

# Pioneer DJ DDJ-FLX4 Quick-Start Guide



## Setup

#### Serato Software

The Pioneer DJ DDJ-FLX4 is a "Serato DJ Lite hardware unlocked" device, meaning it works with Serato DJ Lite out of the box.

It is also a "paid upgrade to Serato DJ Pro device", meaning it requires the purchase & activation of a Serato DJ Pro license, in order to be used with Serato DJ Pro.

You can also try Serato DJ Pro, before making a purchase:

Click here to learn about buying or activating Serato DJ Pro

or

Click here to learn about trying Serato DJ Pro

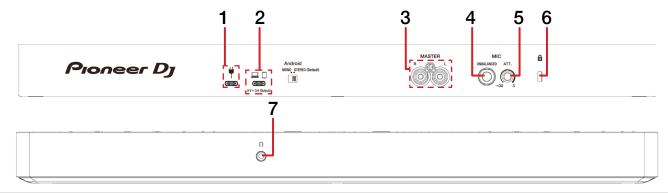
Please ensure you have the latest version of Serato DJ Lite installed:

Click here to download Serato DJ Lite

#### **Driver Software**

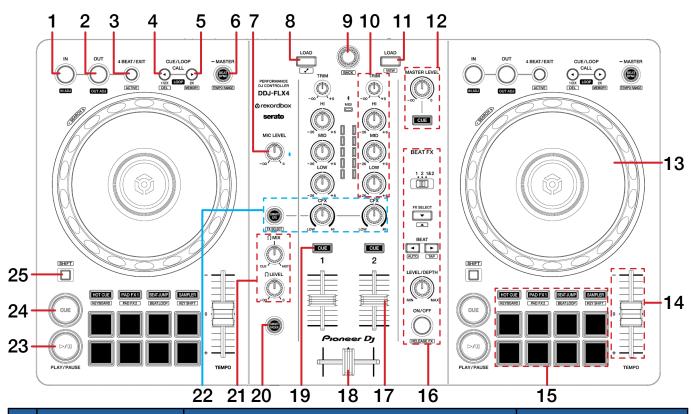
The Pioneer DJ DDJ-FLX4 is class compliant and does not requires manufacturer specific drivers when used with macOS and Windows operating systems. Simply connect your DDJ-FLX4 with a USB cable to your computer, and launch the latest version of Serato DJ Lite.

## Overview



#	DDJ-FLX4 CONTROL	FUNCTION	
1	USB	Connect USB power	
2	USB	Connect USB cable to PC	
3	MASTER	Main audio output via RCA	
4	MIC (UNBALANCED)	Connect microphone via TRS	
5	MIC (ATT.)	Turn to adjust microphone attenuation	
6	KENSINGTON LOCK	Secure device	
7	HEADPHONES	Connect headphones via 3.5mm jack	

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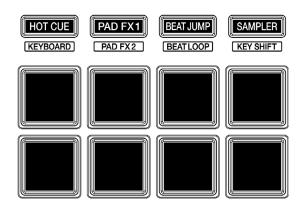
#	DDJ-FLX4 CONTROL	FUNCTION	SHIFT FUNCTION
1	IN	Set or Edit Loop in point	-
2	OUT	Set or Edit Loop out point	Press to toggle between Jog and Vinyl mode for jog wheel
3	4 BEAT / EXIT	Press to toggle 4 Beat Autoloop on/off	Press to toggle loop active/ inactive
4	1/2X	Halve Active Loop / Select Previous Loop Slot	-
5	2X	Double Active Loop / Select Next Loop Slot	-
6	SYNC	Press to turn SYNC on (per deck). Press and hold to disable SYNC (per deck)	Toggle tempo range (per deck)
7	MIC LEVEL	Turn to adjust microphone level	-
8	LOAD 1	Load selected track to Deck 1	Sort track list by BPM column
9	BROWSE	Turn to scroll library. Press in to toggle forward between crate & track area	Fast Library scroll. Press in to toggle backward between crate & track area
10	CHANNEL (SECTION)	Adjust level, and adjust EQ (High, Mid, Low)	-
11	LOAD 2	Load selected track to Deck 2	Sort track list by Artist column
12	MASTER (SECTION)	Adjust master output volume and toggle master channel CUE for headphone monitoring	-
13	JOG WHEEL	Turn jog to bend pitch, or control waveform within Serato DJ in vinyl mode	Fast track waveform scroll
14	TEMPO SLIDER	Adjust tempo/pitch	Ignore tempo/pitch adjustment
15	PERFORMANCE PADS (SECTION)	SEE PERFORMANCE PADS FOR MORE INFORMATION	<u>-</u>

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#	DDJ-FLX4 CONTROL	FUNCTION	SHIFT FUNCTION
16	BEAT FX (SECTION)	SEE FX SECTION FOR MORE INFORMATION	-
17	CHANNEL FADER	Adjust channel volume (per channel)	-
18	CROSSFADER	Crossfade audio between channel 1-2	-
19	CHANNEL CUE	Toggle channel cue for monitoring	-
20	SMART FADER	Press Smart Fader button to engage or disengage desired FX. Then close channel fader, or crossfader to apply FX in increasing amounts, while track gain fades out, allowing for smooth transitions	Press repeatedly to select between preconfigured Echo or Reverb FX
21	HEADPHONES (SECTION)	Adjust headphone level, and adjust headphone cue/master mix	-
22	SMART CFX (SECTION)	Press Smart CFX to engage or disengage desired FX. Turn CFX filter control left or right for High Pass Filter and Low Pass Filter respectively, while Smart Channl FX is applied in increasing amounts. Track gain fades out as filter control reaches maximum state, allowing for smooth transitions	Press Smart CFX repeatedly to select between preconfigured Echo or Reverb FX
23	PLAY / PAUSE	Toggles Play / Pause on selected deck	Stutter play
24	CUE	Cues from temp cue point/Set temp cue point	Load previous track
25	SHIFT	Shift modifier, which can be held while using another control for secondary SHIFT function	-

#### Performance Pads

The Pioneer DJ DDJ-FLX4 comes with 8 performance pads, that can be used across 6 different performance pad modes. In Serato DJ Lite, in all pad modes, pad 5 loads the previous track, pad 6 & 7 rewind and fast forward the playing track, and pad 8 performs the Censor function. Holding **SHIFT** while pressing Censor toggles reverse playback for the playing track.



The first 4 modes can be triggered by pressing the performance pad mode button of the same name once, and consist of:

**HOT CUE mode:** Pads 1-4 trigger Serato DJ Lite Cue points, and if no Cue point is present on that slot/pad, pressing that pad will set a Cue point. Holding down the **SHIFT** button while pressing a populated pad will delete the Cue point from the respective pad/slot.

**PAD FX 1 mode:** Pad FX 1 mode allows the user to trigger quick and powerful preconfigured FX in an intuitive manner. Pads 1-4 can be pressed and held to apply FX, and consist of: Echo, Flanger, Reverb & Repeater.

**BEAT JUMP mode:** Press pads 1 and 4 perform Beat Jump left & right respectively, while pads 2 & 3 halve and double the Beat Jump size.

**SAMPLER mode:** Press pads 1-4 in this mode to trigger samples loaded into the Serato DJ Lite Sampler. Holding **SHIFT** while pressing a Pad will stop a currently playing Sampler slot, or load a new sample to the Sampler slot if empty.

The last 2 modes are as follows:

**LOOP ROLL mode:** Press the **PAD FX1** mode button while holding **SHIFT** to enter **Loop Roll** mode. Holding Pads 1-4 activate a loop roll of varying sizes. Release the pad to exit the Loop Roll. **AUTO LOOP mode:** Press the **BEAT JUMP** mode button while holding **SHIFT** to enter **Auto Loop** mode. In this mode pads 1-4 trigger an Autoloop of varying sizes. Press the same pad for a second time to exit an Auto Loop.

## DJ-FX

Click the FX button to open the Serato DJ Lite DJ-FX panel.

Serato DJ Lite's Multi FX Mode allows you to select up to three effects per FX bank, and adjust one parameter, the FX Depth.

DDJ-FLX4 Control	Multi FX mode	SHIFT function
1/2/1&2	Move slider to Multi FX output, to either Deck 1, 2, or both 1&2	-
FX SELECT	Press to cycle forward FX Slot 1	Press to cycle backward FX Slot 1
TIME / PARAMETER	Press left or right to adjust Beats Multiplier value	Press left button to reset Tap FX Tempo value. Press right button repeatedly to set Tap Tempo FX value
LEVEL/DEPTH	Turn to adjust level/depth of FX Slot 1	-
FX ON / OFF	Turn FX on / off of FX Slot 1	-

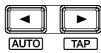
## BEAT FX







BEAT



LEVEL/DEPTH



ON/OFF



# Help

#### **Show Tooltips**

Click on the Holp button in the upper right-hand corner of Serato DJ Lite, then to enable tooltips. Tool tips provide a handy way to learn the various features of Serato DJ Lite.

Move the mouse over a section of the screen to bring up a context sensitive tool tip.

#### Watch Tutorials

Click on the Holp volume button in the upper right-hand corner of Serato DJ Lite, then watch tutorials to launch your default internet browser and watch tutorials, to help you get familiar with Serato DJ Lite.

#### Get Support

Click on the Holp velocity button in the upper right-hand corner of Serato DJ Lite, then detailed to launch your default internet browser and navigate to the Serato DJ Lite knowledge base, where you can find helpful articles and guides on Serato DJ Lite. Alternatively, type in the Search help do box, with keywords, to search the Serato DJ Lite knowledge base for specific, related topics.