

## **Quick Start Guide**

#### What's in the box

Please make sure you have everything included in the package.







Li-lon Rechargeable Battery



Micro USB cable

#### **⚠** Note

Product operation guide and download info, please find the Download Index file stored in the system memory of BL-818GT or scan below QR code, and you can read or install accordingly under internet connection.



## 12 Installing the Battery

- ①Remove the back cover by pushing the battery cover release tab with your thumbnail.
- ②Insert the battery, and align the battery contacts with the terminals in the battery compartment.
- ③Place the back cover over the battery compartment, and press it downward until it clicks into place.



#### 03 Charging the BL-818GT

Please FULLY charge the BL-818GT for the first time use by connecting the supplied Micro USB cable through computer or car's cigarette adaptor.



**⚠** Note

■ Green LED On: On Charging□ Green LED Off: Fully Charged

Risk of explosion if Battery is replaced by an incorrect type. Dispose of used batteries according to the instructions.

#### **04** BL-818GT Function buttons



- ① Power button: Power button: Press and hold to power on/off. Press to show battery status. (Top to down each LED indicates 20%)
- ② G-Sensor button: Press & hold 1 second to calibrate G-sensor.
- 3 Micro USB Jack: Device Charging and Updating firmware.
- 4 Reset Button: Shut down the device. (Inside the rubber cover)

#### 05 LED Indicators

LED symbol	LED Color	Status	Description
	Orange	Flashing	Low Power
Power	Green	On	Recharging
	Off	N/A	Fully charged. Device power off
Memory	Off	N/A	Device power off
GPS	Green	On	GPS position is fixed
	Off	N/A	Searching for GPS satellite signal Device power off
Bluetooth	Blue	Flash	Searching for device
*	Blue	On	Bluetooth connected
Alarm	Orange	On	GPS is not connected with satellite
$\triangle$	Off	N/A	GPS position is fixed Device power off

# 06 Beep Code

Status	Beep code	Description
Power On	1 Short beep	1 short beep when device switch On.
Power Off	1 long and short beep	1 long and short beep when device switch Off.
GPS fixed	2 short beep	2 short beep when GPS location is fixed.
G-Sensor Calibration	2 long beep	2 long beep when G-Sensor button being pressed.

#### **07** Acquiring Satellite Signal

- Hold on Power button to power on BL-818GT.
- Place the device outside under clear view of sky to acquire GPS signals.
- Acquiring GPS signals may take few minutes. The GPS LED is turning to solid green when it has connected with GPS satellites.

#### A Note

Before exporting the data to computer please turn off the power.

#### 08 Update firmware

- ① Download and extract the firmware from Qstarz web site http://racing.qstarz.com/Products/BL-818GT-FirmwareUpdate.html. If you need to update the Bootloader, please also download the latest Bootloader file.
- 2 Power off BL-818GT and connect with computer via Micro USB cable.
- ③ Copy the firmware file "FW.qst" and Boodloader file "BL.qst" to the root directory of BL-818GT system memory.
- 4 After copying, please select Safely Remove Hardware and Eject Media (QSTARZ BL-818GT) in Windows operating system.
- © Unplug the Micro USB cable, and firmware update will begin automatically. LEDs will flash in sequence during the update process.
- ⑥ Once firmware update is completed, the device will turn off automatically. Do not shut down or power off during the update process.

#### **⚠** Note

The failure of the firmware update will cause the device irreparable damage. Before update the latest firmware, please make sure that the battery capacity is over 50% and the back cover is installed.

# **Product Compatibility**

- BL-818GT is compatible with most iOS and Android devices via the Qstarz BLE GPS View App. Expect for no brand and newest devices.
- Due to hardware and manufacturer variability, we have not verified compatibility with every Android device.

\*Download the Qstarz BLE GPS View APP on App Store or Google Play Store.

#### QRacing APP (iOS version / Android version)



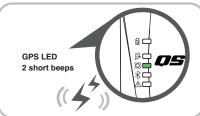




**QRacing** 

Please download QRacing APP on App Store or Google Play. QRacing APP is a racing data analysis APP combining GPS data with video overlay support.

#### 2 Confirm GPS position is fixed



- 3 Turn on your mobile device's Bluetooth feature -iPhone Setting > General > Bluetooth > On -Android phone Settings > Wireless & Networks > Bluetooth:
- 4 Start QRacing APP on your mobile phone
- 5 Register a new account. Login and click "Connect" symbol on QRacing APP to add your BL-818GT new device.





# **Product Care**

operation (typical use)

-20~60°C

Bluetooth 4.0 enabled device

(updating every 0.1 second)

• 5 LED indications to view device status

Case: Rugged, without water-resistant

**QRacing APP** 

 Please take out the battery and store it in dry/cool places when not use for a long period.

**Product Specifications** 

A 10Hz BLE GPS Receiver and provide real time lap timing via

Adopt high sensitivity GNSS chip and 3-axis accelerometer

G-Sensor button design to calibrate G-sensor immediately

• Power Supply: Rechargeable Lithium-Ion battery, 20 hours

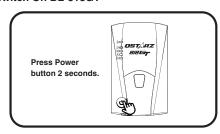
Temperature: Operating -10~60°C/ Charging 0~45°C/ Storage

Update rate up to 10Hz excellent for High speed racing

- If the device isn't used in temperature between -10°C~ 60°C. its battery charging capability will decrease.
- Leave the device far from heat or high temperature environment. And also, do not expose your device in temperature higher than 145°F/60°C to prevent the inside battery from overheating, exploding or burning itself. The Lithium battery inside the device should be recycled.
- Do not attempt to dismantle the device by yourself. Unauthorized hacking may damage the unit, and void your warranty.

## **Start Racing**

- \* The mobile phone photo is illustrated by iPhone. The support OS and versions for QRacing APP, please refer to the description on Ostarz website.
- 1 Switch On BL-818GT



6 Start to Race in real time. (This device is GPS receiver not stand-alone. Connect with QRacing App to do lap timing.)



 View Analysis Data on your **QRacing APP** 

Picture Screen might be slightly varied according to different APP version.

# **Declaration of Conformity**



Ostarz International Co., Ltd. address at 6F-2, No. 160, Sec. 6, Ming Chuan E. Rd, Taipei, Taiwan, hereby declares that the radio equipment model BL-818GT GPS Racing Receiver is in compliance with Directive 2014/53/EU.

The full text of the EU declaration of conformity can be found at the following web page:

http://racing.gstarz.com/Download.html#doc

