
Subject: OT: Apogee Rosetta800 - Symphony or Firewire

Posted by [Al Corey](#) on Sat, 10 Nov 2007 00:56:47 GMT

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Thanks, Al

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Posted by [Neil](#) on Sun, 11 Nov 2007 08:36:03 GMT

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Posted by [LaMontt](#) on Sun, 11 Nov 2007 20:19:41 GMT

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Yes.. Apogee makes a just average performing Firewire drivers.

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Subject: Re: OT: Apogee Rosetta800 - Symphony or Firewire

Posted by [Al Corey](#) on Mon, 12 Nov 2007 02:42:21 GMT

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Thanks for that input guys, I want a stable, trouble free system (well,as close as I can come to that). Seems like every opinion I hear states something to that effect about the firewire. I was hoping to hear better things about the firewire interface so I could keep a PCI slot open, but seems like I'll have to use one to ensure better and more stable performance. Leaning toward the Symphony card.

Thanks, Al
