



## Apple Tree Octave

### Introduction:

The Apple Tree is a (mostly) clean, all analog octave up pedal that utilizes the same audio transformer and germanium diodes found in old, beloved octave fuzzes. Unlike its predecessors though, it is not a fuzz pedal – rather, it just provides the octave up, which you can then stack with your favourite overdrive, fuzz, or distortion pedals! This allows you to achieve a wide range of Octave up sounds. It features a simple two knob design, true bypass switching, and uses a standard, 9VDC center-negative, 2.1mm barrel jack for power. It couldn't be easier to use!

### Features:

**Volume:** This controls how loud the output signal of the effect will be. Turn it down for less volume, and up for more volume.

**Colour:** This controls the gain of the pedal, and how prominent the octave will be in your signal. Without stacking the Apple Tree with a distortion or fuzz pedal, it may not become apparent what this knob does – as it won't make a huge difference to the sound of the pedal. When stacked, however, it will control the brightness, aggressiveness, and prominence of the upper octave, allowing you to dial in the Apple Tree for any pedal you wish it stack it with. Rolling this knob down gives a brighter, more prominent octave, while rolling it up gives a warmer, less prominent octave.

### A note on stacking:

As mention previously, one of the main intentions of this pedal is for it to be stacked with other distortion and fuzz pedals. As a general rule, the Apple Tree tends to work best when place **before** your gain pedals – it usually gives the most prominent and defined octave up, and the least amount of noise. However, that's not to say that won't work well, or better, when placed after a fuzz or distortion pedal. We encourage you to experiment with the order or your pedals to find the best combination!

### Power:

The Apple Tree must be powered by a standard, 2.1mm barrel, centre-negative power supply. The Apple Tree does not have room inside to accommodate a battery. For best results, always power the Apple Tree with an isolated, regulated power supply. **Use of an improper power supply will void warranty.**