Subject: Re: Under-Biasing Output Tubes
Posted by SASAudioLabs on Thu, 22 Mar 2012 19:30:58 GMT
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I have found that as the idle current lowers from class A towards class B, at some point the sound will start to be perceived as leaner.

With that said, class AB is not a problem if one biases towards descent values, not close to class B.

From .45 to .43 is most likely a couple of ma, and is not going to make any difference in longevity. However, I would check the sonics and see if .5 or higher would be perceived differently with the KT-88s. Set for the best sound. (Always be sure the power tranny does not overheat.)

Cheers.