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Packard Bell 15.6" Portable FHD 1080P Monitor - Instruction Manual

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Introduction

The Packard Bell 15.6" Portable FHD Monitor is designed to enhance your viewing experience with its 1080P resolution and ultra-slim profile. This monitor offers crystal-clear visuals and wide viewing angles, making it suitable for various applications including presentations, streaming, and multitasking. It features versatile connectivity options, including USB-C and HDMI, allowing for easy connection to laptops, PCs, phones, and Macs. The monitor includes a smart cover that also functions as a stand and has built-in speakers for an integrated audio experience. HDR technology and plug-and-play functionality ensure a straightforward setup.

Key Features

- **STUNNING VISUALS:** Immerse yourself in vibrant colors and sharp details with FHD 1080P resolution and an ultra-slim IPS display. Experience breathtaking clarity and exceptional image quality, perfect for both work and entertainment.
- **VERSATILE CONNECTIVITY:** Effortlessly connect your devices with USB-C and HDMI ports, making this monitor compatible with a wide range of laptops, PCs, smartphones, and Macs. Enjoy the flexibility to switch between devices without any hassle.
- **SMART COVER INCLUDED:** Protect your monitor during transport with the included smart cover, which also doubles as a convenient stand. Easily adjust the viewing angle for optimal comfort whether you're working or watching your favorite shows.
- **BUILT-IN SPEAKERS:** Enhance your multimedia experience with high-quality audio from the built-in speakers. Enjoy clear sound for video calls, presentations, or movies, eliminating the need for additional external speakers.
- **PLUG & PLAY:** Experience quick and easy setup with plug-and-play functionality. Simply connect the monitor to your device and start using it instantly—no complicated software or drivers required. Perfect for those who are always on the go!

Setup & Connectivity

The Packard Bell Portable Monitor is designed for easy setup. It supports both USB-C and HDMI connections for video and power.



Figure 1: Connecting the portable monitor to a laptop using a single USB 3.1 Type-C cable for both display and power.

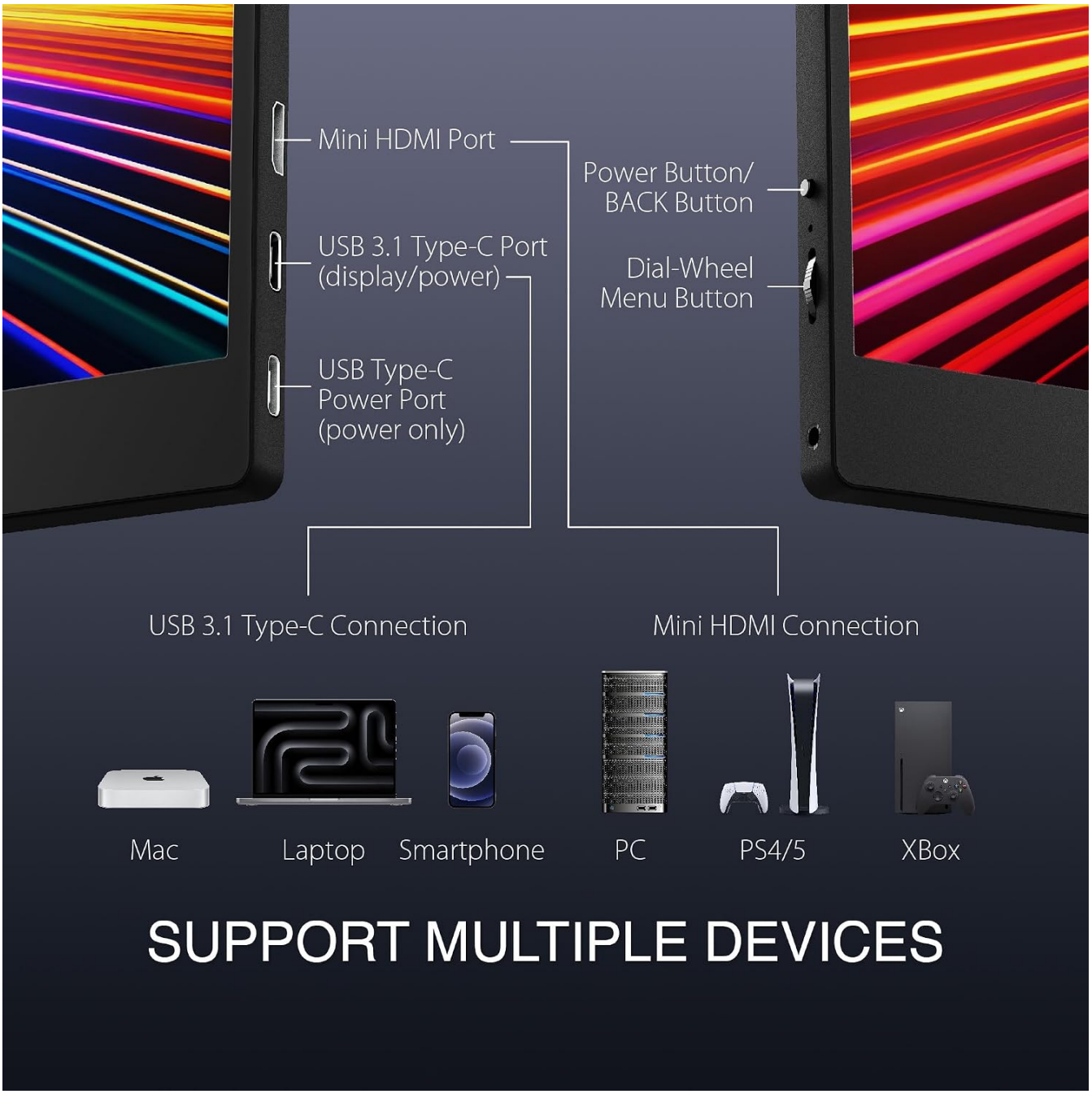


Figure 2: Overview of the monitor's ports including Mini HDMI, USB 3.1 Type-C (display/power), and USB Type-C (power only), illustrating compatibility with multiple devices.

Connecting to Your Device:

1. **USB-C Connection:** For devices with a full-featured USB 3.1 Type-C port (supporting display and power delivery), connect a single USB-C to USB-C cable from your device to the monitor's USB 3.1 Type-C (display/power) port. This provides both video signal and power.
2. **HDMI Connection:** For devices using HDMI, connect an HDMI to Mini HDMI cable from your device to the monitor's Mini HDMI port. You will also need to connect a USB-C to USB-A cable from your device's USB port or a power adapter to the monitor's USB Type-C (power only) port for power.
3. **Powering the Monitor:** The monitor can draw power from the connected device via USB-C. If the device's power output is insufficient or if you prefer to conserve your device's battery, use the included AC power adapter connected to the USB Type-C (power only) port.

Video Demonstration:

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Video 1: "Packard Bell Portable Monitor - The Ultimate Companion" - This video demonstrates the monitor's thin, lightweight design,

VESA mount compatibility, protective cover, and plug-and-play functionality with a single cable for display and power. It shows the monitor creating a workstation anywhere and its compatibility with most laptops (Mac/PC).

Operating Instructions

Display Modes (Windows/Mac):

To get your PC to recognize multiple monitors, make sure your cables are connected properly to the new monitor and follow these steps:

1. Select **Start > Settings > System > Display**.
2. Your PC should automatically detect the monitors and show your desktop. If you don't see the monitors, select "Detect".
3. In the "Multiple displays" section, select an option from the list to determine how your desktop will display across your screens.
4. Once you've selected what you see on your displays, select "Keep changes".

NOTE: To change the screen mode, press and hold the **Windows key** and **P** keys to display the "PROJECT" Menu shown below. Select an option that is suitable for your screen mode.

PC screen only: See things on one display only.

Duplicate: See the same thing on all your displays.

Extend (Recommended): See your desktop across multiple screens. When you have displays extended, you can move items between the two screens.

Second screen only: See everything on the second display only.

Adjusting Brightness:

The monitor features a dial-wheel menu button for navigating the on-screen display (OSD) menu. Use this button to adjust settings such as brightness, contrast, and color modes. Rotate the dial to increase or decrease brightness, and press to confirm selections within the menu.

Using the Smart Cover:



Figure 3: The magnetic smart cover can be easily attached or detached, providing protection and doubling as a stand.

The included smart cover serves a dual purpose: protecting the screen during transport and acting as a convenient stand. The cover attaches magnetically and can be folded into various configurations to prop up the monitor at different viewing angles. Ensure the monitor is placed on a stable, flat surface when using the cover as a stand to prevent accidental tipping.

Maintenance

To ensure the longevity and optimal performance of your Packard Bell Portable Monitor, follow these maintenance guidelines:

- **Cleaning the Screen:** Use a soft, lint-free cloth specifically designed for electronics. Lightly dampen the cloth with water or a screen-cleaning solution. Avoid using harsh chemicals, abrasive cleaners, or aerosol sprays directly on the screen.
- **Cleaning the Casing:** Wipe the monitor's casing with a soft, dry cloth. For stubborn marks, a slightly damp cloth can be used, followed by a dry cloth.
- **Storage:** When not in use, store the monitor in a cool, dry place. Always use the smart cover to protect the screen from dust and scratches.
- **Handling:** Handle the monitor with care. Avoid dropping it or subjecting it to strong impacts. Do not place heavy objects

on top of the monitor.

- **Ventilation:** Ensure proper ventilation around the monitor to prevent overheating. Do not block the ventilation openings.

Troubleshooting

If you encounter issues with your Packard Bell Portable Monitor, refer to the following common troubleshooting steps:

- **No Signal / Black Screen:**
  - Ensure all cables (USB-C or HDMI + Power) are securely connected to both the monitor and your device.
  - Verify that your device's display settings are configured to output to an external monitor (e.g., "Extend" or "Duplicate" mode on Windows/Mac).
  - Try connecting the monitor to a different USB-C port or HDMI port on your device, if available.
  - Ensure the monitor is receiving sufficient power. If using a single USB-C cable, try connecting the external power adapter to the monitor's power-only USB-C port.
  - Restart your connected device.
- **Unstable Stand:**
  - Ensure the smart cover is correctly folded and positioned to provide stable support. The monitor should be placed in the designated grooves of the cover.
  - Place the monitor on a flat, stable, and level surface. Uneven surfaces can cause instability.
  - Avoid bumping the monitor or the surface it rests on.
- **No Audio from Built-in Speakers:**
  - Check the volume settings on both your connected device and the monitor's OSD menu.
  - Ensure the audio output on your device is set to the portable monitor.
  - If using HDMI, ensure the HDMI cable supports audio transmission.
- **Image Quality Issues (Blurry, Distorted, Incorrect Colors):**
  - Check the display resolution settings on your connected device and ensure it matches the monitor's native resolution (1920x1080).
  - Adjust brightness, contrast, and color settings via the monitor's OSD menu.
  - Ensure the cables are not damaged or faulty. Try a different cable if possible.

Specifications

Feature	Detail
Model Number	M15600BK
Screen Size	15.6 Inches (Diagonal)
Resolution	1920 x 1080 (FHD 1080p)
Aspect Ratio	16:9
Refresh Rate	60 Hz
Contrast Ratio	700:1

Screen Surface	Matte
Connectivity	Mini HDMI Port, USB 3.1 Type-C Port (display/power), USB Type-C Port (power only)
Audio	Built-in Speakers, 3.5mm Audio Out
Product Dimensions	1 x 1 x 1 inches
Item Weight	4.47 pounds
Manufacturer	Southern Telecom

Warranty & Support

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