

iDSD Valkyrie User Manual_V1



User Manual

Thank you for purchasing the Valkyrie from the Valkyrie series. The iDSD Valkyrie is a balanced USB and Bluetooth Ultra-Res DAC + headphone amplifier.

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Digital

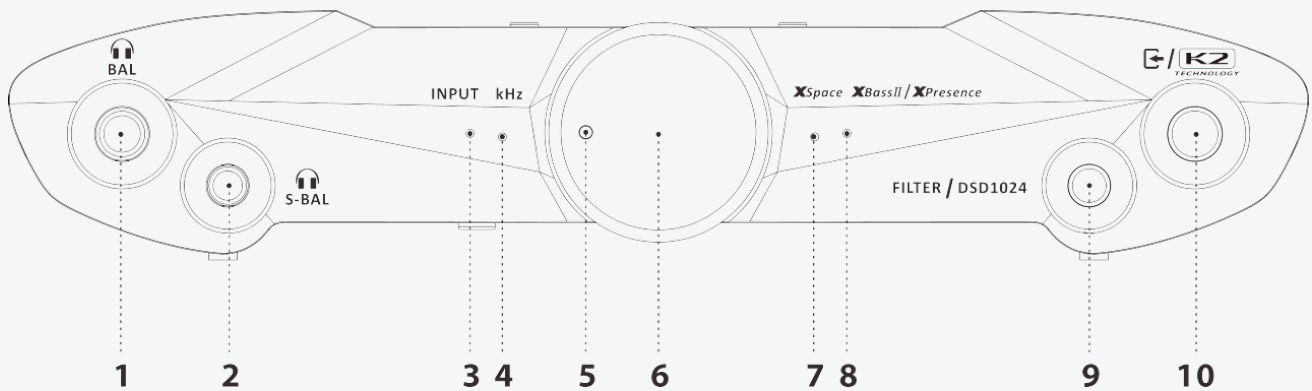
- Equipped with Qualcomm's flagship QCC5181 chip featuring Bluetooth 5.4, supports the latest aptX Lossless codec capable of streaming lossless CD-quality audio without sacrificing quality
- Quad-stack DAC – 4x DACs in interleaved configuration enables exceptional resolution
- 8 selectable digital filters including JVC KENWOOD's K2 and K2HD
- Ultra-res digital audio – 32-bit/768kHz PCM, DSD512
- DSD Remastering option to upconvert PCM and DSD files to DSD512 or DSD1024
- Power delivery compatible with QC3.0 support at 20V, and QC2.0 support at 5-12V

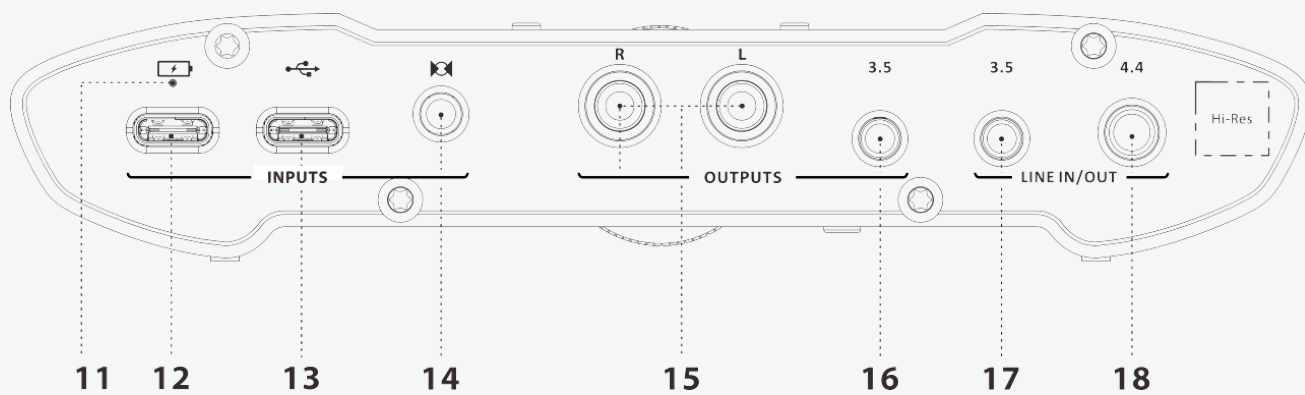
Analogue

- Astonishing 5,700mW of power (max.) – drives the toughest headphone loads with consummate ease
- Custom bias, EQ and amp circuits for next generation xMEMS headphone driver technology
- XSpace, XBassII, and XPresence – adjust soundstage and frequency response to match your headphones
- Three power modes: Normal for IEMs, Turbo for mid-sensitivity headphones, and Nitro for demanding headphones with a 19.6V max output
- iEMatch optimises output to suit high-sensitivity in-ear monitors
- Top-grade audiophile circuit components deliver exceptional sonic purity

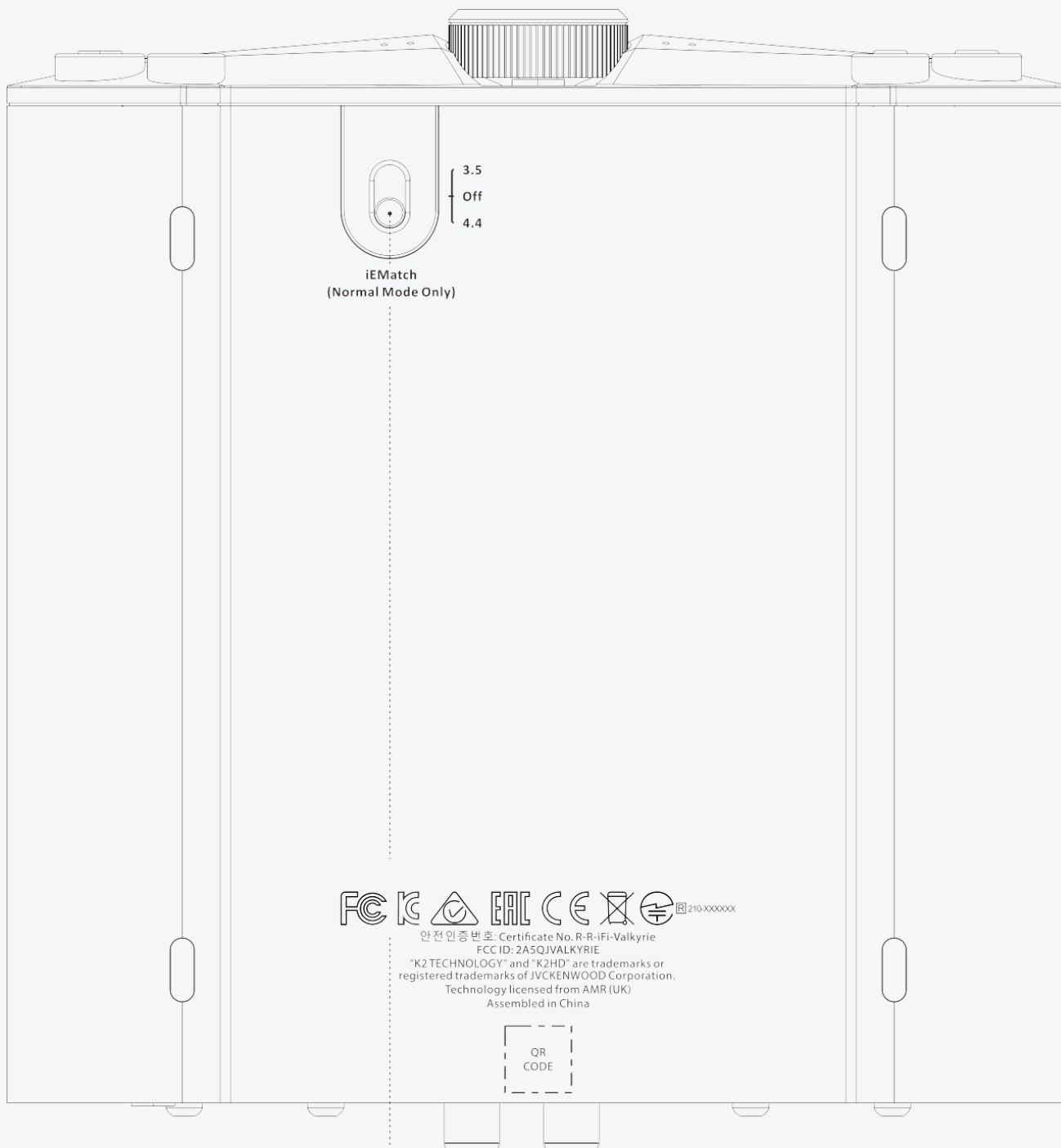
General

- Multiple operational modes – pure DAC, DAC/headphone amp, and preamplifier
- Separated digital and analogue PCBs for minimal crosstalk
- Powered by battery or mains – iPowerX power supply with Active Noise Cancellation included
- High-capacity lithium-ion battery configuration provides up to 18 hours of playtime despite extreme amp power
- • Supplied with custom-made travel case and Nordic engraved presentation box
- iFi Nexus compatible for wireless OTA firmware updates









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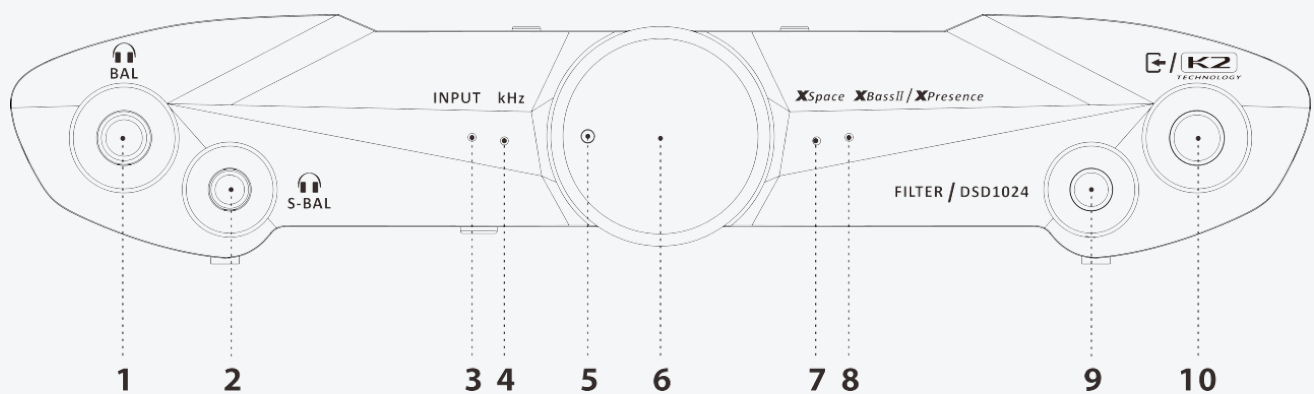
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SPECIFICATIONS



1. Balanced 4.4mm and xMEMS headphone output

I) Balanced 4.4mm

Connection 4.4mm balanced headphones.

Tip: If possible, use balanced headphones to take full advantage of the true balanced nature of the iDSD Valkyrie circuitry.

II) xMEMS mode

The xMEMS mode is designed for xMEMS headphones. To use xMEMS headphones, switch on the dedicated xMEMS mode; see section (21) xMEMS.

Tip: xMEMS transducers are a piezoelectric technology that have specific drive requirements, and can only be used when xMEMS mode is on.

Warning: With xMEMS mode on, please connect xMEMS IEMs to the balanced 4.4mm headphone output only (1). It is not recommended to connect other types of headphones while xMEMS mode is on. To connect those, please turn off the xMEMS mode before connecting.

Tip: If the mode is used incorrectly - such as plugging xMEMS headphones into the balanced 4.4mm headphone port when xMEMS mode is not turned on, or plugging regular balanced 4.4mm headphones into the balanced 4.4mm headphone port when xMEMS mode is turned on - we have implemented advanced circuit protection, protecting the headphones from damage but resulting in distorted sound.

2. S-Balanced 3.5mm headphone output

Connect 3.5mm headphones (compatible with standard TRS configuration).

3. INPUT LED

The LED colour scheme shows the current input mode of the iDSD Valkyrie (see (10) for input channel switching options). The display screen (20) simultaneously displays the current input mode icon.

LED	INPUT
Magenta	USB
Blue	Wireless Bluetooth (Connected)
Blue/Red (flashing)	Wireless Bluetooth (Awaiting connection)
Blue (flashing)	Wireless Bluetooth (Pairing)

Green	S/PDIF (Coaxial/Optical)
Yellow	Line (Balanced 4.4mm/S-E 3.5mm)

4. Audio Format LED (kHz)

The LED colour scheme indicates the audio format and sampling frequency received by the iDSD Valkyrie from the music source. The display screen (20) simultaneously displays the current audio format and sampling frequency.

LED	Mode
Yellow	PCM 48/44.1kHz
White	PCM 768/705.6/384/352.8/192/176.4/96/88.2kHz
Cyan	DSD 128/64
Red	DSD 1024/512/256
Magenta	Original Sample Rate (MQB)

5. Volume LED

The LED colour scheme indicates the current volume level of iDSD Valkyrie. The display screen (20) simultaneously displays the volume.

LED	Volume
Off	Mute

Blue	Mute to 21
Magenta	22 to 41
Cyan	42 to 61
Green	62 to 79
Yellow	80 to 97
Red	98 to 100

6. Multi-function Dial

Controls:

- Power ON/OFF
- Analogue volume control
- Mute/Unmute
- Forced shutdown

I) Power ON/OFF

Short press dial for 1s to switch on, long press dial for 3s to switch off.

II) Analogue volume control

Turn the dial to control the volume. The analogue volume control in the iDSD Valkyrie is audibly superior to any digital volume control.

Warning: Due to the high power of iDSD Valkyrie, always start off at a low volume level so that there is no risk of damage to your headphones and your hearing. iFi audio is not responsible for any hearing or equipment damage from misuse.

III) Mute/Unmute

Short press the dial to Mute/Unmute.

Tip: Mute mode cannot be cancelled by turning the volume control dial after a short press to mute, it can only be cancelled by short pressing the volume volume control dial again.

IV) Forced shutdown

If the device becomes unresponsive (no feedback for any operation), long press dial for $\geq 10s$, the iDSD Valkyrie will force a shutdown. The device needs to be manually rebooted after the shutdown.

Warning: Factory reset will change the following settings - it deletes all stored Bluetooth pairings; digital filtering will default to BP; Bluetooth voice announcement will be enabled; screen brightness returns to high; input channel returns to USB; volume will set to 74dB; gain will default at 0dB; XBass II, XPresence and XSpace turn off.

7. XSpace Matrix LED

Switch the **XSpace** Matrix on/off by short press (19). The **XSpace** LED lights up to indicate that the iDSD Valkyrie has enabled the XSpace holographic sound field (See 19).

8. XBass II and XPresence LED

Short press (21) to turn on/select/off **XBass II** and **XPresence**. The **XBass II** and **XPresence** LED lights up to indicate that the **XBass II** or **XPresence** mode is enabled (See 20/21).

9. FILTER and DSD1024

I) FILTER (PCM - Upsampling)

In this case PCM is up-converted to 16 x PCM (705.6/768kHz) using a choice of digital filters.

Short press the button to cycle through the following 6 digital filters. The display will show the corresponding digital filter information (20), users can freely select different digital filter modes:

Filters	Features
Bit-Perfect	No digital filtering, no pre or post-ringing
GTO (Gibbs Transient-Optimised)	Up-sampled to 352.8/384kHz, minimum filtering, no pre-ringing, minimum post-ringing
Apodising	Modest filtering, no pre-ringing, modest post ringing, 128 taps
Transient Aligned	Max filtering, max pre-ringing, maximum post-ringing, 16,384 taps
Standard	Modest filtering, modest pre and post-ringing

Minimum

Minimum phase, slow roll-off, minimum pre and post-ringing

Note: If the GTO filter is selected, the only sample rate indicator showing will be 352.8/384kHz, indicating the upsampling operation of this filter. When both K2HD mode and GTO filter are enabled, the sampling frequency of GTO is 192kHz.

II) DSD1024 (DSD - Remastering)

Long press the button to select between the following options. You can also enable DSD Remastering through the menu:

Off > DSD512 > DSD1024

In this case, incoming audio (except DSD512) is converted to either DSD512 or DSD1024 as selected, using the filter selected (including Bit-Perfect, meaning no digital filtering is applied).

All these digital processing options apply to all digital input sources, including USB, BT (Bluetooth), and S/PDIF (Coaxial/Optical) inputs.

Inputs other than USB are currently limited to maximum sample rates of 192kHz PCM and DSD64 via DoP.

Please try all the different options to see which you enjoy the most.

10. Input selector/K2

I) Input selector (Short press $\leq 1s$)

Use the buttons to select between the following input options. The display (20) will show the corresponding signal input mode icon, and the INPUT LED (5) will show the corresponding colour:



Note: Please select the input channel according to your audio source. For example, when using USB input, you need to switch the input channel to "USB".

II) K2

Featuring JVCKENWOOD's "K2 Technology" and "K2HD Technology". "K2HD" achieves high sound quality by restoring altered or degraded digital sound sources, to closely match the quality of the original master.

Long press the button to select between the following options:



K2 Mode



Features

JVCKENWOOD filter that does not change the sample rate.

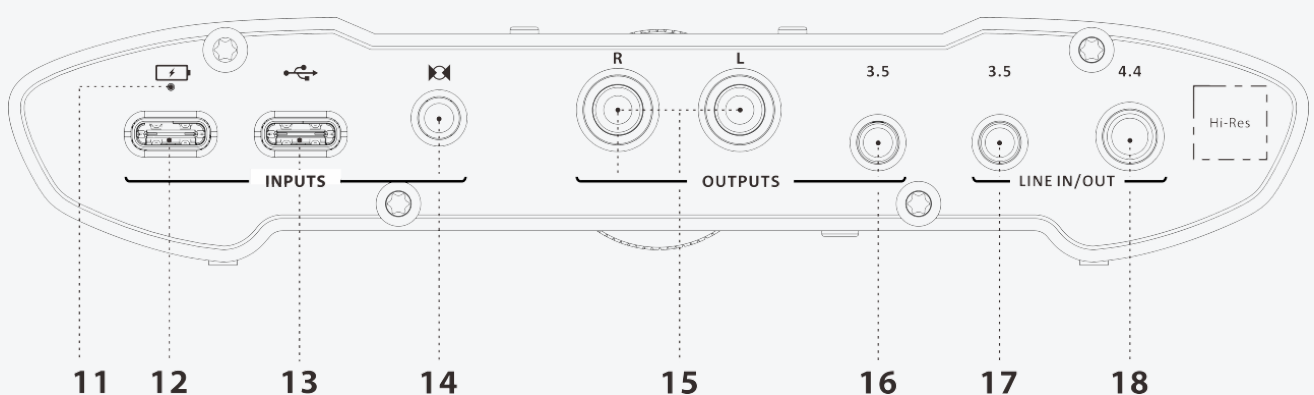


Only effective when the audio file format is PCM and the sampling frequency needs to be \leq PCM 192kHz; K2HD mode is not effective when the audio file format it is greater than PCM 192kHz.

K2HD mode cannot be enabled and will not work when the audio file format is DSD.

Tip: When both K2HD mode and GTO filter are enabled, the sampling frequency of GTO is 192kHz, and the sampling frequency of GTO is 384kHz when K2HD mode is not enabled.

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11. LED for Battery Status

LED	Status
Green*	80%-100%
Orange	26%-79%
Red	≤25%

**Battery LED will flash when it is charging*

12. USB-C battery charge input

For charging only, the Valkyrie supports PD/QC3.0 at 20V, or QC2.0 5V/9V/12V fast charge protocol. Due to the very high-power nature of iDSD Valkyrie, it will take ~8 hours to charge with a standard charger, and ~2.5 hours with a high-powered charger. Use the enclosed USB 'Type A' to 'Type C' cable, smart charger or a regular charger up to 24V.

Tip: The iDSD Valkyrie will run from battery power whilst charging.

Tip: When the iDSD Valkyrie is off and a USB power supply is detected, the LED (11) will change colour to show the various states of charge.

Tip: We recommend charging the iDSD Valkyrie when it is switched off. It will take longer to charge the Valkyrie when in use (listening to music), depending on the headphones used and the volume level. The chassis may get

warm to the touch when charging whilst in active use; this is normal, do not worry.

13. USB-C audio and power input

This is the USB-C input mainly used for data signal transmission. There are two states which can be set via the Dual Charge option in the menu:

Mode	Status
OFF	This port is for signal input only.
ON	This port can be used for charging in addition to the charging port (12).

Note: When the dual charge function is opened through the menu option, it can also be charged from this port, but the charging current is limited. If you want to charge, it is recommended to charge quickly using the (12) USB-C for charging.

Note: When in dual charge mode, more than 5.7V input will automatically engage protection, and it will not charge.

Note: For use with PC it is necessary to download Windows drivers.

Tip: For all latest firmware updates please refer to our website here: www.ifi-audio.com/download-hub/

14. S/PDIF (Optical/Coaxial) input

Connect a S/PDIF source such as Apple TV, Google Chromecast, PS5, Xbox, a high-end CD transport, etc.

Note: S/PDIF coaxial is implemented by 3.5mm jack (Tip - Signal; Sleeve - GND).

15. RCA analogue line output

This is an analogue output via RCA > RCA or other single-ended interconnects. You can use this to connect to active speakers or amplifiers that have a volume control.

Tip: In line out mode, turning the dial knob can control the output volume to speakers or amplifiers. The volume control and headphone outputs are still active.

16. Single-Ended 3.5mm analogue line output

This is an analogue output via 3.5mm > 3.5mm or other single-ended interconnects. You can use this to connect to active speakers or amplifiers that have a volume control.

Tip: In line out mode, turning the dial knob can control the output volume to speakers or amplifiers. The volume control and headphone outputs are still active.

17. Single-Ended 3.5mm analogue line input/output

This is a Single-Ended 3.5mm connection. Input and output are supported:

Mode	Status
Output (variable)	When the input mode is USB, Bluetooth or S/PDIF (Optical/Coaxial)
Input	When the input mode is Line

Warning: The volume level is fixed from this 3.5mm port when in line out mode. The volume control and headphone amp settings have no influence on it. Do not insert 4.4mm headphones to this source as the full volume is likely to damage your headphones or your hearing.

18. Balanced 4.4mm analogue line input/output

This is a Balanced 4.4mm connection. Input and output are supported:

Mode	Status
Output (variable)	When the input mode is USB, Bluetooth or S/PDIF (Optical/Coaxial)
Input	When the input mode is Line

Tip: The input impedance as a line input is very low when in xMEMS mode. Please use an analogue source with low impedance output <10 ohms when in xMEMS mode. During playback from a digital source using USB, S/PDIF or Bluetooth (ie. when in line output mode), please unplug your analogue source.

Warning: The volume level is fixed from this 4.4mm port when in line out mode. The volume control and headphone amp settings have no influence on it. Do not insert 4.4mm headphones to this source as the full volume is likely to damage your headphones or your hearing.



19. XSpace Matrix On/Off and Power mode selection

I) XSpace Matrix On/Off (short press $\leq 1s$)

Short press of the button ($\leq 1s$) switches the **XSpace** Matrix on/off and reproduces a holographic sound field. The display (20) will show the corresponding icon and the XSpace LED (7) will light up.

It is a purely analogue signal processing circuit designed for listening to headphones as if one was listening to speakers. This addresses the 'music inside the head' sensation, which can make for uneasy listening.

II) Power mode (long press $\leq 3s$)

There are 3 different types of power output levels to drive different headphones - from ultra-sensitive in-ear monitors to the most demanding over-ear headphones.

Long press of the button ($\leq 3s$) to select between the following Power mode options, the display (20) will show the corresponding icon:



Normal(0dB)



Turbo (+8dB)



Nitro (+16dB)

General mode (in Battery mode with typical headphones)

Input Mode

Power Mode

Headphone Type

listening 1

Digital	Normal	High-Sensitivity IEMs	Max. 18 h
	Turbo	Medium-Sensitivity	Max. 14 h
	Nitro	Most Demanding	Max. 8 h
Analogue	Normal	High-Sensitivity IEMs	Max. 32 h
	Turbo	Medium-Sensitivity	Max. 24 h
	Nitro	Most Demanding	Max. 13 h
xMEMS mode (in Battery mode with xMEMS headphones)			
Input Mode	Power Mode	DC Bias Level	listening Time
Digital			
	Normal	10V	Max. 13 h
	Turbo	12V	Max. 11 h

Analogue	Nitro	14V	Max. 9 h
	Normal	10V	Max. 19 h
	Turbo	12V	Max. 17 h
	Nitro	14V	Max. 15 h

Note: Always start from 0dB and then increase the gain level to attain an enjoyable and comfortable level of volume from the headphones.

Warning: At the outset do not use excessive gain, otherwise damage to hearing or connected headphones may ensue. AMR/iFi audio is not responsible for any damage/injury from misuse.

20. TFT Display

The TFT display shows the current input channel, sample rate, battery level, volume level, audio format, gain mode, XSpace, XBass, XPresence, K2 and digital filter.

21. XBass II and XPresence and Menu settings

I) XBass II and XPresence settings (short press $\leq 1s$)

Short press the button ($\leq 1s$) to select between the following options, the display (20) will show the corresponding icon and the **XBass II and XPresence** LED (8) will light up.



XBass II is an analogue circuit designed to 'add back' the lost bass response for more accurate reproduction of the original music.

Note: Research into headphone frequency response showed that a purely flat response may not be correct. Our long present XBass fits the profile of the low-frequency correction required. However, it was also shown that a certain amount of upper midrange boost is needed to give many headphones a more 'natural' sound.

This upper midrange region is usually called the 'presence' region; we have used this term to indicate the upper midrange correction. In the iDSD Valkyrie, can be selected to have either Bass + Presence correction, only Bass or only Presence correction.

Note: Sonically-hindering DSP is NOT used for XBass II, XPresence, nor XSpace matrix systems. They use the highest-quality discrete components and operate purely in the analogue domain. Hence all the clarity and resolution of the original music is retained.

II) Menu settings (long press $\geq 3s$)

Controls:

- DSD Remastering
- xMEMS
- Brightness
- Volume Sync
- BT Pairing
- BT Voice Prompt
- Dual Port Charge
- Line out volume ctrl
- Auto Power-Off
- Factory Reset
- Info

Note: Rotate the Multi-function Dial to select the function, and short press it to confirm selection or toggle on/off mode. If there is no operation within 10 seconds, the display will return to the home screen.

I) DSD Remastering

Short press the dial to select OFF > DSD512 > DSD1024 Remastering. The default is Off, which can also be set by long pressing (9).

For DSD Remastering instructions, see (9) FILTER (PCM - Upsampling) section.

II) xMEMS

Short press the dial to turn the xMEMS mode on / off. This mode is designed for xMEMS headphones. To use xMEMS headphones, switch on the xMEMS mode. It is off by default (See 1-II).

III) Brightness

Short press the dial to select setting TFT display screen brightness "Dark > Bright > Auto". The default setting is "Bright".

Auto	Sleep mode. If no operation is performed within 10s, the display will turn off.
High	High brightness mode. The display brightness always remains high.
Low	Low brightness mode. The display brightness always remains Low.

IV) Volume Sync

Short press the dial to turn the volume sync on/off. It is off by default.

V) BT Pairing

When Bluetooth input is selected, the INPUT LED (3) will blink blue and search for previously paired devices. If a stored device is not found, it will automatically enter

pairing mode and flash blue/red.

Select "PAIR" to pair with your source device via Bluetooth. The input LEDs (3) flash blue/red and the Bluetooth icon on the screen flashes in sync. To pair, find the 'iFi Lossless Audio' Bluetooth device on the source device (e.g. mobile phone).

The iDSD Valkyrie can store up to 8 paired Bluetooth devices. To delete all previously stored devices, please perform a factory reset.

The iDSD Valkyrie receives Bluetooth signals via aptX Lossless, aptX Adaptive, aptX, LDAC, LHDC/HWA, AAC and SBC.

VI) BT Voice Prompt

Short press the dial to turn the Bluetooth voice announcement on/off. It is on by default.

VII) Dual Port Charge

Short press the dial to turn the dual charge on/off. It is off by default. See (13).

VIII) Line Output Volume Ctrl

This mode will determine whether to use both iDSD Valkyrie's headphone output and analogue line output.

Short press the dial to turn the headphone & line output on/off. It is off by default.

OFF	The headphone output ports (1) and (2) have signal output, and the line output ports (16) (17) (18) have no signal output.
ON	The headphone output ports (1) (2) and line output ports (16) (17) (18) have signal output at the same time.

IX) Auto Power-Off

Short press the dial to turn the Auto Power-Off on/off. It is off by default.

OFF	The iDSD Valkyrie remains turned on until the battery runs out and automatically shuts down.
ON	The iDSD Valkyrie will automatically shut down after 20 minutes of being idle (no output signal, or paused/stopped playback).

X) Factory Reset

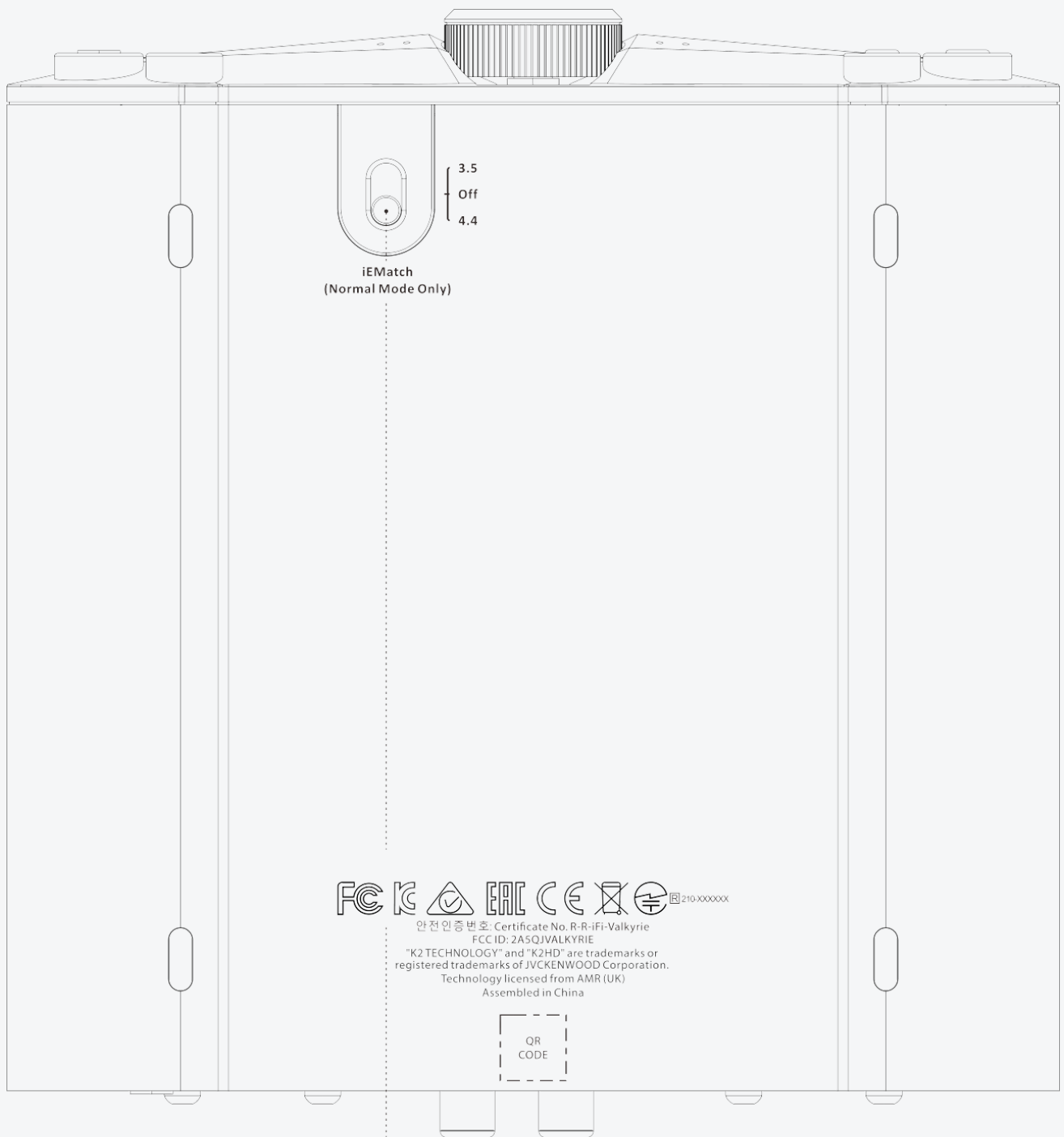
Select "Reset" to perform a factory reset. The "RESET..." option will appear on the screen and the device will reboot after a successful operation.

Warning: Factory reset will change the following settings - it deletes all stored Bluetooth pairings; digital filtering will default to BP; Bluetooth voice announcement will be enabled; screen brightness returns to high; input

channel returns to USB; volume will set to 74dB; gain will default at 0dB; XBassII, XPresence and XSpace turn off.

XI) Info

View the device name and the current xMOS and IOT version number.



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22. iEMatch switch

iEMatch reduces the output level by -12dB, so that even the most sensitive In-Ear-Monitors (IEMs) can be matched to the iDSD Valkyrie.

iEMatch can increase the dynamic range of sensitive IEMs by reducing background amplifier hiss.

iEMatch	3.5	=3.5mm headphones
	off	Off
	4.4	=4.4mm headphones

Tip: It is recommended to use the 4.4mm setting for 4.4mm headphones and the 3.5mm setting for 3.5mm headphones. Otherwise, the iEMatch function will not work as effectively.

Set up your iDSD Valkyrie using our iFi Nexis App



"iFi Nexis"



Download the Nexis app for added features and future updates

Please search for "iDSD Valkyrie" within the iFi Nexis app.

The iFi Nexis app helps you to use all the features and settings of the iDSD Valkyrie, such as OTA upgrades*, remote control** and more.

**OTA, or Over The Air download technology, downloads firmware upgrade packages and upgrades automatically over the network.*

***Provides users with a convenient and easy-to-use way to control their device as an alternative to the traditional remote control, for adjusting all the functions and settings of the iDSD Valkyrie more easily, conveniently and freely. The iFi Nexis app connects to it via either Wi-Fi or Bluetooth (selectable in the app).*



Scan the QR code to view the official iFi audio iDSD Valkyrie video on YouTube.

Cautions

1. Avoid extreme heat, cold and humidity.

2. Avoid dropping or crushing the iDSD Valkyrie.
3. If you experience discomfort or pain, try lowering the volume or temporarily discontinuing use.
4. To prevent possible hearing damage, do not listen at high volume levels for long periods.
5. Always check the actual output volume on your earphone, headphone, or loudspeakers before playing audio, as many music player software and operating systems do not appropriately apply industrial standards governing volume control (e.g., USB Device Class Definition for Human Interface Devices). If in doubt, before playing any music, turn off Volume Sync on the iDSD Valkyrie and bring the volume down to the lowest setting.

Prolonged Heat Exposure

Your iDSD Valkyrie may become very warm during normal use. It is important to keep it on a hard, stable, and well-ventilated work surface when in use.

SPECIFICATIONS

Digital stage	
Hi-res support	Native DSD512 with DSD1024 Remastering
	PCM 768kHz
Bluetooth formats	aptX Lossless, aptX Adaptive, aptX [^] , LDAC [^] , LHDC/HWA, AAC, SBC

Line stage	
Line output Level	
Balanced 4.4mm (fixed)	4.1V (200k Ω)
Single-Ended 3.5mm (fixed)	2.05V (100k Ω)
Single-Ended RCA (variable)	2.0V (100k Ω)
Single-Ended 3.5mm (variable)	2.0V (100k Ω)
SNR	
Balanced 4.4mm (fixed)	$\geq 116\text{dB(A)}$ @ 0dBFS
Single-Ended 3.5mm (fixed)	$\geq 114\text{dB(A)}$ @ 0dBFS
Single-Ended RCA (variable)	$\geq 113\text{dB(A)}$ @ 0dBFS
Single-Ended 3.5mm (variable)	$\geq 113\text{dB(A)}$ @ 0dBFS
DNR	
Balanced 4.4mm (fixed)	$\geq 116\text{dB(A)}$ @ -60dBFS
Single-Ended 3.5mm (fixed)	$\geq 114\text{dB(A)}$ @ -60dBFS
Single-Ended RCA (variable)	$\geq 113\text{dB(A)}$ @ -60dBFS
Single-Ended 3.5mm (variable)	$\geq 113\text{dB(A)}$ @ -60dBFS
THD+N	

Balanced 4.4mm (fixed)	$\leq 0.002\%$ (20-20kHz)
Single-Ended 3.5mm (fixed)	$\leq 0.002\%$ (20-20kHz)
Single-Ended RCA (variable)	$\leq 0.003\%$ (20-20kHz)
Single-Ended 3.5mm (variable)	$\leq 0.003\%$ (20-20kHz)
Output impedance	
Balanced 4.4mm (fixed)	$\leq 205\Omega$
Single-Ended 3.5mm (fixed)	$\leq 105\Omega$
Single-Ended RCA (variable)	$\leq 100\Omega$
Single-Ended 3.5mm (variable)	$\leq 100\Omega$
Headphone stage	
Headphone Outputs:	Balanced 4.4mm / S-Balanced* 3.5mm
Max.^ Output Power	
Balanced	>19.6V/640mW (@ 600 Ω); >13.5V/5,700mW (@ 32 Ω)
S-Balanced*	>9.8V/160mW (@ 600 Ω); >8.9V/2,475mW (@ 32 Ω)
RMS Output Power	

Balanced	>12.0V/2,250mW (@ 64Ω)
S-Balanced*	>8.5V/2,258mW (@ 32Ω)
Output impedance	
Balanced	≤0.3Ω, Enable iEMatch ≤2.2Ω
S-Balanced*	≤0.2Ω, Enable iEMatch ≤2.1Ω
SNR	
Digital Input	≥114dB(A) (Balanced 4.4mm/S-Balanced* 3.5mm)
Analogue 4.4mm Line Input	≥120dB(A) (Balanced 4.4mm/S-Balanced* 3.5mm)
Analogue 3.5mm Line Input	≥119dB(A) (Balanced 4.4mm/S-Balanced* 3.5mm)
DNR	
Digital Input	≥115dB(A) (Balanced 4.4mm/S-Balanced* 3.5mm)
Analogue Line Input	≥120dB(A) (Balanced 4.4mm/S-Balanced* 3.5mm)
THD+N	
Balanced	≤0.004% (Balanced @ 2.4V 16Ω) @ (20-20kHz)
S-Balanced*	≤0.004% (S-Balanced* @ 1.27V 16Ω) @ (20-20kHz)

Channel separation	
Balanced	$\leq -88\text{dB}$ (4V 1kHz @ 600 Ω)
S-Balanced*	$\leq -88\text{dB}$ (2V 1kHz @ 600 Ω)
General	
Gain:	0dB, 8dB and 16dB
Frequency Response (-3dB):	
Wireless	20Hz-41kHz (LDAC @ 990kbps)
Wired (Digital)	20Hz-90kHz @ USB and S/PDIF (Coaxial/Optical)
Wired (Analogue)	20Hz-46kHz (Balanced 4.4mm/SE 3.5mm)
Power consumption:	
Nitro	13W
Turbo	6.5W
Normal	3.5W
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Nitro	6.1W
Turbo	5.3W
Normal	4.6W
Battery:	Lithium-polymer 20,000mAh

Power System	Charging via USB-C charging compliant PD/QC3.0 20V/QC2.0 5V/9V/12V fast charge protocol, Power up to 24W compliant
Charging Time	8h (5V/2A) or 5h (9V/2A) or 4h (12V/2A) or 2.5h (20V/2A)
Dimensions	172 x 160 x 30mm (6.8" x 6.3" x 1.2")
Net weight	882 g (1.9 lbs)
Limited warranty	12 months**
<i>*Single-Ended Compatible Balanced</i>	
<i>**12 months typical or as permitted/required by local reseller laws.</i>	
<i>Specifications are subject to change without notice.</i>	
<i>See FAQ at ifi-audio.com for more information.</i>	

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FCC Notice:

This device complies with Part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) This device may not cause harmful interference. (2) This device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

NOTE: This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class B digital device, pursuant to Part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference in a residential installation. This equipment generates uses and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instructions, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation. If this equipment does cause harmful interference to radio or television reception, which can be determined by turning the equipment off and on, the user is encouraged to try to correct the interference by one or more of the following measures:

---Reorient or relocate the receiving antenna.

---Increase the separation between the equipment and receiver.

---Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected.

---Consult the dealer or an experienced radio/TV technician for help.

WARNING: Changes or modifications not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate the equipment.

RF Exposure Statement

This equipment complied with FCC radiation exposure limits set forth for an uncontrolled environment. This equipment should be installed and operated with minimum distance 20cm between the radiator & your body.