

SweetPea³

USER MANUAL



Thank you for purchasing the SweetPea3 – the MP3 player designed to grow with your child.

SweetPea3 Features

Your SweetPea3 has the following features:

- Stores up to 16 hours of music and stories
- Transfers music from your computer over a USB cable
- Simple Play/Stop, Next Song and Previous Song buttons
- Turns on by pressing middle button, automatically shuts itself off.
- Hidden parental menus for adjusting player settings, including volume control
- Stores songs in three separate playlists
- Programmable Auto-Off times

Computer System Requirements

- Pentium III 500MHz or higher recommended
Macintosh iMac G3 or higher
- Windows® 2000 SP4, XP or Vista
- Mac OS X Version 10.1.5 or higher
- USB port
- CD-ROM (for transferring music from a CD)
- Internet connection (for purchasing music online)

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It is highly recommended that you register your name and contact information on our website should we need to contact you for important information regarding your SweetPea3. Go to www.sweetpeatoyco.com for more information and details on our privacy policy.

FCC Information

This device complies with part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) This device may not cause harmful interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class B digital device, pursuant to Part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference in a residential installation. This equipment generates, uses and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instructions, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation. If this equipment does cause harmful interference to radio or television reception, which can be determined by turning the equipment off and on, the user is encouraged to try to correct the interference by one or more of the following measures:

- Reorient or relocate the receiving antenna.
 - Increase the separation between the equipment and receiver.
 - Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected.
 - Consult the dealer or an experienced radio/TV technician for help.
- This Class B digital apparatus complies with Canadian ICES-003.



Safety Information

Hearing Safety

The SweetPea3 speaker volume levels are safe during normal operation. Prolonged exposure to the speaker at very close proximity could lead to hearing damage now or later in your child's life.

- Do not allow your child to sleep holding the SweetPea3. The speaker could fall too close to the ear for a prolonged period.
- Do not allow your child to hold the speaker directly to their ear for a prolonged period of time.
- Do not use headphones for children under age 6. Older children may use headphones occasionally for very short lengths of time (less than 20 minutes).

General Safety

- Do not allow children under age 6 to use headphones because they may not hear warning sounds in their environment.
- Do not allow your child to play with the SweetPea3 while it is plugged in to the AC adapter.
- Do not allow your child to play with the AC adapter, particularly when it is plugged into a wall outlet.
- Do not allow your child to play with the SweetPea3 while it is plugged into the USB cable.
- Do not allow your child to play with the SweetPea3 with the battery door open or missing.

Care for your product

- Your SweetPea3 is water resistant but is not waterproof. Do not immerse your SweetPea3 in liquids.
- Do not allow your child to play with the SweetPea3 in water such as a bath or pool.
- Avoid direct spray of liquids.
- Clean with a mild detergent and a soft damp cloth. Never use solvents.
- Do not open the SweetPea3. There are no user serviceable parts inside.
- Do not store the SweetPea3 in direct sunlight or near high temperatures. Avoid parked cars on hot days.

About the battery

- Use a small screwdriver to open the battery compartment. Do not remove the small plastic retaining washers, as loose screws can pose a choking hazard.
- Insert one 'AA' battery with polarity corresponding to the diagram on the bottom of the battery compartment. Replace the battery door using a screwdriver. Do not over-tighten.
- Remove batteries before storing the player for long periods of time, as they may leak and damage the player. Discard leaking batteries immediately, as they can cause skin injury.
- Do not attempt to charge batteries that are not intended to be recharged.
- Dispose of batteries according to federal, state and local regulations.
- The SweetPea3 does not recharge batteries.

What is special about an MP3 Player?

MP3 players store the music on a chip inside the player. This means no moving parts. Music can be transferred directly from your computer using a USB cable.

For a child's music player, nothing is better. No small parts to break off, no CDs to scratch and hours of music with the push of a button.

Display



1. Displays player status information
2. Song number
3. Volume indicator – 5 bars is the loudest
4. Current playlist number
5. Battery level indicator

Getting Started

Turning ON

Press the middle button to turn the SweetPea3 On. It takes a few seconds for the music to queue up before it plays.

Turning OFF

The SweetPea3 will shut itself off after one minute when no music is playing (when the display reads "Stopped"). The player may also shut itself off while playing music, depending on the Auto-Off settings (see Auto-Off section below).

Song Selection

The display shows the number of the current song. Press the Left or Right buttons to play the previous or the next song respectively.

When the player reaches the end of the music list, it will continue playing from the beginning.

Settings Menu

The settings menu has been hidden from your child to give you control of functions such as volume and auto-off times.

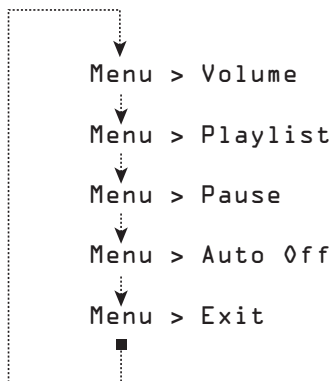
Entering the Settings Menu

Press and hold the Left and Right buttons simultaneously for over 6 seconds. When the display reads "Volume", release the buttons



Scrolling through the Settings menu

Pressing the middle button will scroll through the Settings menu. The order of items in the menu is:



Each item in the menu is described as follows:

Volume

The current volume setting is displayed as a number between 1 and 5. A value of 5 is the loudest and 1 is the softest. Press the left and right buttons to adjust the volume.

Press the middle button to scroll to the next menu item.

Playlist

The current playlist is displayed as a number between 1 and 3. Press the left and right buttons to change the playlist.

Press the middle button to scroll to the next menu item.

A playlist is simply a group of songs. You can create up to three playlists on the SweetPea3.

Group songs however you like. For instance, you might put high-energy songs in Playlist 1 and sleepy lullaby songs in Playlist 2.

Note: empty playlists are not displayed and cannot be selected. If all the songs are in one playlist only, then only that playlist number is displayed and Left and Right button presses do nothing.

Pause

Pause ON allows the middle button to pause/resume the song. Pause OFF allows the middle button to start and stop the song from the beginning. Press the left and right buttons to turn this feature ON or OFF.

Press the middle button to scroll to the next menu item.

Very young children may find the SweetPea3 more intuitive with the pause feature off.

Auto Off

The current Auto Off setting is displayed (minutes). When this feature is off, the SweetPea3 will play indefinitely.

Press the left and right buttons to adjust the Auto Off time.

Press the middle button to scroll to the next menu item.

The Auto Off feature turns the player off automatically after playing for a set time. This can be handy in a nursery, or if you want to conserve battery power.

Exit

Press the Left or Right buttons to exit from the Settings menu and return to the normal mode for playing music. The other way to exit from the Settings menu is to simply not press any button for 10 seconds.

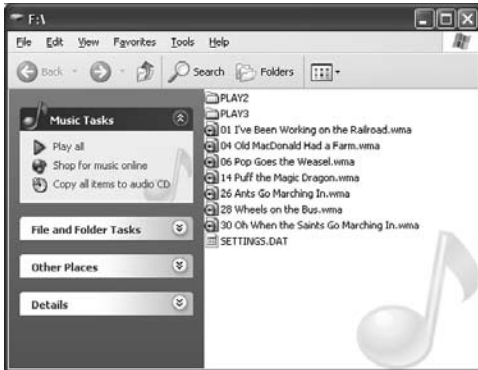
Press the middle button to scroll back to the top of the Settings menu.

Transferring Music

The SweetPea3 appears to your computer system as a USB hard drive. This means that you can transfer music files to and from the SweetPea3 using Windows Explorer or any music management software you may already have installed on your computer.

Using Windows Explorer

Plug your SweetPea3 into the USB port of your computer using the supplied USB cable. A screen asking what you want Windows to do will appear. Select the Windows Explorer option and select OK. The following screen will appear. Note that only songs currently on your player will be shown, which are not necessarily the ones which appear in this example.



The PLAY2 and PLAY3 folders contain songs in Playlist 2 and Playlist 3 respectively. Songs that are not in PLAY2 or PLAY3 (i.e. on the root directory of this USB drive) are in Playlist 1.

To view songs in the other playlists, double click on the folders. You can listen to any song by double clicking on it and the default music player on your computer will open and play the song.

To load songs from your computer onto the SweetPea3, simply click and drag them from your computer as you would with any other file, and drop them onto the root directory of the USB drive (for Playlist 1) or into the folders PLAY2 or PLAY3. You can also rearrange songs by clicking and dragging them between folders.

Songs play in alphabetical order. To change the order, use the rename feature in Windows Explorer to change the two digit number in front of the song name.

Licensed music

Use Windows Media Player to transfer licensed music to your SweetPea3. Note that the SweetPea3 does not play music from subscription services and it does not play licensed music purchased from iTunes™.

Getting Songs onto your computer

Use the media player on your computer, such as Windows Media Player, to copy songs from your CD collection to your computer. Using Windows Media Player, simply click on "Rip", insert a CD and then click on the "Rip Music" button. Refer to your media player's online help for more information.

You can also purchase music from many online sources, including www.sweetpeatoyco.com. The SweetPea3 plays WMA and MP3 files.

AC Adapter

An AC adapter can be used to avoid draining the battery (such as in a nursery). The AC adapter does not recharge the battery. An adapter can be purchased at www.sweetpeatoyco.com.

Troubleshooting

Visit www.sweetpeatoyco.com for the latest information on troubleshooting.



The player does not turn on when a button is pressed.

- the battery may be dead
- the battery may be in backwards
- only the middle button will turn on the player

The sound quality is bad

- the battery level may be too low. Replace the battery.

Powers up but does not play

- there may not be any songs in the memory or current playlist.
- The tracks may be DRM encoded and you don't have the license to play the file. Check with your content provider for details on license acquisition. The SweetPea3 does not play licensed music purchased on iTunes™.

USB display does not appear when connected to a computer

- ensure the USB drivers are correctly installed on the computer

Songs seem to disappear (Mac users)


- Copy songs from a CD to MP3 format only. When you copy other file types, the mac finder hides them but they still take up memory space on the SweetPea3.

Recycling/Disposal

Please consult your local regulations regarding recycling of electronic products. The SweetPea3 is lead-free as it complies with RoHS specifications.

Warranty

The warranty covers defects in materials and workmanship for one year from the date of purchase.



To make a warranty claim, ship your unit to the address below. Ensure the unit is securely packed. Include proof of purchase date, such as on the bill of sale. Include a description of the defect as well as your name, address and telephone number.

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Please insure your shipment for loss or damage since SweetPea Toy Company Ltd. accepts no liability for loss or damage during shipping.

You are responsible for any repair charges not covered by the warranty.

A new or refurbished unit will be sent to you freight prepaid.

Your warranty does not cover the following:

- damage from misuse or neglect
- damage from acts of nature
- products which have been modified or opened
- customer instructions beyond what is covered in the user manual. For further information, ask your dealer or consult the SweetPea Toy Company Ltd. website at www.sweetpeatoyco.com
- batteries

Limitation of Warranty:

• THE WARRANTY STATED ABOVE IS THE ONLY WARRANTY APPLICABLE TO THIS PRODUCT. ALL OTHER WARRANTIES, EXPRESS OR IMPLIED (INCLUDING ALL IMPLIED WARRANTIES OF MERCHANTABILITY OR FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE) ARE HEREBY DISCLAIMED. NO VERBAL OR WRITTEN INFORMATION GIVEN BY SWEETPEA TOY COMPANY LTD., ITS AGENTS OR EMPLOYEES SHALL CREATE A WARRANTY OR IN ANY WAY INCREASE THE SCOPE OF THIS WARRANTY.

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How state law relates to this warranty:

- Some states do not allow the exclusion nor limitation of incidental or consequential damages, or limitations on how long an implied warranty lasts, so the above limitations or exclusions may not apply to you.
- This warranty gives you specific legal rights, and you also may have other rights that vary from state to state.

Canadian Warranty

SweetPea Toy Company Ltd. warrants to the purchaser or gift recipient that if any manufacturing defect becomes apparent in this product within one year from the original date of purchase, it will be replaced free of charge, including return transportation. This warranty does not include damage to the product resulting from accidents, misuse or leaking batteries.

Should your product not perform properly during the warranty period, either:

1. Return it to the selling dealer with proof of purchase for replacement,

OR

2. Remove the batteries (where applicable), and pack product complete with accessories in the original carton (or equivalent).

Mail prepaid (with proof of purchase) and insured to:

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The provisions of this written warranty are in addition to and not a modification of or subtraction from the statutory warranties and other rights and remedies contained in any applicable legislation, and to the extent that any such provisions purport to disclaim, exclude or limit any such statutory warranties and other rights and remedies, such provisions shall be deemed to be amended to the extent necessary to comply therewith.

For out of warranty service, you may write to the address above.

Attach your sales receipt to this booklet for future reference. This information is required if service is needed during the warranty period.



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