



World War Distortion

The World War is designed to give you anywhere from a light overdrive to a full on distortion. Featuring a unique set of clipping controls as well as external and internal gain options the World War is in a class of its own when it comes to analog distortion circuits. Below is a run down of the controls and how they interact with the pedal.

Overview of The World War

Level – Controls the output of the pedal also known as volume.

Tone - This shapes the tone of the distorted signal. You will find that this tone control is more useful throughout the rotation of the knob.

Saturate – This allows you to increase the amount of gain saturation in the effected signal.

Style Toggle – When switched in the down position Clip 1 & Clip 2 toggles are activated. When switched in the up position the H/S (hard/Soft) switch and Blend control is activated.

H/S Toggle – This allows you to switch between hard and soft clipping.

Clip 1 Toggle – Switches a clipping diode in and out of the circuit.

Clip 2 Toggle – Switched an additional clipping diode in and out of the circuit.

Blend – As mentioned above when the Style Toggle is in the up position this control allows you to blend the Hard and Soft Clipping sections of the circuit together giving you a wide selection of tones from more headroom to a grittier distortion.

Internal Gain Trimmer – This allows you to dial back the maximum amount of gain that the circuit is capable of. You can use this in conjunction with the external Saturate control to achieve even more tonal possibilities.

Either a 9v high quality alkaline battery or a 2.1mm center negative power supply and cable can power your new pedal. When operating the pedal via battery you should unplug the pedal when not in use to insure the longest battery life. Use high quality electronics grade cleaners and lubricants for the occasional cleaning of pedal components. If you have any other questions or concerns please visit the FAQ page at www.wilsoneffects.com or email me at wilsoneffects@wilsoneffects.com. Your new pedal is covered by a one-year warranty on parts and labor. This warranty excludes friction-based components such as potentiometers and switches.