

Invokeys Matcha Latte		
Switch Type: Linear		Aflion
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Notes Push Feel

Coming from a relatively new brand in Aflion, the even newer lubing technique they use leads to the Matcha Latte switches being a truly smooth experience as if they were lubed by hand. Pairing this together with firm, solid housing collisions (and especially so for long stemmed switches) and you've got a great linear switch that suffers only tiny amounts with thinness at higher activation speeds and slight batch to batch variation in smoothness.

Wobble

Counter to stem wobble in most switches, the E/W direction is slightly greater in the Matcha Lattes than the N/S direction and there is no top housing wobble. While there are slight variations across a batch of switches, the stem wobble likely won't be an issue for most.

Sound

The most surprising feature in these switches is just how solid they performed in sound. While long poled switches have caught a bit of a reputation for sounding pointed and sharp, the Matcha Lattes sound firm, solid, and have a slightly deeper pitch at both topping out and bottoming out. Oh, they're also definitely on the more quiet side, as well.

Context

Coming from a relatively new brand/manufacturer, these switches are not only well priced but clearly showcasing what Aflion is capable of doing. Adding to this, Invokeys' packaging, interaction with Aflion to better them, as well as their usage of B-stock switches as 'Decaf' Matcha Lattes are all great signs pointing toward future prominence of these switches and better things to come from both parties.

Other

Further room for expansion in design and features of these switches (for stock and frankenswitching alike) is a strong point working towards their ultimate success, though the 'matcha' theme is a touch bit overplayed by this point in switch history.