

Cute Lab – Mom Jeans

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Mom Jeans (CuteLab) Eurorack Module Cheat Sheet

Pulsar synthesis VCO with unique density and grain-width modulation for advanced digital timbres.

Panel Controls & Reference

Knobs

#	Name	Function	CV Input (Jacks)	Voltage Range
1	Pitch	Sets base oscillator frequency	V/Oct (#14)	1V/oct standard, accepts $\pm V$ (typically -5V/+5V)
3	Density	Adjusts pulsaret grain width (main timbre control)	Density CV (#4)	$\pm 5V$ (typical)

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6	Cadence	Rate of internal density modulation	Cadence CV (#11)	±5V
7	Torque	Mod amount from internal modulator	Torque CV (#12)	±5V
10	Shape	Pulsaret waveform selection (sinc→triangle→rectangle→saw variants)	Shape CV (#13)	±5V

Buttons & Toggles

- **2: Range button** – Switches Pitch range:
 - Normal: 220Hz–880Hz
 - Extended (LED lit): 27.5Hz–3520Hz
- **8: Coupling toggle** – Quantizes internal mod rate (Cadence) to frequency ratios.
- **9: Quantization toggle** – Quantizes Cadence to stepped values related to pitch.

Jacks

#	Type	Name	Function	Voltage Range
4	CV In	Density	Modulates grain width	±5V
11	CV In	Cadence	Modulates modulation rate	±5V

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12	CV In	Torque	Modulates modulation amplitude	±5V
13	CV In	Shape	Modulates the current waveform	±5V
14	CV In	V/Oct	Exponential pitch control (1V/oct)	-/+V, 1V/octave
15	Audio In	Linear FM	Linear FM input (symmetric Hz mod)	±5V/line level
16	CV In	FM Index	Attenuverts Linear FM amplitude	±5V
17	Audio In	Sync	Hard syncs oscillator phase/rate	0–5V (typical gate/square)
18	Audio Out	Square	Classic square wave (bypasses Shape param)	±5V (audio)
19	Audio Out	Pulsar	Main output, full pulsar synthesis tone	±5V (audio)

#5 is a Cadence rate indicator LED.

Signal Flow & Core Functions

- **Pitch:** Set and control via knob, range button, and V/Oct CV for musical tracking.
- **Density:** Morphs between classic subharmonic and noise textures by stretching/overlapping grains; main sound-shaping parameter.
- **Cadence (rate):** Speed of the cyclic modulation of density (vibrato or audio-rate), CV controlled.

- **Torque (depth):** Depth/amount of cyclic density modulation, CV controlled.
 - **Shape:** Smoothly crossfades through seven waveforms per grain, from soft to bright.
 - **Coupling/Quantization toggles:** Force tight/stepped relations between modulation rates and pitch for more musical/organ-like timbres.
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Key Usage Tips

- **Blend Square and Pulsar outputs** for rich bass or hybrid tones.
 - **Extreme Density:** Far min and max produce noisy/rhythmic or digital textures.
 - **Coupling/Quant ON:** Maintains consistent pitch and creates stepped, "organ"-like transitions between timbres.
 - **Standard VCO use:** Use only Pitch, V/Oct, Linear FM, Sync, and Square Out.
 - **Pulsar synthesis:** Use Density, Cadence, Torque, and Shape controls—modulate them for evolving digital sounds.
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Manual Patch Inspirations

- **Super PWM:** Classic but richer pulse mod—from square and density mod.
 - **Pocket Monsters:** Wild digital screeches—modulate pitch/cadence.
 - **Ghost Vibes:** Fine/fleeting granular shimmer—fast, gentle density mod.
 - **Spelunker:** 8-bit, chirpy digital—low pitch + max density mod + saw/stepped shape.
 - **Simple Sinc:** Smooth, sine-like—low shape, varied density for gentle harmonics.
 - **Captain Crunch:** Bright, bell-like—pair audio-rate density mod with coupling.
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Power: 10-pin ribbon (2x5), +12V: ~80mA; -12V: ~2mA

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