



AOC widescreen LCD Monitor 2219P2

AOC is showing plenty of talent with their new screens.

The AOC 2219P2 is a sensational display — it delivers excellent performance, looks great and has solid features.

It's delivered in two parts — a base and the LCD. Putting the two together is easy and we were up and running in minutes. We connected the 2219P2 to our test system using the supplied DVI cable (there's a VGA lead as well). As the 2219P2 has in-built speakers, we also connected the screen to our computer's headphone port using the supplied 3.5mm cable. The display is matte, which means fewer reflections on the screen.

We tested with Passmark's MonitorTest tool. Colour quality was excellent, although we did find

that the whites had a slight grey tinge when testing with an all-white screen.

The 2219P2 rendered complex shapes well. We had to look closely to see any jaggedness and wouldn't expect any to be noticeable in real-world operations.

Video playback was excellent. We watched a couple of our favourite DVDs through the 1,680 by 1,050 display and were impressed. Response time is rated at 2ms. We couldn't see any blurring during fast-moving action sequences.

The 2219P2 is fully height-adjustable and can also be tilted



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- ✓ Great picture; highly adjustable.
- ✗ No USB ports or card reader.



through a 25 degree range. If you spend a lot of time working with documents, you'll find the 2219P2's ability to rotate from landscape to portrait mode a boon. At the screen's 22in size and high resolution you can easily view a full A4 page at one time.

We couldn't spot any dead or stuck pixels on our review unit. AOC's policy is that either three

stuck pixels, three dark pixels or a total of five non-functional pixels is enough for a replacement during the three-year warranty period.

So, what's missing? It would be nice if the display integrated some USB ports and a card reader. However, that's really fishing for something to criticise, as this display delivered on every measure.

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