



Hey champ, welcome to your new EarthQuaker Devices brand Talons Overdrive unit! Congratulations on making a totally reasonable decision in your quest for awesome, ripping tone! The Talons is an ultra flexible dirt machine that can go from clean to crunch and everything in between with a swift turn of the gain control. Add to that a powerful active 3 band equalization section and some top end contour via the presence control and you've got one versatile little buddy at your disposal.

Controls

Level: Master volume control. There is a lot of level on tap, please adjust accordingly.

Presence: Adjusts the top end and upper mids to control the amount of "sizzle" in the dirt. Turn clockwise for a brighter tone, counter clockwise to mellow it out.

Gain: Preamp volume control. Controls the amount of dirt available, from clean to heavy crunch.

Treble: Noon is flat, boost is clockwise from noon, cut is counter clockwise from noon.

Bass: Noon is flat, boost is clockwise from noon, cut is counter clockwise from noon.

Middle: Noon is flat, boost is clockwise from noon, cut is counter clockwise from noon.

Power

A standard 9-18 volt DC power supply intended for musical instruments with a negative center 2.1mm barrel. 18v will yield higher headroom with a slightly brighter, stronger tone and more volume. We strongly recommend a high quality power supply with isolated outputs and good filtering to avoid unwanted noise. Will also run off a 9v battery for you olde tyme types.

Current draw: 5ma **Input Impedance:** About 220K **Output Impedance:** Less than 10K

Questions

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