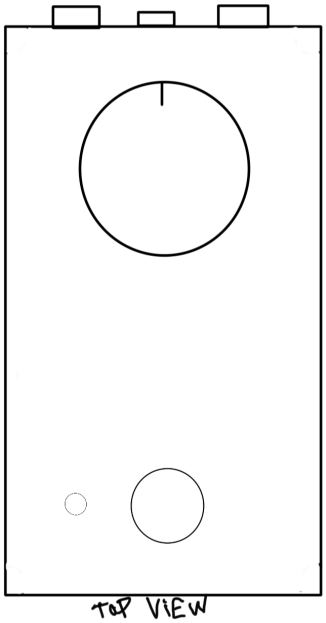
The Goose

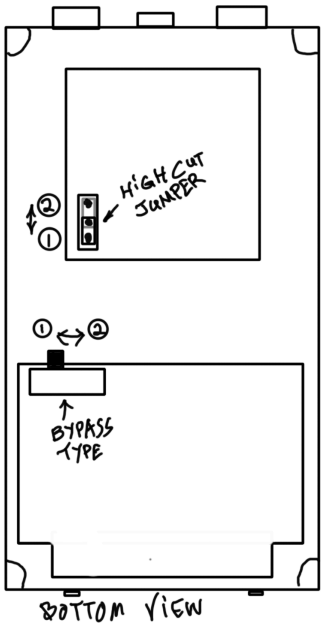


Power requirements:
9 volts, dc, center negative. Normal for many popular instrument effects. Current requirement is less than 20mA. Do not try to give it more voltage. Do not reverse voltage. Do not give it AC voltage. Do not feed it after midnight.

Volume
Big dial on the front of the pedal. When activated, the volume goes from close to unity gain, up to pretty loud.

On/Off
Cleverly named. Press once to turn on. Press once again to turn off.

There's more…
Internally, there are 2 things that can be adjusted. You do have to get a screwdriver and open it. Don't be afraid. Just be filled with awe and respect. It is STRONGLY recommended to not touch anything besides those 2 things. By touch, I mean physical contact of any kind. The internal parts are very sensitive and can be destroyed by static electricity. Make every effort to ground yourself before opening the pedal. It is recommended to never open the effect when it is attached to power or instrument cables. The switch and jumper do not take much physical force to move. If you think it needs more force, check the instructions again. The switch moves side to side. Pressing down on the switcher board can cause damage.



High Cut
The boost board, the one closes to the guitar and power jacks, has a 3 pin header and a jumper attached to 2 of them. In position 1, the boost is normal. Just louder. When the jumper is in position 2, the high frequencies are slightly lowered. Useful if you find the boosted sound "screamy" or "ice-picky".

Buffer/True Bypass
The switcher board (toss a coin to your switcher…) is the one down by the footswitch. you can see a slide switch on it. Position 1 is true bypass. Position 2 makes the buffer always on. Why would anyone ever? It does come in handy if it's the last pedal in your chain and you have a long cable run that causes signal loss, or first pedal in your chain and the sound is kind of dead. In both situations, trying this pedal with the switcher set to position 2 could make all the difference. The switch will initially be set to position 2 (buffer always on). Don't believe the rumors. Give it a try. If you don't like it, it's quite easy to set to true bypass.