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Model: K98SE

1. INTRODUCTION

This manual provides comprehensive instructions for the KEMOVE K98SE Mechanical Gaming Keyboard. It covers product features, setup procedures, operational guidelines, maintenance tips, troubleshooting steps, and detailed specifications. Please read this manual thoroughly to ensure proper use and optimal performance of your keyboard.



Image 1.1: KEMOVE K98SE Mechanical Gaming Keyboard with USB-C cable.

2. PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The KEMOVE K98SE is a 98-key mechanical keyboard designed for efficiency and performance. It features a compact 96% layout, preserving essential keys while optimizing desk space. The keyboard is equipped with pre-lubed Blue switches, offering tactile feedback and an audible click. It includes a classic blue LED backlight with 15 customizable lighting effects and a side light strip for enhanced aesthetics. Software support is available for Windows to customize key mappings, macros, and backlight configurations.

2.1 Key Features

- **96% Layout (98 Keys):** Maximizes space efficiency while retaining full functionality.
- **Pre-lubed Blue Switches:** Provides tactile feedback with an audible click, suitable for typing and gaming.
- **Classic Blue Backlight:** 15 built-in lighting effects with adjustable brightness and speed.
- **Software Support:** Customizable key mappings, macros, and backlight settings (Windows only).
- **Double Sound Dampening Foam:** Enhances typing sound and feel.
- **Double-shot Keycaps:** Durable keycaps with legends that will not wear off.
- **Two-stage Kickstand:** Adjustable typing angles for ergonomic comfort.
- **Full-key Anti-Ghosting:** Ensures accurate registration of multiple simultaneous key presses.
- **Wired Connectivity:** Reliable USB-C connection.

96% Layout

98 Keys, No Excess, Full Functionality.



Image 2.1: The 96% layout of the KEMOVE K98SE keyboard, illustrating its compact design with 98 keys and dimensions of 15.35 inches in length, 5.70 inches in width, and 1.4 inches in height.

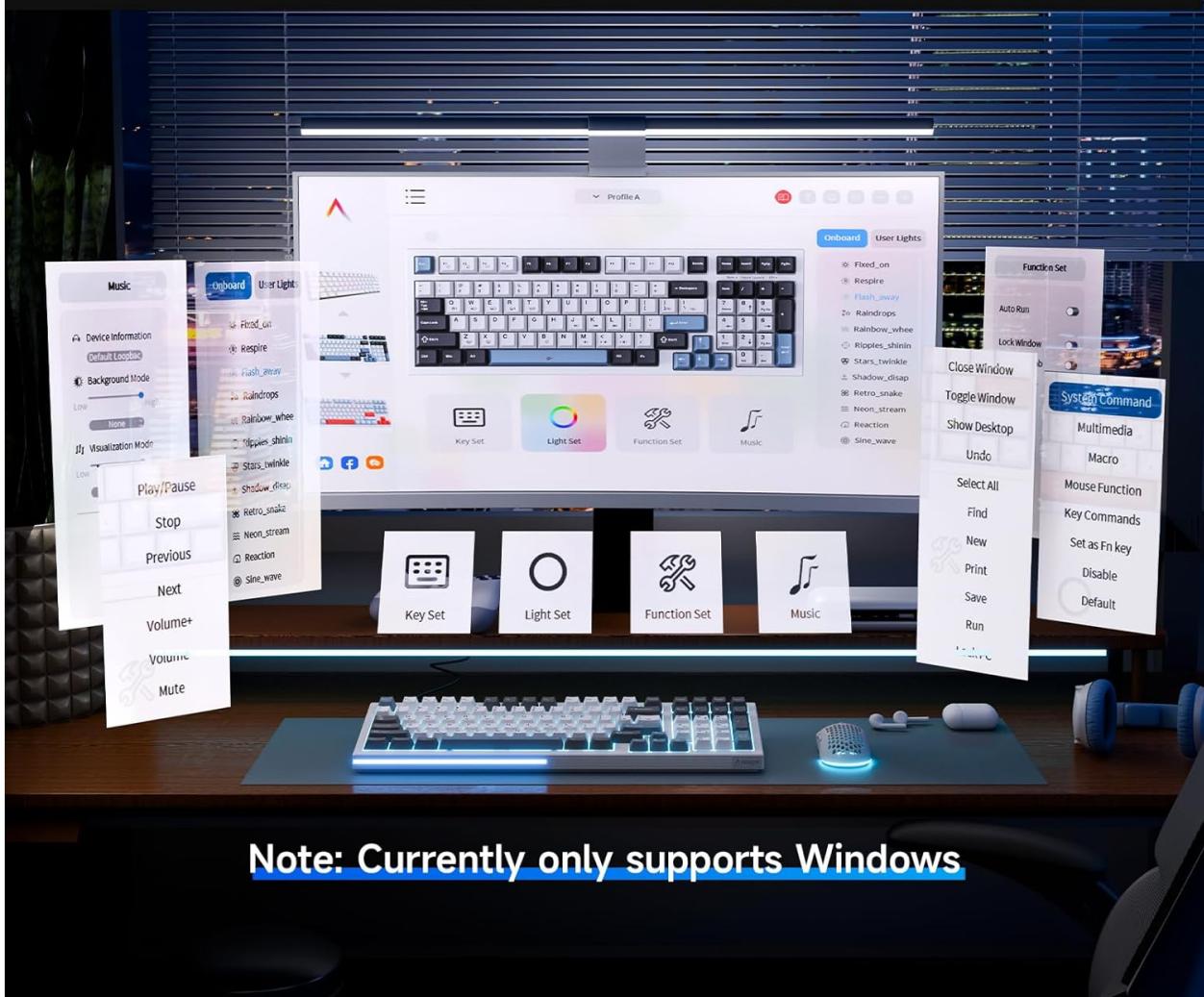
Pre-lubed Blue Switch



Image 2.2: Close-up view of the pre-lubed Blue mechanical switch, highlighting its structure and an estimated 50 million keystroke life.

Software Support

Design Your Own Custom Keyboard



Note: Currently only supports Windows

Image 2.3: The Ice Blue Backlight feature of the KEMOVE K98SE, showing the keyboard illuminated with its side light strip in a desktop setup.

3. SETUP INSTRUCTIONS

3.1 Unboxing

Upon opening the package, verify that all components are present:

- KEMOVE K98SE Mechanical Keyboard x 1
- USB Type-C Cable x 1
- Keycap Puller x 1
- User Manual x 1

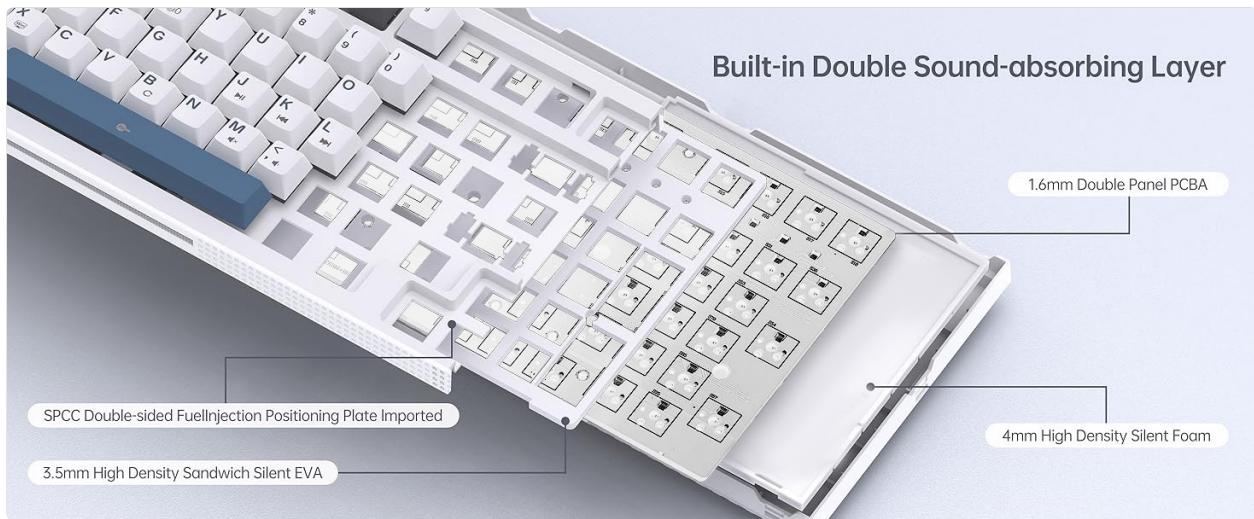


Image 3.1: Contents of the KEMOVE K98SE package, including the keyboard, USB-C cable, keycap puller, and user manual.

3.2 Connecting the Keyboard

1. Locate the USB Type-C port on the back of the KEMOVE K98SE keyboard.
2. Connect one end of the provided USB Type-C cable to the keyboard's port.
3. Connect the other end of the USB cable to an available USB port on your computer.
4. The keyboard will automatically be recognized by your operating system.

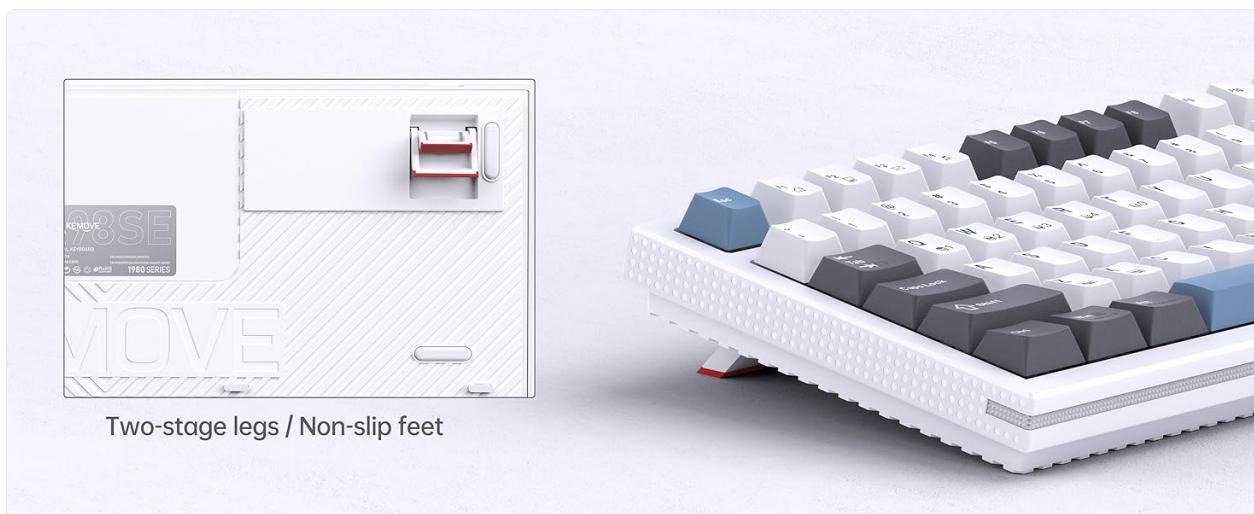


Image 3.2: Illustration of the USB-C port on the KEMOVE K98SE keyboard and its connection to a computer.

3.3 Adjusting Keyboard Angle

The K98SE features a two-stage kickstand on the underside, allowing you to adjust the typing angle for improved ergonomics. Gently pull out the kickstands to your preferred height.



Image 3.3: Underside view of the KEMOVE K98SE, showing the two-stage adjustable legs and non-slip feet for stable positioning.

4. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

4.1 Basic Key Functions

The KEMOVE K98SE operates as a standard 98-key keyboard. Many functions are accessed via the **Fn** key combined with other keys.

- **Fn + F1-F12:** Access multimedia controls and system functions (e.g., volume, media playback, brightness). Specific functions may vary.
- **Fn + Win:** Locks/unlocks the Windows key to prevent accidental presses during gaming.
- **Fn + Left Ctrl:** Switches between Windows and Mac OS layouts (as indicated by some user reviews, though primary compatibility is Windows).

4.2 Backlight Control

The keyboard features a classic blue LED backlight with various effects. Use the following key combinations to control the lighting:

- **Fn + \:** Cycle through 15 different lighting effects.
- **Fn + ↑ / ↓:** Adjust backlight brightness.
- **Fn + ← / →:** Adjust lighting effect speed.

4.3 Software Customization (Windows Only)

The KEMOVE K98SE offers dedicated software for Windows users to customize the keyboard's functionality. This software allows for:

- **Key Remapping:** Assign new functions to individual keys.
- **Macro Recording:** Create and assign complex sequences of key presses.
- **Backlight Configuration:** Fine-tune lighting effects, colors, and patterns.
- **Profile Management:** Save up to five distinct profiles for different applications or users.

To download the software, visit the official KEMOVE website. Install and launch the application to access customization options.



Image 4.1: Screenshot of the KEMOVE K98SE software interface, demonstrating options for key settings, light settings, function settings, and music synchronization. Note: Software currently supports Windows only.



Image 4.2: Diagram illustrating the onboard memory feature of the KEMOVE K98SE, allowing storage of up to five user profiles for macros, light effects, key remapping, and music rhythm settings.

5. MAINTENANCE

5.1 Cleaning the Keyboard

Regular cleaning helps maintain the keyboard's appearance and functionality:

- Disconnect the keyboard from your computer before cleaning.
- Use a soft, lint-free cloth slightly dampened with water or a mild cleaning solution to wipe the keycaps and chassis.
- For dust and debris between keycaps, use compressed air.
- Avoid spraying liquids directly onto the keyboard.

5.2 Keycap Removal and Replacement

The KEMOVE K98SE comes with a keycap puller for easy removal and replacement of keycaps:

1. Gently attach the keycap puller to the sides of the keycap you wish to remove.
2. Pull upwards with steady, even pressure until the keycap detaches from the switch stem.
3. To replace, align the keycap with the switch stem and press down firmly until it clicks into place.

6. TROUBLESHOOTING

If you encounter issues with your KEMOVE K98SE keyboard, refer to the following common solutions:

Problem	Possible Solution
Keyboard not responding	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Ensure the USB-C cable is securely connected to both the keyboard and the computer.• Try connecting the keyboard to a different USB port on your computer.• Test the keyboard on another computer to rule out system-specific issues.
Backlight not working or stuck	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Adjust brightness using Fn + ↑.• Cycle through lighting effects using Fn + \.• Ensure the keyboard software (if installed) is not overriding settings.
Keys not registering correctly (ghosting)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• The K98SE features full-key anti-ghosting. If issues persist, ensure the keyboard is clean and free of debris.• Update keyboard drivers if available (via Windows Device Manager).
Software not detecting keyboard	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Ensure the keyboard is connected via USB.• Restart the software and/or your computer.• Reinstall the KEMOVE software.

7. SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Model Name	K98SE
Layout	96% (98 Keys)
Switch Type	Pre-lubed Blue Mechanical Switches
Connectivity	Wired (USB-C)
Backlight	Classic Blue LED (15 effects)
Keycaps	Double-shot PBT
Anti-Ghosting	Full-key Anti-Ghosting
Software Support	Windows only
Compatible Devices	PC (Windows 11/10/8/7/XP, Mac OS for basic typing)
Product Dimensions	15.4 x 5.6 x 1.4 inches
Item Weight	2.4 pounds
Material	Polybutylene Terephthalate (PBT)

8. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

KEMOVE products are manufactured to high-quality standards. For any technical assistance, warranty claims, or product-related inquiries, please contact KEMOVE customer support through their official website or the retailer where the product was purchased. Please retain your proof of purchase for warranty validation.

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	<p>KEMOVE K68SE Keyboard Function Instructions and Guide</p> <p>Comprehensive guide to KEMOVE K68SE keyboard functions, including key combinations for Mac/Win layout, lighting effects, profiles, and system reset. Learn about KEMOVE's eco-friendly approach and digital manual availability.</p>
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 K98SE-1980 <small>PRODUCT USER MANUAL</small>	<p>KEMOVE K98SE-1980 Product User Manual</p> <p>User manual for the KEMOVE K98SE-1980 keyboard, detailing specifications, FN key functions, multimedia controls, lighting effects, and indicator lights. Learn how to use your KEMOVE keyboard effectively.</p>
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 T87SE <small>PRODUCT USER MANUAL</small>	<p>TOKB T87SE Product User Manual</p> <p>User manual for the TOKB T87SE keyboard by Kmove, detailing specifications, Fn key functions, multimedia controls, lighting customization, and system settings. Includes setup and operational guidance.</p>
	<p>KEMOVE K87-1980 3-Mode Wireless Mechanical Keyboard User Manual</p> <p>Comprehensive user guide for the KEMOVE K87-1980 mechanical keyboard, detailing its wired, 2.4G wireless, and Bluetooth connectivity modes, extensive Fn key functions, hardware features, and system compatibility.</p>
	<p>KEMOVE T63 Three Mode Function Instructions</p> <p>User guide for the KEMOVE T63 keyboard, detailing its three connection modes (Wired, 2.4G, Bluetooth), function key combinations, and power indicators. Learn how to connect, switch modes, and utilize various shortcuts for enhanced productivity.</p>