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8BitDo M30 Bluetooth Controller Instruction Manual

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OVERVIEW
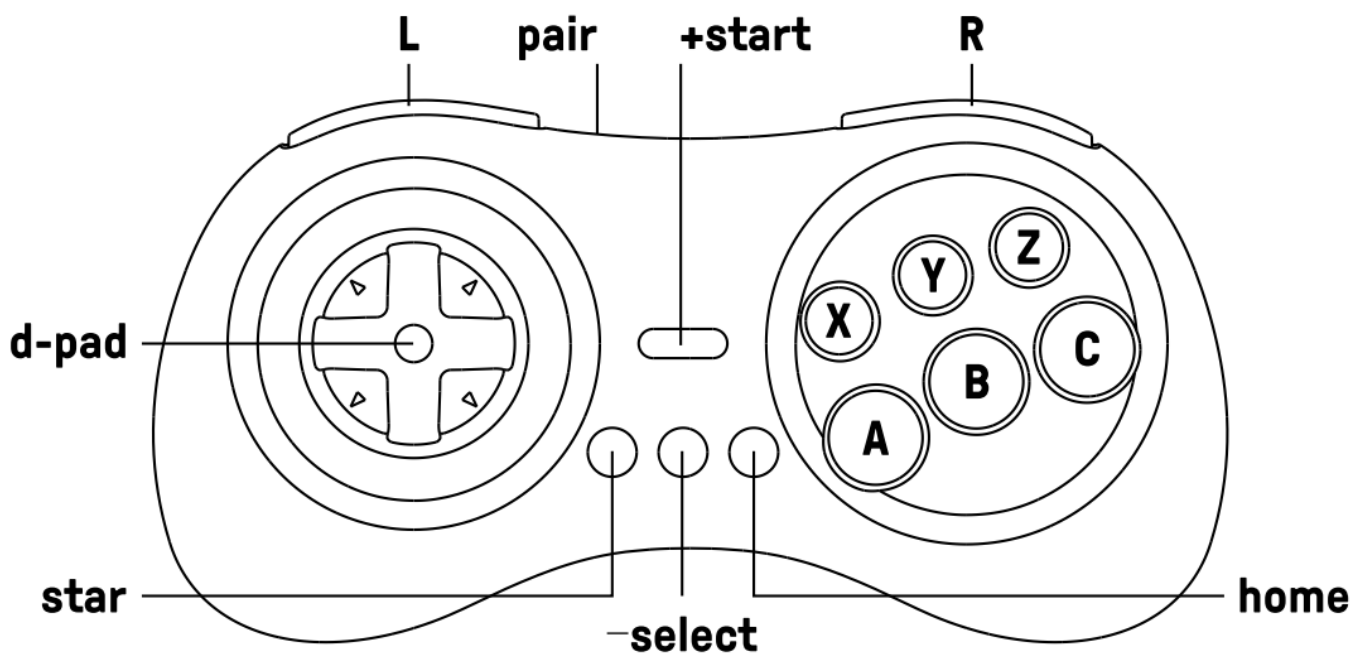
- Press start to turn on the controller
- Press & hold start for 3 seconds to turn off the controller
- Press & hold start for 8 seconds to force turn off the controller

Switch

1. Press & hold Y & start to turn on the controller, LEDs start to rotate from left to right
2. Press & hold the pair for 2 seconds to enter pairing mode, LEDs pause for 1 second then start to rotate again
3. Go to your Switch Home Page to click on Controllers, then click on Change Grip/Order. LEDs become solid when the connection is successful
4. The controller will auto-reconnect to your Switch with the press of start once it has been paired
   - when connected to your Switch, the star button = Switch Screen Shot button
   - **home button** = Switch HOME button

Windows X – input

1. Press & hold X & start to turn on the controller, LEDs 1 & 2 blink
2. Press & hold the pair for 2 seconds to enter pairing mode, LEDs pause for 1 second then start to rotate again
3. Go to your Windows device's Bluetooth setting, and pair with [8BitDo M30 gamepad]. LEDs become solid when the connection is successful
4. The controller will auto-reconnect to your Windows with the press of start once it has been paired
   - **USB connection:** connect the controller to your Windows device via USB cable after step 1

macOS

1. Press & hold A & start to turn on the controller, LEDs 1, and 2&3 blink
2. Press & hold the pair for 2 seconds to enter pairing mode, LEDs pause for 1 second then start to rotate again
3. Go to your macOS device's Bluetooth setting, and pair with [Wireless Controller]. LEDs become solid when the connection is successful
4. The controller will auto-reconnect to your macOS device with the press of start once it has been paired
   - **USB connection:** connect the controller to your macOS device via USB cable after step 1

Turbo function

1. Hold the button you would like to set turbo functionality to and then press the star button to activate/deactivate its turbo functionality
2. **d-pad** and analog sticks are not included
3. This does not apply to Switch

Battery

Status LED indicator

- **Low battery mode red** LED blinks
- **Battery charging red** LED stays solid
- **Battery fully charged red** LED turns off
   - built-in 480 mAh Li-on with 18 hours of playtime
   - rechargable via USB-C cable with 1 – 2 hour charging time

Safety Warnings

- Please always use batteries, chargers, and accessories provided by the manufacturer.
- The manufacturer is not liable for any safety issues arising from the use of non-manufacturer-approved accessories.
- Do not attempt to disassemble, modify, or repair the device yourself. Unauthorized actions may result in serious injury.
- Avoid crushing, disassembling, puncturing, or attempting to modify the device or its battery, as these actions can be dangerous.

- Any unauthorized changes or modifications to the device will void the manufacturer's warranty.

Power saving

- **Sleep mode** – 1 minute with no Bluetooth connection
- **Sleep mode** – 15 minutes with Bluetooth connection but no use
- Press start to wake up your controller
- The controller stays on and is connected to a wired USB connection

Support

- Please visit **support.8bitdo.com** for further information & additional support

Documents / Resources

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References

- **User Manual**