Donner BELTWAY

Owner's Manual

Introduction

Donner Beltway looper is a small and highly intuitive single footswitch looper pedal providing you simple and fun looping. Onboard USB jack and built-in memory is very convenient for saving your music creations.

Overview

● **Intuitive Looper**
The Beltway looper provides you simple and intuitive user experience. Single footswitch provides you convenient looping operations, onboard effects gives you more musical creativities.

● **24-bit Recording And Playback**
The Beltway looper offers you 24-bit high quality recording/playback and 32-bit signal processing that give you a pure lossless sound.

● **USB Jack**
Use a USB cable to connect your Beltway looper to your computer to import/export loop phrases.

● **Undo/Redo And Overdubs**
The Beltway looper supports unlimited overdubs. You can undo/redo your last recording by holding the footswitch after overdubbing.

● **Carefully Selected Components**
The Beltway looper is designed and built with carefully selected components to ensure best sound quality and road performance. The solid Aluminum-alloy chassis ensures touring reliability.

Specifications

Power Requirement: 9V DC center negative
Current Consumption: 123mA
Dimensions: 42x93.5x52mm
Weight: 250g

Precautions

READ CAREFULLY BEFORE PROCEEDING
Please keep this manual in a convenient place for future reference.

Power Supply
Always use a DC 9V center negative AC adapter. Use of an adapter other than that specified could damage the unit or cause malfunction and pose a safety hazard.
Always connect the AC adapter to an AC outlet that supplies the rated voltage required by the adapter.
Disconnect the AC adapter from the AC outlet when during lightning storms or not using the unit for an extended period.

Connections
Always turn off the power before connecting or disconnecting. Make sure to disconnect all cables and AC adapter before moving the unit. This will help prevent malfunction and damages.

Environment Considerations
Avoid using the unit in any of the following conditions that could cause malfunction:
● Extremely hot or cold places
● Under direct sunlight
● Magnetic fields
● Near heaters and other heat sources
● Sandy or dusty places
● Places that are extremely humid or exposed to splashing water
● Places with lots of vibrations

Electrical Interference
Devices that are very susceptible to interference or that emits powerful electromagnetic waves (e.g. radios and TVs) should not be placed near this unit, as interference could occur.
Electromagnetic interference could cause malfunction and could corrupt or destroy data.
Always operate this unit at a suitable distance from these devices.

Handling
Do not apply excessive force to the switches and other controls, exposing the unit to strong impacts, which could cause it to break.
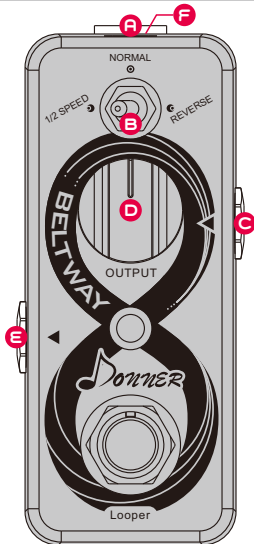Do not put foreign objects or liquids into the unit.
Never open the case or attempt to modify the product in any way since this can result in damage to the unit.
Clean only with a soft, dry cloth.

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Connections & Controls

A 9V DC Jack:
For power supply, use a 9-volt DC regulated by AC adapter, 500mA (plug polarity is positive on the barrel and negative in the center).

B Toggle Switch:
Selects from 3 playback modes:

1/2 SPEED – 1/2 speed playback
NORMAL – Normal playback
REVERSE – Reversed playback
Note: you can't record, overdub, undo/redo when the unit is not in NORMAL mode.

C Input Jack:
1/4" mono audio jack, for connecting instruments or other pedals.

D OUTPUT Knob:
Controls the looper playback volume.

E Output Jack:
1/4" mono audio jack, for connecting amps or other devices.

F USB Jack:
Connect to computer to import/export phrases. The Beltway will be recognized as a USB disk when connected. To import, drag and drop an audio file into the BANK0 folder of the USB disk. **The audio file should be a 32-bit, 44.1kHz mono WAV file and should be named as LOOPER.WAV.** To export, drag and drop the LOOPER.WAV file in the BANK0 folder to a desired directory. **DO NOT rename/delete/change folders/other files in the USB disk to prevent unit malfunction.**

Features

- Compact, intuitive looper with 3 playback modes
- 24-bit, 44.1kHz record/playback quality, 32-bit signal processing
- Infinite overdubs
- Max. recording time: 10 minutes
- Import/export loops via USB
- LED indicator shows working state

Operation	Function/Status	LED
Power on (no loop)	Empty	None
Power on (with loop)	Stop	(Flashes)
Tap footswitch (no loop)	Record	(Solid)
Tap footswitch (with loop)	Play	(Solid)
Tap footswitch when recording/overdubbing	Play	(Solid)
Tap footswitch when playing	Overdub	(Flashes fast)
Hold footswitch when playing	Undo/Redo (last recording)	(Flashes fast)
Hold footswitch when recording	Clear	(Flashes fast)
Tap footswitch twice when playing/recording/overdubbing	Stop	(Flashes)
Hold footswitch when stopped	Clear	(Flashes fast)
Recording around 10 minutes	Storage nearly full	(Flashes)
Switch toggle to 1/2 SPEED	1/2 speed playback	(Flash alternately)
Switch toggle to REVERSE	Reversed playback	(Flash alternately)