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Model: Mini Pico

1. INTRODUCTION

The OTTOCAST Mini Pico is a compact 2-in-1 wireless adapter designed to convert your vehicle's existing wired CarPlay or Android Auto system into a wireless connection. This device enhances your driving experience by providing seamless access to navigation, music, and communication features on your car's infotainment screen without the need for cables. It features advanced Wi-Fi 6 and Bluetooth 5.4 technology for faster, more stable, and lower-latency performance.



Image: The compact OTTOCAST Mini Pico adapter.

2. COMPATIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

Before using the OTTOCAST Mini Pico, ensure your vehicle and smartphone meet the following requirements:

- **Vehicle Compatibility:** Your car must be equipped with factory-installed wired CarPlay or wired Android Auto. It must also have a touchscreen display.
- **Smartphone Compatibility:**
 - For Wireless CarPlay: iOS 10 or later (iPhone 6 and newer models).
 - For Wireless Android Auto: Android 11 or later (including Samsung and other Android phones).

To verify your vehicle's compatibility, you can use the official compatibility checker:

<https://check.adaptermanual.com/AMZ/>

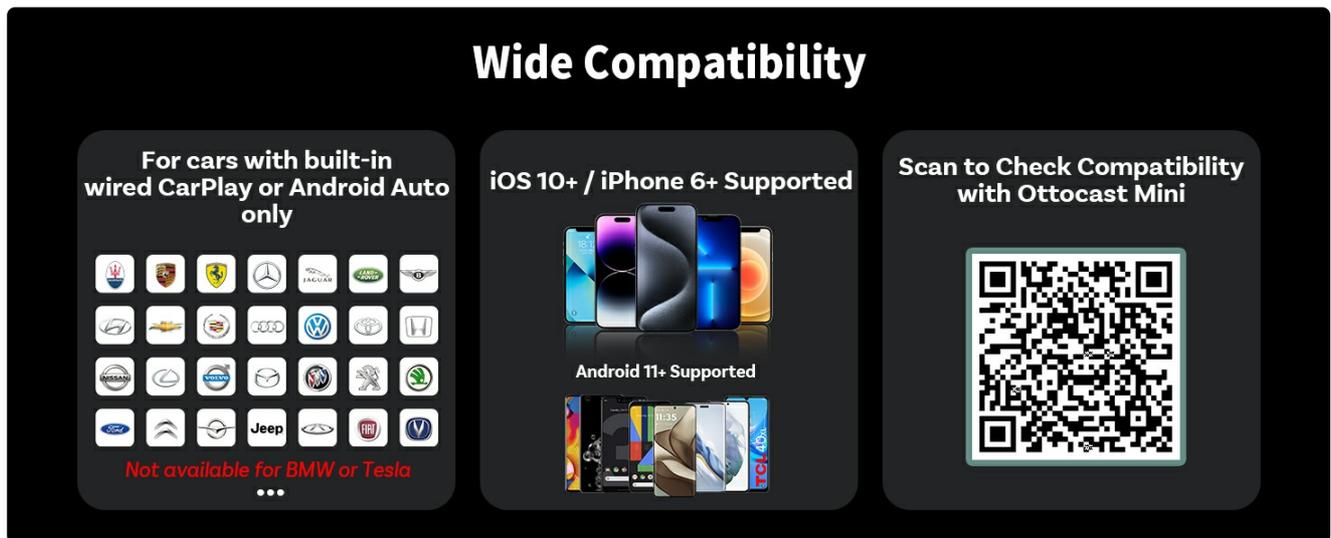


Image: Visual guide to vehicle and smartphone compatibility.

How to Check for Wired Android Auto

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Video: Instructions on how to verify if your vehicle supports wired Android Auto.

How to Check for Wired CarPlay

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Video: Instructions on how to verify if your vehicle supports wired CarPlay.

3. PACKAGE CONTENTS

The OTTOCAST Mini Pico package includes the following items:

- 1 x OTTOCAST Mini Pico Wireless CarPlay & Android Auto Adapter
- 1 x USB-A to USB-C Adapter
- 1 x User Manual (this document)
- 1 x Quick Start Guide



A Perfect Gift for Someone You Love

Image: Illustration of the items included in the product package.

4. SETUP INSTRUCTIONS

Follow these steps to set up your OTTOCAST Mini Pico adapter and establish a wireless connection:

1. **Plug in the Adapter:** Connect the Mini Pico adapter to your car's USB data port. Use the included USB-A to USB-C adapter if your car has a USB-C port. Ensure it is connected to a data-enabled USB port, not just a charging port.
2. **Turn On Bluetooth & Wi-Fi:** On your smartphone, enable both Bluetooth and Wi-Fi.
3. **Pair with "CAR2-XXX":** Search for the Bluetooth device named "CAR2-XXX" (the specific name may vary) on your phone and pair with it. Allow any requested permissions for contacts and favorites sync.
4. **Connect Wirelessly:** Once paired, your car's infotainment system should automatically display the CarPlay or Android Auto interface. Select the device on your car's screen if prompted.



Image: Visual guide illustrating the three-step setup process.

What is WiFi 6?

WiFi 6 is the latest WiFi standard, also known as IEEE 802.11ax.

It operates on both the 2.4 GHz and 5 GHz bands to deliver faster speeds, greater stability, and improved efficiency in high-device environments.

Compared to WiFi 5, WiFi 6 offers lower latency, better range, and smoother performance for all your wireless connections.

Image: Detailed steps for quick setup and connection.

Setup Demonstration Video

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Video: A demonstration of the setup process for the OTTOCAST Mini Pico adapter.

5. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Once set up, the OTTOCAST Mini Pico provides a seamless wireless experience:

- **Automatic Connection:** The adapter features smart memory and Bluetooth 5.4, allowing it to automatically reconnect to your phone each time you start your car. This provides a stable wireless range of up to 10 meters.
- **One-Tap Disconnect:** A dedicated button on the adapter allows for instant disconnection of CarPlay or Android Auto. This is useful for switching between different phones or ending the connection quickly without removing the device.
- **Retain Original Car Controls:** The Mini Pico adapter supports your car's original control methods, including touchscreen, steering wheel controls, and knob controls, for a familiar and integrated user experience.



Image: Demonstrates the one-tap disconnect feature for switching between users.

Package Contents



- 1 Ottocast Mini 2
- 2 USB-A to USB-C Adapter
- 3 User Manual
- 4 Quick Start Guide

Image: Shows how the adapter integrates with existing car controls like touchscreen, steering wheel, and knob.

One-Tap Disconnect Video

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Video: Demonstration of the one-tap disconnect feature for quick user switching.

6. MAINTENANCE

To ensure the longevity and optimal performance of your OTTOCAST Mini Pico adapter, follow these maintenance guidelines:

- **Keep Clean:** Regularly wipe the adapter with a soft, dry cloth to remove dust and debris. Avoid using liquid cleaners or abrasive materials.
- **Avoid Extreme Temperatures:** Do not expose the device to extreme heat or cold. Store it in a moderate environment when not in use.
- **Handle with Care:** Avoid dropping the adapter or subjecting it to strong impacts.
- **Firmware Updates:** Periodically check for firmware updates through the Ottocast app or website to ensure the best compatibility and performance.

7. TROUBLESHOOTING

If you encounter issues with your OTTOCAST Mini Pico, consider the following troubleshooting steps:

- **No Connection:**
 - Ensure your car has factory-installed wired CarPlay or Android Auto and a touchscreen.
 - Verify the adapter is plugged into a data-enabled USB port.
 - Check that Bluetooth and Wi-Fi are enabled on your phone and correctly paired with "CAR2-XXX".
 - Restart your car and phone, then try connecting again.

- **Intermittent Connection/Lag:**

- Ensure your phone is close to the adapter and there are no major obstructions.
- Check for any potential wireless interference from other devices.
- Update the adapter's firmware to the latest version.

- **Audio Issues:**

- Verify your car's audio input is set to the correct source (e.g., USB, CarPlay/Android Auto).
- Adjust volume settings on both your phone and car's infotainment system.
- If audio cuts out, try restarting the connection.

- **Adapter Not Recognized:**

- Try plugging the adapter into a different USB port in your car, if available.
- Ensure your car's infotainment system is updated.

If problems persist, refer to the Warranty and Support section for further assistance.

8. SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Product Dimensions	0.9 x 0.9 x 1 inches (2.29 x 2.29 x 2.54 cm)
Item Weight	0.25 ounces (7.09 grams)
Hardware Interface	Bluetooth 5, USB 3.0 Type A, USB 3.0 Type C
Data Link Protocol	Wi-Fi 6, Bluetooth 5.4
Compatible Operating System Family	Android, iOS
Minimum Required Operating System Version	Android 11.0, iOS 10
Manufacturer	Ottocast



Image: Highlights the Wi-Fi 6 technology for faster and more stable connections.



Image: Provides a definition and benefits of Wi-Fi 6 technology.

9. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

OTTOCAST provides a comprehensive **2-year warranty** for the Mini Pico adapter, ensuring peace of mind regarding product quality and performance.

For any questions, technical support, or warranty claims, please contact the OTTOCAST support team. They guarantee a response within 24 hours.

- **Contact Methods:** Phone, Email, or Live Chat (details typically found on the official OTTOCAST website or product packaging).