

Faze90

Psychedelic phasing fun for all



IMPORTANT STUFF

Go no further until you've read this page.

Some basic info to keep you on the right track.

COMPONENT ORIENTATION

Electrolytic capacitors - long (+) leg goes into the square pad.

Diodes - leg marked with stripe (cathode) goes into square pad.

LEDs - shorter leg (cathode) goes into square pad.

Transistors - check the pinouts if you're using components other than those listed. The Faze90 kit may come with any of several different FET sets which will be detailed later in the document.

COMPONENT PLACEMENT

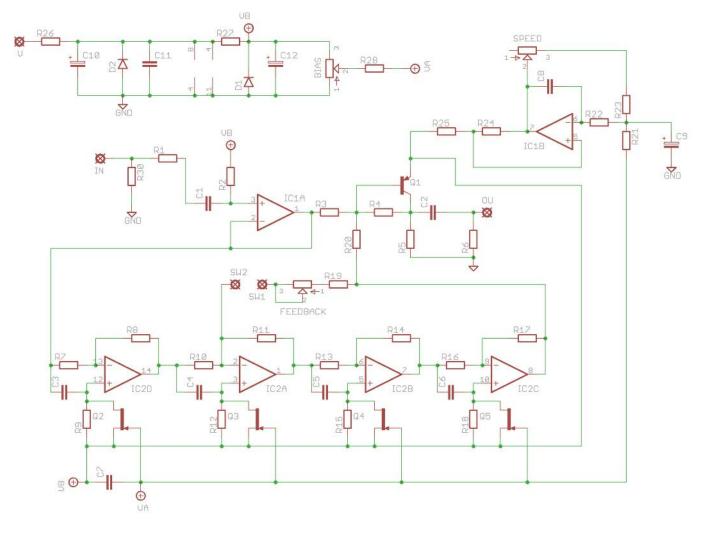
There's not a great deal of clearance for the pot if building this kit into a 1590B. Make sure you keep your components nice and tight to the pcb. If you want to use sockets for the ICs you'll have to take the plastic casing off the pot(s) so they'll fit.

USING THE BOARD WITHOUT THE FOOTSWITCH-MOUNT

The PCB can be cut (carefully!) across the dashed line if you want to wire up the footswitch etc offboard. The remaining power and signal pads match up to the 3PDT Direct Connect daughterboard.

READ ALL THE NOTES ON PAGE 4 BEFORE STARTING

Schematic + BOM



R1	10K	R17	10K	C1	10n	Q1	2N5087***
R2	470K	R18	22K	C2	47n	Q2-4	Matched FETs
R3	150K	R19	22K*	C3	47n		
R4	150K	R20	150K	C4	47n	D1	5.1v zener
R5	56K	R21	3M9	C5	47n	D2	1N4001
R6	150K	R22	150K	C6	47n	D3	LED
R7	10K	R23	4K7	C7	47n		
R8	10K	R24	470K	C8	10n	IC1	TL072
R9	22K	R25	150K	C9	15u elec	IC2	TL074
R10	10K	R26	47R	C10	100u elec		
R11	10K	R27	10K	C11	100n	SPEED	500KC
R12	22K	R28	1 M	C12	22u	T2 ‡	20KB/22K TRIM
R13	10K	R29	CLR**	C13	10u	T1	470K TRIM
R14	10K	R30	1 M				
R15	22K	R31	1K				

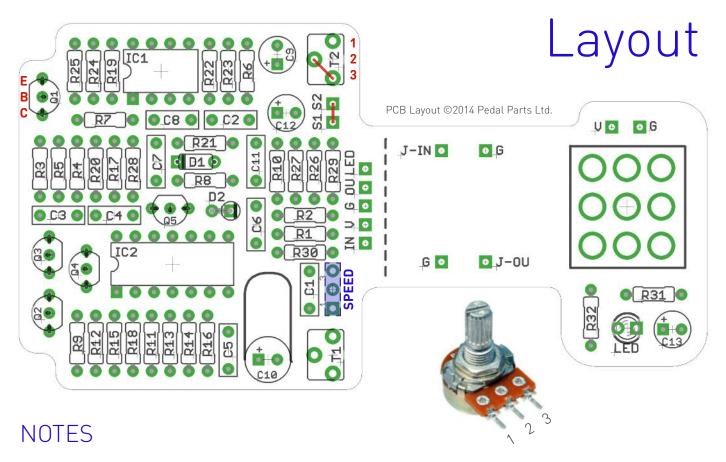
R32

R16

10K

390R

* notes on next page



If not using a feedback-off switch, join pads S1 and S2 with a wire.

- *R19 at 22K is the stock value for fixed feedback. If going for stock, place a jumper wire across the pads of T2 as shown above.
- **R29 is only required if you're cutting the PCB and wiring the LED offboard.
- ***Other PNP BJTs can be used, such as 2N3906. Check your pinout. Pads are marked above, and the orientation shown is correct for 2N5087.

‡T2 is an optional variable control for your feedback. This can be a trimmer or an external pot. Use this in conjunction with R19 to set your desired range. FuzzDog recommendation is to have a 12K resistor in R19, and use a 20KB pot. When the pot is in the middle position you will have the stock 22K value. You can use a bigger pot (50KB) and use a jumper wire instead of R19. With the pot towards the CCW end of the turn you'll get oscillation.

The PCB has been designed with 2N5457 for Q2-5. Check the pinouts if you're using different FETs. 2N5952 should be reversed.

Adjust T1 to bias the FETs at between 4-5v. There's no perfect voltage - just tweak it in that range until you get the sound you want.

If you really want to add a feedback-off switch, just connect pad S1 to the middle lug of a SPDT toggle switch, and S2 to either of the outer lugs. Or use a SPST switch and connect either pad to either lug.

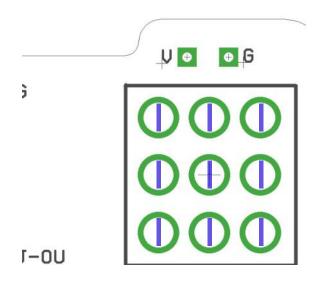
Footswitch tags should be orientated as shown above.

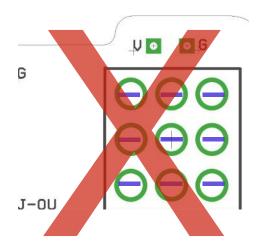
The pads to hook up the SPEED pot are marked in blue above.

Footswitch

Tags should orientate as shown on the left.

Get plenty of solder in there!





Test the board!

Well, there isn't really any way of doing that without wiring everything up, which is essentially the finished circuit.

Get everything in place, maybe with the exception of the LED as that needs careful positioning. Plug it in and try it. Adjust the biasing (T1) as outlined in the notes on page 4.

The kit enclosure is supplied with a 3mm hole for the LED. This requires no bezel, as the LED sits tightly in the hole and is held in position by the PCB.

To fit the LED, once everything else is finished and working:

- pull the legs through the PCB longer leg (positive) in the round pad.
- Fit the circuit into the box, attaching the pots and footswitch in position.
- Push the LED down into its hole
- Solder!

Wire it up

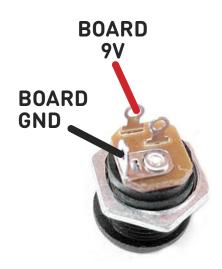
Hang on - there's very little to do!

Wire the jacks as shown - GND connection to the inner tag, signal (IN or OUT) to the outer tag.

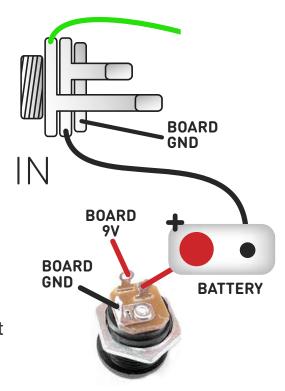
SIGNAL (i.e. IN or OUT)



DC Socket connections:



If you're using a bigger enclosure and want to add a battery, use a stereo jack for the input and wire it like this:



This circuit is standard, Negative GND. Your power supply should be Tip Negative / Sleeve Positive. That's the same as your standard pedals (Boss etc), and you can safely daisy-chain your supply to this pedal.

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