MINI DRONE
Operating Instructions

Thank you for purchasing the Gadgetree Mini Drone.

INCLUDED
• Mini drone
• Transmitter remote control (requires 4 AA batteries, not included)
• USB charging cable
• Instruction manual
• 4 extra blades
• Blade protective frame
• Replacement thumb sticks
• 1 hand line
• 3 landing skids

BATTERY INSTALLATION
1. Use a screwdriver to remove the screw on the side of the transmitter then open the battery cover.
2. Install 4 AA batteries (not included) and replace the battery cover.
   *We recommend InfiniCell batteries for maximum performance.*
3. Re-install the screw.

CHARGING
1. Connect the charging cable in the transmitter to the Mini Drone or charge by connecting the included USB charging cable to a PC or AC USB adapter. The green LED on the transmitter or the red LED on the USB charging cable will turn ON and will turn OFF when charging is complete. It will take approximately 30-60 minutes to completely charge the Mini Drone.

CAUTIONS WHILE CHARGING
• Charge only in a dry, well ventilated area away from heat or explosive products
• DO NOT charge the battery if the mini drone is still warm from flying. Doing so may cause the battery to swell or catch on fire
• A battery when not in use for a long time will lose its charge automatically. Charging or discharging for a long time may reduce the life of the battery

INSTALLING LANDING SKIDS AND BLADE PROTECTIVE FRAME
1. Install landing skids to the bottom of the Mini Drone.
2. Install the blade protecting frame to the Mini Drone.

MODES
The transmitter has two built in modes. Mode 2 is the default mode. To switch to Mode 1, simply press and hold the middle button on the throttle then turn ON the transmitter.

FLYING YOUR MINI DRONE
1. Turn ON the Mini Drone.
2. Turn ON the transmitter. The LED will flash quickly.
3. Once the LED stops flashing, push the throttle lever up then back down quickly. You will hear a beep indicating that the Mini Drone has entered into the pre-fly state.
   *NOTE:* Ensure that the Mini Drone is on a level surface when syncing to ensure a stable flight.

CAUTION
• If the LED on the transmitter is flashing slowly, syncing was unsuccessful. Please turn OFF both the Mini Drone and transmitter then repeat steps 1-3
• If the drone is pulling to one side or spinning while hovering, please turn OFF both the Mini Drone and transmitter then repeat steps 1-3
• When the LED on the Mini Drone blinks slowly the battery is low
• Please charge the battery with the USB cable provided

MODE 1
Red light is on the left. Green light is on the right.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS
Hover up and down
Forward and backward
Push the throttle lever up or down
Push the direction lever up or down

Turn left and right
Left and right sideways
Push the left lever left or right
Push the right lever left or right

FINE TUNING
Forward/backward
Sideways
Turning
Use the backward/forward trimmer to correct the Mini Drone if it keeps flying forwards or backwards
Use the left/right sideways fly trimmer to correct the Mini Drone if it keeps flying left or right
Use the right/left trimmer to correct the Mini Drone if it keeps rotating
**MODE 2 (DEFAULT MODE)**

Red light is on the right. Green light is on the left.

One key automatic return

- Headless mode
- Forward trimmer
- Backward trimmer
- Up/Down/Left/Right/High/Low Speed lever
- Forward/Backward/Left/Right sideways/3D Eversions
- Right sideways fly trimmer
- Left sideways fly trimmer
- Power/Charge LED indicator

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**LOW VOLTAGE PROTECTION**

If the Mini Drone battery is low, the rotors will stop automatically in order to protect the battery.

**RESET FUNCTION**

If the Mini Drone is flying erratically or not as expected simply restore factory default settings as follows:

1. Turn the Mini Drone ON.
2. Turn the transmitter ON.
3. When the mini drone’s LED stops flashing quickly and begins to flash slowly push the throttle level up as far as it will go. LED will turn ON.

4. Place the Mini Drone on a level surface, then push the transmitter levers to the down and right for 2-3 seconds. LED indicator will flash quickly for 2-3 seconds then stop flashing and remain ON. The mini drone has been successfully reset.

**THROWING FLIGHT**

Gently throw the Mini Drone up in the air, then push the throttle up the Mini Drone will level out and hover automatically.

**3D EVERSION**

Once you are familiar with the Mini Drone’s basic operation you can do exciting tricks and stunts.

- Fly the Mini Drone to a height of at least 3 metres.
- Press the 3D eversion switch (right thumb stick mode 2) then push the right rudder in any direction to perform a 360 degree flip.

**TIP:** 3D eversion requires full battery power to function properly

**HEADLESS MODE**

When syncing, the antenna of the transmitter must be aligned with the back of the mini drone. When you press the headless mode button during flight you will hear 3 beeps and the LED indicator will turn ON. While in headless mode the transmitter must remain in front of the Mini Drone. The Mini Drone will fly in the direction that the lever is pushed. To exit headless mode, simply press the headless mode button again. You will hear a beep indicating the headless mode has been turned OFF.

**CAUTION**

After fixing the Mini Drone must be reset

- Place the Mini Drone on a level surface, then push the transmitter levers to the down and left for 2-3 seconds. LED indicator will flash quickly for 2-3 seconds then stop flashing and remain ON. The Mini Drone has been successfully reset

**ONE BUTTON AUTOMATIC RETURN**

If the Mini Drone flies too far, simply call it back using the one button automatic return function.

- The antenna of the transmitter must be aimed at the end of the Mini Drone
- Press the one button automatic return button. You will hear a beep and the Mini Drone will return to you. To cancel the automatic return, simply press the direction lever

**CAUTION:** Automatic return can only be used if the transmitter is in the same location it was when the Mini Drone took flight.

**TROUBLESHOOTING**

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