

DAB+

Free-to-air radio, delivered in crystal-clear, digital quality

What Is DAB+?

DAB+ stands for Digital Audio Broadcasting Plus, a cutting-edge radio transmission technology delivering exceptional sound quality and an expansive range of program content.

DAB+ is a free-to-air broadcast platform, ensuring you have access to diverse radio content without relying on an internet connection.



Find Out More

When Can I Expect The DAB+ Rollout In My Area?

Commencing in Australia's major cities in 2011, the DAB+ rollout continues to expand. Currently there are over 60 digital services provided by community radio licensees across Australia's cities with ongoing trials and plans for future expansion into regional areas – stations with RA1 licenses that align with the rollout zones are contacted automatically.

The rollout is facilitated by the Digital Radio Project (DRP), which coordinates negotiations and payments between transmitter licensees and stations.

How Does DAB+ Benefit My Station?

Over 30% of community radio listening is now via digital radio.

With spectrum efficiency at its core, DAB+ utilises all available frequencies, allowing for a wider array of services and programming – all while maintaining crystal-clear sound quality.

On top of that, the graphical-based interface for Service and Program Information (SPI) presents greater branding opportunities for stations. Coupled with metadata integration, it provides your listeners with a greatly improved radio experience.

What About The Cost?

Installation costs are covered by Federal funding. Ongoing transmission costs are federally supported, with station contribution.



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