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Model: KB09118-BK-US2

Compatible with iPad Air 13 inch (2024) and iPad Pro 12.9 inch (6th/5th/4th/3rd Generation)

1. INTRODUCTION

This manual provides instructions for the Inateck Keyboard Case, model KB09118-BK-US2. This accessory is designed to enhance the functionality of your compatible iPad device by providing a physical keyboard with a multi-touch trackpad and protective casing.



Image 1.1: Inateck Keyboard Case with an iPad in an elevated position, showcasing the keyboard and trackpad.

1.1 Compatibility

The Inateck Keyboard Case KB09118 is compatible with the following iPad models:

- iPad Air 13 inch (2024) - Models: A2898, A2899, A2900
- iPad Pro 12.9 inch (6th Generation, 2022) - Models: A2436, A2437, A2764, A2766
- iPad Pro 12.9 inch (5th Generation, 2021) - Models: A2378, A2379, A2461, A2462
- iPad Pro 12.9 inch (4th Generation, 2020) - Models: A2229, A2069, A2232, A2233
- iPad Pro 12.9 inch (3rd Generation, 2018) - Models: A1876, A2014, A1895, A1983

Note: This keyboard case is not compatible with iPad Pro 13" (2024).

Only Compatible with

iPad Air

iPad Air 6 13"(2024) | A2898, A2899, A2900



iPad Pro

iPad Pro 12.9" (2022) | A2436, A2764, A2437, A2766

iPad Pro 12.9" (2021) | A2378, A2379, A2461, A2462

iPad Pro 12.9" (2020) | A2229, A2069, A2232, A2233

iPad Pro 12.9" (2018) | A1876, A2014, A1895, A1983

! Not Compatible with iPad Pro 13"(2024)

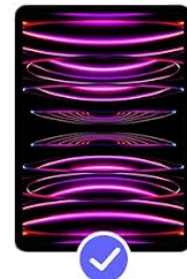


Image 1.2: Visual representation of compatible iPad models, including iPad Air 13" (2024) and various generations of iPad Pro 12.9".

2. PACKAGE CONTENTS

Verify that all items are present in the package:

- Inateck Keyboard
- Protective Case

- Flexible Kickstand
- User Manual (this document)

3. PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The Inateck Keyboard Case offers several features designed for productivity and convenience.

3.1 Floating Magnetic Design

The case features a magnetic cover that securely attaches to your iPad. This design allows for adjustable viewing angles, providing a laptop-like experience. The magnetic connection also supports automatic wake-up and sleep functions when the cover is opened or closed, conserving battery life.

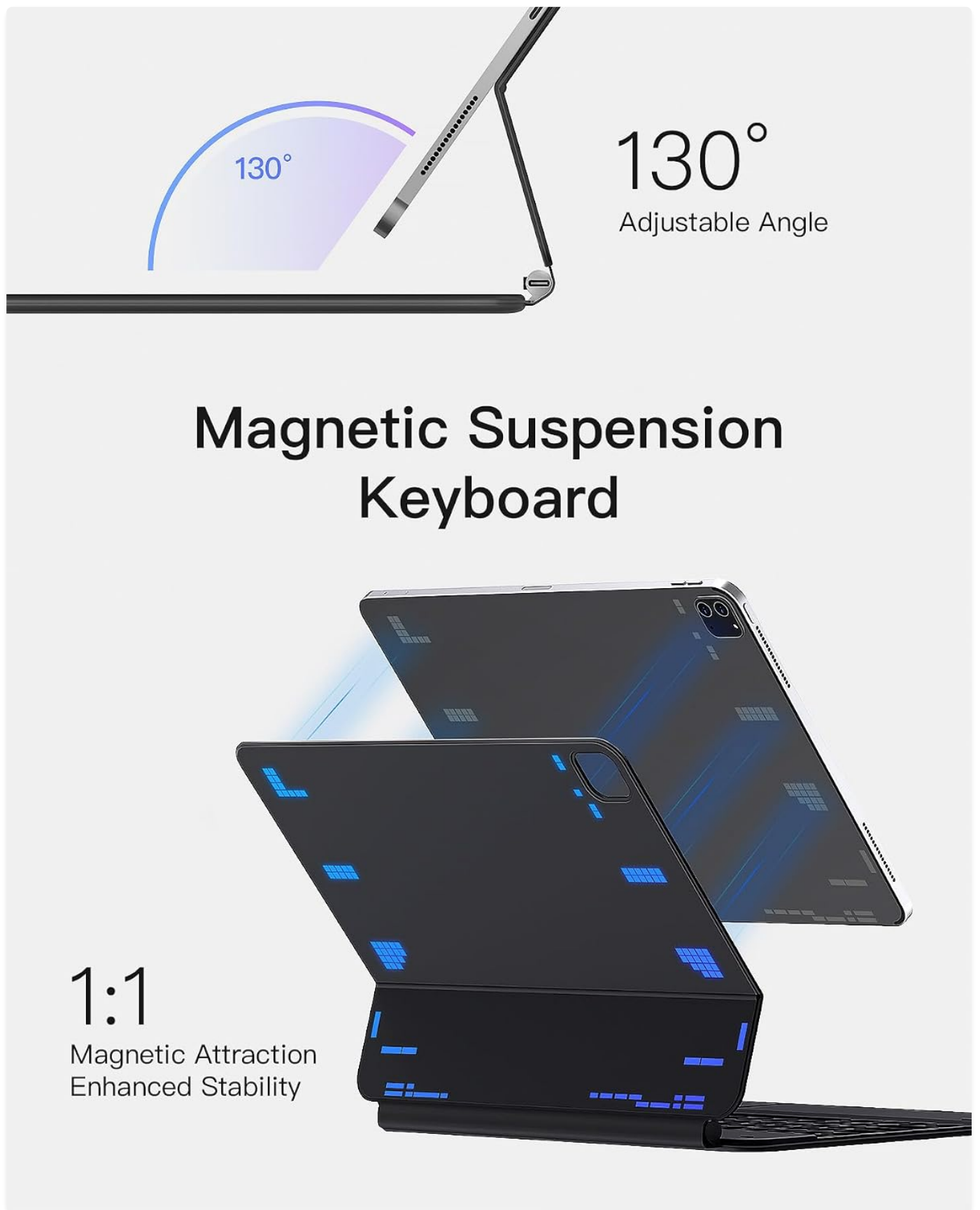
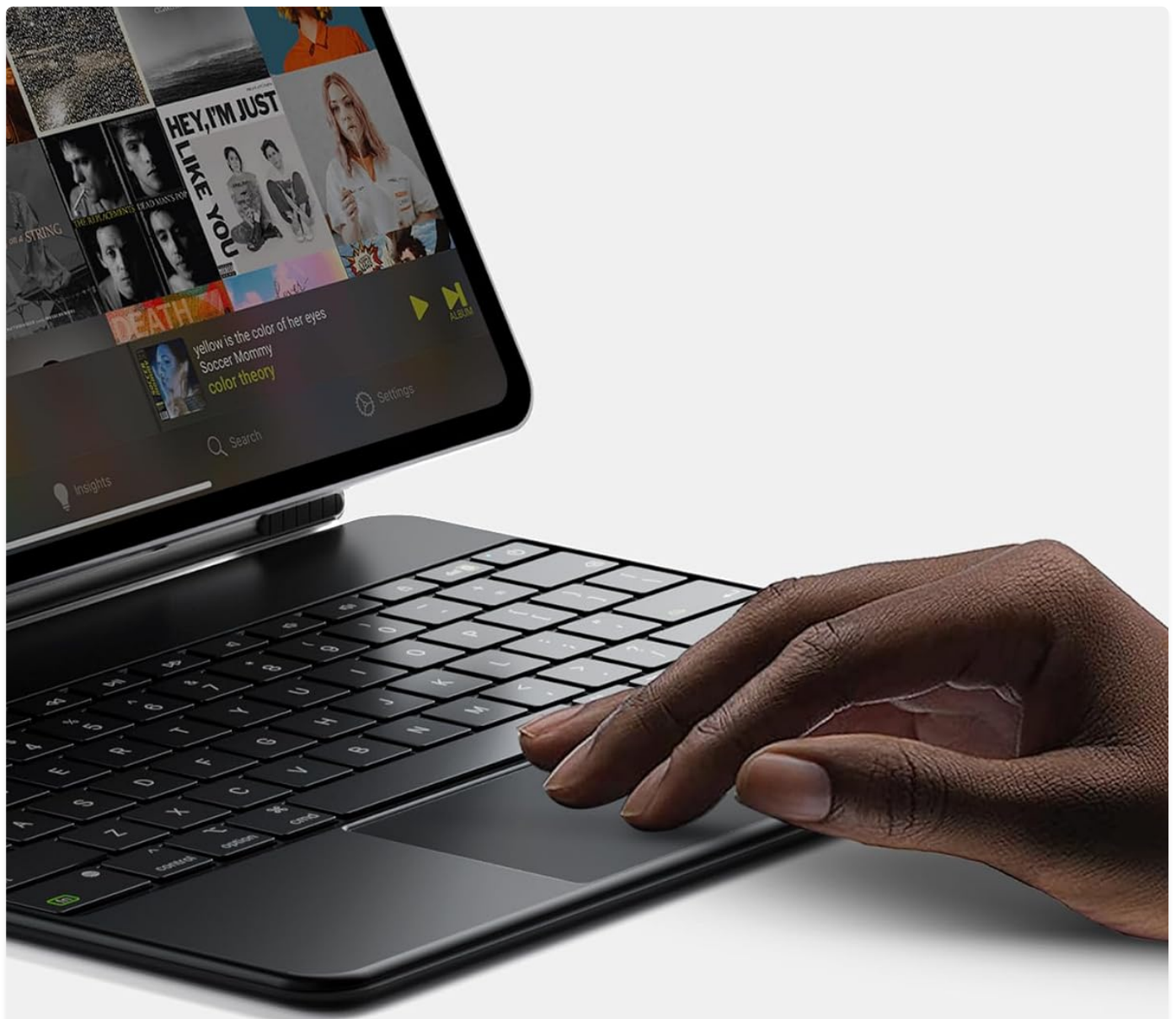


Image 3.1: Diagram illustrating the magnetic suspension and adjustable angle (up to 130 degrees) of the keyboard case.

3.2 Precision Multi-Touch Trackpad

A full-area multi-touch trackpad is integrated into the keyboard, supporting palm rejection for accurate input. It enables precise navigation, clicking, application switching, and various multi-finger gestures.



Laptop–Style Trackpad

Precise control ensured

Image 3.2: A hand interacting with the integrated trackpad, highlighting its laptop-style functionality.

3.3 3-Zone Mixed Colorful Backlight

The keyboard features a 3-zone mixed colorful backlight with three adjustable brightness levels. This allows for comfortable typing in various lighting conditions, including dim environments.



3-Zone Mixed Lighting

Wonderful Experience
in Low-Light Environments

Image 3.3: The keyboard illuminated with 3-zone mixed colorful backlighting, demonstrating its utility in low-light settings.

3.4 Multifunctional Shortcut Keys

An additional row of function shortcut keys provides quick access to various iPad functions, such as brightness adjustment, screenshots, and volume control. The keys utilize a scissor-switch mechanism for a comfortable and quiet typing experience.

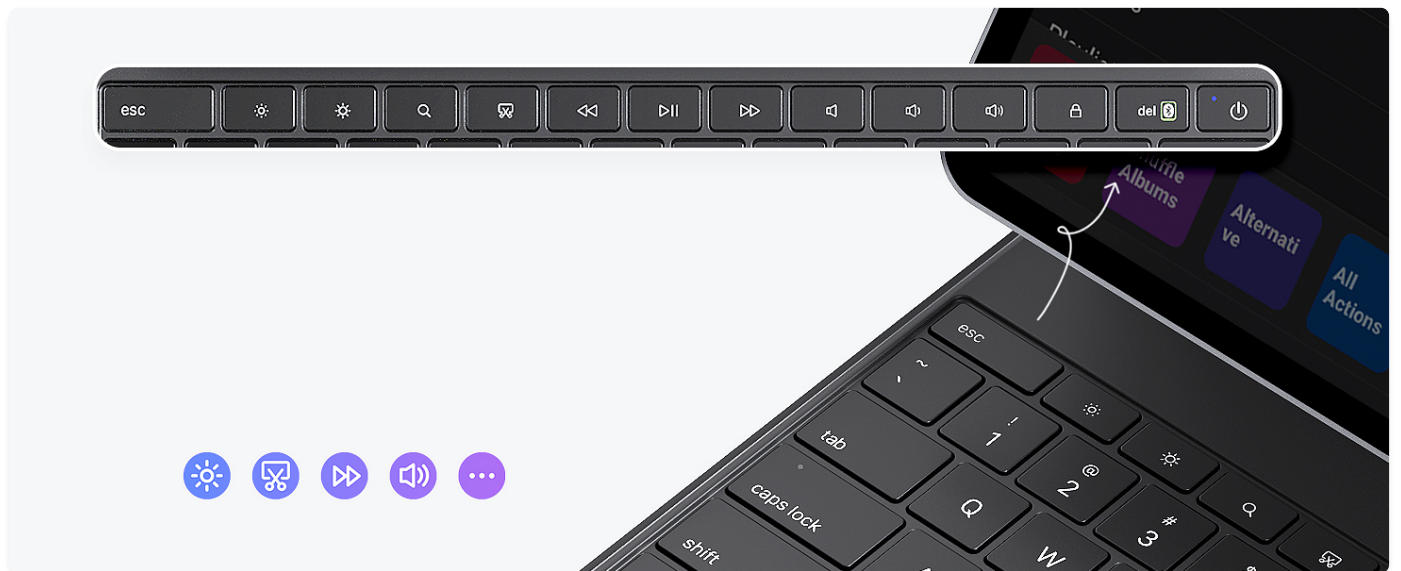


Image 3.4: Detailed view of the dedicated row of function keys, illustrating their icons for quick access to various iPad features.

3.5 Smart Screen On/Off

The keyboard case is designed to automatically wake up your iPad when opened and put it to sleep when closed, contributing to power saving.

Smart Screen On/Off

More power saving

 OPEN: Screen wakes up 



 CLOSE: Screen sleeps 

Image 3.5: Illustration of the smart screen on/off functionality, showing the iPad screen waking up when the case is opened and sleeping when closed.

4. SETUP INSTRUCTIONS

4.1 Charging the Keyboard

Before initial use, ensure the keyboard is fully charged. Connect the provided USB-C charging cable to the keyboard's

charging port and a suitable power adapter (not included). The keyboard requires separate charging and does not draw power from your iPad.



Image 4.1: Close-up view of the USB-C charging port on the keyboard, with a charging cable being inserted.

4.2 Attaching Your iPad

1. Align your iPad with the magnetic back panel of the case.
2. The magnets will securely hold the iPad in place.
3. Adjust the viewing angle by tilting the iPad to your preferred position. The case supports an adjustable angle of up to 130 degrees.

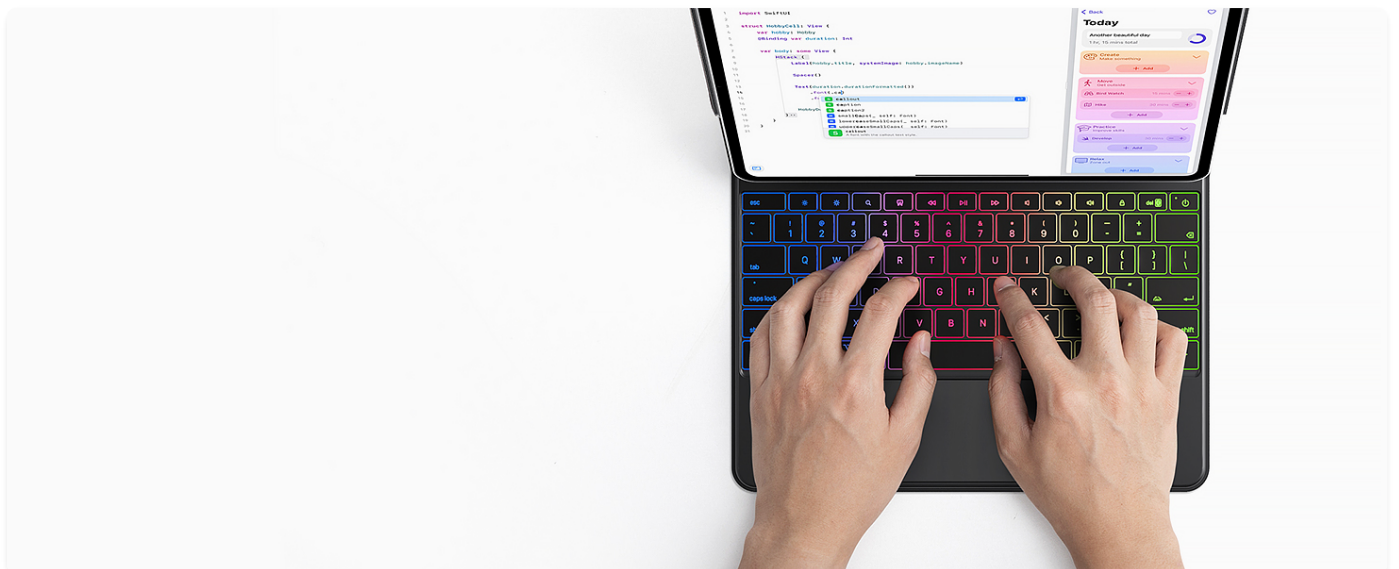


Image 4.2: A person carefully placing an iPad onto the magnetic back of the keyboard case.

4.3 Bluetooth Pairing

1. Turn on the keyboard by pressing the power button (usually located on the side or top right of the keyboard).
2. On your iPad, go to **Settings > Bluetooth**.
3. Ensure Bluetooth is enabled.
4. The iPad will search for nearby devices. Select "Inateck Keyboard" (or similar name) from the list of available devices.
5. Follow any on-screen prompts to complete the pairing process. A successful connection will be indicated on your iPad.

5. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

5.1 Using the Trackpad

The multi-touch trackpad supports various gestures for efficient navigation:

- **Drag:** Tap and hold an item, then drag your finger.
- **Scroll:** Use two fingers to scroll up or down.
- **Swipe:** Use three fingers to swipe between applications.
- **Zoom In/Out:** Pinch with two fingers.
- **Secondary Click (Right-click):** Tap with two fingers.
- **Show Desktop:** Swipe up with three fingers.
- **App Exposé:** Swipe down with three fingers.
- **Swipe between full-screen apps:** Swipe left or right with four fingers.

Advanced Materials

Comfortable to touch, easier to clean



Image 5.1: Visual guide to various multi-touch gestures supported by the trackpad, including drag, scroll, swipe, zoom, and more.

All iPad Gestures Supported

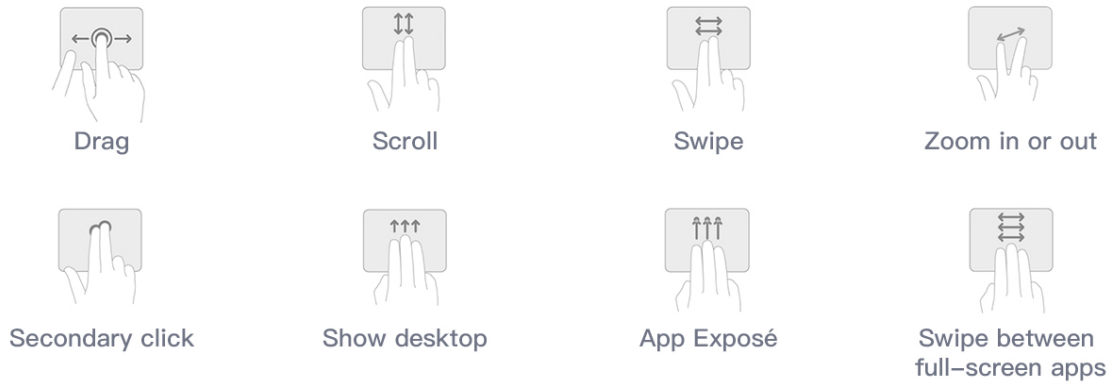


Image 5.2: A user's hand demonstrating interaction with the trackpad while the iPad is in the keyboard case.

5.2 Adjusting Backlight

The keyboard backlight can be adjusted to three brightness levels. Use the dedicated backlight key (often represented by a sun icon) in the function row to cycle through brightness settings or turn the backlight off.

3 Brightness Levels

Single White Backlight

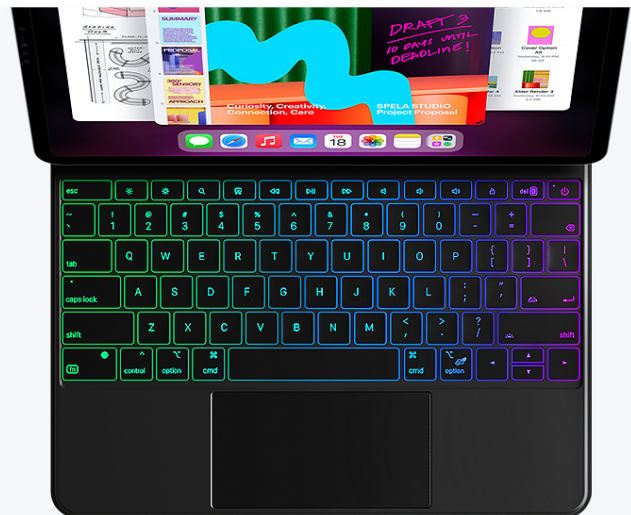


Image 5.3: Illustration showing the keyboard with its 3 brightness levels and single white backlight option.



Image 5.4: A user typing on the keyboard with the colorful backlight activated, demonstrating its use in a work setting.

5.3 Using Shortcut Keys

The top row of keys provides quick access to common iPad functions. These include, but are not limited to:

- Escape (Esc)
- Backlight brightness adjustment
- Search
- Screenshot
- Media playback controls (Previous, Play/Pause, Next)
- Volume controls (Mute, Volume Down, Volume Up)
- Lock Screen

An Extra Row Function Keys

Shortcuts for various demands



Image 5.5: Close-up of the extra row of function keys, highlighting their icons for various shortcuts.

6. MAINTENANCE

To ensure the longevity and optimal performance of your Inateck Keyboard Case, follow these maintenance guidelines:

- **Cleaning:** Use a soft, damp cloth to wipe the exterior of the case and keyboard. Avoid harsh chemicals or abrasive materials. For the trackpad and keycaps, a microfiber cloth is recommended.

- **Storage:** When not in use, keep the keyboard case closed to protect the screen and keyboard. Store in a cool, dry place away from direct sunlight and extreme temperatures.
- **Charging:** Charge the keyboard regularly to maintain battery health, even if not used frequently.
- **Handling:** Avoid dropping the case or subjecting it to strong impacts, as this may damage internal components or the iPad.



Image 6.1: An exploded view of a single key, showing the scissor-switch mechanism and keycap, indicating the design for comfortable typing.

7. TROUBLESHOOTING

If you encounter issues with your Inateck Keyboard Case, refer to the following common solutions:

- **Keyboard not responding:**
 - Ensure the keyboard is powered on.
 - Check the keyboard's battery level and charge if necessary.
 - Verify that Bluetooth is enabled on your iPad and the keyboard is paired. Try unpairing and re-pairing the device.
 - Restart your iPad and the keyboard.
- **Trackpad not working:**
 - Ensure the keyboard is connected via Bluetooth.
 - Check iPad settings for trackpad functionality (Settings > General > Trackpad).
 - Clean the trackpad surface to remove any debris or smudges.

- **Backlight not working/adjusting:**
 - Ensure the keyboard has sufficient battery charge.
 - Press the backlight key multiple times to cycle through settings.
- **iPad not waking/sleeping automatically:**
 - Ensure the iPad is correctly seated in the magnetic case.
 - Check iPad settings for 'Lock/Unlock' functionality (Settings > Display & Brightness > Lock/Unlock).

If the issue persists after trying these steps, please contact Inateck customer support.

8. SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Specification
Brand	Inateck
Model Number	KB09118-BK-US2
Compatible Devices	iPad Air 13" (2024), iPad Pro 12.9" 6th/5th/4th/3rd Gen (2022-2018)
Connectivity Technology	Bluetooth
Keyboard Description	Multi Functional
Special Features	Backlit, Rechargeable, Trackpad
Backlighting Color Support	RGB (3-Zone Mixed Colorful)
Brightness Levels	3 Levels
Power Source	Battery Powered
Battery Type	1 Lithium Ion battery (included)
Color	Black
Material	Acrylonitrile Butadiene Styrene
Item Weight	2.1 pounds (approx. 0.95 kg)
Product Dimensions (LxWxH)	11.27 x 9.09 x 0.7 inches (approx. 28.63 x 23.09 x 1.78 cm)

2 lb

Keyboard Weight

0.3 inch

Thickness



Image 8.1: Visual representation of the keyboard's weight (2 lb) and thickness (0.3 inch).

9. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

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