

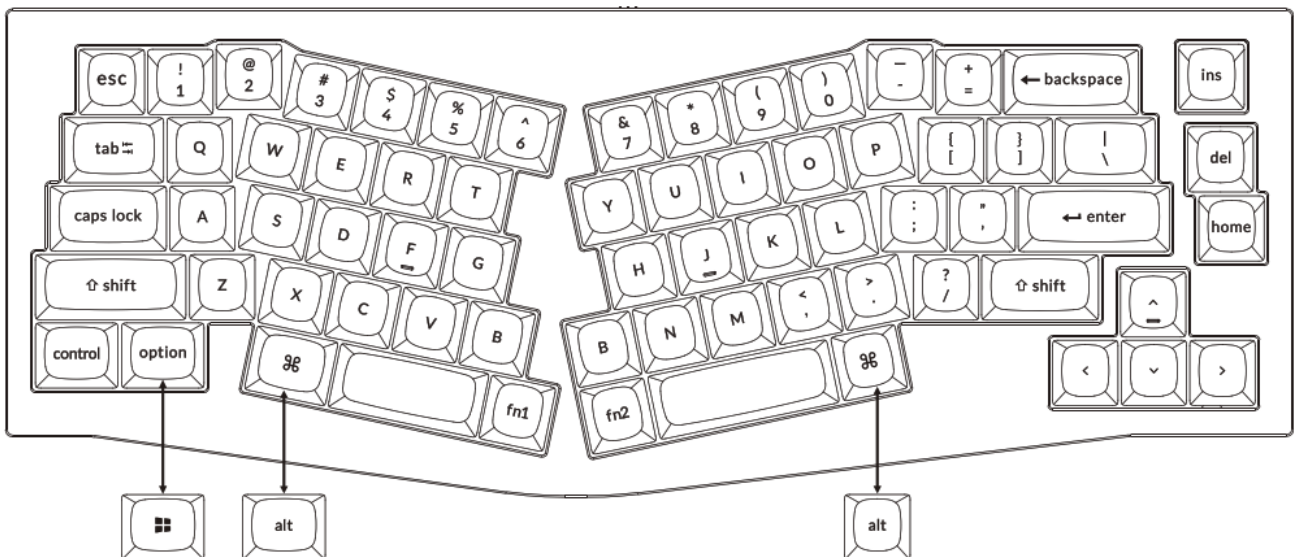


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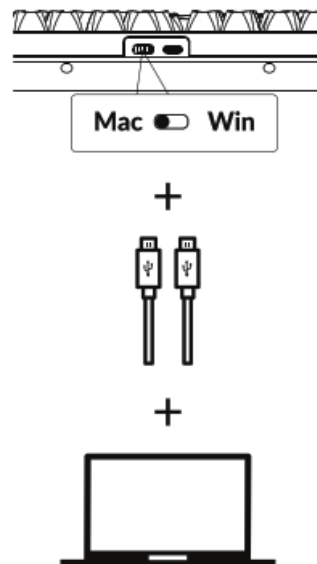
If you are a Windows user, please find the appropriate keycaps in the box, then follow the instructions below to find and replace the following keycaps.

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Switch To The Right System



Please make sure the system toggle on the top center has been switched to the same system as your computer's operating system.

The VIA Key Rernapping Software

Please visit caniusevia.com to download the latest VIA software to remap the keys. If the VIA software cannot recognize your keyboard, please reach out to our support to get the instruction.

V/A

The Layers

There are five layers of key settings on the keyboard.

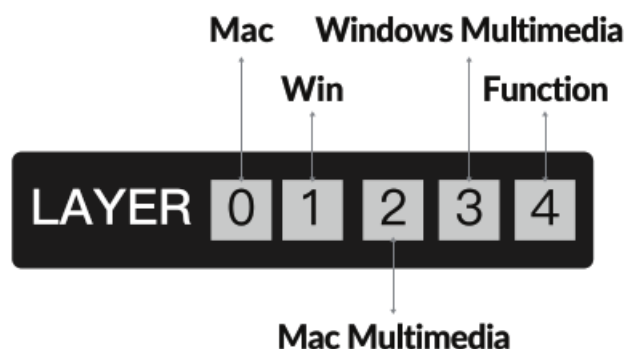
Layer 0 is for the Mac system.

Layer 1 is for the Windows system.

Layer 2 is for the Mac Multimedia keys.

Layer 3 is for the Windows Multimedia keys.

Layer 4 is for the Function keys.



If your system toggle is switched to Mac, then layer 0 will be activated

Mac ☒ Win

LAYER 0 1 2 3 4

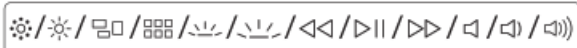
If your system toggle is switched to Windows, then layer 1 will be activated.

Mac ☐ Win

LAYER 0 1 2 3 4

Multimedia Key and Function Key.

Multimedia keys



Function keys

F1 / F2 / F3 / F4 / F5 / F6 / F7 / F8 / F9 / F10 / F11 / F12

In order to get Multimedia Key, you need to press only and



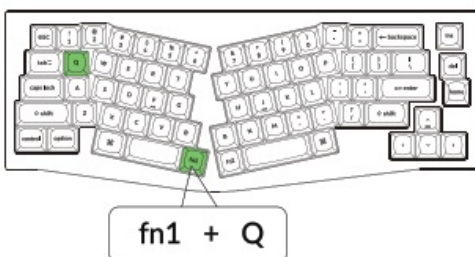
In order to get Function Key, you



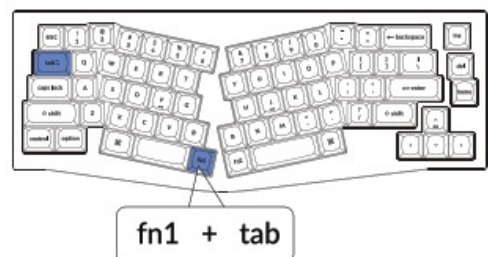
need to press fn2 and
Key. Key.

The Backlight

Press fn1 + Q to change the lighting effect

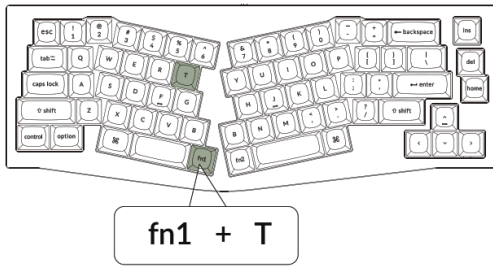


Press fn1 + tab to turn the backlight on/off

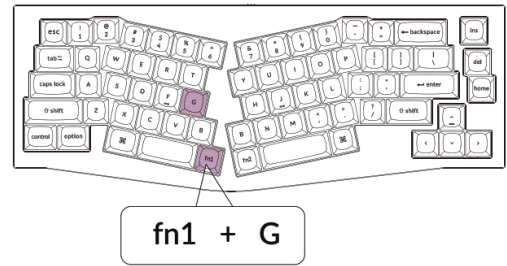


Adjust The Backlight Brightness

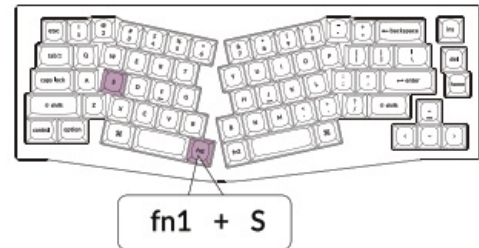
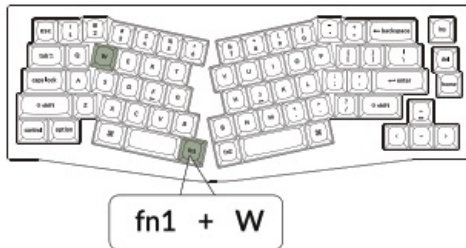
Press fn1 + T to increase the light effect speed



Press fn1 + G to decrease the light effect speed



Adjust The Backlight Speed



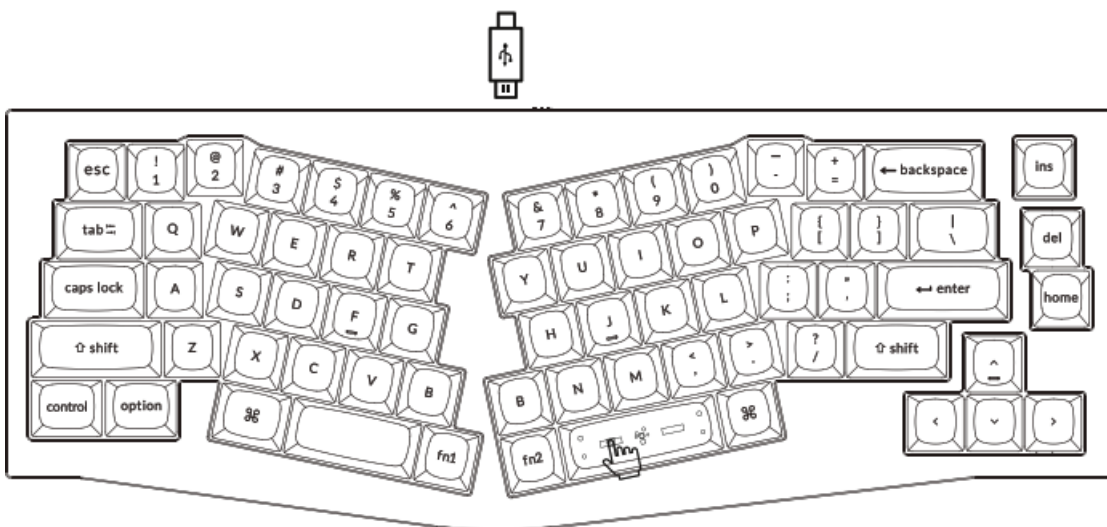
Warranty

The keyboard is highly customizable and easy to be rebuilt. If anything goes wrong with any of the keyboard components of the keyboard during the warranty period, we will only replace the defective parts of the keyboard, not the whole keyboard.

Watch The Building Tutorial On Our Website

If you are building the keyboard for the first time, we highly recommend you watch the building tutorial video on our website first, then start building the keyboard yourself.

Factory Reset




Troubleshooting? Don't know what's going on with the keyboard?

1. Try factory reset by pressing fn1 + J + Z (for 4 seconds).
2. Download the right firmware for your keyboard from our website. Remove the power cable from the keyboard.

3. Remove the space bar keycap to find the reset button on the PCB.
 4. Hold the reset key while plugging in the power cable and then release the reset key. The keyboard now will enter DFU mode.
 5. Flash the firmware with the QMK Toolbox.
 6. Factory reset the keyboard again by pressing fnl + J + Z (for 4 seconds).
- * Step by step guide can be found on our website.



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