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0.Revision History

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1.Introduction

T356 is a WIFI, 0 use-cost OBD II GPS tracking device. It's the built-in high capacity flash for two weeks data storage. The built-in WIFI functionality supports the device to synchronized the all full storage data to the server within quite a short time. T356 can be preset more than 1600 WIFI AP information to support the device sending the data to the server more easy and quickly. Just like during the vehicle refueling, the device could be upload the data to the server via the preset AP. The internal GPS and OBD functions support to real-time recording and analyzing GPS and OBD data, including mileage and fuel consumption data statistics. It's integrated the 3-axis accelerometer can be real-time monitored 8 kinds of bad driving behavior. It's built a power-cut output and a configurable input circuit to facilitate the device's extension functionality.

1.1 Reference document

Index	Document Name
1	Ulbotech Tracking Device Communication Protocol
2	Tracking Device VCP driver installation user manual
3	Tracking Device Configuration Software manual
4	OBD tracking device immobilizer installation user guide
5	Tracking Device File Import & Export Software manual

2.Product Overview

2.1 Description

T356 is based on the OBD II interface GPS vehicle tracking device, compact design and easy to install. T356 contains an OBD II connector which complies with J1962 standard. It comprises a micro USB connector, a built-in WIFI antenna, an internal Bluetooth low energy antenna, an internal GPS antenna, an immobilizer output, a multi-functions input and 4pcs LEDs.



2.2 Features

- ♦ OBD connectivity, simple to install, easy to use.
- ♦ Supports all OBD11 protocols and SAE J1939(250/500kbaud).
- ♦ Build in WIFI support 802.11 b/g/n.
- \diamond U-blox 6M GPS module with A-GPS.
- ♦ Internal WIFI/GPS/BLE antenna.
- ♦ Internal Immobilizer for anti-theft.
- ♦ Internal multi-functions input.
- ♦ Optional micro-SD holder, Supports up to 4G memory card.
- ♦ Optional Bluetooth low energy(BLE) functions.
- ♦ Internal 3-axis accelerometer.
- ♦ 8 types driver behavior detect.
- ♦ Build in buzzer for alert.
- ♦ Tracking by time, distance, course and status.
- ♦ Geo-fence(Circle, Rectangular and Polygon).
- ♦ FOTA(Firmware updating via WIFI).
- ♦ Supports WIFI SSID list file.

2.3 Parts list

Name	Picture
T356	8
Micro USB Cable	
OBDII Extended Cable(Optional)	
Engine Cut Relay(Optional)	
Engine Cut and input Pin wire (Optional)	

2.4 Interface Definition

The T356 has an OBD II connector. It contains power supply and interfaces of CAN bus, K-line, L-line, J1850 bus, multi-function input and immobilizer. The sequence and definition of the OBD II connector are shown in following figure:



Description of OBD II Connections:

PIN	Description	PIN	Description
1	Not connect	9	Not connect
2	Bus positive line of SAE J1850	10	Bus negative line of SAE J1850
3	Not connect	11	Not connect
4	Ground	12	Engine cut line(Optional)
5	Ground	13	Multi-functions input line(Optional)
6	CAN_H line of ISO 15765-4	14	CAN_L line of ISO 15765-4
7	K line of ISO 9141-2 and ISO	15	L line of ISO 9141-2 and ISO
/	14230-4	10	14230-4
8	Not connect	16	External DC power input, 8-32V

2.5 Function Interface Definition



Description of function:

Index	Description
1	Micro SD card holder
2	OBD status indicator LED(Orange)
3	GPS status indicator LED(Green)
4	WIFI status indicator LED(Red)
5	Bluetooth status indicator LED(Blue or White)
6	GPS antenna(25mm*25mm)
7	Buzzer
8	Micro USB port

Definition of Device status LED:

LED	Device Status	LED Display	
	Module power off	100ms ON, 6s OFF	
	Searching WIFI AP	1s ON, 1s OFF	
(Red)	Connected WIFI AP	500ms ON, 500ms OFF	
	Connected to server	100ms ON, 100ms OFF	
	Sending data	Always ON	
	Module power off	100ms ON, 6s OFF	
GPS	Searching GPS info	1s ON, 1s OFF	
(Green)	2D fixed	500ms ON, 500ms OFF	
	3D fixed	100ms ON, 100ms OFF	
OBD	OBD unconnected	OFF	
(Orange)	OBD connected	Flashing	
Bluetooth	OFF	Power off	
(White)	Always ON	Connected	

3.Getting Started

3.1 Preparation

The device with the default built-in 16Mb Flash to store the data, user also can use Micro-SD card to expand the storage space of the device. If user does not need the expanded Micro-SD card, please refer to 3.5 section.

For Micro-SD card installation (Please choose this function firstly) The Micro-SD card should be not more than 4G, and ensure the data of this card have been copied. Because the original data of the card will be covered and cannot be recovered when the device is working.

3.2 Opening the Case

First loosen these two nuts on the cover by cross screwdriver as below picture showed:



Lift the upper cover near the end of the OBDII interface, from the fixed slot:



Slide out the upper cover and removed it:



3.3 Insert Micro SD card

Insert the Micro SD card as below picture showed:



3.4 Closing the Case

According to the inverse order of the opening cover to close the upper cover, after fix the case by nuts.

4.Installation USB Driver

Details refer to document of "Tracking Device VCP driver installation user manual".

5.Initiation Device

Initialization device can be set with matching configuration software. Please refer to the document "Tracking Device Configuration Software manual" to login device by configuration software mode; refer to the document "Ulbotech Tracking Device Communication Protocol" to login device via text messages mode.

5.1 Web Server Setting

5.1.1 Web server address, port and protocol setting

Login device via configuration software, select "Service" option as below showed:

Service Function Authority Geo-Fence OBDII WIFI Phone Command Misc

Entry server address or IP, Port, using TCP/UDP protocol and acknowledgement in "GPRS Server Host":

GPRS server							
Host	www.obdtracking.net						
	Port	38096	-	TCP	O UDP	ACK	

Click "Write" button.

5.1.2 Web server upload cycle and format setting

Login device via configuration software, select "Service" option as below showed:

Service Function Authority Geo-Fence OBDII WIFI Phone Command Misc

Edit setting GPRS server upload mode as below showed:

Host	Addr.	www	obdtra	ackin	g.net					•
	Port	3809	96	•	•	© T(CP	UDP		ACK
Upload mode	Short Int	erval	5	•	Sec	-	۲	GPS data	0) Bin format
	Long Inte	erval	1	-	Hour	-	\bigcirc	LBS data		Text Format

Click "Write" button.

5.2 WIFI Setting

5.2.1 WIFI module enable setting

Login device via configuration software, select "WIFI" option as below showed:

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Select WIFI module working mode:

WIFI Setting			
WIFI Disable	WIFI STA	WIFI STA+AP	

WIFI disable: WIFI module will be off status.

WIFI STA: Opened "WIFI station" function, now module is seeking WIFI AP automatically and connect to configured WIFI to upload device data.

WIFI STA+AP: dose Opened "WIFI station" and "soft-AP" function, station function will searching WIFI AP automatically and connect to configured WIFI to upload device data. And "soft-AP" function will provide an AP to the mobile equipments and the device to build connection and communication.

Click "Write" button.

5.2.2 WIFI AP SSID and password setting

Set soft-AP function's SSID and password

Login device via configuration software, select "WIFI" option as below showed:

Service Function Authority Geo-Fence OBDII WIFI Phone Command Misc

Input SSID and password

WIFLAP	Setting				
SSID	T356-123456	-	Pwd	123456	Ŧ

Click "Write" button.

5.2.3 WIFI access point(AP) list setting

The device supports 16 separate AP setting, also supports to configure more AP through the imported AP file ,the AP file supports max 32K bytes, both can work simultaneously or independently.

Setting 16 independent AP:

Login device via configuration software, select "WIFI" option as below showed:

Service Function Authority Geo-Fence OBDII WIFI Phone Command Misc

Edit AP "SSID" and "password":

WIFI STA	AP List Setting	
SSID1		Pwd1 👻
SSID2		Pwd2 🗸
SSID3		Pwd3 🗸
SSID4	▼	Pwd4 🗸
SSID5		Pwd5 🗸
SSID6		Pwd6 🗸
SSID7	•	Pwd7 🗸
SSID8	•	Pwd8 🗸
SSID9		Pwd9 🗸
SSID10		Pwd10 🗸
SSID11		Pwd11 🔹
SSID12		Pwd12 🗸
SSID13	▼	Pwd13 🔹
SSID14		Pwd14 🔹
SSID15	•	Pwd15
SSID16	-	Pwd16 🗸

Click "Write" button to finish setting.

Import AP file:

By using File Import & Export software to connect and login the device:

X File Import & Export V1.003	10.00	
Ports COM15 VJsb Baud 115200 Vsb Admin Pwd Open Close Import Export APN list Export default para Export offline data Create default para Export WIFI SSID list	Please input password! ********* Cable port in file mode! Press "1" to import file Press "2" to create default file Press "4" to export default file Press "5" to export offline data Press "6" to export WIFI SSID file	

Click "Import" button, select the AP file for configuration:



Click "Open" to import file, file send finished:

X File Import & Export V1.003	
Ports COM15 Vsb Baud 115200 Auto Admin Pwd Auto Open Close Import Export APN list Export offline data Create default para Export WIFI SSID list	e

Click "OK" and close the software.

5.3 OBD setting

5.3.1 Select OBD protocol

The device factory default settings is automatic recognition of all OBDII standard protocol. If user don't know the protocol of the car, user can select "automatic", device will identify OBDII protocol from 1 to 9 automatically. When using the J1939 protocol to connect to the truck, the protocol must be set as the J1939 protocol. The J1939 protocol for most of trucks is 250kbaud, in case cannot connect with 250kbaud, user may try to set as 500kbaud setting:

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Login device via configuration software, select "OBDII" option as below showed:

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Setting automatic recognition :

Set OBDII Protocol 0 - Automatic

Setting J1939 29bit, ID 250kbaud :

Set OBDII Protocol A - SAE J1939 CAN (29 bit ID, 250 kbaud)

Setting J1939 29bit ID, 500kbaud

Set OBDII Protocol B - SAE J1939 CAN (29 bit ID, 500 kbaud)

Click "Write" button to finish setting.

5.3.2 Reading OBD parameters setting

Device at most can real-time reading 16 OBDII parameters or J1939 parameters. The default settings of the device is automatic recognition protocol. Reading "Engine Coolant Temperature" (0105), "Engine RPM" (010C), "Vehicle Speed" (010D), "Fuel Level" (012F) and "Distance since diagnostic trouble codes cleared" (0131)" of 5 parameters, can modify or increase the parameters through the "OBP" command.

Login device via configuration software, select "OBDII" option as below showed:

Service Function Authority Geo-Fence OBDII WIFI Phone Command Misc

Edit "Read OBDII/J1939 parameters" setting:

Read OBDII/J	1939 parameters		
Para01	0105	Para09	Disable 👻
Para02	010C	Para10	Disable 🗸
Para03	010D •	Para11	Disable 👻
Para04	Disable	Para12	Disable 👻
Para05	Disable	Para13	Disable 🗸
Para06	Disable	Para14	Disable 🗸
Para07	Disable	Para15	Disable 👻
Para08	Disable	Para16	Disable 🗸

The configuration parameters is 16 hexadecimal format, consisting of 2 bit OBDII server code and the following PID.

Example: 0105 said that reading 01 serviced the 05 parameter, meaning read Engine Coolant Temperature.

Click "Write" button to finish setting.

When choosing the J1939 protocol, the parameter are represented in fixed 6 bytes hexadecimal format to corresponding need to read the Parameter Group Number(PGN). If the length is less than 6 bytes, need to insert "0" on the front.

Edit "Read OBDII/J1939 parameters" setting:

Read OBDII/J	1939 parameters			
Para01	00FEF1	•	Para09	Disable 🔻
Para02	00FEE0	•	Para10	Disable 🔻
Para03	00FEFC	•	Para11	Disable 👻
Para04	Disable	•	Para12	Disable 👻
Para05	Disable	•	Para13	Disable 👻
Para06	Disable	•	Para14	Disable 👻
Para07	Disable	•	Para15	Disable 👻
Para08	Disable	-	Para16	Disable 👻

Example: 00FEF1 said that reading PGN 65265 "Cruise Control/Vehicle Speed" parameter.

Click "Write" button to finish setting.

5.3.3 OBD parameters alarm setting

When OBD II protocol setting as J1939, device disable this function.

The device supports "Diagnostic Trouble Code (DTC) "alarm and 4 sorts of userdefined alarm parameter setting. Configuration parameters included the reading OBDII parameter, the judgment condition, monitoring value and duration of four parameters.

If the temperature of configuration of "Engine Coolant Temperature" exceeded 105 degrees Celsius for 60 seconds, or configure "Fuel Level" less than 10% lasted for more than 30 minutes, the device will alarm:

Login device via configuration software, select "OBDII" option as below showed:

Service	Function Autho	ity Geo-Fence	OBDII	WIFI	Phone	Command	Misc	
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Setting "OBDII Alarm" parameters:

OBDII Alarm					
Alarm1	05	▼ > 65		60 👻	Sec
Alarm2	2F	▼ < 25		1800 🔻	Sec
Alarm3	Disable	▼ >	👻 Until	-	Sec
Alarm4	Disable	▼ >	👻 Until		Sec

Click "Write" button to finish setting.

5.4 Power Save Setting

5.4.1 Power Save Setting

User, SMS server and Web server upload cycle just will upload data and message via setting parameters of "short interval" under the normal working mode of the device. When the device under power save mode, the device will

use the configuration parameter of "Long interval "cycle upload message and data. Therefore, the device will be in off status when it does not need to upload data for a long time and it'll achieve power saving function. The device will be automatic wake-up to upload data if it's needed. The device will be in the power-saving status according to the configured condition of power save status.

Login device via configuration software, select "Service" option as below showed:

Service Function Authority Geo-Fence OBDII WIFI Phone Command Misc

Selected "device upload cycle" switch to "long interval" status.

time interval shift	Stop	🔲 Inter Roaming 📃 Internal battery 📃 ACC off
All	Engine off	Immobilizer ON

Click "Write" button to finish setting.

5.4.2 Power Down Setting

To further economize power and protect the car battery, can set device to be in off status when achieve the condition of the configuration. When the condition of the shutdown is removed, device will automatically exit the off status.

Login device via configuration software, select "Function" option as below showed:

Service Function Authority Geo-Fence OBDII WIFI Phone Command Misc

Setting the battery low voltage threshold value of vehicle detection:

Bat threshold 110 - *0.1V

Click "Write" button, Select "Service" option as below showed:

Service Function Authority Geo-Fence OBDII WIFI Phone Command Misc

Selected the condition of device in off status and delay time:

Power down	🔲 Internal battery 🔲 Stop	ACC off	🔲 Engine off	
III AII	Bat voltage low	Delay seconds	60	•

Click "Write" button to finish setting.

6.Connect with Immobilizer

Details refer to document of "OBD tracking device immobilizer installation user guide"

7.Installation Device

To find the OBD port on the car to insert the device.



Most of the OBD port located in the driver side and under of the dashboard or near the walking box as above picture showed.



8.Common Problems

8.1 Device connected with car but no working.

- ♦ Check the OBDII interface of car if has power output and with sufficient voltage.
- ♦ Check if device connected with Car OBD II port stability.
- ♦ Check if the device in "Power down" status caused by "Power down" parameter of the device set error.

8.2 GPS cannot positioning

- \diamond Check if the device at a good GPS signal area.
- ♦ Check opened AGPS function and GPSR or WIFI enable to connect with Internet.
- ♦ Check GPS module is in power save status.
- ♦ Using OBDIT extended cable to move device to a good GPS signal area and keep the GPS antenna upward.

8.3 OBD cannot connect

- ♦ Check if car support OBDII standard .
- \diamond Check if OBD function closed.
- ♦ Check if car engine is working, if it's not, it'll no OBD signal.

8.4 WIFI cannot connect

- ♦ Check if WIFI function closed.
- ♦ Check if configured WIFI AP list and the device is in one or more signal coverage in the AP list, and the password correct.
- ♦ Check if device is in "Power down" status.