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Model: 909A

1. INTRODUCTION

Thank you for choosing the K KERNOWO 90W Soldering Iron Model 909A. This manual provides essential information for the safe and effective operation, maintenance, and troubleshooting of your new soldering iron. Please read this manual thoroughly before use and retain it for future reference.

WIDE RANGE OF USE

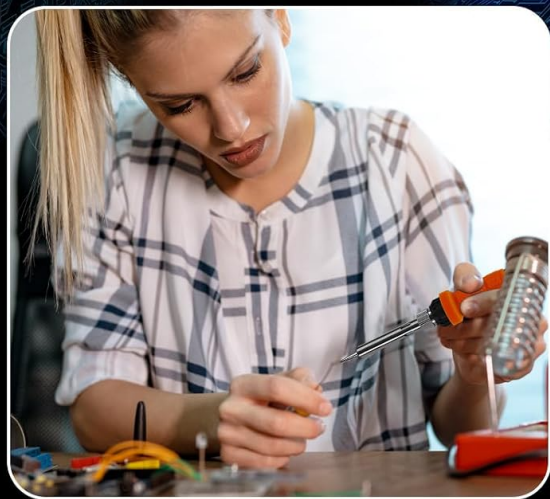
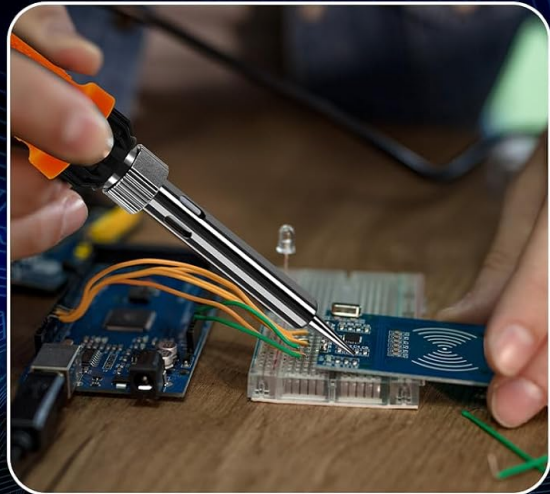
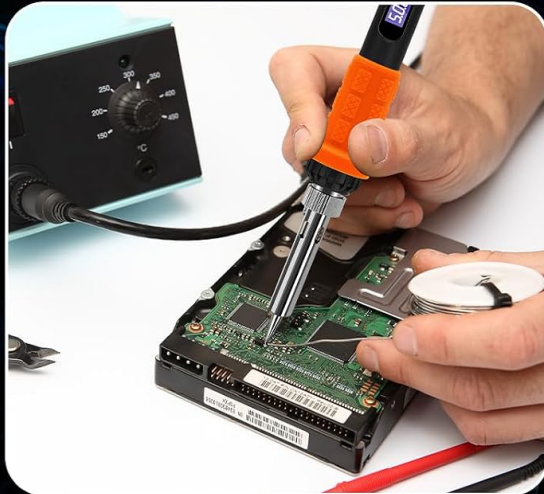


Image 1.1: The K KERNOWO 90W Soldering Iron 909A is suitable for a wide range of applications, including electronics repair, circuit board work, and jewelry soldering.

2. SAFETY GUIDELINES

WARNING: Soldering involves high temperatures and can produce fumes. Always follow safety precautions to prevent injury or damage.

- Always wear appropriate personal protective equipment, including safety glasses, to protect your eyes from solder splashes.
- Work in a well-ventilated area or use a fume extractor to avoid inhaling soldering fumes.
- Ensure the soldering iron is placed on a stable, heat-resistant stand when not in use.
- Never touch the hot tip or heating element of the soldering iron. Temperatures can reach up to 500°C (932°F).
- Keep flammable materials away from the soldering area.
- Do not use the soldering iron near liquids or in damp conditions.
- Unplug the soldering iron from the power outlet when not in use or before performing maintenance.
- Keep out of reach of children. This product is intended for adult use.

3. PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The K KERNOWO 90W Soldering Iron 909A is a pencil-style soldering tool designed for precision work. It features a digital display for temperature control and an ergonomic handle for comfortable use.

3.1 Components



Image 3.1: Detailed view of the soldering iron components, including the protective tube, radiating hole, stainless steel nut, heat-proof rubber sleeve, soldering iron tip, LCD digital display, and ON/OFF switch with temperature adjust buttons.

- **Soldering Iron Tip:** Interchangeable tips for various soldering tasks.
- **Protective Tube & Radiating Hole:** Helps dissipate heat from the heating element.
- **Stainless Steel Nut:** Secures the soldering tip and heating element assembly.
- **Heat-Proof Rubber Sleeve:** Provides insulation and a comfortable grip.
- **LCD Digital Display:** Shows the current temperature.
- **ON/OFF Switch & Temperature Adjust Buttons:** Controls power and temperature settings.

3.2 Included Accessories



Image 3.2: The soldering iron comes with 5 different soldering iron tips, a stand, a cleaning sponge, solder wire (0.8mm, 30g), and flux paste.

- **Soldering Iron Tips:** A set of various tips for different applications.
- **Soldering Iron Stand:** For safe placement of the hot iron.
- **Cleaning Sponge:** Used to clean the soldering tip.
- **Solder Wire:** Essential material for soldering.
- **Flux Paste:** Aids in better solder flow and joint quality.

4. SETUP

1. **Unpack:** Carefully remove all components from the packaging.
2. **Assemble Stand:** Place the soldering iron stand on a stable, heat-resistant surface. Dampen the cleaning sponge with water and place it in the stand's designated area.
3. **Insert Tip:** Ensure the desired soldering tip is securely inserted into the heating element and fastened with the stainless steel nut. Do not overtighten.
4. **Power Connection:** Plug the soldering iron's power cord into a suitable electrical outlet.

5. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

The K KERNOWO 909A soldering iron features rapid heating and precise temperature control for efficient soldering.

5.1 Power On and Temperature Setting



Image 5.1: The ergonomic handle features an ON/OFF button and temperature adjustment buttons (+ and -) for precise control. The 4-hole design aids in heat dissipation.

1. **Turn On:** Press the ON/OFF button (often marked with an asterisk or power symbol) to power on the soldering iron. The LCD digital display will illuminate and show the current temperature.
2. **Adjust Temperature:** Use the '+' and '-' buttons to set the desired temperature. The iron will quickly heat up to the set temperature.
3. **Fast Heating:** The 90W ceramic heating element allows for rapid temperature achievement, typically reaching operating temperature within 10-40 seconds depending on the set value.



Image 5.2: A graph illustrating the rapid heating capability of the 90W thermostatic soldering iron, reaching 500°C in approximately 40 seconds.

5.2 Temperature Unit Conversion and Locking

INTELLEGEANT TEMP. CONTROL

°C/°F Conversion

Temperature Locking

Temperature Compensation



Image 5.3: The intelligent temperature control system supports °C/°F conversion, temperature locking, and temperature compensation for precise and stable heating.

- **°C/°F Conversion:** Refer to the product's specific instructions for converting between Celsius and Fahrenheit display modes, usually by pressing a combination of buttons or holding a button.
- **Temperature Locking:** Some models allow locking the set temperature to prevent accidental changes during operation. Consult the device's specific button functions for this feature.

5.3 Soldering Process

1. **Prepare Workpiece:** Ensure the components and PCB pads are clean and free of oxidation.
2. **Tin the Tip:** Before first use and periodically during use, apply a small amount of solder to the hot tip. This 'tins' the tip, improving heat transfer and preventing oxidation.
3. **Apply Heat:** Touch the hot soldering iron tip to both the component lead and the PCB pad simultaneously. Allow a few seconds for the joint to reach soldering temperature.
4. **Apply Solder:** Feed solder wire onto the heated joint, not directly onto the iron tip. The solder should flow smoothly and evenly around the joint.
5. **Remove Solder and Iron:** Once sufficient solder has flowed, remove the solder wire first, then lift the soldering iron. Allow the joint to cool naturally without disturbance.
6. **Clean Tip:** Wipe the tip on the damp sponge after each use to remove excess solder and flux

residue.

6. MAINTENANCE

- **Tip Cleaning:** Regularly clean the soldering tip using the damp sponge. For stubborn residue, use a brass wire cleaner.
- **Tip Tinning:** Always tin the tip with a small amount of solder before storing the iron. This protects the tip from oxidation and prolongs its lifespan.
- **Tip Replacement:** If the tip becomes pitted, corroded, or no longer heats effectively, replace it with a new K KERNOWO compatible soldering tip. Ensure the iron is unplugged and cool before changing tips.
- **General Cleaning:** Wipe the body of the soldering iron with a dry cloth. Do not use abrasive cleaners or solvents.
- **Storage:** Store the soldering iron in a dry, safe place, away from moisture and extreme temperatures.

7. TROUBLESHOOTING

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Iron does not heat up.	Not plugged in; Power switch off; Faulty power outlet; Heating element failure.	Check power connection; Turn on power switch; Test outlet with another device; Contact customer support if heating element is suspected.
Temperature display is erratic.	Loose tip; Sensor issue.	Ensure tip is securely fastened; Contact customer support.
Solder does not melt or flow well.	Temperature too low; Tip is oxidized or dirty; Incorrect solder type.	Increase temperature; Clean and re-tin the tip; Use appropriate solder for the application.
Excessive smoke during soldering.	Too much flux; Contaminated workpiece.	Use less flux; Clean workpiece thoroughly; Ensure good ventilation.

8. TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

- **Brand:** K KERNOWO
- **Model Number:** 909A
- **Wattage:** 90 Watts
- **Power Source:** Corded Electric
- **Heating Element:** Ceramic
- **Head Style:** Pencil
- **Upper Temperature Range:** 932 Degrees Fahrenheit (500 Degrees Celsius)
- **Special Feature:** Heat Resistance Handles, Intelligent Temperature Control
- **Item Weight:** 0.23 Kilograms

- **Specific Uses For Product:** Jewellery Soldering

9. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

For warranty information or technical support, please refer to the documentation provided with your purchase or contact K KERNOWO customer service directly. Keep your purchase receipt as proof of purchase.