





British Equalisation - "Series Twenty Four" - Mixing Consoles

from

John Oram

1. Peak Light

Comes on 16dB below clipping.

2. Mic Input

Selected for Main channel.

3. Submaster Enable Switch

Assigns channel to become a submaster.

4. Line Input

Selected for Main channel.

5. Sub Direct Output

Buss master level control.

6. Trim Controls

Dual trimpots for Mic and Line.

7. Phase Reverse and +48VDC Phantom Power Switchable for every channel.

8. Left / Right Assign

Separate left and right assignment switch.

9. LEDs

LEDs on every submaster assign switch.

10. Sub Master / Tape Return Section

Tape return/Submaster section can get its signal from Mic, Line or Tape when not in Submaster mode. This means another set of inputs with EQ and Auxiliary send access

11. Sub Master / AUX / EQ Flip

Sends whatever is in the Tape return/Submaster section through the Main channel EQ section and one half of the Aux sends.

12. Sub Master / Tape Return Fader Flip

Swaps the function of the short (60mm) fader and the long (100mm) fader in all modes.

13. Sub Master / Tape Return Pan Control

Pan pot assigns whatever is in the Tape return/Submaster section to the L  $\div$  R Stereo Buss.

14. Sub Master / Tape Return 2 Band EQ

2 Band EQ Magic™.

15. Sub Master / Tape Return Fader

60mm fader.

16. Sub Master / Tape Return LEDs

5 segment LED ladder for visual level indication.

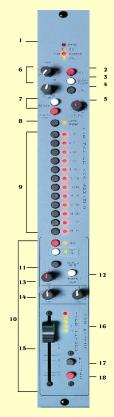
17. Sub / Tape Return L-R Buss Enable

Connects this section (10) to the L-R Main Buss

18. Sub / Tape Return Solo

Sends this section (10) to the Solo Buss

## **UPPER CHANNEL**





TWENTY FOUR

Aux Sends
 Ten Aux sends per channel, 6 mono, 2 stereo,
 all switchable pre or post.

20. EQ Section

Very musical sounding EQ Magic™; High and Low dual turnover sheives switchable at 7kHz &t 12kHz and 50Hz &t 150Hz, two sweepable mid bands from 150Hz to 2000Hz and from 1500Hz to 15kHz, a fixed High Cut at 9kHz, and a sweepable Low Cut from 5Hz to 200Hz.

21. EQ In / Out

EQ in or out with LED indicator.

22. Pan Control

Pan pot for Main channel.

23. Noise Gate

A noise gate on every channel.

The gate follows the Main 100mm fader.

24. Auto Mute

Assignable group mute function.

Mute / Gate

25. Mute / Gate Indicator and switch.

26. Solo

Solo is AFL/SIP.

Fader Panel below Lower Channel

Channel Fader

Fader is a 100mm Alps as standard; Penny & Giles optional extra. Channel LED Meter

8 Segment LED Bargraph for visual level indication.



LOWER CHANNEL



#### John Oram

something of a legend in the professional audio industry, having designed audio electronics at VOX™ in the sixties and many great consoles for Trident™ and lately ORAM PROFESSIONAL AUDIO boards.

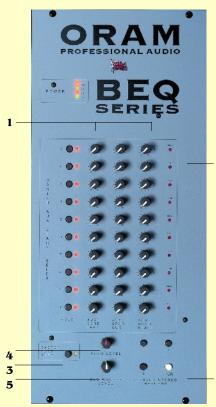
His latest range of consoles combine fifty one years in the music business, from musician and arranger, designer, engineer and producer. Qualifications envied by many and respected by many more, earning him the accolade by American audiophiles

"The Father of British EQ".

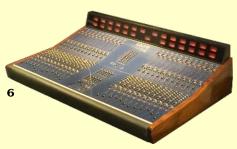
The innovative **Oram /onic/**\* unique to all his designs is that secret

ingredient that makes ORAM™ stand out from the rest.

## **UPPER MASTER**



- Triple Split Master Auxiliary Sends Left, Right and Sum, to send signals to up to 30 effects processors or destinations.
- Peak LEDs
   Shows output level status of all 30
   Auxiliary sends.
- Master Auto Mute
   When this button is depressed all
   channels will mute if their Auto Mute
   buttons are also depressed.
- Solo Level
   Separate Solo Level control for
   balancing solo levels with the monitor
   mix level.
- Subwoofer Level
- A mono sum of the Left and Right busses below 150Hz. Great for live sound work, theatre Special effects or the studio engineer can add a sub woofer to his existing monitor system without an active crossover.
  - . Tape Inputs
    - Three sets of 2 track tape inputs. These can also serve as additional pre/post fader line inputs.



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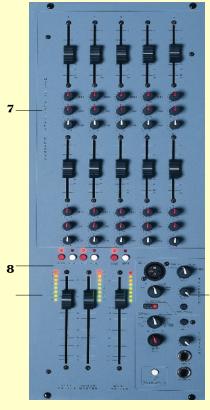
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- 7. Master Auxiliary Returns
  All ten returns are panable and
  feature two band EQ Magic<sup>m</sup>.
- Solo and Mute
   Both are featured on the left, right and mono busses.
- 9. LED Bar meters
  Peak responding LED's
  monitor output levels.
- Talkback / Monitor Section
   Not only talkback, but a full two-way intercom. A three frequency plus Pink
   Noise test oscillator built-in.

A six-way monitor source select switch, combined with a separate  $\,\,$  C o n t r o I Room level with Speaker  $\,$  mute,  $\,$  gives flexibility. A powerful, dual output, Headphone amp is on-board as well. Push To Talk is momentary.





LOWER MASTER

## **Technical Specification**

# British Equalisation Series Consoles BEQ24, BEQ32 and BEQ40

Input Impedance

Microphone: >1.2 k  $\Omega$  electronically balanced Line & Tape: >10 k  $\Omega$  electronically balanced

Output impedance

All outputs: <100  $\Omega$  electronically balanced

Gain

Microphone: +75 dB (input to group output)
Line: +25 dB (input to group output)

Noise

Microphone: <-128 dBu e.i.n. ref 200  $\Omega$ , 20Hz to 22kHz Line: <-89 dBu (Eq in, direct output) wideband

Maximum Levels

Microphone input: +22 dBu wideband Line input: +22 dBu wideband

All outputs: +28 dBu balanced, +22 dBu unbalanced

Distortion

Microphone: <0.008% THD (-50 dBu input, +14 dBu output)
Line: <0.005% THD (+14 dBu input, +24 dBu output)

Frequency Response

Microphone: 20Hz to 20 kHz within 1 dB, -3 dB @ 45 kHz Line: 20Hz to 20 kHz within 1 dB, -3 dB @ 45 kHz

Crosstalk

Adjacent channel: -80 dB @ 1 kHz, -75 dB @ 15 kHz Adjacent group: -85 dB @ 1 kHz, -80 dB @ 15 kHz

Nominal level

0 V.U: +4 dBu

Dimensions

The height of all BEQ consoles, on stand is:750mm (29.5") at the front fader panel 960mm (37.8") at the rear to the overbridge top

The depth front to back is 1220mm (48")

The width from left to right is:-BEQ24 - 1550mm (61")
BEQ32 - 1931mm (76")
BEQ40 - 2312mm (91")

Specifications may change in the interests of improvement

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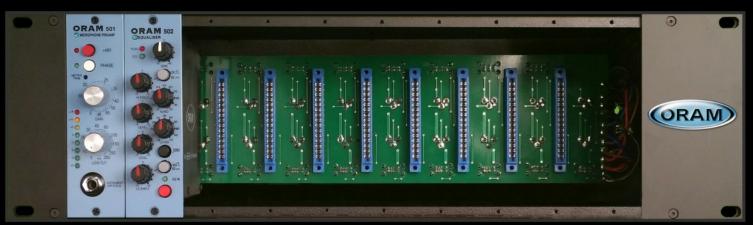


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The original ORAM PRO 1993 rack that launched the range of products from John Oram, now re-issued and made in the same English factory. High quality analogue audio made with care and attention to detail, and built to last.



MWS - dual microphone work station

A supreme quality mic pre and EQ with our large-format console circuits. Studio, live and broadcast standard dual channel unit with calibrated metering and super headroom.



Hi-Def 35 - dual high definition Equaliser

Ultimate performance EQ from the British EQ expert. Usual John Oram headroom, low noise and incredible musical feel following all his World-Class parameters.



Sonicomp 2 - dual compressor/limiter

Precision limiter/compressor with unique optical & solid state attenuators for instant performance comparison. Calibrated quality VU metering for level and gain reduction



## High Definition 16 channel Line / Summing Mixer



Dimensions of unit: Width=720mm (28.34 ") Depth=312mm (12.3") Height at front=30mm (1.18") Height at back=62.5 (2.46")



#### Fully Balanced input Stage

Accepts Line Levels up to +28dBu
Unity Gain centre detented with a gain swing of plus
and minus 20dB

#### Phase Reverse

#### Fader Defeat

Disables the channel fader and sets the channel level at Unity so that level balancing can be controlled by the DAW

#### Channel pan pot

#### Channel Metering

3 Led Metering for setting channel level. Due to the incredibly high headroom available on this unit It is practically impossible for most DAW's D-to-A converters to distort the channel at unity gain

#### Channel Mute

Mutes the channel output with an attenuation of more than  $-1\,1\,0dB$ 

#### Main fader

Quality 100mm main fader for manual mixing of levels outside your DAW



#### Master Output VU's

Optimised for accuracy using servo drive circuitry these meters perform excellently as well as being pleasing to the eye

#### Meter Mode

Attenuates the metering level by 10dB to accommodate the higher output levels required for DAW A to D inputs

#### Monitor/Headphone Level

Sets the output level to both the monitor speakers and the headphone output

#### Speaker Mute

Mutes monitor speaker and leaves headphones active

#### Headphone output

Low distortion, low impedance output for all headphone types





#### Rear panel I/O connections

The DM16 features 16 fully balanced line level inputs on XLR capable of handling input levels of  $\pm 28 \text{dBu}$  the main output XLR's and Monitor speaker TRS jacks have servo balanced drive circuitry with a max output of  $\pm 28 \text{dBu}$ 

Insert points are provided pre the master faders for inserting EQ's , compressors etc

Stacking buss input for linking more DM16's or another mixer

Power for the unit is fed to the lockable power input connector from an ultra low noise external power supply unit

## **ORAM Monitor Speaker Series**

The ORAM LS102 is a high quality monitor featuring two 4" low to mid drivers and one 1" dome tweeter. Ideal as a nearfield or midfield device.

Also available as a powered unit with inbuilt power amplifier.

The design features a magnetic screen built into the cabinet to shield speaker magnetism from close proximity computer monitor screens, perfect for the DAW user working in restricted studio space.

The power handling capability of the monitor is 50 watt RMS at 4 ohm and the dual gold plated speaker terminals allow for bi-wiring. The monitors are finished in black veneer with white cones and are perfect for stereo near-field and surround applications.

The frequency response is from 30Hz to 22kHz with a very low distortion rating. Measuring 17" by 12" by 7" and weighing 20 pounds each, the speakers are available now for £CALL GBP per pair.

