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Posted by [Paul Braun](#) on Thu, 15 Mar 2007 22:54:13 GMT
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Posted by [Gantt Kushner](#) on Fri, 16 Mar 2007 01:17:52 GMT
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1.25 GHz (mine is dual processor, but it doesn't help in OS 9) with Firewire 400. The next generation had Firewire 800. They're not dual-boot machines.

Most tracks/native FX? Today I was running 46 tracks with a handful of UAD-1 plugins (couple of Cambridge EQs, couple of Pultec-Pros, couple of LA-2a comps) and a few Waves EQs, comps and flangers. I ran a stress test once w/ 64 audio tracks playing, but I don't think I ran any plugins on it.

Gantt

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Posted by [Al Corey](#) on Fri, 16 Mar 2007 01:23:49 GMT

Hi Paul,

I recently bought a MDD g4 Single processor 1.25 ghz - it's the last model to boot OS 9.2.2 - and it's quieter than the dual processor models (which do nothing for Paris anyhow). I don't use lots of tracks but I have 3 EDS cards installed and lots of wave plugs, 1.5 gigs of ram in it and 3 drives - the factory installed one and two more 250 gig seagates and I haven't had one issue in Paris at all - it's a good machine - got it on ebay for \$700 with a 17" studio apple flatscreen.

Al Corey

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