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› PowerA OPS v3 Pro Wireless Controller for PC and Cloud Gaming with Lumectra, gamepad, gaming controller, works Windows 10/11, Charging stand included, Customizable PC HQ App User Manual

PowerA PCGP0382-01

PowerA OPS v3 Pro Wireless Controller User Manual

Model: PCGP0382-01 | Brand: PowerA

INTRODUCTION

The PowerA OPS v3 Pro Wireless Controller is designed to enhance your PC and cloud gaming experience. Featuring advanced functionalities like quick-response mechanical buttons, Hall Effect thumbsticks and triggers, and customizable Lumectra RGB lighting, this controller offers precision and comfort for extended gaming sessions. It provides versatile connectivity options including low-latency 2.4GHz wireless, Bluetooth®, and wired USB-C®.

What's in the Box

- PowerA OPS v3 Pro Wireless Controller
- Magnetic Charging Stand
- USB-C to USB-A Cable
- 2.4GHz Wireless Dongle
- User Manual (this document)



Front view of the PowerA OPS v3 Pro Wireless Controller showcasing its blue Lumetra RGB lighting.

SETUP

Initial Charging

Before first use, fully charge your controller. Connect the included USB-C cable to the controller's USB-C port and the other end to a powered USB-A port (e.g., PC, wall adapter). Alternatively, place the controller on the magnetic charging stand. A full charge typically takes 3-4 hours and provides up to 30 hours of playtime.



The controller connected to a power source via its USB-C cable for charging.

Connecting to Your Device

The PowerA OPS v3 Pro offers three connection methods:

1. 2.4GHz Wireless (Recommended for PC Gaming):

- Insert the 2.4GHz wireless dongle into an available USB-A port on your PC.
- Turn on the controller. It should automatically pair with the dongle.

2. Bluetooth® Wireless:

- Ensure Bluetooth is enabled on your device (PC, mobile, etc.).
- Put the controller into Bluetooth pairing mode (refer to controller's specific button combination, usually a dedicated sync button).
- Select "PowerA OPS v3 Pro" from your device's Bluetooth settings to pair.

3. Wired USB-C®:

- Connect the USB-C cable from the controller to an available USB port on your PC.
- The controller will function as a wired controller and charge simultaneously.

OPERATING THE CONTROLLER

Core Controls

The controller features standard gaming inputs including ABXY face buttons, a D-Pad, left and right analog thumbsticks, LB/RB bumpers, LT/RT triggers, Select, Start, and Turbo buttons. The ABXY, D-PAD, and LB/RB buttons utilize tactile mechanical

switches for quick response.

Advanced Gaming Buttons

Six mappable Advanced Gaming Buttons (AGR1-AGR4, AGL1-AGL2) are located on the back of the controller. These can be programmed on-the-fly to replicate any standard button input, allowing for customized control layouts to improve efficiency in games.



The rear of the controller highlighting the six mappable Advanced Gaming Buttons for custom configurations.

Quick-Twist Adjustable Thumbsticks

The thumbsticks feature a quick-twist mechanism, allowing you to easily adjust their height for personalized comfort and control. This feature helps optimize precision for different game genres.

Hall Effect Thumbsticks and Triggers

Integrated Hall Effect sensors in the thumbsticks and triggers provide enhanced precision and reliability by using magnetic fields instead of physical contacts, reducing wear and tear and preventing stick drift.

Turbo Button

Activate the Turbo feature for ABXY, LB/RB, Select, or Start buttons to enable rapid, automatic button presses, useful for certain in-game actions.

3-Way Trigger Locks

Adjust the trigger depth with the 3-way trigger locks to suit different game types. A shorter pull is ideal for quick-fire actions in shooters, while a full pull is better for precise acceleration in racing games.



The top view of the controller, illustrating the adjustable 3-way trigger locks.

Lumectra™ Multi-Zone RGB Lighting

Customize your controller's appearance with Lumectra RGB lighting. It features 4 individual lighting zones and 3 lighting modes, allowing for thousands of color combinations. Refer to the controller's quick start guide or the PC HQ App for detailed customization instructions.

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Official product video showcasing the features of the PowerA OPS v3 Pro Wireless Controller, including its Lumectra RGB lighting, Hall Effect sensors, and mappable buttons.

MAINTENANCE

Cleaning

To clean your controller, use a soft, dry cloth. For stubborn dirt, a slightly damp cloth with mild soap can be used, ensuring no liquid enters the controller's openings. Avoid abrasive cleaners or solvents.

Battery Care

The integrated 1200mAh rechargeable battery is designed for long life. For optimal battery health, avoid completely draining the battery frequently. Store the controller in a cool, dry place when not in use for extended periods.

TROUBLESHOOTING

Connection Issues

- **Controller not connecting:** Ensure the controller is charged. For wireless connections, verify the dongle is properly inserted or Bluetooth is enabled and the controller is in pairing mode. Try restarting your PC or device.
- **Intermittent disconnections:** Ensure the controller is within range of the dongle or Bluetooth device. Minimize interference from other wireless devices.

Performance Issues (e.g., Stick Drift)

While Hall Effect sensors reduce the likelihood of stick drift, if you experience any input inaccuracies, ensure your controller's firmware is up to date. The **PowerA PC HQ App** is crucial for managing settings and applying firmware updates that can resolve such issues.

PC HQ App Support

The PowerA PC HQ App allows for comprehensive customization of your controller, including button mapping, RGB lighting effects, and firmware updates. It is essential for optimal performance and resolving potential software-related issues. Download the official app from the PowerA website or Microsoft Store. For further assistance, visit [PowerA Support](#).

SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Model Number	PCGP0382-01
Connectivity	2.4GHz Wireless, Bluetooth®, Wired USB-C®
Battery Type	Integrated 1200mAh Lithium Polymer
Battery Life	Up to 30 hours per charge
Charging Time	3-4 hours
Dimensions	6.14 x 4.25 x 2.48 inches
Weight	9.6 ounces
Special Features	Lumetra™ RGB Lighting, Hall Effect Thumbsticks & Triggers, Tactile Mechanical Buttons, Mappable Advanced Gaming Buttons, Quick-Twist Adjustable Thumbsticks, 3-Way Trigger Locks, Dual Rumble Motors

WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

The PowerA OPS v3 Pro Wireless Controller comes with a **Two-Year Limited Warranty**. This warranty covers defects in materials and workmanship under normal use. For full warranty details, product registration, and technical support, please visit the official PowerA support website.

PowerA Support: www.powera.com/support/

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