

PLANTPETZ™ Instructions

Robotic Planter - 4" and 6"

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Probe

- ☛ Moisture Sensor
- ☛ Connects to your Plant's roots through the potting soil

Microphone

- ☛ Record a message
- ☛ Talk to your plant
- ☛ Play music and it dances

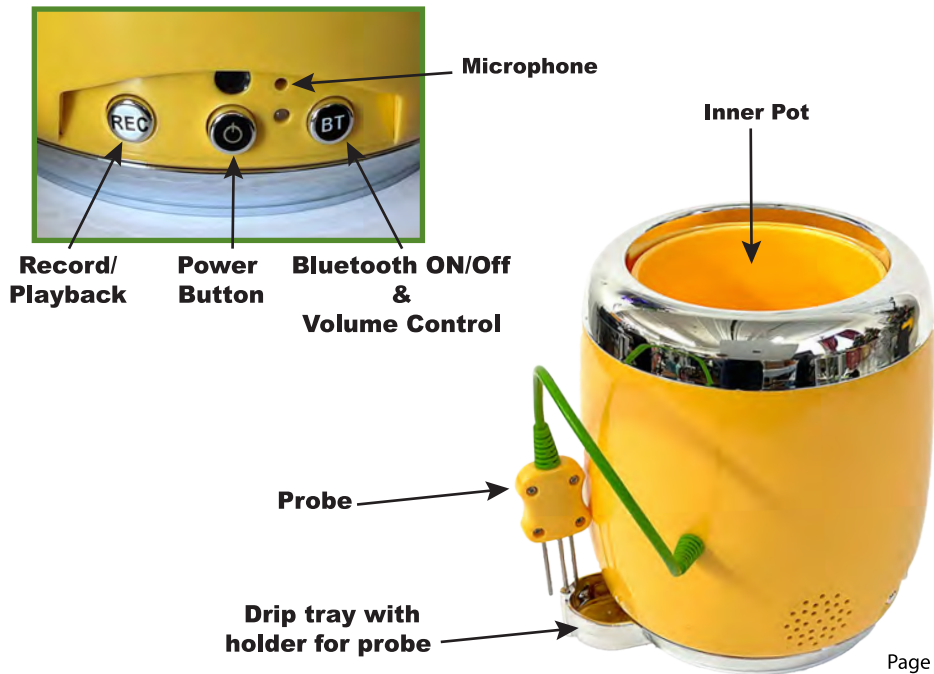
Speaker

- ☛ Reminds you to add water
- ☛ Plays your music

Motion Sensor

Your plant responds to your presence with movement and sound

PlantPetz™ Control Panel & Parts



How to install or replace batteries



Use a screwdriver to loosen the screw in the battery box cover and remove the cover.



4" PlantPetz™
Insert 3 x 1.5V AA size alkaline batteries (included).



6" PlantPetz™
Insert 4 x 1.5V AA size alkaline batteries (included).

Be sure to install correctly as indicated by the +/-.
Replace battery cover and tighten the screw.

A 'beeping' sound every 30 seconds alerts you that the batteries need replacing.

Getting started - Two ways to insert your plant



If your plant is in a 4", or smaller plastic pot insert it into the PlantPetz™ Inner Pot.

OR



If the pot is too large to fit easily transplant your plant into the PlantPetz™ Inner Pot.



Press the probe firmly into the potting soil.

Next press and release the **Power Button** to turn on PlantPetz™.

If your plant needs water it will prompt you with a bubbly “water me” sound.

PlantPetz™ includes a moisture monitoring feature.

At any time press and release the **Power Button**.

The number of **'Bubbling'** sounds indicates the moisture level in the soil.

Number of “bubbling” sounds	
0	WET
1	MOIST
2	MODERATELY MOIST
3	VERY DRY

🌿 For watering guidance refer to the label provided with your plant.

🌿 To test the moisture level at any time use the **Power Button** to turn the power off and back on.

Now you are ready to interact with your plant.



GENTLY touch or stroke the leaves or stem with both hands and your plant will respond with sound and movement.

Move close to the microphone and speak, your plant will respond with movement.

Play music close to the microphone and your plant will move and dance.



Speaker Motion Sensor Microphone

After 2 minutes of inactivity PlantPetz™ will enter energy saving **Sleep Mode**. The next time the **Motion Sensor** is activated PlantPetz™ will wake up.

Record a Message

1. Press and hold the Record Button **(REC)**.
2. When you hear a beep start recording a message, speaking closely into the microphone. Continue to hold the **(REC)** button for the duration of your message.
3. Press and release the **(REC)** button to play back your message. Repeat steps 1 and 2 to re-record.
4. Turn PlantPetz™ off. Turn the power back on and your message will play when the Proximity Sensor is activated. Touch your plant's leaves or stem and the message will play back once more.

At any time press and release the **(REC)** button to play back your message.

To erase the message press and release the **(REC)** button quickly two times within one second.

Maximum message length is 30 seconds, indicated with a long beep.

Pair to a smartphone with Bluetooth

1. Press and hold the Bluetooth Button (BT) for more than 3 seconds until you hear “Ready to pair” and the blue light is on continuously.
2. Open Bluetooth on your phone, click on “PLANTPETZ™ 4” or “PLANTPETZ™ 6” to pair.

Now your PlantPetz is a Bluetooth speaker. Play music or any audio and your plant will move and dance to the music.

Troubleshooting Bluetooth

If a problem pairing check that the blue light is illuminated. If not repeat steps 1 and 2. If it still will not pair, delete any previous “PLANTPETZ™” pairings on your phone.

Volume Control

Short press then release (less than 1 second) the Bluetooth button (BT) to change the volume level, indicated with a beep. Each consecutive short press and release will adjust the volume level progressively one increment higher or lower.

Troubleshooting

If your plant is not responding to sound:

1. Move closer (within 8") to the microphone and speak more loudly.
2. If playing music increase the volume, and if playing from your phone move it closer to the microphone.

If your plant is not responding to touch:

1. Add a little water and try again.
2. Try stroking gently with both hands.

If PlantPetz™ stops responding to both sound and touch:

1. Try switching the Power Button off and back on again.
2. If switching off and on does not work you may need to replace the batteries.
3. If PlantPetz™ is still not responding check that the batteries are fresh and inserted with the correct +/- polarity.

A 'beeping' sound every 30 seconds alerts you that the batteries need replacing.

Caring for PlantPetz™

1. Remove the Inner Pot and check that the drain hole through the PlantPetz™ base is not obstructed.
2. Check the underside of the Inner Pot and remove any potting soil trapped in the magnetic coupling.
3. Do not immerse the PlantPetz pot in water.

Thank you for purchasing PlantPetz™

Studies have shown that plants may benefit from interaction with humans.

PlantPetz™ is designed to tap into the plant's root system and respond to your sound, touch and motion. An actuator and speaker in the pot will help the plant respond to you in real time.

Warning: Although plants may benefit from your interaction, it is important to be gentle, do not clasp, pull, or pinch any part of the plant.

IMPORTANT: BATTERY INFORMATION

Retain this information for future reference. Batteries should be replaced by an adult.

CAUTION: TO AVOID BATTERY LEAKAGE

Always follow the instructions carefully. Use only batteries specified and

1. be sure to insert them correctly by matching the + and - polarity markings.
2. Do not mix old and new batteries.
3. Do not mix alkaline, standard(carbon zinc), or rechargeable batteries.
4. Remove exhausted or dead batteries from the product.
5. Remove batteries if product is not to be played with for a long time.
6. Do not short circuit the supply terminals.

Should this product cause, or be affected by, local electrical interference, move it away from other electrical equipment. Reset (switching off and back on again or removing and re-inserting batteries) if necessary.

Warning: Changes or modifications to this unit not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate the equipment.

Warning: Do not dispose of batteries in fire, as batteries may explode or leak.

NOTE: *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:

- 1. Reorient or relocate the receiving antenna.*
- 2. Increase the separation between the equipment and receiver.*
- 3. Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected.*
- 4. Consult the dealer or an experienced radio/TV technician for help.*

PlantPetz™ Notes

Use this space to note date of plants purchased and any suggested care instructions that may have been included with your plants.

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