



## FAQ GRAPHIX LED WHEEL & LED CLIP

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## **Why are Graphix wheels specifically for either the right or left side?**

Our Graphix wheels contain some graphic elements as well as text elements, for example, "Powerslide" and "We Love To Skate" which can't be read if the wheels respective the LED module is placed on the wrong side. The graphic should always be seen on the outside of the skate, not on the inside – So thus the LED should point to the right side on a right skate and to the left side on a left skate.

## **How can I identify if the LED module should be used on the right skate or left skate?**

The cover of the LED module is showing an "R" for the right side or "L" for the left side to indicate where to use them.

## **How can I rotate my Graphix wheels if they are made for the left and right side only?**

As we all know, our wheels wear out unevenly and therefore should be rotated from time to time in order to wear them down evenly. This of course will extend the lifespan of your wheels and is also important for a good roll and skate performance in general. Rotating a Graphix wheel is different compared to a standard wheel, because of the LED module. So what can you do? As skating is usually a day-time sport, we would recommend rotating the wheels for use during the day with the LED's on the inside and then switch them back to the outside for night-time to use them with the graphics properly displayed. This will provide an even wear on your wheels.

## **Will the LED module stay in place if I slide and jump?**

Yes, if inserted correctly into the Graphix wheel they will! Make sure you hear a "click" when you insert the module after charging or if you replace it. This sound indicates that the module is securely locked into the core.

## **Can I change the software program of Graphix LED wheels to express my individual style?**

Unfortunately not – The program is set by the factory and can't be changed.

## **How long do the batteries of Graphix wheels and Graphix LED Clips last?**

Fully charged the battery lasts for about 3-4 hours. This should be sufficient for 90% of all night skaters. What if you belong to the 10% of skaters who go for longer sessions? You can simply carry some replacement LED modules with you and replace the ones that run out of energy to continue your night skate session.

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## **How long does it take to charge the battery of Graphix LED modules or LED Clips?**

When completely empty it takes about 2h to fully charge them. In order to reach the USB-port, you need to press out the LED module

## **What kind of USB standard is used for Graphix LED modules and LED clips?**

The Graphix LED module and LED clips include a MICRO USB port which is one of the main standards used in a wide range of mobile devices.

## **Is it possible to exchange the battery if it is out of order?**

Yes, it is possible to replace a broken battery. You need to open the cover to take out the electronic device itself. It's a kind of sandwich construction with the battery in the center. The battery can be pushed out and replaced.

In case you want to replace the battery you need to purchase a new one with the code: LIR 2032

Don't use CR 2032 batteries – they can't be charged and will damage the electronics!

Check out the video on Youtube:

## **Is it possible to use the Graphix LED module for other wheel brands as well?**

We offer the LED module in aftermarket sales, but they only fit into Powerslide Graphix wheels. The core of our Graphix wheels has been specially designed to fit the LED module which you won't find in other wheels on the market.

## **Can I skate with Graphix wheels in the rain?**

Yes and no. The Micro USB port is not covered with a lid but is sitting inside the wheel core and has no direct contact with water during skating. It's not a problem to finish your skate session when it just started to rain and are a bit wet. Skating in the rain with PU-wheels isn't fun anyway as they generally slip which is quite dangerous and you risk a fall and maybe a serious injury. Of course, you shouldn't stand in a puddle or skate in heavy rain with your skates. The water could then damage the electronics.

## **Will you offer Graphix LED wheels in 80mm size?**

We wish we could but unfortunately, the small core of 80mm wheels doesn't allow us to develop a wheel that would fit our LED modules. The smallest diameter we can offer right now is 100mm wheels.

## **How to dispose of the Graphix LED wheels or LED clips**

First, separate the Graphix LED module from the wheel. Electronic devices should not be dumped with regular waste. Do not dispose of the module or clip as unsorted municipal waste. Collection of such waste separately for special treatment is necessary.



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### **Are the Graphix wheels heavier?**

Because of the mechanism, the Graphix would feel a tiny bit heavier compared to classic wheels. During the acceleration, it is possible that you feel also the weight but as it's a spinning part of the skate it's actually helping to keep the roll when you reach a regular speed.

Are the Graphix wheels slower compare to similar wheels not LED (or not Graphix)

The Graphix wheels are not slower compare to similar wheels with the same hub and compound. This is the advantage of the Graphix compare to Fothon wheels

### **Fothon or Graphix?**

The Fothon wheels will feel a little bit slower than other wheels using the same hub and same compound because of the mechanism creating the effect have more friction.

The Graphix is more about cool graphism in the hub area when the Fothon is more about the urethan color area.

**Any unanswered questions?** Send us a mail at [powerslide@powerslide.de](mailto:powerslide@powerslide.de)

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