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KORG DEBUTS STAGEMAN 80 AMPLIFIER WITH RHYTHMS

- A high quality multi-function portable PA amp which contains
an enormous variety of live-recorded drum phrases. -

KORG announces the STAGEMAN 80. Do you need rhythm for your solo performances? You have a rhythm machine, but do you want your performance to feel more “alive”? The STAGEMAN 80 is a multi-function portable PA amp that will meet those needs.

This unit contains a large number of high-quality rhythm patterns that can even respond to tempo change in realistic ways, due to KORG's new "Real Groove Technology." The STAGEMAN 80 can act as your personal drummer to support your live performances or practice sessions; you can even create a rhythm structure that's appropriate for your own song, while using a foot switch to control it in real time. With high-output, high-quality stereo speakers, it can also be used as a live PA. It additionally provides a recorder and audio player, as well as a full-featured mixer. The STAGEMAN 80 lets you perform with optimal sound backed by the ultimate rhythms.

- A stereo 80W high-output system provides high-quality sounds
- Rhythm machine function with excellent presence. A total of approximately 3GB of rhythm loops are included, covering a range of 24 genres such as 8-beat, 16-beat, unplugged beats such as Cajon, rock, jazz, and boss nova, with two variations for each genre.
- Simple-to-use recording and playback functions with SD card
- Mixer function - including a mic input, two inputs to connect a guitar or bass, and an AUX input that supports line-level stereo output from devices such as an iPod or keyboard.
- KORG's proprietarily developed virtual surround technology, “Acoustage” adds spaciousness
- Convenient tuner and metronome functions
- Supports a separately sold foot switch (VOX VFS5) for greater control during live performance
- DC 19V or battery-powered (six D batteries)

**Features and specifications are subject to change without notice.*

More information at: <http://www.korg.com>