

## AXE-FX II (ORIGINAL & MARK II, XL, XL Plus) & AX8



## F.A.S. Amps Models Gallery & More...



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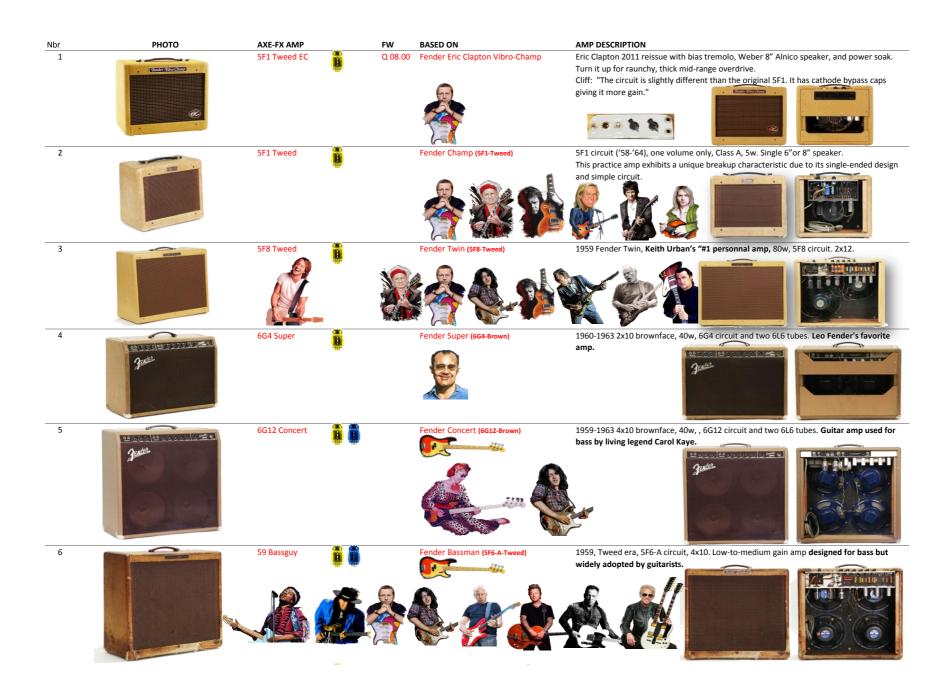


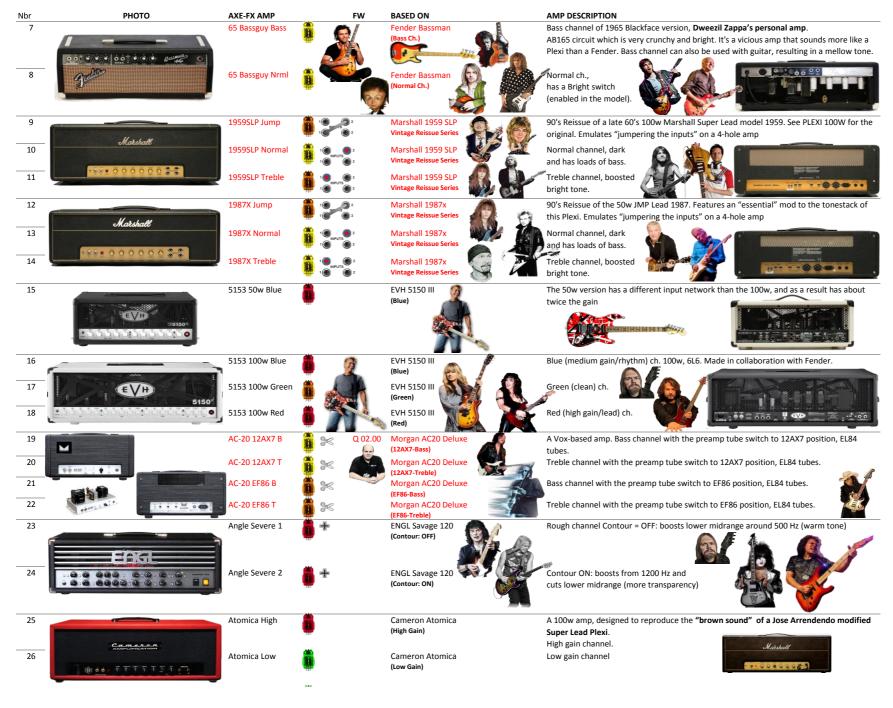


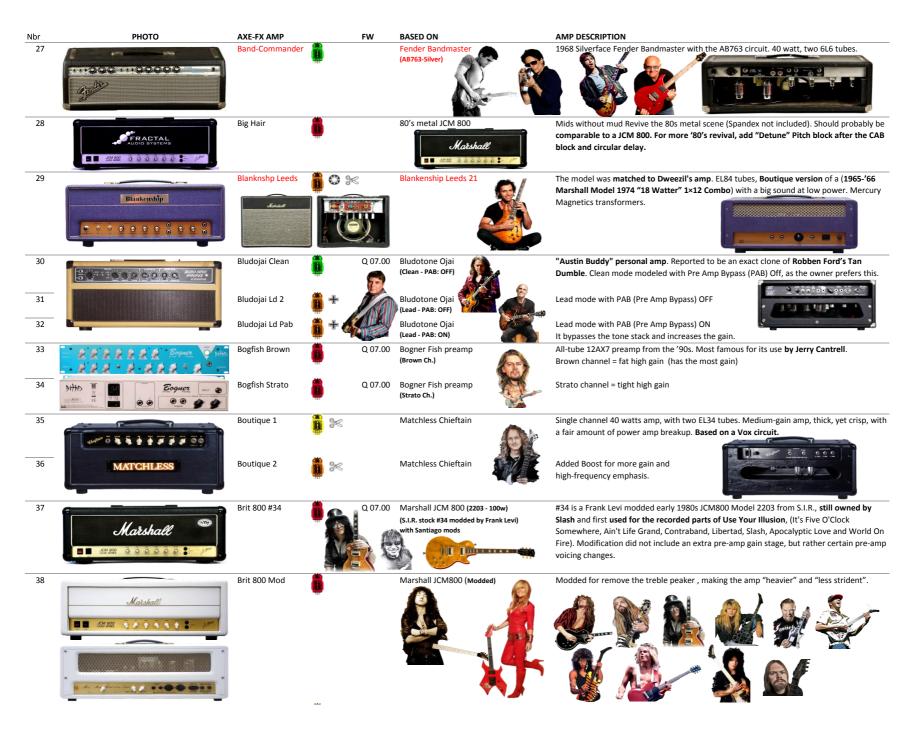
# F.A.S. Combo Amp Gallery

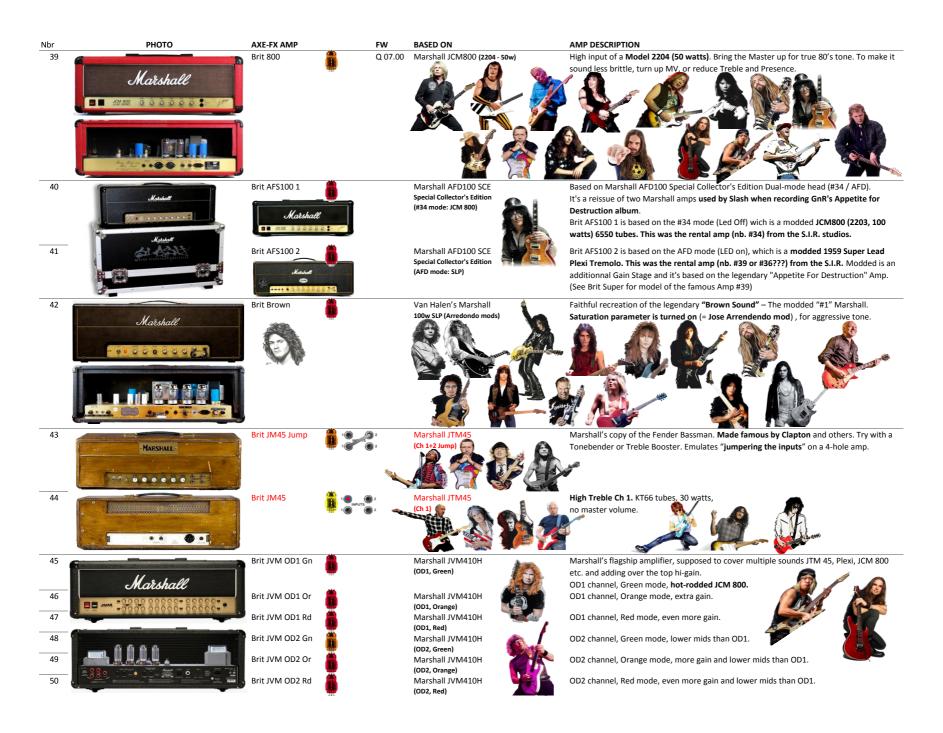


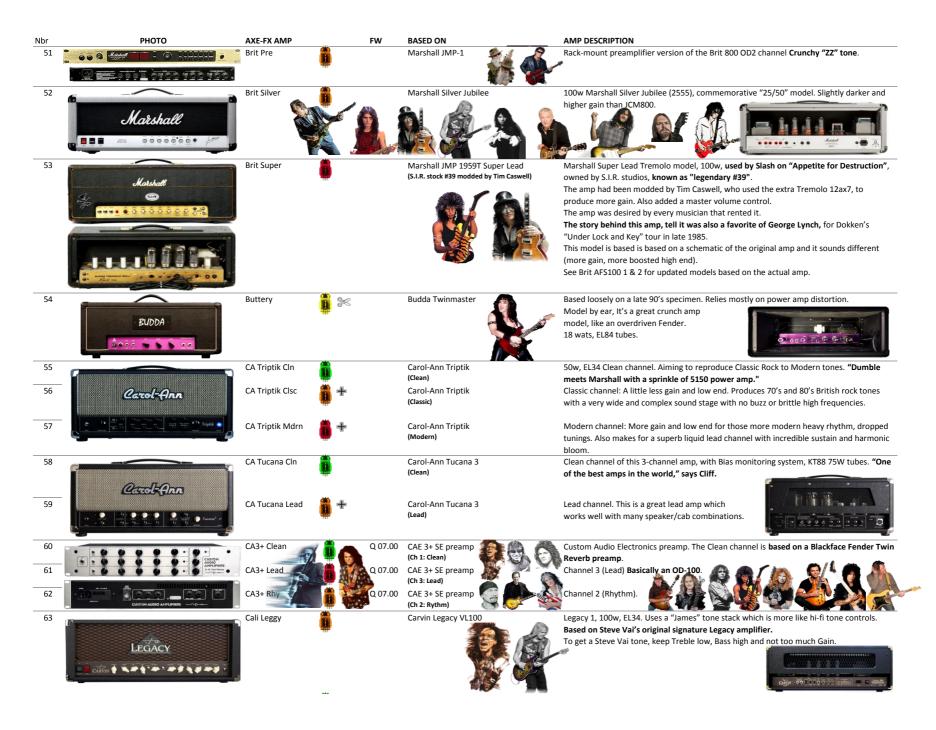






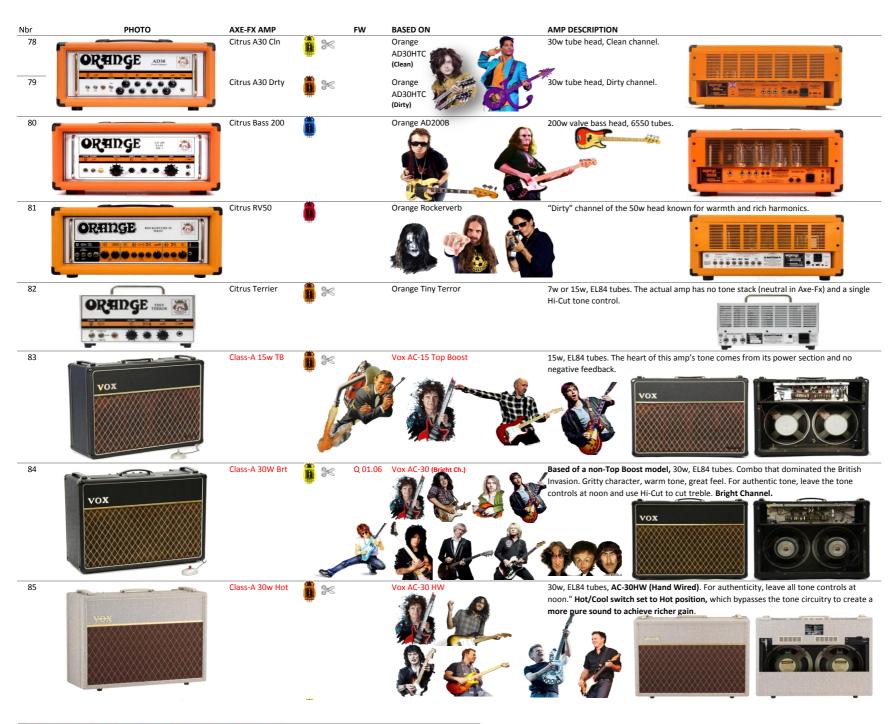


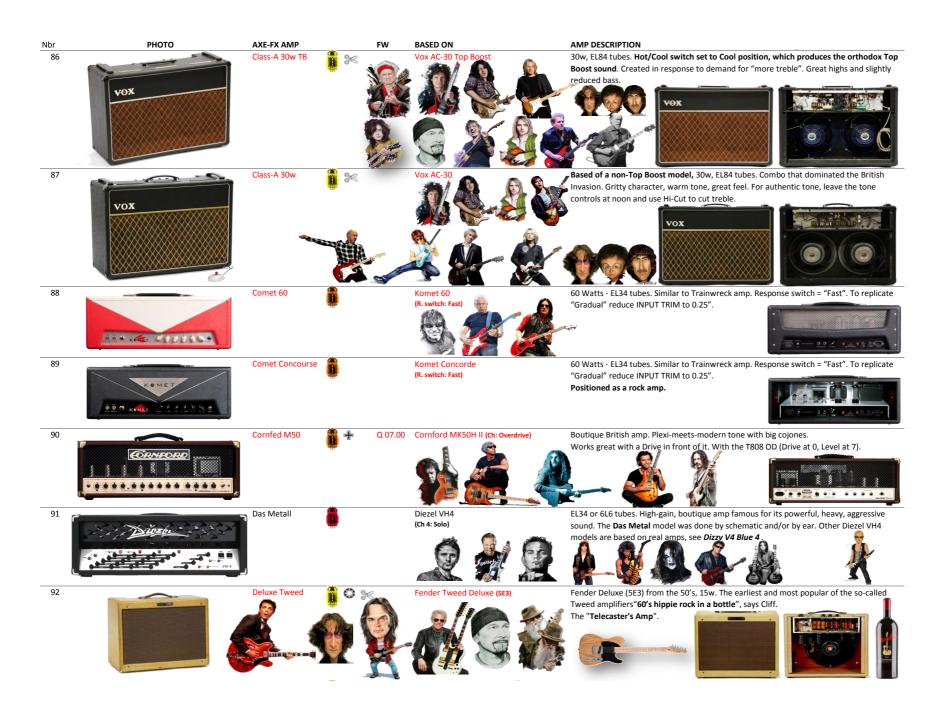


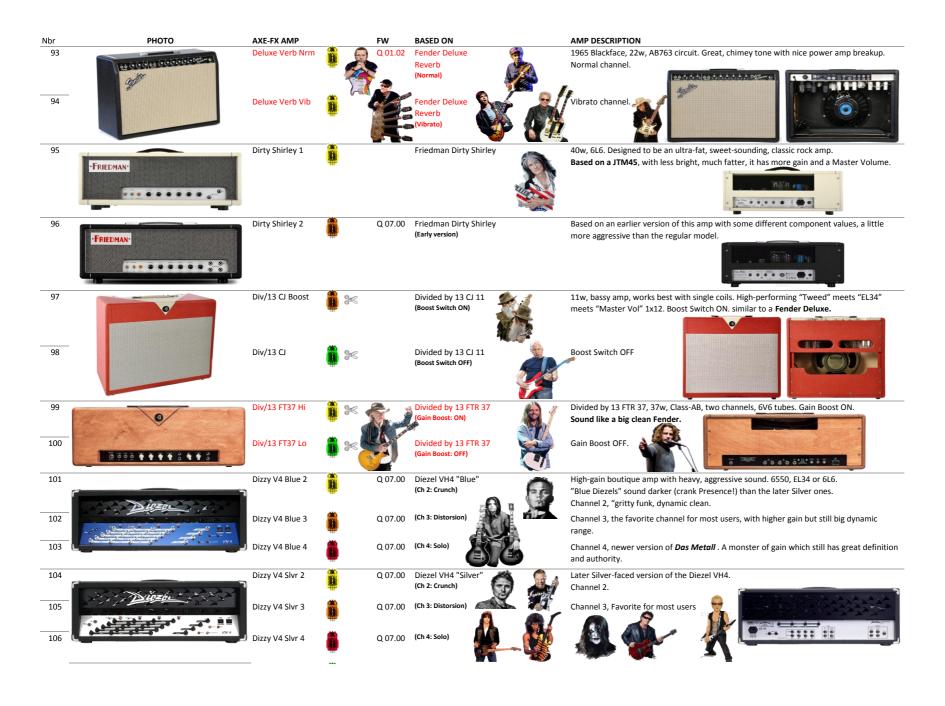


Nbr	РНОТО	AXE-FX AMP	FW	BASED ON	AMP DESCRIPTION
64	Cameron . 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7	Cameron CCV 1A	17999	Cameron CCV100 (ch 1: Clean)	An amp its creator Mark Cameron calls "one pissed off amp." <b>The topology is very similar to a JCM 800</b> . Both channels modeled at various settings. The amp was modeled with the Voicing switch in the middle position. The "Dark" switch is the Negative feedback control. Set Negative Feedback to 3.6 = switch in the middle position. Set it to 9.8 = switch in the right position. 5.0 for left position (default).
65 66		Cameron CCV 1B Cameron CCV 2A	Q 07.00 Q 07.00	Cameron CCV100 (Ch 1: Clean) Cameron CCV100 (Ch 2: Crunch)	Ch 2 has Saturation engaged by default. Bright1 switch selects the Bright capacitor, which can be altered with the BRIGHT CAP setting on the Tone page.  Bright1 switch left, Bright2 switch left, Gain Style switch left.
67	and and a second	Cameron CCV 2B		Cameron CCV100 (Ch 2: Crunch)	Bright1 switch left, Bright2 switch right, Gain Style switch left.
68	00° 000 mmm = === 0 0 0	Cameron CCV 2C	Q 07.00	Cameron CCV100 (Ch 2: Crunch)	Bright1 switch left, Bright2 switch left, Gain Style switch right.
69	•	Cameron CCV 2D		Cameron CCV100 (Ch 2: Crunch)	Bright1 switch left, Bright2 switch right, Gain Style switch right.
70	НООК	Capt Hook 1A	Q 05.00	Hook Captain 34 (V2) (Ch 1: Clean)	A Hand-made boutique amp with high-quality components. Plexi-based 3-channel amp, 100 watts, EL34 power tubes, single input. EQ and Boost switches off.
71		Capt Hook 1B	Q 05.00	Hook Captain 34 (V2) (Ch 1: Clean)	EQ and Boost switches on.
72	•9 @ @ @ @ @9 @ @ @ @9 	Capt Hook 2A	Q 05.00	Hook Captain 34 (V2) (Ch2: Rhytm)	Edge switch off. To simulate the Boost switch use the Boost switch in the amp block.
73		Capt Hook 2B	Q 05.00	Hook Captain 34 (V2) (Ch2: Rhytm)	Edge switch on.  To simulate the Boost switch use the Boost switch in the amp block.
74		Capt Hook 3A	Q 05.00	Hook Captain 34 (V2) (Ch 3: Lead)	Edge switch off. To simulate the Boost switch use the Boost switch in the amp block.
75	<b>2</b> • <b>3</b> • 3 • 5 • 0 • 6 • 5 • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	Capt Hook 3B	Q 05.00	Hook Captain 34 (V2) (Ch 3: Lead)	Edge switch on. To simulate the Boost switch use the Boost switch in the amp block.
76		Car Roamer	<b>%</b> ≪	Carr Rambler	Basically a Deluxe Reverb preamp with cathode bias 6L6 power amp and no negative feedback. Cliff say "Sort of a Fender-meets-Vox thing".  According to Steve Carr (Carr Amplifiers) the Rambler was essentially a mix of a Princeton Reverb and a Tweed Pro.
77	Carol-Ann	Carol-Ann OD-2	*	Carol-Ann OD-2 (Overdrive)	50W, EL34 or 6L6 tubes. Overdrive channel. Model fine-tuned by the highly respected Alan Phillips. A Dumble style amp but tonal more like a modified Marshall.

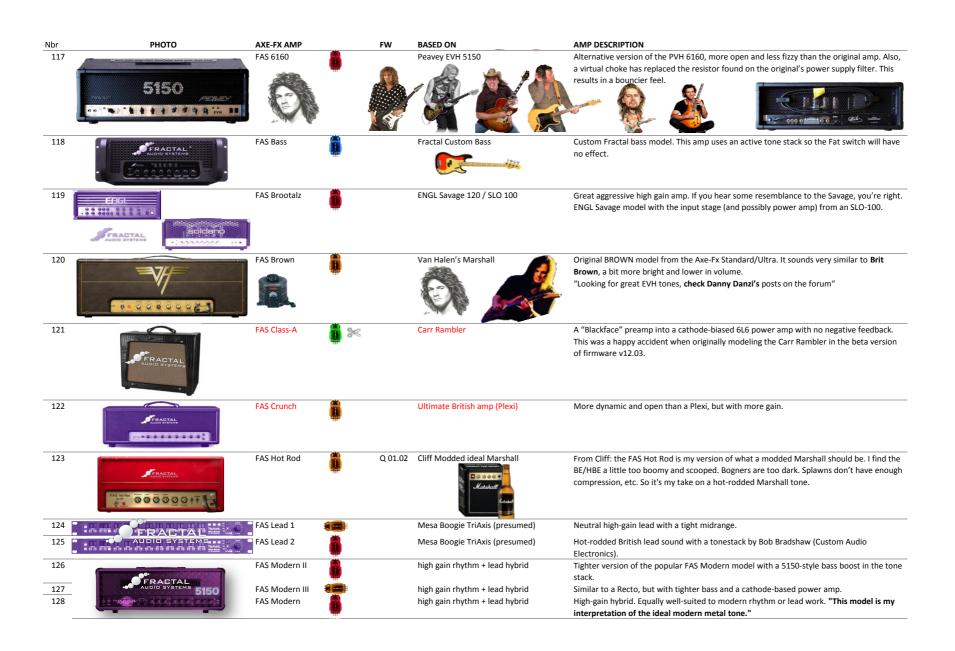


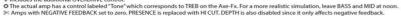




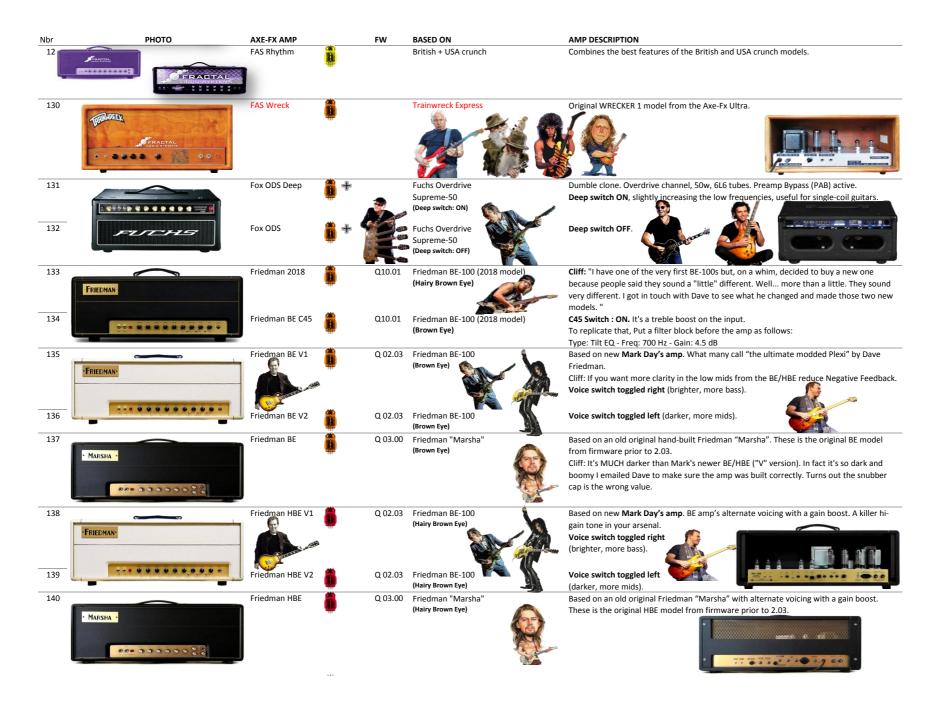










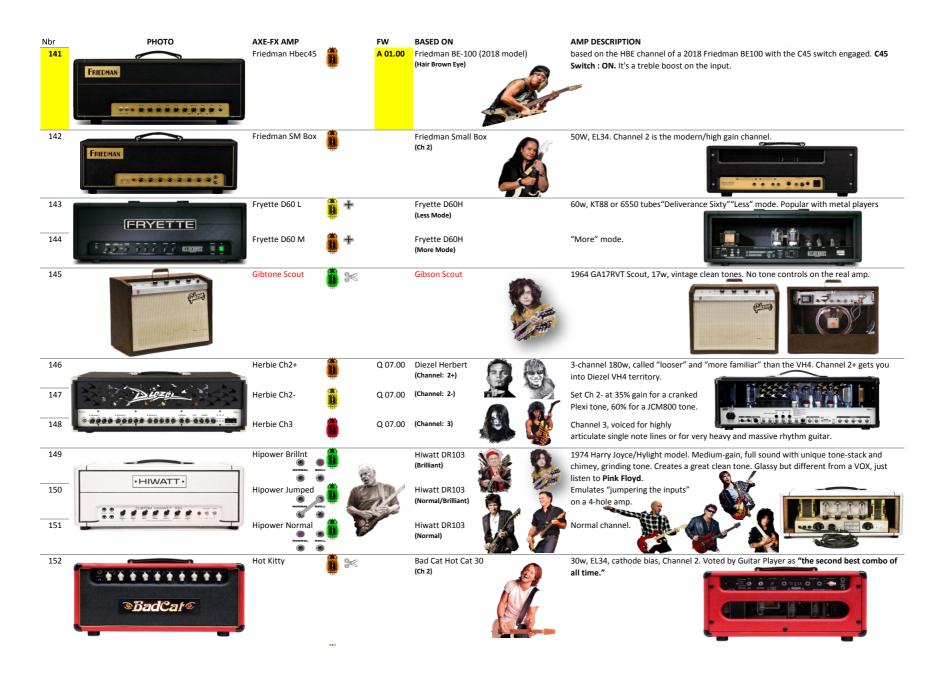


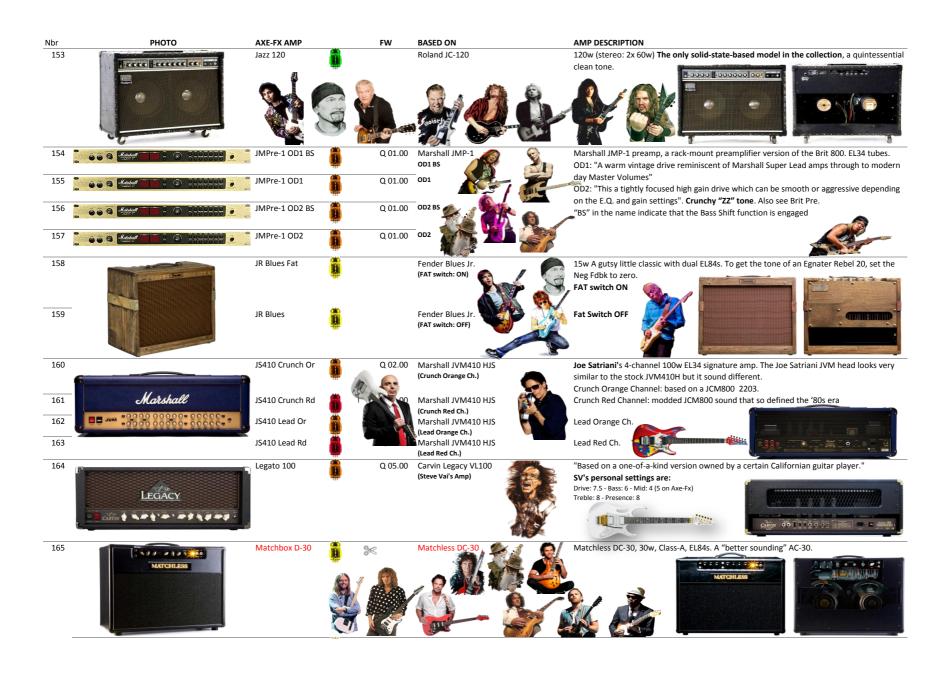
Red amps are non-MV (no Master Volume on the real amp). The MASTER VOLUME is set to 10 by default.

# Includes the additional OVERDRIVE control.

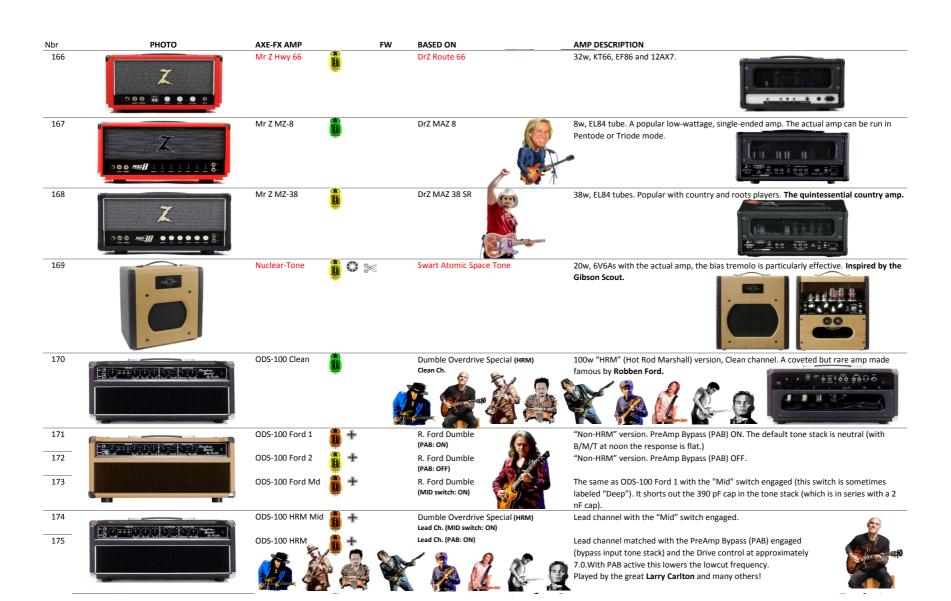
The actual amp has a control labeled "Tone" which corresponds to TREB on the Axe-Fx. For a more realistic simulation, leave BASS and MID at noon.

S≪ Amps with NEGATIVE FEEDBACK set to zero. PRESENCE is replaced with HI CUT. DEPTH is also disabled since it only affects negative feedback.



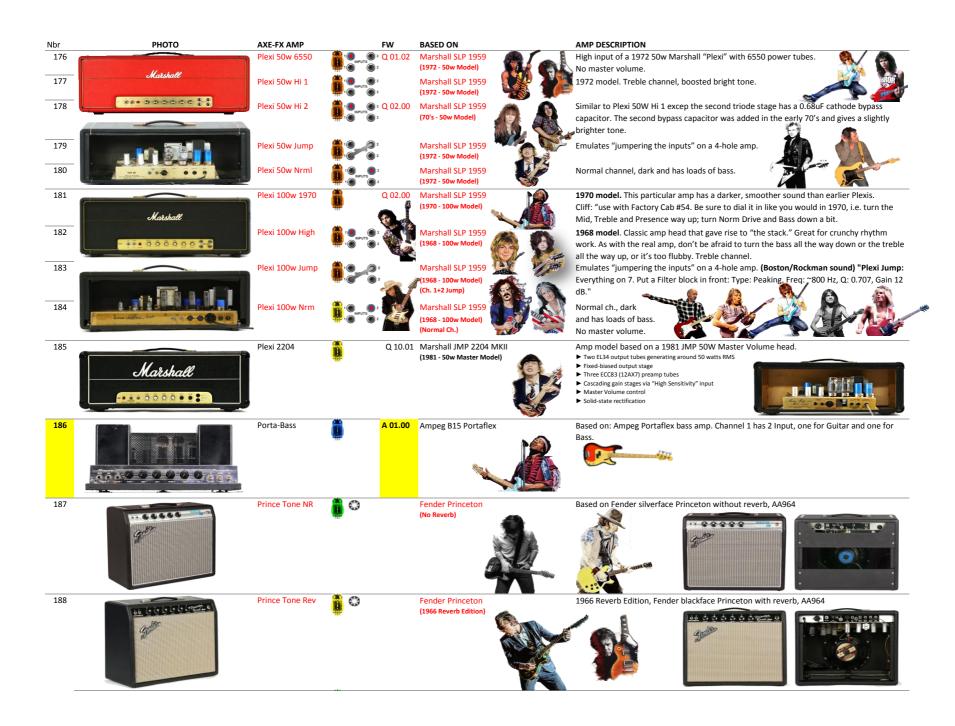


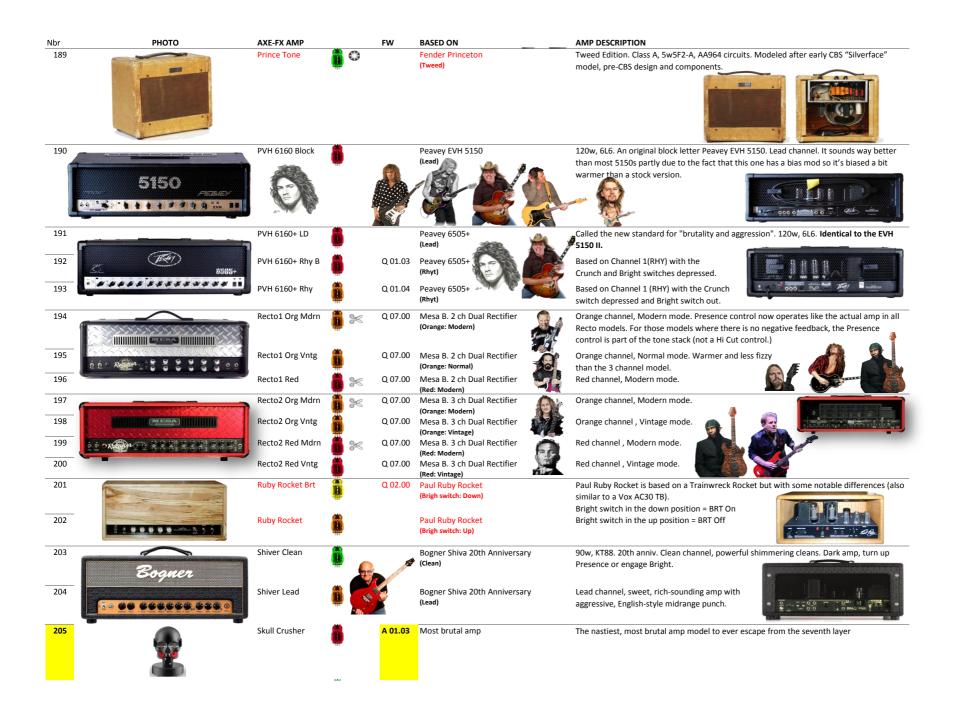












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206	o o o o o soldano	Solo 88 Clean	Q 07.00	Soldano X88R Preamp	Clean channel of a Soldano X88R preamp, 6L6.
				(Clean)	All channels are now represented.
207		Solo 88 Lead	Q 07.00	Soldano X88R Preamp (Lead)	Lead channel of a Soldano X88R preamp, 6L6.
208	soldano Game	Solo 88 Rhythm	0.07.00	Soldano X88R Preamp	Rhythm channel of a Soldano
200		3010 00 11117111111	<b>Q</b> 07.00	(Rhythm)	X88R preamp, 6L6.
209	soldano / caswell	Solo 99 Clean	Q 07.00	Soldano/Caswell X99 Preamp (Clean)	Soldano/Caswell midi-motorized X99 preamp Clean channel.
210	one soldeno / caswell on the soldeno / caswell on the soldeno / caswell on the soldeno on the so	Solo 99 Lead		Soldano/Caswell X99 Preamp (Lead)	Lead channel.
211	soldano	Solo 100 Clean	Q 07.00	(Nrml/Clean)	SLO = Super Lead Overdrive, 100w. Normal channel, Hean gain selector.
212	.:00000000 ::-	Solo 100 Lead	Q 07.00	Soldano SLO-100 (Lead)	Snarling Lead channel. This amp likes to be run hard, so the MV defaults to a higher setting than on most other amps (high MV helps thicken up the mids). To achieve the best sound, also back off the preamp gain.
213	us soldano us mis tot centur.	Solo 100 Rhy	Q 07.00	Soldano SLO-100 (Nrml/Crunch)	Crunch gain selector. Aggressive rhythm.
214		Spawn Nitrous 1	Q 02.00	Splawn Nitro	100w, KT-88, OD1 mode. Splawn tone with more saturation and voiced for a bigger low
215	Splawn 🛹	Spawn Nitrous 2	*	(OD1) Splawn Nitro	end and low mids.  100w, KT-88, OD2 mode.
	660 7777777777777		•	(OD2)	A THE SECOND STATE OF THE SECOND SECO
216		Spawn Rod OD1-1		Splawn Quick Rod (1st gear)	100w, EL34. Signature Splawn tone with lots of bite, strong mids and 3 gear versatility. 1st gear, "Hot Rod Plexi".
217	Splawn	Spawn Rod OD1-2		Splawn Quick Rod (2nd gear)	2nd gear, "Hot Rod JCM 800".
218	77. 11112200000 ·	Spawn Rod OD1-3		Splawn Quick Rod (3rd gear)	3rd gear, "Super Hot Rod JCM 800".
219		Spawn Rod OD2-1		Splawn Quick Rod (1st gear)	1st gear OD2 switches in a cathode bypass cap which increases the gain of that stage.
220		Spawn Rod OD2-2	Ö	Splawn Quick Rod (2nd gear)	2nd gear same as above.
221	<i>Q−k</i>	Spawn Rod OD2-3	Ö	Splawn Quick Rod (3rd gear)	3rd gear same as above.
222	(Sub)	Suhr Badger 18	**	Suhr Badger 18w	18w version of this EL84-powered tube rectifier classic. Master Volume is VERY powerful at altering the tone.
223	(Sub)	Suhr Badger 30	»«	Suhr Badger 30w	In comparison to the 18w, the 30w features a solid state rectifier. These two models have a lot of bass, dial down Bass or use the Cut switch.

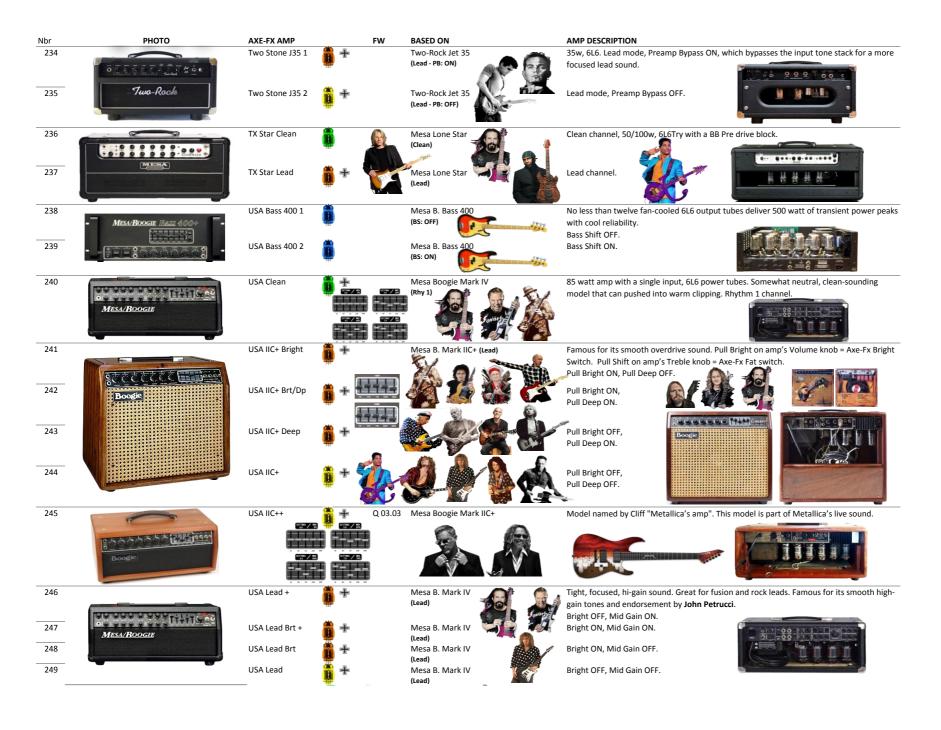
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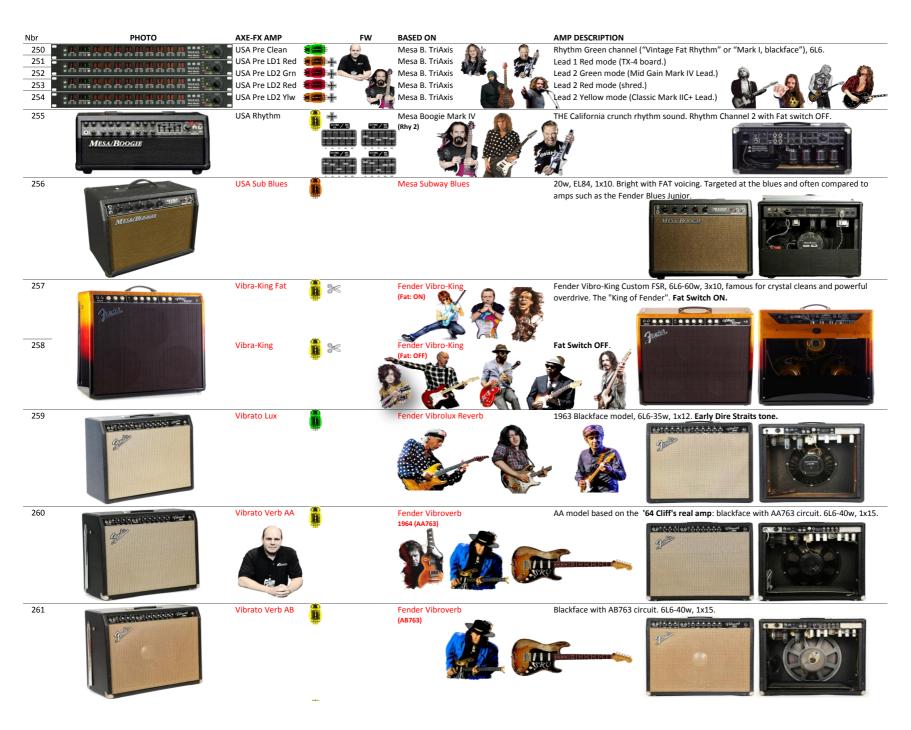
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Nbr **PHOTO AXE-FX AMP** BASED ON AMP DESCRIPTION FW 262 Vibrato Verb CS Q 01.00 Fender Vibroverb Vibroverb Custom Reissue (2003-2008), 6L6-40w, 1x15, with the Mod switch on. Custom reissue Transformer Matching value is based on the output transformer of the actual amp. Legend PP4(4.4.4/004(4.4.4.4.4.4) has it that SRV used a Bassman transformer which would lead to significant overmatching. To replicate this increase Xfrmr Match to around 1.8. wisseparates war of a wisseparates war of a 263 Vibrato Verb Fender Vibroverb 40w combo, 2x12, that's great for clear or grinding cleans and gutsy blues. 6G16 circuit, Brownface era. Vibrato Verb model was ported from the Axe-Fx Ultra. 264 Wrecker Express Trainwreck Express Trainwreck Express, EL34 tubes, which sounds similar to a Marshall Plexi. TRINARETK 265 Wrecker Lyrpool Trainwreck Liverpool Trainwreck Express preamp with a Trainwreck Rocket power amp. EL84 tubes. TRUNARELK Marshall meets Vox. 266 Wrecker Rocket Trainwreck Rocket Trainwreck Rocket, EL84 tubes. Based on and sounds like a Vox AC-30 Top Boost with a rectifier. **Super Clean Amp** Low Gain Amp





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Nbr	РНОТО	Axe FX DRIVE	FW	DRIVE DESCRIPTION
1		BB Pre *		Xotic BB Preamp. Clean boost with two band active EQ which adds a wide range of harmonic.
2		Bender Fuzz		Classic Tonebender circuit. According to some, it is hands down the absolute best fuzz pedal of all time. The foundation of the Tone Bender fuzz sound, is a smooth well-structured EQ, consisting of rich and tight bass with even mid-harmonics.  Great for single note solos and thick power chords
3	BTICRUSHER THE PROPERTY OF THE	Bit Crusher		HEXE Bitcrusher. A black box we found lying in the trash outside Studio Harshclip
4	PRINT, UNIT, AM	Blackglass 7K	Q 09.00	Based on a Darkglass B7K Analog Bass Preamp. The model was obtained with the Attack and Grunt switches in the middle positions. The Grunt switch changes the low-cut frequency therefore the Low Cut control can be used to replicate this switch. The Attack switch controls a shelving filter on the input and can be replicated using the Tone control. B7K blend control corresponds to the mix knob on the model.
5	BAUES FREAKER:	Blues OD		90's Marshall Blues Breaker. Low-gain overdrive pedal mainly used by John Mayer.  Cliff: "One of the more impressive circuits is the BluesBreaker. Whoever designed that knew what he was doing. It's unique and the designer understood the role of resistance in series with the diodes."
6		Esoteric ACB		Xotic AC Booster. Classic Tube sound at your fingerTips.
7	E RC .	Esoteric RCB	Q 05.00	Xotic RC Booster. Transparent clean booster.
8	lovepedal	Eternal Love *		Lovepedal Eternity. A low to medium gain overdrive. It gives a gigantic warm clean boost, to creamy sustain.
9	Sauzz Mac	Face Fuzz		Dallas Arbiter Fuzz Face. Distortion guitar pedal designed in London by Arbitrer Electronics Ltd in the autumn of 1966. The high distorted sound called fuzz.



Nbr	РНОТО	Axe FX DRIVE	FW	DRIVE DESCRIPTION
10	FRACTAL ALGORITHMS	FAS Boost	Q01.02	Cleanish boost great for boosting vintage amps like Plexis. Cliff say "It's not based on anything. It's my take on an ideal boost pedal."
11	FEAGUAL .	FAS LED-Drive *		LED diodes have a higher voltage drop than silicon diodes
12	FATRAT	Fat Rat		Pro Co FATRAT, a modified Pro Co RAT, a bit fuller and smoother
13	Fat-Boost	FET Boost		"Gentle, smooth, clipping booster with tone controls".  If it's based on a real pedal, it could be a Fulltone's Fat-Boost (discontinued).  The FET Boost is also a favorite method to get a KLON clean boosts from our Fractal Audio Devices.
14	SAGE OF THE SAGE O	FET Preamp		Boss FA-1, a JFET preamp pedal (used by The Edge)
15	FULL-DRIVE R	Full OD *		Fulltone Full-Drive 2 overdrive pedal. Similar to a Tube Screamer. The early orange version in particular is very collectable.
16	Fuzz	Hard Fuzz		Hard-clipping, 60s-style fuzz. Similar to the Bender Fuzz Model with more gain and treble.  Cilif: "The Fuzz in the Axe-Fx reacts as though there is a buffer in front of it (because there is). It's a limitation inherent to all modeling products. I modeled it using a nominal source resistance. I forget what I used for the source resistance but it was probably around 100k ohms. To really simulate it you would need a controller to simulate the changing output impedance of the guitar."
17	Metol Zang	M-Zone Dist		1991 Boss MT-2 Metal Zone, popular distortion for extreme gain settings.



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18	Massive State Ones	Master Fuzz		1962 Gibson Maestro Fuzz Tone FZ-1A, aka Satisfaction fuzz. The first Fuzz Pedal used in Satisfaction by The Rolling Stones.
19	MXED (	Micro Boost		MXR Micro Amp. Clean boost/volume pedal, part of the first Reference Series by MXR released between 1973 and 1984. Designed to be a transparent clean volume booster.  Great way to boost your signal for lead or adjust between 2 differents guitars.
20	TRASTAL •	Mid Boost		Custom FAS mid boost, help the guitar cut through a mix than increasing its volume level.
21	Setarian.	Octave Dist		Tycobrahe Octavia fuzz pedal. The schematic design for the original limited production was based on original Roger Mayer Octavia made for Jimi Hendrix in 1967. Used on "Purple Haze" and "Fire". Jimi placed the Octavia after a fuzz and wah.
22	ELL LILTY  ON SALES	PI Fuzz	Q 06.02	Electro-Harmonic Big Muff Pi Fuzz. Distortion/sustain guitar pedal designed by Bob Myer and Mike Matthews in 1969 and mass produced in 1970.
23	discrion +	Plus Dist	Q 05.00	70's MXR Distortion +
24	(* ) (* ) (* ) (* ) (* ) (* ) (* ) (* )	Rat Dist	Q 05.00	Pro Co RAT. Distortion pedal by Pro Co Sound & designed by Scott Burnham and Steve Kiraly in Kalamazoo, Michigan 1978.
25	Riot	Ruckus	Q 05.00	Suhr Riot distorsion. Big US sound. It turns a clean amp into a Marshall esque high-gain monster. This pedal is praised for sounding like a real tube amp.  Dist = AxeFX Drive Tone = AxeFX Tone  Level = AxeFX Level



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26		SDD Preamp		Preamp in Korg's SDD-3000 digital delay (used by The Edge)
27	FRACTAL AUGUS DISTRICTS	Shimmer Drive	Q07.01	Cliff own creation. It is primarily intended to be used as a boost for Non-MV amps like AC-15/30's, Fenders and Plexis.
28	Suite Mastri	Shred Dist		90s Marshall ShredMaster, distorsion Pedal.
29	Carrier Mark	Super OD *	Q 05.00	Boss SD-1 Super OverDrive. Used to drive a clean amp into blues territory. Very popular as a boost for rock and metal amps. Drive = AxeFX Drive Tone = AxeFX Tone Level = AxeFX Level
30	( Dimension )	T808 Mod *	Q 05.00	Ibanez TS9, captures the most popular Tubescreamer mods. Suitable for blues and all range of rock, adding tubelike distortion, good sustain and smooth overdrive.
31	Distance	T808 OD *	Q 05.00	Ibanez TS9 Tube Screamer (used by SRV)
32		Tape Dist		Simulates the clipping of an overdriven reel-to-reel tape deck.  Cliff: "It's just a generic tape distortion simulator. I used an old Ampex EQ curve basically. The tape drive is meant to be used anywhere in the chain. I've been using it after the amp to fatten things up and it work really well for that. Be careful though, the drive block is mono so you can get phase issues if you put it after a stereo effect."
33	Timmy	Timothy	Q 06.02	Paul Cochrane Timmy. "Transparent" low gain overdrive with a unique pair of EQ controls that cut the bass and treble frequencies. Used as a clean boost or Run it after a fuzz to cut the flub and add extra volume for leads. Or, put it before another drive or a dirty amp to drive the signal harder and tweak the tonal curve. Considered the best overdrive pedal in the world, attributed to its transparent character and mild crunch.  Cliff: "Timmy is a modified Tube Screamer"  Gain = AxeFX Drive  Volume = AxeFX Level  Treble = AxeFX Tone  Bass = AxeFX Low Cut
34	MANA BOOTTA MEN BOOTTA	Treble Boost		Dallas Arbiter Rangemaster Treble Booster. Famously used to enhance the overall gain and presence of the notoriously dark British-made amps of the '60s.  It literally makes any rig sound at least 25% better.  It brightens the sound, like the Top Boost on early Vox amps.

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Nbr	РНОТО	Axe FX DRIVE	FW	DRIVE DESCRIPTION		
35	TUBE DRIVER	Tube Drv 3-Knob		BK Butler/Tube Works Tube Driver with a 12AX7, 3-knob version. Hand-made Tube Driver. Cliff: "The 3-knob version sounds very different than the 4-knob version."		42
36	TUBE	Tube Drv 4-knob		BK Butler/Chandler Tube Driver with a 12AX7, 4-knob version. Hand-made Tube Driver.  Cliff: "The idea with the 4-knob version is to use the tone controls on the EQ page and leave the single Tone knob at noon. You can still use the Tone knob if you want but the model is only accurate with the knob at noon."		
37	i i Zendrive	Zen Master *	Q 05.00	Hermida/Lovepedal Zendrive (used by Robben Ford). Recreate the Dumble tone, Robben Ford uses it himself through Fender amps.	Gain = AxeFX <b>Drive</b> Volume = AxeFX <b>Level</b> Tone = AxeFX <b>Tone</b> Voice = AxeFX <b>Low Cut</b>	

<sup>\*</sup> based on the Tube Screamer



Drive Model with The JRC4558 integrated circuit by Japan Radio Company. http://www.electrosmash.com/jrc4558-analysis

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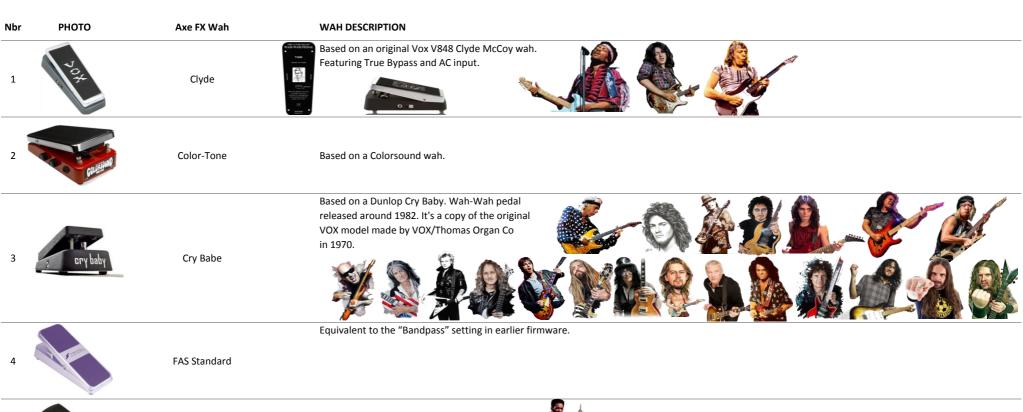






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- Wilbova

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Modeled after the "Shaft" sound.



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