

MR-8 WAV MANAGER Version 1.00

Operation Manual

Please read before using

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Summary

“WAV Manager” is a utility software application that enables you to import each audio track from a song created by the MR-8 into the PC as a standard mono WAV file (eight files for an 8-track song). Also, WAV file data created and edited in the PC can be exported to the MR-8 (to an existing song).

Operating Environment

WAV Manager operates on Windows 98 Second Edition, Windows ME, Windows 2000 Professional, Windows XP Home Edition, and Windows XP Professional Edition. When WAV Manager is used on Windows 98 Second Edition, a CompactFlash® card reader/writer may be required as MR-8 (in certain cases) may not support data transfer via USB on Windows 98 Second Edition.

Installation and Uninstallation

There is no installer program. When you extract the downloaded file, two files are created: “readme.pdf” (this file) and “WAV Manager.exe”. To use this software, click this “WAV Manager.exe” to activate. When you uninstall this software, delete these two files. This software doesn't use any registry.

Instructions

■ **Opening & Closing WAV Manager**

1. Set the MR-8 setting to “USB Mode” (see the MR-8 Operation Manual for setting).
2. Connect the MR8 to the PC using a USB cable
3. Wait until your PC recognizes the MR8 and indicates that it is mounted. In some cases this may take as long as 30 seconds. < *Note: If you start WAV

manager before the MR8 is recognized, WAV manager will not see the MR8. This can be confirmed by whether or not the WAV Manager display shows a drive letter next to "MR-8 Drive" in the main window>

4. Startup WAV Manager. <*Note: If MR-8 is set to "USB Mode" after WAV Manager is started up, quit WAV Manager, confirm that the MR-8 is set to USB Mode, then startup WAV Manager again>
5. To quit WAV Manager, click the close box on the top right of the window.

■ Transferring MR-8 Audio Tracks (.WAV files) to your PC

1. Startup WAV Manager and select the **MR-8 to PC** tab. The MR8 Drive should show a drive letter. If it does not please refer to "Opening & Closing WAV Manager" above.
2. Select the Song Name you want to import from [Song Name].
<Notes: If there is no Song to be displayed, there is possibility that MR-8 is recognized as a wrong drive. Designate the correct name of the drive on [MR-8 Drive] pull-down menu in that case. When there is no Song on MR-8, nothing is displayed>
3. Designate the Track or Tracks you want to transfer to your PC by checking the respective boxes.
4. Choose the destination using the explorer window on the left. This is where the files will be copied to.
5. Click the **Import** button to create WAVE files in the designated folder.
Notes: File names are "tr" followed by "number of the track" such as tr01.wav, tr02.wav....
6. When completed, "Complete!" is displayed. <Notes: Do not power off the MR-8 or the CF Card Reader/Writer as well as disconnect or connect the USB cable or the CompactFlash® card. It may damage the equipment or the file>

■ Transferring .WAV files from your PC to the MR-8

****Before you begin transferring files please note the following****

- Files to be copied to the MR8's CF must have file names starting with "tr" followed by "track number" such as tr01.wav, tr02.wav...this allows you to designate which file goes to which track. For example tr02.wav would go to track 2 on the MR8.
- The sampling frequency of your .WAV file must be 44.1kHz or 22.05kHz with 16bit resolution.
- Each file must be mono. The fs and resolution must be identical to export.
- The total file size should not exceed the remaining capacity of the CF card.

1. Startup WAV Manager and select the **PC to MR-8** tab.
2. Select the Song [Song name] you want to transfer your .WAV file into. If you want to transfer into a new song, create a new Song on MR-8 before using WAV Manager.
<Notes: If there is no Song to be displayed, there is possibility that MR-8 is recognized as a wrong drive. Designate the correct name of the drive on [MR-8 Drive] pull-down menu in that case. When there is no Song on MR-8, nothing is displayed. Note that the file cannot be exported to a Song that is "protected">
3. Designate the track to export to by checking the respective box. Data is overwritten on the designated track(s) of MR-8.
4. Designate the folder that includes the .WAV file to export from the explorer window on the left. .WAV file(s) are displayed in the right window.
5. Click the **Export** button to export the designated file.
<Note: The export operation cannot be cancelled>
6. When completed, "Complete!" is displayed. *<Notes: Do not power off the MR-8 or the CF Card Reader/Writer as well as disconnect or connect the USB cable or the CompactFlash® card. It may damage the equipment or the file>*

■ Precautions

For users of Windows98 Second Edition

Even though "Complete!" is displayed after import or export operation is finished, the CompactFlash® card may still be accessed. When you disconnect the CompactFlash® card from the PC (or take it off from the reader/writer device), be sure that the access lamp of the device is not flashing for a while. For details, refer to the operation manual of the reader/write device to use.

For Windows ME, Windows 2000 Professional, Windows XP Home / Professional Editions

Even though "Complete!" is displayed after import or export operation is finished, the CompactFlash® card may still be accessed. When you disconnect the MR-8 from the PC, be sure that the [RECORD] button (access lamp) of the MR-8 is not flashing for a while and then click the icon of "Hardware disconnection" on the task bar to deactivate "USB Drive".