



Mengmoda Holy Panda

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Switch Type: Tactile		Aflion
23	/35	Push Feel
17	/25	Wobble
1	/10	Sound
9	/20	Context
5	/10	Other
55	/100	Total

Notes

Push Feel

Being a 'Holy Panda in name only', the MMD Holy Pandas are a medium weighted highly tactile with a snappy tactile bump place towards the top end of the downstroke with a rather harsh set of housing collisions. Not only do these switches have scratch that is noticeable in their push feel, but they also have a stem-leaf *and* spring ping which is noticeable in the push feel and not just the sound of the switches.

Wobble

While noticeably more consistent than other MMD produced switches across the batch, the MMD Holy Pandas still have a noticeable amount of stem wobble in the N/S direction and a slightly lesser but still present amount in the E/W direction. There is no top housing wobble in any of the switches that I received to test.

Sound

These switches are almost a case study in what switches *shouldn't* sound like. Thin, very sharply high pitched, and full of spring ping, leaf ping, and scratch. In fact these have gone so far and above beyond these points that some of the leaves now sound as if they *squeak* at high levels of activation – something of which I've never seen before and hope that I never see again.

Context

While Mengmoda, which appears closely tied with Aflion, is seemingly ramping up production throughout the end of 2021 and beginning of 2022 to hopefully break on to the scene a bit more, these switches simply aren't the way to do it. While certainly cheap as the one shining point here, they are otherwise unavailable, insanely hard to track down, and showcase a pretty solid backsliding in mold design and production value versus what is produced from them otherwise.

Other

Supposedly, the connection between these molds and that of Lumia hold further historical implications while still demonstrating that making a switch isn't as easy as it seems sometimes.

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