Reference and Owner's Manual for the Champion 30
Your new Champion 30 is designed by the same Fender® Tone-team that created many other classic Fender amps like the ToneMaster®, Prosonic™, Princeton® Chorus and Twin Reverb® to name a few. And, it’s built by the same craftspeople that build our popular line of Standard Series guitars and basses.

Your Champion 30 amp features include treble, mid and bass tone controls, spring reverb, convenient front panel jacks with remote footswitching capabilities, speaker extension and both Normal and Drive Channels. The Normal and Drive Channels also feature individual volume controls allowing for matched level settings when switching between either channel. Moreover, the Drive channel incorporates Fender’s “smooth clipping” circuit designed to simulate tube distortion.

Solidly built and affordably priced, the Champion 30 is a great amp by any measure. Because of its illustrious family tree, your new amp is capable of a lot more than meets the eye. Please read through your owner’s manual in order to more thoroughly understand the operation of your Champion 30.

Take the time to get to know each other... Tune-up, Plug-in and Play-on.

CHAMPION 30 SOUND SETTINGS

Standard Strat / Any Pick-up Combination (Normal Channel)

[Diagram]

Strat Madness / Bridge Pick-up (Drive Channel)

[Diagram]

Smokey Blues / Neck Pick-up (Drive Channel)

[Diagram]

Whisper Lead - Any Guitar / Any Pick-up Combination (Drive Channel)

[Diagram]
A. INPUT 1 - Plug your guitar in here.

B. INPUT 2 - A lower impedance and sensitivity input than input 1, useful for guitars with active pickups. When used with passive guitars, it provides a darker tone. Both inputs are identical if used simultaneously.

C. NORMAL VOLUME - Adjusts the overall loudness of the NORMAL CHANNEL.

D. GAIN - adjusts the amount of preamp amplification in the DRIVE CHANNEL. Cleaner sound is achieved at lower gain settings; high gain settings will produce more sustain and distortion. This control works in conjunction with the DRIVE VOLUME control (item F) to set the overall loudness of the DRIVE CHANNEL.

E. CH SELECT - Activates the DRIVE CHANNEL.

F. DRIVE VOLUME - Adjusts the overall loudness of the DRIVE CHANNEL.

G. DRIVE CHANNEL INDICATOR - When this indicator is illuminated, the DRIVE CHANNEL is active.

H. TREBLE - Adjusts the amount of increase or decrease in the high frequency range.

I. MID - Adjusts the overall tone quality without affecting the signal level. High MID settings will provide emphasis in the midrange frequencies whereas a lower setting will notch the midrange.

J. BASS - Adjusts the amount of increase or decrease in the low frequency range.

K. REVERB - Adjusts the amount of reverb present in both the NORMAL and DRIVE CHANNELS.

L. FOOTSWITCH - Plug-in connection for the optional remote footswitch to select between the NORMAL and DRIVE channels. For proper operation of the footswitch, the Gain Select switch should be out. NOTE: Any good quality patch cord will work with the remote footswitch, however, a speaker grade cord is preferable to a coax guitar cord.

M. EXTERNAL SPEAKER - This jack provides an output to an external speaker enclosure. The enclosure must have a minimum impedance of 8Ω. Using this jack automatically disables the internal speaker.

N. POWER INDICATOR - When this indicator is illuminated, the Champion 30 is receiving AC power.

REAR PANEL

POWER SWITCH - This switch turns the AC power ON and OFF. When the switch is OFF, the amplifier is completely shut down.

LINE CORD - This amplifier is equipped with a grounding type supply cord to reduce the possibility of shock hazard. Be sure to connect it to a grounded receptacle. DO NOT ALTER THE AC PLUG.
CHAMPION 30 SPECIFICATIONS

TYPE
PR 404

PART NUMBERS:
022-6703-010, (120V, 60Hz), USA
022-6763-010, (230V, 50Hz), Europe
022-6743-010, (230V, 50Hz), UK
022-6733-010, (240V, 50Hz), Aust
022-6773-010, (100V, 50/60Hz), Japan

POWER REQUIREMENTS
38W

INPUT IMPEDANCE
>1MΩ

NOMINAL INPUT LEVEL
100 mV

POWER OUTPUT
30W R.M.S.

RATED LOAD IMPEDANCE
8Ω

SPEAKER COMPLEMENT
One 8Ω Special Design
10" Speaker (P/N 036502)

DIMENSIONS
Height: 15.5 in. (39.4 cm)
Width: 17 in. (43.2 cm)
Depth: 8.5 in. (21.6 cm)

WEIGHT
25 lbs. (11.4 kg)

WARNING:
- NO USER SERVICEABLE PARTS INSIDE, REFER SERVICING TO QUALIFIED SERVICE PERSONNEL ONLY.
- TO REDUCE THE RISK OF FIRE OR SHOCK HAZARD, DO NOT EXPOSE THIS AMPLIFIER TO RAIN OR MOISTURE.
- THIS UNIT MUST BE EARTH GROUNDED.

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