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Posted by [Kim](#) on Sat, 26 May 2007 03:48:00 GMT

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Posted by [LaMont](#) on Sat, 26 May 2007 06:59:23 GMT

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Posted by [Kim](#) on Sat, 26 May 2007 22:02:43 GMT

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Thanks Lamont,

Which software did you actually use? Did you have the whole suit or just Translator or something? If so which version?

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Posted by [Bill L](#) on Sun, 27 May 2007 02:59:41 GMT

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Mmm, there is a "shareware" one. I assume it's time limited, though I will try it and see. It only has limited support for ASR disks, in that you need another free utility to read and write the disks. That's ok for one off's but not ideal if it's a part of your regular workflow.

I'll do a comparison though. Thanks for the tip.

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Posted by [Andy Pow](#) on Sun, 27 May 2007 13:56:09 GMT
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Kim ,
I use the translator software from chicken systems.
It works fine for batch processing (translating) large
libraries from one sampler format to another.
They have a pretty extensive list of compatible formats.
I also own an ASR10 but have never felt a need to use an outside
editor because of how logical the edit menu is.
I do understand that the translator software was designed as a
second party program to assist ASR users.
The "flow" is quite different from an Ensoniq mindset though.
When you get things rolling let me know.
I would love to exchange sounds.
regards,
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