



XP-30 64-Voice Expandable Synthesizer

Power, Performance, Expandability and More!



The Roland XP-30 64-Voice Expandable Synthesizer resets the price/performance standard for powerful, expandable synthesis by offering the world-renowned sound sets of the acclaimed JV-1080 and JV-2080 synth modules, all the Patches from the Session, Orchestral, and Techno Collection expansion boards, plus two additional expansion board slots—all at a price within reach of serious musicians at any level.

- High-performance 61-key synthesizer with velocity and aftertouch sensitivity
- 64-voice sound engine includes the sound set of industry-standard JV-1080/2080 sound module, plus all Patches from Session, Orchestral and Techno Collection expansion boards
- 2 expansion board slots can be fitted with any of Roland's 15 optional expansion boards for further customization
- Includes the advanced Arpeggiator capabilities of the XP-60/80
- Built-in Reverb, Chorus and EFX set with 40 different multi-effects algorithms
- Four onboard sliders for realtime sound control and editing
- Patch Finder and Phrase Preview functions borrowed from the JV-2080
- Big luminous buttons, easy user layout and optional SmartMedia™ storage

A Big, Bold, Expandable Sound Set

Don't let the low cost of this synthesizer fool you. The XP-30's sound engine ranks among the most extensive collections that Roland has ever introduced. Included in this power-packed synth is the complete 640-Patch sound set of the industry-standard JV-1080/2080 sound module (including 128 GM-compatible Patches), plus all of the Patches from the Session, Orchestral, and Techno Collection wave expansion boards—giving users a total of 1,534 Patches and 64MB* of wave memory onboard!

Beyond this amazing internal sound set, the XP-30 also offers two expansion board slots for installing optional SR-JV80 Series wave expansion boards. These genre-specific boards contain hundreds of additional sounds each, ranging from Asian instruments to cutting-edge Hip-Hop. Each of these boards easily ranks among the best-quality and most expressive sound collections available in the world today. So with 15 boards currently available, users are sure to easily find wealth of sonic inspiration, whatever their preferred style of music.

** Product pictured is a prototype model. Actual product appearance may be subject to change.*

Professional Synth Features

The XP-30 itself is a 61-key weighted and aftertouch-sensitive synthesizer which boasts full 64-voice polyphony, built-in independent reverb, chorus and EFX (multi-effects) processing with 40 algorithms, and full sound editing capability. It includes the acclaimed Arpeggiator from the XP-60/80, as well as four assignable Tone Palette sliders for intuitive sound shaping. New Patch Finder and Phrase Preview functions allow for quick Patch location and for the ability to hear a selected Patch or Tone in a short musical phrase (a la the JV-2080).

Making it Easy

The XP-30 is graced with a straightforward interface designed with the everyday user and common operations in mind (imagine that!). Patches have been classified into Tone Categories, which users can directly access through the Category Select buttons for easy navigation. And big, luminous buttons light to indicate the status of a number of functions. Rounding out this amazing price/performance breakthrough is a built-in SmartMedia™ storage slot for additional storage of Patches and Performances on optional 2MB and 4MB SmartMedia cards.

Never before has such an affordable synth offered so many onboard sounds, such acclaimed professional features and this degree of massive expandability.

* When converted in a 16-bit linear format.

Specifications

Keyboard

61 keys (with velocity and channel aftertouch)

Parts

16 (Part 10: Rhythm Part)

Max. Polyphony

64 voices

Effects

EFX: 40, Chorus, Reverb (8 types)

Preset Memory

Patches: 1406 = 128 x 5 banks (same as the JV-2080, incl. 128 GM compatible patches) + 255 from "Session" + 255 from "Orchestral" + 256 from "Techno Collection",
Performances: 64 = 32 x 2 banks, Rhythm Sets: 26 = 2 x 5 banks (same as the JV-2080, incl. 2 GM compatible sets) + 8 from "Session" + 8 from "Techno"

User Memory

Patches: 128, Performances: 32, Rhythm Sets: 2

Wave Expansion Capacity

SR-JV80 Series Wave Expansion Board: 2

External Storage Media

SmartMedia(tm)

Display

40-character, 2-line backlit LCD

Connectors

Output (L/Mono, R), Phones, MIDI (In, Out, Thru),
Computer IF (Mac/PC-1/PC-2), Control Pedal, Hold Pedal

Power Supply

AC 117V/230V/240V

Dimensions

1011 (W) x 289 (D) x 88 (H) mm (39-13/19" x 11-3/8" x 3-1/2")

Weight

7.8 kg (17 lbs. 4 oz.)

Accessories

CD-ROM, SmartMedia(tm) Card Protector

Options

SR-JV80 Series Wave Expansion Boards, S2M-5/S4M-5
SmartMedia(tm) Card