

1957 Les Paul Custom 3-Pickup With Bigsby Vibrato Ebony Light Aged, Ebony

Gibson Custom Shop is the pinnacle of craftsmanship, quality, and sound excellence. Each instrument celebrates Gibson's legacy through accuracy, authenticity and attention to detail.



With its elegant lines and ebony/pearl/gold aesthetic, the 1957 Les Paul™ Custom is easily one of the most iconic and beautiful guitars ever made. It features a body carved out of a single large piece of solid mahogany, unique among Les Paul models. The resulting dark mid-range tone from the body pairs perfectly with its bright-sounding solid ebony fingerboard. Altogether, it's the pinnacle of guitar craftsmanship, design, and tone. Gibson Custom Shop is proud to revive every last detail of the original "Black Beauty" for this '57 Les Paul Custom Reissue, from the dimensions and contours to the precise inlay patterns, to the entire ownership experience. It also features Light Aging by the skilled artisans of the Murphy Lab. The Murphy Lab Light Aged finish treatment, paired with lightly aged hardware, simulates decades of natural play wear, giving it the unique character, vibe, and feel of an original example from the Gibson Golden Era.

Specs



Finishes Available



Ebony

Body	
Shape	Les Paul
Material	1-Piece Solid Mahogany
Weight Relief	None
Binding	Multi-ply
Neck	
Neck	Solid Mahogany
Profile	Chunky C-Shape
Nut width	1.687" / 42.85mm
Fingerboard	Solid Ebony
Scale length	24.75" / 628.65mm
Number of frets	22
Nut	Nylon
Inlay	1950s Pattern Mother of Pearl
Hardware	
Bridge	No-Wire ABR-1
Tailpiece	Bigsby
Knobs	Butyrate Black Top Hats
Tuners	Kluson Waffleback with Pearloid Tips
Plating	Gold; Murphy Lab Light Aged
Electronics	
Neck pickup	Custombucker Alnico 3 (Unpotted)
Middle pickup	Custombucker Alnico 3 (Unpotted)
Bridge pickup	Custombucker Alnico 3 (Unpotted)
Controls	2 Volume, 2 Tone, CTS 500K Audio Taper Potentiometers, Paper-in-Oil Capacitors
Case & SKUs	
Case	Brown/Pink Lifton Reissue 5-Latch Case
SKU	LPB357LAEBBG1

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