Lenovo M73

Lenovo ThinkCentre M73 Tiny Desktop Mini PC User Manual

Model: M73

INTRODUCTION

This manual provides essential information for setting up, operating, maintaining, and troubleshooting your Lenovo ThinkCentre M73 Tiny Desktop Mini PC. This renewed unit comes pre-installed with Windows 10 Pro and includes a wireless keyboard and mouse. Please read this manual thoroughly to ensure proper use and longevity of your device.

SETUP

1. Unpacking and Initial Inspection

Carefully remove all components from the packaging. Verify that the following items are present:

- Lenovo ThinkCentre M73 Tiny Desktop Mini PC
- Power Adapter
- Wireless Keyboard
- Wireless Mouse
- USB Receiver for Keyboard and Mouse

Inspect the PC and accessories for any visible damage. If any components are missing or damaged, contact your seller immediately.

Figure 1: Lenovo ThinkCentre M73 Tiny Desktop with included wireless keyboard and mouse.

2. Connecting Peripherals

1. **Connect the Monitor:** Use a DisplayPort or VGA cable to connect your monitor to the corresponding port on the rear of the ThinkCentre M73.

2. **Connect Keyboard and Mouse:** Insert the USB receiver for the wireless keyboard and mouse into any available USB port on the PC. Ensure batteries are installed in the keyboard and mouse.

3. **Connect Power:** Connect the power adapter to the PC's power input and then plug it into a wall outlet.

4. **Network Connection (Optional):** For a wired internet connection, connect an Ethernet cable from your router or modem to the Ethernet port on the rear of the PC.

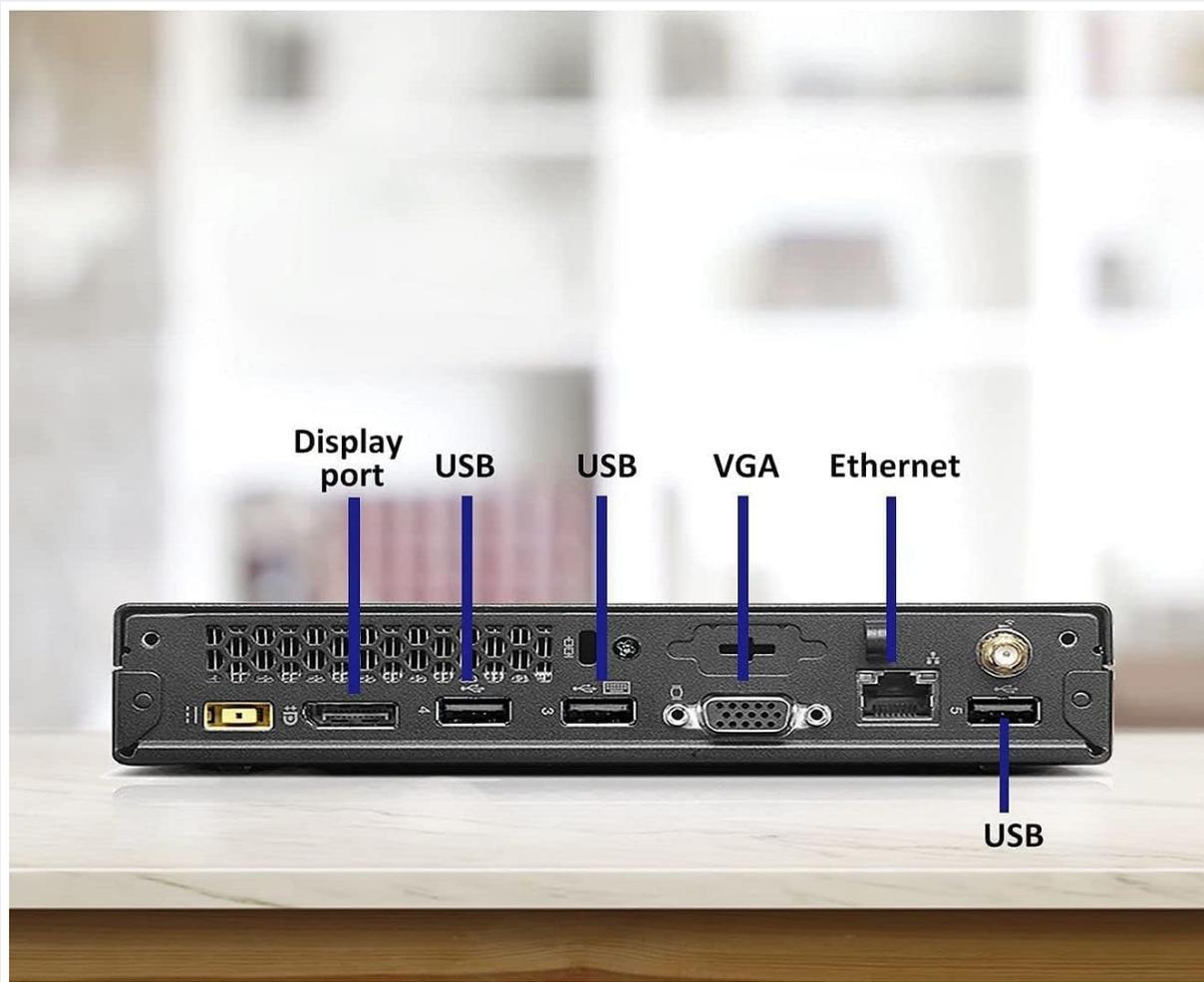Figure 2: Front panel ports including USB 3.0, headphone, and microphone jacks.

Figure 3: Rear panel ports including DisplayPort, USB 2.0, VGA, and Ethernet.

3. Powering On

Press the power button located on the front of the ThinkCentre M73. The system will boot into Windows 10 Pro. Follow any on-screen prompts for initial Windows setup, such as language selection, region, and user account creation.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

1. Windows 10 Pro Overview

Your ThinkCentre M73 comes with Windows 10 Pro 64-bit pre-installed. This operating system provides a familiar desktop environment for productivity and entertainment. For detailed information on using Windows 10 Pro, refer to Microsoft's official documentation.

2. Network Connectivity

- **Wired Connection:** If you connected an Ethernet cable during setup, your PC should automatically connect to the internet.
- **Wireless (Wi-Fi) Connection:** To connect to a Wi-Fi network, click the network icon in the system tray (bottom-right corner of the screen), select your desired network, enter the password, and click Connect.
- **Bluetooth:** The system supports Bluetooth for connecting compatible devices such as headphones, speakers, or other peripherals. Access Bluetooth settings via the Windows Settings menu.

3. USB Ports and Audio Jacks

The ThinkCentre M73 features multiple USB ports (both USB 2.0 and USB 3.0) for connecting external devices like USB drives, printers, and other peripherals. The front panel includes dedicated headphone and microphone jacks for audio input and output.

Figure 4: The ThinkCentre M73 connected to an external monitor for display output.

MAINTENANCE

1. Cleaning

To maintain optimal performance and appearance, regularly clean your ThinkCentre M73. Use a soft, dry cloth to wipe down the exterior. For stubborn marks, a slightly damp cloth with a mild cleaning solution can be used, ensuring no liquid enters the ports or vents. Use compressed air to clear dust from vents and ports periodically.

2. Software Updates

Keep your Windows 10 Pro operating system and drivers updated. Windows Update automatically downloads and installs critical updates. You can manually check for updates by going to **Settings > Update & Security > Windows Update**.
Note: This renewed machine does not support Windows 11 upgrade.

3. Data Backup

Regularly back up your important data to an external drive or cloud storage service to prevent data loss. Windows 10 Pro includes built-in backup and restore features.

TROUBLESHOOTING

This section addresses common issues you might encounter with your ThinkCentre M73.

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.
- Check the power adapter for any visible damage.

No Display on Monitor

- Confirm the monitor is powered on and its input source is correctly selected (e.g., DisplayPort, VGA).
- Ensure the video cable (DisplayPort or VGA) is securely connected to both the PC and the monitor.
- Try connecting the PC to a different monitor or using a different video cable if available.

Keyboard or Mouse Not Responding

- Check that the USB receiver is properly inserted into a USB port on the PC.
- Ensure the keyboard and mouse have fresh batteries and are turned on (if applicable).
- Try moving the USB receiver to a different USB port.

Network Connectivity Issues

- For wired connections, ensure the Ethernet cable is properly connected and your router/modem is working.
- For Wi-Fi, verify you are connected to the correct network and have entered the password correctly. Restart your router/modem if necessary.
- Run the Windows Network Troubleshooter (**Settings > Network & Internet > Status > Network troubleshooter**).

If you encounter issues not covered here or require further assistance, please contact your seller for support.

SPECIFICATIONS

The following table outlines the key technical specifications for the Lenovo ThinkCentre M73 Tiny Desktop Mini PC:

Figure 5: Key specifications of the ThinkCentre M73.

Feature	Detail
Model	Lenovo ThinkCentre M73 Tiny
Processor	Intel Core i5-4570T (up to 3.6GHz)
RAM	16 GB DDR3 SDRAM
Storage	512 GB SSD
Operating System	Windows 10 Pro 64-bit (Multi-Language)
Graphics	Intel HD Graphics 4600 (Integrated)
Max Screen Resolution	4096x2160
Wireless Connectivity	Wi-Fi, Bluetooth
Ports (Front)	USB 3.0, Headphone, Microphone
Ports (Rear)	DisplayPort, USB 2.0, VGA, Ethernet
Dimensions (LxWxH)	7.2 x 7 x 1.4 inches
Item Weight	2.9 pounds

WARRANTY INFORMATION

This Lenovo ThinkCentre M73 is a Certified Refurbished product. It is tested and certified to look and work like new. It ships with a **minimum 90-day warranty** provided by the seller. For specific details regarding your warranty coverage, including terms, conditions, and how to make a claim, please refer to the documentation provided by your seller or contact them directly.

Please note that manufacturer warranties typically do not apply to renewed products. Any support or

warranty claims should be directed to the seller from whom you purchased this device.

SUPPORT

For technical assistance, troubleshooting, or warranty inquiries regarding your renewed Lenovo ThinkCentre M73, please contact the seller, **Micro Deal**, directly. They are responsible for providing support for this renewed product.
You may also find general information and drivers for the Lenovo ThinkCentre M73 series on the official Lenovo support website, though specific support for renewed units should primarily come from your seller.