

Terms of Warranty

Gurus product warranty covers 2 years from date of purchase with the exception of moving mechanical parts such as foot switches, speakers and handles which have a 1 year warranty. The valves, lights and cables are guaranteed for 3 months from the date of purchase.

The warranty does not cover damage caused by accident, misuse and / or neglect, failure to comply with the instruction manual, repair and attempted repair by personnel not authorized by **Gurus Amps**, any damage caused during transport and delivery, (claims must be presented to the carrier); damage to any product that has been altered or on which it has been removed, defaced or altered serial number; damage caused by faulty connections or connections to equipment failures and/or defective power cables.

Responsibility of **Gurus Amps** for any defective product is limited to repair or replacement of the product at our discretion.

The **Gurus Amps** not be liable for damages resulting from loss of use of the product, lost time operation interrupted by non-use of the product, loss of business or any other damages or incidental, consequential or otherwise; damage in transit or damage caused by inadequate packaging or of poor quality.

Assistance: Please contact us for information on how, where and when to ship the product after the return has been Authorized by Gurus . The repaired goods should be packed carefully and we recommend not include any accessories such as cables, effects, manuals, etc. .
Please attach a copy of the original receipt of purchase (invoice or receipt) together with a problem description and your personal data.

THE WARRANTY IS NOT VALID WITHOUT A COPY OF YOUR RECEIPT OF SALE CERTIFYING THAT THE DATE OF PURCHASE.

The costs of labor and material guarantee shall be borne by Gurus Amps.

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AMPS & TOOLS FOR YOUR TONE



OPTIVALVEmkII

USER'S MANUAL

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INTRODUCTION:

The OPTIVALVE Tube-Optical Compressor Pedal is the last word in Compressor Pedals with all the advantages of the legendary Studio Outboards that have made history in music, but more versatile and easier to use.

Use it in different ways, as a studio outboard, or in your pedalboard. (we suggest at the end of the chain)

As a standard compressor pedal to bring out the tone suitable in various styles: funky, blues, rock, etc.

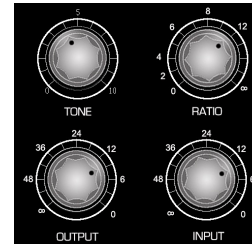
It can be used like a Limiter, to obtain maximum clean volume from your Amp without crunch it, or as an incredible enhancer of your TONE.

Use the "See thru Magic EYE" to view the Compression reduction level.

Use it with your Guitar, Bass, Keyboard, Acoustic Guitar, or as real outboard for your mixing tracks.

CONTROLS:

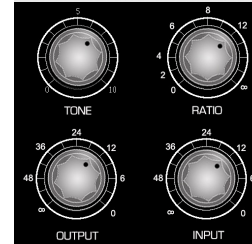
- 1) INPUT: set the threshold on the input signal
- 2) RATIO: set the compression ratio
- 3) OUTPUT: set the output gain
- 4) TONE: adjust the EQ
- 5) COMPRESSION: shows the comp level.
- 6) TUBE
- 7) TRUE BYPASS SWITCH
- 8) INSTRUMENT INPUT
- 9) MAIN OUTPUT
- 10) POWER DC12V - 300mA



SOFT LIMITING/ENHANCING:

Use this setting with the Optivalve in your pedalboard to give you the maximum headroom available by your amp without affecting it's input.

Optivalve will enhance your soft touch, and limiting when you attack notes harder.

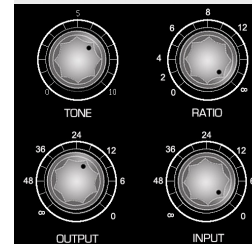


ACOUSTIC GUITAR::

Slightly open the Tone control to perfectly match the tone of your acoustic guitar, even with higher compression values.

The Ratio control can be used fine tune how much you want the Optivalve to affect your dynamics of your signal.

This setting maybe used in mix insert or on the stage "Live" to achieve the desired tone from your acoustic guitar.



HARD TRACK LIMITING:

Optivalve can be used as a standard outboard effect on your mix for any instruments. With this setting you can use as a Limiter.

Use tone control to better fit the output sound.

TECH SPECS.

Power In
Consumption at 12V
Input Impedance
Output Impedance
S/N ratio
Distortion
Estimated tube Life
Larghezza (Width)
Lunghezza (Lenght)
Altezza (Height)
Peso (Weight)

12VDC (negative TIP)
max 300mA
<=1M Ohm
<=10K Ohm
<90db
max 2%THD
Up to 5000Hrs.
220mm. (8,6")
130mm. (5,1")
50mm. (2")
0,7Kg. (1,5lbs)