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Posted by [Warren](#) on Tue, 25 Oct 2005 12:58:48 GMT

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>> >>>>>>In classical, if you have a great teacher, they keep your nose to
>the

>> >>>>>>wheel, and let you know that you have along way to go. The

>> >>>>>>parents will be smart, and reserved with their praise and exposure
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>> >>>>>>the child to the public.

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>> >>>>>>Then you can end up with another Mozart, but it is rare today; fame

>> >>>>>>is too much of a drug to most people.

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Posted by [Deej \[1\]](#) on Tue, 25 Oct 2005 14:22:39 GMT

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>> >>challenge and achievement. Adults too, for that matter.

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>> >>As he builds on a growing technical viruosity and matures he'll =
have

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>> >>rich vocabulary to draw on. Maybe at some point he'll create =
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>> >>that moves the skeptics. :^)

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>> >>Cheers,

>> >>-Jamie

>> >><http://www.JamieKrutz.com>

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>> >>erlilo wrote:

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>> >>>I think that kind of music he's playing don't need more feelings =
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>> >>>"Neil" <OO@OIU.com> skrev i melding news:438d3fe0\$1@linux...

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occasionally...

-steveuptown jimmy wrote:

> Jamie,

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> Have you any involvement with the LUG?

Hi Jimmy. I've lurked there a bit.

Been more participatory on OSXAUDIO.com which has a wider scope.

> Are there any rumours of a "Logic Box" to compete with ProTools? Something
> more like Paris and ProTools in the low-latency sense?

I don't know, but most current i/o boxes have direct monitoring so you don't have to put up with software monitoring latencies. My little MOTU offers that.

If you want to monitor incoming takes through Logic, recent PowerMacs are fast enough that you can set software monitoring to usably low latencies.

Between the two I don't have problems with latency.

Cheers,

-Jamie

<http://www.JamieKrutz.com>

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>I was just busting your chops a bit. I yam what I yam.

On the "desktop" OS front I have converted 100% to Debian GNU/Linux. I still have one M\$oft box for my audio stuff (until Live, CubaseSX, VST, and a ton of other things get ported to GNU/Linux I have no choice), but everything else runs on GNU/Linux.

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Posted by [Deej \[1\]](#) on Wed, 26 Oct 2005 03:50:18 GMT

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I have to say whenever I use a desktop that isn't Gnome and doesn't give me immediate access to a powerful command line I feel like I'm running on one leg. There are some bumps along the road, and I have to install some non free software for remote access to work (including some kernel patches that are a PITA), but it's been worth every bit of the effort. Now that I'm doing computer work again for a living I'm happy to be free of proprietary software as much as humanly possible. For me all proprietary systems like OS X, XP, Vista, BeOS, and everything else are all roughly equivalent evils--places I have to spend some time in order to make a living.

Jamie K <Meta@Dimensional.com> wrote:

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>Heh. Yep Thad, I'm running it on BeOS, maybe that's the problem? ;^)
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>Time for a BeOS report I guess. Palm bought BeOS and hired members of
>the engineering team. Your Palm's operating system now benefits.
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>Be retained the right to sue Microsoft for closing them out of the OS
>market for Intel boxes through illegally restrictive OEM agreements.
>Microsoft paid millions to settle. Chump change.
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>Wish it had been different. BeOS was full of great tech. Imagine where
>it could be today.
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>Heck, for that matter imagine where PARIS could be today, if only...
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>More on BeOS:
><http://www.birdhouse.org/beos/byte/30-bootloader/>
><http://www.itjungle.com/mid/mid022702-story06.html>
>http://www.mv-voice.com/morgue/2003/2003_09_26.bisi.html
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>Meanwhile OSX has been steadily improving and has some good stuff. Oddly

>I ran Logic all day today in a project that was crashing left and right

>last time I worked on that project. It didn't crash once today.
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>So I don't know, maybe it's not a Logic problem. It may have to do with

>Native Instruments plugins, whatever's going on with my system drive or

>?. Or maybe a recent update fixed something. BTW, I do send bug reports

>to Apple so they've seen the detailed crash reports.
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>The bug where Logic stops playing back a virtual synth did come up one

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Posted by [audioguy_nospam_](#) on Wed, 26 Oct 2005 03:54:21 GMT

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>time today. That one needs to be fixed. Reloading the song is the
>workaround.

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>On the plus side, Logic on a dual G5 is incredible in its capabilities
>and the music is sounding great.

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>Nice to hear from you, Thad.

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>Cheers,

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>DJ wrote:

>> heheheh.....hi thad

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>>>>Those negatives aside, Logic has come a long way and it rocks. It has

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>>>>incredible selection of useful plugins for convolution reverb,

>>>>compression, limiting, distortion, EQ, etc. It also includes a good
>>>>variety of excellent virtual instrument/synth plugins, and great third
>>>>party plugins are readily available. It really is a virtual studio and
>>>>I'm very happy with the tracks I'm producing. C'mon over and check it
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>>Hey Steve,

Good to see you! Been stupid busy for the past year. Still listen to the CD you sent me every now and then. Cool stuff. If you like, check out www.moldmonkies.com the band I'm playing in right now. Couldn't be further from the dub/electronica that is my natural playground but I'm having a blast playing with these guys.

TCB

"steve the artguy" <artguy@svnhoojaa.net> wrote:

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>"TCB" <nobody@ishere.com> wrote:

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>>I don't check this NG for eons. Then I drop by on a whim and no flame wars,
>>no calls for Edmund to be covered in cattle blood and released into a cage
>>filled with starving ferrets, no lectures from Don about intelligent design?
>>Sheesh.

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>>Seriously, hope all is well. I'm beaten down at work
