



Cherry MX Brown

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Notes

Push Feel

Stock Cherry switches, in general, don't tend to be all that great relatively speaking and MX Browns do it no favors. Between the aggressive scratch, ping-like feeling due to the leaf, and non-cohesive bump, it's hard to give this a much higher score. The biggest savior of these switches, by far, is its iconic low-tactility bump and the rock-solid bottoming/topping out.

Wobble

While I stated in the long-form review that wobble is highly variable across the years of MX Brown production, the average switch I've tried has a slight bit of E/W top housing wobble and noticeable stem wobble. The stem wobble also has a stronger E/W wobble than N/S.

Sound

The sound, overall, really isn't great in this switch and it is very much a mirror of the push feel. There is an overwhelmingly rough scratch sound that sits on top of a slight ping at higher activation speeds and a jagged tactile bump sound.

Context

Say what you want about this score. These have been insanely prevalent in this community since its inception, they're widely available, cheap, and the entry point for so many enthusiasts into this hobby. While they could be a bit better about quality, there's no arguing that these are contextually one of the most important switches of the modern era.

Other

It's really hard to really quantify the value of these switches or even their performance relative to other switches given how much of a 'baseline' they've been not only for myself but for everyone for some time. While they do provide good memes in and of themselves, I truly think MX Browns deserve more recognition than they get when viewed as a whole.

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