## How to Calibrate the AXiom PAE-2 for your preamp or overdrive pedal:

Set the PAE-2 to the following settings:

| Feedback | Bias | PI Gain | Master | Atten | Rectifier | Tube | Power | Bias Type |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Configuration |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| "NONE" | 10 | $" 1 "$ | 5 | to taste | "STIFF" | "UL" | "100W" | "Fixed Bias" |

With the PAE-2 set to these settings, adjust the output of your preamp/pedal so the PAE is on the edge of light break-up.

## Sample PAE-2 settings:

| Amplifier $^{a}$ | Feedback | PI Gain | Rectifier | Tube | Power | Bias $^{b}$ | Bias Type | Configuration |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Fender Champ 5F1 Tweed | 2 | 89 to $100^{c}$ | $10(5 \mathrm{Y} 3)$ | 6 V 6 | 5 W | $3-4$ | cathode | single-ended |
| Fender Deluxe 5E3 Tweed | 0 | 73 to $84^{c}$ | $10(5 \mathrm{Y} 3)$ | 6 V 6 | 15 W | 10 | cathode | push-pull |
| Fender 5F6 Bassman (1959) | 6.0 | 79 | $5(\mathrm{GZ34})$ | $5881(6 \mathrm{~L} 6)$ | 45 W |  | fixed bias | push-pull |
| Fender Twin Reverb AB763 Blackface | 7.5 | 74 | $3.5(\mathrm{SS})$ | 6 L 6 | 85 W |  | fixed bias | push-pull |
| Fender Deluxe Reverb AB763 Blackface | 2.4 | 84 | $5(\mathrm{GZ34})$ | 6 V 6 | 22 W |  | fixed bias | push-pull |
| Vox AC30 Top Boost (1964) | 0 | 47 | $5(\mathrm{GZ34})$ | EL84 | 30 W | 5 | cathode | push-pull |
| Marshall JMP 1959 (1968) | 5.8 | 75 | $3.5(\mathrm{SS})$ | EL34 | 100 W |  | fixed bias | push-pull |
| Ampeg SVT (1970) | 1 | 56 | $3.5(\mathrm{SS})$ | $6550(6 \mathrm{~L} 6)$ | $300 \mathrm{~W}(100 \mathrm{~W})$ |  | fixed bias | push-pull |
| Marshall 1959 MkII (1973) | 4.4 | 71 | $4(\mathrm{SS})$ | $6550(6 \mathrm{~L} 6)$ | 100 W |  | fixed bias | push-pull |
| Marshall JCM800 2203 (1981) | 3.2 | 85 | $3.7(\mathrm{SS})$ | EL34 | 100 W |  | fixed bias | push-pull |
| Dumble Overdrive Special (1997) | 3.0 | 87 | $3(\mathrm{SS})$ | EL34 | 50 W |  | fixed bias | push-pull |
| Mesa/Boogie Dual Rectifier (1993) | 0 to 7.5 ${ }^{d}$ | 80 | $2(\mathrm{SS}) / 6$ | 6 L 6 | 100 W |  | fixed bias | push-pull |
| Soldano SLO-100 (1996) | 7.7 | 87 to $100^{e}$ | $2(\mathrm{SS})$ | 6 L 6 | 100 W |  | fixed bias | push-pull |
| Sunn Model T | 6.9 | 66 | $2.2(\mathrm{SS})$ | $6550(6 \mathrm{~L} 6)$ | 100 W |  | fixed bias | push-pull |

${ }^{a}$ The PAE emulates only the power amp section of these amps. Set your preamp accordingly.
${ }^{b}$ BIAS settings in "Fixed Bias" mode are subject to taste but BIAS settings below $\sim 5$ may introduce cross-over distortion.
${ }^{c}$ The lower PI GAIN setting corresponds to vintage output single-coil pickups and the higher setting to PAF style humbuckers.
${ }^{d}$ Negative feedback in the Dual Rectifier varies with the model year and mode: Generally, Raw = maximum -ve fb, Vintage $=$ moderate -ve fb , $\mathrm{Modern}=\mathrm{no}-\mathrm{ve} \mathrm{fb}$
${ }^{e}$ Some later SLO-100 models sent a lower signal level into the power amp than earlier models - PI GAIN of 87 corresponds to those later models.

