

# Roland



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vocal harmonist

GENERAL MIDI 2

DigiScore

### High-definition sound sensation!

Can you imagine a keyboard with such high-definition sounds and styles that it actually sounds like a real band?

How about a music workstation that allows you to sound incredible when performing your favourite songs?

And how about one with a sleek industrial design that's both a pleasure to look at and use?

Now stop imagining and start playing – the E-80 is here!

### Attractive Cosmetic Design

Even the most demanding aesthete will be surprised by the brand-new cosmetic design of the E-80 music workstation. The outstanding cabinet comes from a top Italian design studio. Truly, the E-80 is a treat for the eyes and the ears.



Keyboard stand KS-E-80 (optional).

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## Powerful onboard speaker system

The E-80 delivers incredible, hi-impact sound thanks to its powerful four-speaker, biamped sound system, complete with a Bass Reflex System and a Digital Bass Enhancer. The E-80 also provides "Speaker Modelling" to easily change the sound character of the speaker just by pressing a switch. Finally, a dedicated switch allows you to disable the built-in speakers if you need to connect to an external amplifier.



## User-Friendly interface

The E-80 features many switches, buttons and sliders on its control panel ensuring that the most commonly used operations can be accessed quickly and simply. A full-colour graphic touchscreen means that this is one of the easiest keyboards to operate currently available.

## A variety of "lively" sounds

A first class selection of sounds has been "captured live" in the highest fidelity for the E-80, including stunning sampled guitars, bass and the piano sounds. Enjoy a guitarist's fingers sliding on the strings of both an electric and a 12-string guitar, and the gorgeous 88-key split stereo-sampled piano tones and timbres that change according to finger pressure. Newly sampled drum kits (Rock, Pop and Folk to name just a few) have a realistic, natural resonance and various drum articulations, such as Cymbal Roll, bring sophisticated drum styles to your performance.

## An Easy Computer Connection

**USB Applications**  
A USB connector is also provided for exchanging PC/MAC files (Styles, Songs, User Programs, Bmp Images, Text Files) and MIDI communication.

**Database Manager Included**  
The E-80 is fully compatible with the "G-70 Database Manager" software, allowing you to quickly and easily manage Songs, Styles, User Programs directly from your computer.



## High-Quality Playback of SMFs

Explore this new sound potential by playing back your favourite standard MIDI files. The new high-quality sound table of the E-80 allows your songs to play at a quality not found in any other keyboard! Also, thanks to the Song Makeup editing tools, you can easily customise your songs using an intuitive graphic interface.

## Breathtaking musical contents

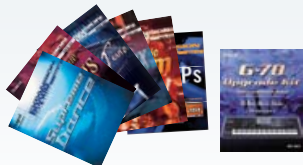
The E-80 comes with more than 350 styles created by a team of international programmers. All these styles sound incredibly "live" and are expertly mixed and mastered. Each tone and drum instrument has individual EQ, along with three dedicated multi-effects for the overall Style or Song.

## Vocal Harmonist built in

The E-80's Vocal Harmonist has over 80 different settings plus additional effects and features, including Voice-FX, Auto Pitch, Singer, Vocoder, Small/Ensemble and Talk.

## Other features

- **2 x Expansion slots**  
The E-80 provides two SRX expansion slots, allowing users to expand and customise the internal sound set to suit personal taste. Roland's SRX and SR-G01 expansion board series offers a wide selection of the highest quality sounds produced in some of the world's top studios.
- **Guitar Mode**  
The E-80 features the acclaimed Guitar Mode function, together with a dedicated Guitar Mode button. Guitar strumming and articulation are controllable directly from the keyboard, for both realtime performance and programming on the User Style Composer, 16-Track Sequencer and external software sequencer.
- **Data Compatibility**  
Data compatibility with G-70, E-60 and E-50 (Styles, One Touch settings, User Programs, Music Assistant settings, Songs).



- **Text and Image Viewer**  
The E-80 is able to import and show both (.TXT) and image files (.BMP) and, by connecting to an external monitor, your E-80 can easily display text, lyrics, photos and slideshows.
- **Mastering Tools**  
For detailed sound control, the E-80 provides powerful mastering tools - Parametric EQ and Multi-Band Compressor - for the accompaniment (Style/Song) and solo parts.
- **PCMCIA Data Storage**  
With this new music workstation you certainly won't have any problems with memory size! You can expand the E-80's internal memory through the PCMCIA slot, which is compatible with Microdrive (1.0-inch hard disk drive), CompactFlash, Memory Stick and SmartMedia.