

# NYKO PlayPad™ Controller for Android

Thank you for purchasing the Nyko PlayPad™ controller for Android, This compact controller was designed to provide all of the features and benefits of a traditional game controller, while maintaining a small and portable form factor. Please read this manual to familiarize yourself with the set up and operation of this device.

### FEATURES

- . Compact & lightweight design ideal for gaming on the go.
- · Includes travel case, adjustable compact folding stand, and compact USB charge adaptor
- · Multiple modes allow for the device to be used for a wide array of applications and games.
- Designed to be used with Android devices (3.0 and above, 4.0 and above for touch mapping)
- Includes an iCade<sup>™</sup> mode that allows for the use of the device with iOS games that support iCade<sup>™</sup>
- Specially designed HID Game Pad mode developed in co-operation with NVidia®
- Rechargeable internal battery with up to 30 hours of playtime per full charge
- Download the free Nyko Playground™ customization APP to create, save, and share custom profiles for your favorite games

### CHARGING

Before the device is used for the first time we strongly suggest that you fully charge the controller

#### TO CHARGE:

- Remove the charge dongle from its storage space in the included travel/storage case
- Insert the Micro USB (small) end into the port (D in Fig.2) located in front of the controller
- Insert the full size USB (large) end into a powered USB port on your computer, or into a commonly found USB power adaptor with 5V output (most models made for portable USB devices will work)
- The Small LED labeled with a Battery icon will glow orange to indicate that the device is charging
- Once the device is fully charge the Battery (A in Fig.1) LED indicator will FLASH to indicate that the internal battery has been fully charged.
- Once the controller is fully charged detach the adaptor and place it back into the storage area in the travel case for future use. Due to the compact nature of the adaptor, we recommend that you store the adaptor whenever it is not being used, so it does not get lost or misplaced.

### SETUP

Once the controller is fully charged, you are ready to pair and use it with your mobile device.

- First check to see what version of Android you are running on your device. Please
  update to the latest available version for your device. Remember that the basic
  modes of the controller will require that you have Android 3,0 or higher installed,
  You will need 4.0 or higher for more advanced features such as touch mapping
  (finger placement emulation)
- Once you confirm that your mobile device is compatible with the Play Pad controller, set it up on the compact adjustable stand (C in Fig.2) that came with your controller.
- Unfold the stand and set to an angle that you prefer. The stand can accommodate
  many modern mobile devices including tablets and smart phones. If your device
  has a cover or case that does not allow the device to fit on the stand, please
  remove it temporarily. This compact adjustable stand can support the display of a
  tablet in the Vertical orientation. Depending on the height and overall size of the
  device you may need to unfold the additional base extension on the bottom of the
  stand, to better stabilize the stand.
- You will need to locate the Bluetooth settings of your mobile device, This is
  typically located in the Settings menu of your mobile device. Please refer to your
  mobile device instruction manual if you are unable to locate these settings. The
  Controller will need to be discoverable to your mobile device in order to pair.
  Locate the "Search for New devices" button in the Bluetooth settings menu, Do not
  press search yet,
- You will need to select the Play Mode you wish to use. Select the play mode using the slide switch (E in Fig.1) located on the front of the controller.

#### The Play Pad provides the following modes:

- GAME PAD- Indicated by a controller icon. In this mode the controller will serve as a HID Game Pad. This mode is supported by most modern "Controller compatible" games, or games that support HID game pads
- iCade™- This mode is indicated by a fruit icon, and can be used for iOS games that support the iCade™ protocol
- Mouse—This mode is indicated by the mouse icon. In this mode the controller behaves like a wireless mouse, the Left analog cap controls the cursor. The right click button, left click button, and several other popular buttons are triggered by the controller.
- APP- This mode is indicated by the letters APP. This mode is used in conjunction
  with the Nyko Playground App. Playground is a powerful tool provided for free to
  Play Pad users, allowing for custom profile creation. This mode can only be used
  with the Playground APP

- Select the mode you wish to use by sliding the mode switch (E in Fig.1) to the correct position.
- Now turn the controller ON by holding the HOME (G in Fig.1) button on the face of the controller for about 3-4 seconds.
- The Player 1 Indicator, and the Mode LED corresponding to the mode you selected will light up. The Player indicator will blink slowly
- Now press the "Search for new devices" option on your mobile device (should be in your Bluetooth settings, refer to manual if necessary)
- Now (while the Player LED Light (F in Fig.1) on your controller is Slowly Flashing) press and hold the HOME button again for about 2 sec. The Player LED will begin flashing rapidly.
- Now look for a device titled "NYKO PLAY PAD" in the device list of your mobile device, select it to pair.
- If done properly the Player Indicator (F in Fig.1) light will stop blinking and glow solid orange. You are now successfully paired.

If you were not successful try repeating the steps above, If you continue to have problems, contact our customer service department, or review our FAQ and tips on our website www.nyko.com

•The Game Pad, Mouse, and iCade™ modes are all synced by using the method above, However the APP mode allows for you to pair the device directly through the APP interface. If using the APP mode please make sure to download the Playground™ application for free from the Google Play Store. The App will guide you through the use of the APP mode, and allow you to create your own custom profiles, that will allow you to play a variety of games.

#### Using the Controller:

Once you are properly paired to your mobile device you are ready to use your new PlayPad™ controller. Please select a game that you wish to use. If the game supports HID Gamepads (use game pad mode), you will likely need to configure the controller using the games controller menu. Note that some games may not offer this option, and you may not need to configure the controller, as the game developer may have predetermined the control scheme. In such cases you just need to try the controller with the game running to see if there is any response.

Please review our website for an updated list of games that support the PlayPad. You can also use the APP feature of the controller to create your own custom profiles that you can use to emulate mouse, keyboard, and touch events. Using this mode will allow you to create a profile that may allow you to use your controller for many different applications, or for games that were not intended to support Game pads,

#### Turning off the controller:

Turn the controller off by pressing and holding the Home (G in Fig.1)button down for 5-6 sec, All lights will turn off to indicate that the controller has been turned off. The controller also has a built in sleep mode, so that the controller will go to sleep after 10 minutes of not being used. This will preserve the battery power and ensure that your device is ready to use the next time you need it.

## STORAGE

- Always keep the Play Pad in the included case with all of its accessories, Since this is a compact device it is important not to misplace any of the included accessories. Please store in a cool dust free area out of direct sunlight.
- Always wash your hands prior to use, If the controller needs to be cleaned please wipe down using a dry cloth, Keep away from liquids or harsh chemicals that may damage the device
- Do not charge using power adaptors with a higher than 5V output, and never open, modify or temper with the controller and the internal battery.

Thank you for purchasing Nyko products, and we hope you enjoy your new controller. If you have any questions regarding this product, you can contact our customer service department. Visit www.nyko.com for further details.

## TECHNICAL SUPPORT

We appreciate your support of Nyko products, and endeavor to guarantee your satisfaction with this purchase. If you are experiencing difficulties, please contact us:

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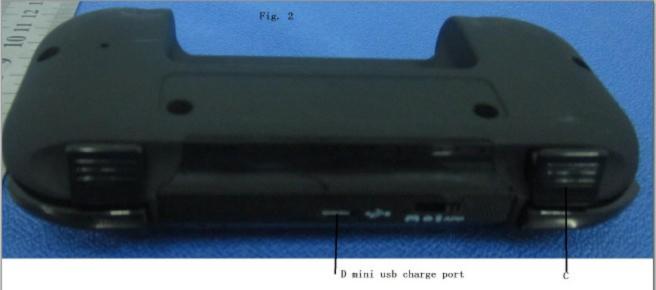
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#### Nyko Product Limited Warranty

This Nyko product is warranted to the original purchaser for the product's normal intended use for a period of ninety (90) days from the date of purchase. If a defect covered under this warranty occurs, Nyko will replace or repair the product or its defective parts, at Nyko's option, at no charge. This warranty does not apply to defects resulting from misuse or modification of the product. The product should be returned with proof of purchase, a brief statement of the claimed defect, and the purchaser's contact information, to: Nyko Technologies, Inc., 1990 Westwood Bivd., 3rd Floor, Los Angeles, CA 90025, with freight charges prepaid. Please allow 3-4 weeks for processing.

Fig. 1





## **Federal Communications Commission (FCC) Statement**

This device complies with part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) This device may not cause harmful interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

Note: This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class B digital device, pursuant to part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference in a residential installation. This equipment generates, uses and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instructions, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation. If this equipment does cause harmful interference to radio or television reception, which can be determined by turning the equipment off and on, the user is encouraged to try to correct the interference by one or more of the following measures:

- Reorient or relocate the receiving antenna.
- Increase the separation between the equipment and receiver.
- Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected.
- Consult the dealer or an experienced radio/TV technician for help.

Warning: Changes or modifications made to this device not expressly approved by Nyko Technologies. Inc. may void the FCC authorization to operate this device.

**Note:** The manufacturer is not responsible for any radio or tv interference caused by unauthorized modifications to this equipment. Such modifications could void the user's authority to operate the equipment.