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15” Digital Photo Frame

**Model: LI1501**

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## Introduction

Congratulations on your purchase of your digital photo frame, model LI 1501

Before operating the unit, please read this manual thoroughly, and retain it for future reference. This manual will help you use many of the exciting and useful features that will make your digital photo frame viewing more enjoyable.

This digital photo frame lets you view digital pictures directly from your camera's memory cards or USB flash device. You will be able to create a slideshow using multiple transition effects or display one picture at a time. No computer, digital camera or Internet connection is required.

This digital photo frame is compatible with the following popular memory card formats: SD™, MultiMediaCard™ and Memory Stick®.

It can also read files stored on a USB Flash drive using the USB host port.

## Main Features

- Displays digital pictures (JPEG) without a computer
- Simply insert a compatible memory card into the digital photo frame to show photos, play MP3 music or supported video files
- Compatible memory cards include Secure Digital Card (SD), MultiMedia Card (MMC), Memory Stick (MS),
- Able to read files located on a USB Flash drive
- Instantly plays MP3 music with the integrated speakers.
- Instantly plays MPEG1 files stored on supported memory cards*.
- Instantly plays MPEG2 files stored on supported memory cards*.
- Instantly plays MPEG4 files stores on supported memory cards.
- Supports up to 12 Mega Pixels image files (JPEG format).
- Compatible with most digital cameras' stored JPEG images and motion JPEG files.
- Includes a credit card style remote control
- Automatic slide show with multiple transition effects.
- Plays slide show with MP3 music on the background.
- User-friendly on-screen display lets you access all controls easily.

*Video files may not play properly if stored on a low speed card.

## Getting Started

### *Package Contents*

Digital Picture Frame

User Manual

AC/DC Adapter

Remote control

USB Cable

## Installing your unit

- Open the package and remove the protective foam. Remove the protective sleeve from the unit.
- Install the digital photo frame stand as the back of the unit.
- Plug in the AC adapter into power outlet. Plug the other end into the unit.
- After the content is stored on the target flash media; insert the media into the correct slot.
- Turn power to ON position via the ON/OFF switch.

## Connecting to a PC

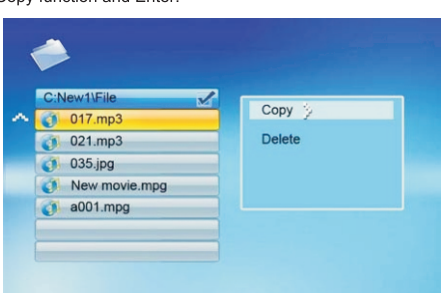
This feature is for copying or deleting files to or from your memory card or USB flash drive installed in your digital frame, via the enclosed USB cord. To connect to a computer, first turn on the digital photo frame and then connect the USB Cable between the mini USB port on the frame and the USB port on your computer. The screen on the digital photo frame will display “Connecting to PC”. At this point, all other functions on the digital photo frame will cease.

Open My Computer on your PC. The memory card slot and USB port of the digital photo frame will be represented by a Removable Disk Drive letter in My Computer.
Highlight the files on your PC that you wish to copy to your frame. Click Copy, then locate the destination flash media to which you want to copy. Open the destination drive and click Paste. Once the files have been copied and pasted, remove the cable between the frame and the PC and restart the frame so you can view your images. **Note: You cannot view files on your digital photo frame directly from your PC. They must be copied from your PC to a flash device (memory card or USB drive) inserted in the digital photo frame first. Once all your files are copied, you must disconnect the USB cord and re-start the digital photo frame.**

### *Copying and Deleting Files between Memory Card and USB Drive Only*

This function **CANNOT** be used in conjunction with the above section. This function can only be used if your digital photo frame is **NOT** connected to a PC.
To copy files between your memory card and USB flash drive, or delete files from your memory card or USB inserted in the digital photo frame:

- Select the desired flash media on main menu. (SD / MMC / MS / USB /NAND-Internal memory)
- Select the “FILE” option from the menu and press “ENTER”
- A list of available files will be displayed. Use the up and down arrows to highlight your required file and press the right arrow to highlight the desired file. Repeat for all files that you want to copy
- Press the “Enter” button to display the Copy and Delete menu. Select Copy function and Enter.




- Use Up/Down arrows to select the file destination folder. Press Right button to confirm.

- Press Enter to start copying the file.

To Delete:

- Select the desired flash media on main menu. (SD / MMC / MS / USB /NAND-Internal memory)
- Select the “FILE” option from the menu and press “ENTER”
- A list of available files will be displayed. Use the up and down arrows to highlight your required file and press the right arrow to highlight the desired file.

Press the “Enter” button to display the Copy and Delete menu. Select Delete function and press Enter. File will be deleted

NOTE: USB Slave and USB Host can not be used at the same time.

## Operation

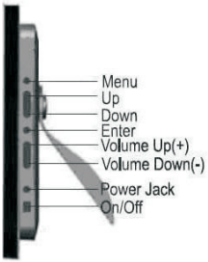
This digital photo frame is extremely easy to operate:

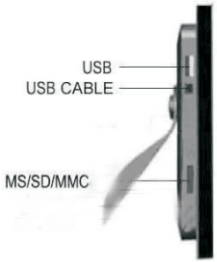
1. Remove memory card from your camera:

2. Insert memory card into the frame with the card facing towards the unit:

3. Turn the frame on and select the port where your media is installed (memory card or USB), then press ENTER on the remote.  The slideshow will start automatically:

## Controls




## Using your Remote Control

The following table briefly describes the remote control functions

| Button | Description |
|---|---|
| Power | Turn on/off |
| Photo | Access your photo files |
| Music | Access your music files |
| Video | Access your videos files |
| Combo | Start the slideshow |
| Time | Display the time/ Calendar |
| Mute | Mutes volume |
| Menu | Displays the main menu |
| Enter | Select highlighted item |
| VOL +/- | Adjusts volume |
| Arrows | Navigate on screen |
| ▶/II | Play/ pause |

## Inserting Memory Cards

The digital photo frame is compatible with the following memory cards:

- Secure Digital™ Card (SD)
- MultiMedia™ Card (MMC)
- Memory Stick™

If you are facing the front of the digital photo frame, insert the memory card with the front label facing TOWARDS you. Do not force the memory card into the memory slot. If you are not able to easily insert the memory card completely, you may have inserted it the wrong way.

Note:

The digital photo frame will ONLY recognize digital pictures stored in JPEG format. Digital pictures stored in other formats will be ignored by the device.

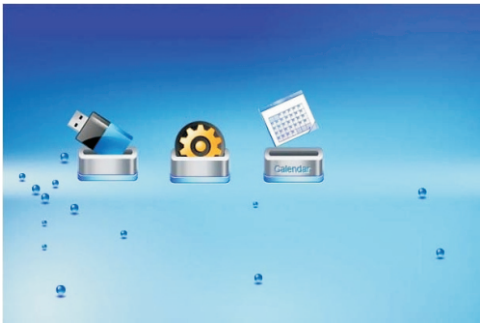
Make sure you have at least one picture stored on the memory card or USB flash device. The frame will not function properly without a stored picture.

You also can use a USB flash drive in the exact same way as you would use a memory card. Simply copy files on the flash drive and insert it at the right side of the unit in the USB Host plug.

## Main menu

Upon turning on the digital photo frame, you will go straight to the MENU screen. To set the Auto Start feature Choose the SETUP screen.

Use the Left / Right arrow to go to the “Set up”. Press Enter button to enter the options screen. Use the Up / Down arrows to choose your auto start option. Press the “MENU” button to show the following menu:




Use the left and right arrows to move inside the menu and then press “Enter” to continue

Note: In all menus, pressing the “Menu” button will bring you back to the main menu

| Function | Description |
|---|---|
| Nand | Play files in internal memory |
| Setup | Set system menu |
| Calendar | Display calendar, clock, alarm |
| SD/MMC/MS/ | Play files on SD/MMC/MS/ memory card |
| USB | Play files on USB flash drive |

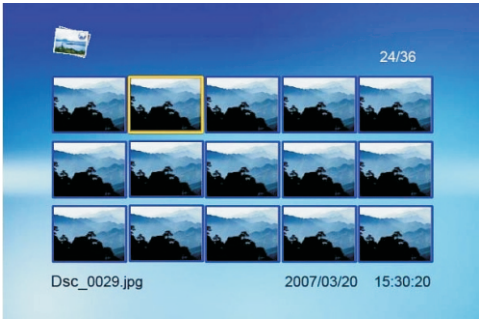
**NOTE: Icons of above functions shall appear automatically on MENU screen when certain memory card is inserted. Icons shall disappear when correspondent card is removed from card slot.**

### *Viewing Pictures*

Make sure you have at least one picture on your memory card or your USB flash drive. When this is done:

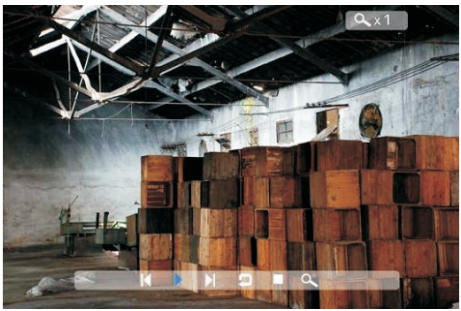
- Select the desired flash media on main menu. (SD / MMC / MS / USB /NAND-Internal memory)
- Select the “PHOTO” option from the menu and press “ENTER”

- A Photo thumbnail will appear. User UP/DOWN/LEFT/RIGHT arrows can move the highlight. If the highlighted is a folder, press Enter to enter the folder.




- Otherwise press Enter to enter the full screen photo (pause mode) and press Play to enter into slideshow mode.

- Once a slideshow is playing or a picture is being shown, press the OSD button. The following menu will appear:




**Previous**

Play previous picture in the picture list

**Play or Pause**

Play or pause the current slideshow.

**Next**

Play next picture in the picture list

**Rotate**

Use the rotate function to change the picture orientation to either portrait or landscape.

**Stop**

Stop slideshow and return to photo thumbnail.

**Zoom**

Increase the size of the picture by 2/4/8/16/1 times.

### *Watching video*

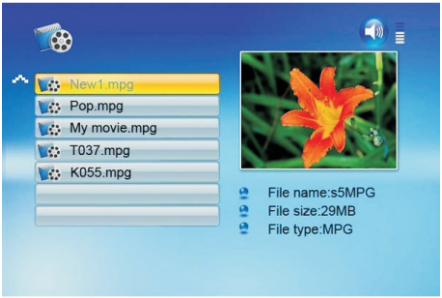
The digital photo frame supports the following video formats:

- Motion JPEG (.avi): video format used by most digital cameras MPEG-I
- MPEG-2
- MPEG 4

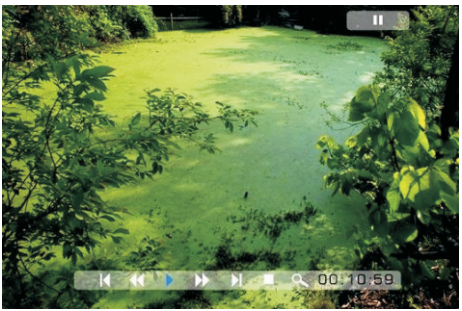
Make sure you have at least one video on your memory card or your USB flash drive. When this is done:

- Select the desired flash media on main menu. (SD / MMC / MS / USB /NAND-Internal memory)
- Select the “MOVIE” option from the menu and press “ENTER”

- A list of all movie files will be listed on the left side of the screen. The right side consists of the movie preview window and information display of the current movie. Use Up/Down arrows to select the movie and press Enter to play.




Once a movie is playing, press the ENTER button on the remote control. The following menu will appear:




**Previous**

Play previous movie in the play list

**Fast Forward**

Play forward the movie by 2 / 3 / 4 times speed.

**Play or Pause**

Play or Pause the movie.

**Fast Backward**

Play backward the movie by 2 / 3 / 4 times speed.

**Next**

Play next movie in the play list

**Stop**

Stop the movie and return to the playlist

**Zoom**

Increase the size of the picture by 2 / 3 / 4 / 1 times.

### *Listening to MP3 music*

Make sure you have at least one MP3 file on your memory card or your USB flash drive. When this is done:

- Select the desired flash media on main menu. (SD / MMC / MS / USB /NAND-Internal memory)
- Select the “MUSIC” option from the menu and press “ENTER”

- A list of music files will be listed on the left side of the screen. The right side consists of the frequency chart and information status bar. The song information area is below the status bar. Use Up/Down arrows to select the music file and press Enter to play.

- Press VOL+ to increase the volume or VOL- to decrease the volume.
- Press Play/Pause button on remote control to play or pause the music file.
- Press Stop button on the remote control to return to the list of music files.

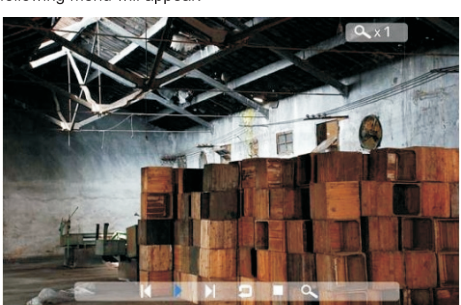
## File Management

***Playing a slideshow with music***

Ensure you have at least one picture on your memory card or your USB flash drive. Additionally, you must have one MP3 file saved on the selected memory card or USB flash drive. When this is done:

- Select the desired flash media on main menu. (SD / MMC / MS / USB ／NAND-Internal memory)
- Select the “FILE” option from the menu and press “ENTER”

- A list of all files on the selected memory card or USB flash drive will be listed on the left side of the screen. The right side consists of the file information. Use Up/Down arrows to select a picture file and press Enter to enter a full screen photo (pause mode). Press Play button on the remote control, an audio slideshow will begin automatically.
- Once an audio-slideshow is playing, press the OSD button. The following menu will appear:




**Previous**

Play previous picture in the picture list

**Play or Pause**

Play or pause the current slideshow.

**Next**

Play next picture in the picture list

**Rotate**

Use the rotate function to change the picture orientation to either portrait or landscape.

**Stop**

Stop slideshow and return to photo thumbnail.

**Zoom**

Increase the size of the picture by 2 / 4 / 8 / 16 / 1 times.

**VOL**

Press VOL+ or VOL- on remote control to increase or decrease the volume

## Using the SETUP option

The following options can be changed by using the “SETUP” option from the main menu:

| Function | Description |
|---|---|
| Language | Includes English, French, Spanish, Deutsch, Italian |
| Slideshow time | Slideshow duration: 3s/5s/15s/1min/15mins/1hr |
| Slideshow mode | Off, Random, Fading, Bottom_to_top, Top_to_bottom, Left_to right, Right_to_left, Door_close, Door_open, Hori_cross, Verti_cross |
| Music Repeat Mode | Repeat one, Repeat all, Repeat off |
| Movie Repeat Mode | Repeat one, Repeat all, Repeat off |
| Display mode | Crop, Stretch, Cinema |
| Time | Year/Month/Date/Time setup |
| Alarm | Alarm Time/Alarm Music/Alarm On/off setup |
| Default | Recover the factory default setup |

## Calendar/Clock Display

Upon turning on the digital photo frame, you will go straight to the MENU screen. If you select Calendar/Clock and press Enter, you will go to Calendar/Clock screen. If the Alarm is turned on, it will also show the alarm time. A picture slideshow will begin at the picture preview window at the right part of the screen.

## Technical Support

### *Frequently asked questions*

1) Q: Can I use touch-enabled technology for my digital photo frame?
A: The LCD screen does not support touch-enabled technology. Please use the buttons or remote control to control the digital photo frame.

2) Q: If I keep showing the same photo for a long time, will it damage the LCD screen?
A: No. The digital photo frame can display the same photo continuously for a long time. But it is recommended not to show the same picture continuously for more than 1 month.

3) Q: How do I store music files?
A: First, use a personal computer and popular audio editing software to convert your music to MP3 format. The digital photo frame will only play MP3 files so all Windows Media Player™ and/or iTunes™ files will have to be converted first. You can use a card reader or your digital camera to transfer those files to your memory card.

4) Q: Does the digital photo frame have built-in memory?
A: Yes, 2GB .

5) Q: What is the maximum picture size?
A: The digital photo frame is able to display pictures up to 12 Mega Pixels.

6) Q: What is the best picture resolution displayed on the screen?
A: The frame's best resolution is 1024x768.

7) Q: How come the digital photo frame does not show some of my photos?
A: The digital photo frame is designed to show photos following the same camera industry standards format as digital cameras. This format is a JPEG format. Images, such as web images, scanned images, or photos in RAW format, are not stored according to camera industry standards and therefore cannot be displayed correctly on the digital photo frame. Please use your PC

applications to convert such images into standard JPEG format before viewing them on the digital photo frame.

## Troubleshooting

| Symptom | Cause | Corrective Actions |
|---|---|---|
| Digital photo frame doesn't power on. | The Power connector to the unit is not securely inserted. | Please be sure that the AC adaptor is properly connected to the frame. |
| Unable to insert memory card | Memory card inserted in the incorrect slot or in the incorrect direction. | Insert the correct card in the correct slot and direction. |
| Power is on but the Start-Up screen is not displayed. | System does not work normally | Restart the digital photo frame . |
| No photo, videos, or music files on memory card. | Memory card is not inserted correctly. | Insert a supported memory card. |
| No sound from the speakers. | The volume may be in the lowest level; it may be in mute mode. | Confirm the volume is properly adjusted or press MUTE button to exit mute mode. |
| No background music when slideshow pictures | Background music is off | Press BACK MUSIC button or enter COMBO mode to slideshow pictures. |
| The files do not play. | Incompatible File Formats. | Make sure there is at least one supported file format on the memory card. |
| Can not copy or delete files. | The files or memory card are locked. | Unlock the files or memory card. |
| Remote control does not work. | No battery or weak battery in the remote control. | Insert or change the battery in the remote control. |

## Specifications

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|---|---|
| Type | Digital Photo Frame |
| Size | 15inch |
| Resolution | 1024x768 |
| Alimentation | 12 V |
| Consumption | 6 Watts |
| Working Temperature | -20 to +65 degrees |
| Response Time | 25ms |
| Display Mode | 4:3 |
| File Format | JPEG, MPEG1, MPEG2, MP3, MPEG4 |
| Photo Size | 12 Mega Pixels |
| Current | AC110—240V (50HZ—60HZ) |
| Cards | SD / MMC / MS /USB |
| USB ports | USB Host, USB Slave |
| Package Contents | Digital Picture Frame<br>AC/DC Adapter<br>User Guide<br>Remote control<br>USB Cable |

## Maintenance and Precaution

- The digital photo frame is for indoor use only.
- To reduce the risk of fire or electric shock; do not expose this appliance to rain or moisture.
- Do not block the ventilation holes on the back of the digital photo frame at any time.
- Keep your digital photo frame out of sunlight. Direct sunlight may cause damage.
- Do not open the case of the digital photo frame. There is a risk of electric shock, and there are no user serviceable parts inside. Opening the case will void your warranty.
- Do not use the digital photo frame if conditions could allow condensation to occur, or damage may result.
- Your digital photo frame is a complicated electronic device and cannot withstand shock from drops.

## Cleaning the LCD screen

- Treat the screen gently. The screen on the digital photo frame is made of glass and can be scratched or broken.
- If fingerprints or dust make the LCD screen dirty, we recommend using a soft, non-abrasive cloth such as a camera lens cloth to clean the LCD screen.
- If you use an LCD Cleaning Kit sold on the market, apply the cleaning liquid to the cloth. Do not apply the liquid directly to your LCD screen.