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# **IMPORTANT SAFETY AND MAINTENANCE INSTRUCTIONS** Read these instructions and follow them.

- **1.** Do not use this unit near water.
- Never use aggressive cleaners on the casing or on the LCD screen. Remove dust, dirt and fingerprints with a soft, dry and non-abrasive cloth. More persistent dirt can be removed with a slightly damp cloth using only water. Disconnect all cables while doing this. Only reconnect them when the product is safely dry.
- **3.** To avoid scratches or damage, never use sharp objects near the casing or the LCD screen. Avoid applying any pressure to the screen itself.
- Install in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions. Make sure you place the unit on a stable surface before use. If you mount the unit in a rack, be sure to tighten all four screws in the rack mount holes.
- **5.** Connect the unit to an easily accessible electrical outlet close to the unit.
- **6.** When transporting the unit, use accessories recommended by the manufacturer or the original box and padding.
- Do not install near any heat sources such as radiators, heat registers, stoves, or any other equipment (including amplifiers) producing heat.
- **8.** Do not put the PL-2 Protective Cover (Elektron accessory) on the unit while the unit is powered on.

- **9.** Do not block the ventilation holes located on the side and the bottom of the enclosure of the unit. Make sure there is sufficient air circulation in the room where the unit is kept.
- **10.** This product, by itself or in combination with amplifiers, headphones or speakers, is capable of producing sound levels that may cause permanent hearing loss. Do not operate at a high volume level or at a level that is uncomfortable.
- Protect the power cord from being walked on or pinched particularly at plugs, convenience receptacles, and the point where they exit from the unit.
- 12. Use attachments/accessories specified by the manufacturer.
- **13.** Unplug this unit during lightning storms or when it is not used for long periods of time.
- **14.** Refer all servicing to qualified service technicians. Servicing is required when the unit has been damaged in any way, liquid has been spilled or objects have fallen into the unit, the unit has been exposed to rain or moisture, does not operate normally, or has been dropped.

# WARNING

## To reduce the risk of fire, electrical shock or product damage:

- Do not expose the unit to rain, moisture, dripping or splashing and also avoid placing objects filled with liquid, such as vases, on the unit.
- Do not expose the unit to direct sunlight, nor use it in ambient temperatures exceeding 30°C as this can lead to malfunction.
- Do not open the casing. There are no user repairable or adjustable parts inside. Leave service and repairs to trained service technicians only.

# SOUND PEAKS

- A brief 3 kHz signal will be sent to all outs of the Analog Rytm when the Test mode on the Early Startup menu is activated. Remember to turn down the volume on all speakers and headphones before activating Test mode.
- During calibration there will be loud and unpleasant sounds on the individual outs. Disconnect these during calibration.

# SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE POWER ADAPTER ELEKTRON PSU-3

- The adapter is not safety grounded and may only be used indoors.
- To ensure good ventilation for the adapter, do not place it in tight spaces. To prevent risk of electric shock and fire because of overheating, ensure that curtains and other objects do not prevent adapter ventilation.
- Do not expose the power adapter to direct sunlight, nor use it in ambient temperatures exceeding 40°C.
- Connect the adapter to an easily accessible electrical outlet close to the unit.
- The adapter is in standby mode when the power cord is connected. The primary circuit is always active as long as the cord is connected to the power outlet. Pull out the power cord to completely disconnect the adapter.
- In the EU, only use CE approved power cords.

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# INTRODUCTION

Thank you for purchasing Analog Rytm. It is a hybrid analog/digital drum machine featuring, among many other things, the intuitive Elektron step sequencer. The innovative combination of modern technology and tried and trusted ways of sound generation lets you create any kind of drum: purely analog, digital, sample-based or a combination of all three. To get the most out of your machine, we recommend that you read this manual in its entirety.

# **CONVENTIONS IN THIS MANUAL**

We have used the following conventions throughout the manual:

Button names are written in upper case, bold style and bracketed letters. For instance, the button labeled "function" on the main panel is called **[FUNCTION]**.

Menu names are written in upper case letters. The OSC 1 menu is an example of that.

Parameter names and certain menu options where settings can be made or actions performed are written in bold, upper case letters. For example, **VOL**.

Upper case letters are used for parameter setting alternatives, for example OFF, and for certain menu settings, like LEGATO.

Messages visible on the screen are written in upper case letters with quotation marks. Like this, "BANK A: CHOOSE PTN".

Knobs are written in upper case, bold, italic letters. For instance, the knob "level" is called LEVEL.

LED indicators like the record LED are written like this: <RECORD>.

The following symbols are used throughout the manual:



Information that you must pay attention to.



A tip that will make it easier for you to interact with Analog Rytm.



This symbol shows a nice ear. For the first time in Elektron history, it is actually used in the manual. It is up to you to find out where.

# THE ANALOG RYTM

There is geometry in the humming of the string.

There is music in the spacing of the spheres. (Pythagoras, circa 530 BC)

A long time ago, the son of a Samian carpenter discovered that harmonic sounds were produced when fretting a vibrating string at certain geometric points. During his travels in the Far East he was to learn and understand the interconnectedness of all things. Phenomena in the heavens above and in the vegetable patch below were not intrinsically different. The proportion and spacing of natural elements like the moons of planets, the seeds of a sunflower or the dimensions of a well-crafted bow were all curiously - musical. Octaves, multiples of octaves, fifths and other musical ratios seemed to be at the core of all things, large and small alike. And the fundamental building block of all this was Number.

He went on to found the first school of discrete mathematics in Croton on the southern tip of Italy. Many aspects of the natural world that awed and inspired him may have seemed random and impossible to grasp. Yet any complexity, he realized, could be made to reveal its hidden grain and understood if probed by mathematics. Once the structure was found, it was possible to recreate and further investigate the natural phenomena using digital computation and geometric visualization.

We would boldly like to claim that the Drum Computer we call Analog Rytm embodies and honors the spirit of Pythagoras: combining the fearless hands-on strumming of nature's vibrating strings with the cool analytic framework of digital computation. Making sure you are always in control. Analog and digital - the two are not destined to be forever separated. At last the great divide will be bridged. By you.

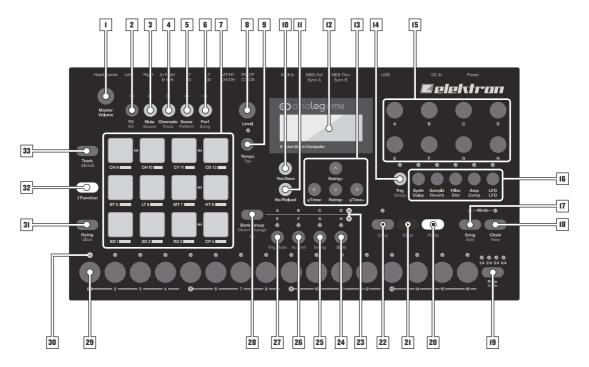
Whether the musical world you choose to inhabit is an ordered, harmonious and intelligible one or one of disharmony, chaos and earth-shattering noise, the Analog Rytm will be your guide, companion and workhorse. It is our firm belief that you will have as much fun using the machine as we have had developing it. Enjoy.

The Elektron Team

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# PANEL LAYOUT AND CONNECTORS

# **FRONT PANEL**



The Analog Rytm Front Panel.

- 1. MASTER VOLUME sets the volume for the main outputs and the headphones output.
- 2. [FX] selects the FX track. Secondary function accesses the KIT menu.
- 3. [MUTE] activates MUTE mode. SOUND menu is accessed as a secondary function.
- 4. [CHROMATIC] activates CHROMATIC mode, in which the pads are used to play the current track Sound chromatically across four octaves. Secondary function accesses the TRACK menu.
- 5. [SCENE] activates SCENE mode, in which a one-push instant change of an array of parameter settings is possible. Secondary function brings forth the PATTERN menu.
- 6. [PERFORMANCE] activates PERFORMANCE mode. Secondary function accesses the SONG menu.
- 7. **[PADS]** are 12 responsive, assignable, velocity and pressure sensitive synthetic rubber pads with aftertouch. They have many possible functions depending on which mode is active and what each pad is set to do. First of all, they are designed to play the track Sounds. Each drum track has a dedicated pad (see the complete map on page 13). <PADS> will exhibit a variety of colors.
- 8. *LEVEL* sets the overall volume level of the active track. Also used for setting parameters and scrolling through lists.
- 9. [TEMPO] opens the TEMPO menu. [FUNCTION] + [TEMPO] makes it possible to tap the tempo.
- **10. [YES/SAVE]** key. Used for entering sub-menus, selecting and confirming. If pressed in combination with 2, 3, 4, 5 or 6 above it will instantly save the kit, Sound, track, pattern or song.
- 11. [NO/RELOAD] key. Used for exiting an active menu, backing one step and negating. If pressed in combination with 2, 3, 4, 5 or 6 above it will instantly reload the kit, Sound, track, pattern or song.
- 12. The LCD screen.
- 13. The [ARROW] keys. Used for navigation and for setting some parameter values. In menus, they are called [UP], [DOWN], [LEFT] and [RIGHT].
- 14. [TRIG SETUP] key controls the TRIG settings for the active track. Secondary function accesses the TRIGS menu.

- **15. DATA ENTRY** knobs **A-H**. Used for setting parameter values. Press knob when turning to change values in larger increments.
- **16. [PARAMETER]** keys access the PARAMETER pages of the active track. <PARAMETER> LEDs directly above the keys indicate if the page is active (red) or inactive (off). The five parameter page keys are, from left to right:

**SYNTH** key accesses the SYNTH parameters of the track Sound. These control the drum synthesis. When the FX track is active, the DELAY parameter page is accessed.

**SAMPLE** key takes you to the SAMPLE page. Various aspects of the sample playback are set on this page. When the FX track is active, the REVERB parameter page is accessed.

**FILTER** key accesses the FILTER page. The analog multimode filter parameters are set here. When the FX track is active, the DISTORTION parameter page is accessed.

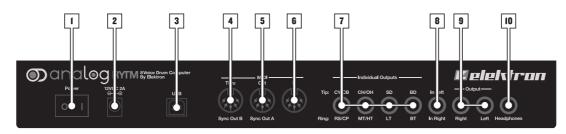
**AMP** key takes you to the AMP page, where the shape of the amplitude envelope is set. When the FX track is active, the COMPRESSOR parameter page is accessed.

LFO key accesses the LFO parameters for the active track.

- 17. [SONG MODE] activates/deactivates SONG mode. Secondary function is SONG edit.
- 18. [CHAIN MODE] activates/deactivates CHAIN mode. Secondary function initiates a new CHAIN.
- 19. [PAGE] selects the active pattern page, if the pattern is made of more than 16 steps. <PATTERN PAGE> LEDs indicate how many pattern pages the active pattern consists of and which pattern page is currently active. The LED flashes on the pattern page currently playing. The secondary function accesses the SCALE menu.
- 20. [STOP] stops playback. The secondary function is a paste operation.
- 21. [PLAY] starts the playback of the sequencer. The secondary function is a clear operation.
- 22. [RECORD] key. activates/deactivates GRID RECORDING mode. Keep [RECORD] pressed, then press [PLAY], to activate LIVE RECORDING mode. Activate/deactivate QUANTIZATION of LIVE RECORDING by keeping [RECORD] pressed, then tapping [PLAY] twice. The secondary function is a copy operation.
- 23. <BANK GROUP> LED indicates if bank group A-D or E-H will be accessed by the [BANK] keys.
- 24. [BANK D/H] accesses pattern selection for either bank D or H. The secondary function is SLIDE.
- 25. [BANK C/G] accesses pattern selection for either bank C or G. The secondary function is SWING.
- 26. [BANK B/F] accesses pattern selection for either bank B or F. The secondary function is ACCENT.
- 27. [BANK A/E] accesses pattern selection for either bank A or E. The secondary function is TRIG MUTE.
- 28. [BANK GROUP] key. Toggles the active bank group, A-D or E-H. The secondary function toggles between different PATTERN play modes (DIRECT JUMP/SEQUENTIAL/DIRECT START). The <PATTERN MODE> LED, directly below this key, shows these modes as green, off and red, respectively.
- 29. [TRIG] keys are used for entering or removing sequencer trigs, in combination with the [PADS], and parameter locks, in combination with the DATA ENTRY knobs. Also used to select pattern, when one of the [BANK] keys has been pressed.
- **30.** <TRIG> LEDs show trigs on the sequencer by a fully lit LED, while parameter locks are shown as flashing LEDs, in GRID RECORDING mode. When a pattern is playing, or when LIVE RECORDING is enabled, a fully lit LED "runs" along the 16 steps of the sequencer across all (up to four) pages at the set TEMPO.
- **31. [RETRIG]** key will, if pressed in combination with one of the **[PADS]**, continuously retrig the Sound. It also lets you assign custom retrigs for each of the drum tracks on a side menu appearing on the LCD screen whenever the key is pressed. Secondary function opens the CLICK TRACK menu.
- **32. [FUNCTION]** key. Press, hold and press another key to access the secondary function of that key. Secondary functions are seen in red writing on the Analog Rytm front panel.
- **33. [TRACK]** key. Press **[TRACK]** + one of the **[PADS]** to select a drum track for editing or for CHROMATIC play. Note that the FX track has its own dedicated key. The secondary function opens the GLOBAL menu where the global settings (SYNTH, SEQUENCER, MIDI et cetera) for the current PROJECT are made. PROJECTS and SAMPLES are managed in the GLOBAL menu as well.

## PANEL LAYOUT AND CONNECTORS

## **REAR CONNECTORS**



The Analog Rytm Rear Connectors.

- 1. Power On/Off switch.
- 2. Power In (12V DC 2A). Use the included PSU-3 power adapter, or equivalent, connected to a power outlet.
- 3. Full-speed USB 2.0. Connect to a computer host using the included A to B USB 2.0 connector cable.
- 4. MIDI Thru. Use standard MIDI cable to connect another MIDI unit in chain. Duplicates incoming MIDI In data stream. Can also be configured to send DIN sync to legacy instruments.
- 5. MIDI Out. Use standard MIDI cable to connect to MIDI In of an external MIDI unit. Can also be configured to send DIN sync to legacy instruments.
- 6. MIDI In. Use standard MIDI cable to connect MIDI Out of an external MIDI unit in order for it to control the Analog Rytm.
- 7. Individual drum voice outputs CY/CB RS/CP, CH/OH MT/HT, SD LT and BD BT. Use 1/4" insert/Y cable in order to access both voices of each output.
- 8. Audio In. Use 1/4" stereo (Tip/Ring/Sleeve) phone plug to input stereo sound from an external source.
- **9.** Main Out L/R. Use either 1/4" mono phone plug (unbalanced connection) or 1/4" (Tip/Ring/Sleeve) phone plug (balanced connection).
- **10.** Headphones Out. Connect standard headphones with 1/4" stereo phone plug.

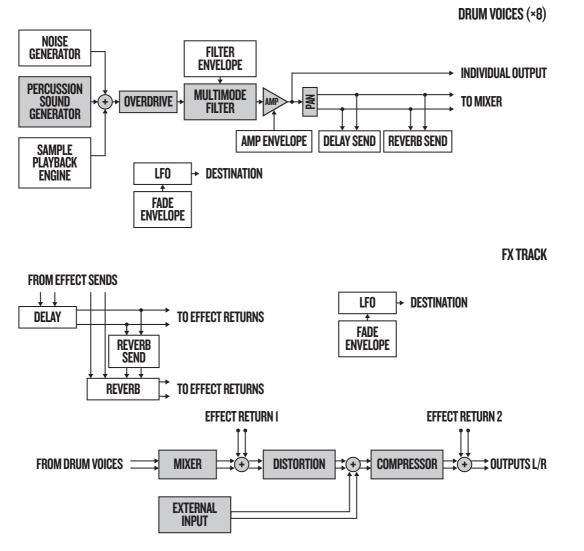
## SETTING UP AND STARTING THE ANALOG RYTM

Make sure you place the Analog Rytm on a stable support, such as a sturdy table with sufficient cable space or mount on a rack capable of a 3 kg load.

- 1. Before you connect the Analog Rytm to other equipment, make sure all units are switched off.
- 2. Plug the included PSU-3 adapter to a power outlet and insert the small plug into the Analog Rytm Power In.
- 3. Connect the Main Out L/R from the Analog Rytm to your mixer or amplifier.
- 4. If MIDI control is desired, connect the MIDI OUT port of the device you wish send data from to the MIDI IN port of the Analog Rytm. The MIDI THRU port duplicates the data arriving at the MIDI IN port. It is used for chaining several MIDI units together.
- 5. Switch on all units. Switch on the Analog Rytm by pressing the Power rocker switch located at the back of the unit. Before restarting the unit, wait 2 seconds after the LCD backlight goes out.

# ANALOG RYTM SOUND ARCHITECTURE

The Analog Rytm sound architecture, with its eight drum voices, two send effects (delay and reverb), and two master effects (distortion and compressor), is shown below. Analog elements are gray, digital are white.



#### **VOICE CIRCUITS**

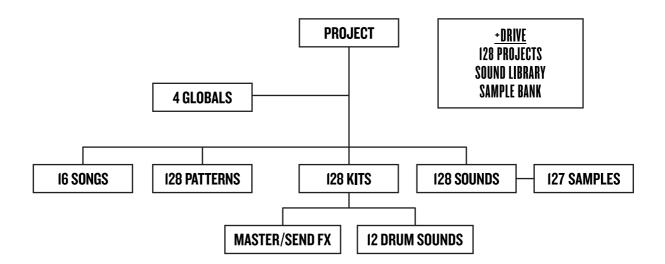
There are eight analog voice circuits. All voices have an identical sample playback engine, overdrive circuit and multimode filter. The percussion sound generators are not identical. Each is designed to generate a specific class of analog drum sounds.

## MACHINES

There are several MACHINES available for each voice circuit. A MACHINE is a set of synthesis parameters that controls a percussion sound generator in order to act like a certain drum model. Different MACHINES are software tailored to generate different kinds of bass drums, hihats, et cetera - and to provide the parameters most apt for each particular MACHINE. Per default the BD voice makes use of one of the available bass drum MACHINES, BDHD. Another MACHINE may be selected which will engage the BD voice circuit in a different way, enabling it to employ, for example, frequency modulation.

# OVERVIEW OF THE ANALOG RYTM DATA STRUCTURE

The image below outlines the data structure of the Analog Rytm.



## +DRIVE

The +Drive is a non-volatile storage. It keeps up to 128 projects (thousands of patterns, kits and songs) stored internally. The +Drive also gives access to the +Drive Sound library, capable of storing 4096 drum Sounds, and the Sample bank. All projects have access to these Sounds and samples.

# DATA STRUCTURE

## PROJECT

A project contains 128 patterns, 128 kits, 16 songs, 4 global slots, 127 sample slots and a project Sound pool consisting of up to 128 Sounds. General settings and states are stored in the project. When a project is loaded it becomes the active working state of the Analog Rytm. From here it is possible to edit the patterns, kits, songs and globals of the project. Every time the Analog Rytm is switched on, it boots to the active working state, the active project. Projects are saved, loaded and managed in the GLOBAL menu. Read more about projects in the section "PROJECTS" on page 17.

## KITS

A kit is a collection of twelve drum track Sounds and the FX track parameter settings. When editing a track, changes made to the parameter settings will be stored to the active kit. Each project of the Analog Rytm contains 128 individual kits. A pattern always links to one of the kits. Read more in the section "KITS AND SOUNDS" on page 19.

## SOUNDS

A Sound consists of the parameter settings found in the PARAMETER pages called SYNTH, SAMPLE, FILTER, AMP and LFO. Sounds are stored in the Sound pool of the active project or in the +Drive Sound library. The Sound pool has 128 Sound slots and the +Drive Sound library holds up to 4096 sounds. Read more in the section "KITS AND SOUNDS" on page 19.

#### SAMPLES

127 user sample slots are available for each project. There are many preset samples to choose from in the +Drive Sample bank. Additional samples need to be transferred to the Analog Rytm from a computer with the complimentary C6 utility software. See section "GLOBAL MENU" on page 47.

#### PATTERNS

For each of the 8 banks 16 patterns are available, which means 128 patterns are always readily available for each project. A pattern contains sequencer data like drum trigs, trig mutes and parameter locks for the drum tracks and the FX track, as well as default settings on the TRIG page and length, swing and time signature settings. Read more in the section "THE SEQUENCER" on page 31.

#### SONGS

16 songs are available for each project. They are used to sequence the playback of patterns. Songs are built of patterns and chains. Read more about songs in the section "SONGS" on page 43.

#### GLOBALS

The GLOBAL settings contain overarching settings for the sequencer, MIDI and global track routing. Four global slots are available for each project, each with its own specific settings. Read more about the global settings in the section "GLOBAL MENU" on page 47.

# **ABOUT THE TRACKS**

#### THE DRUM TRACKS

There are 12 drum tracks. To select a track for editing, press and hold **[TRACK]** key and then press one of the **[PADS]**. Each drum track uses a specific drum voice controlled by one of the MACHINES available for the voice. All drum tracks are able to layer analog percussion sounds and sampled sounds, to distort and filter them, and apply a dedicated LFO each.

## THE FX TRACK

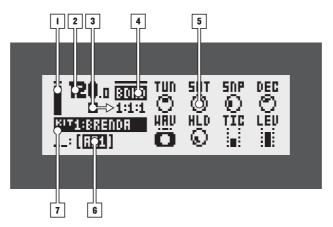
The FX track controls the Analog Rytm send effects DELAY and REVERB, as well as the DISTORTION and COMPRESSOR master effects. One LFO is also available for this track. To select the FX track for editing, press the **[FX]** key.

#### EDITING THE TRACKS

The five **[PARAMETER]** keys open parameter pages that are used for editing the tracks. The SYNTH page of a drum track contains different parameters depending on the MACHINE chosen for the analog percussion sound generator. The other pages are identical for all drum tracks; the SAMPLE page for the sample playback engine, the FILTER page for the multimode filter and its filter envelope, the AMP page for the amplitude envelope and effect sends, and the LFO page for the low-frequency oscillator. The corresponding five parameter pages for the FX track controls the four effects and the FX LFO. Edit parameters using the **DATA ENTRY** knobs **A-H**. Press and turn a knob to adjust its parameter in larger increments.

# THE USER INTERFACE

The LCD screen shows all the information needed for real-time interaction and editing on the Analog Rytm. The eight **DATA ENTRY** knob parameters shown will vary depending on the given situation. The main interface screen is shown below:



- 1. Bar showing the main volume setting of the active track. Turn *LEVEL* knob to change.
- 2. The current tempo shown with one decimal.
- 3. The playback/recording status of the sequencer shown with the standard "record", "play", "pause" and "stop" symbols; ●, ▶, ■ and ■. To the right is a counter displaying how many bars, beats and steps the sequencer has played.
- 4. Shows the current PARAMETER page name.
- 5. Eight track parameters. They show what the **DATA ENTRY** knobs control and their current parameter values. Press and turn a knob to adjust its parameter in larger increments.
- 6. The active pattern.
- 7. The active kit. When turning a **DATA ENTRY** knob, the full name of the parameter is shown here. When the active track is changed, the name of the track Sound is briefly shown.

# SCREEN NAVIGATION

When entering a menu or sub-menu, navigation is done using the **[ARROW]** keys **[UP]**, **[DOWN]**, **[LEFT]** or **[RIGHT]**. The *LEVEL* knob can be used to quickly scroll through menus and lists.

[YES/SAVE] is used to affirm, select, enter sub-menus and tick/untick boxes.

[NO/RELOAD] is used to negate, deselect or go back one or more steps.



• When on a menu or sub-menu the [NO/RELOAD] key can be used to go back, one step at a time, all the way to the main screen.

## PARAMETER EDITING

The **DATA ENTRY** knobs are used to change the value of the track parameters. The position of the parameters on the LCD screen correspond to the physical location of the knobs on the front panel.

## QUICK PARAMETER EDITING

If the **DATA ENTRY** knob is pressed when it is turned parameters will be adjusted in larger increments. Quickly sweep through a whole parameter range in this manner.

### PARAMETER VALUE JUMP

Pressing **[FUNCTION]** while editing certain parameters will make the parameter values jump to appropriate positions. The time of the Delay, for example, will jump between 16, 32, 64 and 128 and the oscillator tuning will jump whole octaves.

# QUICK SCROLLING

Scroll through menus using the *LEVEL* knob. Quick scrolling is possible on many menus. Press [FUNCTION] + the [UP] or [DOWN] arrow keys to move the cursor one menu page at a time.

# COPY, CLEAR AND PASTE

Copy, clear and paste commands are available in a lot of contexts. A copy operation is performed by pressing **[FUNCTION] + [REC]**. A paste operation is performed by pressing **[FUNCTION] + [STOP]**. A clear operation is performed by pressing **[FUNCTION] + [PLAY]**. Paste and clear operations can be undone by repeating the button press combination. See the different sections in the manual for more information on when these commands are applicable.

# THE NAMING SCREEN

The naming method is identical for the various naming situations that appear when kits, Sounds, songs, projects et cetera are saved or renamed. This screen is also used for text searches.

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The **[LEFT]** and **[RIGHT]** arrow keys are used to navigate between the letters. Turning the *LEVEL* knob or pressing the **[UP]** or **[DOWN]** arrow keys cycles between the letters. **[FUNCTION]** + **[NO/RELOAD]** will erase letters.

## **POP-UP NAMING**

A convenient way of naming is to open a pop-up menu that shows all available letters, symbols and digits. When on the NAMING screen, press the **[FUNCTION]** key.

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Keep **[FUNCTION]** pressed and use the **[ARROW]** keys to highlight the character you want to insert. Once there, release **[FUNCTION]** to insert the character.



• Copy, paste and clear commands are available on the naming screen.

# QUICK START

This quick start will guide you through some of the basic operations in order to start using the Analog Rytm right away. First connect it as described in section "SETTING UP AND STARTING THE ANALOG RYTM", on page 5.

# PLAYING THE FACTORY PRESETS

You will find several preset patterns, kits and Sounds in the Analog Rytm. Follow the instructions below to get started exploring your new instrument.

- **1.** Switch on the Analog Rytm.
- 2. Make sure bank group A-D is selected. <BANK GROUP> LED must be lit in its upper position. If it is not, press the [BANK GROUP] key to toggle.
- 3. Press [BANK A/E] + [TRIG] key 1 to select the first pattern of bank A.
- 4. Press [PLAY] to listen to pattern A01.
- 5. Press [BANK A/E] + [TRIG] key 2 to select pattern A02. It will start once pattern A01 has reached its end. Select pattern A03 by pressing [BANK A/E] + [TRIG] key 3, and so on.
- 6. Press [STOP] to stop playback.

## PERFORMANCE MODE

The PERFORMANCE mode enables each one of the twelve pads to control several PARAMETER page parameters at once. Change many dimensions of one or more drum track Sounds at the touch of a single pad. A set of such parameter locks is called a performance macro, shown with dim green <PADS>. Try out the preset macros:

- 1. Make sure a pattern is playing.
- 2. Press the [PERFORMANCE] key to enter PERFORMANCE mode.
- 3. Press the dim green [PADS]. Apply different pressures and hear how the sound of the pattern changes.

## SCENE MODE

The SCENE mode turns the twelve pads into instant sound shifters. Similar to a performance macro, several parameters from any track can be changed by pressing a single pad. A scene is a fixed set of parameter values, ready to be activated or deactivated, shown with dim blue <PADS>. Try out the preset scenes by following the instructions below. The active scene is shown with a full-bright blue color pad.

- 1. Make sure a pattern is playing.
- 2. Press the [SCENE] key to enter SCENE mode.
- 3. Tap one of the dim blue color [PADS] to activate a scene. Tap again to deactivate.

## CHROMATIC MODE

Any track Sound may be played chromatically using the 12 pads. The chromatic note pitch is linearly increased for each successive pad pressed: left to right, bottom to top. Twelve successive pads make one octave. The range spans four octaves, middle, one up and two down. The middle octave has sky blue color <PADS>, the two below are of violet and dark blue color, in that order, and the one above is of olivine color.

- 1. Select the drum track to play chromatically by pressing [TRACK] + one of the [PADS].
- 2. Press the [CHROMATIC] key to enter CHROMATIC mode.
- Play the [PADS]. The active track Sound will be pitched differently for each of the 12 pads comprising the middle octave. Reach higher or lower octaves, one row at a time, by pressing [ARROW] keys [UP] or [DOWN], respectively.



• The CHROMATIC mode is an effective way to add musical variety to your beats. The timbre, tonality and impact of playing a Sound chromatically depends on the track type and how the Sound is designed. The synth part, the sample part or both synth and sample part of the Sound may be chromatic enabled. This is done in the SOUND SETTINGS, see "SOUND MENU" on page 25.

## MUTE MODE

Mute the sequencer of any of the twelve drum tracks in this mode. Unlike the CHROMATIC mode, it makes no difference which track is active when this mode is activated. All tracks are accessed simultaneously.

- **1.** Make sure a pattern is playing.
- 2. Press the [MUTE] key to enter MUTE mode.
- 3. Press any of the **[PADS]** to mute the corresponding track. Press again to unmute. The color of the <PADS> indicate the mute status. Unlit <PADS> are muted. Green <PADS> are audible.
- 4. Press and hold [FUNCTION] and then any of the [PADS] in order to preselect a mute, or mute/unmute several tracks in one go. Once you release [FUNCTION], the selected mutes will come into effect. Preselected mutes are shown as <PADS> of sky blue color.



• When MUTE mode is active, press [RETRIG] and one of the [PADS] if you wish to activate solo, in other words mute all tracks except the one selected. Press again to deactivate solo. Keeping [RETRIG] pressed, multiple tracks may be solo activated/deactivated. Solo activated <PADS> are of turquoise color.

## TEMPO

On the main interface screen, press and hold **[ARROW]** keys **[LEFT]** or **[RIGHT]** to temporarily nudge the tempo 10% up or down. Release to revert the BPM to its original setting. To change the overall BPM setting, open the TEMPO screen by pressing the **[TEMPO]** key.



Use the *LEVEL* knob to change tempo in integer steps. Pressing the knob while turning it changes the tempo eight steps at a time. The **[ARROW]** keys **[UP]** or **[DOWN]** change the tempo in fractional steps.

## SETTING PARAMETERS

Each drum track has five PARAMETER pages, accessed by pressing **[PARAMETER]** keys **SYNTH**, **SAMPLE**, **FILTER**, **AMP**, and **LFO**. The parameters found here affect the sound in various ways. When the FX track is active, the corresponding PARAMETER pages are DELAY, REVERB, DISTORTION, COMPRESSOR and LFO, accessed by the same keys.

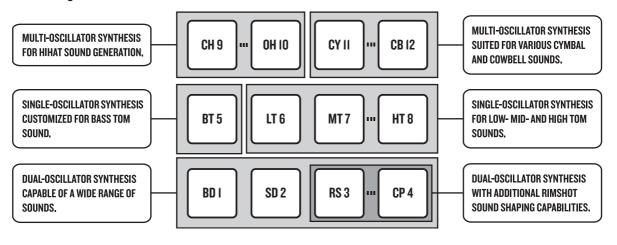
- 1. Make sure a pattern is playing.
- 2. Press [TRACK] + [PADS] 1-12 to select one of the twelve drum tracks.
- To change, for example, the cutoff of the filter, press the FILTER key. The FILTER page will be shown on the LCD screen. The parameter labelled FRQ changes the cutoff of the filter. Turn DATA ENTRY knob E to change the parameter value, and hear how the Sound is affected.
- 4. Try out the rest of the PARAMETER page parameters to explore a variety of sound shaping possibilities.
- 5. To reload the Sound to its original state, press [NO/RELOAD] + [MUTE].
- 6. To reload the whole kit to its original state, press [NO/RELOAD] + [FX].
- 7. To save kit changes, press [YES/SAVE] + [FX].

# ANALOG RYTM CONTROLS

The Analog Rytm is played using the **[PADS]**. The responsive, velocity and pressure sensitive synthetic rubber pads can be assigned to perform many possible functions. <PADS> will exhibit a variety of colors. There are a variety of modes: MUTE mode, CHROMATIC mode, SCENE mode and PERFORMANCE mode.

# PADS

The left half of the Analog Rytm front panel is dominated by the 12 pads. The finger-sized buttons are made of tough synthetic rubber and respond to pressure. Tapping a pad will trigger its track sound. **BD** will trigger the bass drum, **SD** the snare drum and so on. The illustration outlines and briefly describes the analog percussion sound generators. The twelve drum tracks and their default MACHINES are shown below.



## PAD

- 1. BD (Bass Drum)
- 2. SD (Snare Drum)
- 3. RS (Rim Shot)
- 4. CP (Hand Clap)
- 5. BT (Bass Tom)
- 6. LT (Low Tom)
- 7. MT (Mid Tom)
- 8. HT (Hi Tom)
- 9. CH (Closed Hihat)
- 10. OH (Open Hihat)
- 11. CY (Cymbal)
- 12. CB (Cow Bell)

## MACHINE

- 1. BDHD (Bass Drum Hard)
- 2. SDHD (Snare Drum Hard)
- 3. RSHD (Rimshot Classic)
- 4. CPCL (Hand Clap Classic)
- 5. BTCL (Bass Tom Classic)
- 6. XTCL (Tom Classic)
- 7. XTCL (Tom Classic)
- 8. XTCL (Tom Classic)
- 9. CHCL (Closed Hihat Classic)
- **10. OHCL** (Open Hihat Classic)
- 11. CYCL (Cymbal Classic)
- 12. CBCL (Cowbell Classic)

Play the track Sounds of the active kit using the **[PADS]**. 8 individual track Sounds can be voiced simultaneously with the eight physical voices of the Analog Rytm. The **BD**, **SD**, **BT** and **LT** are independent tracks with their own individual voices. Tracks **RS-CP**, **MT-HT**, **CH-OH** and **CY-CB**, each pair shown with a coupling on the front panel of the Analog Rytm, share a voice. If both tracks of a coupled pair are played or trigged simultaneously, the right-hand track has a higher priority. Track **CP** will silence track **RS**, **HT** will silence **MT**, **OH** will silence **CH** and **CB** will silence **CY**. With sequencer recording deactivated, drum tracks may also be played using **[TRIG]** keys 1-12.

The color of the <PADS> will show pad activity. A pad will flash white briefly when engaged, whether it is played manually or by the Analog Rytm sequencer. The active drum track is shown with a red color pad.

## MACHINES

Select a drum track MACHINE by quickly pressing the first **[PARAMETER]** key, **SYNTH**, twice. A MACHINE makes use of the physical percussion sound generator of the voice circuit in a certain way, in order to make a characteristic drum model.

For example, the **BD** track uses the sound generator of the first voice circuit. Its default **BDHD** MACHINE includes one tunable analog oscillator, a choice of three different waveforms and a custom envelope to shape the sound. These MACHINE-specific synthesis parameters are found on the SYNTH parameter page. Another MACHINE may be selected which will engage the sound generator in a different way - employing more than one oscillator, for example - enabling the **BD** track to perform frequency modulation and many other sound generating techniques.

All MACHINES can not be accessed from any track, as the tracks control different physical sound generators. The illustration above shows the tracks that make use of each percussion sound generator within the boundaries of the same gray-shaded box. For a more comprehensive list of MACHINES, the tracks that can use them and the specific SYNTH page parameters they give access to, please see "Appendix D: MACHINES".

# **ROTARY ENCODERS**

The eight **DATA ENTRY** knobs, the **LEVEL** knob and the **MASTER VOLUME** knob are made of sturdy twocomponent plastic with a shape designed to fit smugly between thumb and forefinger, and a rubbery surface to prevent slipping. The **MASTER VOLUME** is an absolute encoder, spanning roughly 320 degrees from its left extreme to its right extreme. Its position is shown with a small white dot on its top surface. The **LEVEL** and **DATA ENTRY** knobs (with which you set various parameter values for the active kit), on the other hand, are relative encoders which may be spun any number of turns. Pressing and turning these encoders will change their associated values at a greater speed.

## PRAGMATIC OPERATION

The functional layout of the Analog Rytm front panel ensures many complex operations can be done using only one hand, leaving the other hand free to tweak sounds. With all mode and track keys near each other, one-handed track muting, chromatic play, scene change and performance macro deployment is possible. As is one-handed retrigging, tempo tapping, pattern mode change, and pattern selection.

# **KEY BEHAVIOR**

As a group, the track selection keys (**[TRACK]** + any of the **[PADS]** and the **[FX]** key) have radio button functionality, i.e. when a new track is set to be active, the previous one is simultaneously deactivated (one and only one track must always be selected). Likewise, the group consisting of the five **[PARAMETER]** keys and the **[TRIG SETUP]** key has radio button functionality.

The mode keys [MUTE], [CHROMATIC], [SCENE] and [PERFORMANCE] keys have both on/off and radio button functionality (which means they may all be switched off, but only one of them may be on at the same time). This goes for the [SONG MODE] and [CHAIN MODE] keys as well.

The **[TRACK]**, **[FUNCTION]** and **[RETRIG]** keys must be pressed in combination with other keys in order to exert functionality.

## **MODE KEYS**

There are four main keys with which you change the mode of operation on the Analog Rytm: [MUTE], [CHRO-MATIC], [SCENE] and [PERFORMANCE]. The red LEDs above these keys show if the modes are active (full-bright) or inactive (off).

#### MUTE MODE

To activate the MUTE mode, press the **[MUTE]** key. To deactivate, press again. Mute any of the twelve drum tracks in this mode. Unlike the CHROMATIC mode, it makes no difference which track is active when this mode is on. All tracks are accessed simultaneously. Press any of the **[PADS]** to mute the corresponding track. Press again to unmute. The color of the <PADS> indicate the mute status. Unlit <PADS> are muted. Green <PADS> are audible.

Press and hold **[FUNCTION]** and then any of the **[PADS]** in order to preselect a mute, or mute/unmute severaltracks in one go. Once you release **[FUNCTION]**, the selected mutes will come into effect. Preselected mutes are shown as <PADS> of sky blue color.

Press **[RETRIG]** and one of the **[PADS]** if you wish to activate solo, in other words mute all tracks except the one selected. Press again to deactivate solo. Keeping **[RETRIG]** pressed, multiple tracks may be solo activated/ deactivated. Solo activated <PADS> are turquoise.

The tracks you have muted in this mode stay muted even if the pattern is changed or a new kit is loaded. After exiting MUTE mode, the LED light atop the **[MUTE]** key will stay lit, half-bright red, if any of the tracks are muted. The MUTE mode is a part of the active state of the machine. It is not stored to the current kit or pattern. Mutes activated in MUTE mode are the master mutes, and they will override any TRIG MUTE patterns on the sequencer or any SONG MUTE program on any pattern of the active song.

## CHROMATIC MODE

Pressing the **[CHROMATIC]** key will turn the **[PADS]** of the Analog Rytm into a chromatic keyboard, in the musical as well as the literal sense. Press again to deactivate. When in this mode, you will be able to play the Sound of the active track chromatically. To play another track Sound chromatically, change active track by pressing **[TRACK]** and one of the **[PADS]**.

Any track Sound may be played in this mode using the 12 pads. The chromatic note pitch is linearly increased for each successive pad pressed: left to right, bottom to top. Twelve pads in succession make up one octave. The range spans four octaves, middle, 1 up and 2 down. The middle octave has sky blue color <PADS>, the two below are of violet and dark blue color, in that order, and the one above is of olivine color. Reach higher or lower octaves, one row at a time, by pressing **[ARROW]** keys **[UP]** or **[DOWN]**, respectively.

The Synth part, the Sample part or both at once of any Sound may be chromatic enabled. This is done in the SOUND SETTINGS. See section "SOUND MENU" on page 25.

Notes trigged chromatically can be recorded on the sequencer. Find out how this is done in sections "GRID RECORDING MODE" and "LIVE RECORDING MODE" on page 33.

Like the MUTE mode, the active state of the CHROMATIC mode (the portion of the chromatic keyboard currently visible on the pads) is not stored per kit or pattern but stays in the state to which it was set until it is changed.

## SCENE MODE

The SCENE mode turns the twelve pads into instant sound shifters. Several parameters from any track can be changed by pressing a single pad. A scene is a fixed set of parameter values, ready to be activated or deactivated. To activate the SCENE mode, press the **[SCENE]** key. Press again to deactivate.

By carefully assigning a set of parameter values, you can prepare a scene that will make the same kit sound drastically (or subtly) different whenever activated. After exiting SCENE mode, the LED light atop the **[SCENE]** key will stay lit, half-bright red, if any of the scenes are active. Unlike the MUTE or CHROMATIC mode, SCENE mode settings are stored to the active kit. See "SCENE MODE" on page 21 for more details.

## PERFORMANCE MODE

Press the **[PERFORMANCE]** key to enter PERFORMANCE mode. This mode enables the **[PADS]** to control several PARAMETER page parameters at once. Change many dimensions of one or more drum track Sounds at the touch of a single pad. A pad in this mode, prepared with one or many additive layers of parameter modulation, is called a performance macro. While setting up a performance macro is done in a similar way as setting up a scene, there is a major difference in the way these two modes operate. A scene is a static, ON/OFF com-

mand of an array of parameters set to specific values. A performance macro engages the assigned parameters in a dynamic way. When using a performance macro, the parameters will be modulated relative to the pressure applied to the pad.

To exit PERFORMANCE mode, press **[PERFORMANCE]** key again. PERFORMANCE mode settings are stored as part of a kit. See "PERFORMANCE MODE" on page 22 to find out more about this mode.

# **PROJECTS**

A project is the top level of the Analog Rytm workflow. A project contains 128 patterns, 128 kits, 16 songs, 4 global slots, and a project Sound pool consisting of up to 128 Sounds. Projects are handy when, for example, you want to save a specific setup for a live performance or when managing a select number of compositions. The +Drive can store 128 projects.

When a project is loaded it becomes the active working state of Analog Rytm, independent of the +Drive. Analog Rytm will keep track of what project slot the active project was loaded from. When a project is loaded it is possible to edit its patterns, kits, songs, and globals.

Within an active project, all changes made are automatically remembered by the Analog Rytm, letting you switch back and forth between patterns and kits and edit the patterns, kits and parameters in any order you like without the need to save each adjustment manually. Patterns, the active kit Sounds and settings, songs and globals are remembered even after the power is turned off. However, regarding kits (the main entity for editing and collectively storing a complete set of Sounds and effects), when the Analog Rytm is switched off, only the settings of the active kit are preserved. If, for example, the kit linked to pattern 1 is edited (kit A), another pattern is selected and its kit edited (kit B) and then the power is turned off, only the changes to kit B (the most recent active kit) will be remembered. We highly recommend that you specifically save the kits you have been working on manually using the quick command **[YES/SAVE]** + **[FX]**. Find out more about kits in the section "KITS AND SOUNDS" on page 19.

Project changes are not automatically written to the +Drive. To store the active working state of the project to a +Drive slot, the project needs to be saved manually. See below on how to load and save projects.

# **PROJECT MENU**

Projects are managed in the PROJECT menu, located in the GLOBAL menu. Open the GLOBAL menu by pressing **[FUNCTION] + [TRACK]**.



Scroll through the list by using **[UP]**/**[DOWN]** or the *LEVEL* knob and select PROJECT. Open the menu by pressing **[YES/SAVE]**.



**LOAD PROJECT** opens a project selection screen where you choose a project to be loaded. Note that the active project will not be saved before loading the new project. This menu can be accessed directly by pressing and holding **[FUNCTION] + [TRACK]** for a little while. If you wish to create a new project, select **CREATE NEW** at the very bottom of the list. The new project will be a blank slate.

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SAVE PROJECT opens a project selection screen where you choose a slot to save the active project to.

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**PROJECT MANAGER** launches the PROJECT MANAGER menu. Selecting a project in this menu and pressing the **[RIGHT]** arrow key will bring up a list of commands.

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CLEAR resets the project slot to a clean state.

**DELETE** removes the project from the slot.

**RENAME** opens a screen where you can rename the project file.

LOAD FROM loads the selected project. This will overwrite the active project!

SAVE TO saves the active project to the selected slot.

**TOGGLE** toggles write protection on or off. Write protected projects can not be overwritten, renamed or erased. A write protected project is shown with a lock symbol.

**INIT NEW** initializes an empty file slot with a clean project. This operation is only available for empty project slots.



- Multiple projects can be selected and deselected by highlighting them and pressing [YES/SAVE].
- The currently active project is linked to the slot shown with a small arrow in front of the project name.
- A lock symbol indicates the project is write protected.
- Projects can be copied/cleared/pasted.



 LOAD FROM in the PROJECT MANAGER will overwrite the active project. Be sure to save your project before you load another.

# **KITS AND SOUNDS**

Every project has the capacity of 128 different kits. A kit is a collection of 12 drum track Sounds and an FX track, and their specific parameter settings. A Sound is composed of synth, sample, filter, effect sends, envelope and LFO settings in any combination. Sounds are assigned to the twelve drum tracks.

Each of the drum tracks contains one Sound. The PARAMETER page settings for each track in a kit can be saved as an individual Sound, if so desired. A Sound that has been loaded, from the +Drive or the Sound Pool to a track becomes a part of the active kit. Any changes made to a track Sound will not affect the stored Sound, it will affect and become part of the active kit. A pattern, controlling the playback of the kit, always links to a specific kit (non-exclusively). Any changes to the kit will affect other patterns using the same kit. When the Analog Rytm is switched off, only the active kit preserves its changes. Other kits must be saved.

A Kit contains:

- Sound parameter settings for the 12 drum tracks.
- FX track parameter settings.
- LEVEL settings for the drum and FX tracks.
- RETRIG settings.
- General SOUND SETTINGS.
- PERFORMANCE and SCENE mode macros and parameter settings.

A Sound contains:

• Settings for the PARAMETER pages of a drum track.



- The LCD graphics in the left part of the screen shows the name of the active kit. When the [TRACK] key and one of the [PADS] are pressed, this information will briefly change to show the name of the track Sound.
- When you create a brand new pattern, using an existing kit that is already linked to another pattern, we recommend that you save and rename the kit, first thing you do (see below). Unless, of course, you intend kit changes to affect multiple patterns.

# THE +DRIVE SOUND LIBRARY AND THE SOUND POOL

Sounds can be loaded to a kit from either the +Drive Sound library or the Sound pool of the active project. The +Drive Sound library has the capacity of 4096 Sounds, available to all projects. The Sound pool is a part of a project and limited to 128 Sounds. The major benefit of Sounds loaded to the Sound pool is the possibility for them to be Sound locked. This feature is not available for the Sounds in the +Drive Sound library. Read more about Sound locking on page 39.

# **KIT MENU**

In the KIT menu commands relating to kits are found, including kit save and kit load. Open the menu by pressing **[FUNCTION] + [FX].** Use the **[UP]** and **[DOWN]** arrow keys to move between the commands. Press **[YES**/ **SAVE]** to confirm your selection. Exit the menu by pressing **[NO/RELOAD]**.



**RELOAD KIT** will reload either the active kit, reverting it to its saved status, or all kits. Using the **[LEFT]** and **[RIGHT]** keys selects whether only the active kit or all kits will be reloaded. **[NO/RELOAD]** + **[KIT]** offers a shortcut to reloading the active kit.

LOAD KIT opens a menu where one of the up to 128 saved kits can be loaded. When this menu is accessed the kit list will appear. The active kit is shown with inverted graphics. Select the kit to be loaded by using the [ARROW] keys or the *LEVEL* knob. [LEFT]/[RIGHT] will quickly scroll between the menu pages. Once a kit has been selected, press [YES/SAVE] to load it. The loaded kit will be linked to the active pattern. If the active kit is loaded, it will be reloaded to the state it was saved in.

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**SAVE KIT** saves all the current kit related settings as a kit. When a kit is saved, it will be linked to the active pattern. **[YES/SAVE]** + **[FX]** offers a shortcut to this command, saving the kit instantly to the same slot and with the name of the kit unchanged. It is good practice to use the shortcut frequently to ensure kit changes are saved.

When this menu is opened the kit list will appear. The active kit is shown with inverted graphics. Select the slot to which the kit will be saved by using the **[ARROW]** keys or the **LEVEL** knob. Press **[YES/SAVE]** to save to the selected slot. The NAMING screen, covered on page 10, will appear.

**CLEAR KIT** will clear the content of the currently loaded kit, basically initializing it. When selecting this option a prompt will appear. Press **[YES/SAVE]** to clear the kit or **[NO/RELOAD]** to cancel the operation. Note that no kit information will be permanently lost until the kit is saved to the same kit slot it was loaded from.

**TRACK ROUTING** highlight this item, found at the very bottom position of the KIT menu, and press **[YES/SAVE]** to customize track routing. The default setting is to use the TRACK ROUTING global settings found in the GLOBAL menu. See section "GLOBAL MENU" on page 47.

If you want custom settings for the currently active kit, press **[YES/SAVE]** to untick the USE GLOBAL SETTING box and to open the complete ROUTING menu. Use **[ARROW]** keys **[UP]** and **[DOWN]** to highlight one of the three options.

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**USE GLOBAL SETTING** press **[YES/SAVE]** if you decide to use GLOBAL settings after all. The <PADS> will show what the current GLOBAL settings are for the drum tracks. <PADS> of a green color send to main. Unlit <PADS> do not.

**ROUTE TO MAIN** highlight this option to customize which of the 12 tracks will send to the master effects (Distortion and Compressor) and main output. Use the **[PADS]** to activate/ deactivate send from the track of each corresponding pad. <PADS> of a green color send to main. Unlit <PADS> do not. Note that each track will still send to its individual output.

**ROUTE TO FX** highlight this option to customize the send FX routing of the 12 tracks. Use the **[PADS]** to activate/deactivate each corresponding track for sending to the send FX (Delay and Reverb). <PADS> of a yellow color send to FX. Unlit <PADS> do not.

- Copy, clear and paste operations are available in the LOAD KIT and SAVE KIT menus.
- Use the LEVEL knob to scroll through the LOAD KIT and SAVE KIT menus.
- Once you have assembled a kit you like, or changed it in a desirable fashion, don't forget to save it using the shortcut [YES/SAVE] + [FX].
- A kit that is not used by any pattern is shown with an asterisk symbol following the kit name.

## **SCENE MODE**

Press **[SCENE]** to enter scene mode. A scene is a collection of fixed parameter locks. It enables an instant makeover of how the tracks of the active kit will sound, at the touch of a single pad. 12 scenes may be assigned, one for each of the **[PADS]**.

Press one of the **[PADS]** when in scene mode to activate a scene. Only one scene may be active at a time. When active, the pad to which the scene is assigned will glow blue. The <PADS> of non-empty, inactive scenes glow half-bright blue. Empty scenes have unlit pads. If the pad of the active track contains a scene, the pad will exhibit violet color (a mix of the active track color and the scene color, red and blue).

## SCENE EDIT

There are 12 assignable scenes available, one for each pad. Make sure SCENE mode is active. Select which scene to edit by pressing one of the **[PADS]**. Then press and hold the **[SCENE]** key for a short while in order to edit the scene.



## When SCENE mode is active, [FUNCTION] + one of the [PADS] offers a convenient shortcut to scene edit mode.

When scene edit is active, the LCD screen left hand side will reveal a list showing, from the top, the scene number, the number of locked parameters, an option to clear the scene and an option to clear all scenes. Use the **[ARROW]** keys **[UP]** and **[DOWN]** to navigate this list.

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SCENE shows which scene is being edited. Use [ARROW] keys [LEFT] and [RIGHT] to select another scene.

**LOCKS** shows the number of parameter locks assigned to the scene. This figure will only change by adding or removing parameter locks (see below).

<CLEAR> clears all parameter locks assigned to the scene being edited. Press [YES/SAVE] when this option is highlighted to clear the scene.

<CLEAR ALL> clears all parameter locks on all the 12 scenes. Press [YES/SAVE] when this option is highlighted to clear all scenes.

While keeping the scene pad pressed, various parameters can be locked to the scene by turning the **DATA ENTRY** knobs. Any parameter, from any of the 13 tracks, can be modulated and locked to the scene. Choose

the drum tracks from which the parameter locks will be assigned by pressing **[TRACK] + [PADS]**. If parameters from the FX track are to be locked to the scene, press the **[FX]** key. The parameters available for modulation and scene assignation will be visible on the LCD screen.

When a scene is edited, the pads of drum tracks containing parameter locks will glow half-bright red and flicker. The active track, from which parameter locks are currently set, will glow full-bright red. If a scene contains FX track parameter locks, the FX track red LED will flicker while editing the scene. When the scene pad is pressed during edit, parameter locks are shown with inverted graphics and their fixed values (provided the particular track, and the particular parameter page where the locked parameter is located, is active) are also shown.

A total of 48 different parameters may be locked to any of the 12 scenes, in any combination, for each kit. For example, 48 parameter locks may be used for a single scene, two scenes may use 24 parameter locks each, four scenes may use, say, 2, 4, 10 and 32 parameter locks, and so on.

The scene of each pad can be copied, pasted to another pad or cleared using **[FUNCTION] + [RECORD]**/ **[STOP]/[PLAY]**, respectively. SCENE settings are stored to the active kit. Remember to save the kit regularly with **[YES/SAVE] + [FX]**.

Once the editing is done, simply press the **[SCENE]** key again to exit scene edit mode. The parameter locks you entered will be instantly enabled whenever the scene is activated.

 Use a scene if you want to affect the overall impact - overt or subtle - of your kit in a snap. Create the impression, for example, that your studio drumkit all of a sudden is played in a near vacuum, shattered by distortion or subject to NY compression (or all three at once) - then back to normal again.

# PERFORMANCE MODE

Enter PERFORMANCE mode by pressing the **[PERFORMANCE]** key. The PERFORMANCE mode enables you to tweak one or several parameters, chosen from any track, by applying different amounts of pressure to any of the **[PADS]** containing a performance macro.



By gently increasing the amount of pressure applied to a pad containing a performance macro (or quickly pressing, and then gently *releasing* the applied pressure), all intermediate values of the parameter lock range can be heard while going from one extreme of the modulation depth to the other.

## PERFORMANCE EDIT

Make sure PERFORMANCE mode is active. Press and hold the **[PERFORMANCE]** key for a short while in order to enter edit mode.



 When PERFORMANCE mode is active, [FUNCTION] + one of the [PADS] offers a convenient shortcut to scene edit mode.

There are 12 assignable performance macros available, one for each pad. Select which macro to edit by pressing one of the **[PADS]**. When performance edit is active, the LCD screen left hand side will reveal a list showing, from the top, the performance macro number, the number of locked parameters, an option to clear the macro and an option to clear all macros. Use the **[ARROW]** keys **[UP]** and **[DOWN]** to navigate through this list.

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**PERF** shows which performance macro is being edited. Use **[ARROW]** keys **[LEFT]** and **[RIGHT]** to select another performance macro to edit.

**LOCKS** shows the number of parameter locks assigned to the performance macro. This figure will only change by adding or removing parameter locks (see below).

<CLEAR> clears all parameter locks assigned to the performance macro being edited. Press [YES/SAVE] when this option is highlighted to clear the macro.

<CLEAR ALL> clears all parameter locks on all the 12 performance macros. Press [YES/ SAVE] when this option is highlighted to clear all macros.

While keeping the pad pressed, various parameters can be locked to the macro by turning the **DATA ENTRY** knobs. Any parameter, from any of the 13 tracks, can be locked to the macro. Choose the drum tracks from which the parameter locks will be assigned by pressing **[TRACK] + [PADS]**. If parameters from the FX track are to be locked to the macro, press the **[FX]** key. The parameters available for modulation and macro assignation will be visible on the LCD screen.

When a macro is edited, the pads of drum tracks containing parameter locks will glow half-bright red and flicker. The active track, from which parameter locks are currently set, will glow full-bright red and flicker. If a macro contains FX track parameter locks, the FX track red LED will flicker while editing. When a pad containing a performance macro is pressed during edit, parameter locks are shown with inverted graphics and their modulation depth values (provided the particular track, and the particular parameter page where the locked parameter is located, is active) are also shown.

A total of 48 different parameters may be locked to any of the 12 performance macros, in any combination, for each kit. For example, 48 parameter locks may be used for a single macro, two macros may use 24 parameter locks each, four macros may use, say, 2, 4, 10 and 32 parameter locks, and so on.



- While the process of editing a performance macro is similar to editing a scene, the parameter locks have a completely different functionality. Whereas scene mode locks are fixed values, performance mode locks are modulation depth settings.
- If, for example, the TUN parameter on the SYNTH parameter page of the BD track is locked to a value of +24, the performance macro will, when engaged, perform a relative increase of the TUN setting of the track Sound between 0 and +24, depending on the amount of pressure applied to the pad to which the performance macro is assigned. 0 if no pressure is applied, 12 if medium pressure is applied and 24 if maximum pressure is applied.
- If the TUN parameter is locked to a value of -24 instead, no pressure would produce a relative value decrease of 0, medium pressure -12 and maximum pressure -24.
- Note that the offset is relative to the general TUN (or any other) parameter setting: if the general setting is 30, a parameter lock with a modulation depth of +24 is set and maximum pressure is applied to the pad which contains the performance macro, the resulting value will be +54.

The macro of each pad can be copied, pasted to another pad or cleared using **[FUNCTION] + [RECORD]**/ **[STOP]/[PLAY]**, respectively. PERFORMANCE mode settings are stored to the active kit. Remember to save the kit regularly with **[YES/SAVE] + [FX]**.

## **KITS AND SOUNDS**

Once the editing is done, simply press the **[PERFORMANCE]** key again to exit edit mode. The parameter locks you entered will be activated whenever the pad containing the performance macro is pressed, provided PER-FORMANCE mode (but not performance edit) is active. The relative modulation depth of all locked parameters will respond to the amount of pressure applied to the pad.



 As the name implies, the PERFORMANCE mode is a live performance feature. As is the SCENE mode. When recording on the sequencer, PERFORMANCE mode macros and SCENES are not possible to parameter lock.

## SOUND MENU

In this menu Sounds in the +Drive Sound library or in the Sound pool of the active project can be browsed and managed. Other menu options let you clear the track Sound, rename the track Sound or change the settings for the track Sound. Open the menu by pressing **[FUNCTION] + [MUTE]**. Use the **[UP]** and **[DOWN]** arrow keys to move between the options. Press **[YES/SAVE]** to confirm your selection. Exit the menu by pressing **[NO/ RELOAD]**.



**SOUND BROWSER** is for previewing and loading of Sounds. Opening the menu will show a list of all Sounds in either the +Drive Sound library or the Sound pool. Only the Sounds that can be voiced by the active track will be shown. For example, if the CH track is active, only the Sounds using the MACHINES available for the CH (and OH) track will be visible. If you wish to browse various Bass Drum Sounds, for instance, first make sure the BD is the active track by pressing **[TRACK]** + the first **[PADS]** key. Scroll the list by turning the *LEVEL* knob or by pressing **[UP]/[DOWN]**. Load a Sound by pressing **[YES/SAVE]**. Unlike the SOUND MANAGER menu, it does not have the SOUND OPERATIONS menu. Also, empty Sound slots are not shown here.



Pressing [LEFT] will access the SORTING menu. Press [YES/SAVE] to execute the commands. Press [NO/ RELOAD] or the [RIGHT] arrow key to exit the menu.



▶ POOL lists Sounds available in the Sound pool of the active project. The command is only available when browsing the +Drive Sound library.

**+DRIVE** lists Sounds available on the +Drive Sound library. The command is only available when browsing the Sound pool of the active project.

**SORT ABC** sorts the Sounds in alphabetical order. The command is only available when Sounds are being sorted by slot number.

**SORT 123** sorts the Sounds by slot number (or +Drive position). The command is only available when Sounds are being sorted alphabetically.

FILTER opens a list where Sounds can be arranged according to tags. Select and deselect tags by pressing [YES/SAVE]. Multiple tags can be selected. Exit the tag list by pressing [NO/ RELOAD].

**SEARCH** will perform a text search and list all Sounds with names matching or including the text input. See "THE NAMING SCREEN" on page 10 on how to enter text.

**SOUND MANAGER** is a more comprehensive version of the SOUND BROWSER. Sounds can be saved, loaded, renamed, tagged et cetera. Opening this menu will show a list of all Sounds found in either the +Drive Sound library or the Sound pool. Unlike the browser, all Sounds will be shown, not just the Sounds that can be used by the active track. The color of the active track pad will show if the Sound can be loaded or not. Violet color means it can. Additionally, when a Sound is highlighted, the <PADS> of *all* tracks to which the Sound can be loaded will be shown in dim red color. Sounds can be previewed by tapping the pad of the active track, provided that the Sound can be voiced by the track (i.e. the pad color is violet) Scroll the list by turning the *LEVEL* knob or by pressing **[UP]/[DOWN]**.

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Pressing **[LEFT]** will access the SORTING menu. The available commands are the same as those found in the SORTING menu of the SOUND BROWSER. Read about the SORTING menu on page 25.

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Pressing **[RIGHT]** will access the SOUND OPERATIONS menu. The available operations will affect the highlighted Sound. Press **[YES/SAVE]** to apply the commands to the selected Sound. Press **[NO/RELOAD]** or the **[LEFT]** arrow key to exit the menu.

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**LOAD TO TRACK** loads the selected Sound to the active track and makes it a part of the active kit.

COPY TO... copies the selected sounds to one of the following:

• POOL copies the selected Sounds to the first free slots of the active project Sound pool.

• +DRIVE copies the selected Sounds to the first free slots of the +Drive Sound library.

• +BANK (A-P) copies the selected Sounds to the first free slots of a specific bank inside the +Drive.

**STORE TRACK SOUND** saves the active track Sound to the selected slot. Please note that outside of the SOUND MANAGER, at any time (except when in MUTE mode or in SONG EDIT mode), **[YES/SAVE] + [MUTE]** offers a shortcut to this operation.

**RENAME** will rename the selected Sound.

**EDIT TAGS** opens a menu where Sounds can be tagged. Sounds can have any number of tags, but only the first two will be shown on the Sound list. Apply or remove tags by pressing **[YES/SAVE]**.

**DELETE** will delete the Sound.

SELECT ALL selects all Sounds in the list.

DESELECT ALL deselects all Sounds in the list.

**TOGGLE** will enable or disable write protection for the selected Sounds. When a Sound is write protected it cannot be overwritten, renamed, tagged or deleted.

SEND SYSEX sends the selected Sounds as SysEx data.



- Sounds in the +Drive Sound library are organized into 16 banks, ranging from A to P. Each bank can contain 256 Sounds. Use the [TRIG] keys to view only Sounds located in a specific bank.
- You can preview the currently selected Sound by tapping the pad of the active track. All Sounds available for the active track can be previewed. Please note that if the previewed Sound is sent to the effects, the current effects settings will affect it.
- Several Sounds can be simultaneously affected by the commands available in the SOUND OPER-ATIONS menu. Select/deselect individual Sounds by highlighting them and pressing [YES/SAVE].
- Press [FUNCTION] + [UP]/[DOWN] for faster scrolling in the Sound list.

**CLEAR TRACK SOUND** will set the PARAMETER page parameters of the active track to their default values. When choosing this option a prompt will appear. Press **[YES/SAVE]** to reinitialize the parameters or **[NO/ RELOAD]** to cancel the operation. Note that no parameter information will be permanently lost until the kit is saved to the same slot it was loaded from.

RENAME TRACK SOUND opens a NAMING screen where the Sound of the active track can be renamed.

**SOUND SETTINGS** opens a menu where various overarching Sound settings are found. These settings are stored to the active kit. Use the **[UP]/[DOWN]** arrow keys or the **LEVEL** knob to scroll through the menu. Use the **[LEFT]/[RIGHT]** arrow keys to change the settings.



**MACHINE** select the MACHINE with which the active track Sound will be generated. Only the MACHINES available for the active track will be shown. In order to swiftly change MACHINE, use the shortcut command by quickly pressing the first **[PARAMETER]** key, **SYNTH**, twice. To find out more about MACHINES, see "Appendix D: MACHINES".

**CHROMATIC** sets which parts of the Sound CHROMATIC mode, as well as the trig page **NOT** parameter, will affect:

- OFF means the pitch will not be affected at all.
- SYNTH affects the pitch of the Synth part only.
- SAMPLE affects the pitch of the Sample part only.
- SYN+SMP affects the pitch of both Synth and Sample parts.

**VELOCITY TO VOL** select how velocity will affect volume when playing the Sound on the **[PADS]** or with an external MIDI unit.

- OFF means velocity will not affect the volume of the Sound.
- ON means the volume will correspond linearly to velocity.

VELOCITY MOD gives access to a menu where up to five PARAMETER page parameters can be assigned to the velocity mod parameter. Open the menu by pressing [YES/SAVE]. Use DATA ENTRY knobs A-D to select parameters from any of the PARAMETER pages. Use DATA ENTRY knobs E-H to set the modulation depth for the chosen parameters. Use the LEVEL knob to set the overarching velocity range.

**AFTERTOUCH** gives access to a menu where up to five PARAMETER page parameters can be assigned to the **[PADS]** or external MIDI unit aftertouch command. Open the menu by pressing **[YES/SAVE]**. Use **DATA ENTRY** knobs **A-D** to select parameters from any of the PARAMETER pages. Use **DATA ENTRY** knobs **E-H** to set the modulation depth for the chosen parameters. Use the **LEVEL** knob to set the overarching velocity range.



- Copy, clear and paste operations are available in the SOUND BROWSER and SOUND MANAGER.
- Use the *LEVEL* knob to increase scrolling speed in the SOUND BROWSER and SOUND MAN-AGER.

# PLAYING A SOUND

Play the drum track Sounds of the active kit by tapping any of the twelve **[PADS]**. <PADS> will briefly flash when tapped. Each pad is velocity sensitive, which means a gentle rap and a decisive stab on the pad will produce drum sounds of different intensities.

Use **[FUNCTION]** + **[PADS]** to trig the Sound at the velocity set on the trig page for each track (the **VEL** parameter).

The **[TRIG]** keys 1-12 can also be used to play the Sounds of the twelve tracks, also at the velocity set on the trig page for each track.

Press and hold **[RETRIG]**, then press and hold any of the **[PADS]** to continuously retrig the track Sound for as long as the pad is held. Play drum rolls in this manner on one or several of the pads, each with its own assignable retrig settings. Pressure controls retrig velocity. Aftertouch is disabled during retrig. See "RETRIG MENU" on page 34.

Sounds that are designed for aftertouch play may be played by tapping and then pressing a pad without lifting your finger in between. Settings controlling this can be found in the SOUND menu, covered on page 25.

## PLAYING A SOUND WITH AN EXTERNAL MIDI UNIT

Besides using the **[PADS]**, the Sounds can also be played using an external MIDI unit connected to Analog Rytm. Which MIDI tracks the voices respond to are set up in the MIDI CHANNELS menu, covered on page 52.

# EDITING A SOUND

Activate one of the drum tracks for editing by pressing **[TRACK]** + one of the **[PADS]**. The information bar on the LCD screen, showing which kit is loaded, will briefly change to show the name of the drum track Sound. When editing, the MACHINE, Sound and sample settings of the track can be changed, and any changes made will be stored as part of the active kit.

Adjust the overall volume level of the active drum track with the LEVEL knob.

The current MACHINE in use will determine which SYNTH parameters will be available for Sound modulation. Quickly press the first **[PARAMETER]** key, **SYNTH**, twice to open a menu for MACHINE selection.

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Browse through the MACHINE list using the **[ARROW]** keys **[UP]** and **[DOWN]**. Sample the MACHINE currently outlined by tapping the pad of the active track. Select the outlined MACHINE by pressing **[YES/SAVE]**. Exit without switching MACHINE by pressing **[NO/RELOAD]**.

Edit a track Sound by adjusting the parameters found on the PARAMETER pages. Access these pages by pressing one of the five **[PARAMETER]** page keys. Use the **DATA ENTRY** knobs **A-H** to change the parameters. For a complete description of the functions of the parameters, please see "Appendix A: DRUM TRACK PARAMETERS".

SYNTH controls the analog drum synthesis parameters of the MACHINE selected.

SAMPLE controls the sample selection and settings.

**FILTER** controls the filter mode, cutoff frequency and envelope.

AMP controls the amplitude parameters, effect sends and levels.

LFO controls parameters for the LFO of the active track.

# **SELECTING A SAMPLE**

Any of the 127 user samples may be assigned to a Sound on any of the drum tracks. The user samples can be replaced, relocated and otherwise managed in the SAMPLES manager found in the GLOBAL MENU. See section "GLOBAL MENU" on page 47. Select the active drum track by pressing [TRACK] + one of the [PADS]. Open the SAMPLE parameter page by pressing the second [PARAMETER] key, SAMPLE.

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Turn the knob counter-clockwise to scroll up the list, clockwise to scroll down the list. Tap the pad of the active track while browsing to listen to the sample currently outlined.

Press **[FUNCTION]** and **[YES/SAVE]** to replace a sample in one of the slots with one found in any of the sample directories. To learn more about sample directories, see "GLOBAL MENU" on page 47.

To select an outlined sample, press **[YES/SAVE]**. Press **DATA ENTRY** knob **D** or **[NO/RELOAD]** to exit the list without selecting a sample.

 Sample selection may also be accessed by quickly pressing the second [PARAMETER] key, SAM-PLE, twice.

# **EDITING THE FX**

Select the FX track for editing by pressing the **[FX]** key. The FX track controls Analog Rytm internal send effects (Delay and Reverb) and master effects (Distortion and Compression). Editing the FX track is similar to editing the Sounds of the drum tracks. The PARAMETER pages contain all FX parameters.

There are five PARAMETER pages for the FX track. Access the PARAMETER pages by pressing one of the **[PARAMETER]** keys. Use the **DATA ENTRY** knobs **A-H** to change the parameters. The first two, Delay and Reverb, are send effects: their parameters are set on the FX track, but their incoming signals are set on the DEL and REV send parameters on the AMP page of each individual drum track. The following two, Distortion and Compressor, are master effects: they condition all sounds with distortion or compression. The last page is the dedicated FX track LFO, with which you can temper any of the parameters on the FX track with a custom low frequency oscillation along one of seven possible waveforms, enabling - to name but one example - tidal modulation of sound distortion. For complete explanations of the parameters on the FX track, please see "Appendix B: FX TRACK PARAMETERS".

**DELAY** controls the character, reverb send and volume of the delay send effect.

**REVERB** controls the character and volume of the reverb send effect.

DISTORTION controls the amount and character of distortion applied.

**COMPRESSOR** controls the behavior, volume and dry/wet mix of sound compression.

LFO controls parameters for the FX track LFO.



• FX and track parameter settings are stored as part of a kit. Don't forget to save the kit and give it a unique name once you have achieved the results you want, or simply press [YES/SAVE] + [FX] to quickly save the active kit with its name unchanged.



• You are advised not to use the effects too liberally when shaping a basic Sound. Rather, add FX to taste at choice parts of the composition: trigged on and off as part of a pre-programmed sequencer pattern or as SCENE and PERFORMANCE macros ready to be unleashed live.

Set the master return level of the Delay and Reverb outputs on the FX track with the *LEVEL* knob. These send effects also have individual volume parameters.

# THE SEQUENCER

The sequencer of the Analog Rytm stores beat information in patterns. A pattern controls the playback of the drum tracks, the FX track and various pattern-specific aspects of these. Each of the 8 banks, ranging from A to H, contains 16 patterns, which means 128 patterns are instantly available for each project. All changes made to the patterns are stored automatically. Changes made to the active pattern can be reverted, as long as it is active. Read more in the "PATTERN MENU" on page 36. A pattern contains:

- General trig settings on the TRIG page (default note pitch, velocity et cetera).
- Quantization settings.
- Note trigs for all tracks.
- Trigless locks for all tracks.
- Parameter locks.
- Sound locks.
- Trig mutes.
- Accent trigs.
- Slide trigs.
- Swing trigs & swing amount.
- A kit linked to the pattern.
- Length and time signature for the tracks.

# **BASIC PATTERN OPERATIONS**

Analog Rytm can seamlessly switch between patterns. This, along with the ability to chain patterns, is a handy feature when improvising live.

#### **SELECTING A PATTERN**

Press the **[BANK GROUP]** key to choose the bank group from which a pattern will be selected. If for example bank group A-D is chosen, patterns in banks A, B, C and D can be selected. Next, press a **[BANK]** key followed by a **[TRIG]** key to select a pattern within the selected bank. To select pattern B05, for example, choose bank group A-D using the **[BANK GROUP]** key. Then press **[BANK B/F]** and **[TRIG]** key 5.

Patterns containing data are shown with half-bright red <TRIG> LEDs. The current active pattern is shown with a full-bright red <TRIG> LED. When a pattern containing no data is selected, the kit of the previous pattern will be kept active, and linked to the new pattern.

When a pattern is playing and a new pattern is selected, the new pattern position will be shown flashing in the lower left corner of the LCD screen (If default, SEQUENTIAL, pattern mode is active). Once the last step of the pattern has played, the new pattern will start and the pattern position will cease to flash.



- Pattern selection can be made using only one hand. After a [BANK] key has been pressed, a window will appear for a short while, stating "CHOOSE PTN". If a [TRIG] key is pressed while this window is visible, a pattern will be selected.
- Patterns can be changed while the sequencer is running.
- Patterns can be changed and queued by sending program change messages.
- After a pattern is selected, and before releasing any key, [REC], [PLAY] and [STOP] can be pressed to copy, clear or paste patterns without leaving the active pattern. It is possible to clear and paste multiple patterns at the same time.

#### PATTERN CONTROL

Pressing **[PLAY]** will start the playback of a pattern. Pressing **[STOP]** will stop the playback of all tracks. The sound will be cut off, but effects like Delay will continue to be audible until the delay repeats have faded out. When the sequencer has stopped, quickly press **[STOP]** + **[STOP]** to stop playback of all tracks and fade out the send effects.

When a pattern is playing and **[PLAY]** is pressed the playback will be paused. Press **[PLAY]** again to resume the playback.

If a pattern contains more than 16 sequencer steps, the <PATTERN PAGE> LEDs will indicate this. When a pattern is playing, the currently active pattern page is shown with a flashing, full-bright, <PATTERN PAGE> LED.

#### TEMPO

Pattern tempo is global and will affect all patterns. Pattern tempo is set in the TEMPO menu. Press **[TEMPO]** to open it.



Use the *LEVEL* knob to change the tempo setting. The **[UP]** and **[DOWN]** key changes the decimal part of the tempo.

To tap a tempo setting, hold the **[FUNCTION]** key and tap the **[TEMPO]** key in a steady rhythm. After four consecutive taps the average tempo of the taps will be calculated. By continuing tapping, the average tempo will keep on updating.

The tempo can be temporarily nudged up or down by 10% by pressing the **[LEFT]** or **[RIGHT]** arrow keys. When the key is released the BPM will revert back to the original setting.

When in the TEMPO menu, holding **[FUNCTION]** while turning the *LEVEL* knob will not change the tempo to the selected value until the **[FUNCTION]** key is released. While doing this, "PREP." will flash in the bottom left corner of the screen.



 Tempo shift is very handy when manually syncing Analog Rytm to a turntable or an external sound source. Note that you do not need to be in the TEMPO menu to perform tempo shifting.

# PATTERN MODES

When changing patterns, different modes affecting the way the active pattern will be changed exist. Toggle between the PATTERN modes by pressing **[FUNCTION] + [BANK GROUP].** The <PATTERN MODE> LED shows which mode is selected. Three PATTERN modes exist.

**DIRECT START** will immediately change patterns. The new pattern will start playing from the beginning. This mode is shown with a red <PATTERN MODE> LED.

**DIRECT JUMP** will immediately change patterns. The new pattern will start playing from the position where the previous pattern left off. This mode is shown with a green <PATTERN MODE> LED.

**SEQUENTIAL** will change patterns after the pattern currently playing reaches its end. This mode is the default mode. It is shown with an unlit <PATTERN MODE> LED.

# **EDITING A PATTERN**

Analog Rytm offers two main modes of input when editing or creating a pattern, GRID RECORDING mode and LIVE RECORDING mode. In these modes, two types of trigs can be entered: note trigs and trigless locks.

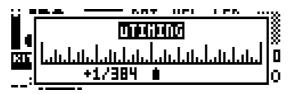
#### TRIG TYPES

Two types of trigs exist, note trigs and trigless locks. Note trigs trig notes while trigless locks can be used to apply parameter locks without trigging notes. Setting SYN and SMP (see "TRIG MENU" on page 36) to zero on a trig will turn it into a trigless lock. Note trigs are shown with full-bright <TRIG> LEDs and trigless locks are shown with half-bright <TRIG> LEDs. <TRIG> LEDs. <TRIG> LEDs above steps not containing any trigs remain unlit. Read more about parameter locks in section "PARAMETER LOCKS" on page 39. The two types of trigs are entered differently depending on whether GRID or LIVE recording mode is active.

#### **GRID RECORDING MODE**

GRID RECORDING is a method of composing where trigs are added by using the [TRIG] keys.

Enter GRID RECORDING mode by pressing the **[REC]** key. A lit red <REC> LED indicates GRID RECORDING mode is active. Select the track to which you want to add trigs, the active track, by pressing the **[TRACK]** key + one of the **[PADS]**. Place note trigs on the sequencer by pressing the **[TRIG]** keys 1-16 in the sequence desired. When CHROMATIC mode is active, the pitch value of the note trig will be recorded according to which **[PADS]** key is pressed. To add a trigless lock, press **[FUNCTION]** and **[TRIG]**. Add micro timing to a note trig by pressing and holding the **[TRIG]** key while pressing **[ARROW]** keys **[LEFT]** or **[RIGHT]**. A micro timing pop up menu will appear, showing the time offset.



Set the retrig speed by pressing and holding the **[TRIG]** key while pressing **[ARROW]** keys **[UP]** or **[DOWN]**. Similarly, a pop up menu will appear on the screen, where various retrig settings can be made. Read more about the retrig menu on page 34.

If the pattern contains more than 16 steps, select the pattern page you want to edit by pressing the **[PAGE]** key. The active pattern page is shown with a fully lit <PATTERN PAGE> LED.

Press [PLAY] to listen to the sequence.



 All trigs of a track can be shifted forwards or backwards on the sequencer. While in GRID RECORDING mode, hold down [FUNCTION] while pressing the [LEFT] or [RIGHT] arrow keys to perform the trig shift.

#### LIVE RECORDING MODE

LIVE RECORDING mode is the second method of adding trigs to the tracks. In this recording mode, the **[PADS]** are played in real time to input trigs to the tracks. It is also possible to enter parameter locks in real time. Trigs input in LIVE RECORDING mode will be placed on the sequencer in a micro timed fashion, which means the  $\mu$ TM parameter in the TRIG SETUP menu will be locked accordingly to more accurately reflect the input timing of the trigs. This makes LIVE RECORDING mode record note inputs in a more expressive and un-quantized way. Micro timed trigs can be quantized, which is done in the TRIG SETUP menu accessed by pressing [FUNC-TION] + [TRIG SETUP]. Quantizing is covered on page 37.

Hold **[RECORD]** and press **[PLAY]** to enter LIVE RECORDING mode. The sequencer will start to play and the <RECORD> LED will start to flash. You can now enter trigs to the active track in real time by playing the **[PADS]**. Key presses on the **[PADS]** will be recorded as note trigs, and the velocity and duration of the key presses will affect the values of the note trigs. Also, the pitch value of the note trig, if CHROMATIC mode is active, will be

recorded. Any changes to the PARAMETER page settings, using the **DATA ENTRY** knobs, will be recorded on the sequencer as parameter locks.

In order to activate or deactivate quantization of the LIVE RECORDING, press **[RECORD]**, then double-press **[PLAY]**. Repeat the command to deactivate. Quantisation of live recording can also be set in the SEQUENCER CONFIGURATION menu found in the GLOBAL menu.

Press **[NO/RELOAD]** + one (or several) of the **[PADS]** in order to erase a sequence of recorded trigs on a track (or on several tracks) in time with the sequencer, i.e. all steps reached on the pattern playing will be erased, until the keys are released.

To stop both the recording and the playback of the sequencer, press **[STOP]**. To exit LIVE RECORDING mode while keeping the sequencer playing, press **[PLAY]**. If LIVE RECORDING mode is active and **[REC]** is pressed, GRID RECORDING mode will be activated.

# **RETRIG MENU**

When the **[RETRIG]** key is pressed, the retrig menu for the active track will appear on the leftmost side of the LCD screen. In this menu, a host of retrig actions can be set. Each of the twelve drum tracks can have its own set of retrig settings. The retrig settings are stored to the active kit.

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Use the **[ARROW]** keys **[UP]** and **[DOWN]** to highlight one of the retrig actions (there are more than the four visible on the screen). Change values using the **[ARROW]** keys **[LEFT]** and **[RIGHT]**. The values can also be set using the **LEVEL** knob. The retrig actions available in this menu are:

\***RETRIG** Sets the retrig rate (1/1, 1/2, 1/3, 1/4, 1/5, 1/6, 1/8, 1/10, 1/12, 1/16, 1/20, 1/24, 1/32, 1/40, 1/48, 1/64 or 1/80). 1/16 is the nominal retrig rate, one trig per step. 1/32 corresponds to two trigs per step and so on. In order to trig triplets, for example, set the retrig rate to 1/12 (or 1/24).

\*LENGTH Sets the duration of the retrig velocity curve in fractions of, or rational or integer multiples of, a step (0,125 - INF). 1/16 is the nominal length of one step. This setting affects the behaviour of the velocity curve (see directly below), by defining the boundaries of its envelope.

**\*VEL. CUR** Sets the velocity curve fade out/fade in of the retrig (-128 to 127). -128 corresponds to a complete fade out during the set length, -64 fades out to half the velocity during the set length, 0 equals a flat velocity curve with no fade, 64 fades in to half velocity during the set length and 127 fades in completely to full velocity during the set length.

**\*Q.START** Starts the retrig at a set quantization point synchronous with the sequencer (OFF, 1/16, 1/8, 1/4, 1/2, 1/1).

\*ALWAYS ON Sets retrig lock ON/OFF. When on, the retrig will activate whenever the pad of the active track is pressed without the need to press [RETRIG] first.

Retrigs can be recorded on the sequencer, in GRID RECORDING mode as well as in LIVE RECORDING mode. They are recorded as separate trigs. If the retrig speed is greater than the duration of a sequencer step, trigs are created with additional internal steps (i.e. steps with retrig enabled). Retrigs can be customized on any of the sequencer steps. Press a **[TRIG]** key, then press the **[RETRIG]** key or the **[ARROW]** keys **[UP]** or **[DOWN]**. This will bring up a pop-up menu on the LCD screen showing four retrig actions.



As long as the **[TRIG]** key is pressed, the pop-up menu will remain visible. In order to activate/deactivate the retrig, press the **[RETRIG]** key, or turn *DATA ENTRY* knob *A*. To set the retrig rate, press the **[ARROW]** keys **[UP]** and **[DOWN]** or turn *DATA ENTRY* knob *E*. Change the length of the retrig velocity curve using *DATA ENTRY* knob *D*. The velocity curve of the retrig is set using *DATA ENTRY* knob *H*. The knob works in a bipolar fashion, spanning the range -128 to 127. Negative velocity values fade out the retrig to the set amount, positive values fade it in. The retrig settings in this menu can also be accessed from the RETRIG menu. However, retrig settings placed on a specific trig on the sequencer via the pop-up menu will override the general retrig settings for the active track. Read more about the functionality of retrig settings on the previous page.

# **TRACK MENU**

Settings and options for the active track are found in this menu. Open the menu by pressing **[FUNCTION]** + **[CHROMATIC]**. Browse the list using the **[UP]/[DOWN]** arrow keys or the *LEVEL* knob. Select by pressing **[YES/SAVE]**. Change the track that will be affected by pressing the **[TRACK]** key + one of the **[PADS]**.



**TRIGS SETUP** will take you to the quantization menu for the active track. See section "QUAN-TIZATION" on page 37.

**RELOAD TRACK** will reload the active track. Since tracks are a part of patterns which are automatically saved, it will either be reloaded to its original auto-saved state or to a specific saved state which can be determined by utilizing the **SAVE TRACK** command. Press **[NO/ RELOAD]** + **[CHROMATIC]** for a shortcut to the **RELOAD TRACK** command.

**SAVE TRACK** will save changes made to the active track. This is a special feature available in addition to the general, automatic, saving of patterns which occurs when patterns are changed. The feature is useful in situations where an individual track is being worked on, the results are desirable and you want to keep on working with the track while having the ability to revert it to a specific saved state. The **SAVE TRACK** command makes this possible. When reloading the track, it will not be reloaded to its original, pattern auto-saved, state, but to the manually saved state. Press **[YES/SAVE] + [CHROMATIC]** for a shortcut to the **SAVE TRACK** command.

### PATTERN MENU

In the PATTERN menu patterns can be saved and reloaded. Open the menu by pressing **[FUNCTION]** + **[SCENE]**. Select between the available commands by using the **[UP]/[DOWN]** arrow keys. Confirm selections with **[YES/SAVE]**.



**RELOAD PATTERN** will reload the active pattern. It will either be reloaded to its original autosaved state or to a specific saved state which can be determined by utilizing the **SAVE PAT-TERN** command. Press **[NO/RELOAD] + [SCENE]** for a shortcut to the **RELOAD PATTERN** command.

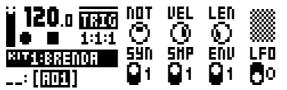
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• The RELOAD PATTERN command is great when improvising live. Any changes made to the active pattern, like adding bass line notes or similar, can immediately be undone.

# **TRIG MENU**

Set the actions for when a note is trigged in the TRIG menu. Press the **[TRIG SETUP]** key to access the menu. Change settings using the **DATA ENTRY** knobs. These general settings affect note trigs placed on the sequencer. On any step of the pattern, trigs may be locked to other settings by first pressing and holding a **[TRIG]** key, then changing the settings. Note that the TRIG settings are stored along with the active pattern, not to the active kit.



**NOT** sets the pitch of the note when trigged, ranging from -24 to 24. When LIVE RECORDING and playing in CHROMATIC mode, the pitch of the **[PADS]** played will override this setting.

**VEL** sets the velocity at which the note trig on the sequencer is trigged, 1 to 127. In LIVE RECORDING mode, the velocity at which the **[PADS]** are tapped will override this setting. This velocity is used when trigging with **[FUNCTION]** + **[PADS]** or with the **[TRIG]** keys.

**LEN** sets the length of the note trig. Again, in LIVE RECORDING mode, the duration of pressing the **[PADS]** overrides this general setting.

SYN controls if the synth part of the Sound will be trigged.

SMP controls if the sample part of the sound will be trigged.

ENV controls if the filter envelope will be trigged.

LFO controls if the LFO will be trigged.

#### QUANTIZATION

Access the menu by pressing **[FUNCTION]** + **[TRIG SETUP]**. Navigate the menu using the **[UP]**/**[DOWN]** arrow keys or the *LEVEL* knob. Change settings with the **[LEFT]**/**[RIGHT]** arrow keys or any of the *DATA ENTRY* knobs.

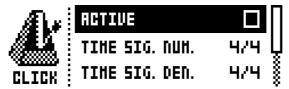


**GLOBAL QUANTIZE** will affect all micro timed trigs of all tracks. The higher the quantize value, the more all micro timed trigs will be quantized. Range 0-127.

**TRK QUANTIZE** will affect all micro timed trigs of the active track. The higher the quantize value, the more all micro timed trigs will be quantized. Range 0-127.

# **CLICK TRACK**

The CLICK TRACK menu controls the internal metronome of Analog Rytm. Open the menu by pressing **[FUNC-TION]** + **[RETRIG]**. Use the **[UP]/[DOWN]** arrow keys or the **LEVEL** knob to scroll through the list of settings. Press **[LEFT]/[RIGHT]** or any of the **DATA ENTRY** knobs to change the highlighted setting.



ACTIVE activates/deactivates the metronome. It is also possible to press [FUNCTION] and double-pressing [RETRIG] to toggle the metronome on or off.

TIME SIG. NUM controls the note measure of the metronome time signature.

TIME SIG. DEN controls the beat measure of the metronome.

**PREROLL** controls for how many bars the metronome will sound before the sequencer starts playing. This setting is only relevant when LIVE RECORDING mode is initiated.

VOLUME controls the volume of the click.

## SCALE MENU

The length and timing of the pattern can be changed on this screen. Two modes exist in the SCALE menu. In NORMAL mode all tracks share the same length. In ADVANCED mode each track can have different lengths. Access the SCALE SETUP menu by pressing **[FUNCTION] + [PAGE]**. Use the **[LEFT]** and **[RIGHT]** arrow keys to select between the available settings. Use the **[UP]** and **[DOWN]** keys to adjust the different settings and to select between the two modes.

#### NORMAL MODE

This is the default mode. In this mode all tracks of the pattern share the same length and time signature. This screen will appear when the **NORMAL** setting is active.



The first two settings control the step length of the pattern. The leftmost number selects the number of steps in the pattern. The maximum number of steps available to the pattern is determined by the total length, set by parameter to the right. This can be either 16, 32, 48 or 64 steps. If 17 steps or more are used in a pattern, the **[PAGE]** key is, while in GRID RECORDING mode, used to toggle between the different pattern pages.

The rightmost parameter controls the time signature of the pattern. It offers seven possible settings, 1/8X, 1/4X, 1/2X, 3/4X, 1X, 3/2X and 2X. A setting of 1/8X will play back the pattern at one eighth of the set tempo. 3/4X plays the pattern back at three quarters of the tempo. 3/2X will play back the pattern twice as fast as the 3/4X setting. 2X will make the pattern play at twice the BPM.



- Trigs are automatically copied when extending the length of a pattern. If a pattern consists of for example two pages and the pattern length is increased to four pages, the two added pattern pages will be copies of the first two pattern pages.
- Press the [PAGE] key for quickly changing the total length of the pattern. Press the [TRIG] keys to quickly change the number of steps of the pattern.
- A 2X time signature setting is useful for increasing the base resolution of the step sequencer to 32nd notes. A 3/4X setting is useful when Analog Rytm is playing alongside other instruments set to the same BPM and you want Analog Rytm to play triplets.

#### ADVANCED MODE

In this mode the tracks of the pattern can be assigned individual lengths. Select ADVANCED mode by navigating to the SCALE column using the **[LEFT]** arrow key. Select **ADVANCED** by using the **[DOWN]** arrow key. In ADVANCED mode, two columns exist, TRACK and MASTER.

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The TRACK column sets the step length of the track. It works just like setting the pattern length in NORMAL mode. The settings will only affect the active track. Press the **[TRACK]** keys to select the track whose scale settings will be edited.

The MASTER column is only available in ADVANCED mode. Here the master length, the master change length and the general time signature of the pattern are set.

**LEN** controls the amount of steps the pattern will play before all tracks are restarted. An INF setting will make the tracks of the pattern loop infinitely, without ever being restarted. Note that this setting also affects for how long the active pattern will play before a chained pattern will start playing. This can be overridden by the **CHNG** parameter.

**CHNG** controls for how long the active pattern will play before a cued or chained pattern will begin to play. This setting is important when for example **LEN** is set to INF. If no **CHNG** setting

is made, the pattern will play infinitely and the next pattern will thus not be cued. But if **CHNG** for instance is set to 64, the pattern will behave like a pattern consisting of 64 steps in terms of cueing and chaining.

MASTER SCALE is the rightmost setting. It sets the general time signature of the pattern.



• If INF is selected the active pattern will play infinitely, making it impossible to change to another pattern (when SEQUENTIAL pattern play mode is used).



• Press [FUNCTION] + [UP]/[DOWN] to set the MASTER LENGTH in increments of 16.

# SEQUENCER FEATURES

#### PARAMETER LOCKS

Parameter locks enable all trigs to have their own unique parameter values. The note trigs of a drum track can have, for example, different pitch, amp or filter settings. All parameters found on the PARAMETER pages are possible to parameter lock and parameter locks can be applied to all types of tracks. Additionally, all settings on the TRIG page may be locked (see "TRIG MENU" on page 36). For a complete overview of all parameters on the PARAMETER pages, check out "Appendix A: DRUM TRACK PARAMETERS".

To apply parameter locks in GRID RECORDING mode, press and hold the **[TRIG]** key of a trig. Adjust the parameters you want to lock using the **DATA ENTRY** knobs. The graphics in LCD will become inverted for the locked parameter and the locked parameter value will be displayed. The <TRIG> LED of the locked trig will begin to flash rapidly, indicating the trig now contains a parameter lock. Remove a single parameter lock by holding **[TRIG]** + pressing the **DATA ENTRY** knob of the locked parameter. By removing a note trig and entering it again, all parameter locks will be erased from the trig.

In LIVE RECORDING mode, turning a **DATA ENTRY** knob will input parameter locks to the active track. Note trigs will be locked accordingly and trigless locks containing the locks will be placed on the sequencer steps not containing note trigs.

To remove the parameter locks of all tracks while LIVE RECORDING mode is active, press and hold **[FUNC-TION] + [NO/RELOAD]**. Sound locks will, however, not be erased.

Press **[NO/RELOAD]** + one (or several) of the **[PADS]** in order to erase a sequence of recorded trigs on a specific track (or on several tracks) in time with the sequencer, i.e. all steps reached on the pattern playing will be erased, until the keys are released. Sound locks will not be erased.

Remove specific parameter locks in real time by pressing **[NO/RELOAD]** while pressing the **DATA ENTRY** knob corresponding to the parameter that will be removed.



• Up to 72 different parameters can be locked in a pattern. A parameter counts as one (1) locked parameter no matter how many trigs that lock it. If for example the cutoff parameter of the filter is locked on every sequencer step, there are still 71 other parameters that can be locked.

#### SOUND LOCKS

All drum Sounds in the Sound pool of the active project can be changed per sequencer step. Press and hold a note trig and turn the *LEVEL* knob. The Sound pool list will appear. Scroll the list using the *LEVEL* knob, select the Sound you want to assign to the note trig and then release the **[TRIG]** key. The <TRIG> LED will start to flash. Press and hold the **[TRIG]** key of the note trig to show the assigned Sound.



• Remember, all Sounds may not be voiced by all tracks. If a Sound in the list is incompatible with the active track it may not be sound locked. When browsing the Sound pool, Sounds that are incompatible with the active track are shown with a flashing (!) symbol on the LCD screen. As are empty Sound pool slots.



• The first position in the Sound pool list, titled TRACK SOUND, is the default selection. It will play the corresponding track Sound of the active kit.

#### TRIG MUTE

The TRIG MUTE screen allows you to add mute masks on a sequencer pattern. Each track can have its own trig mute trigs. Open the menu by pressing **[FUNCTION]** + **[BANK A/E]**.



Enter trig mute trigs by pressing the **[TRIG]** keys. While on the TRIG MUTE screen, the trigs entered will mute any trigs placed on the active track, given the trigs are located on the same sequencer steps. The steps containing note trigs will be shown with dimly lit <TRIG> LEDs above their **[TRIG]** keys.



- Trig mutes can be quickly added to note trigs or trigless locks. Keep the note trig or trigless lock pressed and press [BANK A/E]. A trig mute trig will automatically be placed on the same sequencer step as the note trig/trigless lock.
- Press a note trig/trigless lock to quickly see if a trig mute trig is placed on the same sequencer step as the trig. If that is the case, the <BANK A/E> LED will light up.
- Trig mutes are good for experimenting with the feel of tracks when playing live. The last eight steps of a bass line track could for example be muted to build suspense.

#### ACCENT

Adding accent trigs is useful for quickly changing the velocity for chosen steps of a track. Accent level is a destination for modulation, which means it can be affected by, for example, LFOs. Open the ACCENT menu by pressing **[FUNCTION]** + **[BANK B/F]**.



Select the track that will be affected by pressing the corresponding **[TRACK]** key. Select the accent value by turning the *LEVEL* knob. The higher the value, the more accentuation will be added to accent trigs.

While the ACCENT menu is open, the sequencer will display accent trigs. Place or remove accent trigs by pressing the **[TRIG]** keys. If an accent trig is placed on the same sequencer step as a note trig, the note trig will be accentuated.

- A note trig can be quickly accented. Keep the note trig pressed and press [BANK B/F]. An accent trig will automatically be placed on the same sequencer step as the note trig.
- Press a note trig/trigless lock to quickly see if an accent trig is placed on the same sequencer step as the trig. If that is the case, the <BANK B/F> LED will light up.

#### SWING

Adjust the swing setting of the pattern, in order to employ a propulsive, rhythmic groove. Access this menu by pressing **[FUNCTION] + [BANK C/G]**.



Set the SWING ratio to 51-80%, by turning the *LEVEL* knob or by pressing **[ARROW]** keys **[UP]** or **[DOWN]**. The default setting is equal spacing, 50%. Customize the swing pattern, shown by lit <TRIG> LEDs, using the **[TRIG]** keys.

#### SLIDE

The PARAMETER SLIDE menu makes it possible for the parameter values of two separate note trigs or trigless locks of a track to slide between each other. Open the menu by pressing **[FUNCTION] + [BANK D/H]**. When this menu is active and **[TRIG]** keys are pressed, slide trigs will be placed on the sequencer.



For a parameter value to slide between two trigs, it needs to be locked on one of the trigs. A locked parameter value will slide to the unlocked value and vice versa. To make the parameter value slide, place a slide trig on the same sequencer step as the trig whose parameters you want to slide. The speed of the slide is relative to the current tempo and the slide is completed when the next trig is reached. Several parameter values can slide at the same time.

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- Parameter slides can be quickly added to note trigs or trigless locks. Keep the note trig or trigless lock pressed and press [BANK D/H]. A parameter slide trig will automatically be placed on the same sequencer step as the note trig/trigless lock.
- Press a note trig/trigless lock to quickly see if a parameter slide trig is placed on the same sequencer step as the trig. If that is the case, the <BANK D/H> LED will light up.

#### COPY, PASTE AND CLEAR OPERATIONS

Patterns, track pages, tracks and trigs can be copied, pasted and cleared.

The active pattern can be copied to either another location in the same bank or to a location in another bank. To perform a pattern copy operation, GRID RECORDING mode must be inactivated. Copy the pattern by pressing **[FUNCTION] + [REC]**. Select another pattern and paste the copied pattern to this location by pressing **[FUNCTION] + [STOP]**. The operation can be undone by pressing **[FUNCTION] + [STOP]** again. Clear a pattern by pressing **[FUNCTION] + [PLAY]**. Undo the operation by repeating the button presses.

After selecting a pattern, and before releasing any key, **[REC]**, **[PLAY]** and **[STOP]** can be pressed to copy, clear or paste patterns.

Individual sequencer tracks can be copied, pasted and cleared in the same way as patterns. To do so, GRID RECORDING mode needs to be active.

A single track page may also be copied, pasted and cleared. It is similar to copying/pasting/clearing a track, but will only affect the active track page. GRID RECORDING mode needs to be active. Select the track page of choice by pressing the **[PAGE]** key. Copy by pressing **[PAGE]** + **[REC]**. Select a new track page and press **[PAGE]** + **[STOP]** to paste. Undo by pressing **[PAGE]** + **[STOP]** again. Press **[PAGE]** + **[PLAY]** to clear the active track page. Undo the operation by repeating the button presses.

Trigs, complete with all parameter lock settings, can be copied, pasted and cleared as well. GRID RECORDING mode needs to be active to access this functionality. Press and hold a trig and press **[REC]** to perform the copy operation. Paste by holding another **[TRIG]** key and pressing **[STOP]**. It is also possible to copy more than one trig. Hold several trigs and press **[REC]**. The trig first pressed will act as the starting point. When pasting, the other copied trigs will be placed in relation to this trig. Paste the copied sequence of trigs by holding another **[TRIG]** key and pressing **[STOP]**. Clear trig locks by holding one or more trigs and press **[PLAY]**.

#### QUICK SAVE AND RELOAD COMMANDS

Kits, Sounds, tracks, patterns and songs can instantly be saved and reloaded. When reloading, settings will revert to their saved state.

To quick save a kit, press **[YES/SAVE]** + **[FX]**. This command is the same as the **SAVE KIT** command found in the KIT menu, covered on page 19.

To quick save the track Sound of the active track, press **[YES/SAVE]** + **[MUTE]**. This command is the same as the **STORE TRACK SOUND** command found in the SOUND MANAGER menu, covered on page 25.

To quick save a track, press **[YES/SAVE]** + **[CHROMATIC]**. The operation is the same as the **SAVE TRACK** command, covered on page 42.

To quick save the active pattern, press **[YES/SAVE] + [SCENE]**. The operation is the same as the **SAVE PAT-TERN** command, covered on page 36. This is useful in order to create a restore point before you start a session of live tweaking that might not turn out the way you want.

To quick save a song, press **[YES/SAVE] + [PERFORMANCE]**. The command is the same as the **SAVE** command found in the SONG menu, covered on page 45.

To quick reload a kit, press **[NO/RELOAD] + [FX]**. This command is the same as the **RELOAD KIT** command found in the KIT menu, covered on page 19. This is useful live after a kit has been subject to improvised changes.

To quick reload the track Sound of the active track, press **[NO/RELOAD] + [MUTE]**. This is the same as kit reload, but only on the active track (not all tracks).

To quick reload a track, press **[NO/RELOAD] + [CHROMATIC]**. The operation is the same as the **RELOAD TRACK** command, covered on page 42.

To quick reload the active pattern, press **[NO/RELOAD]** + **[SCENE]**. The operation is the same as the **RELOAD PATTERN** command, covered on page 36. Only useful until another pattern is selected, as an undo operation after live changes.

To quick reload a song, press **[NO/RELOAD] + [PERFORMANCE]**. The command is the same as the **RELOAD** command found in the SONG menu, covered on page 45.

# **CHAINS AND SONGS**

Chains are sequences that consist of one or more patterns. Chains are used to form songs.

256 pattern entries are available to the 64 chains. For example, one chain can consist of 256 patterns or two chains can consist of 128 patterns each. In most scenarios, however, using 2-8 patterns in a chain will be enough.

One song is always active and worked on. Songs contain two main forms of entries, song rows and a scratch pad row. The active song row is visible in the bottom left part of the LCD. If a scratch pad row is active, the graphics will show "\_\_\_:". The scratch pad row is by default placed at the beginning of the song, before any actual song rows.

Each song row contains a chain. These entries are saved together with the song. The scratch pad row also contains a chain or a pattern and is also saved as part of the song. The intended purpose of the scratch pad row is to enable experimentation with chains and patterns without affecting already programmed song rows.

# **CHAINS**

If the active song row or scratch pad row contains a chain, all patterns in the chain will be played when activating the CHAIN mode by pressing **[CHAIN MODE]**. When deactivating the mode, and SONG mode is not active, the currently active pattern will be played over and over. The currently active pattern, and any other patterns in the chain, are visible in the lower left corner of the LCD screen.

Chains can be created even if CHAIN mode is deactivated. When creating chains this way, two methods exist: detailed chain mode and quick chain mode. Create chains according to detailed mode by pressing [CHAIN MODE] + [LEFT]/[RIGHT] to move the chain cursor. It can either be placed before a pattern, on a pattern, or after a pattern. If the cursor is placed before a pattern and a new pattern is selected by pressing [BANK X/X] + [TRIG], the selected pattern will be inserted before the pattern located after the cursor. If the cursor is highlighting a pattern and a new pattern is selected, the highlighted pattern will be replaced. When activating CHAIN mode, the patterns in the chain will be played in sequence. The chain will be looped once the final pattern of the chain has played. To create chains in quick mode, press and holding [BANK X/X] and then press the [TRIG] keys in the same order as you want the chained patterns to play. Please note that the previous chain will be erased when creating a chain using quick chain mode.

Pressing [CHAIN MODE] + [NO/RELOAD] will, depending on the location of the chain cursor, either erase the pattern located before the cursor or the one highlighted by it.

Pressing **[FUNCTION]** + **[CHAIN MODE]** will create a new, blank, scratch pad row. The scratch pad row will at the same time be moved down one step in the song row list, which can be seen when opening the SONG EDIT menu. The content of the previous scratch pad row will be added as song row 00.

CHAIN mode is ideal when improvising live. When CHAIN mode is deactivated and only the active
pattern is looping, create a chain and then activate CHAIN mode. At any time, exit CHAIN mode to
loop one pattern only. Add and remove patterns to create a completely new chain and activate
CHAIN mode again. By creating new chains through pressing [FUNCTION] + [CHAIN MODE],
improvised songs can quickly be created.

# SONGS

Songs are essentially patterns and chains structured to form a long sequence. To enter SONG mode, press the **[SONG MODE]** key. The <SONG> LED will light up, indicating SONG mode is active. The active song will start to play, row by row. If the active song row is the scratch pad row, song row 00 will be played afterwards, given the scratch pad row has not been moved within the song. The currently playing song row is shown in the lower left corner of the LCD screen.

#### SONG EDIT MENU

Songs are created in the SONG EDIT menu, which is accessed by pressing [FUNCTION] + [SONG MODE].



Songs are played row by row, starting from the top and moving towards the bottom. If a song row contains a chain, all patterns in the chain will play before the song play position moves to the next row. The song play position is shown with inverted pattern number graphics. In the top right corner of the LCD screen the BPM and the amount of played bars and beats is shown.

To navigate between song rows as well as patterns assigned to the song rows, use the **[ARROW]** keys. When the song cursor highlights a pattern position, the pattern number becomes enclosed by a square. When the song cursor is placed before or after a pattern, it will form a thin line.

To start playing a Song from the beginning, double-press **[STOP]**. The song play position will automatically be moved to the first pattern of the first song row, which normally is the scratch pad row. Songs can however start playing from any pattern position. Highlight a pattern position by moving the song cursor using the **[ARROW]** keys. Press **[YES/SAVE]** to select this position. The graphics will become inverted, indicating this is the song play position. Press **[PLAY]** to start playing the Song from this position.



Copy, paste and clear commands can be executed on the song rows.

#### ADDING SONG ROWS AND ASSIGNING PATTERNS AND CHAINS

Press **[FUNCTION]** + **[YES/SAVE]** to add a song row. The new song row will be inserted below the row on which the cursor is, and the pattern A01 will automatically be assigned to the new row. To assign another pattern to the song row, use the **[ARROW]** keys to move the song cursor so the pattern assigned to the row becomes highlighted and then press a **[BANK X/X]** key + a **[TRIG]** key. In general, the pattern assigning procedure is the same as when selecting a pattern, covered in the section "SELECTING A PATTERN" on page 31.

To add a chain to a song row, select a song row and press the **[RIGHT]** arrow key. The song cursor will move from the pattern position and form a thin, standing line. Press a **[BANK X/X]** key + a **[TRIG]** key to select the pattern that will be added to the chain.

Remove a pattern in a chain by highlighting it with the song cursor and pressing [FUNCTION] + [NO/RELOAD].

If a song row contains a chain, individual patterns can be rearranged in the chain. Select the pattern by highlighting it with the song cursor and press **[FUNCTION]** + **[LEFT]**/**[RIGHT]**.

Move a song row up or down in the song by moving the song cursor to the song row and pressing **[FUNCTION]** + **[UP]**/**[DOWN]**.

Erase a song row, one pattern at a time, by pressing **[FUNCTION] + [NO/RELOAD]** repeatedly (can not be done on the scratch pad row).

#### ADDING REPEATS AND MUTES

Various extra information can be entered for song rows and the pattern or patterns assigned to the song rows.

Repeat a song row a chosen number of times by moving to the leftmost position of the song row with the cursor. Turn **DATA ENTRY** knob **A** to select how many times the song row will be repeated.



You can selectively mute tracks of any pattern while in song edit mode. First, make sure MUTE mode is on. If not, press [MUTE] and make sure the adjacent LED is fully lit. Then, in the song editor, place the cursor on the pattern you wish to mute tracks on using the [ARROW] keys and press [YES/SAVE]. Press and hold the [SONG MODE] key + press the [PADS] of the drum tracks you wish to mute.



The mute graphics on the bottom right of the LCD screen will show the muted tracks with a (-) symbol. Unmuted tracks are shown as squares. To mute tracks of another pattern in the song, simply move the cursor to that pattern using the **[ARROW]** keys and press **[YES/SAVE]**. Song mutes are pattern specific. Different patterns can have different song muted tracks. Note that it is the pattern at a specific position in the song which will be affected: if, for example, pattern A01 is used in multiple places in the song and the top left instance of it is being track muted, all other instances of pattern A01 will remain unchanged. To mute the tracks of another pattern position, simply place the cursor on top of it, press **[YES/SAVE]** and add mutes as instructed above. In addition to being shown on the LCD screen, muted tracks in a song are also shown with dimly lit green color <PADS> when a pattern is highlighted. Unmuted tracks will, as in regular MUTE mode, exhibit green color <PADS>.



When a song contains programmed mutes, the LED adjacent to the [MUTE] key and the LEDs adjacent to the [SONG MODE] and [CHAIN MODE] keys will be dimly lit, whether any of these modes are active or not. This feature is intended to help show that there are active song mutes in one of the patterns. Additionally, whenever a pattern containing song mutes is selected, and MUTE mode is active, the <PADS> sporting programmed mutes will exhibit a dim green color (unless the song muted tracks are already muted in regular MUTE mode, in which case the <PADS> will simply be unlit).

• Even outside of SONG EDIT, song mutes may be instantly added to any track of the active pattern in a chain or song. Just activate MUTE mode by pressing the [MUTE] key. Then, as in SONG EDIT, press and hold [SONG MODE] and tap the [PADS] of the tracks you wish to mute.

# SONG MENU

In the SONG menu, songs can be saved, loaded renamed et cetera. Access the menu by pressing [FUNCTION] + [PERFORMANCE].



**RELOAD** will reload the active song. It will be restored to its saved version. Press **[NO/ RELOAD]** + **[SONG]** for a shortcut to this command.

**LOAD** will open a menu where saved songs can be loaded. The active song is shown with inverted graphics.

**SAVE** will save the active song to one of the 16 song slots. The active song is shown with inverted graphics. Press **[YES/SAVE]** + **[SONG]** for a shortcut to this command.

CLEAR will clear the active song from all content.

**EDIT** will open the EDIT menu. It is the same menu as accessed by pressing **[FUNCTION] + [SONG MODE]**. See page 43 for more info about this menu.

**RENAME** will open a menu where the active song can be renamed.

# GLOBALMENU

The GLOBAL menu offers settings that affect Analog Rytm on a global level. Global sequencer, MIDI and track routing settings are made here. Up to four Global slots are available, each with its own individual settings.

Access the menu by pressing **[FUNCTION] + [TRACK]**. Scroll the list by using **[UP]/[DOWN]** or the *LEVEL* knob. Open a highlighted menu by pressing **[YES/SAVE]**.



# PROJECT

Here projects are managed. This menu is covered in the section "PROJECTS" on page 17.

# SAMPLES

Manage your samples here. On the main screen, seen below, you can access one of two main directories, FAC-TORY or INCOMING. In the FACTORY directory, several preset samples can be found in one of the ten subdirectories. The INCOMING directory, on the other hand, is the default destination for samples sent to the Analog Rytm +Drive storage via the C6 utility software. Press **[YES/SAVE]** to open a directory.



To open a subdirectory, simply highlight it using the **[ARROW]** keys and press **[YES/SAVE]**. To exit a directory, select the item labelled ".." at the very top of the screen and press **[YES/SAVE]**. Do this repeatedly to return to the top of the directory hierarchy. In order to discern directories from sample files, all directories, including the directory exit row, "..", are labelled with a (D) at the very end of the row. When browsing a directory in the +Drive, a sample assigned to one of the 127 sample slots of the active project will have its slot number shown within brackets, as seen below.

	(D)
l Kick Dusty	[1] [[
j Kick Fresh	(2) 🕺
Kick Hit	(23) (53)

#### LOADING, UNLOADING OR REPLACING A SAMPLE

The following is an example of how to load one or several of the preset samples to the active project. First, open the FACTORY directory. Second, open the PERCUSSION directory (the seventh item in the list). Here, highlight

the first sample, "Agogo High" and press **[YES/SAVE]** to tick it. Browse the list and tick a few other samples. Press the **[RIGHT]** arrow key. A menu will appear on the right side of the screen.

	SELECT ALL 🗌
Alaogo High	!DESELECT ALL
ј Адодо Сон	LOAD TO PROJ 🜷
Bell Gentle	RENAHE

Select LOAD TO PROJECT and press **[YES/SAVE]**. The samples you selected (ticked) will now appear in the first available empty slots out of the 127 user sample slots of the active project. To view the user samples currently in the RAM of the active project, press the **[LEFT]** arrow key twice. This will bring up the left side menu.

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Select VIEW RAM and press **[YES/SAVE]**. A list will appear, showing all 127 user sample slots. A circle at the very right end of the row means that the sample is currently unused in the active project.

008:Rinshot Elektrik	×
009:Rixshot Loose	• <u>8</u> ,
i 010:Rixshot Hetal	• %i
011:Rinshot Quick	

On this screen, the 127 user samples may be unloaded individually or collectively in order to empty the slots. Scroll the list using the **[ARROW]** keys **[UP]/[DOWN]** or the *LEVEL* knob. Press **[YES/SAVE]** to tick individual samples, or bring up the right hand menu by pressing **[RIGHT]** and choose SELECT ALL. On the right hand menu, select UNLOAD to empty the slots of the ticked samples.

2043:Rapap High	SELECT ALL
044:Bell Huffled	DESELECT ALL
j 045:8ell úvick 🗌	REPLACE
046:Bongo Hid	UNLOAD

Any sample in the RAM may be individually replaced. Simply highlight the slot containing the sample you wish to replace, open the right hand menu by pressing **[RIGHT]** and select REPLACE. Browse the directories of the +Drive, locate the desired sample and press **[YES/SAVE]** to place it in the previously highlighted sample slot. If you wish to go back to browsing the +Drive storage directories, press **[LEFT]** twice and select VIEW +DRIVE.

#### **RECIEVING A SAMPLE FROM A COMPUTER**

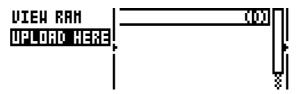
Set up a USB connection between the computer and the Analog Rytm. Make sure the Analog Rytm is switched on. Open the Elektron C6 utility software on the computer. Drag and drop the samples to the main C6 window. Click on the samples you want to transfer with the mouse pointer to highlight them. Click on the send icon to send the selected samples to the designated destination directory (the default directory, if no other is set, is called INCOMING) in the +Drive storage of the Analog Rytm.

The time of the transfer depends wholly on the size of the samples. Note that the samples transferred will remain in the destination directory of the +Drive. In order to use them, they need to be loaded to the active project (see instruction LOADING A SAMPLE TO A PROJECT above and substitute FACTORY directory with INCOMING - or another - destination directory).

The Analog Rytm supports reception of samples via MIDI Sample Dump Standard (SDS) and Extended SDS. The Elektron C6 supports this. You need to enable SDS Handshake in order to secure the transmission over fast interfaces like USB MIDI, and you also need to enable the transmission of the Extended SDS header if you want the sample name to be sent to the machine (if not, the samples will simply be named 1, 2, 3... and so on in the destination directory of the Analog Rytm). In C6 version 1.5 these settings are found in the config window.

#### **CREATING A NEW DESTINATION DIRECTORY**

On the main screen, press **[ARROW]** key **[RIGHT]** to access the right side menu. Select CREATE DIR to create a new directory by pressing **[YES/SAVE]**. A naming screen will appear. See section "THE NAMING SCREEN" on page 10. Give your new destination directory an appropriate name. Once the new directory has appeared on the main screen, open it by pressing **[YES/SAVE]**. In the initially empty directory, press **[ARROW]** key **[LEFT]** to open the left side menu. Highlight UPLOAD HERE and press **[YES/SAVE]**.



Consequently, samples sent from a computer will be written into the new destination directory. Note that any directory or subdirectory can be set to be the destination directory in a similar manner, accessing the left side menu, except for the FACTORY directory which is write-protected. Any directory (again, except the FACTORY directory) may be deleted or renamed by highlighting it, accessing the right hand menu and selecting DELETE DIR or RENAME.



- Make sure you have the latest version of the SysEx utility software C6 installed on your computer in order to efficiently and reliably transfer samples to the Analog Rytm +Drive storage. The C6 software can be freely and conveniently downloaded from the Elektron website.
- Please note that the Analog Rytm will not appear as an icon on your computer desktop. Use the c6 software for all transfers.
- If MIDI+USB is selected in the INPUT FROM and/or OUTPUT TO settings on the MIDI PORT CON-FIG menu (see below), MIDI data transfers will limit the USB speed. When sending or receiving large chunks of data, make sure you use only the USB setting.

# **GLOBAL SLOT**

Selects which of the four Global slots to use. Select the active slot by using the **[LEFT]/[RIGHT]** arrow keys. Press **[YES/SAVE]** to confirm the selection. All changes made to a Global slot are automatically saved. A slot stores the current configuration of the sequencer, MIDI and track routing settings. All changes made to a Global slot are automatically saved.

# SYNTH CONFIG

Analog Rytm calibration settings are found here.



**CALIBRATION** will start the calibration routine for the oscillators and filters. After selecting this option, a popup window asking to confirm the calibration will appear. Press **[YES/SAVE]** to proceed with the calibration. Please note that the calibration routine takes a while to complete.



- Analog Rytm is factory calibrated. It should not be re-calibrated unless specifically stated by Elektron Support.
- Before calibrating, it is important that the unit has been turned on for at least two hours in order to attain working temperature.

# **SEQUENCER CONFIG**

Here settings relating to the sequencer can be found. Change settings by using the **[LEFT]/[RIGHT]** arrow keys or the **[YES/SAVE]** key.



**QUANTIZE LIVE REC** will when active quantize notes entered in LIVE RECORDING mode to complete sequencer steps. When the setting is deactivated, live recorded notes will where applicable be affected by micro timing. Read more about micro timing in the section "TRIG MENU" on page 36.

**KIT RELOAD ON CHG** will cause kits to reload to their saved state automatically as soon as a new kit becomes active. This is useful if you for example play live, have tweaked a kit extensively and want it to return to its saved state automatically next time it becomes active again. This behavior will be familiar to all who are used to the MachineDrum and the MonoMachine.

# **MIDI CONFIG**

In this menu various sub-menus dealing with the MIDI functionality of Analog Rytm are found.



#### MIDI SYNC

Controls how Analog Rytm receives and sends MIDI clock and transport commands. Change settings by using the **[LEFT]/[RIGHT]** arrow keys or the **[YES/SAVE]** key.



**CLOCK RECEIVE** will when active make Analog Rytm respond to MIDI clock sent from external devices.

CLOCK SEND will when active make Analog Rytm transmit MIDI clock.

**TRANSPORT RECEIVE** will when active make Analog Rytm respond to system realtime messages like play, stop, continue and song position pointer. **TRANSPORT SEND** will when active make Analog Rytm send out system realtime messages like play, stop, continue and song position pointer.

**PRG CH RECEIVE** will when active make Analog Rytm respond to incoming program change messages, which is useful when wanting to select patterns externally. The MIDI channel that will listen to incoming program change messages is set in the MIDI CHANNELS menu, covered on page 52.

**PRG CH SEND** will when active send program change messages when patterns are changed. The MIDI channel that will send program change messages is set in the MIDI CHANNELS menu, covered on page 52.

#### **MIDI PORT CONFIG**

MIDI port related settings are found in this menu. Change settings by using the [LEFT]/[RIGHT] arrow keys.



**TURBO SPEED** press **[YES/SAVE]** to start the turbo speed negotiation. Speed is chosen automatically.

OUT PORT FUNCTIONALITY selects what type of signal the MIDI OUT port will send.

• MIDI makes it possible for the port to send out MIDI data.

• DIN 24 will make the port send DIN 24 sync pulses. No MIDI data can be sent on the port when this option is selected.

• DIN 48 will make the port send DIN 48 sync pulses. No MIDI data can be sent on the port when this option is selected.

**THRU PORT FUNCTIONALITY** selects what type of signal the MIDI THRU port will send. The settings are the same as for **OUT PORT FUNCTIONALITY**.

**INPUT FROM** selects the source Analog Rytm will receive MIDI data from.

- DISABLED will make Analog Rytm disregard any incoming MIDI data.
- MIDI will make Analog Rytm listen only to MIDI data sent to the MIDI IN port.
- USB will make Analog Rytm listen only to MIDI data sent to the USB port.
- MIDI+USB will make Analog Rytm listen to MIDI data sent to both the MIDI IN and USB ports.

**OUTPUT TO** selects the destination to which Analog Rytm will send MIDI data.

- DISABLED will stop Analog Rytm from sending out any MIDI data.
- MIDI will make Analog Rytm send MIDI data to the MIDI OUT port only.
- USB will make Analog Rytm send MIDI data to the USB port only.

• MIDI+USB will make Analog Rytm send MIDI data to both the MIDI OUT and USB ports.



 If MIDI+USB is selected in the INPUT FROM and/or OUTPUT TO settings, MIDI data transfers will limit the USB speed. When sending or receiving large chunks of data, make sure you use only the USB setting.

**OUTPUT CH** selects whether the **[PADS]** and the knobs will send data on the auto channel or the track channel.

**PARAM OUTPUT** selects what type of MIDI messages the **DATA ENTRY** knobs will send. For information about which CC/NRPN parameters that will be sent, please see "Appendix C: MIDI".

- NRPN will make the knobs send out NRPN MIDI messages.
- CC will make the knobs send out CC MIDI messages.

**ENCODER DEST** controls whether the **DATA ENTRY** and **LEVEL** knobs will send MIDI data or not. When set to INT, no MIDI data will be sent.

**PAD DEST** controls whether the **[PADS]** will send MIDI data or not. When set to INT, no MIDI data will be sent.

**PRESSURE DEST** controls whether varying pressure applied to the **[PADS]** will send MIDI data or not. When set to INT, no MIDI data will be sent.

**MUTE DEST** controls whether activating/deactivating mutes will send MIDI data or not. When set to INT, no MIDI data will be sent.

**RECEIVE NOTES** will, when active, make it possible to play Analog Rytm using an external MIDI keyboard.

**RECEIVE CC/NRPN** will when active make it possible to control Analog Rytm parameters from an external MIDI device sending CC/NRPN data.

#### MIDI CHANNELS

This menu handles the MIDI channel configuration.



**TRACK 1-12, FX** selects dedicated MIDI tracks that will control the drum and FX tracks. An OFF setting will make the track disregard any incoming MIDI messages.

**PERF CHANNEL** selects the MIDI channel the knobs will send MIDI data on when PERFOR-MANCE mode is active.

**AUTO CHANNEL** selects the MIDI channel that will give access to the currently active track. If an external MIDI keyboard connected to Analog Rytm sends MIDI data on this channel, the keyboard will control the active track. This is useful when for example quickly changing between the active drum tracks to play different Sounds. **PROGRAM CHANGE IN CHANNEL** selects the MIDI channel that will listen for incoming program change messages. An AUTO setting will use the AUTO channel. Enable Analog Rytm to respond to program change messages in the MIDI SYNC menu, covered on page 50.

**PROGRAM CHANGE OUT CHANNEL** selects the MIDI channel that will send program change messages when changing patterns. An AUTO setting will use the AUTO channel. Enable Analog Rytm to send program change messages in the MIDI SYNC menu, covered on page 50.

### **TRACK ROUTING**

In this menu you can customize track routing. Use **[ARROW]** keys **[UP]** and **[DOWN]** to highlight one of the two options.



**ROUTE TO MAIN** highlight this option to customize which of the 12 tracks will send to the main output. Use the **[PADS]** to activate/deactivate send from the track of each corresponding pad. <PADS> of a green color send to main. Unlit <PADS> do not. Note that each track will still send to its individual output.

**ROUTE TO FX** highlight this option to customize the FX routing of the 12 tracks. Use the **[PADS]** to activate/deactivate each corresponding track for routing through the FX. <PADS> of a yellow color route to FX. Unlit <PADS> do not.

# SYSEX DUMP

In the SYSEX DUMP menu, kits, Sounds, patterns, songs and global slots can be sent and received. Note that Sample transfer is handled exclusively via the SAMPLES menu (see above). Select a menu option using **[UP]**/ **[DOWN]** or the *LEVEL* knob. Press **[YES/SAVE]** to open the highlighted menu selection.



When receiving or sending SysEx data, the MIDI ports or the USB port of Analog Rytm must be connected to the external sending/receiving device.



- If the Analog Rytm sends or receives SysEx data through the MIDI ports, use the Elektron TM-1 USB MIDI interface for up to 10x transfer speeds.
- If the external device is a computer, we recommend using our free SysEx utility C6, which can be downloaded from the Elektron website.

#### SYSEX SEND

Here kits, Sounds, patterns, songs and global slots can be sent to an external device via the MIDI OUT port or the USB port of Analog Rytm.



The column to the left selects what will be backed up. Select the column using the **[LEFT]** arrow key. Use the **[UP]/[DOWN]** keys or the *LEVEL* knob to scroll through the column. The SysEx data send alternatives located in the column to the right will change depending on the selection made in the left column. Press the **[RIGHT]** arrow key to access this column. Use the **[UP]/[DOWN]** keys or the *LEVEL* knob to select what will be sent. Press **[YES/SAVE]** to initiate the SysEx send procedure.

ALL offers the possibility to do complete backups of various data.

• WHOLE PROJECT will send all kits, Sounds, patterns, songs and global slots + settings to the receiving device. I.e. the complete project.

- ALL SOUNDS will send all Sounds to the receiving device.
- ALL KITS will send all kits to the receiving device.
- ALL PATTERNS will send all patterns to the receiving device.
- ALL SONGS will send all songs to the receiving device.
- ALL GLOBALS will send all global slots to the receiving device.
- ALL SETTINGS will send all settings to the receiving device.

**KIT** will send the selected kit to the receiving device. An asterisk at the end of the kit name indicates the kit is not linked to any pattern.

SOUND will send the selected Sound to the receiving device.

**PATTERN** will send the selected pattern to the receiving device. To the right of the pattern slot, the name of the kit linked to the pattern is visible. An asterisk indicates the pattern is not linked to a kit.

**PATTERN + KIT** will send the send the selected pattern plus its associated kit to the receiving device.

**SONG** will send the selected Song to the receiving device.

GLOBAL will send the selected Global slot to the receiving device.



- Backing up your data regularly is important!
- Before initiating a SysEx send, first make sure the receiving device is listening for data to be sent. If C6 is used, once transmission is complete, always check that none of the objects are broken!

#### SYSEX RECEIVE

Here kits, Sounds, patterns, songs and global slots can be received from an external device via the MIDI IN port or the USB port of Analog Rytm.



The column to the left selects what will be received. Select the column using the **[LEFT]** arrow key. Use the **[UP]/[DOWN]** keys or the *LEVEL* knob to scroll through the column. The SysEx data receive alternatives located in the column to the right will change depending on the selection made in the left column. Press the **[RIGHT]** arrow key to access this column. Use the **[UP]/[DOWN]** keys or the *LEVEL* knob to select what will be received. Press **[YES/SAVE]** to initiate the SysEx receive procedure. Analog Rytm will start listening to incoming data. Press **[NO/RELOAD]** to stop listening.

ANYTHING will listen to and receive any viable SysEx data sent.

KIT will exclusively listen to and receive kit data.

- ACTIVE KIT will when receiving kit SysEx data replace currently active kit with the received kit.
- KIT 01-128 will store a received kit to the selected kit slot. An asterisk at the end of the kit name indicates the kit is not linked to any pattern.

**SOUND POOL** will store a received Sound to the selected slot of the Sound Pool of the active project.

**+DRIVE SOUND** will store a received Sound to the selected slot of the +Drive Sound library. The option ANYWHERE will place the Sound in the first free slot available. To the right of the bank indication, the amount of free slots can be seen.

**PATTERN** will store a received pattern to the selected pattern slot. To the right of the pattern slot, the name of the kit linked to the pattern is visible. An asterisk indicates the pattern is not linked to a kit.

**SONG** will store a received song to the selected song slot.

GLOBAL will store a received global to the selected global slot.

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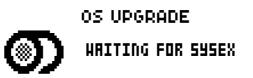
- Initiate the SysEx send from the sending device after Analog Rytm has started listening to incoming data.
- When receiving to a specific list position, any subsequent data will be received on the next position, or positions, in the list.
- Analog Rytm can receive SysEx data at any time, regardless of the currently active menu. The data will be loaded into the position specified when it was saved, or to the first free slot if unspecified.

# **OS UPGRADE**

This menu option is used when upgrading Analog Rytm OS. To send the OS syx file, use our free SysEx utility software C6. The OS syx file and the C6 software can be downloaded from the Elektron website.



Press [YES/SAVE] to make Analog Rytm start listening for incoming OS SysEx data.



If you wish to cancel the waiting state, press [NO/RELOAD].

For the transfer to be possible, the device sending the OS syx-file must be connected to either the MIDI IN or USB port of Analog Rytm.

Please note that the Analog Rytm will not appear as an icon on your computer desktop.

On your computer, download the OS syx file, open the C6 software. Drag the syx file to the C6 main window, then highlight it by pointing and clicking on it with the mouse pointer. Point and click on the "send" button in the top left corner of the C6 window.

When receiving the OS, a progress bar will be visible on the Analog Rytm LCD screen. Once the bar has been filled, the message "ERASING FLASH" will be shown on the screen, shortly followed by the message "WRITING FLASH". This takes a short while. When this process is successfully completed, the OS is updated and the unit reboots.



 If the Analog Rytm is receiving the OS upgrade through the MIDI ports, use the Elektron TM-1 USB MIDI interface for up to 10x transfer speeds.

# +DRIVE FORMAT

Offers the possibility to erase all content of the +Drive. Once you have made your choices using the **[LEFT]** or **[RIGHT]** arrow keys and confirmed by pressing **[YES/SAVE]**, a prompt will appear asking if the formatting procedure should be executed. Press **[YES/SAVE]** to proceed with the formatting.



**PROJECTS+SOUNDS** Erases all projects and Sounds. Tick/untick this box by pressing the **[LEFT]** or **[RIGHT]** arrow keys.

**SAMPLES** Erases all samples. Tick/untick this box by pressing the **[LEFT]** or **[RIGHT]** arrow keys.

# EARLY STARTUP MENU

To access this menu, hold down the **[FUNCTION]** key while powering up Analog Rytm. From here you can perform a variety of tasks. To choose the different alternatives, press the corresponding **[TRIG]** key.

		RYTM MENU
1		TEST MODE
2		EMPTY_RESET
3	•••	FACTORY RESET
ч	•••	OS UPGRADE

# **TEST MODE**

To enter this mode, press the first [TRIG] key.



• Warning: For testing purposes, a short loud beep is heard through all outputs of the unit.

If you have any trouble with your Analog Rytm and suspect it may be due to a hardware problem, perform this self test. No errors should be reported as shown below. If that is not the case, contact Elektron support or the retailer you bought Analog Rytm from. The **[UP]** and **[DOWN]** keys can be used to scroll through the test log.



# **EMPTY RESET**

To perform this operation, press the second **[TRIG]** key. All kits, patterns, Sounds and songs will be erased. The +Drive remains intact.

# FACTORY RESET

When performing a factory reset on the Analog Rytm it will overwrite and re-initialize the active RAM project (including all pattern, kit, sound pool and global data). The +Drive project slot 1 will be overwritten and re-initialized with factory preset patterns, kits, Sounds and settings. Sound bank A will be overwritten with the factory Sounds.

If you wish to keep the active project, remember to save it to a +Drive project slot higher than 1 before you perform a factory reset. To perform a factory reset, press the third **[TRIG]** key.

# **OS UPGRADE**

Initiate the OS upgrade by pressing the fourth **[TRIG]** key. Analog Rytm will enter a waiting stage, listening for incoming OS data, and "READY TO RECEIVE" will be shown on the LCD screen. For the transfer to be possible, the device sending the OS syx-file should be connected to the MIDI IN port of Analog Rytm. To send the OS syx file, use our free SysEx utility software C6. The OS syx file and the C6 software can be downloaded from the Elektron website.

USB MIDI transfers are not possible when in the EARLY START UP menu.

Please note that the Analog Rytm will not appear as an icon on your computer desktop.

On your computer, download the OS syx file, open the C6 software. Drag the syx file to the C6 main window, then highlight it by pointing and clicking on it with the mouse pointer. Point and click on the "send" button in the top left corner of the C6 window.

As the Analog Rytm receives the OS a progress bar will show how much of the OS has been received. When the transfer is finished the message "UPGRADING... DO NOT TURN OFF" appears. During the upgrade, the <TRIG> LEDs will light up one after another, first in a dimly lit cycle (erasing the old OS) and then in a second cycle with fully lit LEDs (writing the new OS). Please note that this takes a little while. When this process is finished the OS is updated, and the unit restarts.

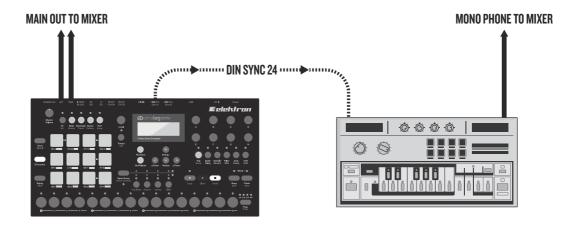


- When you send the OS syx file, use our free SysEx utility C6. It can be downloaded from the Elektron website.
- If the Analog Rytm receives the OS upgrade through the MIDI ports, use the Elektron TM-1 USB MIDI interface for up to 10x transfer speeds.

# SETUP EXAMPLES

The Analog Rytm likes to play with other machines. Whether it uses its ability to sync and play with legacy machines, plays its part among other Elektron machines or plays with incoming audio: Analog Rytm gets along with other gear. Three examples are shown here.

# ANALOG RYTM WITH A MONOPHONIC BASS MACHINE



The DIN sync capabilities of the Analog Rytm allows you to use gear from times gone by.

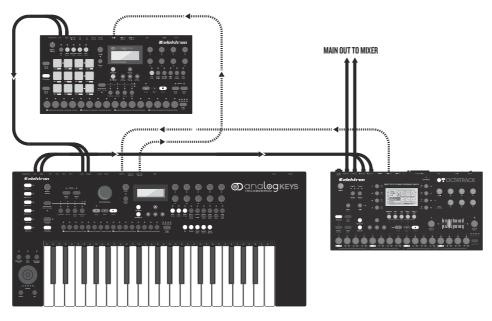
In this example, a legacy monophonic bass machine is used alongside the Analog Rytm. The bass machine bassline is started, stopped and tempo controlled with the Analog Rytm.

- 1. Prepare a bassline pattern on the bass machine.
- 2. Connect the output of the bass machine to the mixer using a standard phone cable.
- 3. Connect the Analog Rytm outputs to the mixer using standard phone cables.
- 4. Connect the MIDI Out of the Analog Rytm to the SYNC IN of the bass machine using a DIN connector.
- 5. On the MIDI PORT CONFIGURATION menu, in the GLOBAL menu of the Analog Rytm, use the setting DIN24 on the OUT PORT FUNCTIONALITY selector.



6. Prepare a rhythm on the Analog Rytm.

# ANALOG RYTM WITH OTHER ELEKTRON GEAR



Analog Rytm gets along with other broods of the Elektron breed. Here, it is used with an Octatrack and an Analog Keys.

In this example, the Analog Rytm creates the beats. The Analog Keys is used for bass and synth sounds. The Octatrack plays back loops and samples the audio from the Analog Rytm and the Analog Keys.

- 1. Connect the Analog Rytm main outputs to the Analog Keys inputs, the Analog Keys main outputs to one of the input pairs of the Octatrack, and the main outputs of the Octatrack to the PA. Use standard phone connectors.
- 2. Make sure the Analog machines are MIDI slaved to the Octatrack using two standard MIDI cables.
- 3. On the MIDI configuration menu, found in the GLOBAL menu on the Analog Rytm, ensure the MIDI SYNC has CLOCK RECEIVE and PROG CH RECEIVE activated.



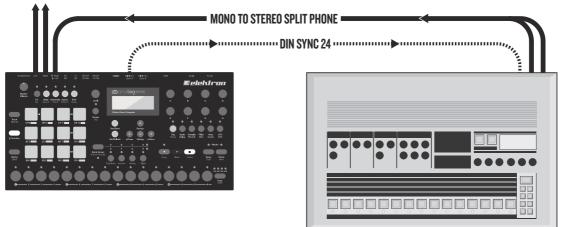
4. On the MIDI PORT CONFIGURATION menu, also in the GLOBAL menu, use the setting MIDI or MIDI+USB for the input port.



5. Use the internal effects of the Analog Keys on the incoming signal from the Analog Rytm. Make a performance macro on the Analog Keys controlling the desired FX parameters.

# ANALOG RYTM WITH A STEREOPHONIC DRUM MACHINE

MAIN OUT TO MIXER



Use the Analog Rytm compressor when you incorporate sounds from external instruments in your composition.

The following example shows how an heritage drum machine is hooked up to the Analog Rytm. The stereo output from the drum machine can be compressed to fit in nicely, and its patterns started, stopped and tempo controlled, using the Analog Rytm.

- 1. Prepare a rhythm pattern on your heritage drum machine.
- 2. Connect the stereo outputs of the drum machine to the inputs of the Analog Rytm using a mono to stereo split phone cord.
- 3. Connect the MIDI Out of the Analog Rytm to the SYNC of the drum machine.
- **4.** On the MIDI PORT CONFIGURATION menu, in the GLOBAL menu of the Analog Rytm, use the setting DIN24 on the OUT PORT FUNCTIONALITY selector.



5. Start the rhythm on the drum machine and access the COMPRESSOR of the Analog Rytm by pressing the **[FX]** key, then the fourth **[PARAMETER]** key.. Set the parameters according to taste.



6. Prepare a rhythm on the Analog Rytm.

# **TECHNICAL INFORMATION**

# SPECIFICATIONS

#### THE SEQUENCER

12 drum tracks 1 FX track Up to 64 steps per pattern Individual track lengths 127 user samples (per project) 12 Scenes (per kit) Trig mute, Accent, swing and slide functions Micro timing Parameter locks Chromatic mode Scene mode Performance mode Versatile and assignable Retrig Live friendly Performance mode Sound-per-step change Instant kit, pattern and Sound reload Full real-time control

#### STORAGE

128 projects (+Drive)
128 Kits (per project)
128 patterns (per project)
16 Songs (per project)
4096 sounds (+Drive Sound library)
128 Sounds (per project)
1GB sample storage (+Drive)
64 MB sample storage (per project)
127 user samples (per project)

#### MASTER EFFECTS

Analog Stereo Distortion Analog Stereo Compressor

SEND EFFECTS Delay Reverb

#### 8 x DRUM VOICE

Fully analog signal path

- 1 x analog percussion sound generator
- 1 × analog overdrive circuit
- 1 × 2-pole analog multi-mode filter
- 1 × analog stereo VCA
- 1 × filter envelope
- 1 × amp envelope
- 2 × effect sends
- 1 × assignable LFO
- 1 × dedicated LFO fade envelope
- 1 x 16-bit sample playback engine
- 1 x sample bitrate reduction

#### **ELECTRICAL SPECIFICATIONS**

Impedance balanced audio outputs: Main outputs level: +15 dBu

Output impedance: 440  $\Omega\,$  unbalanced

Headphones output: Headphones out level: +15 dBu

Output impedance:  $55\Omega$ Unbalanced audio inputs: Input level: +15 dBu maximum

Audio input impedance: 9 k $\Omega$ 

Individual Outputs: Output level: +15 dBu

Output Impedance: 440  $\Omega$ 

Unit power consumption: 14 W typical, 20 W maximum. Recommended power supply: PSU-3 or similar 12V DC, 2A

#### HARDWARE

12 synthetic rubber, pressure sensitive, backlit pads 122x32 pixel backlit LCD screen MIDI In/Out/Thru with DIN Sync out 2 x 1/4" impedance balanced audio out jacks 1 x 1/4" stereo audio in jack 1 x 1/4" stereo headphone jack 4 x 1/4" (TRS) paired individual track output jacks 48 kHz, 24-bit D/A and A/D converters Flash-EEPROM upgradable operating system Electrically isolated multi-functional USB 2.0 port

#### PHYSICAL SPECIFICATIONS

Sturdy steel casing Dimensions: W340 x D176 x H63mm (13.4" x 6.9" x 2.5") (including power switch, knobs and feet) Weight: approximately 2.4 kg (5.3 lbs)

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# Appendix A: DRUM TRACK PARAMETERS

This appendix lists the parameters on the five PARAMETER pages for the drum tracks and explains them. With one significant exception, each unique page contains the same parameters on all drum tracks. The exception is the SYNTH page, where parameters will vary depending on the MACHINE selected.

#### SYNTH

Controls the sound synthesis of the percussion generator. The default parameters for the **BD** track with the **BDHD** machine are shown here. For the SYNTH pages of other machines, see "Appendix D: MACHINES".

#### SYNTH (BDHD)



**TUN** (Tune) sets the pitch of the voltage controlled oscillator in chromatic semi-tones. To move faster, press the knob while turning it. Bipolar knob range (-64-+63).

**SWT** (Sweep Time) sets the pitch sweep time. Low values result in a short sweep, while high values result in a long sweep. Range (0-127).

**SNP** (Snap Amount) sets the amount of snap, an immediate pitch sweep at the start of the sound attack phase. Use together with TIC to shape the transient sound. Range (0-127).

**DEC** (Decay Time) sets the decay time of the sound. Low values mean a steep, quick decay while high values produce a more gentle slope and a sound of longer duration. Range (0-127).

**WAV** (Waveform) sets the voltage controlled oscillator waveform to sine, asymmetric sine or triangle. The three waveforms, in that order, produce sounds with increasing amounts of overtone content. (0, 1 or 2).

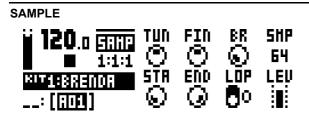
**HLD** (Hold Time) sets the hold time, the time before the decay phase kicks in. Low values correspond to short hold time, high values correspond to longer hold time. Use to shape the body of the drum sound. Range (0-127).

**TIC** (Tick Level) sets the level of the tick sound with increasing spectral definition. Use together with SNP to shape the transient sound. Range (0-127).

**LEV** (Level) sets the volume level of the whole SYNTH sound, so that it can be mixed with a sample in any proportions. Range (0-127).

#### SAMPLE

The parameters on this page control the playback of the user samples. A project has 127 user sample slots. Within each kit, these samples may be dynamically allocated, modulated and customized.



**TUN** (Tune) sets the pitch of the sample in equivalents of chromatic semitones. To move faster, press the knob while turning it. The knob works in a bipolar fashion, with 0, north, leaving the pitch unchanged. Range (-24-+24), equivalent to four octaves.

**FIN** (Fine Tune) fine tunes the pitch of the sample. This parameter is an offset from the TUN parameter. The knob works in a bipolar fashion. The whole range (-64-+63) spans one semitone down and one semitone up.

**BR** (Bit Reduction) increasing the value of this parameter decreases the resolution of the sample, making it more grainy. Use when you want the sound of your drum sample to punch dirty like the sound effects of classic coin-op fighting games. Range (0-127).

**SMP** (Sample Slot) turn this knob to browse the list of up to 127 samples loaded into the project. Turn the knob clockwise to scroll down the list, counterclockwise to scroll up. The first position, OFF, plays no sample at all. Range (OFF, 1-127).

**STA** (Start) sets the starting point for the playback of the sample. The extreme values of the range (0-120) are the very beginning and the very end of the sample, respectively. This is a codependent parameter and must be set together with END.

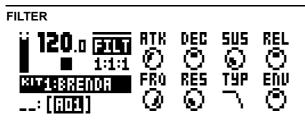
**END** (End) sets the end point for the playback of the sample. The extreme values of the range (0-120) are the very beginning and the very end of the sample, respectively. If the value of END is lower than the value of STA, the sample will be played back backwards.

**LOP** (Loop) when OFF, the sample will be played back once every time it is trigged. When ON, the sample will loop continuously for the length of the trig (set with LEN on the TRIG page), confined by the AMP page envelope parameter settings HLD and DEC. (1/0 - ON/OFF).

**LEV** (Level) sets the volume level of the sample playback, so that it can be mixed with a synthesized drum sound in any proportions. Range (0-127).

#### FILTER

On the FILTER page you will find all parameters that control the analog multimode filter and its associated envelope.



**ATK** (Attack Time) controls the attack time of the filter envelope. Range (0-127).

**DEC** (Decay Time) controls the decay time of the filter envelope. Range (0-127).

**SUS** (Sustain Level) controls the sustain level of the filter envelope. Range (0-127).

**REL** (Release Time) controls the release time of the filter envelope. Range (0-127)

**FRQ** (Frequency) controls the cutoff frequency of the multimode filter. Range (0-127).

**RES** (Resonance) sets the resonance behaviour of the filter. Resonance introduces a peak in the spectrum at the cutoff frequency. With the Bandstop filter type, there is a notch instead of a peak. The notch will be at its widest at the lowest Resonance setting. Range (0-127).

**TYP** (Filter Type) selects the filter type. Seven types are available: 2-pole Lowpass, 1-pole Lowpass, Bandpass, 1-pole Highpass, 2-pole Highpass, Bandstop, and Peak. Technically all of them are resonant 2-pole filters, but the 1-pole types have a flatter spectrum like simple 1-pole filters and are convenient for equalizer duties.

**ENV** (Envelope Depth) controls the amount of cutoff frequency modulation from the filter envelope. The knob is bipolar, meaning that both negative and positive modulation depth is available. Range (-64-+63)

#### AMP

The AMP page controls parameters for the amplitude envelope, the overdrive, the effects sends, panning and volume.



**ATK** (Attack Time) controls the attack time of the amp envelope. Range (0-127).

**HLD** (Hold Time) controls the hold time of the amp envelope, before the decay phase kicks in. Range (AUTO, 1-127). The AUTO setting means the hold phase is determined by the time the pad of the drum track is physically pressed. Values in the range (1-127) fix the hold phase, from very short times at the left extreme to increasingly long times to the right, regardless of how long the pad is pressed.

**DEC** (Decay Time) controls the decay time of the amp envelope. Range (0-INF).

**OVR** (Overdrive) controls the overdrive, located before the multimode filter. Range (0-127).

**DEL** (Delay Send) controls how much of the drum track signal will be sent to the Delay effect. Range (0-127).

**REV** (Reverb Send) controls how much of the drum track signal will be sent to the Reverb effect. Range (0-127).

**PAN** (Pan) positions the Sound of the drum track in the stereo field. The knob works in a bipolar fashion, with 0 being the perfectly balanced midpoint, -64 sending all sound to the left channel and +63 sending all sound to the right.

**VOL** (Volume) controls the total volume of the Sound. This parameter is independent of the overall track level. Range (0-127).

#### LFO

The drum track LFO can be used to interfere creatively with any parameter found on the SYNTH, SAMPLE, FILTER and AMP pages. Customize the low frequency oscillation cycle and put any parameter through tidal modulation.



**SPD** (Speed) controls the speed of the LFO. It is synced to the BPM. For the LFO to be synced to straight beats, try settings of 8, 16 or 32. The knob is bi-polar. The LFO shape can be played backwards by using negative values. Range (-64-+63).

**MUL** (Multiplier) multiplies the **SPD** parameter by the set factor. Increases by the power of two for each step in the value range. Range (1-2048).

**FAD** (Fade In/Out) makes it possible to fade in/fade out the LFO modulation. The knob is bipolar. Positive values give a fade-out, negative values give a fade-in. A mid position (0) will result in no fade in/fade out. Range (-64-+63)

**DST** (Destination) selects the destination for the LFO. A list will appear when you turn the knob. Choose a parameter from any of the parameter pages. Turn the knob clockwise to go down the list, counterclockwise to go up. Preview how the LFO modulation will affect the sound by highlighting a destination. Confirm a selection by pressing **[YES/SAVE]**.

**WAV** (Waveform) sets the LFO waveform. There are seven waveforms: Triangle, Sine, Square, Sawtooth, Exponential, Ramp and Random.

**SPH** (Start Phase) controls where in the waveform the LFO will start when it is trigged. Range (0-127). 0 is the start of a complete wave cycle and 127 is the end point. 64 is the dead center.

**MOD** (Trig Mode) controls how the LFO will react when a note is trigged. Five settings exist.

- FRE is the default free-running mode. It makes the LFO run continuously, never restarting or stopping.
- TRG makes the LFO restart when a note is trigged.
- HLD makes the LFO run free in the background, but when a note is trigged the LFO output level is latched and held still until the next note is trigged.

• ONE will make the LFO start from the beginning when a note is trigged, run for one cycle and then stop. This makes its function similar to an envelope.

• HLF will make the LFO start from the beginning when a note is trigged, run for half a cycle and then stop.

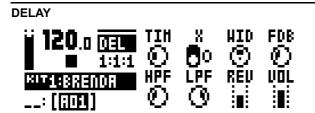
**DEP** (Depth) controls how deep the LFO will modulate the destination that is set on the **DST** parameter. The knob is bipolar. Both negative and positive modulation depth is possible. Positive values start the oscillation toward the crest phase of the wave, negative values start toward the trough phase of the wave. A dead center setting, 0, equals no modulation depth at all. Range (-128-+127).

# Appendix B: FX TRACK PARAMETERS

In this appendix, the parameters of the FX track are shown and explained, one page at a time.

#### DELAY

The Delay send effect takes a duplicate of the input signal, delays it in time and then rejoins it with the original signal. It can also be used to pingpong in the stereo field, feedback and filter the delay signal.



**TIM** (Delay Time) sets the delay time. It is relative to the current BPM and is measured in 128th notes. For instance, a setting of 32 equals a one beat delay (four sixteenth notes). Range (1-128).

 $\boldsymbol{X}$  (Pingpong) controls how the delay signal will act in the stereo field.

• 0 to manually place the delay signal in the stereo field. The **WID** parameter controls the location.

• 1 to make the delay signal alternate between left and right pan positions. The **WID** parameter controls the amount of panning.

**WID** (Stereo Width) controls the stereo width or location of the delay signal. The knob is bipolar. Range (-64-+63)

**FDB** (Feedback) controls how much of the delay output that will be fed back into the input of the delay. With higher parameter settings, infinite and/or swelling delays are possible to achieve. Please be aware that high feedback can lead to a very loud signal, and that the **DOV** parameter on the DISTORTION page can further increase the feedback. *Easy Listening for the Hard of Hearing.* Range (0-198).



**HPF** (HP Filter) controls the highpass filtering of the delay signal. Range (0-127).

**LPF** (LP Filter) controls the lowpass filtering of the delay signal. Range (0-127).

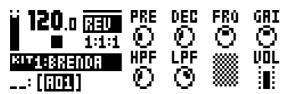
**REV** (Reverb Send) controls how much of the Delay output signal that will be sent to the Reverb. Range (0-127).

**VOL** (Mix Volume) adjusts the volume of the Delay output signal. The output is routed either before or after the Distortion and Compressor effects, depending on the setting of the **DEL** parameter on the DISTORTION page. Range (0-127).

#### REVERB

The Reverb send effect controls the persistence and ambient characteristics of the sound reverberations. It can simulate many different sonic locations, from great spaces to small confinements.

#### REVERB



**PRE** (Pre-delay) controls the predelay time of the Reverb. Range (0-127).

**DEC** (Decay Time) sets the decay time of the reverberated signal, essentially setting the size of the sonic room. Range (1-INF).

**FRQ** (Shelving Frequency) controls the shelving filter frequency. Together with the **GAI** parameter it can be used to dampen the reverberated signal above a chosen frequency, making the reverberation sound more poignant or more muffled. Range (0-127).

**GAI** (Shelving Gain) affects the damping of the reverberated signal above the shelving frequency set by the **FRQ** parameter. At max value the treble is included in the reverberations; lowering the value gradually dampens it. Range (0-127).

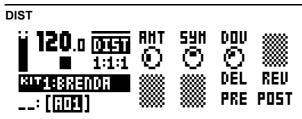
**HPF** (HP Filter) controls the highpass filtering of the input to the reverb. Range (0-127).

**LPF** (LP Filter) controls the lowpass filtering of the input to the reverb. Range (0-127).

**VOL** (Mix Volume) sets the volume of the Reverb output signal. The output is routed either before or after the Distortion and Compressor effects, depending on the setting of the **REV** parameter on the DISTORTION page. Range (0-127).

#### DISTORTION

The distortion master effect pronounces the peaks of the signal and distorts them. Additionally, the sound wave may be offset in its entirety on this page and seasoned with non-symmetrical distortion. This PARAMETER page also controls the overdrive of the Delay effect, as well as the routing of the Delay and Reverb effect returns.



**AMT** (Distortion Amount) controls the amount of distortion applied to the signal. Range (0-127).

**SYM** (Distortion Symmetry) offsets the whole signal - in the y direction, if visualized as a sine wave on a 2D graph - up (positive values) or down (negative values) before applying distortion. This makes asymmetric distortion of the signal possible, fringing only the crests or the troughs of the wave. Range (-64-+63).

**DOV** (Delay Overdrive) controls the overdrive of the Delay effect, resulting in a warm and dynamic distortion. Set this in conjunction with the FDB parameter on the DELAY page in order to produce anything from a tinge of shear to a very aggressive four-pound barrage of overtones. Range (0-127).

**DEL** (Delay Dist/Comp) sets the Delay effect to return before (0) or after (1) the signal is subject to distortion and compression. The default setting is before. Range (0/1).

**REV** (Reverb Dist/Comp) sets the Reverb effect to return before (0) or after (1) the signal is subject to distortion and compression. The default setting is after. Range (0/1).

#### COMPRESSOR

The Compressor master effect compresses the dynamic range of the signal by reducing the volume of loud sounds relative to the quiet sounds. There are eight parameters with which the compressor is customized on this page.

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**THR** (Threshold) sets the threshold of the compressor. Lower threshold means a larger portion of the signal will be subject to compression. There is a bar on the rightmost edge of the LCD screen which will visually represent the amount of compression. Range (0-127).

**ATK** (Attack) sets the time of the compressor attack phase, i.e. how quickly the compressor responds to loud peaks. The time of the attack phase is set in milliseconds. Range (0.03-30).

**REL** (Release) sets the time of the compressor release phase, i.e. how long it takes for the compression to recover in quieter moments. The time is set in seconds. Range (0.1-2, A1 or A2). A1 and A2 are two types of auto release phases, (A2) being slightly longer than (A1).

**MUP** (Makeup Gain) sets the makeup gain of the compressor output, in order to compensate for the reduced signal levels caused by compression. Range (0-127).

**RAT** (Compression Ratio) There are four different compression ratios, 2:1, 4:1, 8:1 and MAX. Higher ratios mean more of the dynamic range will be compressed.

**SEQ** (Sidechain EQ) filters the signal before it is analyzed by the compressor in one of the following ways:

• OFF lets the sidechain signal remain unchanged.

• LPF lowpass filters the signal prior to analysis, making the compressor react mostly to the bass. Use this setting for a characteristic pumping compressor sound.

• HPF passes the signal through a highpass filter before it is analyzed, making the compressor react less to the bass. Use this setting to avoid pumping.

• HIT results in a balanced equalization of the sidechain signal, making the compressor react similarly to all frequencies of the signal.

**MIX** (Dry/Wet Mix) sets the mix of the uncompressed signal and the compressor output signal. The left extreme setting results in a completely uncompressed signal. The extreme right setting lets only the compressed signal pass through. All values in between mix the uncompressed signal with the compressed signal, also known as parallel compression. A definitive Motown compression effect may be achieved at moderate MIX settings combined with high RAT and low MUP settings. Range (0-127).

**VOL** (Volume) sets the volume of the output signal. Range (0-127).

#### FX LFO

The FX track LFO page parameters are shown and explained below.



**SPD** (Speed) controls the speed of the LFO. It is synced to the BPM. For the LFO to be synced to straight beats, try settings of 8, 16 or 32. The knob is bi-polar. The LFO shape can be played backwards by using negative values. Range (-64-+63).

**MUL** (Multiplier) multiplies the **SPD** parameter by the set factor. Increases by the power of two for each step in the value range. Range (1-2048).

**FAD** (Fade In/Out) makes it possible to fade in/fade out the LFO modulation. The knob is bipolar. Positive values give a fade-out, negative values give a fade-in. A mid position (0) will result in no fade in/fade out. Range (-64-+63)

**DST** (Destination) selects the destination for the LFO. A list will appear when you turn the knob. Choose a parameter from any of the parameter pages. Turn the knob clockwise to go down the list, counterclockwise to go up. Preview how the LFO modulation will affect the sound by highlighting a destination. Confirm a selection by pressing **[YES/SAVE]**.

**WAV** (Waveform) sets the LFO waveform. There are seven waveforms: Triangle, Sine, Square, Sawtooth, Exponential, Ramp and Random.

**SPH** (Start Phase) controls where in the waveform the LFO will start when it is trigged. Range (0-127). 0 is the start of a complete wave cycle and 127 is the end point. 64 is the dead center.

**MOD** (Trig Mode) controls how the LFO will react when a note is trigged. Five settings exist.

- FRE is the default free-running mode. It makes the LFO run continuously, never restarting or stopping.
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**DEP** (Depth) controls how deep the LFO will modulate the destination that is set on the **DST** parameter. The knob is bipolar. Both negative and positive modulation depth is possible. Positive values start the oscillation toward the crest phase of the wave, negative values start toward the trough phase of the wave. A dead center setting, 0, equals no modulation depth at all. Range (-128-+127).

# Appendix C: MIDI

This appendix lists the CC and NRPN specification for the Analog Rytm.

### **GENERAL TRIG PARAMETERS**

TRIG PARAMETERS NRPN								
Parameter		NRPN MSB	NRPN LSB	Data Range MSB	Data Range LSB			
Note		3	0	0-127	-			
Velocity		3	1	0-127	-			
Length		3	2	0-127	-			
Synth Trig		3	3	0-127	-			
Sample Trig		3	4	0-127	-			
ENV Trig		3	5	0-127	-			
LFO Trig		3	6	0-127	-			

TRIG PARAMETERS CC								
Parameter		CC MSB	CC LSB	Data Range MSB	Data Range LSB			
Note		3	-	0-127	-			
Velocity		4	-	0-127	-			
Length		5	-	0-127	-			
Synth Trig		11	-	0-127	-			
Sample Trig		12	-	0-127	-			
ENV Trig		13	-	0-127	-			
LFO Trig		14	-	0-127	-			

### **GENERAL KIT PARAMETERS**

COMMON NRPN								
Parameter		NRPN MSB	NRPN LSB	Data Range MSB	Data Range LSB			
Track Level		1	100	0-127	-			
Track Mute (seq mute)		1	101	0-127	-			
Track Solo (seq mute)		1	102	0-127	-			
Track Machine Type		1	103	0-127	-			
Active Scene		1	104	0-127	-			

COMMON CC								
Parameter	CC MSB	CC LSB	Data Range MSB	Data Range LSB				
Track Level	95	-	0-127	-				
Track Mute (seq mute)	94	-	0-127	-				
Track Solo (seq mute)	93	-	0-127	-				
Track Machine Type	15	-	0-127	-				
Active Scene	92	-	0-127	-				

#### PERFORMANCE PARAMETERS

PERFORMANCE NRPN								
Parameter	NR	PN MSB	NRPN LSB	Data Range MSB	Data Range LSB			
Performance Parameter 1	0		0	0-127	-			
Performance Parameter 2	0		1	0-127	-			
Performance Parameter 3	0		2	0-127	-			
Performance Parameter 4	0		3	0-127	-			
Performance Parameter 5	0		4	0-127	-			
Performance Parameter 6	0		5	0-127	-			
Performance Parameter 7	0		6	0-127	-			
Performance Parameter 8	0		7	0-127	-			
Performance Parameter 9	0		8	0-127	-			
Performance Parameter 10	0		9	0-127	-			
Performance Parameter 11	0		10	0-127	-			
Performance Parameter 12	0		11	0-127	-			

PERFORMANCE CC								
Parameter		CC MSB	CC LSB	Data Range MSB	Data Range LSB			
Performance Parameter 1		35	-	0-127	-			
Performance Parameter 2		36	-	0-127	-			
Performance Parameter 3		37	-	0-127	-			
Performance Parameter 4		39	-	0-127	-			
Performance Parameter 5		40	-	0-127	-			
Performance Parameter 6		41	-	0-127	-			
Performance Parameter 7		42	-	0-127	-			
Performance Parameter 8		43	-	0-127	-			
Performance Parameter 9		44	-	0-127	-			
Performance Parameter 10		45	-	0-127	-			
Performance Parameter 11		46	-	0-127	-			
Performance Parameter 12		47	-	0-127	-			

### DRUM TRACK PARAMETERS

Note that the order of the SYNTH parameters might not be the same as the order of the parameters on the SYNTH page in the LCD display.

SYNTH NRPN							
Parameter		NRPN MSB	NRPN LSB	Data Range MSB	Data Range LSB		
Synth Param 1		1	0	0-127	-		
Synth Param 2		1	1	0-127	-		
Synth Param 3		1	2	0-127	-		
Synth Param 4		1	3	0-127	-		
Synth Param 5		1	4	0-127	-		
Synth Param 6		1	5	0-127	-		
Synth Param 7		1	6	0-127	-		
Synth Param 8		1	7	0-127	-		

	SYNTH CC			
Parameter	CC MSB	CC LSB	Data Range MSB	Data Range LSB
Synth Param 1	16	-	0-127	-
Synth Param 2	17	-	0-127	-
Synth Param 3	18	-	0-127	-
Synth Param 4	19	-	0-127	-
Synth Param 5	20	-	0-127	-
Synth Param 6	21	-	0-127	-
Synth Param 7	22	-	0-127	-
Synth Param 8	23	-	0-127	-

SAMPLE NRPN								
Parameter		NRPN MSB	NRPN LSB	Data Range MSB	Data Range LSB			
Sample Tune		1	8	0-127	-			
Sample Finetune		1	9	0-127	-			
Sample Bit Reduction		1	10	0-127	-			
Sample Slot		1	11	0-127	-			
Sample Start		1	12	0-127	-			
Sample End		1	13	0-127	-			
Sample Loop		1	14	0-127	-			
Sample Level		1	15	0-127	-			

SAMPLE CC								
Parameter		CC MSB	CC LSB	Data Range MSB	Data Range LSB			
Sample Tune		24	-	0-127	-			
Sample Finetune		25	-	0-127	-			
Sample Bit Reduction		26	-	0-127	-			
Sample Slot		27	-	0-127	-			
Sample Start		28	-	0-127	-			
Sample End		29	-	0-127	-			
Sample Loop		30	-	0-127	-			
Sample Level		31	-	0-127	-			

FILTER NRPN								
Parameter		NRPN MSB	NRPN LSB	Data Range MSB	Data Range LSB			
Filter Attack Time		1	16	0-127	-			
Filter Decay Time		1	17	0-127	-			
Filter Sustain Level		1	18	0-127	-			
Filter Release Time		1	19	0-127	-			
Filter Frequency		1	20	0-127	-			
Filter Resonance		1	21	0-127	-			
Filter Mode		1	22	0-127	-			

Filter Env Depth	1	23	0-127	-

	FILTER CC			
Parameter	CC MSB	CC LSB	Data Range MSB	Data Range LSB
Filter Attack Time	70	-	0-127	-
Filter Decay Time	71	-	0-127	-
Filter Sustain Level	72	-	0-127	-
Filter Release Time	73	-	0-127	-
Filter Frequency	74	-	0-127	-
Filter Resonance	75	-	0-127	-
Filter Mode	76	-	0-127	-
Filter Env Depth	77	-	0-127	-

	AMP NRPN			
Parameter	NRPN MSB	NRPN LSB	Data Range MSB	Data Range LSB
Amp Attack Time	1	24	0-127	-
Amp Hold Time	1	25	0-127	-
Amp Decay Time	1	26	0-127	-
Amp Overdrive	1	27	0-127	-
Amp Delay Send	1	28	0-127	-
Amp Reverb Send	1	29	0-127	-
Amp Pan	1	30	0-127	-
Amp Volume	1	31	0-127	-

	AMP CC			
Parameter	CC MSB	CC LSB	Data Range MSB	Data Range LSB
Amp Attack Time	78	-	0-127	-
Amp Hold Time	79	-	0-127	-
Amp Decay Time	80	-	0-127	-
Amp Overdrive	81	-	0-127	-
Amp Delay Send	82	-	0-127	-
Amp Reverb Send	83	-	0-127	-
Amp Pan	10	-	0-127	-
Amp Volume	7	-	0-127	-

## LFO PARAMETERS

Note that the LFO depth is a high-resolution parameter, with LSB values.

	LFO NRPN			
Parameter	NRPN MSB	NRPN LSB	Data Range MSB	Data Range LSB
LFO Speed	1	32	0-127	-
LFO Multiplier	1	33	0-127	-
LFO Fade In/Out	1	34	0-127	-
LFO Destination	1	35	0-127	-

LFO Waveform	1	36	0-127	-
LFO Start Phase	1	37	0-127	-
LFO Trig Mode	1	38	0-127	-
LFO Depth	1	39	0-127	0-127

	LFO CC			
Parameter	CC MSB	CC LSB	Data Range MSB	Data Range LSB
LFO Speed	102	-	0-127	-
LFO Multiplier	103	-	0-127	-
LFO Fade In/Out	104	-	0-127	-
LFO Destination	105	-	0-127	-
LFO Waveform	106	-	0-127	-
LFO Start Phase	107	-	0-127	-
LFO Trig Mode	108	-	0-127	-
LFO Depth	109	118	0-127	0-127

## **FX TRACK PARAMETERS**

DELAY NRPN								
Parameter		NRPN MSB	NRPN LSB	Data Range MSB	Data Range LSB			
Delay Time		2	0	0-127	-			
Delay Pingpong		2	1	0-127	-			
Delay Stereo Width		2	2	0-127	-			
Delay Feedback		2	3	0-127	-			
Delay Highpass Filter		2	4	0-127	-			
Delay Lowpass Filter		2	5	0-127	-			
Delay Reverb Send		2	6	0-127	-			
Delay Mix Volume		2	7	0-127	-			

	DELAY CC			
Parameter	CC MSB	CC LSB	Data Range MSB	Data Range LSB
Delay Time	16	-	0-127	-
Delay Pingpong	17	-	0-127	-
Delay Stereo Width	18	-	0-127	-
Delay Feedback	19	-	0-127	-
Delay Highpass Filter	20	-	0-127	-
Delay Lowpass Filter	21	-	0-127	-
Delay Reverb Send	22	-	0-127	-
Delay Mix Volume	23	-	0-127	-

REVERB NRPN								
Parameter		NRPN MSB	NRPN LSB	Data Range MSB	Data Range LSB			
Reverb Predelay		2	8	0-127	-			
Reverb Decay Time		2	9	0-127	-			

Reverb Shelving Freq	2	10	0-127	-
Reverb Shelving Gain	2	11	0-127	-
Reverb Highpass Filter	2	12	0-127	-
Reverb Lowpass Filter	2	13	0-127	-
Reverb Mix Volume	2	15	0-127	-

REVERB CC								
Parameter		CC MSB	CC LSB	Data Range MSB	Data Range LSB			
Reverb Predelay		24	-	0-127	-			
Reverb Decay Time		25	-	0-127	-			
Reverb Shelving Freq		26	-	0-127	-			
Reverb Shelving Gain		27	-	0-127	-			
Reverb Highpass Filter		28	-	0-127	-			
Reverb Lowpass Filter		29	-	0-127	-			
Reverb Mix Volume		31	-	0-127	-			

DISTORTION NRPN								
Parameter		NRPN MSB	NRPN LSB	Data Range MSB	Data Range LSB			
Dist Amount		2	16	0-127	-			
Dist Symmetry		2	17	0-127	-			
Delay Overdrive		2	18	0-127	-			
Delay Dist/Comp Routing (pre/post)		2	22	0-127	-			
Reverb Dist/Comp Routing (pre/post)		2	23	0-127	-			

DISTORTION CC								
Parameter		CC MSB	CC LSB	Data Range MSB	Data Range LSB			
Dist Amount		70	-	0-127	-			
Dist Symmetry		71	-	0-127	-			
Delay Overdrive		72	-	0-127	-			
Delay Dist/Comp Routing (pre/post)		76	-	0-127	-			
Reverb Dist/Comp Routing (pre/post)		77	-	0-127	-			

COMPRESSOR NRPN								
Parameter		NRPN MSB	NRPN LSB	Data Range MSB	Data Range LSB			
Compressor Threshold		2	24	0-127	-			
Compressor Attack Time		2	25	0-127	-			
Compressor Release Time		2	26	0-127	-			
Compressor Makeup Gain		2	27	0-127	-			
Compressor Ratio		2	28	0-127	-			
Compressor Sidechain EQ		2	29	0-127	-			
Compressor Dry/Wet Mix		2	30	0-127	-			
Compressor Output Volume		2	31	0-127	-			

COMPRESSOR CC								
Parameter	CC MSB	CC LSB	Data Range MSB	Data Range LSB				
Compressor Threshold	78	-	0-127	-				
Compressor Attack Time	79	-	0-127	-				
Compressor Release Time	80	-	0-127	-				
Compressor Makeup Gain	81	-	0-127	-				
Compressor Ratio	82	-	0-127	-				
Compressor Sidechain EQ	83	-	0-127	-				
Compressor Dry/Wet Mix	84	-	0-127	-				
Compressor Output Volume	85	-	0-127	-				

# Appendix D: MACHINES

This appendix lists the parameters on the SYNTH page of the drum tracks. The choice of MACHINE will determine which parameters are available. There are several MACHINES to choose from. See "ANALOG RYTM CONTROLS" on page 13 (illustration) for drum track voice allocation.

The MACHINES below can be used on the BD, SD, RS and CP tracks.

#### **BDHD (BASS DRUM HARD)**



TUN (Tune) sets the pitch of the oscillator. Range (-64-+63).

**SWT** (Sweep Time) sets the pitch sweep time. The depth of the sweep is fixed. Range (0-127).

SNP (Snap Amount) sets the amount of snap. Range (0-127).

**DEC** (Decay Time) sets the decay time of the sound. Range (0-127).

**WAV** (Waveform) sets the oscillator waveform to sine, asymmetric sine or triangle. Range (0, 1, 2).

**HLD** (Hold Time) sets the hold time, the time before the decay phase starts. Range (0-127).

**TIC** (Tick Level) sets the level of the transient tick. Range (0-127).

LEV (Level) sets the overall volume level. Range (0-127).

#### **BDCL (BASS DRUM CLASSIC)**



TUN (Tune) sets the pitch of the oscillator. Range (-64-+63).

**SWT** (Sweep Time) sets the pitch sweep time. Low values result in a short sweep. Range (0-127).

**SWD** (Sweep Depth) sets the depth of the pitch sweep. Range (0-127).

DEC (Decay Time) sets the decay time. Range (0-127).

**WAV** (Waveform) sets the oscillator waveform to sine, asymmetric sine or triangle. Range (0, 1, 2).

**HLD** (Hold Time) sets the hold time, the time before the decay phase starts. Range (0-127).

**TRA** (Transient) sets the tick or noise transient sound and its level. Range (0-55).

LEV (Level) sets the overall volume level. Range (0-127).

#### SDHD (SNARE DRUM HARD)



 ${\bf TUN}$  (Tune) sets the pitch of the oscillators. The interval between them is fixed. Range (-64-+63).

SWT (Sweep Time) sets the pitch sweep time. Range (0-127).

 $\ensuremath{\textbf{SWD}}$  (Sweep Depth) sets the depth of the pitch sweep. Range (0-127).

DEC (Decay Time) sets the decay time. Range (0-127).

**TIC** (Tick Level) sets the level of the transient tick. Range (0-127).

 $\ensuremath{\text{NOD}}$  (Noise Decay) sets the noise decay time. Range (0-127).

NOL (Noise Level) sets the noise level. Range (0-127).

LEV (Level) sets the overall volume level. Range (0-127).

#### SDCL (SNARE DRUM CLASSIC)



**TUN** (Tune) sets the common pitch of the oscillators. Range (-64-+63).

**DET** (Detune) sets the pitch of the second oscillator in relation to the first. Range (-64-+63).

**BAL** (Osc Balance) sets the balance between the levels of oscillator 1 and oscillator 2. Range (-64-+63).

**DEC** (Decay Time) sets the decay time of the drum sound. Range (0-127).

SNP (Snap Amount) sets the amount of snap. Range (0-127).

**NOD** (Noise Decay) sets the decay time of the noise. Range (0-127).

NOL (Noise Level) sets the noise level. Range (0-127).

The MACHINES below can be used on the BD, SD, RS and CP tracks.

#### **BDFM (BASS DRUM FM)**



**TUN** (Tune) sets the pitch of the first (modulated) oscillator. Range (-64-+63).

**SWT** (Sweep Time) sets the pitch sweep time of the first (modulated) oscillator. Range (0-127).

**FMD** (FM Decay Time) sets the decay time of the second (modulating) oscillator and, consequently, the decay time of the FM effect. Range (0-127).

**DEC** (Decay Time) sets the decay time of the first (modulated) oscillator and, consequently, the whole drum sound. Range (0-127).

**FMT** (FM Tune) sets the pitch of the second (modulating) oscillator. Range (-64-+63).

**FMS** (FM Sweep Time) sets the pitch sweep time of the second (modulating) oscillator. Range (0-127).

**FMA** (FM Amount) sets the amount of frequency modulation from the second oscillator to the first. Range (0-127).

LEV (Level) sets the overall volume level. Range (0-127).

#### SDFM (SNARE DRUM FM)



**TUN** (Tune) sets the pitch of the first (modulated) oscillator. Range (-64-+63).

**FMT** (FM Tune) sets the pitch of the second (modulating) oscillator. Range (-64-+63).

**FMD** (FM Decay Time) sets the decay time of the second (modulating) oscillator and, consequently, the decay time of the FM effect. Range (0-127).

**DEC** (Decay Time) sets the decay time of the first (modulated) oscillator and, consequently, the whole drum sound. Range (0-127).

**FMA** (FM Amount) sets the amount of frequency modulation from the second oscillator to the first. Range (0-127).

**NOD** (Noise Decay) sets the decay time of the noise. Range (0-127).

NOL (Noise Level) sets the noise level. Range (0-127).

The MACHINES below can be used on the **RS** and **CP** tracks.

#### **RSHD (RIMSHOT HARD)**



TUN (Tune) sets the pitch of the oscillators. Range (-64-+63).

SWT (Sweep Time) sets the pitch sweep time. Range (0-127).

**SWD** (Sweep Depth) sets the depth of the pitch sweep. Range (0-127).

**DEC** (Decay Time) sets the decay time of the rimshot sound. Range (0-127).

**SYM** (Symmetry) adjusts the nonlinearity in the special rimshot circuit. Range (-64-+63).

**TIC** (Tick Level) sets the level of the transient tick. Range (0-127).

NOL (Noise Level) sets the noise level. Range (0-127).

LEV (Level) sets the overall volume level. Range (0-127).

#### CPCL (HAND CLAP CLASSIC)



RAT (Clap Rate) sets the rate of the initial claps. Range (0-127).

**NUM** (Clap Number) sets the number of initial claps. Range (0-19).

**RND** (Random Claps) randomizes the timing of the initial claps. Range (0-127).

**CPD** (Clap Decay) sets the decay time of the initial claps. Range (0-127).

**TON** (Noise Tone) sets the pitch of the final noise. Range (0-127).

**NOD** (Noise Decay) sets the decay time of the final noise. Range (0-127).

NOL (Noise Level) sets the final noise level. Range (0-127).

LEV (Level) sets the overall volume level. Range (0-127).

#### **RSCL (RIMSHOT CLASSIC)**



**T1** (Tune Osc1) sets the pitch of the first oscillator. Range (-64-+63).

**T2** (Tune Osc2) sets the pitch of the second oscillator. Range (-64-+63).

**BAL** (Osc Balance) sets the balance between oscillator 1 and oscillator 2. Range (-64-+63).

 $\ensuremath{\text{DEC}}$  (Decay Time) sets the decay time for the rimshot sound. Range (0-127).

**SYM** (Symmetry) adjusts the nonlinearity in the special rimshot circuit. Range (-64-+63).

**TIC** (Tick Level) sets the level of the transient tick. Range (0-127).

NOL (Noise Level) sets the noise level. Range (0-127).

The MACHINE below can be used on the **BT** track.

#### **BTCL (BASS TOM CLASSIC)**



TUN (Tune) sets the pitch of the oscillator. Range (-64-+63).

**DEC** (Decay Time) sets the decay time of the drum sound. Range (0-127).

**SNP** (Snap) sets the length of the snap transient. Range (0, 1, 2, 3).

NOL (Noise Level) sets the noise level. Range (0-127).

The MACHINE below can be used on the LT, MT and HT tracks.

#### XTCL (TOM CLASSIC)



TUN (Tune) sets the pitch of the oscillator. Range (-64-+63).

SWT (Sweep Time) sets the pitch sweep time. Range (0-127).

**SWD** (Sweep Depth) sets the depth of the pitch sweep. Range (0-127).

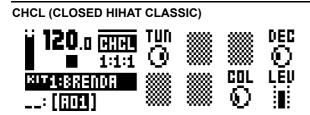
 $\ensuremath{\text{DEC}}$  (Decay Time) sets the decay time of the tom sound. Range (0-127).

TON (Noise Tone) sets the pitch of the noise. Range (-64-+63).

**NOD** (Noise Decay) sets the decay time of the noise. Range (0-127).

NOL (Noise Level) sets the noise level. Range (0-127).

The MACHINES below can be used on the CH and OH tracks.



**TUN** (Tune) sets the pitch of the six oscillators of the closed hihat. Range (-64-+63).

**DEC** (Decay Time) sets the decay time of the closed hihat sound. Range (0-127).

**COL** (Noise Color) sets the timbral color, the virtual hardness of the imaginary metal alloy of which the immaterial hihat is made. Range (-64-+63).

LEV (Level) sets the overall volume level. Range (0-127).

## OHCL (OPEN HIHAT CLASSIC)

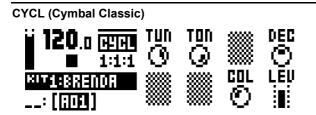


**TUN** (Tune) sets the pitch of the six oscillators of the open hihat. Range (-64-+63).

**DEC** (Decay Time) sets the decay time of the open hihat sound. Range (0-127).

COL (Noise Color) sets the timbral color. Range (-64-+63).

The MACHINES below can be used on the CY and CB tracks.



**TUN** (Tune) sets the pitch of the six oscillators of the cymbal. Range (-64-+63).

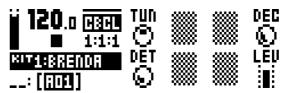
TON (Tone) sets the metallic tone of the cymbal. Range (0-127).

**DEC** (Decay) sets the decay time of the cymbal sound. Range (0-127).

**COL** (Noise Color) sets the timbral color of the cymbal. Range (0-127).

LEV (Level) sets the overall volume level. Range (0-127).

**CBCL (Cowbell Classic)** 



**TUN** (Tune) sets the base pitch of the two cowbell oscillators. Range (-64-+63).

**DEC** (Decay Time) sets the decay time of the cowbell sound. Range (0-127).

**DET** (Detune) sets the detune offset of the second oscillator. Range (0-127).

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