

COMBO ORGAN

VK-1

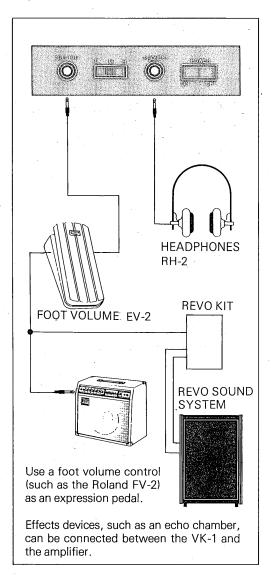
FEATURES

- •Small, compact combo organ equipped with drawbars.
- Percussion section for creating sharp, percussive sounds. Includes 2nd, 3rd, and 5th harmonic selectors, and DECAY FAST and VOLUME SOFT selectors.
- •Chorus-vibrato with variable RATE and DEPTH.
- •Soft-touch selector switches with LED'S so show instantly how they are set.

Cautions:

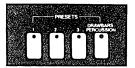
- •Make sure that the line voltage in your area meets the requirements given in the specifications. If not, use a transformet.
- •If it is necessary to use this organ in an area with neon or fluorescent lights, keep the organ as far away from these lights as possible since they will induce high levels of noise. Sometimes changing the angle of the organ in relation to the lights will help reduce noise.
- •Avoid very dusty and humid locations. Avoid high and low extremes of temerature since these will affect circuit and pitch stability.
- •Clean the control panel with a neutral detergent. Use a soft, dry cloth for the wood parts. Do not use solvents such as paint thinner.

CONNECTIONS

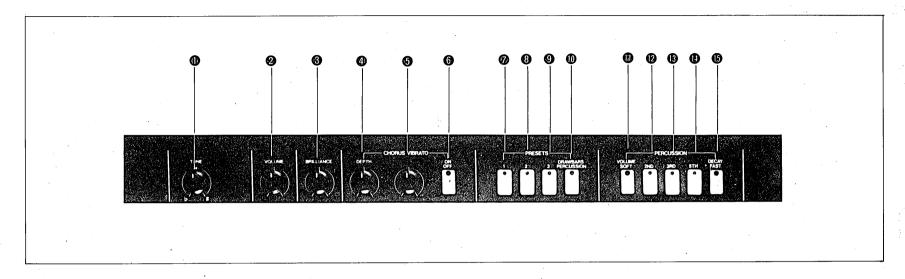


OPERATION

- 1. Turn the POWER switch ① (rear panel) ON after plugging in the VK-1. The PREST 1 7 LED will light.
- **2.** Adjust the output level of the sound. Set the output level to match the amplifier or device connected to the VK-1.
- **3.** Use the PRESET, drawbar, and PERCUS-SION controls to set the desired sound.



THE CONTROLS



1 TUNE Control

Controls the overall tuning of the keyboard (approximately ± 30 cents).

VOLUME Control

Adjusts the output level of the sound.

BRILLIANCE Control

Overall tone control; turning clockwise causes the sound to become brighter.

CHORUS-VIBRATO Section

DEPTH Control

Controls the depth of the chorus-vibrato effect.

6 RATE Control

Controls the rate of the chorus-vibrato effect.

6 Chorus-vibrato ON/OFF Switch The chorus-vibrato effect is ON when the LED is lit.

PRESET Sounds

- PRESET 1 Selector Selects the preset ENSEMBLE sound.
- PRESET 2 Selector Selects the preset FULL TIBIA sound.
- PRESET 3 Selector Selects the preset THEATER BRASS sound.
- DRAWBAR/PERCUSSSION Selector For sound set with the drawbars, and the percussion sounds.

The above selectors (through) cannot be used simultaneously. If more than one selector is pressed, the last one which is released will go ON

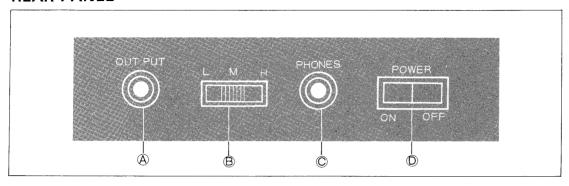
PERCUSSION Selectors

- VOLUME SOFT Selector For lowering the level of the percussion in relation to the drawbar sound.
- 2ND Selector Selects the 4' pitch.
- **®** 3RD Selector Selects the 2-2/3' pitch.
- **1** 5TH selector Slects the 1-3/5' pitch.
- **(B)** DECAY FAST Selector Shortens the percussion decay time.

Two or more of the above selectors ($\ensuremath{\mathfrak{0}}$ through

- **(b)**) can be used simultaneously for various effects.
- **16** Drawbars

REAR PANEL



OUTPUT Jack

® OUTPUT LEVEL Switch

Select the output level which best matches the amplifier being used.

 Audio amp: H
 H: 0dB

 Guitar amp: L or M
 M: -12dB

 PA mixer: H, L, or M
 L: -24dB

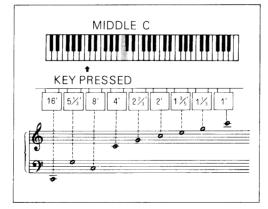
THE DRAWBARS

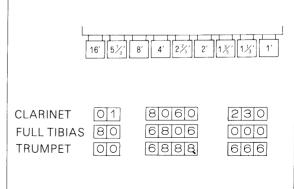
The drawbars can be used to control the tone color of the organ. Each drawbar produces a sine wave at the pitch shown in the drawing. By pulling out the drawbars, these pitches (or harmonics) can be added together to produce various sounds.

© HEADPHONE Jack

Use 8Ω stereo headphones (such as Roland RH-2). Adjust the volume with the VOLUME control 2.

D POWER Switch





SPECIFICATIONS

Keyboard: 61 keys; C₁ to C₆

Drawbars: 16', 5-1/3', 8', 4', 2-2/3', 2, 1-3/5',

1-1/3', 1'

Front Panel

PRESET Selectors: 1: ENSEMBLE

2: FULL TIBIA

3: THEATER BRASS

DRAWBAR & PERCUSSION

PERCUSSION: 2ND, 3RD, 5TH, VOLUME SOFT, DECAY FAST

CHORUS-VIBRATO: ON/OFF, DEPTH, RATE

(0.3Hz-8Hz)

Overall Controls: VOLUME, BRILLIANCE, TUNE

(±30 cents)

Rear Panel

Jacks: OUTPUT, HEADPHONES (8 Ω)

Switches: OUTPUT (L: -24dB; M: -12dB;

H: 0dB), POWER

Dimensions: 1130(w) × 148(h) × 448(d) mm

Weight: 16kg

Accessories: 2.5m connection cord (LP-25)

Specifications subject to change without

notice

ACCESSORIES (Sold separately)



EXPRESSION PEDAL FV-2



HEADPHONES RH-2



STAND KS-20

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