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Macally Pebble Wireless Laser Mouse

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At a Glance

- **Release date:** January 16, 2008
- **Editors' rating:** 6.5 Good
- **The good:** Swiveling body hides USB dongle inside; stylish black-and-silver design.
- **The bad:** Thicker body may not be comfortable to all; only two buttons, plus a click wheel.
- **The bottom line:** The Macally Pebble Wireless Laser Mouse is an inexpensive 2.4GHz wireless mouse that works equally well on Macs or PCs--but its unusual shape may not be what you're looking for.

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Virtually anyone who uses a laptop for an extended period of time eventually plugs in a wireless mouse. The seemingly limitless number of choices out there make it hard to stand out from the crowd unless you have a special feature to tout, such as a Bluetooth connection (the [Microsoft Bluetooth Notebook Mouse 5000](#)) or built-in gyroscope (the [Logitech MX Air](#)).

Macally makes accessories specifically designed to work with Apple products, but in the case of the \$29 Pebble Wireless Laser Mouse, this is essentially a generic laser mouse that will work on any PC with a USB port.

The black-and-silver design fits in well with the current look and feel of Mac desktops and laptops, and we liked the swiveling base--it rotates 90 degrees to reveal the battery compartment (two AAA

batteries, included) and a hidden slot to store the small USB receiver when traveling.

The Pebble sits high in the hand--unlike most other mice, it doesn't slope forward--measuring nearly 1.5 inches high both front and back. We could see this being uncomfortable over time, but it's largely a matter of personal preference. The Logitech MX Air is less than 0.25 inch high at its thinnest point. We also weren't crazy about the basic two-button interface (plus a standard click wheel), as by now we're used to having extra thumb buttons for specialized tasks like flipping forward and back in our Web-browser history.

Basic Specs

Product Specifications:

Product Description: **Macally Pebble Wireless - Mouse**

Device Type: **Mouse**

Connectivity Technology: **Wireless**

Movement Detection Technology: **Laser**

Movement Resolution: **1600 dpi**

Battery: **2**

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