

Oceanic Delay

Building instructions

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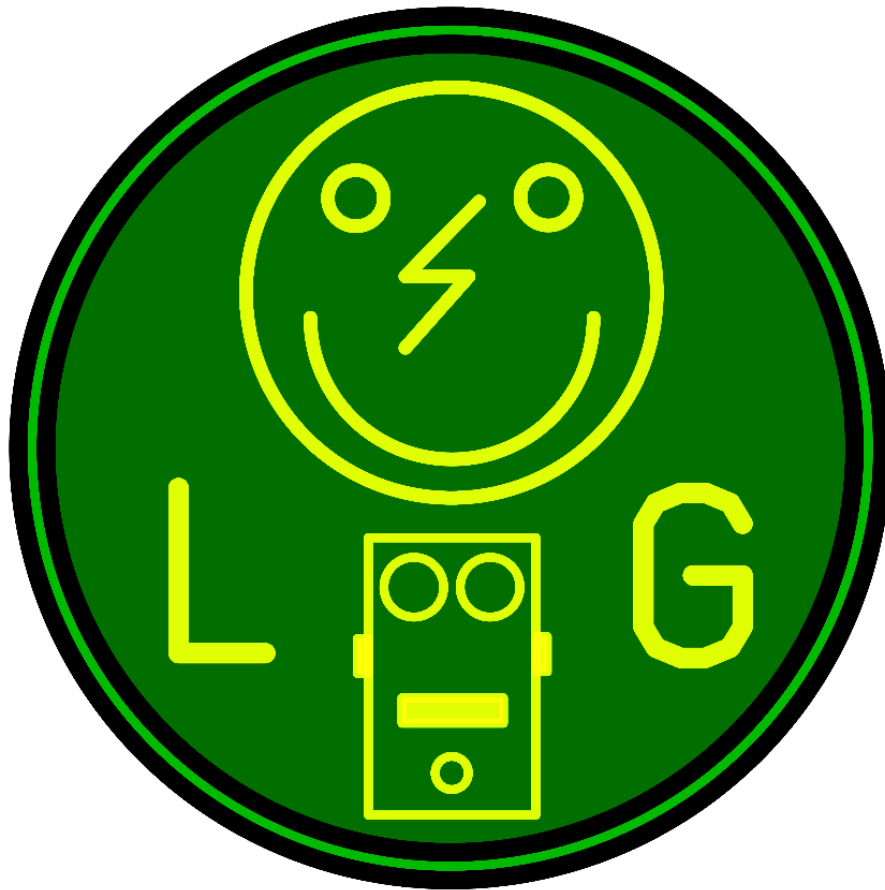


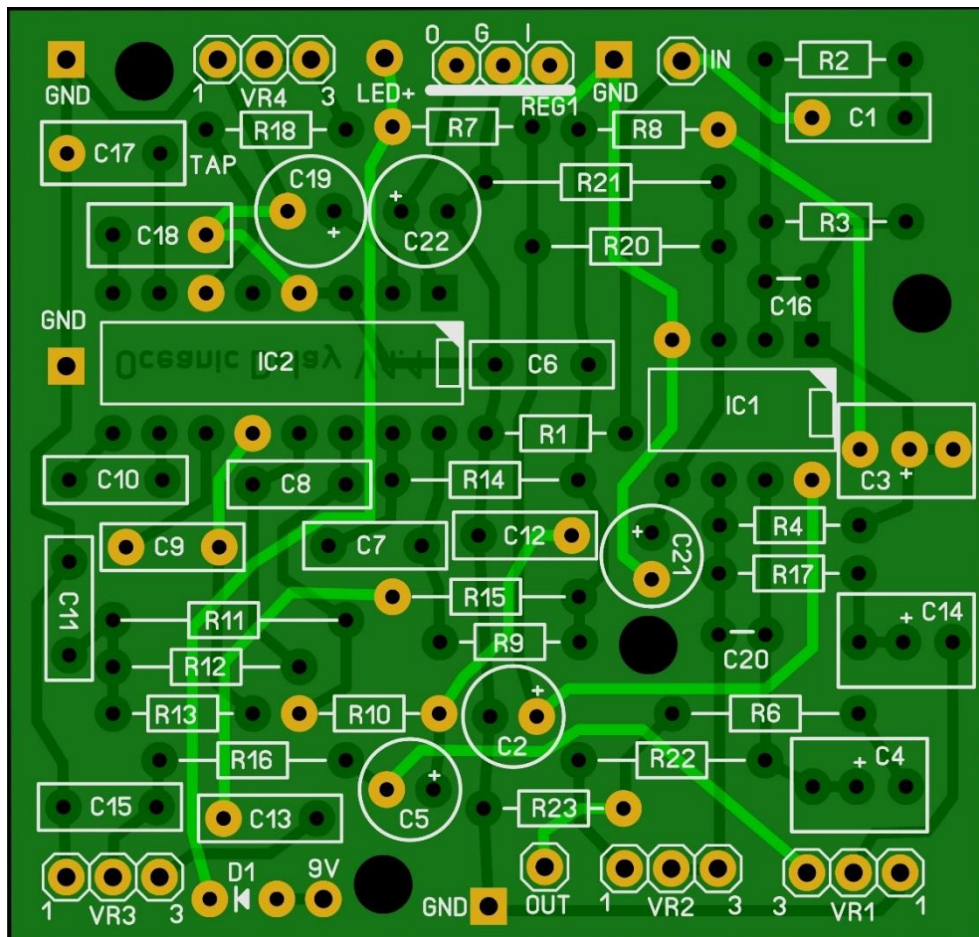
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Components

Part	Value	Comment	Part	Value	Comment	Part	Value	Comment
C1	22n	MKT	C18	100n	MKT	R11	20k	
C2	100u	Electrolyte	C19	47u	Electrolyte	R12	10k	
C3	1u	Electrolyte	C20	100p	Ceramic	R13	10k	
C4	1u	Electrolyte	C21	47u	Electrolyte	R14	10k	
C5	1u	Electrolyte	C22	47u	Electrolyte	R15	5k1	
C6	4n7	MKT	D1	1N5817		R16	2k	
C7	2n2	MKT	IC1	TL072	Socket	R17	20k	
C8	2n2	MKT	IC2	PT2399	Socket	R18	2k7	
C9	100n	MKT	R1	1M		R20	10k	
C10	100n	MKT	R2	180k		R21	10k	
C11	15n	SMF	R3	360k		R22	5k1	
C12	10n	MKT	R4	22k		R23	100k	
C13	22n	MKT	R6	1k		REG1	LM78L05	
C14	1u	Electrolyte	R7	33R		VR1	B50k	Mix
C15	47n	MKT	R8	10k		VR2	B25k	Volume
C16	47p	Ceramic	R9	10k		VR3	B50k	Feedback
C17	100n	MKT	R10	1k		VR4	B50k	Delay

A=Log, B=Lin, C=Rev. Log



General guideline for components

- Capacitors: All values under 1nF should be ceramic disks. From 1nF up to 1uF should be MKT (foil/metal film capacitors) and over 1uF use electrolyte caps (or tantalum) 16V+ rated and watch out for polarity! In this build there are some deviations from this rule so we marked all capacitors with the required type in the table on page 3.
- Resistors: use 1% metal film for the best results.
- Socket all IC's and the voltage regulator. This way you can easily mod them or replace them if they brake.

General building tips

Soldering this board can be complicated for some people since the solder pads can be very close together. Use a magnifying glass to make the job easier.

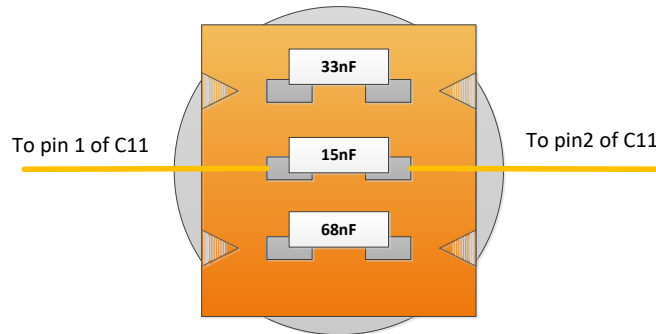
Start by soldering the resistors. It is best to solder diode D1 in an upright position (remember the polarity) so do not solder it yet. Next, solder the sockets for the IC's and voltage regulator. For the voltage regulator you can buy a 20 pin SIL socket and cut of the pins you need. IC1 requires a 8 pin DIL socket, IC2 a 16 pin DIL socket. Now solder the ceramic capacitors, the diode D1, then you can solder the MKT capacitors and the electrolyte capacitors. Note that C3, C4 and C14 fit both MKT and electrolyte. Watch out for their polarity! The polarity of the 3 holes of C3 are - + +. For C4 and C14 this is + + -. Now finish by soldering the Greenie capacitors. Place the IC's and voltage regulator and you are almost ready to rock. The white triangle on the IC's point to where pin 1 of the IC should be inserted.

Besides the components mentioned in the table on the first page, you will need:

- **2 input jacks.** 2 mono jacks if you are not going to use a battery but only the 9V adapter. 1 mono (for output) and 1 stereo jack (for input) if you will be using both a 9V battery and the 9V adapter.
- **3PDT footswitch** (9 pins). I also carry an easy off board circuit for this.
- **2,1mm DC jack** (isolated).
- **9v battery clip** (optional).
- **22 gage stranded hook-up wire.**
- **Hammond 1590BB** case (or similar) in your favorite color.

Modifications

If you want darker repeats then you can replace the C11 (15nF) with a higher value or make it switchable like this (middle position is stock value of 15nF). You are free to choose different values!

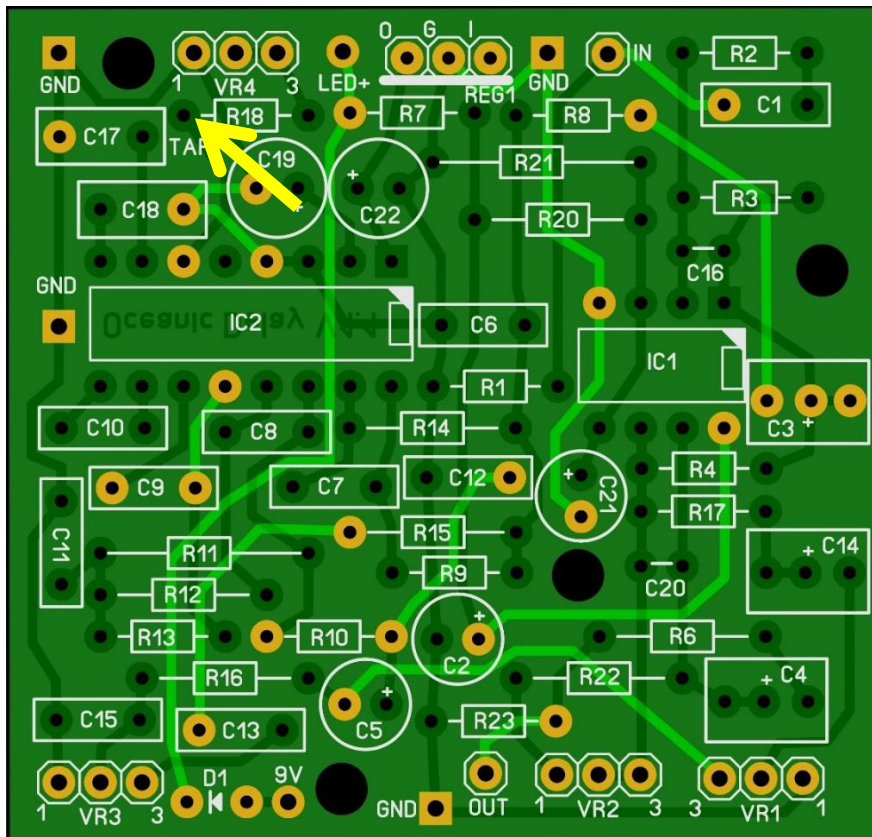


DP3T On-Off-On switch

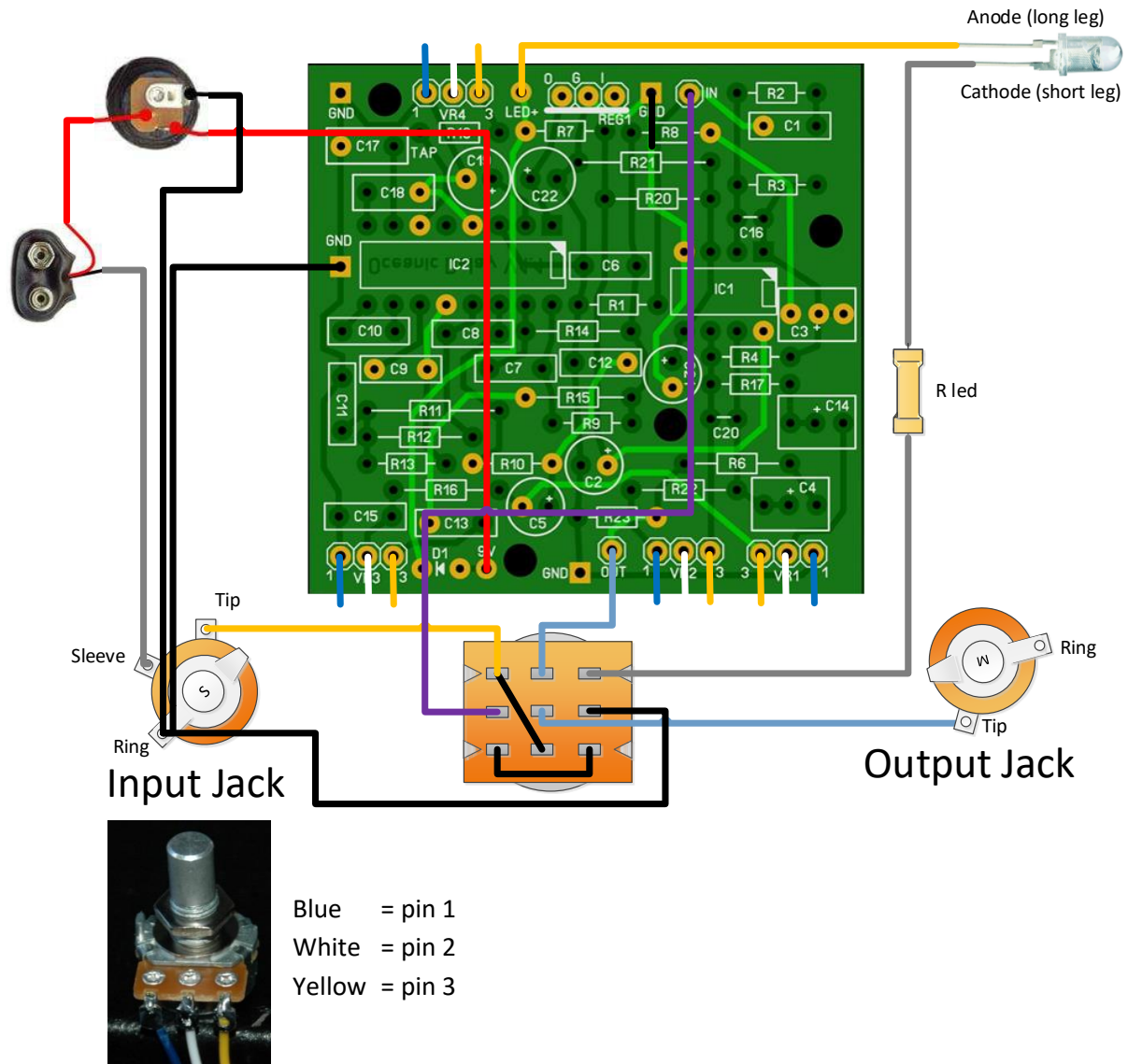
Some people prefer another IC than the TL072. You could try a OPA2134 instead.

Tap Tempo Daughterboard

If you are planning on using a taptation tap tempo daughterboard (sold separately, contact your seller) then do not connect R18 and VR4. You can connect the PT2399 pin 6 output of the daughterboard via the left hole of R18 marked with "TAP".



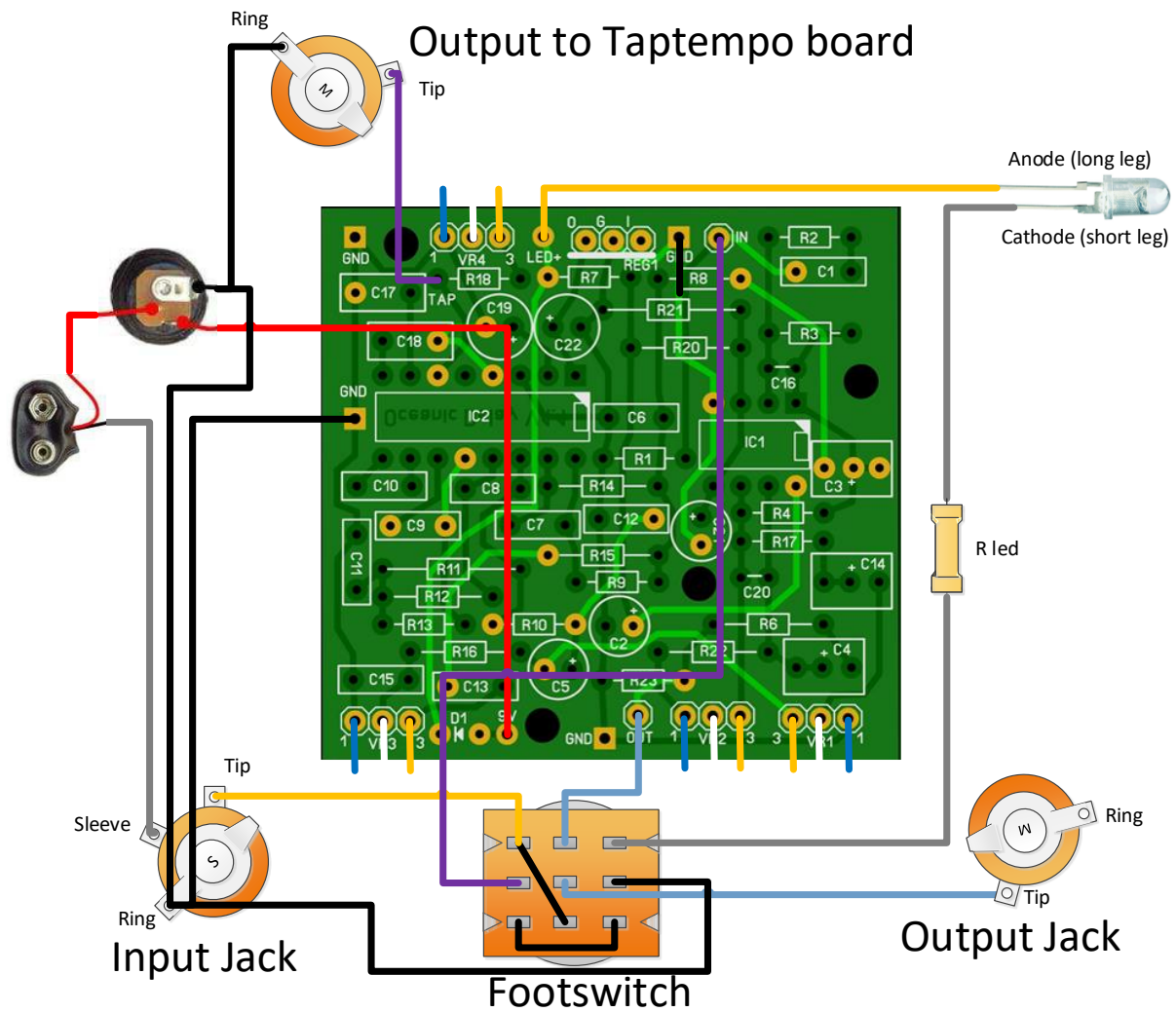
Offboard wiring



Notice that in the “off” position the effect input is connected to ground to prevent possible oscillation. Also note that the output jack ground is not connected. Make sure there is good electrical contact between the jack and the enclosure. If not you can connect the output ground to the input ground like the rest for stargrounding.

The LED requires a resistor (R led in the diagram) depending on the type of LED you are using. An ultra-bright red or blue LED requires a 3k3 resistor, Green requires 680R.

If you decide to use the tap tempo daughterboard in a separate case you can wire it like this:



Blue = pin 1
 White = pin 2
 Yellow = pin 3

If you are getting a groundloop then first try to disconnect the ground from the output to your taptempo board and see if that solves the problem.

Troubleshooting

All PCB's have been e-tested 100% in the factory, so there should not be a connection problem on the PCB itself.

The board is not working (at all), what now?

- Check if your 9V is plugged in correctly (and/or soldered correctly on the board).
- Check that you oriented the capacitors, IC's ,transistors and diodes the right way. MKT capacitors and resistors do not need to be oriented.
- Check if you used the correct values of the components. For resistors you can look here: <http://www.diyaudioandvideo.com/Electronics/Color/>
- Double and triple check your soldering! A lose or cold solder can be really bad for your board.
- Replace the IC's and transistors, one might be defective. Before doing that first unplug the 9V and wait 5 seconds.
- Check that you have good/high grade components. A lot of Chinese sourced parts are fakes (especially high end opamps) so be careful that you source your parts from reliable suppliers.

