

Forge TME — Vhikk X

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[Official VHIKK X Manual PDF](https://forge-tme.com/vhikk-x/)

VHIKK X Eurorack Module Cheat Sheet

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Quickstart Overview

- **VHIKK X** is a multi-algorithm stereo sound source and processor
- Offers 36 algorithms across 4 banks (firmware v003+), combining g
- Designed as a stand-alone sound island with ergonomY and deep int
- Key controls: two central encoders, two buttons, fixed-function k
- Input/output is fully stereo with true stereo sound architecture.

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Panel Controls & Interface Reference

Knobs & Encoders

- **Parameter Knobs:** WARP, SPAN, MIX, FEED, MORPH, FIELD, TIME, F
- **2 Central Encoders:**
 - **Parameter pairs:** BASIS/TIME or SEED/SCAN
 - **MODE button** toggles encoder focus between pairs
 - **Lower button:**
 - In BASIS/TIME mode → volume (VOL) control ([left=Input, right
 - In SEED/SCAN mode → switch BANK (firmware v003+)
- **LEDs:** Above encoders & I/O indicate parameter values, bank, l

Toggle Switches

- 2 switches select algorithm – each combo is an algorithm (9 per b

Buttons

- **Top (MODE):** Change encoder targets (BASIS/TIME or SEED/SCAN)
- **Bottom:**
 - In BASIS/TIME mode: Engage VOL mode for encoder volume control
 - In SEED/SCAN mode: Bank select (firmware v003+)
- **Both together:** Randomise SEED & SCAN (firmware v003+)

Input/Output Jack Reference

Audio

- **Stereo Inputs (L, R)** (bottom left):
 - **Normalled:** Either input can be used for mono signals.
 - **Impedance:** 30k Ω
 - **Clipping:** 20Vpp
 - **Gain:** $-\infty$ to +30dB
- **Stereo Outputs (L, R)** (bottom right):
 - **Normalled:** R output gives mono sum if only R patched.
 - **Impedance:** 1k Ω
 - **Max output:** 18Vpp, with output volume knob/global encoder c
- **LED bars:** Signal level metering (white = left, red = right).

CV Inputs & VCA Routing (bottom center)

Label	Controls	Input Voltage	Jack Functionality
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VCA	Internal stereo VCA	-10V to +10V	+5V = open; >+5V ov
MORPH	Morph param/route	-10V to +10V	Normalled to BASIS,
BASIS	Algorithm param	-10V to +10V	V/Oct tracking (cal
FIELD	Algorithm param	-10V to +10V	-

TIME	Algorithm param	-10V to +10V	-
FORM	Algorithm param	-10V to +10V	-

- **All CV inputs**: 200kΩ impedance, 20Vpp max, 5V swing = full range
- **Attenuverter**: Each CV jack (except VCA) is paired with an attenuverter

CV Normalising Logic

- If **VCA CV** is patched only: Normalled to all others.
- If **MORPH CV** patched: Overrides normal, routes to others.
- If none patched: Small offset normalled, lets attenuverters act as normal

Missing CV

- **SEED**: No CV, only manual/random control.

State Saving

- **Parameters** saved after ≈30s unchanged.
- **SEED, SCAN**: Saved per-algorithm.
- **VOL**: Saved globally.
- **BASIS, TIME**: Saved globally or per-algo (hold MODE on boot for per-algo)

Change Save Mode (fw v003+)

- Hold top button 5s (both LOGOs blink) to enter mode
- Top = global, Bottom = per-algo, Both = save/exit

Calibration (fw v003+)

- Hold **bottom button 5s**: BASIS cv calibration mode
- Follow LED/encoder prompts with 1V & 3V inputs to calibrate (see manual)
- Hold **top button 5s** for reference saw wave output (system calibration)
- Hold **bottom button 5s** to reset calibration
- **Press both** to save and exit

Specs & Power

- **24HP, 15mm deep**
- **Power Draw:** +12V 100mA / -12V 10mA
- **Audio:** 96kHz, 24-bit I/O, stereo
- **Reverse Polarity Protected**
- **USB-C (side):** Firmware updates only (USB Mass Storage); not f

Warranty / Contact

- **2-year warranty** (manufacture defects; not misuse)
- Contact: contact@forge-tme.com
- Distribution: Signal Sounds (Int'l), list of global retailers in

****For detailed algorithm reference, calibration steps, and advanced**

[Generated With Eurorack Processor](https://github.com/nstarke/euro