable wearable device featuring an ESP32-S3 microcontroller, LoRa connectivity, and a 1.54-inch IPS LCD. Please read this manual thoroughly to ensure proper use and to maximize the device's capabilities.

## 2. Product Overview

### 2.1 Key Features

- **MCU:** ESP32-S3 with 16MB FLASH and 8MB PS RAM
- **Wireless Connectivity:** Wi-Fi (802.11 b/g/n) and Bluetooth (BLE V5.0)
- **LoRa:** Long-Range 2.4GHz support via SX1280 Low Power LoRa Transceiver
- **Display:** 1.54-inch Wide-Angle IPS LCD (ST7789V) with 240x240 resolution, 16-bit full color, and capacitive touch
- **Onboard Functions:** RTC, Microphone (MAX98357A), IR sensor, Power Detection, BMA423 3-axis sensor
- **Power Management:** AXP2101 Highly Integrated Power Management Unit
- **Haptic Feedback:** DRV2605 Haptic Driver Motor for ERM and LRA

### 2.2 Package Contents

Verify that all items are present in your package:


Figure 2.2.1: Package contents including the T-Watch-S3 device and a Micro USB cable.

- 1 x LILYGO T-Watch-S3 Device
- 1 x Micro USB Cable (30CM)

## 2.3 Device Layout and Dimensions


Figure 2.3.1: Front view of the LILYGO T-Watch-S3, showing the display and overall design.


Figure 2.3.2: Side view of the T-Watch-S3, highlighting the crown and side button.


Figure 2.3.3: Back view of the T-Watch-S3, showing the LILYGO branding and model information.


Figure 2.3.4: Physical dimensions of the T-Watch-S3, including length, width, and height measurements.


Figure 2.3.5: Detailed internal component layout and pinout diagram of the T-Watch-S3.

# 3. Setup

## 3.1 Initial Power-On and Battery Activation

Before first use, it is essential to activate the internal battery switch. This switch is typically in the OFF position for shipping safety.


Figure 3.1.1: Steps to open the back cover, remove the battery, and flip the battery switch to ON.

1. Carefully open the back cover of the T-Watch-S3.
2. Locate the battery and gently remove it to access the switch underneath.
3. Flip the small battery switch to the 'ON' position.
4. Reinsert the battery and close the back cover securely.

**Important: It is recommended to turn off the battery switch when the device is not used for a long period to preserve battery life.**

## 3.2 Charging the Device

Connect the provided Micro USB cable to the T-Watch-S3's USB port and the other end to a standard USB power adapter (not included) or a computer's USB port. The device will begin charging automatically.

## 3.3 Connecting to a Computer for Programming

The T-Watch-S3 is designed for development and programming. To connect it to your computer:

1. Ensure the battery switch is ON and the device is sufficiently charged.
2. Connect the T-Watch-S3 to your computer using the Micro USB cable.
3. Install necessary drivers if prompted by your operating system.
4. Refer to the official LILYGO GitHub repository for detailed programming guides and libraries: github.com/Xinyuan-LilyGO/TTGO_TWatch_Library/tree/t-watch-s3.

# 4. Operating Instructions

## 4.1 Powering On/Off

- **Power On:** Press and hold the power button (typically the side button or crown) for approximately 2 seconds until the screen illuminates.
- **Power Off:** Press and hold the power button for approximately 6 seconds until the device shuts down.

### 4.2 Basic Interaction

The T-Watch-S3 features a capacitive touch screen for interaction. Specific functionalities and navigation will depend on the firmware loaded onto the device. Refer to the programming documentation for details on custom applications and user interfaces.

### 4.3 LoRa Communication

The integrated SX1280 LoRa transceiver enables long-range 2.4GHz communication. Implementation and configuration of LoRa functionality are dependent on the software developed for the device. Consult the LILYGO GitHub resources for examples and libraries related to LoRa.

## 5. Maintenance

### 5.1 Cleaning

- Use a soft, dry, lint-free cloth to clean the device's screen and body.
- Avoid using abrasive cleaners, solvents, or aerosol sprays, which may damage the device.
- Do not expose the device to excessive moisture.

### 5.2 Storage

When storing the T-Watch-S3 for extended periods, ensure the battery switch is turned OFF (refer to Section 3.1) and store it in a cool, dry place away from direct sunlight and extreme temperatures.

## 6. Troubleshooting

If you encounter issues with your T-Watch-S3, consider the following common troubleshooting steps:

- **Device not powering on:** Ensure the internal battery switch is in the 'ON' position (refer to Section 3.1) and the device is sufficiently charged.
- **Connectivity issues (Wi-Fi/Bluetooth):** Verify that the device's firmware supports the desired connectivity and that the network settings are correctly configured within your program.
- **Programming errors:** Double-check your code, development environment setup, and ensure all necessary drivers are installed on your computer. Refer to the LILYGO GitHub for common programming issues and solutions.
- **LoRa not functioning:** Confirm that the LoRa module is correctly initialized in your code and that the antenna is properly connected (if applicable). Ensure you are operating within legal frequency bands for your region.
- **Unresponsive screen:** Try restarting the device. If the issue persists, it may indicate a software or hardware problem.

For more specific technical support or complex issues, please refer to the official LILYGO support channels or community forums.

## 7. Technical Specifications

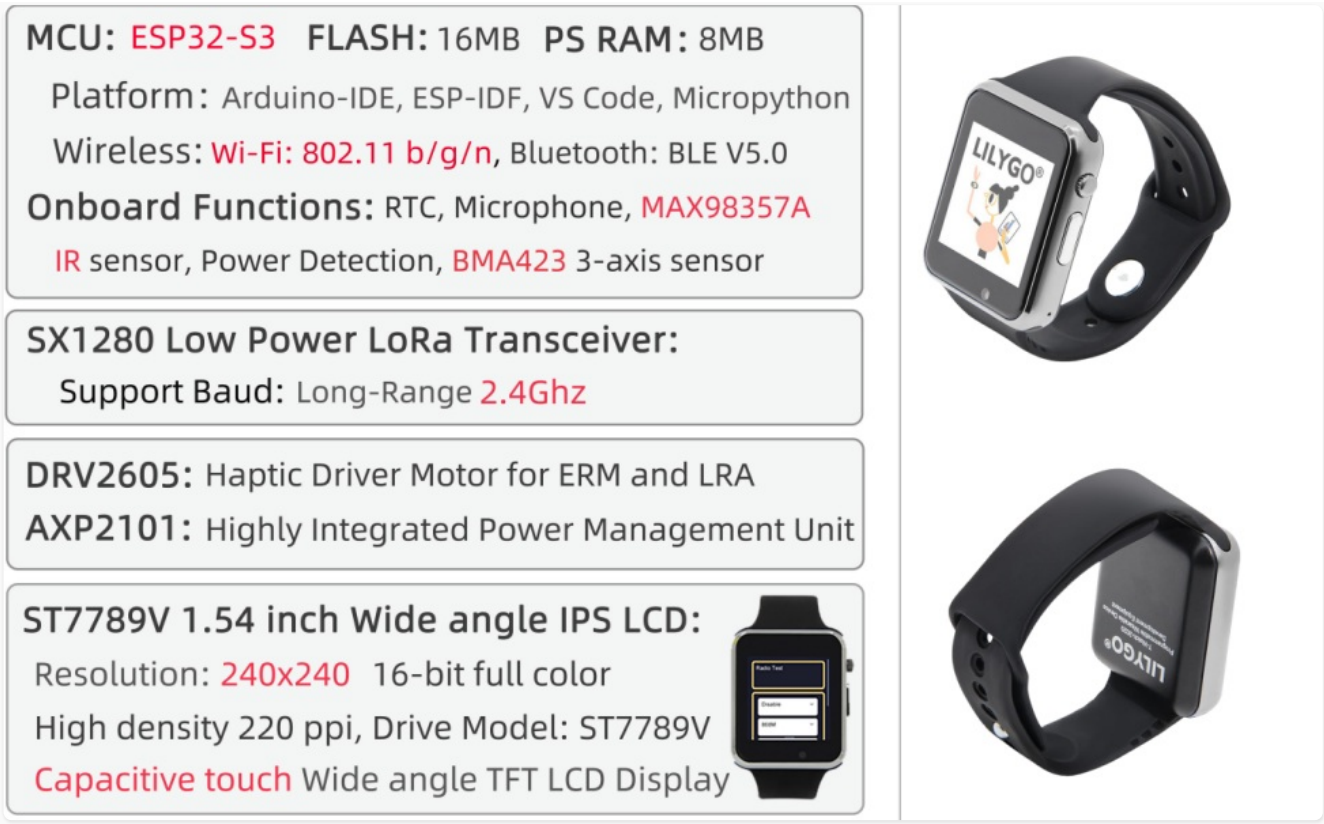


Figure 7.1.1: Overview of the LILYGO T-Watch-S3's core technical specifications.

| Feature | Specification |
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| Model Name | T-Watch-S3 |
| MCU | ESP32-S3 |
| Flash Memory | 16 MB |
| PS RAM | 8 MB |
| Display | 1.54-inch Wide-Angle IPS LCD (ST7789V) |
| Display Resolution | 240x240 pixels, 16-bit full color |
| Connectivity Technology | Wi-Fi (802.11 b/g/n), Bluetooth (BLE V5.0), LoRa (2.4GHz), GPIO, I2C |
| LoRa Transceiver | SX1280 |
| Operating System | Linux (for development environment) |
| Processor Brand | Espressif |
| Manufacturer | LILYGO |

## 8. Support and Warranty Information

For further assistance, technical inquiries, or to report issues, please contact LILYGO directly through their official support channels. You can find more information and community resources on their GitHub page:

**LILYGO T-Watch-S3 GitHub Repository**

Information regarding specific warranty terms and conditions for the LILYGO T-Watch-S3 should be obtained from your point of purchase or directly from LILYGO. Please retain your proof of purchase for any warranty claims.



## Related Documents - T-Watch-S3

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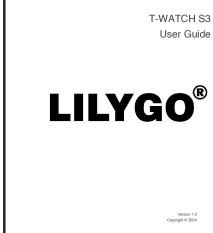
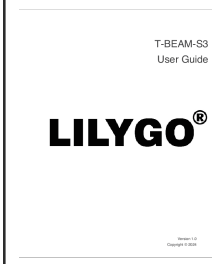
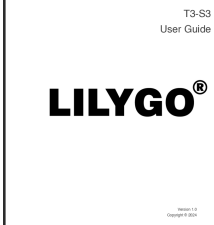
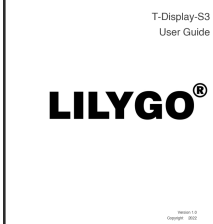
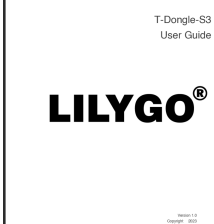
|  | LILYGO T-WATCH S3 User Guide: Setup and Development with Arduino<br>Learn to develop IoT applications with the LILYGO T-WATCH S3. This guide covers setting up the Arduino IDE, programming the ESP32-S3, and using SSC commands, provided by Xinyuan. |
|  | LILYGO T-BEAM-S3 User Guide: Setup and Development<br>This user guide provides comprehensive instructions for setting up the LILYGO T-BEAM-S3 development board. Learn how to configure the software environment using Arduino IDE, connect the board, and utilize its Wi-Fi, BLE, GPS, and LoRa capabilities for IoT projects. |
|  | LILYGO T3-S3 User Guide<br>User guide for the LILYGO T3-S3 development board, covering setup of the Arduino IDE, configuration, testing, and Wi-Fi command reference for the ESP32-S3 module. |
|  | LILYGO T-Display-S3 User Guide<br>A user guide for the LILYGO T-Display-S3 development board, covering setup, Arduino IDE usage, and basic Wi-Fi commands. |
|  | LILYGO T-Dongle-S3 User Guide: Getting Started with ESP32-S3 Development<br>A comprehensive user guide for the LILYGO T-Dongle-S3 development board. Learn how to set up your Arduino development environment, program the ESP32-S3 module, and explore Wi-Fi and Bluetooth features. |

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| T-Deck<br>User Guide<br><br>LILYGO®<br><br>Version 1.0<br>Copyright © 2024 | [LILYGO T-Deck ESP32-S3 User Guide for Arduino Development]<br>Comprehensive user guide for the LILYGO T-Deck development board, detailing setup of the Arduino IDE, ESP32-S3 configuration, Wi-Fi and LoRa functionality, and SSC command reference for IoT applications. |