XPPen Artist 15.6 Pro V2

XPPen Artist 15.6 Pro V2 Drawing Tablet User Manual

Model: Artist 15.6 Pro V2 | Brand: XPPen

1. Introduction

This manual provides essential information for setting up, operating, and maintaining your XPPen Artist 15.6 Pro V2 Drawing Tablet. Please read it thoroughly before use to ensure optimal performance and longevity of your device.

2. What's in the Box

Verify that all items are present in the package:

- XPPen Artist 15.6 Pro V2 Drawing Tablet
- X3 Pro Smart Chip Stylus
- Pen Holder (stores 8 pen nibs)
- 8 Replacement Pen Nibs
- 3-in-1 USB Cable
- USB-C to USB-A Cable
- USB-A Extension Cable
- Power Adapter with various international plugs (UK, Australian, European, US)
- Foldable Stand AC41
- Drawing Glove
- Cleaning Cloth
- Quick Guide
- Warranty Policy

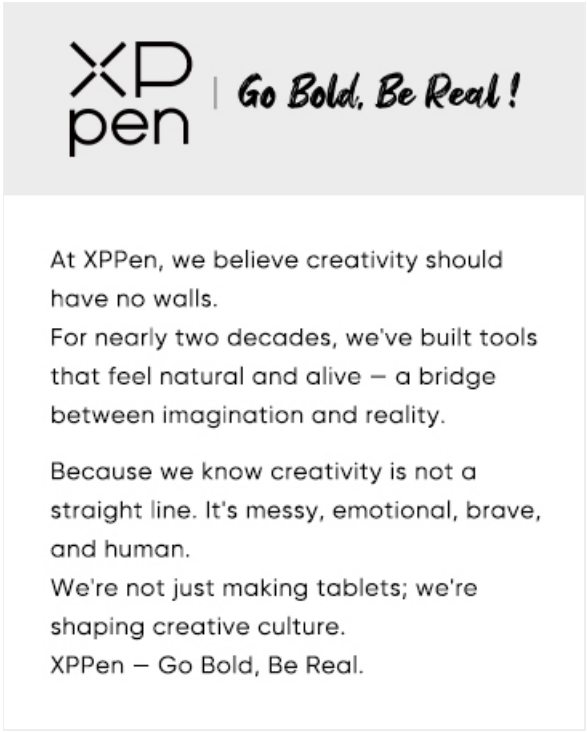


Image: All components included in the XPPen Artist 15.6 Pro V2 package.

3. Setup

3.1 Connecting to a Computer

The XPPen Artist 15.6 Pro V2 requires connection to a computer (desktop or laptop) to function. Ensure your computer meets the minimum operating system requirements (Windows 7+, Mac OS X 10.10+, Linux, Chrome OS 88+).

Option 1: Full-featured USB-C Cable Connection (for compatible devices)

1. Connect one end of the USB-C cable to the full-featured USB-C port on the drawing display.
2. Connect the other end of the USB-C cable to a full-featured USB-C port on your computer.
3. If your computer's power supply is insufficient, connect the power adapter to the 3-in-1 USB-C port on the display for additional power.

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Video: Demonstrates connecting the XPPen Artist 15.6 Pro V2 to a computer using a USB-C cable.

Option 2: 3-in-1 Cable Connection (for computers without full-featured USB-C)

1. Connect the 3-in-1 cable's display connector to the 3-in-1 USB-C port on the drawing display.
2. Connect the HDMI cable end to your computer's HDMI port.
3. Connect the black USB-A cable end to your computer's USB-A port.
4. Connect the red USB-A cable end to the provided USB-A extension cable, then plug the extension cable into the power adapter. Plug the power adapter into a wall outlet. This provides necessary power to the display.



Image: Illustration of the 3-in-1 cable and its connections to the computer and power.

3.2 Driver Installation

After connecting the hardware, download and install the latest driver from the official XPPen website. Follow the on-screen instructions for installation. This driver enables full functionality, including pen pressure sensitivity and customizable shortcut keys.

3.3 Stand Setup

The included foldable stand (AC41) provides a stable base and allows for adjustable viewing angles. Unfold the stand and place your Artist 15.6 Pro V2 on it for comfortable drawing. The stand is designed to reduce neck and wrist strain during long sessions.

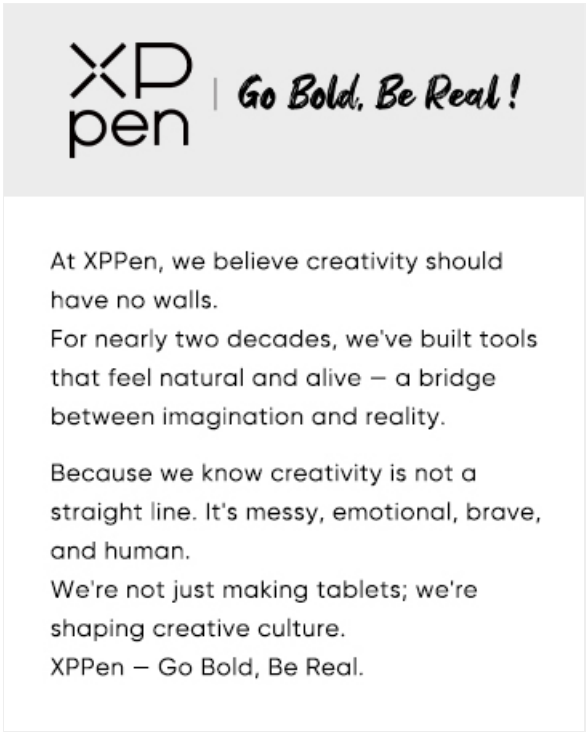


Image: The foldable stand in use with the drawing tablet.

4. Operating Instructions

4.1 X3 Pro Smart Chip Stylus

The X3 Pro Smart Chip Stylus offers 16384 pressure levels for precise and smooth lines. It supports 60° tilt function, allowing for natural shading and varied brush strokes. The stylus is battery-free, eliminating the need for charging.



Image: Close-up of the X3 Pro Smart Chip Stylus highlighting its features.

4.2 Red Dial and Shortcut Keys

The Artist 15.6 Pro V2 features an innovative Red Dial and 8 customizable shortcut keys. These can be configured through the driver software to control functions such as brush size, canvas navigation (zoom in/out), undo/redo, and more, streamlining your workflow.

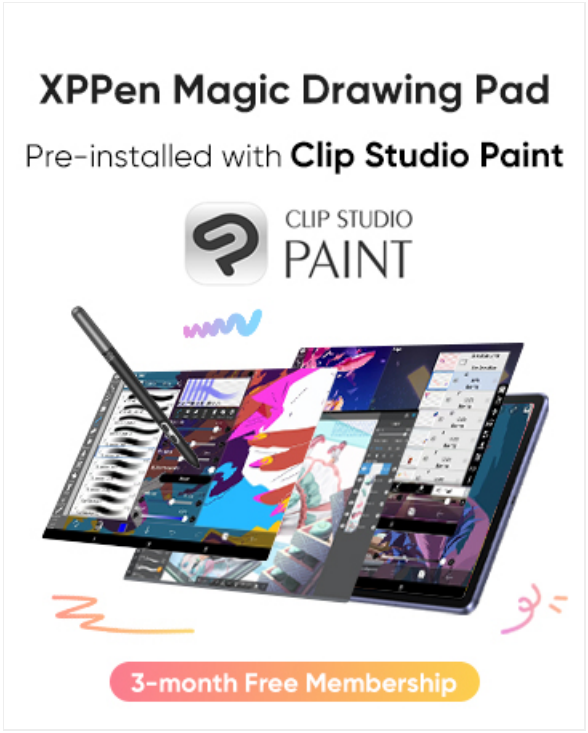


Image: The Red Dial and shortcut keys for efficient operation.

4.3 Display Features

The 15.4-inch display utilizes full lamination technology and anti-glare etched glass to minimize parallax and provide

a paper-like drawing experience. It offers 99% sRGB, 96% Adobe RGB, and 96% Display P3 color gamut, with 16.7 million colors, 250 cd/m² brightness, and a 1000:1 contrast ratio for vibrant and accurate color representation. The display also features a smart screen-brightness button for easy adjustment.



Image: Comparison of non-laminated vs. full-laminated anti-glare screen.

5. Compatibility

The XPPen Artist 15.6 Pro V2 is compatible with a wide range of operating systems and creative software:

- **Operating Systems:** Windows 11/10/8/7 (32/64 bit), Mac OS X 10.10 or later, Chrome OS 88 or later, Linux.
- **Software:** Works with major graphics software such as Photoshop, Painter, Illustrator, Clip Studio, GIMP, Krita, MediBang, FireAlpaca, Blender 3D, and many more.

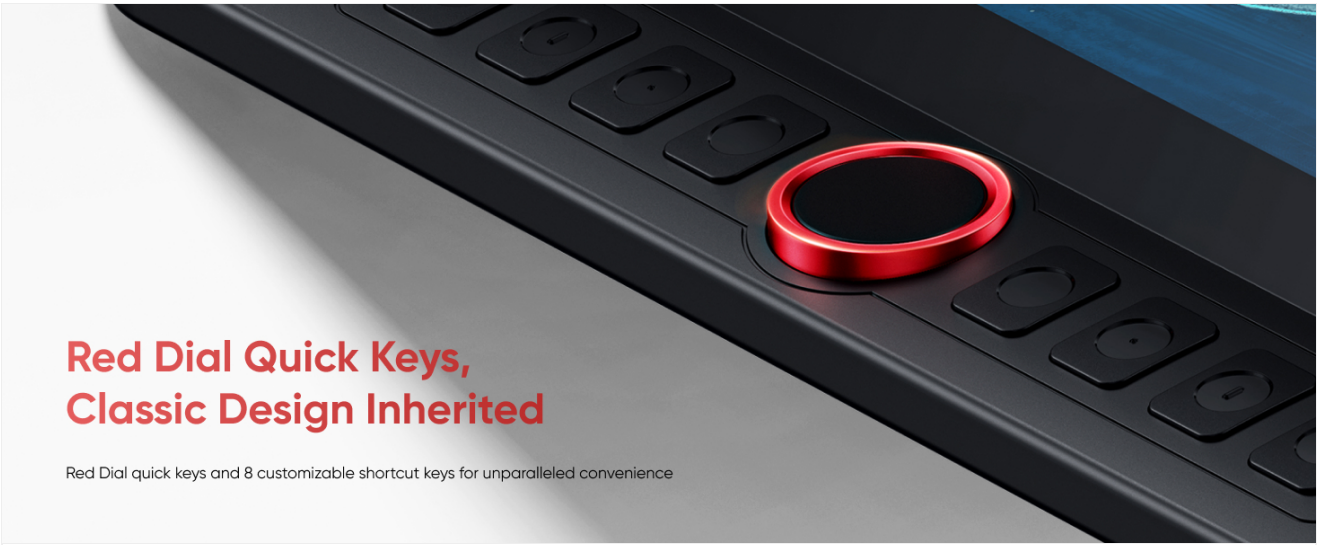


Image: Visual representation of compatible operating systems and creative applications.

6. Maintenance

- **Cleaning:** Use the provided cleaning cloth to gently wipe the screen. Avoid harsh chemicals or abrasive

materials.

- **Stylus Nibs:** Replace stylus nibs when they show significant wear to maintain optimal drawing performance. The pen holder stores spare nibs.
- **Storage:** When not in use, store the tablet in a safe place to prevent scratches or damage. Avoid placing heavy objects on it.
- **Cables:** Handle cables with care. Avoid bending them sharply or pulling them forcefully to prevent internal damage.

7. Troubleshooting

7.1 Display Not Turning On / No Signal

- Ensure all cables (USB-C, HDMI, power) are securely connected to both the tablet and your computer/power source.
- If using the 3-in-1 cable, confirm the red USB-A cable is connected to the power adapter and plugged into a working outlet.
- Check your computer's display settings to ensure it recognizes the tablet as an external monitor. You may need to extend or duplicate your display.
- Try restarting your computer after connecting the tablet.

7.2 Stylus Not Responding / Inaccurate

- Verify that the XPPen driver is correctly installed and up-to-date.
- Calibrate the stylus within the XPPen driver settings.
- Check the stylus nib for wear. Replace it if it appears damaged or worn down.
- Ensure there are no other drawing tablet drivers installed on your system that might conflict with the XPPen driver.

7.3 Shortcut Keys / Red Dial Not Working

- Open the XPPen driver software and check the key assignments. Reconfigure them if necessary.
- Ensure the driver is running in the background.

8. Specifications

Feature	Detail
Brand	XPPen
Model Name	Artist 15.6 Pro V2
Screen Size	15.4 Inches
Native Resolution	1920x1080
Display Type	LCD
Color Gamut	99% sRGB, 96% Adobe RGB, 96% Display P3
Brightness	250 cd/m²
Contrast Ratio	1000:1

Feature	Detail
Stylus Pressure Levels	16384
Tilt Support	60°
Connectivity Technology	HDMI, USB
Operating System Compatibility	Windows 7 and above, Mac OS 10.10 or later, Linux, Chrome OS M88 or later
Special Features	60° Tilt Support, Anti-Glare Glass, Extra-Slim, Full Lamination, Shortcut Key
Item Weight	3.66 Kilograms

9. Warranty and Support

Warranty: The XPPen Artist 15.6 Pro V2 comes with a 1-Year Warranty from the manufacturer. Please refer to the warranty policy document included in your package for full details and terms.
Support: For technical assistance, driver downloads, or further inquiries, please visit the official XPPen website or contact their customer support. Keep your product model number and purchase information handy when seeking support.

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