



Huano Caramel Latte

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Notes

Push Feel

In spite of being light weight linears at around 50 grams of bottoming out force, the consistent and fairly heavy factory lubing applied the Huano Caramel Lattes makes for a smooth-and-only-smooth linear stroke that collides at the top and bottom with firm, muted, and subtle housing collisions. Save for some slight inconsistencies with this factory lubing in which around 15% of the switches that I tried had more lube than others, these are excellent show outs for switches that can be used directly out of the box in even the best keyboard builds.

Wobble

Even though the N/S and E/W direction stem wobble is perhaps the worst performance metric for the Huano Caramel Latte switches, it is still far and above better than most other Huano switches. While not likely to bother most users, there be a few who are sensitive to stem wobble that don't like these.

Sound

The Caramel Latte switches are, above all else, smooth, subtle, and very quiet switches overall. While they can have slightly more pointed sounding bottom outs at higher typing speeds, any normal usage of these switches will have them be among the most quiet linear switches that most people have used in some time.

Context

Without much notice from the community at large save for a more switch-focused YouTubers as of the time of my review, the Caramel Latte switches are honestly entirely slept on and under catered to by vendors. At \$0.30 per switch these are far and away some of the best budget linears out there given their basically usable directly out of the box status.

Other

In spite of Huano not historically having had the best performance characteristics in their switches, these switches here really shown how they are beginning to turn that corner...

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