

Black Lion Audio PBR LIT



Black Lion Audio announces the PBR LIT, a 1U rackmount LED display designed to bring modern, customisable digital labelling to virtually any studio rack. Whether the user is reorganising routing, changing out equipment, or simply tired of faded masking tape and smudged marker labels, PBR LIT delivers a cleaner, faster, and far more brilliant solution.

Mounted directly above or below an existing patchbay, PBR LIT provides bright, easy-to-read digital labels that can be updated in seconds. Simply connect a standard USB keyboard to make edits directly from the front panel, or use the included Patchcad™ BLA Edition software to create, save, and manage complete patchbay layouts.

“Patching is one of the few areas of the modern studio that's remained surprisingly analogue,” says Preston Whiting, VP of Operations. “Studio technologies evolve constantly... but for some reason patchbay labels haven’t. PBR LIT makes updating your labelling as simple as editing text, while giving your rack a slick, illuminated appearance that flatters your studio vibe.”

To accommodate the most common patchbay formats, PBR LIT offers four display modes:

- 48-point TRS
- 96-point TT
- 16-point XLR
- Custom mode for alternative layouts, studio signage, or almost any creative use

Custom mode transforms PBR LIT into more than just a patchbay label; the full-width display can be used for equipment identification, rack labelling, studio branding, session notes, or any custom text anyone might want visible in their rack.

“We’re excited to see the uses customers come up with for Custom mode,” notes Preston Whiting. “I bet we’ll see a ton of uses that we haven’t even imagined.”

Like every Black Lion Audio product, PBR LIT is built for years of reliable service. A reinforced steel chassis and black-anodised aluminium faceplate provide exceptional durability, while the sleek black finish and vivid blue LED display create a modern aesthetic that complements today’s professional studios.

Key Features:

Black Lion Audio introduces the digital Patchbay Labelling System PBR LIT

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- 1U rackmount LED display for digital patchbay labelling
- Four display layouts for 48-point TRS, 96-point TT, 16-point XLR, and Custom mode
- Edit labels directly with a standard USB keyboard
- Included Patchcad BLA Edition software for macOS and Windows
- Reinforced steel chassis with black-anodised aluminium faceplate
- Modern blue LED display for exceptional readability

Forget the label maker. Retire the masking tape. And maybe keep the permanent markers for the next yard sale. PBR LIT brings digital convenience, professional organisation, and unmistakable style to the centre of every studio workflow.

PBR LIT will be available for pre-order as of September 15, 2026, and is expected to start shipping through Black Lion Audio's growing global network of Dealers in late Q3, 2026 with a US MAP of \$249.00 USD and an EU SSP of €355.00 EUR.

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