

Rabbit Tape - User Manual

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1. Introduction

Meet "Rabbit Tape" by Safari Pedals, a tape emulation plugin set to add color and warmth to your sound.

Rabbit Tape is designed to effortlessly control the intensity of your sound, taking you from subtle tape magic to an alluringly wild distortion.

It taps into the essence of magnetic tape effects, enabling saturation, tone modulation, and signal compression. Perfect for adding crunch to drums, saturating vocals, or lending a touch of warmth to your master track.

Time to let loose in the jungle of sounds with Rabbit Tape (:



2. Installation

Installation For Mac users:

The included installer should install the plugin's VST3, AU, and AAX formats automatically, you may need to restart your DAW to see the plugin listed.

For Windows users:

You will have to manually move the plugin formats into their respective folders. Common locations for each format are as follows:

- VST3: C:\Program Files\Common Files\VST3
- AAX: C:\Program Files\Common Files\Avid\Audio\Plug-Ins

If after restarting your DAW, you still don't see the plugin listed, check your DAW's plugin folder settings, and be sure that the plugin is in the proper location for your software.

3. Product registration

When launching the Rabbit Tape for the first time, you will see the serial registration screen, and if you have not yet purchased a license, here is where you can begin your trial period. If purchased, enter your license key for the product and click the submit button to start getting wild

During trial mode you can still register at any time by clicking the serial number prompt, and opening the registration prompt from there. After your trial ends you will go back to seeing the registration prompt every time you open an instance, and you will have to register the product to continue.

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Grit: The Grit knob sweeps from subtle retro charm to edgy distortion, a wild ride in the magnetic jungles of tape.



Tape Style and Noise selection: The 'Tape Style and Noise Selection' lets you choose between 'Cassette' and 'Reel To Reel', Each choice brings a different tape wilderness to your sound, altering tone and noise type to mimic the unique characteristics of its chosen tape creature



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Wow: The Wow control will control the amount of pitch modulation applied to the signal. it's a bit different than other Wow effects as it is random and changes between sources.

Please note that not all settings will work with the blend knob



Flutter: The Flutter control allows you to manipulate the volume modulation of your signal. Use it to create subtle variations or significant shifts in volume



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The auto gain feature enables the option to control both input and output together. Please note that due to the way Rabbit Tape works you might want to go counter intuitively to a preset with less input and more output as that will really kick the tape emulation in to full effect.

The Width feature will enable you to widen the affected sound without changing the mono signal.



The Blend feature will enable you to blend the input dry signal with the affected processed signal. Some of the combinations with the “Wow” knob will lead to some phasing issues due to time changes in real time with the “Wow” knob. Turning off the Wow feature will fix this.



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The Input and output knobs will control the dbfs input & output trim
(Pushing the input will create a different sound and tone from having it lower)



Over-Sampling: This savvy little button is your ticket to avoid aliasing
But remember, sound is a wild beast and sometimes, over-sampling might not be its favorite treat.



Trust your ears and let them guide you on this one - they're the best jungle guides you've got!"

Use the preset library to store, delete and use your favorite presets!



All LEDs can turn on/off any of the plugin's features individually



5. Troubleshooting

Be sure to re-read through the Setup section of this manual just in case.
Regardless feel free to reach out to us at Noam@safaripedals.com