



SPB Time 3.0

User Manual



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Overview

SPB Time 3.0 is a finger-friendly advanced, skinnable time toolbox for your Smartphone. Analog and digital clock modes, World clock, timers, and stopwatches are combined in one. A lot of time-related functions in this world's bestselling application!

Software Features

Bio Alarm

If you want a gentle way to wake you up, the Bio alarming mode is for you. In this mode you will get a friendly alarm, lights, and ticks before the actual alarm time to get you in the mood of getting up. Waking up to gentle sound of birds or water may just make you want to go right.

Paranoid Alarm

If you are the kind of person who can't get up to a regular alarm when the alarm first goes off, then you can use the Paranoid alarming option. In the Paranoid alarming mode the alarm won't stop until you solve the puzzle correctly or smash your phone.

Analogue and Digital Clocks

You can choose the preferred clock view (analogue or digital). The digital clock includes a calendar.

World Clock

This feature is very useful for world travelers. You can constantly monitor the time in four different locations on one page.

Skins

SPB Time has a verity of skins that you can apply to the program. You can download and install more skins from SPB Time skins gallery at no cost. The skins configure your analog and digital clock faces, hands, digits, and background. An Internet connection is required.

Stopwatch

The Stopwatch screen allows you to run the stopwatch with multiple lap time support. Once you have used the stopwatch and recorded laps then you can save your lap records to external files.

Snooze Button

Snooze button automatically resets your alarm to a specified amount of time when the snooze button is tapped.

Multiple Times Counter

Multiple times counter. Count down from a specified amount of time by using five different timers. These timers can be run at the same time.

Widgets

If you have SPB Mobile Shell 3.5.1 or above installed on your phone, then you can add SPB Time as a widget on the Home professional or life style layouts from the Add Widget dialog. SPB Time will extend Mobile Shell with new types of widgets including: Moon Phase, City Time, Next alarm, and Stop Watch.





Installation

Installation of SPB Time is a very simple process and takes less than five minutes to complete. The following installation guide will help you.

System Requirements

SPB Time supports the following operating systems:

- Windows Mobile 5 Phone Edition
- Windows Mobile 5 Pocket PC
- Windows Mobile 6 Classic
- Windows Mobile 6 Professional
- Windows Mobile 6.1 Classic
- Windows Mobile 6.1 Professional
- Windows Mobile 6.5 Classic
- Windows Mobile 6.5 Professional



Installing SPB Time

After you have [downloaded](#) the SPB Time distribution setup file (.EXE) you should install it to your Windows phone. For a successful installation you will need a Windows phone attached to your Windows desktop PC. You will also need [Microsoft ActiveSync](#) software in order to install SPB Time to your device.

When you run the software installer on your desktop PC it will ask you to accept the license agreement and will start the installation program. You will be prompted for the location where you want the software to be installed.

Another way is to download the SPB Time (.CAB) distribution file on your desktop PC then move the .CAB file to your Windows phone. You can also download it directly using your phone Internet browser. After you have downloaded and transferred the .CAB file to your phone storage card, run the file to begin the installation process and follow the on-screen instructions.

Note: Microsoft ActiveSync works only with Windows XP SP2 or earlier. If you have Windows Vista, your synchronization settings will be managed through the Windows Mobile Device Center. Windows Mobile Device Center is available through the [Windows Mobile Device Center page](#).

Registration

You will be able to use SPB Time until the end of the trial version period of 15 days. If you have not registered SPB Time within this timeframe, you will need to do so to continue using it.

To obtain the serial number you need to [purchase](#) a SPB Time software license. You will receive your serial number by e-mail.

Uninstalling

To remove the product from your phone:

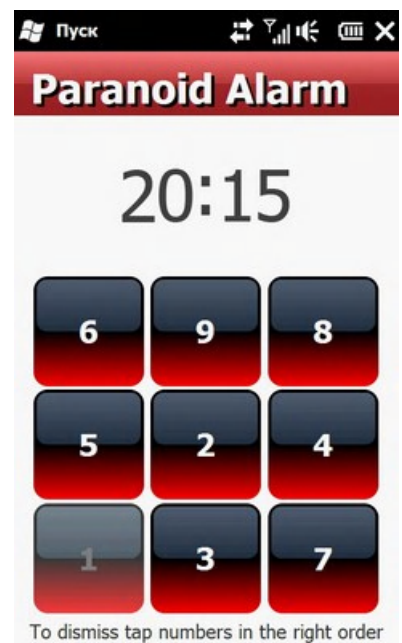
1. Go to **Start menu > Settings**
2. Open **System** and tap on **Remove Programs**
3. Select **SPB Time** from the list and tap on the **Remove** button
4. Choose **Yes** to confirm removing



Getting Started

After SPB Time is installed on your phone it is ready to use. You may customize some settings and behavior(s).

- When you first run SPB Time you will see a full screen analog clock that can be switched to digital clock or any installed skin using left\right gestures.
- As a start, you may change the interface language. By default SPB Time uses your phone local language. To change the language, go to **Options > Language**.
- Tap-and-hold or tap an item in any of SPB Time screens to view the available options. The use of gestures and kinetic scrolling is supported.
- Tap the alarm bar at the top of the main screen to access the Alarm List where you can edit, remove, or set alarms. The Alarms List can be also accessed from the **MENU > Alarms**.
- Tap-and-hold anywhere in the analog clock to get the context menu where you can create a new alarm or a new one time alarm. There is three types of alarms to choose from:
 - **Paranoid:** If you are the kind of person who can't get up to a regular alarm when the alarm first goes off, then you can use the Paranoid alarming option. In the Paranoid alarming mode the alarm won't stop until you solve the puzzle correctly or smash your phone.
 - **Classic:** As in a regular alarm clock.
 - **Bio:** If you want a gentle way to wake you up, the Bio alarming mode is for you. In this mode you will get a friendly alarm, lights, and ticks before the actual alarm time to get you in the mood of getting up. Waking up to gentle sound of birds or water may just make you want to go right.
- Tap-and-hold on a preexisted alarm icon then moves it to the preferred time on the analog clock to quickly set an alarm with the same predefined settings.



Important Notice

Do not attempt to acknowledge alarms while driving to keep your attention on the road. It is your responsibility to ensure whether using phone while driving is legal in the country where you intend to use it.



Tips

- ✓ Tap-and-hold on a preexisted alarm then move it to the preferred time on the analog clock to quickly set a new time alarm with the same predefined settings.
- ✓ If you have SPB Mobile Shell 3.5.1 or above installed on your phone, then you can add SPB Time as a widget on the Home professional or life style layouts from the Add Widget dialog. SPB Time will extend Mobile Shell with new types of widgets including: Moon Phase, City Time, Next alarm, and Stop Watch. See below screenshots.





SPB Time Components

SPB Time has easy to use functions and tools that can be accessed from the **MENU** in SPB Time main screen.

World Time

The world time component allows you to select many cities around the world to simultaneously monitor them.

- You can open the 3D globe in full screen mode to surf around and find the city that you are interested in.
- To move the globe, tap-and-drag it. You can also zoom in or out using the slid up or down bar on the right side of globe screen.

Stopwatch

The stopwatch component is a simple stopwatch with start, stop, pause, clear, and save functionality. You can have unlimited number of lap times. Once you have finished, you can save your lap times to a text file or clear them for the next run.

Note

SPB Time uses the phone built-in time reading algorithm. It allows you to measure time intervals up to 0.001 sec.

Countdown

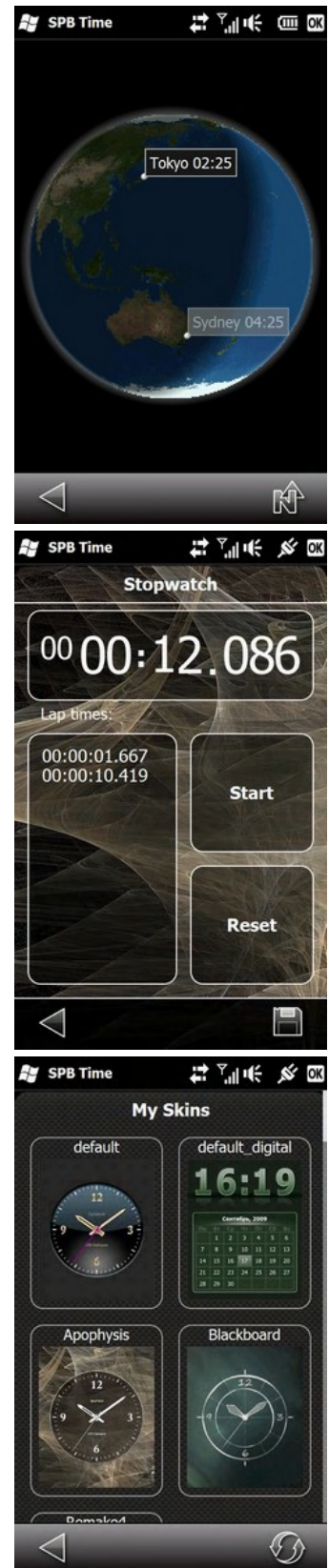
The countdown timer component gives you five preset timers to 30 sec, 1 min, 5 min, 10 min, and 30 min each. You can also add custom timer interval using **Custom** menu item. When the timer finishes, the timer alarm screen will appear and waits for you to dismiss the alarm.

Alarms

Here you can see the list of all alarms and open them for editing. By tapping on an alarm, the alarm settings dialog will be opened for editing. Tap-and-hold an alarm in the list to view the available options.

Skins

Here you can change the skin of the clock views. SPB Time comes with default skins. The default skin is installed and uninstalled as a part of the SPB Time package. You can download additional skins at no cost by choosing them to install. Tap the refresh button to make sure that you have the latest skin list. An Internet connection is required to download new skins.



Moon Calendar

This moon phase's calendar component is an easy way to find out the lunar phase of the current month. The internal phase calculator is very accurate, but the images are approximations. Moon calculations are based on your time zone as specified by your phone.

SPB Time Options

You may customize SPB Time to fit your needs. To begin, go to **MENU > Options**.

- **Language:** Choose your SPB Time localization from the available languages.
- **Force Feedback (Vibration):** Enable, if you would like to receive vibration feedback on tap and hold.
- **Globe Animation:** Enable or disable the animation of 3D globe.
- **Timers Interface:** Choose between single and multiple timer interfaces.





Technical Support

This chapter contains technical support information. It includes all the information to find the answers you will need to assist you.

About The Trial Version

The trial version of SPB Time includes all of the features available in the registered version. The trial version expires within 15 days after installation. You can use the trial version only to check how SPB Time works. In order to keep using the software you need to purchase the license. There is no need to re-install the SPB Time in order to use the full version.

To obtain the serial number you need to purchase a SPB Time software license. You will receive your serial number by email. For more information please visit our website at: <http://www.spbsoftware.com/support/general.html>

Contacting Technical Support

Please take advantage of one of the SPB Software free technical support options:

- Consult the help installed with your program. From any of SPB Time screens select **Help** menu item from the **Start** menu.
- Refer to the Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) in the Support section of the SPB Software Website. The FAQs may have information and helpful hints that are more current than the User Manual: <http://www.spbsoftware.com/products/time/faq.html>
- Ask your technical question or post feature request to forum to get quicker reply directly from the developer's team. Solutions to your problems are available 24 hours a day at no cost on the SPB Club web site. You must first register as a member before using [SPB Club web support](#). Please include the following information to help us isolate the problem:
 1. The type of the device that you are using.
 2. The software name, version, and build number (example: SPB Time, version 3.0, Build 1214).
 3. Any error messages that accompany the problem.
 4. A brief description of how we can recreate the issue.