

Jetter Gear

Gold Shift

Congratulations and thank you for purchasing the Gold Shift Overdrive Pedal!

The Gold Shift is a result of many people asking for the Gain Stage Gold after it was discontinued.

Not wanting to just bring it back in its original form, a new voicing was added that makes the Gold Shift an extremely versatile overdrive.

One thing that made the Gain Stage Gold stand out was, as the gain is turned up, the pick attack becomes more percussive—almost like playing with a metal pick. This is carried through to the Gold Shift because in the “Gold” position, it is 100% identical to the original circuit.

The “Shift” position is a creamier, “violin tone” at higher gain settings.

Overall, the Gold Shift covers a lot of territory; from aggressive higher gain to sultry, smokey blues.

CONTROLS & INTERACTIONS

The controls on the Gold Shift are fairly self explanatory, but here is more information about how they interact and some key points that will bring about a better understanding of the Gold Shift’s capabilities.

The Controls

Volume: sets the overall output volume.

Gain: sets the overall amount of overdrive. As the gain goes up, the Gold Shift stays tight and focused on the lower strings, allowing complex chords to ring true. There is a lot of gain on tap, but be sure to explore the lower range of the gain scale for beautiful almost-clean to crunchy textures. The character and flavor of the gain, as well as the harmonics and response will be affected by the interactions of the tone control.

Tone: The neutral tone position is at approximately 12 o’clock. The area between 10 o’clock and 2 o’clock are the sweet spots for most situations. However, the tone circuit was designed for useful tones even at the sweep extremes.

The Gold/Shift switch

Gold/Shift: In the Gold position, the pedal operates as a 100% Gain Stage Gold with that pedal's Hard/Soft switch set to Hard.

In the Shift position, a looser, bluesier tone comes out. At higher gain settings, the elusive "violin" tone can be dialed in.

On/Off Switch: True Bypass.

9v DC Input: standard polarity tip negative/barrel positive barrel jack - works with regulated DC battery eliminators. This DC Input is also electrically protected from an reverse polarity connection.

(9v battery included in pedal). If you use a battery eliminator, the internal battery connection is mechanically and electrically disconnected from the circuit.

If you are only using battery power, disconnect the input jack when not in use so as not to drain the battery!

LIMITED WARRANTY

The Gold Shift comes with a Limited one-year Warranty. This warranty covers all manufacturing defects and parts. Abuse and normal wear and tear is not covered. This pedal is not user serviceable and any evidence of circuit tampering or modification will void the warranty.

For repairs or information email support@jettergear.com.