
Subject: Having trouble with really small sounding vocals!!!???

Posted by [excelav](#) on Wed, 04 Jan 2006 08:31:53 GMT

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ead of it

>being a Midi app with add on audio capabilities.

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>The folks over at Emagic have balked to make the much needed cosmetic changes,

>as well as, have the slick, cool editing found on the top DAWs.

>I'm not putting down the product, rather just stating as a long-time user

>some of it's shortcomings and changes I and a lot of others like to see.

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>At this point, I don't know if Emagic can make it happen. It seems that Apple

>is going full bore with SoundTrack Pro/Final Cut Pro.. Soundtrack Pro's layout

>and audio engine is where Logic should be. So, maybe we are seeing the future

>of Logic..I hope so, because until they make some wholesale changes, I'm not spending

>another dime on any Apple product.

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>Take care..LaMont

>

>Other users have voiced the same concerns

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>Jamie K <Meta@Dimensional.com> wrote:

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>>So really, you guys are just complaining about parts of Logic's

>>interface - specifically the environment window? Is that correct?

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>>But not the sound, right LaMont? Or do you think there is a problem with

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>>the way Logic records and plays audio? If so, what steps do you suggest

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>>to demonstrate a sound problem with Logic 7.1? I'm seriously interested

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>>in the basis of your criticism of the current Logic 7.1 audio engine.

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>>As far as the interface goes, I found that once I got enough of a handle

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>>on the environment stuff, the rest of the program is reasonably well

>>laid out and easy to work with. But as I alluded to earlier, they could

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>>knock down the learning curve a bit with some thoughtful design

>>decisions to get some functions out of the environment window, and they

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>>could improve the visual feedback and layout of the environment window

>>itself. I think the environment window trips up a lot of people.

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>>7.1 did improve things somewhat but there's improvement left to do.
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>>The mixer and arrange windows are very similar to PARIS, for audio, but
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>>without the 16 track per window limitation and with the ability to
>>automate everything. And with very nice integration of included and 3rd
>
>>party FX plugins and soft synths.
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>>You're right that the soft synths are useful but I think it's
>>overstating things to dismiss the rest of the program. The audio
>>recording is straightforward and the fx include a fairly complete set of
>
>>very useful tools right out of the box.
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>>There is a learning curve with the environment which they could indeed

>>improve. But once you get past that, and get hip to the long-click
>>thing, for me Logic hasn't been any slower to get around than PARIS. Get
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>>down with your bad self on some keyboard commands, Shuttle Pro or a
>>remote fader/shuttle setup and it's probably faster than PARIS.
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>>IOW not slow at all, IMO.
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>>Cheers,
>> -Jamie
>> <http://www.JamieKrutz.com>
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>>LaMont wrote:
>>> Hi Bill,
>>> You nailed my thoughts exactly about Logic..Great Virtual instruments..LAD
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>>> "Bill Lorentzen" <bill@lorentzen.ws> wrote:
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>>>>I used Logic a bit last year and found it to be very slow in some areas
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>>> like
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>>>>the mixer/environment. Making adjustments to the GUI takes a lot of time
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>>> But
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>>>>it has great synths!
>>>>Bill
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>>>>"Jamie K" <Meta@Dimensional.com> wrote in message [news:43ceeea7\\$1@linux...](news:43ceeea7$1@linux...)

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>>>>>You might find this useful: Sample accurate editing is there in Logic's
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>>>>>waveform editor, including "show as sample and hold" to see the individual
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>>>
>>>>>bit values represented. Not sure when that was added.
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>>>>>What do you mean by "sleek and fast"? Do you mean the interface design?
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>>> It
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>>>>>seems reasonably CPU efficient already.
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>>>>>Do you have any complaints about the sound?
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>>>>>I think the interface could be improved in some areas. Long-clicking
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>>>>>instead of right-clicking is old baggage. The environment window needs
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>>>>>attention, and Logic could require it less.
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>>>>>But version 7 was a good step toward cleaning up the GUI. As it works
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>>> now,
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>>>>>many parts of the interface are very fast and put useful info where
you
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>>>>>need to see and interact with it. They finally added the ability to
drag
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>>>>>or copy plugins from track to track - very PARIS like. :^)
>>>>>
>>>>>I can edit audio with Logic in comparable ways to PARIS, moving regions
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>>>
>>>>>around and adding crossfades within the same track. Again, very fast.
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>>> And
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>>>>>Logic's automation is more comprehensive and quick to edit.
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>>>>>Cheers,

>>>>> -Jamie
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>>>>>LaMont wrote:
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>>>>>>Hi Jamie as a current owner of Logic 7 and 5.3 Win, I have been excited
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>>>>>about
>>>>>>Logic's audio recording performance.
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>>>>>>The app is stil the same as when I purchased it back in 1997. Yes,
the
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>>>>>>instruments
>>>>>>are very good, and I still think that Logic's sequencer is in league
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>>> of
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>>>>>>it's
>>>>>>own. However, while Steingberge re-wrote the entire audio engine in
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>>>>>>Cubase
>>>>>>SX, Logic and DP is esentially the same app. The audio engine is not
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>>> as
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>>>>>>sleek and fast as is SX/Nuendo PT,or even Paris..No
>>>>>>sample accurate editing. The Logic look is dated.
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>>>>>>It seems that Apple's Sountrack Pro is going inthe right direction.
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>>>>>>only
>>>>>>hope that tey manage to integrate that killer Logic sequencer.. Then,
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>>>>>>Appple
>>>>>>will have a killer DAW. Note: Logic's Audio Instruments are steller..
>>>>>>Take care.LAD
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>>>>>>Jamie K <Meta@Dimensional.com> wrote:
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>>>>>>>LaMont, what are your complaints with Logic's audio engine? And are

>you
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>>>>>> talking about Logic Pro 7.1 or an earlier version.
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>>>>>> jef knight wrote:
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>>>>>>> Apple only? fascists.
>>>>>>> lol
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>>>>>>> LaMont wrote:
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>>>>>>>> <http://www.apogeedigital.com/products/symphony.php>
>>>>>>>> Wow, jsut when I was making fuss about the Mid-Level DSP(PCI) range
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>>> or
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>>>>>>> non-existence
>>>>>>>> of this market segment, they anouce this.
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>>>>>>>> Logic Audio is nice, but a little dated. Still one of the best midi
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>>>>>>>> sequencers,
>>>>>>>> it audio engine leaves a lot to be desired.
>>>>>>>> That said, Aplle has new Macs, maybe just maybe they already have
>a
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>>>>>>>> kill
>>>>>>>> new version of Logic or Sountrack Pro.??? :)
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>>>>>>>> If so, thsi could send shock waves thru out the industry. And, I
>must
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>>>>>>>> admit
>>>>>>>> that Dedric's & Thad's theories were right on "Point" about the
"State"

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>>>>>of
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>>>>>>>New Native DAWS"!! This product proves it big time..
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>>>>>>>I guess we'll have to wait and see how this namm show goes.. So
far,so
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>>>>>>>good
>>>>>>>:)
>>>>>>>LaMont
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>I was crushed by your response so I slit my wrists. I'm now
dead.....however, more gear is scheduled to arrive today,

;o)

Cheers,

Lazarus

"Kim" <hiddensounds@hotmail.com> wrote in message news:43cf6bbc\$1@linux...

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> rick <parnell68@hotmail.com> wrote:
> >kim, with your compassion you would be great model of support at AA
> >meetings. ;o)
>
> OK, so perhaps that wasn't the world's best demonstration of my caring
side...
>
> ...but I'll have you know I'm very caring at the AA meetings. I'm always
> buying people a beer when they need it most! :o)
>
> PS. Moment of morbid seriousness. Sorry DeeJ if I was a little uncaring.
> I do know how infuriating lack of internet service can be...
>
> Now, where'd I put that beer...
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> >
> >On 19 Jan 2006 19:25:20 +1000, "Kim" <hiddensounds@hotmail.com> wrote:
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> >>
> >>
> >>Well...

> >>
> >>...better your ISP than mine. ;o)
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> >>Cheers,
> >>Kim.
> >>
> >>"Deej" <animixnosrapamus@animas.net> wrote:
> >>>
> >>>I've been carrying on a few offline conversations with folks here and
> I'm
> >>>not sure if I've received any PM's or if you (and you know who *you*
are
> >>>;o) got the last ones I sent. My ISP has been torpedoed somehow and
they
> >>>have been scrambling to get backup servers working for the entire day.
> They
> >>>say that all incoming e-mail should show up once things are back on
track,
> >>>but for now, the whole of animas.net is toast.....if anyone has been
> trying
> >>>to ping me, I've been unpingable and have been incapable of
establishing
> >>>contact with the rest of the known universe.
> >>>
> >>>Deej
> >
>Thank you - you have a nice studio too!
My take also was the Mackie and the Dyna's were better but the Truths seemed
hard to beat for the \$\$\$. Do they accent the mids? Are you using a sub with
them and how do you find the bass response (that always seems to be my problem
area)... Thanks again for your help!

"Rob Arsenault" <mani2@NOSPAMnbnet.nb.ca> wrote:
>Rich, im using truths here in my studio. Had em for 2 years, they work good,
>good dB for the \$. They do have kind of a strange thing goin on in the mids
>but its manageable once you get to know them. The signal filtering
>capability in the back is kinda cool. I'm due for a change soon thow, so
far
>its the HR 824s or the Dyna's for me.
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>Rob_A
>www.studiomanitou.com
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>"Rich" <studiodog_99@yahoo.com> wrote in message news:43ce6fcf\$1@linux...
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>> yea I know the "B" company again...

>> I use NS10's with a JBL sub and Alesis power amp now. I'm looking for
>powered
>> monitors that are easier to move between systems as I work on a friends
>system
>> also.
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>> I have listened to the Mackies - Dyna 5's, truths (8") and event
>20/20's...
>> The Dyna's were the best (my take) but were like \$900 vs 300 for the
>Truths.
>> I have not heard the Yorkvilles mentioned in a post as I could not find
>> a local dealer here but was hoping that someone used the Truths and could
>> let me know what they thought. This is for a project studio (3 card Paris
>> mostly pop/rock) so money is as always a major factor...
>> Thanks in advance this place is awwwsome
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>what's your address so I can do a quick pickup....hehe

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