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Subject: MECGyver is done

Posted by [Jim Drago\[2\]](#) on Mon, 09 May 2011 17:34:54 GMT

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The project I had in an earlier thread is now done. Thank you Mike A. for spending some of your precious time helping an OS challenged person I truly appreciate it. Everything seems to be working great. I'm running Windows 7 32 on a dual core CPU. I'm far from a power user but this setup gives me room for 2 EDS cards and 2 MEC modules. I currently don't have any modules like I said I'm fffaaarr from a power user. Here's a couple of pics the savings in room is awesome in my situation..

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1) [MECGyver 1.JPG](#), downloaded 684 times



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Subject: Re: MECGyver is done

Posted by [rokuez](#) on Tue, 10 May 2011 09:42:46 GMT

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can you fit an two 8 in & a 8 out into that?? for 24 bit

looks very clean

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Subject: Re: MECGyver is done

Posted by [Jim Drago\[2\]](#) on Tue, 10 May 2011 17:34:25 GMT

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Hi thanks. There are 2 MEC expansion slots available.

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Subject: Re: MECGyver is done

Posted by [mani1147](#) on Wed, 11 May 2011 14:31:43 GMT

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Wow Jim, this is totally cool, what a great idea.

Great job.

Rob

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Subject: Re: MECGyver is done

Posted by [Will The Weirdo](#) on Mon, 16 May 2011 03:31:04 GMT

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Jim,

So how much will you charge to MECGyver one of my MEC's?

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Subject: Re: MECGyver is done

Posted by [kerryg](#) on Mon, 16 May 2011 04:39:47 GMT

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Oh, now that is just ridiculously cool!

Just imagine sticking two 8i cards in there - voila, a 5 rackspace, 20 channel PARIS mobile recorder...

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Subject: Re: MECGyver is done

Posted by [Jim Drago\[2\]](#) on Mon, 16 May 2011 06:06:47 GMT

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Hi Rob, Thanks

Will, just parts I had and a Dremel and some time if you want to undertake it you can call me and I can give you some guidance. Just give a call 541 621 9277.

Kerry, thanks for the phone encouragement. Hopefully eventually I will be able to get an 8i card and an ADAT card. I won't know if there's a noise problem until then.

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Subject: Re: MECGyver is done  
Posted by [mani1147](#) on Mon, 16 May 2011 14:46:04 GMT  
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Hey Jim, I see that you may be in need of an ADAT and a 8i card, I am in the later stages of a full switch to Reaper / focusrite saffire io / tascam US2400 setup and will probably have some Paris stuff needing a good home. I plan on keeping a double system and probably moving out the rest. I'll give you first dabs on the spare stuff.

Once again, great lookin project.  
Cheers  
Rob\_A

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Subject: Re: MECGyver is done  
Posted by [Jim Drago\[2\]](#) on Mon, 16 May 2011 15:54:12 GMT  
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Thanks Rob, that's very kind. I will email you.....Jim

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Subject: Re: MECGyver is done  
Posted by [temetrepo](#) on Wed, 18 May 2011 22:34:42 GMT  
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wow  
pretty cool

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Subject: Re: MECGyver is done  
Posted by [Colin Simpson](#) on Sat, 21 May 2011 01:57:55 GMT  
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Fantastic job. Did you cut and bend the sheetmetal from the back of the MEC, or did you use new

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sheet to make the housing around the connector section?

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Subject: Re: MECGyver is done  
Posted by [Jim Drago\[2\]](#) on Sat, 21 May 2011 03:03:58 GMT  
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Thanks Colin. It is all new metal. I wanted to be able to, and can if I choose return the MEC to perfect stock condition very easily.

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