

Bass Envelope Filter

Celebrate 15 years of MXR Bass Innovations with a special edition version of one of its most popular pedals. The MXR Blackout™Series Bass Envelope Filter features a stealthy matte black housing with gloss black text and a bright yellow LED for an aesthetic that's as slick as the pedal's classic analog envelope filter tones.

External Controls



- 1 FOOTSWITCH toggles effect on/bypass (yellow LED indicates on)
- 2 DECAY knob sets envelope filter's decay stop frequency
- 3 DRY knob controls volume of unaffected signal
- 4 FX knob controls volume of envelope filter signal
- 5 SENS knob adjusts the sensitivity of envelope filter to your attack
- 6 Q knob controls intensity of effect

Basic Operation

- **1.** Run a cable from your bass to the Bass Envelope Filter's INPUT jack and run another cable from the Bass Envelope Filter's OUTPUT jack to your amplifier.
- 2. Start with all controls at 12 o'clock.
- **3.** Turn the effect on by depressing the footswitch.
- **4.** Rotate the DRY knob clockwise to increase volume of unaffected signal or counterclockwise to decrease it.
- **5.** Rotate the DECAY knob clockwise to raise decay stop frequency or counterclockwise to lower it.
- **6.** Rotate the Q knob clockwise to increase intensity of effect or counterclockwise to decrease it.
- **7.** Rotate the SENS. knob clockwise to increase envelope filter's sensitivity to your attack or counterclockwise to decrease it.

Power

The MXR® Bass Envelope Filter is powered by one 9-volt battery (remove bottom plate to install), a 9-volt AC adapter such as the Dunlop ECB003/ECB003EU, or an MXR® Brick Series power supply.

Specifications

| Input Impedance | 1ΜΩ |
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| Output Impedance | 100 Ω |
| Maximum Input Level | +7.4 dBV |
| Maximum Output Level | +8 dBV |
| Noise Floor* | -94 dBV |
| Center Frequency Range (f _c) | 76 Hz to 3.2 kHz |
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| Max Sensitivity at 500 Hz | |
| fc = 3.2 kHz | -23 dBV |
| fc = 100 kHz | -39 dBV |
| Decay Stop Freq. | 76 Hz to 1.3 kHz |
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| Filter Gain at fc | |
| Q Min, fc = 76 Hz | +8 dB |
| Q Max, fc = 76 Hz | +18 dB |
| Q Min, fc = 3.2 kHz | +8 dB |
| Q Max, fc = 3.2 kHz | +26 dB |
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| FX Range** | -∞ to 0 dB |
| Dry Range | -∞ to +6 dB |
| Bypass | True Bypass |
| Filter Sweep (fc) | 76 Hz to 3.2 kHz |
| Sensitivity Range | 46 dB |
| Current Draw | 6 mA |
| Power Supply | 9 volts DC |
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^{*}A-weighted, all controls at mid position.

^{**}Relative to filter gain