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Posted by [Chris Ludwig](#) on Mon, 18 Aug 2008 21:27:29 GMT

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Subject: Re: mystery product

Posted by [EK Sound](#) on Mon, 18 Aug 2008 22:25:40 GMT

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David.

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Posted by [rick](#) on Wed, 20 Aug 2008 08:59:59 GMT  
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yup it's called Spareus by endoniq.

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Hi Aaron,

Nah not as unnecessarily complicated as Creamware. This is geared more to audio guys more than synth sound design folks.  
Heck there aren't even any MIDI ports on the SSL product.

Creamware's big innovation was almost 10 years ago now. Not much has really changed or progressed since then.  
They seem to have used all their best ideas up all at once. Maybe Sonic core will help revive them but I have my doubts.

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I actually would have guessed Yamaha save that Cubase/Nuendo integration.

Two concerns for me. First, SSL has yet to get into my sandbox because of stability concerns. I hear LOTS of problems from people using their firewire box. Second, maybe I'm getting old but I'm just sick of all of the hassles dealing with multiple apps/machines. In the business software world where I'm getting closer and closer to the developers good programmers are deeply concerned with 'workflow.' Why? Because good workflow means more work gets done. I spend huge amounts of time being sure my users have standard, familiar ways to work with in house software, so if they learn one app they know the rest.

So, for me, who has far less time than I'd like to record/mix/play, anything I use MUST work INSIDE SX and Live pretty much seamlessly. I'm even thinking of ditching my CW card, which I really flaming love, but those John Bowen synths might be too much to give up.

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32 channels @ 96k. This the same for all MADI devices.

The amount follows the sample rate so half the the number of DSP.

It technically will have 8 Duende PCI-e cards worth of DSP an don't have any latency being that they are only functioning in hardware.

The Duende plugin DSP devices add a bit of a buffer like the UAD and TC devices do to your sound card and programs delay compensation.

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Yes thats what they claim. When the SSL guy asked me how much I think something like this would for I said \$8000 ha. Glad I was wrong.

Being Madi you can use can use the SSL Alpha Links, A bunch of the RME Madi stuff or a bunch of the digital mixing consoles.

You can mix and match the I/O quite a bit sense there are 2 64 channel Madi I/O ports to use.

Chris

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Subject: Re: mystery product  
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Subject: Re: mystery product  
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It's Paris redux 2009.. Featuring the reunintg of Intelligent Devices and EMU..

I have my money ready. As it stand, I was saying to wife, next year I would be investing in a ProTools HD3 acel with a C24.

I'll wait..

LaMont

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Posted by [John \[1\]](#) on Thu, 21 Aug 2008 22:32:57 GMT  
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<http://tinyurl.com/6fdaoz>

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Subject: Re: mystery product I found it !  
Posted by [rick](#) on Fri, 22 Aug 2008 09:20:54 GMT  
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for safety sakes you shouldn't use your real name.

be careful!

On 22 Aug 2008 08:32:57 +1000, "John" <no@no.com> wrote:

><http://tinyurl.com/6fdao>

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Subject: Re: mystery product  
Posted by [EK Sound](#) on Fri, 22 Aug 2008 14:28:40 GMT  
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That would have been my guess as well... It will be interesting to see what this product pokes Yamaha into coming up with...

David.

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Posted by [Bill L](#) on Mon, 25 Aug 2008 03:04:03 GMT  
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Subject: Re: mystery product  
Posted by [Bill L](#) on Mon, 25 Aug 2008 23:21:20 GMT  
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Looking back on my Paris experience I'm not convinced the PT/Paris/Sounscape model really is a better option than a full on digitalmixer with DAW control and a DAW. The mixer brings so many more tools to complete your studio.

What I'd really love to see is Yammy putting out a high quality mixer/controller that totally integrates with Cubase/Nuendo and VST plugs. OR SSL putting out a Soundscape system with a real mixer as the front end of it. Same difference really. Oh yeah, and keep it affordable! I think they're coming closer and closer.

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