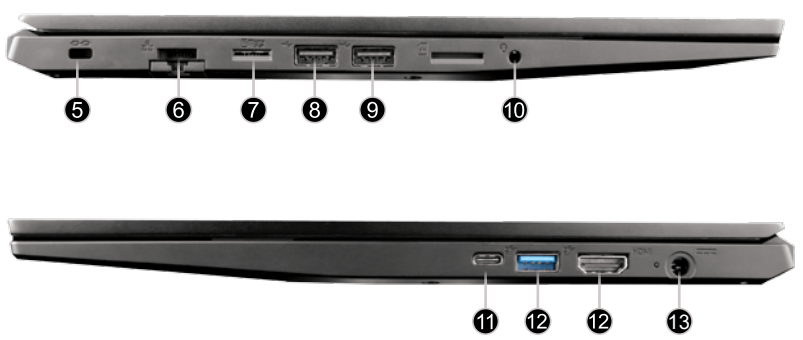
Setup Guide

BlackBook Zero 15 (A739XX)

1 Quick Laptop Tour

1 - Webcam
2 - Microphone
3 - Power Button
4 - Touchpad



5 - Kensington Lock Slot
6 - RJ-45 LAN Port
7 - Micro SD Reader
8 - USB 2.0
9 - USB 2.0
10 - Headphone Port
11 - USB 3.1 (Type C)
12 - USB 3.1 (Type A)
13 - Power Connector

2 Connecting Power Adapter

x2 For your convenience the Venom BlackBook Zero 15 comes standard with 2 x AC Adapters

3 Power Button 'On'

Hold down the power button for 1-2 seconds

Then follow the Windows Setup prompts

4 Register Your Venom

Visit www.venomhelpdesk.com/register or click the shortcut provided on your Venom BlackBook Windows desktop screen. (icon)

Now you can create a Venom Help Desk account or click the login option in the top menu bar if you already have a Venom Help Desk account.

Once logged into your account, register your Venom BlackBook by:

- Entering in the serial number
- Selecting the place of purchase
- Uploading an image or PDF of your invoice

BENEFITS OF REGISTERING

Registering your BlackBook with Venom will ensure you have access to Venom support for the lifetime of your BlackBook. All support, under warranty and out of warranty, is provided via **venomhelpdesk.com**

We will continue to provide you with updates and support via this global portal ensuring you receive support 24/7 wherever you are.

Post Setup Information

USB Recovery Drive

Note: You are not required to use this device upon receipt of your new computer.

This device is useful in the event you need to restore your Venom software back to factory settings. Please note, operating this device will erase all data on your computer, therfore it is important to back up your data before usinig this device.

How to use:

1. Connect USB Recovery Drive to a USB Port
2. Power on your BlackBook
3. At initial startup, press the '**F2**' key two or three times to bring up menu
4. When the menu appears, select Boot Manager & press 'Enter'
5. In Boot Manager, select EFI USB Device (Kingston) & Press 'Enter'
6. Follow the prompts to recover the Operating System

Do not lose or modify this device

Warranty & Support

In the event that you require after sales support you can simply create a ticket via the online Venom Help Desk.

To submit a ticket;

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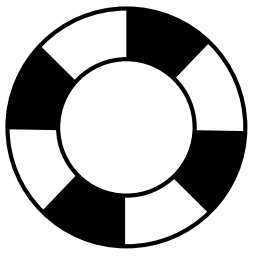
- Login
- Submit a ticket



Keyboard Hot Keys Diagram

Function Key Definitions

BACKLIGHT HOT KEYS

F1	F2	F3	F5	F6	F7	F8	F9	F10	F11	F12				
Touchpad	Laptop Monitor Backlight	Mute	Volume Down	Volume Up	External Display Options	Screen Brightness Down	Screen Brightness Up	Camera	Aeroplane Mode	Sleep Mode	Launch LED Keyboard Manager	Turn LED On/Off	Increase Keyboard Brightness	Decrease Keyboard Brightness

Example: Press and hold the 'Fn' key + F3 Key to mute

Windows Updates

Windows updates are automatic. Your computer may run slower than usual immediately after the initial setup.
This is because Windows updates may be running in the background. Your computer may need to restart after these updates.

Windows

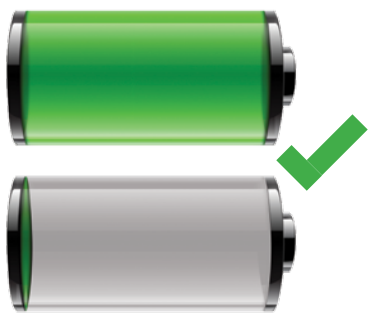
Do's

Open from the middle

Opening the lid by holding it from the middle will avoid putting uneven pressure on your computer's hinges.

Use on flat, hard surface

Always use your Venom on a flat, hard surface. Do not use on carpets, bed spreads, laps, etc.



Battery deep cycling

In order to calibrate and condition a new battery, deep cycling is recommended. Charge the battery up to 100% and then let it discharge down to 2 or 3% capacity. Continue this process for the first 6 cycles to maximise the efficiency of the battery. You may use the computer freely during this process.

Shut down correctly

Always shut down your Venom correctly by going to the Windows Start Menu, selecting the power option and then clicking shut down.

Don't's

Don't apply pressure on screen

Do not put anything heavy or apply pressure on the screen as this could cause damage.

Don't spill liquid

Keep your computer away from liquid at all times.

Don't knock the power connector

Avoid knocking or bumping the connected power adapter as this could cause damage.

Don't carry the laptop incorrectly

Avoid carrying the laptop from the front whilst open. Always use two hands on either side or put your hand underneath to evenly disperse the weight.