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SILENT SOUND

User Manual

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What is SILENT SOUND?

SILENT SOUND is a user-friendly desktop application that automatically transcribes audio and video files to text using advanced artificial intelligence. It features an attractive graphical interface with drag-and-drop support, real-time progress bar, and live console logs — no command line or technical knowledge

required.

Ideal for journalists, students, professionals, and anyone who needs fast, accurate transcription of interviews, meetings, podcasts, lectures, or multimedia content.

Key Features

- **Drag-and-drop interface**: Easily upload your files.
- Supports most audio and video formats (MP3, WAV, M4A, MP4, AVI, etc).
- Automatic transcription with timestamps.
- Export to DOCX (Word) with reference to the original file.
- Real-time progress bar and log console.
- No ads, no spyware, no data collection.

System Requirements

- Operating System: Windows 10 or newer
- No external installation required
- Audio/Video Files: Most standard formats supported

Quick Start Guide

1. Preparation

- (Optional) Prepare your files
 - o Place your audio or video files in any convenient folder.
 - o SILENT SOUND does **not** move or modify your originals.

2. Launch SILENT SOUND

- Double-click SILENT_SOUND.exe (or SILENT_SOUND.pyw) to open the main window.
- The interface will show:
 - o Title and Logo (top)
 - o Button to select/upload your audio/video file
 - o Progress bar
 - o Live console log window (displays transcription activity and any errors)
 - o Footer with credits

3. Transcribing

- Upload your file
 - o Click the button or drag your file into the window.
 - o The file is automatically copied to the working directory for processing.
- Start transcription

- o Click the "Transcribe" button.
- o The progress bar will animate; console shows detailed logs in real time.

• When finished:

- o The transcript (with timestamps and filename) is saved automatically as a .docx file in the /text folder on your Desktop.
- o You will see a completion message or error if something goes wrong.

Output

- The result is a DOCX file named after your audio/video, with:
 - o Accurate text transcription.
 - o Timestamps.
 - o Reference to the original file for traceability.

Security & Privacy

- No data leaves your PC
- No advertising, no hidden processes, no telemetry.
- Your files remain private and secure at all times.

Troubleshooting

- "Error loading file"
 - o Ensure your audio/video file is not corrupted and is a supported format.
- "Transcription incomplete or missing"
 - Check the live console for errors; try again with a different file or shorter clip.
- App crashes or freezes
 - o Ensure you have enough free RAM and disk space.
 - o Try restarting your computer.

Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ)

Does SILENT SOUND need an internet connection?

No — it is 100% offline.

Is there any cost?

No — SILENT SOUND is completely free, with no hidden charges, ads, or data collection.

Is my data private?

Absolutely. Everything happens on your PC. No data leaves your computer.

What formats are supported?

Most standard audio and video formats: MP3, WAV, M4A, MP4, AVI, and more.

Can I use this on Mac or Linux?

Currently, only Windows is supported.

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