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## iLovBee B98

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Model: B98

## INTRODUCTION

This manual provides comprehensive instructions for the iLovBee B98 Creamy Keyboard. It covers setup, operation, maintenance, and troubleshooting to ensure optimal performance and user experience. The iLovBee B98 is a full-size mechanical keyboard featuring tri-mode connectivity (Bluetooth, 2.4GHz wireless, and USB wired), a gasket-mounted design, hot-swappable linear switches, and customizable RGB backlighting.



Image: The iLovBee B98 Creamy Keyboard, showcasing its full layout with number pad, volume knob, and RGB backlighting.

## PACKAGE CONTENTS

Please verify that all items are present in the package:

- iLovBee B98 Gaming Keyboard

- USB Cable (Type-C)
- Keycap Puller
- End Keycap (1 piece, for knob replacement)
- Azure Switches (3 spare pieces)

## SETUP

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### 1. Charging the Keyboard

Before initial use, connect the keyboard to a USB power source using the provided USB-C cable. The keyboard features a 3150mAh rechargeable battery.

To check the battery level, press and hold **FN + ENTER**. The number row keys will illuminate to indicate the charge percentage. For example, keys 1-0 lit up means 100%, while keys 1-3 lit up means 30%.



Image: The iLovBee B98 keyboard demonstrating how to check battery level using FN+ENTER, with illuminated number keys indicating charge percentage.

### 2. Connectivity Modes

The iLovBee B98 keyboard supports three connection modes: 2.4GHz wireless, Bluetooth, and USB wired. A switch on the side of the keyboard allows you to select the desired mode.

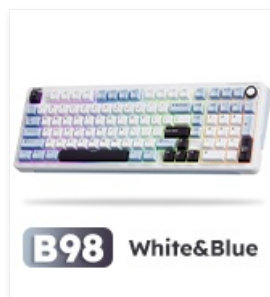


Image: Close-up of the iLovBee B98 keyboard's side switch for selecting 2.4GHz, USB-C, or Bluetooth connectivity modes.

#### 2.1. 2.4GHz Wireless Mode

1. Locate the 2.4GHz USB receiver, typically stored in a compartment on the keyboard.
2. Plug the USB receiver into an available USB port on your computer.
3. Slide the mode switch on the keyboard to the "G" (2.4GHz) position.

4. The keyboard should connect automatically.

## 2.2. Bluetooth Mode

The keyboard supports connecting up to 3 devices via Bluetooth.

1. Slide the mode switch on the keyboard to the "B" (Bluetooth) position.
2. To enter pairing mode, press and hold **FN + 1**, **FN + 2**, or **FN + 3** for 3-5 seconds until the corresponding key flashes rapidly.
3. On your device (computer, tablet, smartphone), open Bluetooth settings and search for "iLovBee B98".
4. Select the keyboard to pair. The key will stop flashing once connected.
5. To switch between paired Bluetooth devices, press **FN + 1**, **FN + 2**, or **FN + 3** briefly.

## 2.3. USB Wired Mode

1. Connect the provided USB-C cable to the keyboard's USB-C port and the other end to your computer.
2. Slide the mode switch on the keyboard to the middle (USB-C) position.
3. The keyboard will function as a wired device and charge simultaneously.



### Removable Knob

Quick Volume Control or Replace with End Key

Image: The iLovBee B98 keyboard connected to a laptop via USB-C, demonstrating its versatile tri-mode connectivity options.

## OPERATION

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### 1. Volume Knob Functionality

The multi-function knob located on the top right of the keyboard controls system volume.

- Rotate the knob clockwise to increase volume.
- Rotate the knob counter-clockwise to decrease volume.
- Press the knob to mute/unmute audio.

The knob is removable and can be replaced with the included "End" keycap for users who prefer a standard key layout.

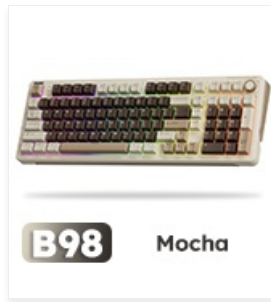


Image: A close-up view of the iLovBee B98 keyboard's removable volume knob, highlighting its design and functionality.

## 2. RGB Lighting Control

The iLovBee B98 features customizable RGB backlighting with 15 pre-set modes.

- **FN + ScrLK**: Switch between different RGB light modes.
- **FN + PrtSc**: Switch between different RGB light colors.
- **FN + ←**: Slow down light speed.
- **FN + →**: Accelerate light speed.
- **FN + ↑**: Increase backlight brightness.
- **FN + ↓**: Decrease backlight brightness.

## 3. Software Customization

For advanced customization, including key remapping, macro setup, and detailed RGB lighting effects, download the iLovBee software. This software is compatible with Windows operating systems. Refer to the official iLovBee website for download instructions.



Image: Screenshot of the iLovBee software interface, showing options for key mapping, macro setup, and RGB backlight customization for the B98 keyboard.

## MAINTENANCE

### 1. Cleaning the Keyboard

To maintain the keyboard's appearance and functionality:

- Disconnect the keyboard from all power sources before cleaning.
- Use a soft, lint-free cloth slightly dampened with water or a mild cleaning solution to wipe the keycaps and chassis.

- For dust and debris between keys, use compressed air or a small brush.
- Avoid harsh chemicals or abrasive materials.

## 2. Hot-Swappable Switches

The iLovBee B98 features a hot-swappable PCB, allowing you to change mechanical switches without soldering. It supports both 3-pin and 5-pin switches.

1. Using the provided keycap puller, gently remove the desired keycap.
2. Use the switch puller to carefully grip the switch from its top and bottom clips, then pull it straight up.
3. Align the pins of the new switch with the holes on the PCB. Ensure the pins are straight to avoid bending.
4. Press the new switch firmly into place until it clicks.
5. Replace the keycap.



Image: A close-up view of the iLovBee B98 keyboard with several keycaps and switches removed, illustrating the hot-swappable feature.

## TROUBLESHOOTING

Issue	Possible Solution
Keyboard not responding in wireless mode.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ensure the mode switch is set correctly (2.4GHz or Bluetooth).</li> <li>• Check battery level (<b>FN + ENTER</b>). Recharge if low.</li> <li>• For 2.4GHz, ensure the USB receiver is securely plugged in.</li> <li>• For Bluetooth, re-pair the device (<b>FN + 1/2/3</b>).</li> <li>• Try connecting via USB wired mode to confirm keyboard functionality.</li> </ul>
RGB lighting not working or incorrect.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Adjust brightness using <b>FN + ↑/↓</b>.</li> <li>• Cycle through modes using <b>FN + ScrLK</b>.</li> <li>• Ensure the keyboard is not in a low-power state (RGB may dim or turn off to conserve battery).</li> <li>• If using software, ensure it is running and settings are applied.</li> </ul>
Keys not registering or double-typing.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Check if the switch is properly seated. Remove the keycap and switch, then re-insert firmly.</li> <li>• If a specific switch is faulty, replace it with one of the spare switches provided.</li> <li>• Ensure the keyboard firmware is up to date (check iLovBee website).</li> </ul>

Issue	Possible Solution
Volume knob not functioning.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ensure the knob is securely attached.</li> <li>• Test basic system volume controls on your operating system.</li> <li>• If the knob was recently removed/replaced, ensure it is correctly re-inserted.</li> </ul>

## SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Model	B98
Layout	98% Full Size with Number Pad
Connectivity	2.4GHz Wireless, Bluetooth (BT5.1), USB-C Wired
Switches	Azure Linear Switches (Hot-Swappable, 3-pin/5-pin compatible)
Actuation Force	45 ± 5gf
Pre-travel	1.2 + 0.4 / -0.08mm
Total Travel	3.40 + 0 / -0.4mm
Mounting Style	Gasket Mounted with Leaf Spring
Backlighting	RGB (South-facing LEDs, 15+ modes)
Battery Capacity	3150mAh
Battery Life	Up to 260 hours (RGB off)
Compatible OS	Windows, macOS, Android
Dimensions	15.96"L x 5.68"W x 1.87"H (40.54 x 14.43 x 4.75 cm)
Weight	2.84 pounds (1.29 kg)
Material	Plastic



Image: An exploded diagram illustrating the internal components of the iLovBee B98 keyboard, highlighting its gasket-mounted structure with multiple dampening layers.



Image: Detailed specifications for the Azure Linear Switches, including actuation force, pre-travel, and total travel distances.

## SUPPORT

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For further assistance, technical support, or warranty inquiries, please visit the official iLovBee website or contact their customer service.

**Official Website:** [iLovBee Store on Amazon](#) (This link directs to the brand's store page on Amazon, where further support information may be available.)

