



JBL® Introduces First Microphone and True Wireless Gaming Earbuds to Award-Winning JBL Quantum Range

The brand also unveils two new additions to its over-ear gaming headset lineup



CES 2022, LAS VEGAS – JANUARY 4, 2022 – New competitors can take the stage as JBL expands its award-winning gaming product portfolio with several new JBL Quantum devices. Today, JBL launches its first USB microphone, the JBL Quantum Stream. As its name suggests, the dual-condenser microphone is perfect for coordinating with teammates, bringing crystal-clear communication to the center of the action as a standalone solution. Plus, the reversible stand provides 360-degree movement, with additional options included for a variety of other mounting options. The JBL Quantum Stream is joined by the brand's first true wireless gaming headset, the **JBL Quantum TWS**, as well as two new over-ear headsets: the **JBL Quantum 810** and **JBL Quantum 610**.

Be heard loud and clear with the **JBL Quantum Stream**, thanks to the 2 x 14mm dual-capsule Electret condenser with 24bit and 96kHz sampling rate. Two selectable voice pickup patterns allow users to focus the microphone's capture on just the speaker's voice or capture everyone's voice in the room if recording a podcast or on a group call. Opting for a covert mission? Tap the top button to mute, which will activate an RGB indicator light for ease of use when in the middle of a battle – or conference call. The setup couldn't be easier, with the JBL Quantum Stream's universal mounting solution and seamless voice monitoring control. Users can simply mount the stand to fit their gaming setup and control their voice volume directly on the microphone.

For gamers who prefer an in-ear, wire-free experience, the **JBL Quantum TWS** is here to deliver. Complete with the incredibly realistic JBL QuantumSURROUND™, listeners can experience the best spatial surround sound solution in the game, coupled with True Adaptive Noise Cancelling and Ambient Aware features to control outside noises and minimize distractions. The included USB-C dongle brings a low latency connection to players on a PC, Mac, PlayStation®, Nintendo Switch and supported mobile devices. The JBL Quantum TWS also supports two connections at the same time so players can connect to their preferred gaming device via USB-C dongle, plus a Bluetooth connection on a mobile device so they never miss a call. The lightweight design makes the JBL Quantum TWS ideal for long gaming sessions, and the IPX5 sweat resistance rating ensures durability when using on the go.

“JBL continues to create smart solutions for gamers of all levels,” said Ralph Santana, Executive Vice President and Chief Marketing Officer at HARMAN. “As the first standalone microphone and true wireless headset in the JBL Quantum lineup, the JBL Quantum Stream and JBL Quantum TWS were created to meet the needs of gamers, streamers and podcasters, alongside our robust – and growing – range of over-ear gaming headsets.”

Also joining the JBL Quantum range in 2022 are the **JBL Quantum 810** and **JBL Quantum 610**, a recipient of the “Best of Innovation Honoree” for the prestigious CES® 2022 Innovation Awards*. These models feature JBL QuantumSURROUND™ and DTS Headphone:X 2.0 for the ultimate audio immersion, along with a voice-focus flip-up microphone and a durable, lightweight construction for optimal comfort during long gaming sessions. All new JBL Quantum headsets and the JBL Quantum Stream microphone are compatible with the JBL QuantumENGINE™ PC software for full customization of audio and RGB lighting effects (select models only). The JBL Quantum TWS is also compatible with the JBL Headphones app for customization while on the go.

All new additions to the JBL Quantum lineup will be available starting Spring 2022 on JBL.com and from select retailers.

The JBL Quantum Stream, TWS, 810 and 610 will come in JBL’s latest eco-friendly packaging.

Features of the JBL Quantum Stream:

- 2 x 14mm Electret condenser with 24bit and 96kHz sampling rate
- Universal mounting solution with reversible stand allows for 360 degrees of movement, and the three stand options ensure optimal mic positioning
- Two selectable voice pick-up patterns to isolate one voice or include many
- Tap to mute button with RGB ring indicator light
- Voice monitoring directly through headphones and control voice volume and microphone gain directly on the mic
- Durable, premium metal design, featuring an aluminum stand, metal ring and iron net for a premium look and finish
- JBL QuantumENGINE™ PC software compatibility for the ultimate customization of EQ, RGB colors, mic mute/unmute and more
- Price: €99.99

Features of the JBL Quantum TWS:

- JBL QuantumSURROUND™ for the best spatial surround solution for immersive gaming
- True Adaptive Noise Cancelling with four beamforming mics and auto calibration to stay in the zone
- Ambient Aware to filter in environmental noise to the player’s preference

- Six beamforming microphones (three on each earbud) ensure crystal-clear communication with teammates
- Two-device connectivity via USB-C dongle or Bluetooth 5.2 for gamer-grade low latency connection
- 24-hours battery life – 8-hours with earbuds, 16 additional hours with charging case
- Lightweight, durable construction with IPX5 water resistance
- Multi AI support – simply push to talk with preferred smart assistants when connected to a mobile device
- Compatible with the JBL QuantumENGINE™ PC software and JBL Headphones app for the ultimate audio customization
- Price: [not confirmed]

Features of the JBL Quantum 810:

- Dual surround sound with JBL QuantumSURROUND™ and DTS Headphone:X 2.0
- 50mm drivers powered by the JBL QuantumSOUND™ Signature
- Active noise cancelling
- Dual wireless solutions: lossless 2.4G wireless and Bluetooth 5.2
- 30-hour battery life, with Play & Charge functionality for all-day gaming
- Voice-focus beam microphone with echo and noise suppression
- Game-chat audio dial to regulate voice and game volume, developed for the most popular chat application in the world, Discord
- Lightweight, durable construction with leather-wrapped, memory foam ear cushions
- JBL QuantumENGINE™ PC software compatibility for the ultimate customization of EQ, RGB colors, mic mute/unmute and more
- Price: €179

Features of the JBL Quantum 610:

- Dual surround sound with JBL QuantumSURROUND™ and DTS Headphone:X 2.0
- Hi-res certified 50mm drivers powered by the JBL QuantumSOUND™ Signature
- Lossless 2.4G wireless
- 40-hour battery life, with Play & Charge functionality for all-day gaming
- Earcup positioned game-chat audio dial to regulate voice and game volume, developed for the most popular chat application in the world, Discord (also compatible with other chat services like Skype and TeamSpeak)
- Voice-focus flip-up boom microphone with auto on/off mute feature

- JBL QuantumENGINE™ PC software compatibility for the ultimate customization of EQ, RGB colors, mic mute/unmute and more
- Price: €149

*The CES Innovation Awards program, owned and produced by the Consumer Technology Association (CTA)®, is an annual competition honoring outstanding design and engineering in consumer technology products across 27 product categories.

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JBL creates the amazing sound that shapes life's most epic moments. From iconic events like Woodstock and concerts at Madison Square Garden, to games at Yankee Stadium and weekend road trips, JBL elevates listeners' experiences with award-winning audio that lets them make the most of every moment. With 75 years of unmatched professional credentials and industry leading innovation, JBL has expertly blended a bold vision of the future with the passion and talent of engineers and designers around the globe. JBL's Signature Professional Sound is the leading technology that powers major pop culture events, and the brand has partnered with the world's top talent across music, sports and esports.

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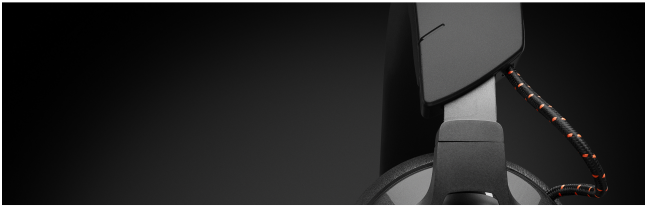
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