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MINIX IR-Remote



Dual-Band Antenna



Power Adapter



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# **Specifications**

Processor Quad-Core Cortex A53 Processor (64-bit)

GPU Penta-Core Mali-450 GPU

Memory 2GB DDR3

Internal Storage 16GB eMMC 5.0 Storage (MLC)

Wireless Connectivity 802.11 ac 2 x 2 MIMO Dual-Band Wi-Fi (2.4GHz/5.0GHz),

Bluetooth 4.1

OS Android™ Lollipop 5.1.1

Video Output HDMI™ 2.0, up to 4K @ 60Hz, Supports HDMI-CEC

Audio Output Via HDMI™ 2.0, 3.5mm Stereo jack, Optical SPDIF

Peripheral Interface RJ-45 Gigabit Ethernet - Supports hotspot sharing via Wi-Fi

Micro SD card reader

USB 2.0 port x 3, OTG port x 1, Kensington Lock ready

Microphone jack, Headphone jack, IR receiver (remote included)

Power DC 5V, 3A adapter included (CE, FCC certified)

Supported Video Format DAT/MPEG/MPE/MPG/TS/TP/VOB/ISO/AVI/MP4/MOV/3GP/FLV/

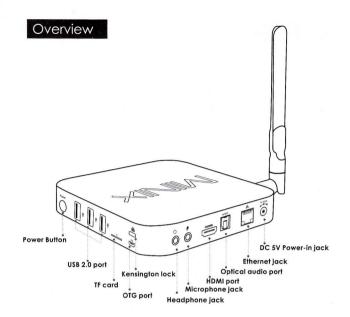
MKV/M2TS/MTS/M4V/WMV/ASF

Supported Audio Format MP2/MP3/WMA/WAV/OGG/OGA/FLAC/ALAC/APE/AAC

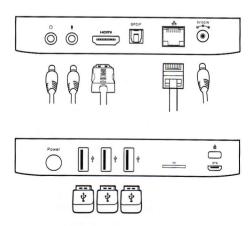
### Thank you for purchasing the MINIX NEO U1.

NEO U1 pushes the boundaries of Android™ on TV capabilities, bringing all the great features that you expect from Android™ OS into your living room; including web browsing, stunning Ultra High-Definition video playback and real-time streaming, access to popular media player apps such as KODI™, screen-casting capability, local media playback capability via USB port, Internet radio and audio streaming services, Skype™ along with other VoIP services, Android™ gaming and much more.

More hints, tips and useful information can be found on the official MINIX Forum: www.minixforum.com



# Overview



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IR Receiver - Compatible with Logitech Harmony

Power LED - The LED glows blue when the NEO U1 is on, green when suspended.

**Power button** - To power on the NEO U1, press and hold the power button for 1-2 seconds until the power LED glows. To power off the NEO U1, press and hold the power button and the display will prompt out the power off options, select OK to confirm your choice. Alternatively, hold the power button for 8 seconds to force power off. (You may also power on/off the device using the infra-red remote controller.)

 ${\sf TF}$  card slot - Increase the storage size or read files directly from a TF card, supports up to 256GB max.

**Recovery button** - The recovery button is to be used together with the OTG port when connecting to a PC for service/manual upgrade purposes.

Earphone Jack - Connect to an external audio output device such as earphones etc...

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Microphone Jack - Connect to a microphone for voice input.

Ethernet Jack - Connect the Ethernet cable for internet access. If you need advanced settings such as VPN, go into the settings page at: "Settings" > "More...". While connected with the Ethernet cable, the NEO U1 can be used as a router and also a Wi-Fi hotspot; if you need to use the Wi-Fi hotspot feature, please make sure that the Wi-Fi feature is OFF before you enable the Wi-Fi hotspot service at: "Settings" > "More".

DC 5V Power-in Jack - Connect the 5V power adapter supplied in the package to this port. The NEO U1 requires less than 1A to operate, however the included power adapter provides 3A, in consideration that you may require extra to connect other power-drawing external devices such as an external hard drive.

**USB 2.0 Ports** - Connect an external USB device to the NEO U1, such as USB flash drive, reciever of wireless keyboard and mouse, USB wired mouse, receiver of wireless headset, MINIX branded air-mouse / gyro-mouse etc...

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**HDMI port** - Connect the NEO U1 to the HDMI port of a high-definition TV or PC monitor using an HDMI cable.

**Optical Audio Port** - Connect to the optical audio input of an external sound processing unit, such as an amplifier.

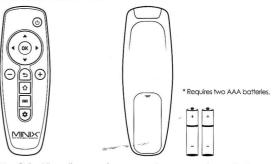
OTG Port - Connect the micro end of the Micro-USB cable to this port and the other end to the computer for synchronization and manual upgrade purposes. This port also serves as an extra USB port while using with the Micro-USB OTG cable bundled in the package.

# Control

**Different Control Methods** - You may control the NEO U1 with the following input devices:

- 1.) Wired mouse;
- 2.) 2.4GHz USB wireless mouse and keyboard set;
- 3.) 2.4GHz USB air-mouse / gyro-mouse (MINIX branded mouses sold separately);
- 4.) MINIX IR-Remote(included).

# **IR-Remote Functions**



- MENU Call out the options menu for your current screen or running application
- HOME Return to the home screen (choice of launcher required)
- POWER Power on, enter/wake from sleep mode. Long press to call out power menu
- **BACK** Return to the previous screen running or cancelling an activity
- VOLUME DOWN Adjust the system volume down
- + VOLUME UP Adjust the system volume up
- A UP Move upward
- ✓ LEFT Move left
- ▶ RIGHT Move right
- DOWN Move downward
   OK To confirm a particular action, or as an "Enter"key
- SETTINGS Call out the basic settings menu

# Basic Setup

#### What you need:

**High-Definition TV or PC monitor** - That can display 720p, 1080p or 4K video with at least one HDMI input.

HDMI Cable - To connect the NEO U1 to your TV (HDMI cable included).

**Wireless Network** - A wired network cable or an 802.11ac Wi-Fi wireless network, your wireless network name and password.

**Software and accounts** - To play content (videos, photos, music) from a smartphone or PC on the NEO U1 you will need:

- A UPnP/DLNA software pre-loaded on your smartphone or PC.
- A Google account to sign-in to Google Play Store to download the corresponding applications (e.g. iMediaShare, eHomeMediacenter) neccessary for streaming the content from a smartphone or PC.
- Other accounts may be required for full access to some internet contents.

### Basic Setup

The MINIX NEO U1 connects to your TV or PC monitor through an HDMI port that delivers both audio and video. Before you setup the NEO U1, look at the ports on the side/back of your TV or PC monitor to ensure you have the right cable:

- HDMI cable: You can connect the NEO U1 to a HDTV or home theater receiver that has a HDMI port, using the HDMI cable for video and audio.

#### Step 1: Connecting the cable

- 1. Connect one end of the HDMI cable to the HDMI port of your TV / PC monitor.
- 2. Connect the other end of the cable to the HDMI port of the NEO U1.

#### Step 2: Connecting the power

- Connect the 5V power adapter supplied in the package to the relevant port. Press and hold the power button for 2-3 seconds to power on the NEO U1, the blue power LED should then glow. (You may also use the supplied infra-red remote to power up the device)

#### Step 3: Turn on your TV / PC monitor and select the input

- Simply turn on your TV or PC monitor and select the corresponding HDMI port connected to the NEO U1.

# Basic Setup

#### Language Setup

You may choose the desired system language by following these steps:

#### Launcher Home Screen > Settings > Language

The default language is English, you may choose your desired language and confirm.

#### **Time Zone Setup**

You should adjust the time zone according to your current location by the following steps:

Launcher Home Screen > Settings > Date & Time > Select Time Zone

Choose your time zone and confirm.

#### Wi-Fi Setup (basic)

To connect to your wireless network follow these steps:

Launcher Home Screen > Settings > Wi-Fi > Check the option

#### "To see available networks turn Wi-Fi on"

Wi-Fi will turn on and automatically scan the wireless networks available, then select the wireless network that you wish to connect to and confirm, key-in the password of the Wi-Fi network when the virtual keyboard prompts, finally hit the "Connect" button.

# Google Play Store

Sign-in to your Google Account.

Launch the Google Play Store by the following steps:

Launcher Home Screen > All apps > Google Play Store, select and confirm.

To use the Google Play Store you will need a Google Account. If you already have a Google Account, select "Sign in" and login with your Google Account. If you don't have a Google Account yet, select "Get a Google Account" and complete the rest of the process.

Upon completion of the sign-in process you will be brought to the Google Play Store, allowing you to download and install the applications you want. Alternatively, if you cannot find the application you need on the Google Play Store because of language restriction, location restriction or other reasons; you may look for and download the application files in the form of ".apk" from the internet and install them through the "ApkInstaller", which is pre-loaded in the system.

### Kodi

Kodi is a media player that allows users to play and view most videos, music, such as podcasts from the internet, and all common digital media files from local and network storage media.

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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. Modifications not expressly
  approved by the manufacturer could void the user's authority to operate the equipment under
  FCC rules.

