
Subject: OT: How's yer Magicstomp working out?
Posted by [emarenot](#) on Mon, 09 Oct 2006 02:38:58 GMT
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Subject: Re: How's yer Magicstomp working out?
Posted by [D-unit](#) on Thu, 12 Oct 2006 13:37:07 GMT
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Posted by [Mark McDermott](#) on Thu, 12 Oct 2006 15:59:19 GMT
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I see the same issue with my Line6 modelers. Lots of variation between patch volume levels. This was a big problem for me until I figured out a workaround, at least for Line6 stuff. I use a PODxt in an Atomic tube amp for my live rig so it was especially critical for me when going between clean and distorted tones.

I compensate for the lower volumes by pumping up the compressor gain on those patches. This evens out the levels and makes the rig a dream to gig with.

Don't know if the Yamaha has a similar capability but it might be worth a look.

My 2 cents!

Mark
