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Subject: Steiny Systemlink

Posted by [Deej \[4\]](#) on Sun, 11 Mar 2007 02:49:30 GMT

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Subject: Re: Steiny Systemlink

Posted by [Bill Lorentzen](#) on Sun, 11 Mar 2007 21:57:55 GMT

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Wow. DJ, I've used System Link before and I've used Cubase for almost 20 years, but I still could not really follow what you just wrote. Maybe it's just my Sunday afternoon mellow. I don't want to work that hard right now.

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Posted by [brandon\[2\]](#) on Sun, 11 Mar 2007 22:16:31 GMT  
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DJ,

I got my 8 pre hooked up and running.

I ended up getting a Thermaltek 630w PS.

Everything seems to running fine except a couple of glitches.

1. I hear noise like electrical interference from time to time thru my monitors.

2. When I use NI Battery VSTI it makes a pop every time it plays back a sample.

I is very noticeable it is lick a click or pop at the beginning of every sample it plays.

3. I tried recording MIDI to a MIDI track and audio from the same device that the MIDI was coming from.(TD-10 drum module).

I press record and the audio starts recording right away, but the MIDI doesn't start showing that it is recording until

4 bars later it starts to draw what it recorded 4 bars earlier.

So when I press stop recording it doesnt record the last 4 bars of what ever was just played.

I tried doing the same thing with my keyboard and I beleive everything worked correctly. What could have been the cause of this with the TD-10???

My buffer is set to 1024.

I wasn't needing to monitor while I recorded so I didnt think it mattered.

I notice that Cubase is a little sluggish when I enable the release asio driver in background function.

I will even crash. So I turned it off.

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Hmmm..well.....since I'm a midiot, perhaps I'm explaining it in  
midiot speak.....but anyway, it's working for me. I'm now trying  
to get my head around a few of the bigger apps like BFD, Bandstand and GPO.  
These can use multiple channels and I'm going to have to move one or more of  
them to a different port or .....hell.....I dunno.....like I said, I'm a  
midiot!

Midi drives me absolutely nuts, but I'm getting closer to a situation where  
it will be preconfigured and hopefully I won't have to go in and jack  
around with patches/channels/banks/ports, etc. so much. GPO is especially  
troublesome &^%\$#%%\$%^!!!!.....but then again, it's especially flexible  
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