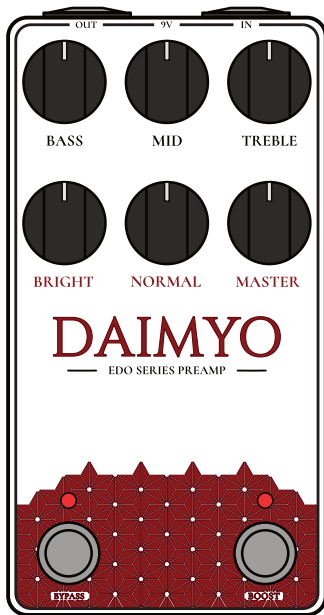


DAIMYO

The Daimyo is an all-analog preamp and distortion pedal inspired by classic British amplifier designs. It combines two parallel preamp channels, a passive three-band tone stack and an independent boost stage to cover a wide range of sounds, from moderate to high-gain distortion.



The Daimyo combines two parallel preamp channels with a three-band tone control. The overall character of the sound is determined by the balance between the Bright and Normal controls, while the EQ is used to shape the final frequency response.

The **Bright** and **Normal** controls are intended to work together. Treat them as a continuous blend rather than two separate channels. A good starting point is to set both the Bright and Normal controls to zero. From there, increase each control gradually until the desired amount and character of drive is reached.

Set the **Bass**, **Mid** and **Treble** controls to noon, and fine-tune the frequency response by adjusting them.

The **Master** control sets the final output level of the effect.

The **Boost** switch engages a gain stage before the preamp, providing additional drive when required. The boost level can be adjusted using the internal trimmer potentiometer.

Example Settings (Set "Master" as preferred)



Balanced Blend

An even blend of the Bright and Normal channels, providing a neutral starting point.



Boost: off

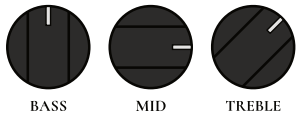


Bright Focused

A brighter, more articulate sound with increased presence and attack.



Boost: off



High Gain

A saturated preamp drive with increased harmonics and sustain, while preserving note definition.

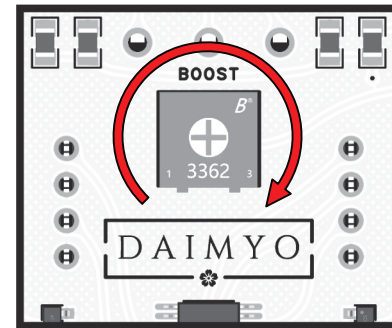


Boost: on

Internal Boost Adjustment

The internal Boost trimmer adjusts the gain added by the Boost stage.

Use a small screwdriver to adjust the trimmer. Turning it clockwise increases the Boost level, while turning it counter-clockwise reduces it.



The trimmer is already set to provide a moderate amount of additional gain. Feel free to fine-tune it to suit your setup and playing style.

- DO NOT ADJUST ANY OTHER TRIMMERS -

Three additional trimmers are located above the Boost trimmer. They are factory calibrated and require no further adjustment.

Specification

Supply Voltage	9V DC
Input Impedance	1 M Ω
Output Impedance	$\leq 250 \Omega$
Bypass	Relay, true bypass
Dimensions	112 × 60 × 52 mm
Weight	... g

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