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Model: ThinkCentre M73 Tiny

1. INTRODUCTION

This manual provides essential information for setting up, operating, maintaining, and troubleshooting your Lenovo ThinkCentre M73 Tiny Desktop PC. Please read this guide thoroughly to ensure proper use and to maximize the performance and longevity of your device. This renewed system comes pre-installed with Windows 10 Professional 64-bit, supporting multiple languages including English, Spanish, and French.



Image 1: Lenovo ThinkCentre M73 Tiny Desktop PC, highlighting Windows 10 Professional 64-bit multi-language support.

2. PRODUCT OVERVIEW

2.1 Front Panel Ports

The front panel of your ThinkCentre M73 Tiny provides convenient access to frequently used ports:

- **USB 3.0 Port:** For high-speed data transfer with compatible devices.
- **Microphone Jack:** Connect an external microphone.
- **Headphone Jack:** Connect headphones or external speakers.
- **USB 3.0 Powered Port:** Provides power to connected devices even when the PC is off (if configured).

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Windows 10 Professional 64 Bit

Multi-Language Supports

English/Spanish/French



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Image 2: Detailed view of the front panel ports on the ThinkCentre M73 Tiny.

2.2 Rear Panel Ports

The rear panel offers connectivity for essential peripherals and displays:

- **AC Power Port:** Connect the power adapter.
- **DisplayPort:** For digital video output to a monitor.
- **(2) USB 2.0 Ports:** For connecting peripherals like keyboards and mice.
- **VGA Port:** For analog video output to a monitor.
- **RJ-45 Port:** For wired Ethernet network connection.
- **USB 2.0 Port:** Additional USB 2.0 port for peripherals.

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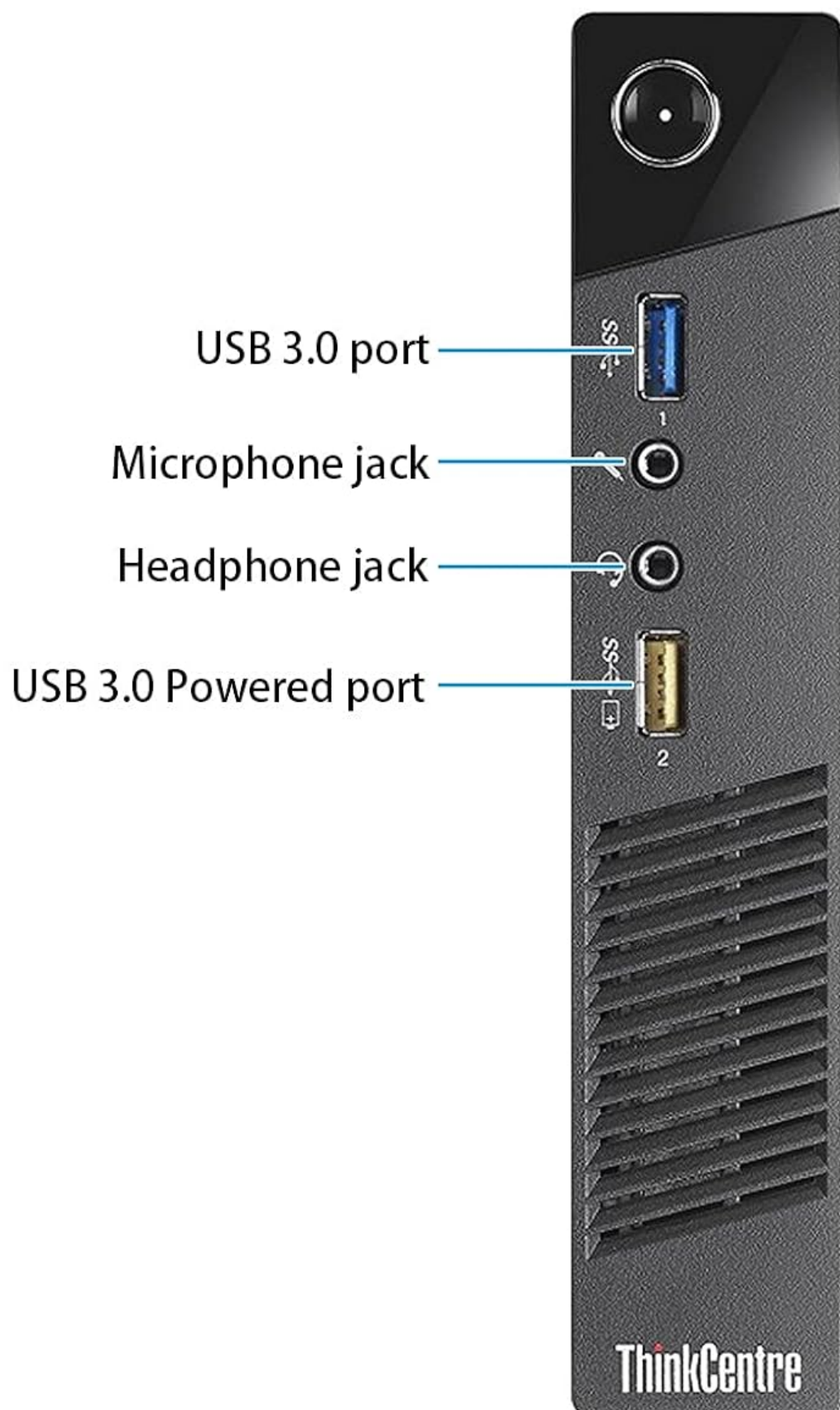




Image 3: Detailed view of the rear panel ports on the ThinkCentre M73 Tiny.

3. SETUP INSTRUCTIONS

1. **Unpack the PC:** Carefully remove the ThinkCentre M73 Tiny from its packaging. Ensure all components, including the power adapter, are present.
2. **Connect Peripherals:**
 - Connect your monitor(s) to the DisplayPort or VGA port on the rear panel. An HDMI adapter may be required for some monitors.
 - Connect your keyboard and mouse to any available USB ports (front or rear).
 - For wired internet, connect an Ethernet cable to the RJ-45 port. For wireless connectivity, insert the provided USB Wi-Fi/Bluetooth dongle into an available USB port.
 - Connect any other desired peripherals (e.g., external hard drives, printers) to the remaining USB ports.
3. **Connect Power:** Plug the power adapter into the AC power port on the rear of the PC, then plug the power cable into a wall outlet.
4. **Power On:** Press the power button on the front panel of the PC. The system will boot up into Windows 10 Professional.
5. **Initial Configuration:** Follow the on-screen prompts to complete the Windows 10 setup, including language, region, network connection, and user account creation.

4. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Your Lenovo ThinkCentre M73 Tiny is equipped with an Intel Core i5-4570T processor, 8GB DDR3 RAM, and a 240GB SSD, providing efficient performance for daily computing tasks. It runs on Windows 10 Professional.

4.1 Basic Operation

- **Power On/Off:** Press the power button to turn the PC on. To shut down, click the Start button in Windows, then select Power > Shut down.
- **Restart:** To restart the PC, click the Start button, then select Power > Restart.
- **Sleep Mode:** To put the PC into sleep mode, click the Start button, then select Power > Sleep.
- **Network Connectivity:** Connect to Wi-Fi using the 802.11ac wireless adapter or use the RJ-45 port for a wired connection. Manage network settings through the Windows Settings menu.
- **Bluetooth:** Pair Bluetooth devices (e.g., headphones, speakers) via the Windows Settings > Devices > Bluetooth & other devices menu.

4.2 Using Windows 10 Professional

Familiarize yourself with the Windows 10 interface. The Start Menu provides access to applications, settings, and power options. Use the taskbar for quick access to running programs and system notifications. The 240GB SSD ensures fast boot times and application loading.

5. MAINTENANCE

Regular maintenance helps ensure the optimal performance and longevity of your ThinkCentre M73 Tiny.

- **Cleaning:** Regularly clean the exterior of the PC with a soft, dry cloth. Use compressed air to clear dust from vents to maintain proper airflow and cooling. Avoid using liquid cleaners directly on the device.
- **Software Updates:** Keep your Windows 10 operating system and drivers updated. Go to Windows Settings > Update & Security > Windows Update to check for and install updates.
- **Data Backup:** Regularly back up important data to an external drive or cloud storage to prevent data loss.
- **Antivirus Protection:** Ensure your system has active antivirus software and that its definitions are up-to-date to protect against malware.

6. TROUBLESHOOTING

If you encounter issues with your ThinkCentre M73 Tiny, refer to the following common troubleshooting steps:

- **No Power:**
 - Ensure the power adapter is securely connected to both the PC and a working electrical outlet.
 - Verify the power outlet is functional by plugging in another device.
- **No Display:**
 - Check that the monitor is powered on and correctly connected to the PC's DisplayPort or VGA port.
 - Ensure the correct input source is selected on your monitor.
 - If using an adapter (e.g., DisplayPort to HDMI), ensure it is functioning correctly.
- **No Internet Connection:**
 - For wired connections, check the Ethernet cable and router status.
 - For wireless connections, ensure the Wi-Fi dongle is properly inserted and Wi-Fi is enabled in Windows settings. Verify you are connected to the correct network and have entered the password correctly.
- **System Lag/Slow Performance:**
 - Close unnecessary applications running in the background.
 - Check for and install any pending Windows updates.
 - Ensure adequate free space on the 240GB SSD.
- **Unwanted Wake-up:**
 - The ThinkCentre M73 may have a 'wake-up' feature that allows input from devices like LAN, keyboard, or mouse to power it on from standby. If the PC wakes up unexpectedly, access the BIOS/UEFI settings during startup (usually by pressing F1 or F12) and navigate to the 'Wakeup Menu' or similar power management options to disable unwanted wake sources.

If these steps do not resolve your issue, please contact the seller or a qualified technician for further assistance.

7. SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Specification
Processor	Intel Core i5-4570T (2.9 GHz, up to 3.6 GHz)
RAM	8 GB DDR3 SDRAM

Feature	Specification
Storage	240 GB SSD (Solid State Drive)
Graphics	Integrated Intel Graphics
Operating System	Windows 10 Professional
Wireless Connectivity	802.11ac Wi-Fi, Bluetooth 4.0
Video Ports	1x DisplayPort, 1x VGA
USB Ports	USB 3.0 (front), USB 3.0 Powered (front), USB 2.0 (rear)
Audio Ports	Microphone Jack (front), Headphone Jack (front)
Network	RJ-45 Ethernet
Dimensions (LxWxH)	1.3 x 7 x 6.9 inches (3.3 x 17.8 x 17.5 cm)
Item Weight	6.74 pounds (3.06 kg)

8. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

As a renewed product, the warranty and support terms are typically provided by the seller. Please refer to the specific warranty information provided at the time of purchase or contact the seller directly for details regarding warranty coverage, returns, and technical support. Protection plans may be available from third-party providers for extended coverage.

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