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Model: DDJ-GRV6

1. INTRODUCTION

Thank you for purchasing the AlphaTheta DDJ-GRV6 4-channel performance DJ controller. This manual provides essential information for setting up, operating, and maintaining your device. Please read it thoroughly to ensure proper use and to maximize your experience with the controller.



Figure 1: Top view of the AlphaTheta DDJ-GRV6 controller.

2. SETUP

2.1 Unboxing and Initial Inspection

Carefully remove all components from the packaging. Verify that all items listed in the packing contents are present and undamaged. Keep the packaging for future transport or storage.

2.2 Connecting to Power and Computer

1. Connect the provided USB-C cable to the USB port on the rear of the DDJ-GRV6 and to your computer.
2. If external power is required or desired, connect the power adapter (sold separately or included depending on region) to the DC IN port and then to a power outlet.



Figure 2: Rear panel connections including USB and audio outputs.

2.3 Audio Connections

The DDJ-GRV6 offers various audio output options:

- **Master Out (RCA):** Connect to your main sound system or amplifier.
- **Booth Out (RCA):** Connect to booth monitors for monitoring your mix.
- **Headphones (1/4-inch and 1/8-inch stereo jacks):** Connect your headphones for cueing and monitoring.
- **Mic Input (1/4-inch unbalanced):** Connect a microphone for vocal performances or announcements.

2.4 Software Installation

The DDJ-GRV6 is compatible with rekordbox and Serato DJ Pro. Ensure you have the latest version of your preferred DJ software installed on your computer. Drivers may be required for certain operating systems; refer to the AlphaTheta support website for downloads.



Figure 3: Typical setup with the DDJ-GRV6, laptop, and studio monitors.

3. OPERATION

3.1 Basic Controls

- **Jog Wheels:** Large, responsive jog wheels are ideal for scratching, nudging, and precise track control.
- **Performance Pads:** Eight pads per deck allow for triggering Hot Cues, Pad FX, Beat Loops, and Samples.
- **Mixer Section:** Features 4 channels with EQ, trim, and faders, along with Beat FX and Sound Color FX controls.



Figure 4: Performance Pads for dynamic track manipulation.

3.2 Groove Circuit

The Groove Circuit feature allows for creative manipulation of drum parts within your tracks:

- **Drum Swap:** Replace drum parts with a single press.
- **Capture:** Extract and capture drum parts from a track.
- **Drum Roll / Trans:** Easily create fills and build-ups.
- **Drum Release:** Create breakdowns with release effects.



Figure 5: The Groove Circuit controls for drum part manipulation.

3.3 Smart Rotary Selector and Discover Function

The Smart Rotary Selector streamlines track selection, allowing you to quickly navigate through playlists and collections. The Discover function helps you find new tracks or rediscover old favorites efficiently.



Figure 6: Smart Rotary Selector for efficient track browsing.

3.4 Stems FX (Serato DJ Pro)

For Serato DJ Pro users, the Stems FX feature allows for advanced remixing by isolating and applying effects to different parts of a track (vocals, melody, bass, drums). This enables dynamic, on-the-fly creative performances.



Figure 7: Stems FX controls for real-time audio separation and effects.

3.5 Official Product Video

Video 1: An introductory video showcasing the AlphaTheta DDJ-GRV6 4-channel DJ controller and its key features.

4. MAINTENANCE

To ensure the longevity and optimal performance of your DDJ-GRV6, follow these maintenance guidelines:

- **Cleaning:** Use a soft, dry cloth to clean the surface of the controller. For stubborn dirt, a slightly damp cloth can be used, followed by immediate drying. Avoid abrasive cleaners or solvents.
- **Storage:** Store the controller in a cool, dry place away from direct sunlight, extreme temperatures, and excessive dust.
- **Software Updates:** Regularly check the AlphaTheta website for firmware and software updates to ensure compatibility and access to the latest features.

5. TROUBLESHOOTING

If you encounter issues with your DDJ-GRV6, refer to the following common solutions:

- **No Power:** Ensure the USB cable is securely connected and, if applicable, the power adapter is properly plugged into both the controller and a working power outlet.
- **No Sound:** Check all audio cable connections (Master Out, Booth Out, headphones). Verify that the volume levels on the controller, your computer, and connected speakers are not muted or set too low. Ensure the correct audio output device is selected in your DJ software settings.
- **Software Not Recognizing Controller:** Confirm that the latest drivers for the DDJ-GRV6 are installed. Restart both the controller and your computer. Check the USB connection and try a different USB port or cable.
- **Lag or Performance Issues:** Close other applications running on your computer. Ensure your computer meets the minimum system requirements for your DJ software. Try adjusting the buffer size in your software's audio settings.

For more detailed troubleshooting, visit the official AlphaTheta support website.

6. SPECIFICATIONS

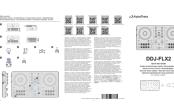
Feature	Detail
Item Weight	10.14 pounds
Product Dimensions	14.8 x 28.01 x 2.98 inches
Item Model Number	DDJ-GRV6
Color Name	Black
Material Type	Plastic
Size	Large

7. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

The AlphaTheta DDJ-GRV6 comes with a manufacturer's warranty. For detailed information regarding warranty

terms, registration, and technical support, please visit the official AlphaTheta website or contact their customer service. Keep your proof of purchase for warranty claims.

Related Documents - DDJ-GRV6

 AlphaTheta  PAD EDITOR レコードボックス rekordbox	<p>rekordbox PAD EDITOR — AlphaTheta AlphaTheta rekordbox PAD EDITOR DJ</p>
 AlphaTheta  PAD EDITOR Operation Guide rekordbox	<p>AlphaTheta rekordbox PAD EDITOR Operation Guide</p> <p>This guide provides detailed instructions for using the AlphaTheta rekordbox PAD EDITOR. Learn how to connect compatible DJ equipment, customize pad functions, select pad modes, and utilize templates for enhanced performance. Covers models like DDJ-FLX10, DJM-S7, DJM-S11, DDJ-XP2, DDJ-800, DDJ-1000, and DDJ-XP1.</p>
 AlphaTheta  LIGHTING mode Available Fixture List 	<p>AlphaTheta rekordbox Lighting Mode: Available Fixtures List</p> <p>A comprehensive list of available lighting fixtures compatible with AlphaTheta's rekordbox software, detailing various brands and models for lighting control.</p>
 DDJ-GRV6	<p>AlphaTheta DDJ-GRV6 Quick Start Guide: Setup and Basic Operation</p> <p>Get started with your AlphaTheta DDJ-GRV6 DJ controller. This guide covers preparation, connections, hardware operation for headphones and microphones, and basic DJing functions.</p>
 Windows Audio Driver - CHANGE HISTORY	<p>AlphaTheta Windows Audio Driver Change History</p> <p>Detailed change history and version updates for the AlphaTheta Windows Audio Driver, covering models like CDJ and XDJ series.</p>
 DDJ-FLX2	<p>AlphaTheta DDJ-FLX2 Quick Start Guide: DJ Controller Setup and Operation</p> <p>Get started quickly with the AlphaTheta DDJ-FLX2 DJ controller. This guide covers basic operation, connections, and software compatibility with djay, Serato DJ Lite, and rekordbox.</p>