

Installation of a 1-to-2 KVM Switch



Article Overview

A 1-to-2 KVM switch allows you to control two computers with a single keyboard, monitor, and mouse, and installation is straightforward with proper cable connections and optional hotkey setup.

Step 1: Prepare Your Equipment

Before installation, ensure you have:

- Two computers to connect
- A monitor, keyboard, and mouse
- The KVM switch and any included cables
- Optional audio/microphone peripherals if supported
- Adapters or docking stations if your computer ports differ from the KVM switch inputs (e.g., USB-C to HDMI)

Step 2: Power Down Devices

Turn off and unplug both computers and the monitor. If your computers have a Keyboard Power On feature, unplug them to prevent the KVM from receiving unintended power .

Step 3: Connect the Console

Plug your keyboard, monitor, and mouse into the KVM switch's console ports. If your KVM supports audio or microphone switching, connect these peripherals as well

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2 Computers 1 Monitor Setup

Stop unplugging cables. Use a KVM switch to connect 2 computers to 1 monitor. Mac, PC, USB-C compatible.

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2-Port Dual

Por KVM se alimenta mediante una conexión USB. Si se necesita más energía, conecte una fuente de alimentación ad Puede

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2 PORTS KVM SWITCH DUAL DISPLAY USER MANUAL

1. Description This USB & HDMI dual monitor KVM switch can control 2 desktops or laptops with 1 set of wired or wireless keyboard,

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