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Model: NXKROMKSR

1. INTRODUCTION

This manual provides comprehensive instructions for the KROM KAISER NXKROMKSR wired gaming gamepad. Designed for competitive gaming, this controller offers precise control, customizable features, and broad compatibility. Please read this manual thoroughly before using the device to ensure proper operation and to maximize your gaming experience.

2. PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The KROM KAISER gamepad features an ergonomic design for comfortable use during extended gaming sessions. It includes standard gamepad controls along with advanced customizable options.

2.1. Gamepad Components



Figure 1: Front View of KROM KAISER Gamepad. This image displays the front of the gamepad, highlighting the dual analog sticks, directional pad (D-pad), four action buttons (X, Circle, Square, Triangle), Share button, Options button, and the central PS button. The touchpad area is also visible.

- **Dual Analog Sticks:** For precise 360-degree movement and camera control.
- **Directional Pad (D-Pad):** For directional input, often used in fighting games or menu navigation.
- **Action Buttons:** Standard X, Circle, Square, and Triangle buttons for in-game actions.
- **Share Button:** For sharing gameplay content (platform dependent).
- **Options Button:** For accessing in-game menus or system options.
- **PS Button:** For accessing the console's home menu or power options.
- **Touchpad:** Interactive surface for specific game functions (PS4 compatible).



Figure 2: Back View of KROM KAISER Gamepad. This image shows the rear of the gamepad, featuring the four configurable back levers (M1, M2, M3, M4), a Mode switch (Normal/Program), a Set button for configuration, and a switch to select between PS3 and PS4 compatibility modes.

- **Configurable Back Levers (M1, M2, M3, M4):** Four additional buttons on the back for custom assignments.
- **Mode Switch (NORMAL/PROGRAM):** Toggles between normal operation and programming mode for back levers.
- **SET Button:** Used to initiate and confirm programming of the back levers.
- **PS3/PS4 Compatibility Switch:** Selects the appropriate mode for PlayStation 3 or PlayStation 4 consoles.



Figure 3: Gamepad Connected. This image illustrates the gamepad connected via its USB cable, with a blue light bar illuminated, indicating power and connection status.

- **USB Cable:** Provides a wired connection for zero-latency input and power.
- **Light Bar:** Indicates connection status and player assignment (platform dependent).

3. SETUP

Follow these steps to connect and prepare your KROM KAISER gamepad for use.

3.1. Connecting to PC

1. Ensure your PC is powered on.
2. Plug the USB connector of the gamepad into an available USB port on your computer.
3. The operating system will automatically detect and install the necessary drivers. This may take a few moments.
4. Once drivers are installed, the gamepad will be ready for use. You may need to configure it within specific game settings.

3.2. Connecting to PlayStation 3 (PS3)

1. Ensure your PS3 console is powered on.
2. Set the PS3/PS4 compatibility switch on the back of the gamepad to the "PS3" position.
3. Plug the USB connector of the gamepad into an available USB port on your PS3 console.
4. The gamepad will be recognized and can be used for gameplay.

3.3. Connecting to PlayStation 4 (PS4)

1. Ensure your PS4 console is powered on.
2. Set the PS3/PS4 compatibility switch on the back of the gamepad to the "PS4" position.
3. Plug the USB connector of the gamepad into an available USB port on your PS4 console.

4. The gamepad will be recognized and can be used for gameplay. The light bar will indicate player assignment.

4. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

The KROM KAISER gamepad functions similarly to standard controllers for navigation and gameplay.

4.1. Basic Controls

- **Analog Sticks:** Use for character movement, camera control, or aiming.
- **D-Pad:** Use for precise directional input, menu navigation, or specific game actions.
- **Action Buttons (X, O, Square, Triangle):** Perform in-game actions such as jumping, attacking, interacting, or confirming selections.
- **Shoulder Buttons (L1, R1) and Triggers (L2, R2):** Used for various actions like aiming, shooting, blocking, or item usage.

4.2. Special Buttons

- **Share Button:** On PS4, this button allows you to share screenshots or video clips of your gameplay.
- **Options Button:** On PS4, this button typically opens the game's pause menu or system options. On PC, its function may vary by game.
- **PS Button:** On PS3/PS4, this button accesses the console's home menu, switches users, or turns off the console.
- **Touchpad:** On PS4, the touchpad can be used for specific in-game interactions, gestures, or as an additional button (by pressing down).

5. CONFIGURABLE BACK LEVERS

The KROM KAISER gamepad features four programmable back levers (M1, M2, M3, M4) that can be assigned to replicate other buttons on the controller, providing quick access to frequently used commands.

5.1. Programming Mode

1. Ensure the "MODE" switch on the back of the gamepad is set to "PROGRAM".
2. Press and hold the "SET" button for approximately 3 seconds until the light bar starts flashing, indicating programming mode is active.
3. Press the back lever (M1, M2, M3, or M4) you wish to program. The light bar will flash more rapidly.
4. Press the button on the front of the gamepad (e.g., X, O, Square, Triangle, L1, R1, L2, R2, D-pad directions, analog stick clicks) that you want the back lever to emulate.
5. Press the "SET" button again to confirm the assignment. The light bar will stop flashing and return to its normal state.
6. Repeat steps 3-5 for any other back levers you wish to program.
7. Once all desired levers are programmed, switch the "MODE" switch back to "NORMAL" to exit programming mode and save your settings.

Note: The programmed settings are saved even after disconnecting the gamepad, as long as the "MODE" switch remains in "NORMAL" position during use.

5.2. Clearing Programmed Settings

To clear all programmed settings for the back levers:

1. Set the "MODE" switch to "PROGRAM".
2. Press and hold the "SET" button for approximately 3 seconds until the light bar starts flashing.
3. Press and hold the "SET" button again for approximately 5 seconds until the light bar stops flashing and returns to its normal state. This indicates all back lever assignments have been cleared.
4. Switch the "MODE" switch back to "NORMAL".

6. MAINTENANCE

Proper care will extend the lifespan of your KROM KAISER gamepad.

- **Cleaning:** Use a soft, dry cloth to wipe the surface of the gamepad. For stubborn dirt, slightly dampen the cloth with water. Avoid using harsh chemicals or abrasive cleaners.
- **Storage:** Store the gamepad in a clean, dry place away from direct sunlight and extreme temperatures.
- **Cable Care:** Avoid bending or twisting the USB cable excessively. Do not pull the cable to disconnect the gamepad; always grasp the connector.
- **Avoid Liquids:** Keep the gamepad away from liquids to prevent internal damage.

7. TROUBLESHOOTING

If you encounter issues with your KROM KAISER gamepad, refer to the following common solutions.

7.1. Gamepad Not Recognized

- **Check Connection:** Ensure the USB cable is securely plugged into both the gamepad and the console/PC. Try a different USB port.
- **Check Mode Switch:** Verify that the PS3/PS4 compatibility switch on the back of the gamepad is set to the correct position for your system.
- **Restart Device:** Disconnect the gamepad, restart your PC or console, then reconnect the gamepad.
- **PC Drivers:** On PC, check Device Manager to ensure drivers are installed correctly. If not, try updating them or reinstalling by uninstalling the device and reconnecting.

7.2. Buttons Not Responding or Incorrectly Mapped

- **Test in Different Games/Applications:** Some games may require specific controller configurations. Test the gamepad in another game or a controller testing utility.
- **Check Back Lever Programming:** If back levers are not working as expected, ensure the "MODE" switch is in "NORMAL" position. If issues persist, try clearing the programmed settings as described in Section 5.2.
- **PC Configuration:** For PC, ensure the game's controller settings are correctly configured for a generic XInput or DirectInput controller, depending on the game's support.

7.3. Analog Sticks Drifting or Unresponsive

- **Recalibrate:** Some operating systems or game platforms offer controller calibration tools. Refer to your system's documentation.
- **Clean:** Ensure no debris is obstructing the movement of the analog sticks.

If problems persist after attempting these solutions, please contact KROM customer support or refer to their official website for further assistance.

8. SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Brand	KROM
Model Number	NXKROMKSR
Product Type	Wired Gaming Gamepad
Color	Black
Connectivity	USB Wired
Compatibility	PC, PlayStation 3, PlayStation 4
Dimensions (L x W x H)	15.4 x 11 x 6 cm (6.06 x 4.33 x 2.36 inches)
Weight	360 Grams (0.79 lbs)
Special Features	Ergonomic design, Analog Joysticks & Triggers, Configurable Back Levers (M1-M4)
Number of Buttons	12 (excluding D-pad and analog stick clicks)

9. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

For warranty information and technical support, please refer to the documentation included with your purchase or visit the official KROM website. Warranty terms and conditions may vary by region and retailer. For further assistance, you may contact KROM customer service through their official channels.