#### Logitech M196OW

# Logitech M196OW Bluetooth Wireless Mouse User Manual

Model: M196OW

#### 1. Introduction

Thank you for choosing the Logitech M196OW Bluetooth Wireless Mouse. This lightweight (76g) and compact mouse is designed for comfortable, symmetrical use, offering seamless connectivity via Bluetooth. It is compatible with both Windows and macOS operating systems, making it an ideal choice for various computing environments. This manual provides comprehensive instructions to help you set up, operate, maintain, and troubleshoot your new mouse.



Image: The Logitech M196OW Bluetooth Wireless Mouse in off-white, showcasing its sleek and ergonomic design.

#### 2. SETUP

#### 2.1. Battery Installation

- 1. Locate the battery compartment on the underside of the mouse.
- 2. Open the battery compartment cover.
- 3. Insert one AA battery, ensuring the positive (+) and negative (-) terminals align correctly with the indicators inside the compartment.
- 4. Close the battery compartment cover securely.



Image: The Logitech M196OW mouse positioned next to a single AA battery, illustrating the power source for the device.

## 2.2. Bluetooth Pairing

- 1. Turn on the mouse using the power switch located on the underside.
- 2. Press and hold the Bluetooth pairing button (usually located near the power switch or sensor) until the LED indicator on the mouse begins to blink rapidly, indicating it is in pairing mode.
- 3. On your computer (Windows or macOS), open the Bluetooth settings.
- 4. Search for new devices. The mouse should appear as "Logitech M196OW" or similar.
- 5. Select the mouse from the list to complete the pairing process. The LED indicator on the mouse will

#### 3. OPERATING THE MOUSE

The Logitech M196OW mouse features three buttons and a scroll wheel for intuitive navigation.

- Left Click: Primary button for selecting items, opening files, and interacting with software.
- Right Click: Secondary button for accessing context menus and additional options.
- **Scroll Wheel:** Used for vertical scrolling through documents and web pages. It also functions as a middle click button.



Image: A hand comfortably resting on the Logitech M196OW mouse, demonstrating its natural fit and ergonomic design for extended use.



Image: The Logitech M196OW mouse being used alongside a laptop, illustrating its compatibility with both Windows and macOS operating systems.

#### 4. MAINTENANCE

#### 4.1. Cleaning

To maintain optimal performance, regularly clean your mouse. Use a soft, lint-free cloth slightly dampened with water or a mild cleaning solution. Avoid harsh chemicals or abrasive materials. Gently wipe the surface of the mouse and the optical sensor area.

## 4.2. Battery Replacement

The Logitech M196OW mouse is designed for long battery life, offering approximately 12 months of continuous use on a single AA battery. When the mouse's performance degrades or the LED indicator signals low battery, replace the battery following the steps in Section 2.1.

### 5. TROUBLESHOOTING

#### 5.1. Mouse Not Connecting/Responding

- Check Battery: Ensure the battery is correctly installed and has sufficient charge. Replace if necessary.
- Power On: Verify the mouse is turned on.
- **Re-pair Bluetooth:** Go to your computer's Bluetooth settings, remove the mouse from the list of paired devices, and then re-initiate the pairing process as described in Section 2.2.
- **Computer Bluetooth:** Ensure your computer's Bluetooth is enabled and functioning correctly. Try restarting your computer.

#### 5.2. Erratic Cursor Movement

- Clean Sensor: Clean the optical sensor on the underside of the mouse with a soft, dry cloth.
- Surface: Use the mouse on a clean, non-reflective, and uniform surface. Avoid glass or highly reflective surfaces.

#### 6. SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Model Name	M196OW
Brand	Logitech
Color	Off-white
Number of Buttons	3
Hand Orientation	Ambidextrous
Compatible OS	Windows, macOS
Item Weight	76 g
Package Dimensions	12.8 x 7.1 x 4.4 cm
Continuous Usage Time	12 Months
Battery Included	Yes
Battery Usage	No (refers to rechargeable, this uses disposable AA)
ASIN	B0DKTNG9RX
Release Date	2010/1/1
First Available on Amazon.co.jp	2024/10/29



Image: Three Logitech M196 mice displayed side-by-side, showcasing the available color variations: Graphite, Off-white, and Rose.



Image: The Logitech M196OW mouse placed on a wooden desk, highlighting its compact and lightweight design (76g) for easy portability and storage.

## 7. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

Logitech products are manufactured to the highest quality standards. For detailed warranty information and customer support, please visit the official Logitech website or contact their customer service. Keep your purchase receipt as proof of purchase for warranty claims.

For further assistance, please refer to the official Logitech support resources:

• Logitech Support Website: www.logitech.com/support