Subject: Tell me about this head

Posted by Margyj561 on Mon, 11 Apr 2016 03:35:57 GMT

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I have the opportunity to buy a VINTAGE 70's KUSTOM II 2-CHANNEL GUITAR BASS AMP HEAD 11-B as seen here:

www.ebay.com/itm/151998491073?_trksid=p2055119.m1438.l2649&ssPageName=STRK%3AMEBIDX%3AIT

I have an Acoustic b410 amp and I was wondering if this head will work. I can't find anything about this head's output or ohms and I assume you guys would know.

Subject: Re: Tell me about this head

Posted by chicagobill on Mon, 11 Apr 2016 04:46:36 GMT

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Welcome to the place.

The IIB amp that you are looking at is rated at 50 watts RMS and will probably work with as low as a 4 ohm load. As far as bass amps go it has a good tone, but is a little low in power by modern standards.

How do you plan on using it?

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Posted by Margyj561 on Mon, 11 Apr 2016 05:17:56 GMT

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thank you, I plan to use it for small gigs and house shows. Do you think that this will give me enough power or do I need to get something more powerful? The cab is rated 400W @ 8 ohms

Subject: Re: Tell me about this head

Posted by stevem on Mon, 11 Apr 2016 10:28:51 GMT

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What is your reason for buying the Kustom?

The B410 is a 400 watt RMS amp and packs far more punch and reserve power than the Kustom!

If you are planing on using the Kustom for Bass guitar and you only play a 4 string Bass then it should serve you ok for small gigs and without question for home use if played thru the right speaker impedance load.

Subject: Re: Tell me about this head

Posted by mathias61 on Mon, 11 Apr 2016 18:10:37 GMT

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Hi.

I do have this type of Kustom. There's a great difference of sound between the two channels!

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Posted by mathias61 on Mon, 11 Apr 2016 18:29:23 GMT

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Channel 1 has much more mid-tones!

Subject: Re: Tell me about this head

Posted by efinger on Thu, 14 Apr 2016 00:52:59 GMT

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looks like a kool vintage piece to me. Ive never seen one like it. Its hard to pass up for \$150 and change. If I saw it in the store I'd be likely to add it to the my kollection!