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PRESS RELEASE

UnitBasse Launches: The Mac App That Brings Theory and Studio Together for Bass Players

Paris, France — June 1, 2026 — 20 fois l'ours today announces the release of **UnitBasse**, a native macOS application built for bass players, combining a chromatic tuner, 69 interactive scales, a complete amp with effects, and access to Audio Unit plugins. Available now on the Mac App Store at \$9.99 / €9.99.

FILLING A GAP IN THE MAC MUSIC SOFTWARE MARKET

While guitarists enjoy a wide selection of Mac apps tailored to their instrument, bass players have been historically underserved on the platform. Most existing tools are mobile apps, web wrappers, or guitar-centric solutions adapted to bass without much care. UnitBasse offers an alternative designed specifically for bass, end to end.

FOUR MODULES IN A SINGLE APP

The Scales module displays an interactive fretboard up to the 20th fret with automatic fingering calculation. It covers 69 scales — pentatonics, major modes, harmonic and melodic minor modes, blues scales, bebop, exotic scales (Japanese, Arabic, Persian, Indian, Balinese) and symmetrical scales. Each scale is documented: description, usage tips, related chords, musical styles.

The chromatic tuner detects frequency through NSDF algorithm, accurate to the cent, with adjustable A4 reference from 430 to 450 Hz to accommodate orchestral practice.

The Amp module offers eight amplifier modelings (SVT Classic, Bassman '59, Bass 400+, GK 800, AD200B, 360, GP12, Microtubes Modern) and five cabinets (4x10, 1x15, 8x10, 1x12, direct DI).

The pedalboard integrates 22 internal effects from Noise Gate to Reverb, plus a chain of external AU plugins to use any Audio Units plugin installed on the Mac.

AN INDEPENDENT, LOCAL, SUBSCRIPTION-FREE APP

UnitBasse is developed by 20 fois l'ours, an independent French studio. The app is fully native, written in Swift and SwiftUI for Apple Silicon and Intel. No internet connection required, no tracking, no subscription: a single purchase. The interface is translated into 14 languages: French, English, German, Spanish, Brazilian Portuguese, Italian, Dutch, Japanese, Simplified Chinese, Traditional Chinese, Korean, Russian, Polish, Turkish.

AVAILABILITY AND PRICING

UnitBasse is available today on the Mac App Store at **\$9.99 / €9.99**. It requires macOS 14 (Sonoma) or later.

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Full press kit (HD visuals, logos, screenshots):
20foislours.fr/unitbasse/press-kit-en.html

ABOUT 20 FOIS L'OURS

20 fois l'ours is an independent French software studio. The company designs polished, native Mac applications conceived as precise, durable tools. UnitBasse is its first published application.

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