

STC-TGL1 User's Manual



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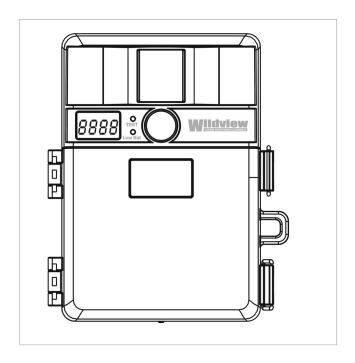
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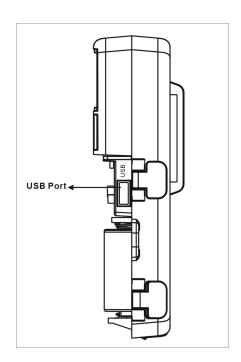
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Camera overview

Front view

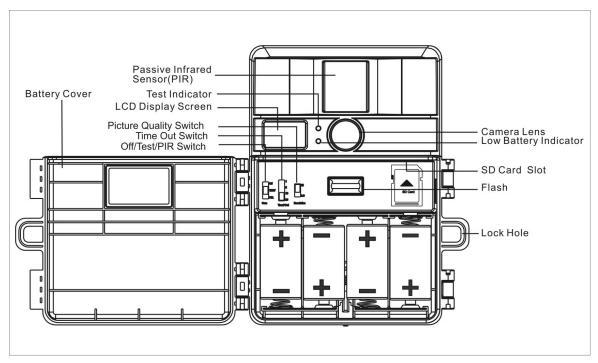


Side view



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Open view image with major parts indication



STC-TGL1 **Picture / Image Capacity**

| SD card | VGA | QVGA |
|---------|------------|-----------|
| | 300K Pixel | 76K Pixel |
| 16MB | 130 | 530 |
| 32MB | 260 | 1060 |
| 64MB | 520 | 2,120 |
| 128MB | 1,040 | 4,240 |
| 256MB | 2,080 | 8,480 |
| 512MB | 4,160 | 16,960 |

NOTE: Picture / Image Capacity Chart provides approximate number of images or AVI movies based on resolution setting and the size of memory card. These figures may vary depending on the amount of detail in the image.

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Camera kit contents

- Model STC-TGL1 VGA Digital Scouting Camera
- CDROM (Contains camera driver only)
- User Manual.
- 1.5M USB cable.
- Strap.

Battery & memory installation

The Wildview STC-TGL1 VGA Digital Scouting Camera is designed to operate using alkaline batteries.

NOTE: Always have camera in OFF position when installing or removing batteries.

Batteries "C" cell

The internal battery compartment accepts 4 "C" cell batteries. Be sure to use high quality brand name alkaline batteries. Install batteries in correct polarity (+/-) as noted inside battery compartment.

Memory Options

Your Wildview scouting camera is equipped with 8MB built in SDRAM memory. The camera is also equipped with an expandable media card slot capable accepting up to 512MB SD card (sold separately). With no memory card inserted into the slot, the camera will use the built in 8MB SDRAM memory. If a SD card is inserted into the slot then the camera will bypass the built

in memory and utilize the SD memory. The front counter display will show the number of images on the built in memory unless the expansion card is inserted at which point the counter will only show the number of images in the expansion card.

Inserting SD card

Make sure camera is in the OFF position whenever adding or removing memory.

- Insert SD memory card in to the SD card slot completely and in the correct direction as shown on the inside of the housing.
- To remove the SD memory card, depress the SD card and pull out the card gently.
- **SD** cards must be clean (no images from other sources.)

Set up

- **Time out:** To set the amount of preset time in minutes the camera will sleep between PIR triggering.
- Resolution: The resolution selection that you have selected.
 - High (VGA): Select this option to capture a VGA image quality.
 - Low (QVGA): Select this option to capture a QVGA image quality.

Using the camera

Select the time out and resolution setting before you turn on the camera.

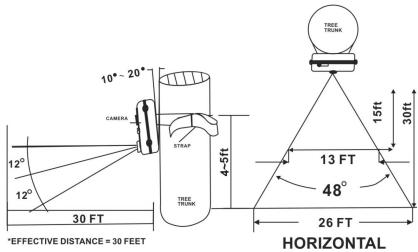
- 1. Select the time out interval by sliding the time out toggle switch to the desire preset time interval in minutes. 1 / 5 / 10 / 20 minutes.
- 2. Select the resolution setting by sliding the resolution toggle switch to the desire resolution setting. **Hi / Lo resolution**.

Once the program setting has been completed your Wildview scouting camera is ready for field use.

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Mounting the camera

It is recommended to mount the camera 4-5 ft off the ground with the camera pointed at a slight downward angle. Be sure to avoid mounting the camera facing east or west as the rising and setting of the sun could produce false triggers and overexposed images. Clear branches and other debris away from the front of the camera so as not to block the camera lens or PIR sensor.



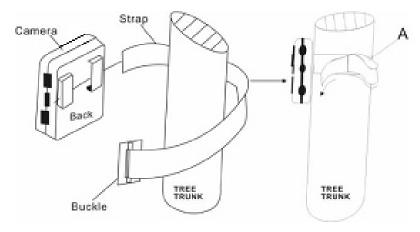
PIR Coverage Area

Diagram

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Mounting the camera with the supplied strap



- Insert the strap through the strap slots on the rear housing.
- Wrap the strap around the mounting surface. Secure the strap and tighten the buckle in order to secure the camera.

Wildview scouting camera offers a Security Lock Bracket for uses exclusively with this camera. See included accessory card or call toll free 888-304-6125.

In order to obtain proper weather resistance, please make sure that both door latches are securely locked in place.

Testing the camera coverage area

One of Wildview Scouting Camera's features is the ability to test the coverage area.

- After mounting the camera, open front housing and slide the power switch to Test position. The front LCD will display the word "tESt".
- Close the front housing.
- Walk around in the front of the camera to see if you have mounted camera in the proper position. A green indicator light on the front will blink on when you have intruded the coverage area.
- Adjust the camera position as needed and repeat testing until the desired coverage area is achieved.

 When you have completed the testing the coverage area open the front housing and slide the power switch from Test position to PIR position. Front LCD counter will show "0000". The camera will enter count down mode for 1 minute and front green indicator will start blinking giving you one minute to leave the coverage area. Then the camera will enter PIR detection mode.

NOTE: Make sure you slide the power switch from TEST mode to PIR mode before you leave the field. Otherwise the Camera will not take any pictures.

Switch use: Do not move the switch from OFF directly to PIR. Doing so will cause the camera to not operate. Slide the switch to test, wait for the front LCD screen to display "tESt" then continue to slide the switch to PIR.

The flash lighting will only activate in low light conditions.

Viewing images

Viewing images by computer download

The Wildview Scouting Camera is a plug and play USB storage device. This means users of Windows 2000 /ME / and XP operating system need not install the camera driver. This camera is not MAC compatible. The CD-ROM included in this package contains the camera driver for older operating system only.

Attention

The software CD-ROM packaged with the camera is designed for PC's only (not MAC compatible). Playing this CD-ROM on a stereo or CD player may cause damage to it.

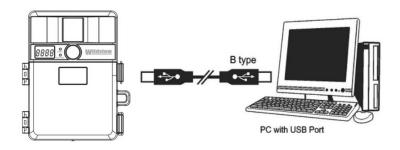
Driver installation

- Unplug the USB cable from PC.
- Insert the CDROM in CD driver of your PC.
- The auto-run program will execute.
- Follow the instructions shown on screen from your PC to completely install the driver and application program.

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- If the existing DirectX version on your PC is lower than version 8, and if you have problem viewing the image with the standard software provided by Microsoft, then you should install DirectX 8
- Restart windows.
- Turn off the camera
- Connect your camera to the PC by the USB cable, the PC will recognize the new device and set up the configuration of the PC automatically. Front LCD on your camera will show the word "USb".

NOTE: Users of Windows 98 or earlier must install camera driver prior to connecting the USB cable.



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 If your computer doesn't run automatically, please click "Start" button and choose "Run", and then browse the CD drive and click "Setup".

Viewing the images on your computer

- Slide the power switch to OFF location.
- To view the images simply plug one end of the USB cable into an available USB port on your computer.
- Plug the other end of USB cable into the camera. The camera will automatically power ON. Front LCD screen will show "USb"
- At the same time, your computer will recognize the camera as mass storage device and found under MY COMPUTER.

Saving and Deleting images

SAVING IMAGES

To save images on to your PC, simply copy and past, or drag and drop from the SDRAM memory to your PC desk top.

DELETING IMAGES

There are two ways to delete the images from the internal SDRAM memory.

- 1. After you down load image into your desk top, you can delete the image in the SDRAM while the USB cable is still connect.
- 2. Simply remove the battery from the battery compartment. This will delete the image stored in the internal SDRAM memory

CAUTION:

Do no remove the battery until you have down loaded all the images in the internal SDRAM. Once the battery is removed, all images in the internal SDRAM will be deleted. (This does not apply to images stored in SD card)

RED LED indicator will blink when batter is low. Turn off the camera. Down load the pictures immediately. DO NOT attempt to replace the batteries before you save the images in your PC. Once the battery is drained completely, or if you attempt to replace the battery, all images in the internal SDRAM memory will be lost.

SD Compatibility Chart

The following cards have been tested and approved for use in the Wildview STC-TGL1 model.

| PQI | 32MB, 64MB, 128MB, 256MB, 512MB |
|-----------|---------------------------------|
| San Disk | 32MB, 64MB, 128MB |
| Panasonic | 32MB, 64MB, 128MB, |
| Toshiba | 32MB, 64MB, 128MB, 256MB, 512MB |
| King Mate | 32MB, 64MB, 128MB, 256MB, 512MB |
| Lexar | 512MB |
| Kingston | 128MB, 256MB, 512MB |
| Kodak | 128MB, 256MB, 512MB |
| Dan-Elec | 128MB, 256MB, 512MB |
| Viking | 128MB |
| PNY | 128MB, 256MB, 512MB |
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Proper camera operation cannot be guarantee when using memory card **NOT** listed above.

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Technical Specifications

System Requirements and Compatibility

- Windows 98/98se/2000/Me/XP.
- Pentium III 450MHz or equivalent processor.
- 128MB SDRAM or above.
- VGA Video Card with 32MB RAM for minimum, Color 16 bit or higher.
- An available CDROM driver and an available USB Port.
- 600 MB free hard disc space.
- If you have any questions regarding your PC specifications please call your PC manufacturer.

Camera Features and Specification.

- Image sensor: 0.3 mega-pixels.
- Built in 8MB SDRAM memories for image storage.

- External memory support: SD memory card up to 512MB.
- Resolution Options: VGA, QXGA
- Auto white balance and auto expose.
- Auto Flash light strobe control.
- 4 digit LCD Image counter.
- Battery low indicator.
- Green Test LED indicator
- Focusing: 5 ft to Infinity.
- 2 P glass lens with IR coating.
- Effective viewing Angle: 52 deg.
- PIR detection angle 48 deg.
- Low power consumption:

Standby current: < 2mA.

Capture current <150mA

Interface type: USB 1.0

Power: C size alkaline Batteries x 4.

Image format: Standard JEPG. And Motion JEPG (AVI)

General Information

Storing conditions

• Operating Environment: 14 to 104 deg F (-10 to 40 deg C). 20-85% relative humidity, non-condensing.

Special care instructions!!

- The camera is designed to be weather resistant. Never attempt to immerse the unit to water or any other liquid. This will damage the unit and void the warranty.
- Use a soft lens cloth for cleaning lens. Avoid touching lens with fingers.
- Remove dirt or stains with a soft cloth dampened with water or neutral detergent. Keep the Wildview scouting camera in a dry

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and cool dust-free environment or container when it is NOT used.

- Take the batteries out, when the Wildview scouting camera is NOT to be used over a long period.
- Avoid dropping the Wildview scouting camera on to hard ground. Do not disassemble the Wildview scouting camera.
- Do not mix new and old batteries.
- Do not open the camera for unauthorized service. This could cause serious damage to the unit and will void the warranty.

This camera is a precision electronic device. Do not attempt to service this camera yourself, as opening or removing covers may expose you to dangerous voltage points or other risks.

<u>Caution</u>: When camera is switched off, if there is any residual power left in the camera, it will take an extra picture to discharge the left over power in the camera. Under low lighting condition, the flash will go off.

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