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California Proposition 65 WARNING! This product may contain chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or other reproductive harm. Wash hands after handling. Package contents • 1 x ASUS Cerberus Gaming Keyboard • 1 x Quick Start Guide • 1 x User Manual System requirements • Computer with an available USB 2.0 port • Microsoft Windows® 10 / 8.x / 7 / XP Specifications summary Connector Single USB Anti-Ghosting 19KRO

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[Page 3](#) Getting to know your Gaming Keyboard CERBERUS Media player controls Backlight control on/off (Stop, play/pause, previous, next) Volume down / volume up [FN] + [1]~[9]: Multi-color lighting controls [FN] key Installing your gaming keyboard Connect the USB connector of your gaming keyboard to the USB port of your computer. Your computer automatically detects and installs the keyboard driver. When the installation is completed, you can start using your gaming keyboard. ASUS Cerberus Gaming Keyboard E11609\_Cerberus\_Gaming\_Keyboard\_UM\_V3.indd 3 2016-04-12 17:45:19...

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[FN] + [F12] Launch the calculator [FN] + [Q] Launch the Rapid fire mode (repeating keystrokes) [FN] + [Tab] Transfer W / A / S / D keys to arrow keys [FN] + [Win] Disable the Windows key NOTE: Once you disconnect the gaming keyboard from the USB port of your computer, [FN] + [F11], [FN] + [Q], [FN] + [Tab], and [FN] + [Win] function keys will be reset to factory defaults. Using the Macro, Swap, and Rapid fire modes Macro mode Configure the function keys (F1~F12) as macro keys to conveniently launch frequently-used apps or key combinations, and perform repetitive tasks or actions with a single keystroke. ASUS Cerberus Gaming Keyboard E11609\_Cerberus\_Gaming\_Keyboard\_UM\_V3.indd 5 2016-04-12 17:45:20...

[Page 6](#) To configure a macro key: 1. Press [FN] + [Insert] and wait for the Win Lock key to light up and turn red, indicating that the macro mode is enabled. to flash 2. Press a function key (F1~F12) and wait for the Win Lock key red. 3. Press the keys that you want to assign for the macro key. 4. When done, press [FN] + [ESC] to exit the recording mode. 5. To configure more macro keys, ensure that the Win Lock key is still solid red, then repeat steps 2 to 4. 6. To exit the macro mode, long press [FN] + [ESC]. Wait for the keyboard backlight to flash twice and the Win Lock key LED to turn off. Swap mode: The swap mode lets you change the functions of some keys.

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2. Press a key or keys that you want to have repeating keystroke, and the Win Lock LED flashes red. 3. Press [FN] + [ESC] once to end. 4. Press [FN] + [Q] to enable/disable the Rapid Fire mode. Mode Switch PROFILE DESCRIPTION Gaming Profile With 343-color backlight (default) The Macro, Swap and Rapid fire functions are enabled. Normal Profile With mint color backlight The Macro, Swap and Rapid fire functions are disabled. NOTE: To switch profiles, press [FN] + [Caps Lock]. The backlight flashes twice to indicate the profile mode switch. Backlit setting Multi-color You can on-the-fly set the backlighting color of the keyboard to 343 color combinations. There are several options for setting the backlight color: • Press [FN] + [1]~[7] for pre-set colors. • Press [FN] + [8]~[9], and use the [R], [G], or [B] keys to set up your preferred color. ASUS Cerberus Gaming Keyboard E11609\_Cerberus\_Gaming\_Keyboard\_UM\_V3.indd 7 2016-04-12 17:45:21...

[Page 8](#) [FN] + [1] [FN] + [2] Orange [FN] + [3] Yellow [FN] + [4] Green [FN] + [5] Blue [FN] + [6] Indigo [FN] + [7] Violet [FN] + [8] Custom [FN] + [9] Custom NOTE: [R], [G] or [B], each has 7 levels. Brightness effect • Press [FN] + [PgUp]/[PgDn] to increase/decrease the breathing light levels. There are 4 light levels available.

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