

## Hyperkin M01638-BK

# Hyperkin The Competitor Wired Controller - Instruction Manual

Model: M01638-BK

## PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The Hyperkin The Competitor Wired Controller is an officially licensed Xbox accessory designed for compatibility with Xbox One, Xbox Series S, Xbox Series X, Windows, and Linux. It features a futuristic-inspired design with a sleek shell and modern aesthetic, offering a balanced gaming experience.

Key features include:

- **Officially Licensed Xbox Controller:** Ensures full compatibility and performance with Xbox consoles.
- **Symmetrical Analog Sticks:** Designed for ambidextrous control and enhanced ergonomics.
- **Hall Effect Joysticks & Impulse Triggers:** Utilizes magnetic sensors for ultra-smooth movement, pinpoint precision, and long-lasting durability, effectively eliminating stick drift.
- **Translucent Traditional D-Pad:** Provides accurate control for directional inputs.
- **Four Precision Action Buttons:** Standard A, B, X, Y buttons for responsive gameplay.
- **Programmable Back Buttons:** Two mappable buttons on the rear to suit individual playstyles, with lock switches to prevent accidental presses.
- **Integrated Mic Mute Button:** Conveniently located for quick audio control.
- **Lasered Textured Grip:** Enhances comfort and control during extended gaming sessions.

## SETUP INSTRUCTIONS

To begin using your Hyperkin The Competitor Wired Controller, follow these simple steps:

1. Unpack the controller and the included USB-C to USB-A cable.
2. Connect the USB-C end of the cable to the port on the top of the controller.
3. Connect the USB-A end of the cable to an available USB port on your Xbox console (Xbox One, Xbox Series S, or Xbox Series X) or your PC.
4. The controller is plug-and-play and should be automatically recognized by your device. The Xbox button on the controller will illuminate to indicate a successful connection.



Image: Controller connected via USB-C cable.

Video: Official teaser showcasing the Hyperkin The Competitor Xbox Controller's features and design.

## OPERATING THE CONTROLLER

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### Basic Controls

- **Analog Sticks:** Use the symmetrical analog sticks for precise movement and camera control in games.
- **D-Pad:** The traditional D-pad is ideal for fighting games or menu navigation.
- **Action Buttons (A, B, X, Y):** Perform in-game actions such as jumping, attacking, or interacting.
- **Shoulder Buttons (LB, RB) & Triggers (LT, RT):** Used for various in-game functions, including aiming, firing, or menu navigation. The Hall Effect Impulse Triggers provide responsive feedback.
- **Xbox Button:** Press to access the Xbox Guide or turn on your console.
- **View Button:** Access in-game maps, menus, or other context-sensitive options.
- **Menu Button:** Access game or app menus.
- **Share Button:** Capture screenshots or game clips (functionality may vary by platform).
- **Mic Mute Button:** Press to mute or unmute your connected headset microphone.



Image: Symmetrical layout of the controller with back buttons and lock switches.

## Programmable Back Buttons

The controller features two programmable back buttons (M1 and M2) located on the underside. These buttons can be mapped to replicate any other button on the controller for quick access during gameplay.

1. To program a back button, ensure the lock switch for that button is in the unlocked position.
2. Press and hold the 'M' button (located on the back of the controller) until the Xbox button starts flashing.
3. Press the back button (M1 or M2) you wish to program.
4. Press the button on the front of the controller (e.g., A, B, X, Y, LB, RB, LT, RT, D-pad directions) that you want to map to the back button.
5. Release the 'M' button. The Xbox button will stop flashing, indicating the button has been successfully programmed.
6. To disable a programmed back button, slide its corresponding lock switch to the locked position.



Image: Hall Effect Impulse Triggers and programmable back buttons with lock switches.

Video: Official product video showcasing the Hyperkin The Competitor Officially Licensed Xbox Controller.

## MAINTENANCE

Proper care and maintenance will ensure the longevity and optimal performance of your controller:

- **Cleaning:** Use a soft, dry cloth to wipe down the controller regularly. For stubborn dirt, slightly dampen the cloth with water. Avoid harsh chemicals or abrasive cleaners.
- **Storage:** Store the controller in a cool, dry place away from direct sunlight and extreme temperatures.
- **Handling:** Avoid dropping the controller or subjecting it to strong impacts. Do not pull on the cable excessively.
- **Disassembly:** Do not attempt to disassemble or repair the controller yourself, as this may void the warranty.

## TROUBLESHOOTING

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### Controller Not Responding

- Ensure the USB-C cable is securely connected to both the controller and the console/PC.
- Try connecting the controller to a different USB port on your console or PC.
- Restart your console or PC.
- Verify that the console or PC operating system is up to date.

### Input Lag or Unresponsive Buttons

- Ensure the cable is not damaged or kinked. Replace if necessary.
- Test the controller on another game or device to determine if the issue is specific to a particular application.

### Stick Drift

- The Hall Effect joysticks are designed to prevent stick drift. If you experience any issues, check Hyperkin's official website for potential firmware updates or troubleshooting guides.

## PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS

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Feature	Detail
ASIN	B0FCTQYRMW
Release Date	October 29, 2025
Product Dimensions	6.25 x 2.5 x 5 inches
Item Weight	7.1 ounces
Item Model Number	M01638-BK
Manufacturer	Hyperkin
Compatibility	Xbox One, Linux, Windows, Xbox Series S, Xbox Series X

## WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

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Hyperkin products are designed for quality and reliability. For detailed warranty information, product registration, and technical support, please visit the official Hyperkin website. You can also find FAQs and contact customer service for assistance with any issues or questions regarding your Hyperkin The Competitor Wired Controller.

