

## STRICH STANDARD 18

# STRICH Guitar Pedal Board User Manual

Model: STANDARD 18

## INTRODUCTION

Thank you for choosing the STRICH STANDARD 18 Guitar Pedal Board. This manual provides essential information for setting up, operating, maintaining, and troubleshooting your new pedal board. Designed for musicians, this lightweight and durable aluminum alloy pedal board offers an organized solution for your guitar effects pedals.

The STRICH STANDARD 18 is engineered for professional quality and ease of use, featuring versatile mounting options and efficient cable management to keep your setup neat and tidy. Its robust construction ensures reliability for both studio and live performances.

## PRODUCT OVERVIEW



**Figure 1:** Complete STRICH STANDARD 18 Pedal Board setup, including the board, carry bag, and velcro strips. Effect pedals are shown for illustrative purposes.

# PRODUCT SIZE INFO

Use our customer service to solve any usage problems



0.9 KG / 1.98 LB



X 10

**Figure 2:** Product dimensions and weight for the STANDARD 18 model. The board measures 18" x 12.5" x 3.15" and weighs approximately 1.98 lbs.

## Key Features:

- **Lightweight Aluminum Alloy Construction:** Weighing approximately 1.98 lbs, the pedal board is easy to transport without compromising durability.
- **Angled Design:** Provides a comfortable and ergonomic surface for accessing pedals, with a 15-degree incline.
- **Hollow Design for Cable Management:** Multiple slots and channels beneath the board allow for neat routing and concealment of power and patch cables.
- **Versatile Mounting Options:** Includes high-quality velcro strips for secure attachment of effect pedals.

- **Durable Carry Bag:** A rugged carrying case is included to protect the pedal board during transport and storage.

## SETUP GUIDE

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### 1. Unpacking and Inspection:

Carefully remove all components from the packaging. Verify that all items are present:

- STRICH STANDARD 18 Pedal Board
- Carry Bag
- Velcro Strips (hook and loop fasteners)

Inspect the pedal board for any signs of damage during transit. If any components are missing or damaged, please contact customer support.

### 2. Attaching Pedals:

# VERSATILE MOUNTING OPTIONS

Customize your settings and change easily with accessories attached



## INCLINE DESIGN

*More comfortable, with raised anti-collision pad*

**Figure 3:** Illustration of the versatile mounting options using velcro and the ergonomic 15-degree incline design.

**Figure 4:** Applying the hook side of the velcro to the pedal board rails.

1. Apply the loop (soft) side of the provided velcro strips to the bottom of your effect pedals. Ensure the surface is clean and dry before application for optimal adhesion.
2. Apply the hook (rough) side of the velcro strips to the rails of the pedal board where you intend to place your pedals.
3. Press each pedal firmly onto the corresponding velcro on the pedal board to secure it in place.

### 3. Cable Management:



## HOLLOW DESIGN FOR EASY WIRING

Hollow design keep your setup looking neat and tidy



Tips: Guitar pedal power supply is not included.

**Figure 5:** Hollow design for easy wiring and power supply mounting.

The hollow design of the STRICH STANDARD 18 allows for efficient cable management:

- Route power cables and patch cables through the slots and channels underneath the pedal board. This keeps your setup tidy and reduces clutter on the top surface.
- Most standard power supplies can be mounted underneath the pedal board using additional velcro or zip ties (not included).

## OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

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Once your pedals are securely mounted and wired, the STRICH STANDARD 18 pedal board provides a stable platform for your performance.

- **Placement:** Position the pedal board on a flat, stable surface. The rubber feet on the bottom of the board provide stability and prevent slipping.
- **Connectivity:** Connect your guitar to the input of your first effect pedal and the output of your last effect pedal to your amplifier's input. Ensure all patch cables are securely connected between pedals.
- **Power:** Connect your power supply (not included) to your pedals as per their individual power requirements. Route the power cables neatly using the board's cable management features.
- **Usage:** Engage and disengage your effect pedals as needed during your performance. The angled design facilitates easy access to footswitches.

# ORGANIZED TONE CONTROL

Organize your pedals in one place for easy control



Tips: Guitar effect pedals are not included.

Figure 6: Example of an organized pedal setup on the STRICH STANDARD 18.

## MAINTENANCE

The STRICH STANDARD 18 pedal board is designed for durability and requires minimal maintenance.

- **Cleaning:** Wipe the aluminum surface with a soft, dry cloth to remove dust and fingerprints. For stubborn marks, a slightly damp cloth can be used, followed by drying. Avoid abrasive cleaners or solvents.
- **Velcro Inspection:** Periodically check the velcro strips on both the pedals and the board for wear.



Replace worn velcro to ensure secure pedal attachment.

- **Storage:** When not in use, store the pedal board in its included carry bag to protect it from dust, scratches, and minor impacts.
- **Transport:** Always use the carry bag when transporting the pedal board to prevent damage to the board and your mounted pedals.

## TROUBLESHOOTING

This section addresses common issues you might encounter with your pedal board. Note that most issues related to sound or pedal functionality are typically due to the pedals themselves, cables, or power supply, rather than the pedal board structure.

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Pedals not staying securely on the board.	Worn out velcro, insufficient velcro, dirty surfaces.	Clean pedal and board surfaces before applying velcro. Replace old or worn velcro strips with new ones. Ensure adequate velcro coverage on pedal bottoms.
Cables are messy or tangled.	Improper cable routing.	Utilize the hollow design and cable management slots underneath the board. Use zip ties or cable clips to secure cables.
Pedal board wobbles on flat surface.	Uneven surface, damaged rubber feet.	Ensure the surface is flat. Check if rubber feet are missing or damaged; contact customer support if necessary.

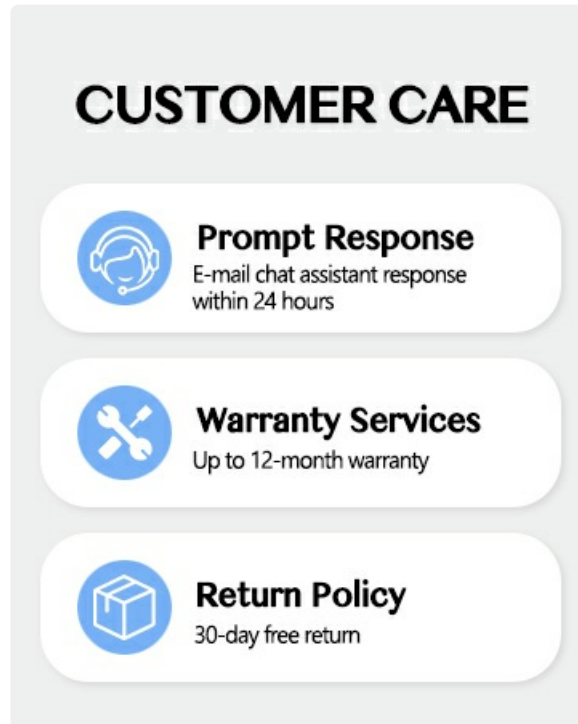
## SPECIFICATIONS

Attribute	Detail
Model	STANDARD 18
Material	Aluminum Alloy
Dimensions (L x W x H)	18" x 12.5" x 3.15" (46 cm x 32 cm x 8 cm)
Weight	Approx. 1.98 lbs (0.9 kg)
Color	Black
Included Accessories	Carry Bag, Velcro Strips

## WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

STRICH products are built to inspire and serve. We stand behind the quality of our products.

- **Warranty:** This product is covered by a 12-month warranty from the date of receipt. This warranty covers manufacturing defects and material flaws.
- **Customer Service:** For any questions, concerns, or warranty claims, please contact STRICH customer service. We aim to provide prompt assistance, with email chat assistance typically within 24 hours.
- **Return Policy:** A 30-day free return policy is available for this product.



**Figure 7:** STRICH Customer Care details, including prompt response, 12-month warranty, and 30-day free return.

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