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Posted by [mikep\[1\]](#) on Fri, 20 Jul 2007 20:11:30 GMT
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> Anybody notice that www.intDevices.com has updated their sit

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> pro audio is "coming soon" with a PARIS screen shot.
>
> anybody hear what they're up to?
>
> Perhaps releasing a software only version?
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> -Randy "Ted Gerber" <tedgerber@rogers.com> wrote:
> A closer look at the female input connector on the EDS card, shows some
damage
>
> too.
>
> My question is, can this component be replaced as a separate item by any
> computer
> repair type, or is it not removable, and therefore I'll need
> to send the card away?
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> Any help appreciated,

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we're wanting to keep moving on this.

Probably a dumb question, but have you tried prying out the card
connectors a tad? It might be that you just crushed or
collapsed them a bit.

Neil "Mike R." <emarenot@yahoo.com> wrote:
>

>
>MF is selling these for 99 bucks. I seem to recall some folks were using
>them and liking their sound.

Do they come with a fire extinguisher? If so, sure - grab one.

:D Tom, check the "For sale" section of the NG, since someone JUST
posted a bunch'o' Paris gear for sale, including MEC's - if
that doesn't work out for you I have ONE I can lend you, not
for sale, but can lend it to

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you for a short time if you're
willing to pay for shipping both ways. Post here to lemme know
if you need that for a favor; at which point we can negotiate
for your firstborn or something lol!

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> voltage spike or something weird like that, is it really
> possible that ALL of his MECs went bad?
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> Neil
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> "DJ" <animix _ at _ animas _ dot _ net> wrote:
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Posted by [DJ](#) on Fri, 20 Jul 2007 21:43:59 GMT

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Posted by [Aaron Allen](#) on Sat, 21 Jul 2007 00:09:40 GMT

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Aaron,
Thanks, I won't know about the modules until some new Mecs get delivered =
here.
I think I have the four I need almost on their way from multiple =
sources.

It looks like a chip in the master section of the scsi scorched mec got =
hit bad. We're
looking for the chip now. The other mecs may have less of a problem. =
Maybe some DC=20
down the WC line? Just a guess. Everything was AC grounded and no =
polarity shift.

We learned there's all kinds of protection fuses in line on the master =
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Subject: Re: Your biggest reason for leaving Paris?

Posted by [Bill L](#) on Sun, 22 Jul 2007 14:47:15 GMT

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Posted by [Bill L](#) on Sun, 22 Jul 2007 14:51:09 GMT

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> (no default proj) and Paris</DIV>
> <DIV>would not boot with my =
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> is loaded to the gills. I deleted</DIV>
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Subject: Re: Your biggest reason for leaving Paris?

Posted by [Neil](#) on Sun, 22 Jul 2007 15:54:32 GMT

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Neil

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Posted by [LaMont](#) on Sun, 22 Jul 2007 15:59:37 GMT
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Posted by [Bill L](#) on Sun, 22 Jul 2007 18:43:53 GMT

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Subject: Re: Your biggest reason for leaving Paris?

Posted by [Neil](#) on Sun, 22 Jul 2007 19:18:14 GMT

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Subject: Re: Your biggest reason for leaving Paris?
Posted by [Neil](#) on Sun, 22 Jul 2007 19:42:08 GMT
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<DIV>Thanks. It seems Mecs should be =
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so I</DIV>
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a lot=20
for your offer.</DIV>
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Tom,=
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 the "For sale" section of the NG, since someone JUST
posted a =
bunch'o'=20
 Paris gear for sale, including MEC's - if
that doesn't work out for =
you I=20
 have ONE I can lend you, not
for sale, but can lend it to you for a =

Subject: Re: Your biggest reason for leaving Paris?
Posted by [John Macy](#) on Sun, 22 Jul 2007 20:15:22 GMT
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Subject: Re: Your biggest reason for leaving Paris?
Posted by [Dedric Terry](#) on Sun, 22 Jul 2007 20:54:16 GMT
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Subject: Re: Your biggest reason for leaving Paris?
Posted by [Bill L](#) on Wed, 25 Jul 2007 01:16:06 GMT
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r />
giving it a try, depending on pricing, etc.
</end wishful thinking>

Neil"John" <no@no.com> wrote:

>
>A native version would be the next logical step but it would be so archaic
>compared to Reaper, Cubase and others it would hardly be worth the trouble.

May a Hindu Holy Man molest you with his Yak stick!

DC

>
>
>Jamie K <Meta@Dimensional.com> wrote:
>>
>>You may be onto something there LaMont. Releasing native versions of the
>
>>software seems possible. The software side was ID's realm.
>>
>>Any non-compete agreements may be about to expire with Creative.
>>
>>With today's native hardware speeds, the fast PARIS hardware that
>>offloaded DSP processing from the computer's CPU may be somewhat
>>superfluous.
>>
>>The PARIS software could rock on an octo-core box.
>>
>>Things they could do include lifting the old hardward-bound 16 channel

>>limit, and finishing/fixing the MIDI implementation.
>>
>>Cheers,
>> -Jamie
>> www.JamieKrutz.com
>>
>>
>>
>>LaMont wrote:
>>> That's harsh

Subject: Re: Your biggest reason for leaving Paris?
Posted by [Bill L](#) on Wed, 25 Jul 2007 12:20:15 GMT
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get="_blank">jjdpro@ameritech.net> wrote:

>
>Now, this is what I'm talking about. Two way integration. Tradidtnal I/O
>routing and VST plugin via Firwire ala SSL Duende.. Nice list \$499.00
>
><http://www.lexiconpro.com/ProductDetails.aspx?productID=146>No 88.2 or 96k? What were they thinking?

Graham

LaMont wrote:

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> routing and VST plugin via Firwire ala SSL Duende.. Nice list \$499.00
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> <http://www.lexiconpro.com/ProductDetails.aspx?productID=146>....of keeping the price down...

David.

Graham Duncan wrote:

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> LaMont wrote:
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>> <http://www.lexiconpro.com/ProductDetails.aspx?productID=146>Agreed, LaMont, it would fill a niche, but still just a niche. But hey, I hope you guys wind up with it if that's what you want.

TCB

"LaMont" <jjdpro@ameritech.net> wrote:

>
>That's a powerful combo Thad(LIVE & SX), but an updated Paris for Mix and
>Recording Engineers is very much welcomed.
>
>Not everyone wanted not need all of the goodies in SX. When it comes time
>to mix the \$\$ jobs, Paris & Pro Tools are no#1 in my book. Notice that I
>did not say editing.. That dubious spot belongs to SX/Nuendo hands down..
>
>So, if an updated Paris did not have a midi sequencer, vsti hostingBut

>HAD: Total Delay coompensation, even more flexible patchbay routing, and
>proper Asio2 plugin handling..Wow!!
>
>
>
>"TCB" <nobody@ishere.com> wrote:
>>
>>I'm a capitalist, and I have a hard time a product that has been essentially
>>dormant for five years could possibly compete with products that have been
>>out there in the marketplace fighting with each other. I'm happy to look
>>at anything to see if it's a better mousetrap, but I can't imagine I'll
>prefer
>>it to my Live/SX combo rig that I'm running now.
>>
>>TCB
>>
>>"LaMont" <jjdpro@ameritech.net> wrote:
>>>
>>>That's harsh.. I'd welcome something new from ID. Paris was still in it's
>>>infacy when they pulled the plug.
>>>
>>>I remember Edmund showing me a "working" version of Paris "Native" on
Mac
>>>OS back in 2000 NAMM. I mean it was working really good.
>>>
>>>So, to have a native VST version of Paris that spealize in Tracking, routing,
>>>mixing would be great. Forget about the midi sequencer, vsti's..
>>>
>>>Well??? If he had all that

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I had a SCSI that did that.. worked w/442, but wouldn't with a MEC. I =
think you probably hit it right on the head.=20

AA

"Tom Bruhl" <arpeggio@comcast.net> wrote in message =
news:46fb4262@linux...

AA,

I did find one scsi cable that had a couple dead pins out of five =

cables.

It allowed the 442 to work though. ? . Maybe those pins aren't used in the Paris pin out? I chucked it anyway. Could be the source = of all evil.
Tom

"Tom Bruhl" <arpeggio@comcast.net> wrote in message = news:46fa1183@linux...

Aaron,
Thanks, I won't know about the modules until some new Mecs get = delivered here.
I think I have the four I need almost on their way from multiple = sources.

It looks like a chip in the master section of the scsi scorched mec = got hit bad. We're looking for the chip now. The other mecs may have less of a = problem. Maybe some DC=20 down the WC line? Just a guess. Everything was AC grounded and no = polarity shift.

We learned there's all kinds of protection fuses in line on the = master section. It seems 'they' weren't fried but the expensive stuff right after them was. . .
Tom

"Aaron Allen" <know-spam@not_here.dude> wrote in message = news:46f9cf56@linux...

I'll also toss out an edumacated guess that only the interface = portion got fried and all your MEC cards are likely to be ok... holla = back on that man.=20

Sorry, no spare MEC's around here, in fact I'm going to be growing = my rig again shortly with a few more EDS cards :)

Say Tom, have you called The Soniq about repairing yours... he = offers warranty on his work yano :)

AA

"Tom Bruhl" <arpeggio@comcast.net> wrote in message = news:46f9621b@linux...

Most absolutely hardware. 3 Mecs down for the count.
No word on the 10 modules that were onboard during
the mishap.

Anyone have a spare mec they can part with?
Assamundo

"Tom Bruhl" <arpeggio@comcast.net> wrote in message =
news:46f4fa9a@linux...
I'll double check Aaron.

Continuity is my middle name.

"Aaron Allen" <know-spam@not_here.dude> wrote in message =
news:46f4e6c0@linux...

Dude, if you have 3 toasted MEC's I think it VERY likely you =
had a bad cable that put the hurt on them all as you swapped around =
parts.=20

"Tom Bruhl" <arpeggio@comcast.net> wrote in message =
news:46f472e2@linux...

Intersted people,

I know 3 fried mecs is unlikely. It's not confirmed until =
Tuesday=20

when I'll check the two that might 'still work'. The =
hardware solution
is seeming to be the most logic

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