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Qlife Cityone Electric Bike User Manual

Model: Cityone So(step over)

1. Product Overview

Welcome to the Qlife Cityone Electric Bike user manual. This guide provides essential information for the safe and efficient operation, maintenance, and troubleshooting of your new electric bicycle. The Qlife Cityone is designed for urban commuting and recreational riding, featuring a robust carbon steel frame and advanced electric assist capabilities.



Image: The Qlife Cityone Electric Bike, black color, with fenders and a rear rack.

Key Features:

- **Built-in Removable Battery:** Equipped with a 36V 7.8Ah integrated battery, offering extended range for daily commuting.
- **Versatile Riding Modes:** Easily switch between Pure Electric, Pedal Assist, Classic Pedal, and Walk Assist modes to suit various riding conditions.
- **Upgraded 26"x2.1" Wider Tires:** Provides improved traction, comfort, and stability on diverse terrains including paved roads, sand, and muddy paths.
- **Powerful Peak 750W Motor:** Delivers smooth acceleration and enhanced climbing ability, reaching speeds up to 31MPH.
- **City-Ready Step-Over Frame:** Constructed from carbon steel alloy, designed for riders 5'4" to 6'5" tall, supporting up to 350 lbs.



Image: Display showing the Qlife Cityone Electric Bike available in multiple colors, highlighting key specifications like 750W Peak Motor, 22MPH Max Speed, 40 Miles Max Range, 26x2.1 Inch Tire, and 36V 7.8AH Battery.

2. Safety Information

Your safety is paramount. Always adhere to local traffic laws and regulations. Before each ride, perform a safety check.

General Safety Guidelines:

- Always wear a helmet that meets safety standards.
- Ensure all lights and reflectors are clean and functional, especially when riding in low light conditions.
- Familiarize yourself with the bike's controls, including brakes, gears, and electric assist levels, before riding in traffic.
- Maintain a safe distance from other vehicles and pedestrians.
- Avoid riding under the influence of alcohol or drugs.

Battery Safety:

- Use only the charger provided by Qlife.
- Do not expose the battery to extreme temperatures or direct sunlight for prolonged periods.
- Avoid puncturing, dropping, or disassembling the battery.
- Charge the battery in a well-ventilated area, away from flammable materials.
- If the battery shows signs of damage or overheating, discontinue use immediately and contact customer support.



Image: A comparison highlighting the enhanced safety features of the internal battery design, including elegant shape, better waterproof level, dust-resistant, impact-resistant, lower risk of theft, and reduced risk of short circuits, contrasted with the disadvantages of external batteries.

3. Setup and Assembly

Your Qlife Cityone Electric Bike comes 90% pre-assembled. The following steps will guide you through the final assembly process. All necessary tools are included.

Assembly Steps:

1. **Unpacking:** Carefully remove the bike and all components from the packaging. Inspect for any shipping damage.

2. **Handlebar Installation:** Attach the handlebar to the stem, ensuring it is centered and tightened securely.
3. **Front Wheel Installation:** Install the front wheel, ensuring the quick-release skewer (if applicable) or axle nuts are properly secured. Verify the brake rotor is correctly aligned with the caliper.
4. **Pedal Attachment:** Identify the left (L) and right (R) pedals. The left pedal tightens counter-clockwise, and the right pedal tightens clockwise. Ensure they are fully threaded and tightened.
5. **Seat Post and Saddle Adjustment:** Insert the seat post into the frame and adjust the saddle height to a comfortable riding position. Secure the quick-release lever or bolt.
6. **Fender and Rear Rack Installation:** Attach the front and rear fenders, and the rear rack, using the provided hardware.
7. **Initial Battery Charge:** Before your first ride, fully charge the battery. Connect the charger to the battery port and then to a power outlet. The indicator light on the charger will change when fully charged.
8. **Tire Inflation:** Inflate both tires to the recommended pressure indicated on the tire sidewall.



Image: Diagram illustrating the dimensions of the Qlife Cityone Electric Bike, including total length, handlebar height, wheelbase, minimum and maximum seat height, chain stay length, standover height, top tube length, wheel diameter, and handlebar length. Also shows suggested rider height (5'3"-6'3") and maximum load (330 lbs).

4. Operating Instructions

Understanding the controls and riding modes will enhance your experience with the Qlife Cityone Electric Bike.

Powering On/Off:

- To power on the bike, press and hold the power button on the display unit for a few seconds.
- To power off, press and hold the power button again until the display turns off.

Display Functions:

The LCD display provides real-time information about your ride:

- **Speed:** Current riding speed.
- **Battery Level:** Indicates remaining battery charge.
- **PAS Level:** Shows the current Pedal Assist System level (0-5).
- **Odometer/Trip Distance:** Tracks total distance or current trip distance.

Riding Modes:

The Qlife Cityone offers versatile riding modes:

- **Pure Electric Mode:** Engage the throttle for motor-only propulsion without pedaling.
- **Pedal Assist Mode (PAS):** The motor provides assistance as you pedal. Adjust the assist level (1-5) using the '+' and '-' buttons on the display. Higher levels provide more assistance.
- **Classic Pedal Mode:** Ride the bike like a traditional bicycle with no motor assistance.
- **Walk Assist Mode:** Activates a low-speed motor assist (typically 3-4 mph) to help you walk the bike uphill or through crowded areas.



Image: Graphic illustrating the 3+1 riding modes: Pedal Assist Mode, Throttle Only Mode, Pedal Only Mode, and Walk Mode.

Gear Shifting and Braking:

- **Gears:** Use the gear shifter on the handlebar to change between the 7 speeds. Shift to a lower gear for climbing hills and a higher gear for flat terrain or downhill riding.
- **Brakes:** The bike is equipped with disc brakes. Apply both front and rear brakes simultaneously for effective and safe stopping. Avoid sudden, hard braking, especially with the front brake only.



Image: Visual representation of the front fork suspension system, explaining how it absorbs 70-80% of bumps for a smoother ride on uneven surfaces, with a graph comparing "Suspension" vs "No Suspension" bumpiness.

5. Maintenance

Regular maintenance ensures the longevity and optimal performance of your Qlife Cityone Electric Bike.

Routine Checks:

- **Tires:** Check tire pressure before each ride. Refer to the tire sidewall for recommended PSI. Inspect tires for wear, cuts, or embedded objects.
- **Brakes:** Test brake levers for proper function and responsiveness. Ensure brake pads are not excessively worn.
- **Chain:** Keep the chain clean and lubricated. A dry or dirty chain can lead to poor shifting and premature wear.
- **Bolts and Fasteners:** Periodically check all bolts, nuts, and quick-release levers for tightness.
- **Frame:** Inspect the frame for any signs of cracks, dents, or damage.

Battery Care:

- Charge the battery regularly, even if the bike is not used frequently.
- Avoid completely draining the battery before recharging.
- Store the battery in a cool, dry place, away from direct sunlight and extreme temperatures.
- If storing for an extended period, charge the battery to about 50-70% capacity.



Image: Illustration of the efficient built-in removable battery, highlighting its 36V voltage, 40 miles range, and protective features like over-temp, over-voltage, and over-charger protection, contributing to 20% longer battery life.



Image: Comparison showing the benefits of the lightweight and strong carbon steel frame, emphasizing no rust, no breakage, corrosion resistance, and light weight, contrasted with issues like unsightliness, fragility, and rust found in inferior frames.

6. Troubleshooting

This section addresses common issues you might encounter and provides basic solutions.

Common Issues and Solutions:

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Bike does not power on.	Battery is low or not properly seated; power button not pressed correctly.	Charge the battery fully. Ensure the battery is securely inserted. Press and hold the power button firmly.
Motor not assisting.	PAS level is 0; brake levers are engaged; loose motor connection.	Increase PAS level. Release brake levers. Check motor cable connections.

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Battery not charging.	Charger not connected properly; faulty charger or battery.	Ensure charger is securely plugged into battery and wall outlet. Try a different outlet. If issue persists, contact support.
Brakes feel spongy or ineffective.	Brake pads worn; brake cable loose; air in hydraulic system (if applicable).	Inspect and replace worn brake pads. Adjust brake cable tension. For hydraulic brakes, professional service may be required.
Unusual noises during riding.	Loose components; chain issues; motor or wheel bearing problems.	Check all bolts and connections. Clean and lubricate chain. If noise persists, seek professional inspection.

If you encounter issues not listed here or if the suggested solutions do not resolve the problem, please contact Qlife customer support.

7. Specifications

Detailed technical specifications for the Qlife Cityone Electric Bike.

Feature	Detail
Bike Type	Electric Bike
Model Name	Cityone So(step over)
Age Range	Adult
Number of Speeds	7
Color	Black (current variant)
Wheel Size	26 Inches
Frame Material	Carbon Steel
Suspension Type	Front
Motor Wattage (Peak)	750W
Battery	36V 7.8Ah (278.4 Watt Hours)
Max Range (PAS Level 1)	Up to 40 miles
Max Speed	Up to 31 MPH
Tire Size	26"x2.1"
Brake Style	Disc
Maximum Weight Recommendation	350 Pounds
Minimum User Height	64 Inches (5'4")
Included Components	Fender, Rear Rack, Electric Bike, Tools Kit, Battery Keys (x2), Charger, User Manual, Headlight, Rear Reflector

8. Warranty and Support

Qlife is committed to providing quality products and excellent customer service.

Warranty Information:

- **Frame Warranty:** The carbon steel frame is covered by a 6-year warranty.
- **Component Warranty:** Enjoy peace of mind with a 12-month official warranty covering other components, ensuring top-notch quality and reliability.
- This warranty covers manufacturing defects and does not cover damage due to misuse, accidents, or normal wear and tear.

Customer Support:

For any questions, technical assistance, or warranty claims, please contact Qlife customer support:



Image: Qlife customer support contact details, including phone and email.

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