

Other Tips & Tricks:

- By using higher Volume and low Fuzz settings, the TightFuzz JR can be more of a clean tone (Tight on Fat, 70's Tone, Silicon) or treble booster (with Tight on Tight, 60's tone, Germanium).
- For the thickest and buzziest fuzz, use Silicon, 'Now', and Fat settings....and crank the Fuzz!
- To get more of an overdrive tone, use higher settings of the Tight switch
- Generally, the earliest fuzz boxes used Germaniums, which are a little bit softer when they break up....but mix and match the settings for cool variations of your own!
- When using the Tight setting of the Tight switch, you might need to increase your amp's bass control.



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Thanks for purchasing your TightFuzz JR™ pedal, another Amptweaker™ product we designed with your advice. The JR series pedals have many of the tones available in our Pro series, but in a smaller, light weight pedal. Keep the ideas coming!

James Brown
James Brown, Amp Engineer

Cool Ideas:

- True Bypass switching—with special input circuitry, works great with active pickups or wah pedals in front!
- Tight switch lets YOU dial in the chunk
- Volume, Tone, & Fuzz with automatic bias tracking for better clean tones
- EQ switch for 60's, 70's, or 'Now'
- Germanium/Silicon transistor switch

How does the TightFuzz JR work?

Volume—a Master Volume, set for boost or balance with the bypassed levels

Tone—EQ, adjusts highs up and down to balance with lows

Fuzz—adjusts distortion, while it automatically adjust bias for better clean tones

EQ SW—select tweaks EQ for bright 60's, full-range 70's, or 'Now' for high gain modern

Tight SW—Tight for aggressive, chunky attack Fat for a thicker, and 'buzzier' distortion tone

Transistor SW—Germanium (warmer) or Silicon (brighter/higher gain) output transistor

Input Jack—from guitar or previous effect. The battery disconnects when unplugged

True Bypass SW—disconnects all circuitry and directly connects Input jack to the Output Jack

DC Jack—use regulated 9V–18VDC supply, with (-)center pin...9V is the most distorted, 18V is cleaner, and louder—is better for clean boosting

Tie-wrap holes—use to mount on 'hole' style pedalboards

Screw holes—use to mount on your pedalboard using screws or bolts

Specs:

- Input impedance: 250K Ohm (with the effect on)
- Output Impedance: 1K Ohm (with the effect on)
- Current draw: 11mA at 9V, 15mA at 18V
- Adapter: 9-18VDC adapter w/5.5mm X 2.1mm positive barrel, center ground negative(-)
- Housing: 2mm Aluminum for strength with less weight
- Weight: 9 ounces
- Dimensions: 2.7"W X 4.65"D X 2"H