# 850 Eurorack Utility Module



### Overview

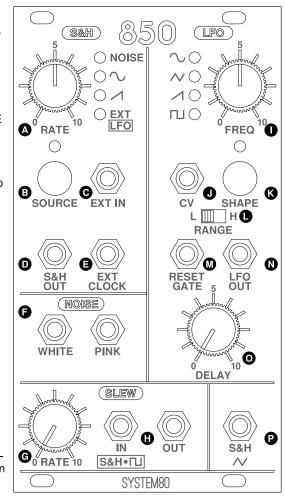
The System80 850 Eurorack module is a multi-function modulation source. It combines a voltage-controlled Low Frequency Oscillator (LFO), a Sample & Hold (S&H) circuit, white and pink Noise sources, and a Slew Limiter circuit. The LFO frequency can be modulated by an external Control Voltage (CV) and can be reset by an external rising pulse (Gate or Trigger). The LFO also features an adjustable Delay circuit triggered by the reset pulse which allows a gradual increase in LFO output after reset.

The S&H circuit can use Pink Noise (Random), any of the LFO waveforms, or

an external signal as a sample source. The S&H internal clock can be overridden with an external clock signal to allow sampling to be sychronized with external events. By default, the S&H output is normalized to the Slew circuit's input, allowing for slew to be added to the S&H signal. Alternatively, the S&H clock pluse can be connected to the Slew input by changing a jumper connector on the back of the module. The input into the Slew circuit is broken when an external signal is plugged into the Slew input jack. The S&H circuit also has a triangle waveform output that is the same frequency as the clock.

## **Control Descriptions**

- ♠ S&H Rate Control Changes the sampling rate of the S&H cir-
- Source Selector Changes the source of the signal that is sampled by the S&H circuit. EXT is normalized to the LFO output. Resets to NOISE on power up.
- © External Sample Input Input for connection of an external signal to the S&H circuit.
- **●**S&H Output
- External Sample Clock Input for external sampling clock that overrides internal S&H clock.
- Noise Source
   Both White and Pink Noise outputs are available.
- © Slew Rate Control Changes the slew rate of the Slew circuit.
- Slew Input and Output
  Slew input is normalized to either S&H output or S&H clock pulse. Connection broken when external signal applied.



- LFO Frequency Control Changes the frequency of the LFO.
- UFO Control Voltage Input Control voltage input for LFO frequency.
- LFO Range Switch Sets the frequency range of the LFO between low (L) and high (H).
- LFO Reset/Gate Input
  Input for LFO reset/gate signal. Rising pulse resets LFO cycle and Delay rise time.
- **№** LFO Output
- LFO Delay Time Control Changes the LFO rise time delay after Reset event.
- S&H Clock Triangle Output Bi-polar triangle waveform output at the same frequency as the internal S&H clock.

### **Specifications**

**LFO** 

Output amplitude:

 $\sim$  -5 V to +5 V

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✓ 0 V to +7.5 V

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Frequency control range:

0.1 Hz - 3 Hz (LOW)

3 Hz - 100 Hz (HIGH)

### LFO (cont'd)

Full frequency range: 0.015 Hz - 150 Hz Frequency CV response: -5 V to +5 V

Delay time (max): 4 s

S&H

Frequency range: 0.1 Hz - 100 Hz Clock pulse amplitude: -10 V to +10 V Triangle amplitude: -5 V to +5 V

#### **SLEW**

Slew time (max): ~2 s

NOISE

White: -10 V to +10 VPink: -5 V to +5 V

#### **GENERAL**

Power consumption: 40 mA +12 V, 20 mA -12 V

Width: 14 HP

Depth: 28 mm (incl. power connector)

