## IMPORTANT ! READ ME FIRST

*Run this procedure each time you add or delete songs*: Power on Merish 4. After boot up press SETUP>DATABASE>REBUILD DATABASE 'HARD DISK'. On completion, press EXIT SETUP and press 'Default Songs' to view song list. Perform this procedure each time you add or delete a batch of songs from Merish 4.



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USB WEB KEY DONGLE is not included with the export version of Merish 4.

**FOR OPTIMUM SOUND** set MAIN slider to 85% and MIDI or Audio (MP3) volume knob up to 3 o'clock. On the stage mixer, set Merish 4 channel(s) to +4 (over nominal 0) then play a punchy song and gradually increase gain/ trim pot until clipping light flashes. Wind back gain/trim knob until channel(s) no longer clip. Finally, lower channel sliders to suitable level for the gig. Using these settings achieves the best sound for Merish 4.

**ABOUT LOADING SONG FILES - (VERY IMPORTANT)** Transfer MIDI and MP3 files into the 'DefaultSongs' folder. Self made folders containing MIDI and MP3 files can also be uploaded to Merish 4 **<u>BUT</u>** folders must be uploaded into the '**DefaultSongs' folder**. Failure to follow this advice will cause your Merish 4 to become unstable. Always rebuild the Hard Disk database after adding/deleting songs. Never skip this step.

**Remove external USB** connection from Merish 4 after use or risk damaging the mother board. Damage caused by an inserted USB connection is not covered by the warranty. Keep Merish 4 clean using a clean cotton slightly damp cloth (squeeze out all water before cleaning the player).

**Do not twist the power supply cable.** Wind gently to avoid kinks. Remember - your power supply is the lifeline to your Merish 4. Treat it with disrespect and it may fail when you need it most - at your next gig.

## HOW TO UPDATE FIRMWARE:

- 1. DOWNLOAD latest firmware: <u>https://www.midi.com.au/support/downloads/merishupdate.zip</u> and save to desktop
- 2. On the desktop, select and right-click the file **merishupdate.zip** then select EXTRACT (or unzip) and extract to the desktop. A new folder will appear or a filename **MerishUpdate.m4**
- 3. Select filename 'MerishUpdate.m4' (do not open) and copy to a blank USB stick
- 4. Remove USB from computer and insert the USB stick into Merish 4 USB 1 port on right side panel
- 5. Power on MERISH 4. The update will occur automatically. DO NOT disturb or power off MERISH 4 during the update.
- 6. On completion if update, an alert will appear on screen. Power off MERISH 4, remove USB stick and power on again.

**Pre Check & Warranty;** Your Merish 4 was checked before shipping. Hit Trax has a fix or replace warranty in the 12 month period from date of purchase where fault is determined to be from the manufacturer. Damage and faults caused by misuse, neglect, accidental, dropping, negligence, liquid and other possibilities that are not considered manufacturer defects are not covered by the warranty. Shipping both ways is owners responsibility. Hit Trax is located in Melbourne, Australia.

**If Merish 4 was damaged during transit** do not return without obtaining RA number and procedure from Hit Trax. Take photo's of the damaged area and the box. Send photo's and details **by email** to Hit Trax and we will advise on the return and replace procedure. NOTE: Insurance & replacement is null and void if item is returned to Hit Trax without following the above procedure. The insurer will claim damage was made during return shipping.

**Your Merish 4** is an electronic item and should be handled with care at all times. Warranty will be void if the item is damaged through lack of care, misuse or neglect. Use the knobs and buttons with care and a light touch. Use and store Merish 4 in moderate temperature. Avoid extreme conditions.

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