My amp instructions says it has a PARALLEL FX LOOP. Well, this is a general term given to the FX LOOP in the case of some amplifiers like the Marshall 8080 shown here. However, there is a control marked DRY/EFF which allows you to make the FX LOOP a SERIAL type. Simply turn this control fully clockwise to ‘EFF’ when inserting SoloBooster™ into the FX LOOP. You will now find that SoloBooster™ works as intended.

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Understanding what SoloBooster™ is and how to use it:
SoloBooster is a foot-switch by-passable master volume control, not a pre-amp. It will not work as designed if inserted in the signal path between a guitar and an amplifier's instrument input.
It can only be used in a SERIAL EFFECTS LOOP of a guitar amp or pre-amp.
The RHYTHM LEVEL knob has been designed for foot adjustment. Therefore, its calibration is a little unusual to allow easy visibility of the position whilst adjusting with the right foot.
The STATUS LED is illuminated when the pedal is set to SOLO - full volume.
You will need two standard shielded guitar cables to connect SoloBooster™ to your amplifier.

Always connect SoloBooster FIRST in your effects chain.
The case is constructed from heavy duty diecast aluminium.
Warranty against faulty workmanship or components is 12 months from date of purchase.
Please do not STAND on the footswitch or control knob.

Getting plugged in for use
1. Just plug the input socket on SoloBooster™ into the FX SEND of your guitar amp and the output into the FX RETURN (Or input of effects pedals/rack if being used).
2. Depress the foot-switch to select SOLO (LED illuminated) and set the amplifier's volume to your normal solo playing level.
3. Depress the foot-switch to select RHYTHM (LED extinguished) and adjust the RHYTHM LEVEL control on SoloBooster™ to your perfect rhythm playing volume.
You are now set up to switch between the two playing levels without affecting your guitar amplifier's tone. Although, at lower playing levels, the tone will not appear the same as when you are playing loudly due to the way everyone's hearing works.
Some amplifiers call the FX SEND and RETURN by different names. Two of which are PRE OUT and MAIN IN. Please check in your amplifier's instruction manual for their proper definition. We cannot help with this.

Installing a 9 volt battery
1. To install a battery, you must unscrew the four screws holding the base plate onto the metal housing.
2. Inside you will see a battery snap connector and a battery clip. Simply plug the snap onto the 9 volt battery. Use alkaline type 6LR61 or better.
3. SoloBooster will continue to operate normally when the battery is flat, except that the LED will not illuminate.

Please read these instructions before using - thank you.