

# PL1911MW LCD Monitor

**USER'S GUIDE** 

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## Preface

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Please read the following instructions carefully. This manual should be retained for future use.

- 1. To clean LCD Monitor screen;
  - -- Power off LCD Monitor and unplug the AC Cord.
  - -- Spray a non-solvent cleaning solution onto a rag.
  - -- Gently clean the screen with dampened rag.
- 2. Do not place the LCD Monitor near a window. Exposing the monitor to rain water, moisture or sunlight can severely damage it.
- 3. Do not apply pressure to the LCD screen. Excess pressure may cause permanent damage to the display.
- 4. Do not remove the cover or attempt to service this unit by yourself. Servicing of any nature should be performed by an authorized technician.
- 5. Store LCD Monitor in a room with a room temperature of -20° ~ 60°C (or -4° ~ 140°F). Storing the LCD Monitor outside this range could result in permanent damage.
- 6. If any of the following occurs, immediately unplug your monitor and call an authorized technician.
  - \* Monitor to PC signal cable is frayed or damaged.
  - \* Liquid spilled into LCD Monitor or the monitor has been exposed to rain.
  - \* LCD Monitor or the case is damaged.
- Only use the supplied main lead to connect the monitor. For a nominal current up to 6A and a device weight above 3 kg, a line not lighter than H05VV-F, 3G, 0.75 mm<sup>2</sup> must be used.

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## Installation

## Unpacking

Before unpacking the LCD Monitor, prepare a suitable workspace for your Monitor and computer. You need a stable and clean surface near a wall power outlet. Make sure that LCD Monitor has enough space around it for sufficient airflow. Though the LCD Monitor uses very little power, some ventilation is needed to ensure that the Monitor does not become too hot.

After you unpack the LCD Monitor, make sure that the following items were included in the box:

Monitor-to-PC VGA Cable \* Stereo Jack Audio Cable

If you find that any of these items is missing or appears damaged, contact your dealer immediately.

# Connecting the LCD Monitor and Base

When you open the box, place the monitor and put on the desk first. (See fig. 1-1)

- Connect the LCD monitor and base.
- Using your hand, lock the base and neck by screwing the thread clockwise.
- To unlock the height adjustment feature of the stand, locate the pin on the back of the stand column and turn the pin knob counterclockwise.
- Mount the cable clip for cable management.

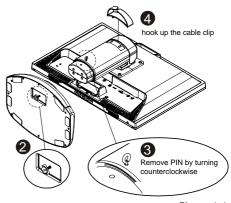


Figure 1-1

## **Optional Mounting Alternatives**

Warning: The monitor stand base may forcefully extend and cause injury. Raise the monitor to its "Full Up" position before removing the monitor stand.

### Tilt, Swivel and Pivot Rotation

The LCD Monitor is designed to have a tilt range of -5° to +20°, a swivel range of -35° to +35°, and a 90° pivot rotation. (See fig. 1-2)

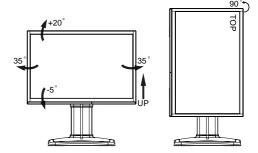


Figure 1-2

### Warning

Do not force the LCD Monitor over its maximum viewing angle settings as stated above. Attempting this will result in damaging the Monitor and Monitor stand.

## Detaching LCD Monitor from Its Stand

Unscrew screws **1** the swivel base support column and pull down **2** the hinge to release.

**❸**Cable management ring.

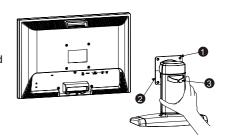
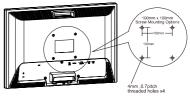


Figure 1-3

## Interface for Arm Applications

The rear of this LCD display has four integrated 4 mm, 0.7 pitch threaded nuts, as well as four 5 mm access holes in the plastic covering as illustrated in Figure 1-4. specifications meet the VESA Flat Panel Monitor Physical Mounting Interface Standard (paragraphs 2.1 and 2.1.3, version 1, dated 13 November 1997).

Note: Please using M 4mm x 16mm (L) screw for this Figure 1-4 application.



## Connecting the Display

- 1. Power off your computer.
- 2. Connect one end of the signal cable to the LCD Monitor's VGA port or DVI port. (See Fig 1-5)
- 3. Connect the other end of the signal cable to the VGA port or DVI port on your PC.
- Make sure connections are secure.

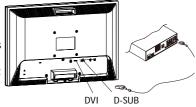


Figure 1-5

## Connecting the AC Power

- 5. Connect the power cord to the LCD Monitor. (See Fig. 1-6)
- **6.** Connect the power cord to an AC power source.

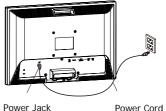


Figure 1-6

Power Cord

## Connecting the Audio Cable

1. Connect the audio cable to the "LINE OUT" jack on your PC's audio card or to the front panel's "AUDIO OUT" jack of your CD ROM drive. (See Fig. 1-7)

Connect the other end of the audio cable to the LCD Monitor's "LINE IN" jack.

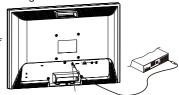


Figure 1-7 Audio Jack

## Setting Up the LCD Monitor

- 1. Make sure the AC power cord is connected to the LCD Monitor.
- 2. Turn on the LCD Monitor's power switch, located on the bezel of the monitor.

## Power Management System

This LCD Monitor complies with the VESA DPM Power Management guidelines. If you have VESA's DPM™ compliance display card or software installed in your PC, the monitor can automatically reduce its power consumption when not in use. If input from keyboard, mouse or other input devices is detected by the computer, the monitor will automatically "wake up". When the LCD Monitor is in power saving mode, the monitor screen will be blank and the power LED indicator will light yellow.

# Display Controls

## **User Controls**

A brief description and the location of all LCD Monitor functions controls and indicators:

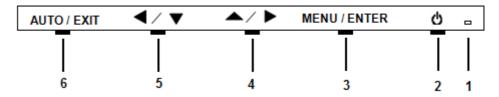


Figure 2-1

1		Power LED will be Green when monitor is on, be yellow when in power saving mode, be dark when monitor in off mode.
2	0	Power ON/OFF switch. Push to power on or power off. (Toggle switch)
3	Menu/Enter	Shows main OSD menu/ Enter key (in OSD menu)/ Audio mute and unmute ( must activate Volume OSD first, push ▲ / ▶ then Menu/Enter)
4	<b>^/</b>	Shows Volume OSD/ Moves right or up (in OSD menu)
5	<b>4</b> /▼	Selects input source/ Moves left or down (in OSD menu)
6	Auto/Exit	Auto adjustment (in D-Sub input only)/ Exit OSD menu/ Exit (in OSD menu)

## Adjusting the Monitor's Display

#### Main OSD



Main Menu icon	Sub Menu item	Sub Menu item	Description
		STANDARD	Default Setting. Reflects native display capability.
		MOVIE	Displays scenes in clearest detail. Pictures and photographs appear in vibrant colors with sharp detail.
	Preset Mode	GAME	Enhances color.
<u> </u>		TEXT	Optimal balance of brightness and contrast prevent eyestrain. The most comfortable way to read onscreen text
		РНОТО	Enhances colors and emphasize fine detail.
	Brightness		Adjusts the background brightness of the screen image.
	Contrast		Adjusts the contrast between the foreground and background of the screen image.
	Auto Contrast		Adjusts the contrast of screen image automatically.
	Black Level		Adjusts the black level of screen image.
	Sharpness		Adjusts the scaling effect. (smoother or sharper.)

<b>-</b>			<u>,                                    </u>
	Expansion Mode	FULL	Selects wide format for display.
	Expansion wode	ASPECT	Selects 4:3 format for display.
	Auto Adjustment		Auto adjusts the H/V Position, Phase and Clock of picture. (available in analog mode only)
**	H. Position		Adjusts the horizontal position. (available in analog mode only)
	V. Position		Adjusts the vertical position. (available in analog mode only)
	Clock		Adjusts picture Clock. (available in analog mode only)
	Phase		Adjusts picture Focus. (available in analog mode only)
	9300K		Sets the color temperature to 9300K.
	7500K		Sets the color temperature to 7500K.
	5000K		Sets the color temperature to 5000K.
	sRGB		Sets the color temperature to sRGB.
	User	R/G/B	Allows users to adjust red/green/blue intensity.
	Language		Multi-language selection.
што Г	OSD H. Position		Adjusts the horizontal position of the OSD.
0 <del>0</del> 0 10005	OSD V. Position		Adjusts the vertical position of the OSD.
	OSD Turn Off		Adjusts the OSD timeout.
	Volume		Adjusts the volume of audio
		D-SUB	Selects input signal to analog (D-Sub)
TIĞ	Input Select	DVI	Selects input signal to digital (DVI)
	Resolution Select	720/640x400 1360/1280/1024x768 1680/1400x1050	Selects the resolution of choice.
	DDC/CI	ON/OFF	Turns ON/OFF DDC/CI support
	Recall		Clear each old status and return all adjusted parameters to factory preset values.



#### Information

Shows the resolution, H/V frequency and input port of current input timing.

Icon	Function	Description
9300	CIE coordinated Color Temperature of 9300°K	Sets the CIE coordinate color temperature to 9300°K
7500	CIE coordinated Color Temperature of 7500°K	Sets the CIE coordinate color temperature to 7500°K
5000	CIE coordinated Color Temperature of 6500°K	Sets the CIE coordinate color temperature to 5000°K
User	Three colors (Red, Green, Blue) can be adjusted from the OSD menu	Sets the settings to a by user defined CIE Temperature.

#### **OSD Lock Out Function**

When monitor is in normal display, you can enable the "OSD Lock Out" function.

Option 1: OSD & Power button lock - all 5 buttons including the "POWER" button are locked.

Press and hold the "Auto/Exit" and " buttons at the same time for 3 seconds to lock all 5 buttons.

The monitor will show an "OSD LOCKED !" message for 5 seconds and the message will disappear automatically.

## OSD LOCKED!

Repeat this step to unlock.

Option 2: OSD lock - all 4 buttons are locked except the "POWER" button.

The monitor will show an "OSD LOCKED !" message for 5 seconds and the message will disappear automatically.

## OSD LOCKED!

Repeat this step to unlock.

# Technical Information

## Specifications

LCD Panel	
Size	19W"
Display Type	Active matrix color TFT LCD
Resolution	1680 x 1050
Display Dot	1680 x (RGB) x 1050
Display Color	16.7M with FRC or Dithering

Video			
Input Signal	Analog RGB 0.7Vp-p Digital TMDS		
Input Impedance	75 Ohm ± 2%		
Polarity	Positive, Negative		
Amplitude	0 - 0.7 ± 0.05 Vp		
Multi-mode Supported	Horizontal Frequency: 30 ~ 80 kHz	30~80kHz	
Murti-mode supported	Vertical Frequency: 56 ~ 75 Hz	56~75Hz	

Control	
Power switch (hard and soft types)	On/Off switch with LED indicator

Audio	
Input	500mVrms
Output	1W +1W

OSD	
Brightness	Digital
Contrast	Digital
Horizontal Position	Digital
Vertical Position	Digital
Phase	Digital
Clock	Digital
Display Mode Setup	Use EEPROM to save settings in memor.

### **Power Management**

Mode	Power Consumption*	AC Input	LED Color
DPM On	44 W maximum	240 VAC	Green
DPM Off	2 W maximum	240 VAC	Orange
DC switch off Off	1 W maximum	240 VAC	Dark
Disconnected	1 W maximum	240 VAC	

<sup>\*</sup>Meeting VESA DPM requirements measured from AC Input end of AC power cord.

Sync Input	Analog	Digital
Signal	Separate TTL compatible horizontal and vertical synchronization.	TMDS
Polarity	Positive and negative	

Plug & Play	Supports VESA DDC2B DDC/CI functions					
External Connection						
Power Input (AC input)	AC socket					
Video Cable	15-pin D-sub connector					
Video Cable	DVI-D Cable					
Audio Cable	Stereo Jack					
Power Input (AC input)	AC socket	AC socket				
Environment						
Operating Condition	Temperature	5°C to 40°C/41°F to 104°F				
Operating condition	Relative Humidity	20% to 80%				
Storage Condition	Temperature	-20°C to 60° C/-4°F to140°				
Storage condition	Relative Humidity	5% to 85%				
Power Supply (AC Input)						
Input Voltage	e Single phase, 100 ~ 240VAC, 50 / 60 Hz					
Input Current	1.5 A maximum					
Size and Weight						
Dimensions	438.5 (W) x 348(H) x 198 (D) mm					
Net Weight	$6.34 \pm 0.3 \text{ kg}$					
Gross Weight $7.75 \pm 0.3 \text{ kg}$						

# Standard Timing Table

If the selected timing is NOT included in table below, this LCD monitor will use the most suitable available timing.

640x350	FV (Hz) 31.469			LINE)	WIDTH	PORCH	PORCH	FOREQ.(MHz)
	31.469			· ·	(DOT / LINE)			, ,
		+	800	640	96	16	48	25.175
VGA-350	70.087	-	449	350	2	37	60	
640x400	31.469	-	800	640	96	16	48	25.175
VGA-GRAPH	70.087	+	449	400	2	12	35	
640x480	31.469	-	800	640	96	16	48	25.175
VGA-480	59.94	-	525	480	2	10	33	
640x480	35	-	864	640	64	64	96	30.24
APPLE MAC-480	66.67	-	525	480	3	3	39	30.24
640x480	37.861	-	832	640	40	16	120	31.5
VESA-480-72Hz	72.809	-	520	480	3	1	20	31.3
640x480	37.5	-	840	640	64	16	120	31.5
VESA-480-75Hz	75	-	500	480	3	1	16	31.5
720x350	31.47	+	900	720	108	18	54	20.222
70Hz	70.087	-	449	400	2	37	60	28.322
720x400	31.469	-	900	720	108	18	54	28.322
VGA-400-TEXT	70.087	+	449	400	2	12	35	
832x624	49.725	-	1152	832	64	32	224	F7 2022
APPLE MAC-800	74.55	-	667	624	3	1	39	57.2832
800x600	35.156	+	1024	800	72	24	128	27
SVGA	56.25	+	625	600	2	1	22	36
800x600	37.879	+	1056	800	128	40	88	40
VESA-600-60Hz	60.317	+	628	600	4	1	23	40
800x600	48.077	+	1040	800	120	56	64	
VESA-600-72Hz	72.188	+	666	600	6	37	23	50
800x600	46.875	+	1056	800	80	16	160	49.5
VESA-600-75Hz	75	+	625	600	3	1	21	
848x480	31.02	+	1088	848	112	16	112	33.75
VESA	60	+	517	480	8	6	23	
1024x768	48.363	-	1344	1024	136	24	160	65
XGA	60.004	-	806	768	6	3	29	
1024x768	53.964	+	1328	1024	176	16	112	71.664
COMPAQ-XGA	66.132	+	816	768	4	8	36	
1024x768	56.476	-	1328	1024	136	24	144	- 75
VESA-768-70Hz	70.069	-	806	768	6	3	29	

TIMING NAME	FH (KHz)	SYNC		ACTIVE	SYNC WIDTH	FRONT PORCH	BACK PORCH	PIXEL
	FV (Hz)	POLARITY	(DOT / LINE)		(DOT / LINE)			FOREQ.(MHz)
1024x768	60.023	+	1312	1024	96	16	176	78.75
VESA-768-75Hz	75.029	+	800	768	3	1	28	
1024x768	60.24	-	1328	1024	96	32	176	80
1152x864	54.054	+	1480	1152	96	40	192	80
(60Hz)	59.27	+	912	864	3	13	32	80
1152x864	63.851	+	1480	1152	96	32	200	04.400
(70Hz)	70.012	+	912	864	3	1	44	94.499
1152x864	67.5	+	1600	1152	128	64	256	100
(75Hz)	75	+	900	864	2	2	32	108
1152x870	68.68	-	1456	1152	128	32	144	100
(75Hz)	75.06	-	915	870	3	3	39	100
1280x720	44.772	-	1664	1280	128	64	192	74.5
(60Hz)	59.855	+	748	720	5	3	20	74.5
1280x960	60	+	1800	1280	112	96	312	100
(60Hz)	60	+	1000	960	3	1	36	108
1280x960	70	+	1800	1280	112	96	312	10/
(70Hz)	70	+	1000	960	3	1	36	126
1280x960	75	+	1800	1280	112	96	312	125
(75Hz)	75	+	1000	960	3	1	36	135
1280x1024	64	+	1688	1280	112	48	248	100
VESA-1024-60Hz	60	+	1066	1024	3	1	38	108
1280x1024	80	+	1688	1280	144	16	248	135
VESA-1024-75Hz	75	+	1066	1024	3	1	38	135
1360x768	75	+	1792	1360	112	64	256	85.5
60Hz	75	+	795	768	6	3	18	85.5
1440x900	55.469	+	1600	1440	32	48	80	88.75
Red. BLKing 60Hz	59.901	-	926	900	6	3	17	
1440x900	55.935	-	1904	1440	152	80	232	106.5
60Hz	59.887	+	934	900	6	3	25	
1440x900	70.635	-	1936	1440	152	96	248	136.75
75Hz	74.984	+	942	900	6	3	33	
1680x1050	64.674	+	1840	1680	32	48	80	119
Red. BLKing 60Hz	59.883	-	1080	1050	6	3	21	
1680x1050	65.29	-	2240	1680	176	104	280	146.25
60Hz	59.954	+	1089	1050	6	3	30	
1680x1050	82.306	-	2272	1680	176	120	296	187
75Hz	74.892	+	1099	1050	6	3	40	

Note:

DVI does not support 1680x1050@75Hz. Mode 640x350, 640x400 and 720x400 is centered in the middle of

the display and cannot be expanded to full screen.

## Troubleshooting

This LCD Monitor has pre-adjusted using factory standard VGA timings. Due to the output timing differences among various VGA cards in the market, users may initially experience an unstable or unclear display whenever a new display mode or new VGA card is selected.

#### Attention

This LCD Monitor Supports Multiple VGA Modes.

Refer to the Standard Timing Table for a listing of modes supported by this LCD Monitor.

#### PROBLEM Picture is unclear and unstable

The picture is unclear and unstable, please perform the following steps:

- 1. Enter PC to "Shut Down Windows" status while you're in MS-Windows environment.
- Check the screen to see if there's any black vertical stripes appear. If there are, take advantage of the "Clock" function in OSD menu and adjust (by increment or decrement numbers) until those bars disappear.
- 3. Move to "Phase" function in OSD menu again and adjust the monitor screen to its most clear display.
- 4. Click "No" on "Shut Down Windows" and back to the normal PC operating environment.

#### PROBLEM There is no picture on LCD Monitor

If there's no picture on the LCD Monitor, please perform the following steps:

- Make sure the power indicator on the LCD Monitor is ON, all connections are secured, and the system is running on the correct timing. Refer to Chapter 3 for information on timing.
- 2. Turn off the LCD Monitor and then turn it back on again. If there is still no picture, press the Adjustment Control button several times.
- 3. If step 2 doesn't work, connect your PC system to another external CRT. If your PC system Functions properly with a CRT Monitor but it does not function with the LCD Monitor, the output timing of the VGA card may be out of the LCD's synchronous range. Please change to an alternative mode listed in the Standard Timing Table or replace the VGA card, and then repeat steps 1 and 2.

#### PROBLEM There is no picture on LCD Monitor

If you have chosen an output timing that is outside of the LCD Monitor's synchronous range (Horizontal:  $30 \sim 80$  kHz and Vertical:  $56 \sim 75$  Hz), the OSD will display a "Out of Range" message. Choose a mode that is supported by your LCD Monitor.

Also, if the signal cable is not connected to LCD monitor at all or properly, the monitor screen will display a message "No Input Signal".

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