BluOS™

Introduction

These release notes are for the BluOS NICE drivers. These drivers can be used to control BluOS products.

Dependencies

- Requires BluOS v4.2.10 or higher.

- Requires NICE Controller firmware v8.8.52 or higher.

Change Log

Version 1.8.2 (released April 23, 2024):

- Added support for a simplified UI without Service browsing and Queue.

- Fixed pausing other zones when switching from MR streaming to External/HUB inputs on a zone.

- Fixed turning off a zone while playing turns off the zone but turns it active again.

Version 1.8.1 (released February 14, 2024):

- Fixed source input switching for POWERNODE (all gen).

Version 1.8.0 (released February 5, 2024):

- Added support for NAD M33, M66, and C658.

- Added support for Cyrus Audio Classic STREAM and STREAM-XR.

- Updated input source selection as per BluOS 4.2.

- Updated the BluOS Media Comm driver to discover players only if "Discover Players" button is pressed.

- Updated to install a set of Media Renderer and Zone Controller drivers only once for each player, regardless of network switching (IP change).

- Updated all naming from ELAN to NICE.

Version 1.6.4 (released September 19, 2023):

- Added "Music Services" icon to root menu to hide/show individual services.

- Renamed driver name from ELAN to NICE/ELAN.

- Fixed to load Albums when they do not have album names.

- Updated to support up to 32 players (previously was 8 players due to UI limit).

Version 1.6.3 (released February 14, 2023):

- Fixed grouping inactive zones to current active zone could not wake up the inactive zones.

- Fixed external input source selection.

Version 1.6.2 (released January 24, 2023):

- Added support for NAD M10 and M10v2.

Version 1.6.1 (released January 17, 2023):

- Added support for player grouping.

- Added support for Bluesound HUB, PULSE M, POWERNODE EDGE.

- Added support for PSB ALPHA iQ.

- Added support for NAD C 3050, C700, C389, C399.

- Added support for B100S, B160S, B170S, B400S, BSP125, BSP200, BSP500, BSP1000.

- Added support for Roksan ATTESSA (OEM1v2).

- Update to setup TCP communication whenever player IP is changed.

- Fixed Search function availability for services having No Search function.

Version 1.4.0 (released May 18, 2021):

- Added support for Bluesound NODE (gen3), POWERNODE (gen3) and SOUNDBAR+.

- Support ELAN media favorites.

- Can now append albums and tracks to play queue.

- Improved player connectivity after ELAN controller reboot.

- Prevented SOUNDBAR from getting paused when another zone switches sources.

Version 1.3.0 (released August 14, 2020):

- Added support for NAD M33 and T778.

- Added support for Monitor Audio IMS-4.

- Added Repeat On/Off/Toggle and Shuffle On/Off/Toggle commands to event mapper.

Version 1.2.0 (released January 7, 2020):

- Added support for Bluesound Node 2i, Powernode 2i, Pulse Flex 2i, Pulse Mini 2i, Pulse 2i, Pulse Soundbar 2i and Vault 2i.

- Added support for Bluesound Professional BSP125, B100S, B160S and B400S.

- Added input sources to the Zone Controller.

- Now displays driver state in ELAN Configurator.

- Updated mute handling logic.

- Added album art for TuneIn stations.

- Added Volume Up/Down and Mute/Unmute toggle commands to the Zone Controller for event mapping.

- Long lists like Library Songs and Tidal Rising Albums are now fully displayed.

- Now Playing view shows the correct music service icon.

Version 1.1.0 (released August 29, 2018):

- Add support for NAD C658 and M10.

- Now displays artwork when browsing music services.

- Added ability to save the play queue.

- Added support for the BUGS Korean music service.

- Improve functionality when a BluOS player is power cycled.

- Updated the muting logic.

- Display proper artwork when playing radio stations or using inputs.

Version 1.0.0 (released April 3, 2018):

- Initial release.

- Supports full playback controls, play queue and Now Playing artwork.

- User defined presets and favorites.

- Browsing of inputs, local music content and streaming services.

- Searching content.

- Ability to switch between players.

Notes