



# Scribble Quickstart Guide

*A compact, configurable LCD display for showing custom preset names and other text, sending custom MIDI messages, and scrolling presets in your MIDI rig.*



## Tip

This quickstart is for early reviewers and sample units. A full, detailed documentation site will launch soon.

## What Scribble Is

**Scribble** is a standalone, USB-powered display module.

It shows **text labels**, **preset numbers**, **MIDI clock data**, and **connection status** received over MIDI or inherent in the device itself. Onboard buttons can be used to send preset change commands, or any other set of custom MIDI messages you wish to send.

MIDI clock can be received and passed on thru the Scribble, or Scribble can generate its own MIDI clock to send to your MIDI devices.

All configuration happens in the [Pirate MIDI Web Editor](#) — nothing is configured directly on the hardware. **During beta testing, please use the [development web editor](#).**

## Key Features

- USB MIDI + 3.5mm TRS MIDI Type A/B (*Switchable in editor*)
- 1.47" LCD display
- 128 Customisable presets with text, colours, and MIDI messages
- Real-time MIDI clock display
- Preset switching via CC or PC
- USB-powered or 9V DC powered
- Web-based configuration (*Chromium browser required*)
- Firmware updates via browser at **[update.piratemidi.com](https://update.piratemidi.com)**