



# BLINDFOLD EQ

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**Blindfold EQ** is a freeware EQ plugin inspired by a quote of Matt Wallace from the book *Recording Unhinged* by Sylvia Massy. It has 4 bands (LowShelf, LowMid, HighMid, HighShelf), but each knob is *blind*. There are no indicators or numbers to show frequency values, gain values or Q values. You'd have to use your ears.

"If I were King of the Universe, consoles would have no indication of frequency near the EQ knobs, because when you show the frequency, then most people EQ by eye. [...] But seriously, you should have no idea of what frequency you are boosting or cutting. It doesn't matter what number is. It matters how it sounds and how it feels. That's it!" - Matt Wallace

## INSTALLATION

### MAC OS

- Double click on the DMG archive to extract it
- Right click on the PKG installer and click open
- Follow the instructions to install the plug-in(s)

### WINDOWS

- Extract the ZIP archive
- Double click on the setup file (.exe)
- Follow the instructions to install the plug-in(s)

# END

## WHERE IS EVERYTHING?

The installer will place the plugins, presets and other data in these folders.

### MAC OS

AU:     /Library/Audio/Plug-ins/Components/  
VST:    /Library/Audio/Plug-ins/VST/  
VST3:   /Library/Audio/Plug-ins/VST3/  
AAX:    /Library/Application Support/Avid/Audio/Plug-Ins/  
Data:   /Users/Shared/AudioThing/

### WINDOWS

VST:     *custom path from installer*  
VST3:    \Program Files\Common Files\VST3\  
AAX:    \Program Files\Common Files\Avid\Audio\Plug-Ins\  
Data:    \Users\Public\Public Documents\AudioThing\

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## EULA

Please visit [www.audiothing.net/eula/](http://www.audiothing.net/eula/) to review this product EULA.

## THANK YOU

We hope you will have as much fun using it as we had making this product.

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