

**NEW USB TRAVELMIKE® “CHAMELEON”: 2ND GEN. OF THE WORLD’S SMALLEST  
MINI DESKTOP, NOTEBOOK LID & HAND-HELD PORTABLE MICROPHONE**



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SpeechWare of Brussels, designers and makers of the award-winning TableMike® family of Desktop microphones – [www.tablemike.com](http://www.tablemike.com), is proud to announce the launching of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Gen. of the world’s smallest Mini Desktop, Notebook Lid and Hand-held Portable microphone for desktops, laptops, tablets and mobile users –hence the name “TravelMike®”!



Next to the successful *Standard USB TravelMike® (UTM)*, the new *SpeechWare USB TravelMike® & Base (UTM + B)* priced at USD 299 includes:

- a. The well-known USB MultiAdapter®, the only USB Audio adapter in the market featuring both normal (for headsets) and long-range (for the TravelMike®) dictation modes
- b. A mini snub-nosed microphone with the same capsule as the TableMikes®, to plug into the USB MultiAdapter®, with a windshield (a spare one is also bundle)
- c. A special 90° rigid USB connector to plug the USB MultiAdapter® into a laptop or tablet
- d. A USB type C adapter for the aforementioned connector, for MacBook® and new Windows® laptops featuring this interface only
- e. A proprietary four (4) ports USB hub, one of which 3.0 and referred as the "Base", because it can also be used as a Desktop stand for the USB MultiAdapter®
- f. A very practical plastic case for easy storage and traveling.



Amazing new ways of using the convenient USB TravelMikes® are:

Mounting Method	Notes	Wind-screen	EQ Mode
 <p><b>1. Mounted to USB Port</b></p>	<p>As originally designed, the TravelMike® is attached directly to a side USB port on a notebook computer. In this arrangement, the snub-nosed microphone element is pointing forward and it is rotated so it is facing the user. The microphone is used in the green LED or “distant” mode to optimize mic input volume with changing user position. This is the simplest mounting method and requires nothing more than the 90-degree USB adapter that comes with the basic TravelMike®</p>	<p>Not need</p>	
 <p><b>2. Mounted to USB Hub</b></p>	<p>As originally designed, the TravelMike® is attached directly to a side USB port on a notebook computer. In this arrangement, the snub-nosed microphone element is pointing forward and rotated so it is facing the user. The microphone is used in the green LED or “distant” mode to optimize mic input volume with changing user position. This is also the simplest mounting method and requires nothing more than the USB Hub that comes with the USB TravelMike + Base</p>	<p>Not need</p>	
 <p><b>3. Hand-held</b></p>	<p>With a simple and economic USB extension cable, the TravelMike® can be used fully independently in a hand-held manner. In this scenario, the multi-function button is used to place the microphone in the “normal” or close-up mode. This method allows the most accurate use of the TravelMike and is preferred in high-noise situations. Use of the foam windscreen is recommended in this mode, since the microphone is somewhat “hot”...</p>	<p>Yes</p>	
 <p><b>4. Mounted to Lid</b></p>	<p>Mounted to a notebook computer lid using a self-adhering Velcro strip allows positioning of the TravelMike® to any convenient location and places it closer to head level for even greater directional specificity. In this scenario the TravelMike® is connected to the computer with the short USB extension cable included in the shipping box. The microphone is operated in the Green LED or “distant” mode. An additional advantage of this method is the stable fixation of the TravelMike® to the computer which is particularly useful for the mobile user!</p>	<p>Not need</p>	

In practice, any user of the SpeechWare USB TravelMikes® should experience:

- Impressive accuracy, when dictating under Blue or Green LED and even as far away as to 50 cm - 20" or more from the mini snub-nosed microphone tip, depending on the user voice volume and background noise levels
- Lowest possible latency, with instantaneous transcription of the dictation as the high quality built-in electronics relieves Dragon of any post processing or additional burden
- Amazing portability.

The President of SpeechWare, J.M. Boccio, firmly believes that after creating this new "Chameleon" category of microphones with the release of the *Standard USB TravelMike® (UTM)* for tablets and laptops, a couple of years ago, this new 2<sup>nd</sup>. Gen. model --the *USB TravelMike® + Base (UTM + B)* introduced today, will encourage many more people to use Dragon® on the office or the move with outstanding accuracy, portability, convenience and performance.