HEAVEN 11 AUDIO

BILLIE MK3 SOFTWARE 1.10

NEW ENHANCEMENTS & SETTINGS

THIS UPDATE INTRODUCES SEVERAL FUNCTIONAL IMPROVEMENTS AND NEW CONFIGURATION OPTIONS FOR THE BILLIE MK3.

POWER-ON TIMEOUT The amplifier automatically enters standby if powered on without user interaction during the first 5 minutes. This prevents unnecessary operation caused by false starts, such as after power outages.

HOME THEATRE BYPASS [HTB] A new configuration sets the Billie volume to maximum for use with an external home theatre receiver. In this state, volume is controlled solely by the receiver. If a remote button is pressed while the volume is increasing, the HTB routine aborts. HTB resets automatically to the previous volume level when switching sources, headphones use, or on startup.

REDESIGNED TUBE SAVER ALGORITHM Updated Tube Saver with customizable threshold settings:

LOW: use if the amplifier powers down during quiet or low-level passages. Important: reducing the source device's output volume (e.g., streamer, phone) below standard line level may cause the Billie to switch off. In such cases, Tube Saver can be disabled if needed.

HIGH: use if the amplifier remains on when no signal is present.

WEIGHTED VOLUME CURVE Select from three volume curves, with separate settings for speakers and headphones. Connect headphones before adjusting their curve.

LOW-WEIGHTED VOLUME CURVE: expands the low-volume region, allowing finer adjustment at lower listening levels.

DEFAULT CURVE: maintains standard volume scaling across the full range.

HIGH-WEIGHTED VOLUME CURVE: compresses the low-volume region, enabling finer adjustment at higher output levels.



V1.10 | EXTRA SETTINGS MODE

PRESS AND HOLD THE SETTINGS BUTTON FOR 2 SECONDS TO ENTER EXTRA SETTINGS MODE. FLASHING TUBES CONFIRM ACTIVATION. PRESS THE DESIRED SETTINGS BUTTON TO ADJUST. IF NO INPUT IS RECEIVED, SETTINGS MODE EXITS AUTOMATICALLY AFTER 3 SECONDS.

CHILD LOCK Prevents Billie from being powered on via the volume knob. Only the remote can turn it on. If the remote is lost, reset to default by switching off the main power.

1/2/3 Assigns the current audio source as a favorite button for quick recall.

 $\mbox{\bf PRE}\,\big|\,\mbox{\bf LINE SELECT}\,$ Switches between pre-out and full-volume line-level output.

1 TUBE WINK: output set to line-level.

2 TUBE WINKS: DEFAULT output set to preamp|subwoofer mode.

TUBE SAVER DISABLE Prevents the amplifier from automatically turning off after 30 minutes of silence.

1 TUBE WINK: Tube Saver disabled.

2 TUBE WINKS: DEFAULT Tube Saver enabled.

TUBE SAVER SENSITIVITY User-adjustable Tube Saver. Press this setting combination repeatedly to cycle through the levels:

1 TUBE WINK: LOW use if the amp powers down during quiet passages.

2 TUBE WINKS: DEFAULT factory setting.

3 TUBE WINKS: HIGH use if the amp remains on when idle.

WEIGHTED VOLUME CURVE Select from three volume curves, with independent settings for headphones and speakers. Press this setting combination repeatedly to cycle through the levels:

1 TUBE WINK: LOW expands the low range for finer low-level control.

2 TUBE WINKS: DEFAULT factory setting.

3 TUBE WINKS: HIGH compresses the low range for finer high-level control.

HOME THEATRE BYPASS Routes control to an external receiver by fixing the current source's volume at maximum. Resets on start-up, headphone use or when switching sources.

SET START-UP VOLUME Sets current volume as default start-up level.

MAX VOLUME LIMITER Locks the current volume as the maximum limit to protect lower-power speakers.

1 TUBE WINK: Limiter enabled to current volume.

2 TUBE WINKS: DEFAULT Limiter disabled.

NOTE ALL SETTINGS RESET TO FACTORY DEFAULTS WHEN THE BACKPANEL MAINS SWITCH IS TURNED OFF.

