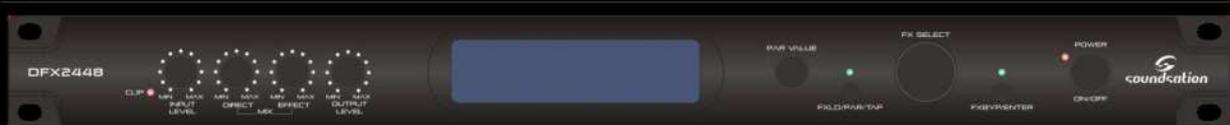




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DFX 2448



FX PROCESSOR

USER MANUAL



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One last thing: read this manual before using the instrument, an incorrect operation can cause damages to you and to the unit. Take care!

**The SOUNDSATION Team**



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# 1 - OPERATING ELEMENTS AND CONNECTIONS

## FRONT PANEL



**1 Overload LED CLIP;** if the LED lights up, turn back the control INPUT LEVEL (2) accordingly

**2 Control INPUT LEVEL** for matching the input level

**3 Control DIRECT** for the level of the original signal at the outputs (19)

**4 Control EFFECT** for the effect intensity (level of the effect signal at the outputs)

**5 Control OUTPUT LEVEL** to adjust the output level

**6 Alphanumeric display**

**7 Control PAR VALUE**

1. to set the effect parameters ( APPENDIX and chapter 7)

2. to select the external control mode ( chapter 8)

**8 Button FX LOAD/PAR/TAP**

1. to activate the effect selected with the knob FX SELECT (9)

2. to select the adjustable effect parameters ( APPENDIX and chapter 7)

3. for the effect TAP DELAY, press the button repeatedly to define the delay time ( chapter 6.3)

4. to select the storing and loading functions of your own parameter settings ( chapter 7.1)

5. to activate and deactivate the setting mode for external control ( chapter 8)

**9 Rotary knob FX SELECT** to select an effect After selection, activate the effect with the button FX LOAD/PAR/TAP (8).

**10 Button BYPASS/ENTER**

1. to deactivate and activate the effect signal; when the effect signal has been deactivated, only the original signal adjusted with the control DIRECT (3) will be sent to the outputs (19)

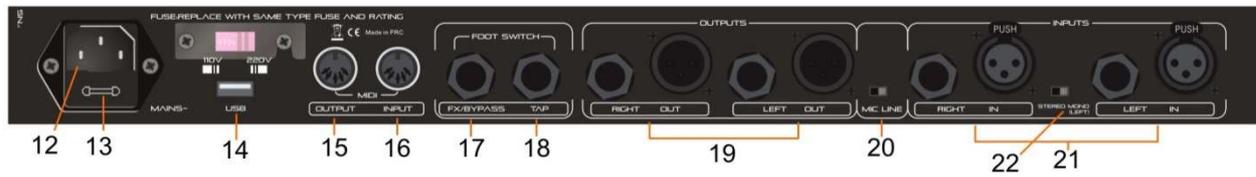
2. to activate the storing and loading process of your own parameter settings

3. for the effect ROTARY, to stop and restart the simulation of a rotating speaker

**11 POWER switch**



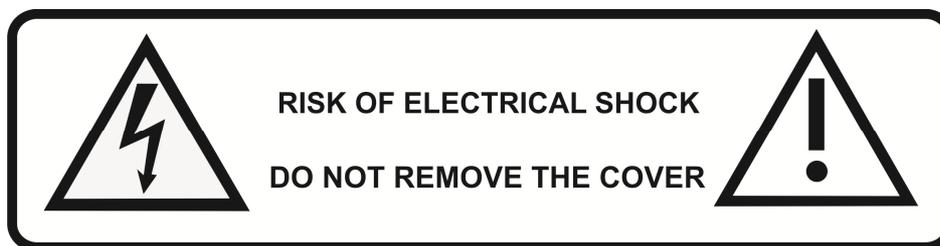
# BACK PANEL



- 12** Mains jack for connection to a socket (230 V / 50 Hz) via the mains cable provided
- 13** Support for the mains fuse Always replace a blown fuse by one of the same type!
- 14** USB port for a PC to control the effect unit via the software provided
- 15** MIDI output to connect another MIDI-controlled audio unit
- 16** MIDI input for MIDI control
- 17** 6.3 mm jack BYPASS/ENTER for a footswitch, for remote control of the function of the button BYPASS/ENTER (10)
- 18** 6.3 mm jack FX/LOAD/PAR/TAP for a footswitch, for remote control of the function of the button FX/LOAD/PAR/TAP (8)
- 19** Signal outputs (balanced, 6.3 mm jack and XLR) to connect the inputs of the subsequent audio unit  
When connecting the 6.3 mm jacks, the XLR outputs will be deactivated.
- 20** Level selector switch for the inputs (21) when connecting an audio unit with line output (e. g. preamplifier, mixer), set the switch to the position LINE when connecting a microphone, set the switch to the position MIC
- 21** Signal inputs (balanced, 6.3 mm jack and XLR) to connect the signal source (microphone or audio unit)  
When connecting the 6.3 mm jacks, the XLR inputs will be deactivated.
- 22** Mono/stereo selector switch  
In the position MONO, only the signal of the left input channel (LEFT IN) will be processed and routed to the left and right output channels.



## 2 - GENERAL WARNINGS



**To prevent possible damages read the following list of actions:**

- Do not place the instrument in wet or dirty environments.
- Do not remove the protective coverings.
- Do not cover any of the instrument's ventilation holes.
- Air must circulate freely around the instrument.
- Do not set the instrument on a surface with excessive vibration.
- Do not expose the instrument to electro-magnetic interference.
- Do not expose the instrument to heat, cold, wet or dust.
- Do not leave the instrument in direct sunlight.
- Do not expose the instrument to electrostatic forces.
- Do not place items with flames, such as candles or lighters, on the instrument.
- Do not place the instrument on anything containing water or other

If any foreign objects enter the instrument, please contact your dealer or an authorized **SOUNDSATION** center.

The **serial number**, electrical features and international standards are printed on a label located in the back of the unit.

In case of problems remember to give the serial number to the responsible of the technical assistance.



## 3 - APPLICATIONS

The DFX2448 is a digital stereo effect unit with 16 different effects, e. g. Delay, Reverb, GatedReverb, Chorus, Flanger, etc. and effect combinations. Depending on the effect, up to 25 parameters are adjustable (table on page 3). In an audio system, the effect unit is used to modify the sound. It is inserted in the signal path, e. g. between the microphone and the amplifier or in the effect way of a mixer. The DFX2448 is both suited for professional applications (e. g. studio, stage, discotheque) and private applications (e. g. home recording). The software supplied with the unit allows convenient control of the effect unit from a PC. As an alternative, control via MIDI will also be possible.

## 4 - SETTING UP AND CONNECTING THE EFFECT UNIT

The DFX-2448 is designed for installation into a rack (482 mm/19"), but it can also be used as a tabletop unit. For rack installation, 1 RS is required (RS = rack space = 44.45 mm).

Prior to making or changing any connections, switch off the effect unit and the units to be connected.

**1)** Insert the effect unit in the signal path of the audio system according to the signal source used:

– Line mono signal source (e. g. output of a musical instrument, Effect Send output of a mixer)

Connect the signal output of the unit to be connected to the XLR or 6.3 mm jack LEFT IN (21).

\* Set the switch MIC LINE

(20) to the position LINE and the switch STEREO MONO (22) to the position MONO.

– Line stereo signal source

(e. g. master signal output of a mixer) Connect the signal outputs of the unit to be connected to the XLR or 6.3 mm jacks

RIGHT IN and LEFT IN (21). \* Set the switch MIC LINE (20) to the position LINE and the switch STEREO MONO (22) to

the position STEREO.

– Microphone

Connect the microphone to the XLR or 6.3 mm jack LEFT IN (21). \* Set the switch MIC LINE (20) to the position MIC and the switch STEREO MONO (22) to the position MONO.

Connect the OUTPUTS (19) to the line inputs of the subsequent unit (e. g. amplifier). When returning the effect signal to a mixer, connect the OUTPUTS to the return inputs or to two input channels of the mixer.

**2)** To operate the functions of the buttons FX LOAD/PAR/TAP (8) and BYPASS/ENTER (10) by remote control via two footswitches (e. g. FS-70 from "img Stage Line"), connect the footswitches to the jacks FX LOAD/PAR/ TAP (18) and BYPASS/ENTER (17).

**3)** Finally connect the mains cable provided to the mains jack (12), then connect the mains plug to a socket (230 V~/50 Hz).



## 5 - OPERATION

**1)** Switch on the effect unit with the POWER switch (11). The POWER LED next to the button will light up. The settings of the last operation will be loaded while the display (6) indicates “DFX2448 Effect Processor” and the firmware version successively. When the name of the last effect used is displayed, the unit is ready for operation.

**2)** To make the subsequent settings audible, set the controls INPUT LEVEL (2), DIRECT (3), EFFECT (4) and OUTPUT LEVEL (5) to mid- position (position 5) first. Switch on the units connected to the DFX2448 and feed a signal to the effect unit. If the LED above the button BYPASS/ENTER (10) lights up, press this button; otherwise no effect will be audible.

**Note:** If the effect signal is mixed to the direct signal in the mixer, set the control DIRECT of the DFX2448 to “0”.

**3)** To adjust the input level, turn up the control INPUT LEVEL to such an extent that the overload LED CLIP (1) will shortly light up with music peaks. Then slightly turn back the control until the LED stops lighting up. The LED CLIP will also indicate overload of the effect processor. Therefore, when you select another effect, the LED may light up despite the same input level. In this case, also turn back the control INPUT LEVEL accordingly.

**4)** Match the output level to the subsequent unit with the control OUTPUT LEVEL (5). If the desired output level is not reached, advance the controls EFFECT (4) and DIRECT (3).

**5)** Select the desired effect with the knob FX SELECT (9). Activate the selected effect with the button FX LOAD/PAR/TAP (8) so that the name of the effect stops flashing on the display. A short description of the different effects can be found in the following chapter.

**6)** Adjust the effect intensity with the control EFFECT. For a very high intensity, turn back the control DIRECT accordingly.

**7)** Depending on the effect selected, different effect parameters are adjustable. To select a parameter, press the button FX LOAD/PAR/ TAP (8) repeatedly until the second line of the display indicates the parameter to be changed. Then make the setting with the control PAR VALUE (7).

It will be possible to store various parameter settings as presets and to activate them, if required (  chapter 7.1)

The second line of the display will show the number and the name of the activated preset. The number will appear additionally behind the effect name. The factory setting is number 1 and called “Default”.

## NOTES

**1.** An overview of the adjustable parameters can be found in the APPENDIX. The parameters are described in chapter 7.

**2.** After selecting or changing a parameter, the second line of the display will indicate the name of the preset again if the control PAR VALUE or the button FX LOAD/PAR/TAP has not been pressed for 10 seconds.

**3.** If the parameters of a preset have been changed, an asterisk will appear in front of the preset number when the second line of the display shows the name of the preset again. The changes will be stored automatically.



4. For the effect TAP DELAY, the delay time will also be defined when the button FX LOAD/PAR/TAP is pressed in order to synchronize the echoes to the beat of the music (☞ chapter 6.3).

8) For fine adjustment of the effect, repeat steps 4, 6 and 7, if required.

9) To activate/deactivate the effect, press the button BYPASS/ENTER (10) or use a foot-switch connected to the jack BYPASS/ENTER (17). With the effect deactivated, the green LED above the button BYPASS/ENTER will light up and on the right of the display, "OFF" will appear instead of "ON".

**Note:** With the control DIRECT set to "0" and the effect deactivated, no signal will be audible at the OUTPUTS (19).

10) After operation, switch off the unit with the POWER switch.

## 6 - DESCRIPTION OF EFFECTS

### 6.1 REVERB HALL, REVERB ROOM, REVERB PLATE

These three effects are used to create a natural reverberation.

**Reverb Hall** simulates the reverberation in a large hall. It is characterized by long early reflections and a soft, long reverberation. This effect is often used for solo instruments and lead vocals.

**Reverb Room** simulates the reverberation in an empty room of medium size. It is characterized by short and distinct early reflections and a short reverb decay time. This effect is ideal for percussion instruments.

**Reverb Plate** simulates the sound of a reverb plate. For a long time, reverb plates were used in studios to create artificial reverberation. They provide a reverberation with emphasis on the high frequencies. There are no early reflections so that there is no clear information concerning the size of the room and the sound of the effect is somewhat artificial. This reverberation is often used for solo instruments and vocals.

### 6.2 REVERB VOCAL, GATE REVERB

These reverb effects do not simulate natural acoustics; they are used to create special effects.

**Reverb Vocal** simulates the reverberation in a large hall, however, with the addition of small echoes to improve the characteristics of vocals.

**Gate Reverb** simulates a reverberation that is cut off by a noise gate when the reverb signal falls below an adjustable value instead of slowly decaying. This effect is ideally suited for percussion instruments of very short sound, e.g. snare drums and kick drum.

\*6.3 mm jacks and XLR jacks may be connected at the same time; however, the 6.3 mm jacks will deactivate the corresponding XLR jacks.



## 6.3 VOCAL ECHO, TAP DELAY

The DFX2448 offers two echo effects for various applications:

**Vocal Echo:** This echo effect is ideally suited for vocals. It creates echoes with different delay times in the left and right stereo channels.

**Tap Delay:** For this classic echo effect, the delay time is defined either via the parameter 1 “Delay” with the control PAR VALUE (7) or by pressing the button FX LOAD/PAR/TAP (8).

To define the delay time with the button FX LOAD/PAR/TAP and to synchronize the beat of the echoes:

- 1) Press the button FX LOAD/PAR/TAP once. The parameter 1 “Delay” will be displayed.
- 2) Press the button once again within 10 seconds, keep it pressed until its LED starts flashing. In the second line of the display, “Delay [TM]:” and the adjusted delay time in milliseconds will appear.
- 3) Press the button FX LOAD/PAR/TAP to the beat of the music. The interval between the last two actuations will define the delay time. The delay time will be shown on the display and by flashing of the LED above the button FX LOAD/PAR/TAP. In this case, the controls PAR VALUE and FX SELECT are without function.
- 4) To select other parameters or other effects, keep the button FX LOAD/PAR/TAP pressed again until its LED stops flashing.

Note: The maximum delay time to be adjusted is 0.8 seconds for the stereo mode and 1.27 seconds for the mono mode. The operating mode is adjustable with the parameter 15 “Mode”.

## 6.4 CHORUS, FLANGE, PHASER, TREMOLO, ROTARY

These effects are modulation effects, i. e. the input signal is modulated (e. g. in its pitch) and mixed to the original input signal. Depending on the type of modulation, various effects will result.

**Chorus:** This effect is used to make an instrument or a voice sound “richer”. To obtain this effect, a part of the input signal is delayed (approx. 30 ms), the pitch is slightly varied all the time (vibrato) and mixed to a part of the original input signal.

**Flange:** The Flanger effect was originally created when the same piece of music was played simultaneously on two tape decks and the output signals of the units were mixed. Since the two units were not completely in sync due to tolerances, increasing time differences would result between the signals. When the signals of the tapes were mixed, various frequencies sweeping across the frequency spectrum would cancel each other due to the variations in speed. From the acoustic point of view, you get the impression of a jet plane flying through the music. Slowing down a tape reel (“flange”) would systematically increase the intensity of this effect.

**Phaser:** The distortion in sound typical of the Phaser is created when the phase of a part of the input signal is shifted and mixed to a part of the original input signal. The effect is mainly used for



guitars, electric pianos and keyboards.

**Tremolo:** A tremolo is created when the volume of a signal is rapidly increased and decreased alternately. The effect is ideally suited for guitars, bass guitars and keyboards.

**Rotary:** This effect simulates rotating speakers (Leslie effect). The effect became popular in the era of the Hammond organ for which it was mainly used. Today it is also often used by guitarists.

To stop (display indication “Stop”) and restart (display indication “Go”) the simulated rotation of the two speakers (bass speaker and horn speaker), press the button BYPASS/ ENTER (10) or actuate the footswitch connected to the jack BYPASS/ENTER (17). With a corresponding setting (☞ chapter 7, parameter “Switch”), it will be possible to switch the rotating speed between slow and fast with the button FX LOAD/PAR/TAP (8) or a footswitch connected to the jack FX LOAD/PAR/TAP (18).

As a special feature, the DFX2448 allows to set the parameters for this effect separately for the bass speaker and the horn speaker.

## 6.5 EFFECT COMBINATIONS CHR/FLG/REVERB, DELAY/REVERB, CHR/FLG/DELAY

**Chr/Flg/Reverb:** The effects Chorus, Flange and Reverb Room are activated at the same time.

**Delay/Reverb:** The effects Delay and Reverb Hall are activated at the same time

**Chr/Flg/Delay:** The effects Chorus, Flange and Delay are activated at the same time

## 6.6 PITCH SHIFTER

The **pitch** of the input signal is shifted. The maximum shifting is 12 semitones (= 1 octave) and is adjustable in steps of one third of a semitone. To hear only the signal with the pitch shifted, set the control DIRECT (3) to “0”, e. g. to distort a voice substantially.

## 7 ADJUSTABLE EFFECT PARAMETERS

The effect parameters are listed below in alphabetic order. The spelling is identical to the one indicated on the display and used in the table on page 3.

**Attack** – for the effect GATE REVERB: the time the gate requires to completely let pass again the reverberation signal

The reverberation will be cut off when the signal falls below an adjustable threshold (☞ Threshold). If the next reverberation signal exceeds the threshold, the gate will open again.

**Chorus** – for the effect PITCH SHIFTER: part of the signal with the pitch shifted that is returned to the effect processor input and shifted again and again in a signal loop



Chorus Vol – volume of the Chorus effect signal This parameter will define the volume ratio to other effects.

**Chr/Flg Depth** – intensity of the modulation for the Chorus and Flange effects for the effect combinations CHR/FLG REVERB and CHR/FLG DELAY

**Chr/Flg HPF** – cut-off frequency of the high pass filter for the effect combinations CHR/FLG REVERB an **CHR/FLG DELAY**: minimum frequency for passage of the effect signals (low frequency attenuation)

**Chr/Flg LPF** – cut-off frequency of the low pass filter for the effect combinations CHR/FLG REVERB an CHR/FLG DELAY: maximum frequency for passage of the effect signals (high frequency attenuation)

**Chr/Flg Rate** – setting of the Chorus and Flange effect speeds for the combinations CHR/FLG REVERB an CHR/FLG DELAY

**Chr/Flg Vol** – volume of the Chorus and Flange signals for the combinations CHR/FLG REVERB an CHR/FLG DELAY

**Cyl Depth** – intensity of modulation for the simulation of the rotating bass speaker (effect ROTARY)

**Cyl Feedback** – part of the effect signal of the bass speaker that is returned to the input of the effect processor

This parameter will affect the intensity of the effect for the bass speaker.

**Cyl HighSpeed** – rotating speed for the simulation of the rotating bass speaker in the setting “Fast”

**Cyl Level** – volume of the bass speaker for the effect ROTARY

**Cyl LowSpeed** – rotating speed for the simulation of the rotating bass speaker in the setting “Slow”

**Cyl LPF** – cut-off frequency of the low pass filter for the simulation of the rotating bass speaker: maximum frequency for passage of the signal (high frequency attenuation)

**Cyl PEQ F** – midrange frequency of the bell filter that will boost or attenuate a frequency range for the simulation of the rotating bass speaker

**Cyl PEQ G** – gain or attenuation of the adjusted frequency range by a bell filter for the simulation of the rotating bass speaker

**Cyl PEQ Q** – bandwidth of the bell filter for the simulation of the rotating bass speaker; range: 0.05 – 3 octaves in steps of one third of an octave referring to the midrange frequency Cyl PEQ F

Decay – decay time

Delay – delay time

For the effect TAP DELAY, the delay time will also be defined when the button FX LOAD/PAR/TAP is pressed in order to synchronize the beat of the echoes (☞ chapter 6.3)

**Delay Decay** – number of echoes for the effect combinations DELAY REVERB and CHR/FLG DELAY

**Delay HPF** – cut-off frequency of the high pass filter for the echo signal: minimum frequency for passage of the echo signal (low frequency attenuation)

**Delay LPF** – cut-off frequency of the low pass filter for the echo signal: maximum frequency for passage of the echo signal (high frequency attenuation)



**Delay Time** – delay time for the effect combinations CHR/FLG DELAY and DELAY REVERB

**Delay Vol** – volume of the echo signal for the effect combinations DELAY REVERB an CHR/ FLG DELAY

**Density** – reflection density: interval between the individual reflections in the reverberation signal

**Depth** – intensity of modulation for the effects CHORUS, FLANGE, PHASER and TREMOLO

**Displacement** – for the effect VOCAL ECHO Deviation of the echo time between the left and right channels

**EQ Freq** – midrange frequency of the bell filter that will boost or attenuate a frequency range in the Phaser effect signal

**EQ Gain** – gain or attenuation of the adjusted frequency range in the Phaser effect signal by the bell filter

**EQ Q** – bandwidth of the bell filter that will boost or attenuate a frequency range in the Phaser effect signal; range: 0.05 – 3 octaves in steps of one third of an octave referring to the midrange frequency EQ Freq

**E.Ref Vol** – volume of the early reflections during reverberation

**Feedback** – part of the effect signal returned to the input of the effect processor

– For the effects FLANGE and PHASER: to affect the effect intensity

– For the effects VOCAL ECHO and TAP DE- LAY: to set the number of echoes

**Feedback Phase** – For the effect PHASER, the phase of the effect signal returned to the input of the effect processor will be inverted by 180° (setting “inv” = inverted). This will result in another distortion of the sound. With the preset “Dir” (direct), the signal will not be inverted.

**Flanger Vol** – volume of the Flange effect signal This parameter will define the volume ratio to other effects.

**F.Ref Vol** – volume of the fast reflections during reverberation

The fast reflections will be simulated in addition to the early reflections in order to obtain a higher reflection density.

**H-Damp Freq**

– For CHORUS, FLANGE and TREMOLO: frequency at which the effect signal will be attenuated (high frequency attenuation)

– For reverberation effects (REVERB): frequency at which the reverberation time will be reduced. Like in a natural environment, the reverberation time will depend on the frequency.

H-Damp Rev – frequency at which the reverberation time will be reduced in order to simulate natural acoustics



**High-Pass F** – cut-off frequency of the high pass filter: minimum frequency for passage of the effect signal (low frequency attenuation)

**Horn Depth** – intensity of modulation for the simulation of the rotating horn speaker (effect ROTARY)

**Horn Feedback** – part of the effect signal of the horn speaker returned to the input of the effect processor

This parameter will affect the intensity of the effect for the horn speaker.

**Horn HighSpeed** – rotating speed for the simulation of the rotating horn speaker in the setting “Fast”

**Horn HPF** – cut-off frequency of the high pass filter for the simulation of the rotating horn speaker: minimum frequency for passage of the signal (low frequency attenuation)

**Horn Level** – volume of the horn speaker for the effect ROTARY

**Horn LowSpeed** – rotating speed for the simulation of the rotating horn speaker in the setting “Slow”

**Horn LPF** – cut-off frequency of the low pass filter for the simulation of the rotating horn speaker: maximum frequency for passage of the signal (high frequency attenuation)

**Horn PEQ F** – midrange frequency of the bell filter that will boost or attenuate a frequency range for the simulation of the rotating horn speaker

**Horn PEQ G** – gain or attenuation of the adjusted frequency range by a bell filter for the simulation of the rotating horn speaker

**Horn PEQ Q** – bandwidth of the bell filter for the simulation of the rotating horn speaker; range: 0.05 – 3 octaves in steps of one third of an octave referring to the midrange frequency

#### **Horn PEQ F**

– For CHORUS, FLANGE and TREMOLO: frequency up to which the effect signal will be attenuated (low frequency attenuation)

– For reverberation effects (REVERB): frequency up to which the reverberation time will be reduced. Like in a natural environment, the reverberation time will depend on the frequency.

**L-Damp Rev** – frequency up to which the reverberation time will be reduced in order to simulate natural acoustics

**Link Rate** – For the effects CHORUS and FLANGE, this parameter will define if the effect speed



for the right channel and the left channel is adjusted separately (setting OFF) or together for both channels (setting ON). When the effect speeds are different, a stereo impression will result.

**Low-Pass F** – cut-off frequency of the low pass filter: minimum frequency for passage of the effect signal (high frequency attenuation)

**Mode** – selection of stereo or mono mode for the effect TAP DELAY

The setting will affect the maximum delay: for mono, 1.27 seconds max. will be possible; for stereo, 0.8 seconds max.

**Offset** – for the effect TREMOLO: modulation intensity adjustable in addition to the parameter “Depth”

From a certain value, the tremolo frequency will double. The sound of the effect will be harder.

**Offset Depth** – for the effect PHASER: shifting of the individual modulations with one another

**Out Level** – volume of the effect signal

This parameter will define the volume ratio to other effects.

**PEQ1, 2, 3 F**

**PEQ1, 2, 3 Freq** – midrange frequency of one of the three bell filters at the effect processor input which will boost or attenuate frequency ranges

**PEQ1, 2, 3 G**

**PEQ1, 2, 3 Gain** – gain or attenuation of the adjusted frequency range by one of the three bell filters at the effect processor input

**PEQ1, 2, 3 Q** – bandwidth of the three bell filters; range: 0.05 – 3 octaves in steps of one third of an octave referring to the midrange frequency PEQx F

**PEQ F** – midrange frequency of the bell filter which will boost or attenuate a frequency range in the effect signal

For the effect ROTARY, it will filter the signal at the effect processor output; for the effect PITCH SHIFTER, the signal at the processor input.

**PEQ G** – gain or attenuation of the adjusted frequency range in the ROTARY or PITCH SHIFTER signal

**PEQ Q** – bandwidth of the bell filter for the ROTARY or PITCH SHIFTER signal; range: 0.05 – 3 octaves in steps of one third an octave, referring to the midrange frequency PEQ F.

**Phase** – deviation from the phase between the input signal and the effect signal;

The effect will be affected when the two signals are mixed.

**Phaser In** – For the effect PHASER, the phase of the signal at the effect processor input will be inverted by 180° (setting “inv” = inverted) to obtain another distortion of the sound. With the preset “Dir” (direct), the input signal will not be inverted.

**Phaser Vol** – volume of the Phaser effect signal This parameter will define the volume ratio to other effects.

**PreDly E.Ref** – delay of early reflections during reverberation, i. e. the time before the early reflections



**PreDly F.Ref** – delay of fast reflections (☞F.Ref Vol) during reverberation

**PreDly Rev** – delay of the reverberation, i. e. the time before the reverberation is audible

**Pseudo St** – delay of the effect signal between the left output and the right output: The higher the percentage value, the more distinct the stereo impression.

**Rate** – setting of the effect speed for the effects PHASER and TREMOLO.

**Rate L, Rate R** – separate setting of the effect speed for the right channel and the left channel for the effects CHORUS and FLANGE

### **Note:**

These parameters will only appear on the display if the parameter “Link Rate” is set to OFF. If it is set to ON, the parameters “Rate L&R” and “Rate R&L” will be adjustable.

Rate L&R, Rate R&L – setting of the effect speed together for the right channel and the left channel for the effects CHORUS and FLANGE

Two parameters (Rate L&R and Rate R&L) will be indicated on the display, but it is the same setting. If you change one of them, the other will change accordingly.

The parameters will only appear on the display if the parameter “Link Rate” is set to ON. If it is set to OFF, the parameters “Rate L” and “Rate R” will be adjustable.

**Release** – for the effect GATE REVERB: the time the gate requires to completely suppress the reverberation signal

**Reverb Vol** – level of the reverberation signal passing through the internal delay loop

For the effect combinations CHR/FLG REVERB and DELAY REVERB: volume of the reverberation effect

**Semi Tones** – pitch shifting adjustable in steps of one third of a semitone ( $\pm 1$  octave max.)

**Switch** – selection of the rotating speed between Slow and Fast with the control PAR VALUE (7)

The speed is also selectable with the button FX LOAD/PAR/TAP (8) or via a footswitch connected to the jack FX LOAD/PAR/TAP (18): The parameter “Switch” must be activated and displayed. Keep the button FX LOAD/PAR/TAP pressed (for approx. 3 seconds) until “Switch [RM]:” appears in the second line of the display [RM = Rotary Mode]. It will now only be possible to change the speed with the button FX LOAD/PAR/TAP or with a footswitch connected. The controls PAR VALUE and FX SELECT are without function. In the setting “Fast”, the LED above the button FX LOAD/PAR/TAP will light up.

To select another parameter or another effect, first keep the button FX LOAD/PAR/TAP pressed again (for approx. 3 seconds) until “Preset:” appears in the second line of the display. The controls PAR VALUE and FX SELECT will be in operation again and the speed will only be changed with the control PAR VALUE.



**Threshold** – for the effect GATE REVERB: the switching threshold for the gate

If the reverberation signal falls below the threshold value adjusted, the gate will cut it off.

**Time** – delay time for the effect GATE REVERB, adjustable in steps of 31.5 ms from 0 to 3.15 seconds (3150 ms)

**Tremolo Vol** – level of the Tremolo effect signal This parameter will define the volume ratio to other effects.

## 7.1 STORING AND LOADING PARAMETER SETTINGS

For each effect, it will be possible to store eight different parameter settings (presets) which are easily loaded for repeated applications.

### 7.1.1 STORING SETTINGS

- 1) Select the parameters as desired for the effect selected.
  - 2) Press the button FX LOAD/PAR/TAP (8) repeatedly until "Save\_P:" appears in the second line of the display.
  - 3) To activate the storage mode, press the button BYPASS/ENTER (10) within 10 seconds. If it takes longer (the second line of the display will indicate "Preset:" again), repeat step 2.
  - 4) Select one of the eight memory locations with the control PAR VALUE (7). On memory location 1, the factory settings for the effect selected are stored. You may overwrite them with your own settings. Free memory locations are marked "Empty".
  - 5) Press the button BYPASS/ENTER to confirm the selection of the memory location. If the memory location selected has already been used, the unit will ask if you wish to overwrite it: "Overwrite preset?". Press the button BYPASS/ENTER to confirm or the button FX LOAD/PAR/TAP to abort.
- If the process has not been aborted, the second line of the display will show "Edit Name:" and "Empty" (if the memory location is free) or the name used before.
- 6) The name of the setting to be stored may contain up to eight characters. Select the input position with the control FX SELECT (9) and select a character with the control PAR VALUE. Repeat the process for the other positions.



The following characters are available:

space character ! " # \$ % & ' ( ) \* + , - . /  
0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9  
: ; < = > ? @  
A B C ... X Y Z  
[ ¥ ] ^ \_ `   
a b c ... x y z  
{ | } → ←

7) After entering the name, store the settings with the button BYPASS/ENTER.

## 7.1.2 LOADING SETTINGS

- 1) Select the desired effect with the knob FX SELECT (9) and activate it with the button FX LOAD/PAR/TAP (8).
- 2) Press the button FX LOAD/PAR/TAP repeatedly until "Load\_P:" appears in the second line of the display (after the last adjustable parameter).
- 3) To activate the loading process, press the button BYPASS/ENTER (10) within 10 seconds. If it takes longer (the second line of the display will indicate "Preset:" again), repeat step 2.
- 4) Select a setting with the control PAR VALUE (7). The last setting loaded will be indicated without an asterisk \* in front of the memory location number
- 5) To activate the setting selected, press the button BYPASS/ENTER. The memory location number of this setting will also appear behind the effect name.

## 7.2 RESETTING ALL PARAMETERS TO THE FACTORY SETTINGS

If the parameters have been misadjusted so that the sound is not really good any more, it will be easy to reset the unit: The parameter memories

1 of all effects will be reset to the default values and the memories 2 – 8 with your own settings will be deleted.

1) Switch off the DEF-220P.

2) Keep the button BYPASS/ENTER (10) pressed and switch on the unit at the same time. The display will show:

Set factory config.?  
if yes press < Tap >



3) Press the button FX LOAD/PAR/TAP (8) to confirm. The display will show:

Reset, are you sure?

if yes press < Fx/Byp >

4) To reset, press the buttons FX LOAD/PAR/ TAP and BYPASS/ENTER at the same time. Just like after switching on, the display will indicate the unit name and the firmware version successively. Then the DFX2448 is ready for operation again.



# 8 EXTERNAL CONTROL POSSIBILITIES

For controlling the DFX2448, either use the software provided or a MIDI software.

## 8.1 CONTROL VIA THE SOFTWARE PROVIDED

The software provided is suitable for the operating systems Windows XP, Windows Vista and Windows 7. It allows convenient control of the DFX2448 via a PC. All parameters of an effect are clearly shown on the user interface and are directly adjustable. They will be stored as presets both on the PC and also in the DEF-220P.

### 8.1.1 PREPARATION

- 1) Connect the USB port (14) via a USB cable to the USB port of the PC.
- 2) Adjust the DFX-2448 for control via the USB port:
  - a) Keep the button FX LOAD/PAR/TAP pressed for approx. 3 seconds until the first line of the display indicates "Config Communication".
  - b) If the second line indicates "Device: < USB >" the USB port has already been selected. In this case, exit the setting mode (→ step d).
  - c) If "Device: < MIDI=Ch . . >" is indicated, turn the control PAR VALUE (7) clockwise until "Device: < USB >" appears
  - d) To exit the setting mode, keep the button FX LOAD/PAR/TAP pressed for approx. 3 seconds until the display indicates an effect name

- 3) Start the file "setup.exe" to install the software from the CD on the computer.
- 4) Click the corresponding symbol to start the control program. Loading the program may take a while because all parameters stored in the DFX2448 will be transferred to the PC. The screen will show the message "Dumping memory; please wait". After loading, the user interface of the program will appear and the display of the DFX2448 will show "System Lock PC Connection". Control of the effect unit will now only be possible via the PC. If the effect unit and the PC have not been linked correctly, only operation in the "Demo Mode" will be possible.

### 8.1.2 OPERATION

The control program is very easy to use. All parameters are adjustable via controls or selection boxes. To activate another effect, use the box "Effect change". Use the button "Effect" to activate and deactivate the effect. The other buttons have the following functions:

**Exit** – to exit the control program

When the display of the DFX2448 changes from the indication "System Lock PC Connection" to



the indication of an effect name, it will be possible to operate the effect unit again with its buttons and controls.

**Save Preset To PC** – to store the parameter settings of the activated effect as a preset on the PC; the file extension of the preset files is “fxp”

**Load Preset From PC** – to load a preset previously stored on the PC

The current preset name is indicated on the left at the bottom of the user interface behind “Preset on device =”. If parameters are changed after loading a preset, an asterisk \* will appear in front of the preset number.

**Save Project To PC** – to store the parameters currently set for all 16 effects

It will be possible to store the parameter settings of all 16 effects on the PC as a project. Thus, different projects for various applications may be stored; they have the file extension “prj”.

**Load Project From PC** – to load a project stored on the PC

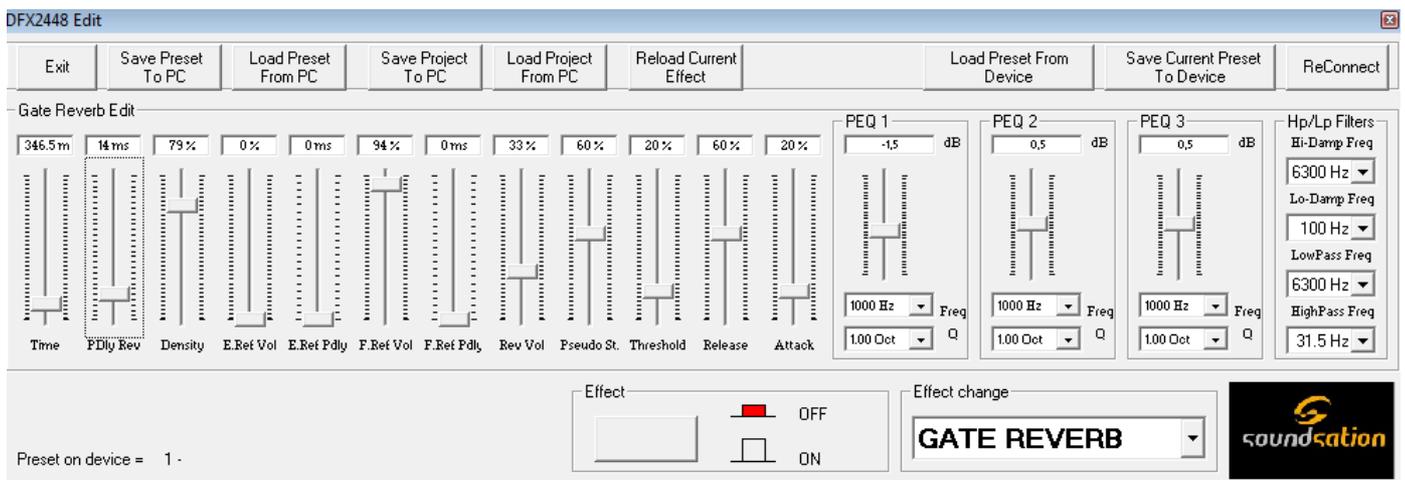
After loading a project, the effect REVERB HALL will always be activated.

**Reload Current Effect** – to reload the parameters of the current effect if the parameters have been changed and are to be reset to the stored values

**Load Preset From Device** – to load a preset stored in the DFX2448

**Save Current Preset to Device** – to store the parameters currently set of the activated effect as a preset in the DFX2448

**ReConnect** – to reconnect the effect unit and the PC by the software, e. g. in case of errors during data transmission



User interface for the effect GATE REVERB



## 8.2 CONTROL VIA MIDI SOFTWARE

1) Connect the jack MIDI INPUT (16) via a MIDI cable to the MIDI output of the PC. The jack MIDI OUTPUT (15) allows connection of another MIDI-controlled unit.

2) For MIDI control, set the DFX2448 to the MIDI channel used for controlling it:

a) Keep the button FX LOAD/PAR/TAP pressed for approx. 3 seconds until the following text is displayed:

Config Communication

Device: < USB >

If the DFX2448 has already been controlled via MIDI, the last MIDI channel adjusted will appear behind "Device", i.e. "Device <MIDI Ch=12>" for control via MIDI Channel 12

b) Select the MIDI channel (1 – 16) with the control PAR VALUE (7). If the display indicates "Device: < USB >", turn the control counter-clockwise.

c) To exit the setting mode, keep the button FX LOAD/PAR/TAP pressed again for approx. 3 seconds until the display indicates an effect name.

3) After setting the MIDI channel, the effects will be selected with a corresponding Program Change command. Control Change commands are used to activate and deactivate the Bypass function and to change all effect parameters. The tables below list the values required.

### ACTIVATING EFFECTS WITH PROGRAM CHANGE COMMAND

Effect	Decimal	Hexadecimal
REVERB	0	00H
REVERB	1	01H
REVERB	2	02H
REVERB	3	03H
GATE	4	04H
VOCAL ECHO	5	05H
TAP DELAY	6	06H
CHORUS	7	07H
FLANGE	8	08H
PHASER	9	09H
TREMOLO	10	0AH
ROTARY	11	0BH
CHR/FLG	12	0CH
DELAY	13	0DH
CHR/FLG	14	0EH
PITCH	15	0FH



## CHANGING PARAMETERS OR ACTIVATING THE BYPASS FUNCTION WITH CONTROL CHANGE COMMANDS

Select	17	parameter
Change	16	see tables 3
Bypass	80	0 =

Table 2

To change a parameter, send two Control Change, commands to the DFX-2448:

1) First select the parameter to be changed. For this purpose, set MIDI controller 17 to the value corresponding to the parameter number minus 1.

Example: For the effect REVERB HALL, select the parameter PEQ1 Q (bandwidth of bell filter 1): According to the table on page 3, parameter PEQ1 Q is number 9. Therefore, set MIDI controller 17 to the value  $9 - 1 = 8$ .

2) To change the parameter, set MIDI controller 16 to a corresponding value. Tables 3-6 list the values to be set:

1. All values for frequencies, gain or attenuation, bandwidth and semitones are listed in table 3.

Example: If the desired bandwidth of bell filter 1 (PEQ1 Q) is 1.5 octaves, set MIDI controller 16 to the value 29.

2. Percentage values are implemented 1: 1, see table 4. Example: To set the parameter Decay to 65 %, set MIDI controller 16 to the value 65.

3. Parameters with a switching function are listed in table 5; they are changed by the value 0 or 1.

4. The values of all parameters with a time unit can be found in table 6. Please note that the step sizes will differ according to the adjusting range.

Example: Setting the parameter Time of the effect GATE REVERB to 100 ms: The next possible value is 94.5 ms ( $3 \times 31.5$  ms). For this purpose, set MIDI controller 16 to the value 3.

## VALUES FOR CONTROLLER 16

20 Hz	-15.0 dB	0.05 oct.	-12.00
25 Hz	-14.5 dB	0.10 oct.	-11.67
31.5 Hz	-14.0 dB	0.15 oct.	-11.33
40 Hz	-13.5 dB	0.20 oct.	-11.00
50 Hz	-13.0 dB	0.25 oct.	-10.67
63 Hz	-12.5 dB	0.30 oct.	-10.33
80 Hz	-12.0 dB	0.35 oct.	-10.00
100 Hz	-11.5 dB	0.40 oct.	-9.67
125 Hz	-11.0 dB	0.45 oct.	-9.33
160 Hz	-10.5 dB	0.50 oct.	-9.00
200 Hz	-10.0 dB	0.55 oct.	-8.67
250 Hz	-9.5 dB	0.60 oct.	-8.33



315 Hz	-9.0 dB	0.65 oct.	-8.00	12
400 Hz	-8.5 dB	0.70 oct.	-7.76	13
500 Hz	-8.0 dB	0.75 oct.	-7.33	14
630 Hz	-7.5 dB	0.80 oct.	-7.00	15
800 Hz	-7.0 dB	0.85 oct.	-6.67	16
1 kHz	-6.5 dB	0.90 oct.	-6.33	17
1.25 kHz	-6.0 dB	0.95 oct.	-6.00	18
1.6 kHz	-5.5 dB	1.00 oct.	-5.67	19
2 kHz	-5.0 dB	1.05 oct.	-5.33	20
2.5 kHz	-4.5 dB	1.10 oct.	-5.00	21
3.15 kHz	-4.0 dB	1.15 oct.	-4.67	22
4 kHz	-3.5 dB	1.20 oct.	-4.33	23
5 kHz	-3.0 dB	1.25 oct.	-4.00	24
6.3 kHz	-2.5 dB	1.30 oct.	-3.67	25
8 kHz	-2.0 dB	1.35 oct.	-3.33	26
10 kHz	-1.5 dB	1.40 oct.	-3.00	27
12.5 kHz	-1.0 dB	1.45 oct.	-2.67	28
16 kHz	-0.5 dB	1.50 oct.	-2.33	29
20 kHz	0 dB	1.55 oct.	-2.00	30
	0.5 dB	1.60 oct.	-1.67	31
	1.0 dB	1.65 oct.	-1.33	32
	1.5 dB	1.70 oct.	-1.00	33
	2.0 dB	1.75 oct.	-0.67	34
	2.5 dB	1.80 oct.	-0.33	35
	3.0 dB	1.85 oct.	0	36
	3.5 dB	1.90 oct.	0.33	37
	4.0 dB	1.95 oct.	0.67	38
	4.5 dB	2.00 oct.	1.0	39
	5.0 dB	2.05 oct.	1.33	40
	5.5 dB	2.10 oct.	1.67	41
	6.0 dB	2.15 oct.	2.00	42
	6.5 dB	2.20 oct.	2.33	43
	7.0 dB	2.25 oct.	2.67	44
	7.5 dB	2.30 oct.	3.00	45
	8.0 dB	2.35 oct.	3.33	46
	8.5 dB	2.40 oct.	3.67	47
	9.0 dB	2.45 oct.	4.00	48
	9.5 dB	2.50 oct.	4.33	49
	10.0 dB	2.55 oct.	4.67	50
	10.5 dB	2.60 oct.	5.00	51
	11.0 dB	2.65 oct.	5.33	52
	11.5 dB	2.70 oct.	5.67	53
	12.0 dB	2.75 oct.	6.00	54
	12.5 dB	2.80 oct.	6.33	55
	13.0 dB	2.85 oct.	6.67	56
	13.5 dB	2.90 oct.	7.00	57
	14.0 dB	2.95 oct.	7.33	58
	14.5 dB	3.00 oct.	7.67	59
	15.0 dB		8.00	60
			8.33	61
			8.67	62



			9.00	63
			9.33	64
			9.67	65
			10.00	66
			10.33	67
			10.67	68
			11.00	69
			11.33	70
			11.67	71
			12.00	72

Table 3

## VALUES FOR CONTROLLER 16 FOR PARAMETERS WITH PERCENTAGE VALUES

Percentage value	Value for controller 16
<b>0%</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>1%</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>2%</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>3%</b>	<b>3</b>
<b>...</b>	<b>...</b>
<b>98%</b>	<b>98</b>
<b>99%</b>	<b>99</b>
<b>100%</b>	<b>100</b>

Table 4



**VALUES FOR CONTROLLER 16 FOR PARAMETERS WITH SWITCHING FUNCTION**

<b>Parameter Effect</b>	<b>Controller value = 0</b>	<b>Controller value = 1</b>
Feedback Phase PHASER	Dir	Inv
Link Rate CHORUS, FLANGE	Off	On
Mode TAP DELAY	Stereo	Mono
Phaser In PHASER	Dir	Inv
Switch ROTARY	Slow	Fast

Table 5

**VALUES FOR CONTROLLER 16 FOR PARAMETERS WITH TIME UNITS (MS)**

<b>Parameter</b>	<b>Possible Adjusting range</b>	<b>Range Step/Value</b>
Pre Dly E.Ref PreDly E.Ref	0 - 40ms	0 - 40 1ms
Pre Dly Rev	0 - 80ms	0 - 80 1ms
Delay	0 - 700ms	0 - 70 10ms
Delay Delay Time	0 - 800ms	0 - 80 10ms
Delay	0 - 1270ms	0 - 127 1ms
Time	0 - 3150ms	0 - 100 31.5ms

Table 6



## 9 SPECIFICATIONS

<b>Frequency range:</b>	20 – 20 000 Hz ±0.5 dB
<b>Inputs</b>	
<b>Input voltage:</b>	4.4 V max.
<b>Impedance:</b>	30 k Ohm
<b>Connections:</b>	XLR and 6.3 mm Jack, Bal.
<b>Outputs</b>	
<b>Output voltage:</b>	9.2 V max.
<b>Impedance:</b>	150 Ohm
<b>Connections:</b>	XLR and 6.3 mm Jack, Bal.
<b>S/N ratio:</b>	100 dB
<b>THD:</b>	< 0.02 %
<b>Crosstalk attenuation:</b>	75 dB at 1 kHz
<b>A/D and D/A converter</b>	
<b>Quantization:</b>	20 bits
<b>Sampling rate:</b>	48 kHz
<b>Effect processor</b>	
<b>Quantization:</b>	24 bits
<b>Power supply:</b>	230 V~/50 Hz
<b>Power consumption:</b>	20 VA max.
<b>Ambient temperature:</b>	0 – 40 °C
<b>Dimensions (W × H × D):</b>	482 × 44 × 190 mm, 1 RS (rack-space)
<b>Weight:</b>	3.2 kg



# 10 - APPENDIX - EFFECTS TABLE

PARAMETER	EFFECTS															
	REVERB HALL	REVERB ROOM	REVERB PLATE	REVERB VOCAL	GATE REVERB	VOCAL ECHO	TAP DELAY	CHORUS	FLANGE	PHASER	TREMOLO	ROTARY	CHR / FLG REVERB	DELAY REVERB	CHR / FLG DELAY	PITCH SHIFTER
1	Decay	Decay	Decay	Decay	Time	Displacement	Delay1	Depth	Link Rate	Rate	Rate	Switch	Chr/Flg Depth	Delay Time	Chr/Flg Depth	Semi Tones
	0 - 100 %	0 - 100 %	0 - 100 %	0 - 100 %	0 - 3150 ms	0 - 100 %	0 - 800 ms	0 - 100 %	ON/OFF	0 - 100 %	0 - 100 %	Slow/Fast	0 - 100 %	0 - 800 ms	0 - 100 %	±12
2	Predly Rev	Delay	Feedback	H-Damp Freq	Rate L&R (Rate I)/2	PEQ1 Gain	H-Damp Freq	Cyl LPF	Chr/Flg Rate	Delay Decay	Chr/Flg Rate	Chorus				
	0 - 80 ms	0 - 700 ms	0 - 100 %	20Hz - 20KHz	0 - 100 %	±15 dB	20Hz - 20KHz	20Hz - 20KHz	0 - 100 %	0 - 100 %	0 - 100 %	0 - 100 %				
3	Density	Density	Density	Density	Density	Feedback	High-Pass F	L-Damp Freq	Rate R&L (Rate R)/2	PEQ1 Freq	L-Damp Freq	Cyl PEQ G	Feedback	Delay LPF	Feedback	PEQ G
	0 - 100 %	0 - 100 %	0 - 100 %	0 - 100 %	0 - 100 %	20Hz - 20KHz	20Hz - 20KHz	20Hz - 20KHz	0 - 100 %	20Hz - 20KHz	20Hz - 20KHz	±15 dB	0 - 100 %	20Hz - 20KHz	20Hz - 20KHz	±15 dB
4	H-Damp Freq	High-Pass F	Low-Pass F	Link Rate	Depth	PEQ1 Q	Depth	Cyl PEQ F	Chr/Flg HPF	Delay HPF	Chr/Flg HPF	PEQ F				
	20Hz - 20KHz	ON/OFF	0 - 100 %	0,05 - 3 Oct	0 - 100 %	20Hz - 20KHz	20Hz - 20KHz	20Hz - 20KHz	20Hz - 20KHz	20Hz - 20KHz						
5	L-Damp Freq	Low-Pass F	PEQ1 Gain	Rate L&R (Rate I)/2	H-Damp Freq	PEQ2 Gain	Tremolo Vol	Cyl PEQ Q	Chr/Flg LPF	Delay Vol	Chr/Flg LPF	PEQ Q				
	20Hz - 20KHz	±15 dB	0 - 100 %	20Hz - 20KHz	±15 dB	0 - 100 %	±15 dB	20Hz - 20KHz	0 - 100 %	20Hz - 20KHz	0,05 - 3 Oct					
6	Low-Pass F	PEQ1 Gain	PEQ1 Freq	Rate R&L (Rate R)/2	L-Damp Freq	PEQ2 Freq	Offset	Horn HPF	Chr/Flg Vol	H-Damp Rev	Chr/Flg Vol					
	20Hz - 20KHz	±15 dB	20Hz - 20KHz	0 - 100 %	20Hz - 20KHz	20Hz - 20KHz	0 - 100 %	20Hz - 20KHz	0 - 100 %	20Hz - 20KHz	20Hz - 20KHz	0 - 100 %				
7	PEQ1 Gain	PEQ1 Freq	PEQ1 Q	Chorus Vol	Feedback	PEQ2 Q		Horn LPF	H-Damp Rev	L-Damp Rev	Delay Time					
	±15 dB	20Hz - 20KHz	PEQ1 Q	0 - 100 %	0 - 100 %	0,05 - 3 Oct		20Hz - 20KHz	20Hz - 20KHz	20Hz - 20KHz	0 - 800 ms					
8	PEQ1 Freq	PEQ1 Q	PEQ2 Gain	Phase	Flanger Vol	High-Pass F		Horn PEQ G	L-Damp Rev	Predly Rev	Delay Decay					
	20Hz - 20KHz	±15 dB	±15 dB	0 - 100 %	0 - 100 %	20Hz - 20KHz		±15 dB	20Hz - 20KHz	0 - 80 ms	0 - 100 %					
9	PEQ1 Q	PEQ2 Gain	PEQ2 Freq	Phase	Phase	Low-Pass F		Horn PEQ F	Predly Rev	Density	Delay LPF					
	0,05 - 3 Oct	20Hz - 20KHz	20Hz - 20KHz	0 - 100 %	0 - 100 %	20Hz - 20KHz		20Hz - 20KHz	0 - 80 ms	0 - 100 %	20Hz - 20KHz					



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PARAMETER	REVERB HALL	REVERB ROOM	REVERB PLATE	REVERB VOCAL	GATE REVERB	VOCAL ECHO	TAP DELAY	CHORUS	FLANGE	PHASER	TREMOLO	ROTARY	CHR / FIG REVERB	DELAY REVERB	CHR / FIG DELAY	PITCH SHIFTER
10	E: Ref Vol 0 - 100 %	PEQ2 Freq 20Hz - 20kHz	PEQ2 Q 0.05 - 3 Oct			EQ Gain ±15 dB		Horn PEQ Q ±15 dB	Density 0 - 100 %	Decay 0 - 100 %	Delay HPF 20Hz - 20kHz					
11	Predly E: Ref 0 - 40 ms	PEQ2 Q 0.05 - 3 Oct	PEQ3 Gain ±15 dB			EQ Freq 20Hz - 20kHz		Cyl LowSpeed 0 - 100 %	Decay 0 - 100 %	Reverb Vol 0 - 100 %	Delay Vol 0 - 100 %					
12	F Ref Vol 0 - 100 %	PEQ3 Gain ±15 dB	PEQ3 Freq 20Hz - 20kHz			EQ Q 0.05 - 3 Oct		Cyl HighSpeed 0 - 100 %	Reverb Vol 0 - 100 %	PEQ1 G ±15 dB	PEQ1 G ±15 dB					
13	Predly F: Ref 0 - 40 ms	PEQ3 Freq 20Hz - 20kHz	PEQ3 Q 0.05 - 3 Oct			Feedback 0 - 100 %		Cyl Depth 0 - 100 %	PEQ1 G ±15 dB	PEQ1 F 20Hz - 20kHz	PEQ1 F 20Hz - 20kHz					
14	Reverb Vol 0 - 100 %	PEQ3 Q 0.05 - 3 Oct	Out Level 0 - 100 %			Depth 0 - 100 %		Cyl Feedback 0 - 100 %	PEQ1 F 20Hz - 20kHz	PEQ1 Q 0.05 - 3 Oct	PEQ1 Q 0.05 - 3 Oct					
15	High-Pass F 20Hz - 20kHz	Out Level 0 - 100 %	Mode Mono/Stereo			Phaser Vol 0 - 100 %		Cyl Level 0 - 100 %	PEQ1 Q 0.05 - 3 Oct	PEQ2 G ±15 dB	PEQ2 G ±15 dB					
16	PEQ2 Gain ±15 dB					Phaser In Dir/Inv		Horn LowSpeed 0 - 100 %	PEQ2 G ±15 dB	PEQ2 F 20Hz - 20kHz	PEQ2 F 20Hz - 20kHz					
17	PEQ2 Freq 20Hz - 20kHz					Feedback Phase Dir/Inv		Horn HighSpeed 0 - 100 %	PEQ2 F 20Hz - 20kHz	PEQ2 Q 0.05 - 3 Oct	PEQ2 Q 0.05 - 3 Oct					
18	PEQ2 Q 0.05 - 3 Oct					Offset Depth 0 - 100 %		Horn Depth 0 - 100 %	PEQ2 Q 0.05 - 3 Oct	PEQ3 G ±15 dB	PEQ3 G ±15 dB					
19	PEQ3 Gain ±15 dB							Horn Feedback 0 - 100 %	PEQ3 G ±15 dB	PEQ3 F 20Hz - 20kHz	PEQ3 F 20Hz - 20kHz					
20	PEQ3 Freq 20Hz - 20kHz							Horn Level 0 - 100 %	PEQ3 F 20Hz - 20kHz	PEQ3 Q 0.05 - 3 Oct	PEQ3 Q 0.05 - 3 Oct					



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PARAMETER	REVERB	REVERB	REVERB	REVERB	GATE	VOCAL ECHO	TAP DELAY	CHORUS	FLANGE	PHASER	TREMOLO	ROTARY	CHR / FLG	DELAY	CHR / FLG	PITCH	
	HALL	ROOM	PLATE	VOCAL	REVERB								REVERB	REVERB	DELAY	SHIFTER	
21	PEQ3 Q 0,05 - 3 Oct							PEQ G ±15 dB	PEQ3 Q 0,05 - 3 Oct								
22	Pseudo St 0 - 100 %							PEQ F 20Hz - 20kHz									
23					Threshold 0 - 100 %							PEQ Q 0,05 - 3 Oct					
24					Release 0 - 100 %												
25					Attack 0 - 100 %												



# 11 - WARRANTY & SERVICE

All SOUNDSATION products feature a limited two-year warranty. This two-year warranty is specific to the date of purchase as shown on your purchase receipt.

The following cases/components are not covered from the above warranty :

- Any accessories supplied with the product
- Improper use
- Fault due to wear and tear
- Any modification of the product effected by the user or a third party

SOUNDSATION shall satisfy the warranty obligations by remedying any material or manufacturing faults free of charge at SOUNDSATION's discretion either by repair or by exchanging individual parts or the entire appliance. Any defective parts removed from a product during the course of a warranty claim shall become the property of SOUNDSATION

While under warranty period, defective products may be returned to your local SOUNDSATION dealer together with original proof of purchase. To avoid any damages in transit, please use the original packaging if available. Alternatively you can send the product to SOUNDSATION SERVICE CENTER – Via Enzo Ferrari , 10 – 62017 Porto Recanati - Italy . In order to send a product to service center you need an RMA number. Shipping charges have to be covered by the owner of the product.

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# WARNING

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This symbol indicates that this product is not to be disposed of with your household waste, according to the WEEE Directive ( 2202/96/EC) and your national law.

This product should be handed over to a designated collection point, e.g., on an authorized one-for-one basis when you buy a new similar product or to an authorized collection site for recycling waste electrical and electronic equipment (WEEE) .

Improper handling of this type of waste could have a possible negative impact on the environment and human health due to potentially hazardous substances that are generally associated with EEE. At the same time , your cooperation in the correct disposal of this product will contribute to the effective usage of natural resources.

For more information about where you can drop off your waste equipment for recycling , please contact your local city office , waste authority , approved WEEE scheme or your household waste disposal service.

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