



Healio

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Notes

Push Feel

While the switches for the most part are smooth, there is an ever so slightly noticeable scratch that detracts from the score alongside a sticky and too cushiony bottoming out. At the least, the other end of the rubber silencing pads in the topping out stroke feel firm and not mushy.

Wobble

Even though these are Zeal switches, they feature pretty standard Gateron wobble with a slight bit of give in the top housing and likely noticeable stem wobble in the N/S direction. As for the E/W direction, the stem doesn't wobble quite as much, which I anticipate is a function of the silencing pads to some degree.

Sound

Healios are fairly silent linears at normal usage, and none of the scratch that is mildly present in the push feel comes out at any point in the stroke. That being said, at higher activation speeds they do begin to make noise like many other standard linear switches.

Context

Aside the longevity and presence of this switch as a good silent linear for quite some time, the market has evolved and moved past not only Zeal's quality but his pricing scheme. Healios are no exception to this, and are often forgotten now even in lieu of Zeal's more modern silent linears in Sakurios and Roselios.

Other

While these have a strong history and aren't all that technically poor, they very much occupy the 'forgotten switch' territory simply due to better things being out there in all respects.