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Posted by [DJ](#) on Sun, 16 Dec 2007 20:21:30 GMT

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Posted by [Chris Ludwig](#) on Sun, 16 Dec 2007 20:31:58 GMT

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Subject: Re: Does the RME HDSP driver support 4 x cards?

Posted by [John \[1\]](#) on Sun, 16 Dec 2007 23:33:54 GMT

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You should get about 10 million mic pres, that should do you !

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Subject: Re: Does the RME HDSP driver support 4 x cards?

Posted by [DJ](#) on Mon, 17 Dec 2007 02:25:17 GMT

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Will the driver support it? I've got a free IRQ, guaranteed. I would just be using it for some extra analog stereo output busses.

"Chris Ludwig" <[chrisl@adkproaudio.com](mailto:chrisl@adkproaudio.com)> wrote in message  
news:47658c25\$1@linux...

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Posted by [Graham Duncan](#) on Mon, 17 Dec 2007 04:21:45 GMT

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Posted by [DJ](#) on Mon, 17 Dec 2007 05:29:31 GMT

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Posted by [audioguy\\_editout\\_](#) on Mon, 17 Dec 2007 06:19:04 GMT

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Posted by [DJ](#) on Mon, 17 Dec 2007 06:22:44 GMT

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Posted by [Chris Ludwig](#) on Mon, 17 Dec 2007 16:18:35 GMT  
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HI DJ,

2 MADi cards and a AES 32 card = 160 I/O  
Even with the extra analog or digital converters attached to the MADi  
cards it will still be cheaper than a console.

Oh and why do you need 152 channels to record a Punk Band?  
I think you will become more creative if you are given more limitations. :)

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Posted by [EK Sound](#) on Mon, 17 Dec 2007 17:10:01 GMT  
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<http://tinyurl.com/yo9poq>

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Posted by [Aaron Allen](#) on Tue, 18 Dec 2007 04:10:43 GMT  
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Looks kinda like load out at the end of the night with my band.



yuk.

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Posted by [Deej](#) on Tue, 25 Dec 2007 19:26:49 GMT

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This tells the tale and totally validates my mental illness.....plus, it's actually working, quite nicely, thank you...

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<http://forum.dawbench.com/showthread.php?t=1052>

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