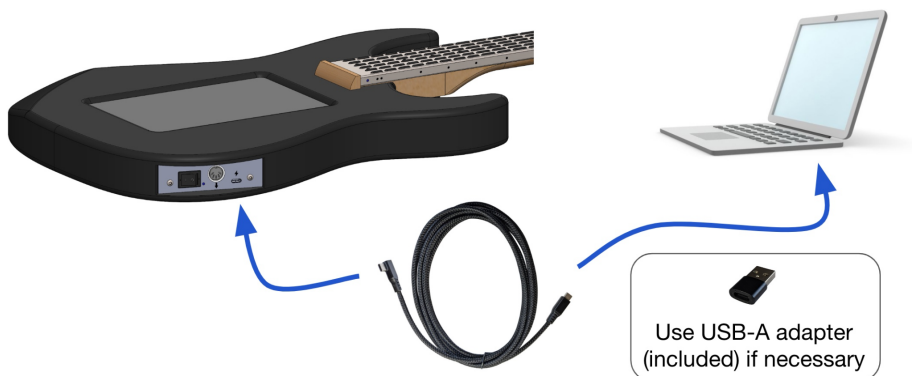


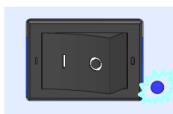


Nova Quickstart

1. Connect



Use the included USB-C cable to connect the Nova to a laptop, tablet, or phone.



Flip the power switch on ("I"), and the light should illuminate.

2. Load a Synth



Open your DAW (Ableton, Logic Pro, Garageband, etc.) and select the Nova as a midi input device in the midi settings. It will show up as:

Windows: **"USB A"**

Mac: **"USB MIDI Device"**

Load an instrument or VST in your DAW.

(This step can be tricky. For more guidance, including help with popular DAWs, see the full manual online or ask for help on the Mosi Discord.)

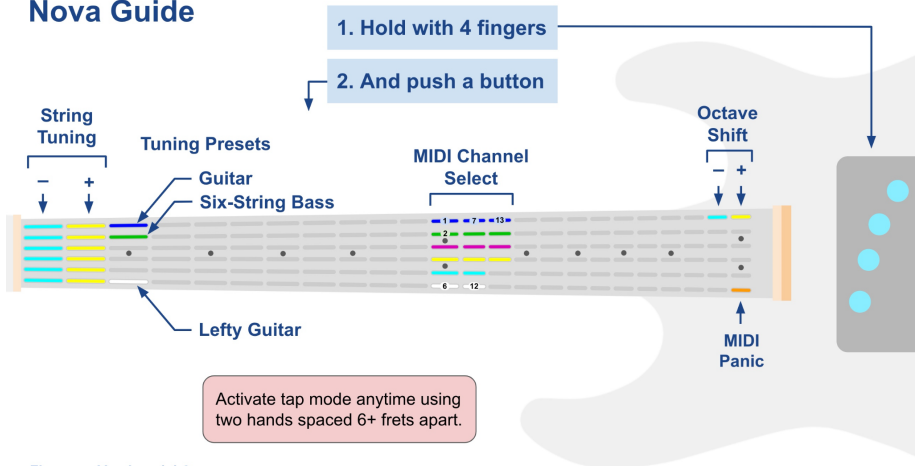
3. Play!

Hold down any fret on the fretboard, and simultaneously touch the touchpad. Drag the touch to different areas of the touchpad to morph the sound.

Function Frets

Special functions can be triggered by holding 4 touches on the touchpad, and pressing the buttons shown below:

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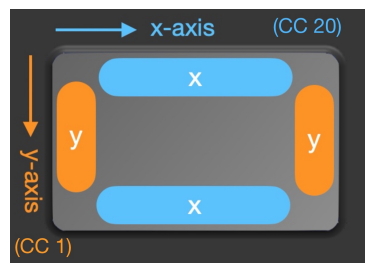
Note: All settings are reset each time the Nova boots up.
(This guide is linked from the QR code on the back of the Nova.)

Touchpad MIDI Assignment

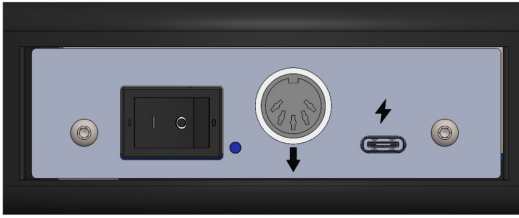
1. Start a midi-learn on your DAW.
2. Touch the edge of the Nova touchpad corresponding to the direction you want to map, as shown in the diagram.

For example, if you want to map the **y-axis**, simply touch the touchpad next to a vertical edge. Both vertical edges will work. And similarly to map the **x-axis**, touch the touchpad next to either of the horizontal edges.

The DAW control should now be mapped to the chosen axis. You can map as many DAW controls as you like to the same axis.



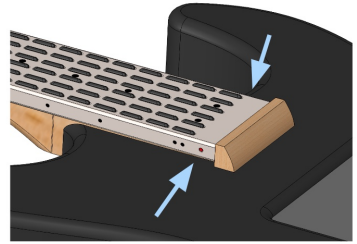
Ports & Lights



Power
Switch

5-pin
MIDI out

USB-C
(power &
MIDI out)



Mode Light

Note: When using 5-pin MIDI, the Nova must still receive power from the USB-C port.

Thank You!

You are now the proud owner of your very own Nova, and I want to personally welcome you to the Mosi community.

Tag **@mosiaudio** or use **#mosinova** when sharing on Instagram, TikTok and Facebook so we can see each other's Nova creations.

This is only the beginning. Your Nova has a built-in firmware updater, and I have many ideas to enhance playability and enable new techniques. I'd love to hear specific features you'd like or any ideas you have too!

Sincerely,
Stephen Moseson, Founder



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