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Posted by [brandon\[2\]](#) on Thu, 15 Feb 2007 19:32:35 GMT
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Posted by [EK Sound](#) on Thu, 15 Feb 2007 19:41:12 GMT
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Posted by [brandon\[2\]](#) on Thu, 15 Feb 2007 20:52:31 GMT
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Posted by [Chris Ludwig](#) on Thu, 15 Feb 2007 21:20:26 GMT
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Hi Brandon,
These 2 work well.

One thing to avoid is the Firewire A(400)/B(800) combo cards they have
the most compatibility issues.

<http://www.adstech.com/products/API311/intro/API311intro.asp?pid=API311>

<http://www.siig.com/product.asp?catid=1&pid=372>

Chris

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Chris Ludwig

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Yeah looking on newegg they dont tell you what chipset.
I did a search for it specifically and found one that has 3 ports up to 400.
So it is not a 400/800.
aLSO IT IS A ti CHIPSET.
\$41 WITH SHIPPING.
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