sx-KN901 **Technics** KEYBOARD GO AHEAD GET CARRIED AWAY



# Sounds and rhythms for any repertoire

Now playing beautiful music can be for everyone. In fact, the new Technics SX-KN901 keyboard can help you play beautifully from the beginning. This incredibly simple-to-play instrument lets you choose from an impressive array of 200 preset sounds created with Technics' own Dynamic PCM. They include a variety of acoustic instruments like piano, organ, strings and brass, and more contemporary instrument sounds like the distortion guitar. If that doesn't make it easy enough, there's even 100 preset rhythms that cover a versatile range of music genres, from traditional styles like Euro Combo mixed with accordion sound to everpopular patterns like U.S. Rock, Dance and Rap. You can even play variations of each. Of course, the SX-KN901 also incorporates 32-note

polyphony and initial touch-sensitive keys to give your music that polished professional sound.

### Superb sound controls at your command

Designed for maximum enjoyment and ease of use, the SX-KN901 offers plenty of exciting sound effect features you'll love to use. Digital Reverb, for example, lends hall-like acoustics to your music, while Chorus gives you more depth. For more contemporary effects, the SX-KN901 also provides Phaser and Flanger effects, plus Pitch Bend to generate more aggressive tones. There's also Key Scaling which offers nine presets ranging from Arabic to Slendro, and one user memory of your own scale setting. Use these to play all your favorite music styles from Baroque to ethnic repertoires from Asian to Middle Eastern. Now that's control.

# HELPING YOU PLAY BEAUTIFULLY RIGHT FROM THE START



### Just the way you like it

Create sounds and rhythms of your own through Technics' Sound Edit and Composer functions. Sound Edit features an easy edit mode that lets you easily change preprogrammed sound parameters, and the Composer allows you to change preprogrammed rhythms or create completely new ones from scratch. What's more, these soundenhancing features can easily be accessed through the LCD window.

Want more rhythm patterns? Simply access the Rhythm Patterns Disk for extra rhythms stored on floppy disks.

Moreover, the SX-KN901 conforms to SMF (Standard Midi File) Format 0 so you can take advantage of the wide range of patterns commercially available plus Sequencer and Composer data created with Technics SX-KN2000 and SX-KN1200 keyboards.

## Accompaniments to match your playing style

This incredibly versatile keyboard can be tailored to your style of playing. By offering a full complement of professionally produced accompaniment patterns, plus One Touch Play for optimum panel settings (sound, tempo, accompaniment style) and Auto Play Chord for automatic chord accompaniment, you're assured of sophisticated sounding performances for any music. There's even On Bass mode, which automatically plays a melodic bass line accompaniment determined by the lowest note in any chord. And through Sound Arranger, you can easily customize any parts in the accompaniment pattern. In addition, the SX-KN901 features Manual Sequence Pads -



exclusive to Technics' new keyboard series — that let you add various realtime phrase playback to your performance and instantly record them without using the sequencer. Finally, to store all these settings you can use the Panel Memory.

### Music Data Storage

With all the beautiful music you'll be creating, you'll want to save your best performances. That's where Technics' 16-Track Sequencer comes in. This handy function stores your music in realtime or step record.

And for permanently saving your music data (full band performances, edited sounds, original rhythms, etc.),

you can use the built-in 3.5" FDD.







#### **Optional Accessories**





■ Sound Presets

PIANO ID Piano ID Bright Plano ID Piano ID Piano ID Piano ID Piano ID Piano ID Piano ID Modern E. P. 1 ID Harpsichord ID Piano ID Pi	11 Vibraphone 12 Marimba 13 Xylophone SPECIAL PERC 14 Banjo 15 Music Box 16 Steel Drum 17 Sitar	23 Folk Guitar 24 Jazz Guitar 1 25 Bright Solid Gtr 26 Mute Guitar 27 Distortion Gtr 28 Overdrive Gtr 29 Country Gtr VOCAL	35 Cello 36 Strings 37 Soft Strings 38 Pizzicato 39 Synth Strings 1 ORGAN 40 Pipe Organ 1 41 Theatre Organ	47 Mute Trumpet 48 Trombone 49 Close Fr. Horn 50 Synth Brass 51 Synth Brass Ens. FLUTE 52 Piccole 53 Jazz Flute	59 Tenor Sax 60 Baritone Sax 61 Jazz Clarinet 62 Oboe 63 Bassoon 64 Bagpipe 65 Harmonica ACCORDION	71 Chiffer Lead 72 Lead Voice SYNTH PAD 73 Fantasia 74 Polysynth 75 Spacy Pad 76 Crystal Ensemble 77 Metal Pad	BASS 82 Acoustic Bass 83 Electric Bass 84 Fretless Bass 85 Picked E. Bass 86 Mute Bass 87 Slap Bass 1 88 Wow Bass	94 Fret Noise KEYBOARD PERC 95 Jazz Kit 96 Rock Kit 1 97 Rock Kit 2 98 Dance Kit 99 Soul Kit
07 Clavi ORCHESTRAL 08 Harp 09 Timpani MALLET 10 Glockenspiel	18 Koto 19 Agogo 20 Taiko Drum 21 Melodic Tom GUITAR 22 Classical Gtr	30 Vecal Ah 31 Vecal Ooh 32 Synth Vecal STRINGS 33 Violin 34 Country Fidele	42 Jazz Organ 43 Full Drawbars 44 Rock Organ BRASS 45 Brass 46 Trumpet	54 Recorder 55 Pan Flute 56 Shakuhachi REED 57 Soprano Sax 58 Alto Sax	66 Bright Accordion 67 Musette SYNTH LEAD 68 Square Lead 69 Saw Lead 70 Synth Calliope	78 Mist SYNTH EFFECT 79 Ice Rain 80 Soundtrack 81 Goblins	89 Synth Chopper 90 Tuba SOUND EFFECT 91 Telephone 92 Helicopter 93 Applause	

#### ■ Rhythm Presets

8 BEAT 00 8Bt Standard 01 8Bt Rock 01 8Bt Rock 03 8Bt Ballad 1 03 8Bt Ballad 2 04 8Bt Soul 1 05 8Bt Soul 2 06 8Bt Pop 07 Hard Rock	12 Rock'n'Roll 1 13 Rock'n'Roll 2 16 BEAT 14 16Bt Standard 1 15 16Bt Standard 2 16 16Bt Rock 1 17 16Bt Rock 2 18 16Bt Ballad 19 16Bt Pop Ballad	23 Jazz Rock 2 24 Jazz Funk 1 25 Jazz Funk 2 26 Soul Rock 1 27 Soul Rock 2 28 Soul Ballad 29 Caribbean Rock 3 30 Samba Rock 1 31 Samba Rock 2	35 Disco 1 36 Disco 2 37 Dance 1 38 Dance 2 39 Rap 40 House ROCK (OTHERS) 41 Shuffle Brogie	47 Swing Rock LATIN 48 Rhumba 49 Beguine 50 Mambo 51 Modern Mambo 52 Cha Cha 53 Satsa 54 Swingy Reggae	59 Tango Argentine 60 Tango Continental 61 Folklore 62 Arabian 5 WING 63 Standard Swing 64 Big Band 1 65 Big Band 2 66 Big Band Ballad	70 Jazz Quartet 71 Jazz Ballad 72 Modern Jazz Fast 73 Dixie 74 Organ Blues 75 Jazz Waltz WALTZ 76 Standard Waltz 77 Vienna Waltz	TRAD & SHOW 84 Polka 2/4 85 Foxtrot 86 Chanson Foxtrot 87 Quickstep	U.S. TRAD 93 Country 2 Step 94 Country Swing 95 Bluegrass 96 R & B Soul 97 R & B Ballad 98 Gospel Shuffle 99 Hawaiian
08 U.S. Rock 09 Heavy Metal 10 Country Rock 11 60's Pop	20 16Bt Pop salad 20 16Bt Pop s 21 Piano Pop MODERN ROCK 22 Jazz Rock 1	FUNK & DANCE 32 Funk 1 33 Funk 2 34 Swing Funk	42 Shuffle Boogle 43 Shuffle Harfd Rock 44 Shuffle Ballad 45 Rock Ballad 46 Slow Soul Ballad		66 Big Band Ballad 67 Orchestra Swing JAZZ 68 Jazz Combo 69 Euro Combo	77 Vienna Waltz 78 Chanson Waltz 79 Swingy Waltz MARCH 80 U.S. March 2/4	BB Broadway Show B9 Hollywood 90 Soft Shoe 91 Cabaret 92 Paris Ballari	NAME OF REPORTS OF PARTY.

#### **SPECIFICATIONS**

		SX-KN901			
Keyboard		61 keys (with initial touch)			
Sound Generator		PCM			
Maximum Polyphony		32			
Sounds		200 sounds			
E	ffects	digital effect, sustain,chorus/flanger, pitch bend			
D	igital Reverb	(switchable to phaser)			
P	art Select	•			
С	onductor	right 1, right 2, left			
T	ranspose	G-C-F#			
Rhythm		100 patterns + 100 variations			
Controls		main volume, balance, start/stop, intro & ending, fill in 1, 2, variation, count intro, synchro & break, tempo, split point, mute			
M	anual Sequence Pads	preset phrase: 11 banks x 3, user memory: 3 banks x 3, record/stop			
Auto Play Chord		one finger, fingered, pianist, memory, on bass, music style arranger, sound arranger			
0	ne Touch Play	•			
A	uto Harmony	techni-chord (13 patterns)			
Panel Memory		set, 1 - 5 x 2 banks			
_	Track	16 tracks			
Š	Storage Capacity	approx. 19,000 notes			
Sequencer	Input Mode	easy record, realtime record, step record (chord, rhythm)			
	Functions	sequencer clear, quantize			
Composer	Part	parts (bass, accomp 1, 2, 3, drums)			
	Storage Capacity	approx. 8,600 notes			
	Input Mode	realtime record			
	Functions	composer load, clear, percussion erase, mode select, bend range			
Memory		2 banks x 10 (memory 1 - 6, intro, fill-in 1, 2, ending)			

3.5-inch disk drive for 2HD (1.44 MB), 2DD (720 KB) disk load (Technics, SMF format 0),
disk save (Technics, SMF format 0), disk format,
load single composer pattern, load single sound memory
part setting, touch & tune, techni-chord type, left hold, reverb & phaser, chorus & flanger
tone shuffle, octave shift, vibrato, auto bend, envelope, filter, digital effect memory: 36
inital, keyboard setup (foot switch setting, LCD contrast), key scaling, sequencer clear, sequencer quantize, track assign, medley play, MIDI setting (part setting, control message, other settings, presets, GM mode set, bulk dump)
LCD (16 characters x 2 lines), exit, display hold
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phones, line out (R/R + L, L), foot sw, exp pedal, MIDI (IN/OUT/THRU)
8W x 2
12cm (423/32*) x 2
65W, 50W (North America and Mexico)
AC120/220/240V 50/60Hz,
AC120V 60Hz (North America and Mexico),
AC230V 50/60Hz (New Zealand and Philippines),
AC230~240V 50/60Hz (Europe)
99.8 x 11.8 x 35.1 cm (399/32 x 421/32 x 1313/16*)
8.0 kg (17.6 lbs.)
music stand, AC cord, rhythm patterns disk

\*Without music stand and batteries

