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QUOTE

by Arpeggiator » 28 Dec 2011, 21:39

Just got an FRV-1 - what can I say...very nice! I fiddled around for a while and I'm loving it so far. I mean it's not very versatile, but that's not what it's supposed to be. Sounds great with my Mustang...instant Dick Dale!

What are the other ones like? I'm particularly interested in the Bassman one. Anybody got one? Or the FDR-1?

Arpeggiator
BOSS NEAR GOLD
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Re: Fender Legend Series

QUOTE

by natthu » 28 Dec 2011, 21:59

I've heard that the others aren't so good. Of course, I have not been fortunate enough to try them myself. I would be interested to hear how you think they compare to the FRV-1

natthu
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Re: Fender Legend Series

QUOTE

by Joske_Turbo » 28 Dec 2011, 23:01

I have the FDR-1 but I don't really like it, I think it's good if you really want the Fender tone (never heard the actual amp so I don't really know) but the overdrive sounds kinda digital and not very natural to me. The reverb does sound quite decent, as does the vibrato, but the basic sound doesn't do it for me.

Joske_Turbo
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Re: Fender Legend Series

QUOTE

by DB Cooper » 28 Dec 2011, 23:05

I like the FBM-1 Bassman as I think it's a pretty versatile "stand-alone" pedal into my Fender Blues Jr. amp. I haven't spent much time with the FDR-1 yet.

NOTE: I don't have as sophisticated tastes as some, nor are my preferences as refined. I just started playing guitar three years ago at age 45, electric only a year ago, and with pedals only six months ago. I just think it's cool as crap that I can strap a guitar on, crank the amp up, step on a few stomp boxes, and make some noise! My opinion should be regarded with this in mind!

DB Cooper
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QUOTE

by Zerksies » 28 Dec 2011, 23:28

I got the real thing so i don't need the pedal. But congrats on the new piece of gear

Zerksies
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QUOTE

by nathanscribe » 28 Dec 2011, 23:32

I'm liking the FRV-1 so far - had mine a few weeks. I've had spring reverbs in the past, and this is the closest digital emulation I've heard, I think. There might be more expensive ones that sound better, I don't know - but even so, the price is right and it sounds good, so I'm happy.

nathanscribe
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QUOTE

by Laurie » 29 Dec 2011, 00:00

The FBM and FDR pedals are "ok"... but the FRV is a cut above - a great pedal.

Laurie
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QUOTE

by sclitheroe » 29 Dec 2011, 03:15

As a low-gain OD, I think the FBM-1 is pretty good. I'm talking quite low gain though - down around 10'oclock or so, to add a tiny hint of breakup and touch sensitivity to an otherwise completely clean amp. Above that, I don't know, although I also haven't experimented with it much at those levels, since I'd stack it with another OD (BD-2 works well in front of it) before using it that way.

-Scott

sclitheroe
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Re: Fender Legend Series

QUOTE

by Arpeggiator » 29 Dec 2011, 10:05

Thanks, guys!

That kinda confirms what I read around the internet. I guess I'll stick with the FRV-1 for now. I really like it - though you have to be careful with dirt pedals...

Arpeggiator
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Re: Fender Legend Series

QUOTE

by Feedbacker » 08 Jan 2012, 14:14

I've got the FDR-1 and think it's a good, versatile pedal: you've got a distortion unit and a tremelo effect in one handy box. Maybe not one for the purists, but I like running it into my little micro amp at home

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