

Durock Mocha Silk		
Switch Type: Linear		Durock/JWK
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# Notes Push Feel

Made entirely with full POK housings and an 'optimized' POM stem, the Durock Mocha Silk linears are the latest medium to light weight lubed linears that are supposed to boast the latest in their production technology. In practice, while these are somewhat smooth, the switches do suffer a bit from a wide grain, shuffling sort of scratch feeling across the batch and are not the most consistent across typing speeds. The housing collisions are at the least well balanced, deep, and with a well rounded yet deep collision feeling.

#### Wobble

Whatever "optimization" is present in the stems of these stems likely doesn't exist outside of marketing as they have a very average, though not overly problematic amount of equal magnitude N/S and E/W direction stem wobble.

## Sound

At the highest level, the Durock Mocha Silk switches are quiet, deep, and full bodied with bottom outs and top outs that drive a more nuanced sound profile than most linear switches these days. However, shuffling from scratch, tonal inconsistencies from switch to switch, and even random 'poppy' tones towards the bottom out during typing really take away from what it is otherwise a pretty solid sound profile.

#### Context

Priced at \$0.30 per switch and available at a pretty wide range of vendors around the world, these switches are good for what they are but will hardly stand out amidst the backdrop of the modern switch market these days. It's a bit crazy to think that if these were released just a handful of years ago that they very well could and would be massive hits...

## Other

At the extreme least this switch does stand out as one of the few in my mind that have employed POK (or polyketone) plastic into their construction in a non-trivial, actually meaningful fashion.