



The FuzzMOP circuit is based on the EHX Big Muff Op-Amp version (V4), the sound of *Siamese Dream*-era Smashing Pumpkins. It ditches the four transistors of previous and later Big Muffs, in favor of an IC chip, which gives the pedal a lower noise floor when boosted to maximum, and a slightly less pronounced mid-scoop. Modern true-bypass operation has been implemented, making it very pedalboard friendly.

Resistors		ICs		Capacitors		
R1	1M	IC1	JRC4558**	C1	150n	FILM
R2	56k	IC2	LM741**	C2	10n	FILM
R3	330k			C3	4.7n	FILM
R4	10k	Pots		C4	10uF	ELECTRO
R5	47k	VOLUME	B50K	C5	4.7uF	ELECTRO
R6	560k	TONE	B10K	C6	150p	CERAMIC
R7	62k	SUSTAIN	B10K	C7	1uF	FILM
R8	47R			C8	100n	FILM
R9	8.2k	Diodes		C9	120n	FILM
R10	470k	D1	1N914	C10	200uF	ELECTRO
R11	5.6k	D2	1N914	C11	1uF	FILM
R12	1.2k	D3	1N914	C12	220n	FILM
R13	100k	D4	1N914			
R14	47R	D5	1N914			
R15	220k	D6	1N914			
R16	220k	D7	1N4001			
R17	820k	D8	LED			
R18	1M					
CLR*		*CLR = LED Cι	Irrent Limiting Resi	istor. Try 2.2K.		

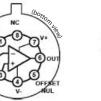
NOTES:

This is a tight layout- it's advisable to do the wiring of the off-board connections before installing the tone pot, otherwise the pot will be in the way.

**These values are based upon the 1977 version of the Op-Amp Big Muff. For IC1, JRC4558D is considered to be the most desirable IC version to use. Other versions of the 4558 will work, but may have some tonal differences. Similarly, for IC2, the Texas Instruments UA741CP is considered the best chip, yet other versions of the 741 such as the LM741P will work.

Bonus MOJO points if you can source a 'Metal-Can IC' version of the LM741. Definitely use an IC socket, and you will need to flatten out the legs into two rows.









Pinch IC legs 1 - 4 & 5 - 8 into two straight rows with needle-nose pliers and insert into IC socket. The little metal tab indicates pin 8.





GENERAL INSTRUCTION STEPS:

Important: do the assembly in the following order to avoid unnecessary hardship!



1. Install/solder all <u>resistors</u> & <u>diodes</u> that lay flat on the PCB.

2. Install/solder any <u>sockets</u> (for IC's, diodes, resistors.. anywhere you might want to change a part, value or type).

3. Install/solder any DIP switches (if any).

4. Install/solder all capacitors & transistors.

5. Install/solder <u>ribbon cable</u> connector and/or any other <u>wiring</u> on the PCB which go to the jacks/stomp switch.

6. Install/solder <u>PCB mounted pots</u> & <u>LED</u> (*Important*: use pot dust caps or some other non-conductive material to keep back of pots from touching the back of the pcb)

7. Attach/solder wiring to the jacks & stomp switch.

TIPS:

- Check to make sure your wiring is complete before firing up the pedal for the first time, especially the 9V & ground wiring.

- Snip your component leads short after soldering. Your solder joints should look like shiny little Hershey's Kisses when finished.

- Socket anything you might want to change, or anything that would be very difficult to remove if faulty (IC's/transistors).

RESOURCES:

Parts Ordering: Tayda Electronics Mouser Love My Switches Website: taydaelectronics.com mouser.com lovemyswitches.com

<u>Specialties:</u> resistors, capacitors, diodes, sockets, LEDs, pots, knobs resistors, capacitors, IC's switches, knobs, enclosures, pre-wired LEDs



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