

Oberheim OBX8 SIRIUS



Installation guide:

Oberheim OB-X8 Sirius Sound Pack

Before transferring sound sets to your synth, please back up your patches first and make sure you're using the latest firmware! This sound pack will be installed in the USER sound bank (Bank 6)

To transfer this Oberheim OB-X8 sound pack, you'll need a computer, a stable USB or MIDI connection, and a SysEx librarian. You can use a MIDI librarian application such as "SysEx Librarian" for Macintosh or "MIDI/OX" for Windows to transmit programs or banks into your OB-X8.

To import a program or bank as a SysEx file over MIDI

1. Connect your synthesizer to a computer using a USB cable (or MIDI cable, if you are using a dedicated MIDI interface).
2. Press the global button on the OB-X8.
3. Use the select knob to select midi sysex cable, then use the value knob to choose usb or midi, depending on which port you are using to connect to your computer.
4. Use the scroll knob to select MIDI Preset Change. Use the value knob to select Receive Only or Transmit & Receive.
5. Open your MIDI librarian software and configure it to send SysEx messages to your OB-X8 by selecting either the OB-X8 USB Midi port or the MIDI Out ports on your MIDI interface.

6. In the MIDI librarian, open the file “Limbic_Bits_Oberheim_OB-X8_Sirius_Sound_Pack.syx”
7. Transmit the programs. The OB-X8 should load them. They will replace any existing programs in those same memory locations on the synth (USER BANK 6).

Trouble Shooting

In case something went wrong, please:

- use a direct USB connection instead of a USB HUB
- try a different USB / MIDI cable

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