

Audio Plug-ins

The wealth of choices when it comes to plug-ins is creating an increasingly crowded market. Here are some of the products you need to be acquainted with.

STEINBERG RND PORTICO PLUG-INS

The Rupert Neve Designs Portico 5033 EQ and 5043 compressor plug-ins bring the legendary Neve sound to your DAW. Available in VST 3, VST 2.4, and AU formats, these plug-ins combine the best in analogue and digital technology.



- Parametrical equaliser with graphical control over frequency and gain
- Two bands with low and high shelf filters and three with filter-width regulation Portico 5043 compressor
- High-quality compressor with input and gain reduction metering
- Feed-Forward and Feed-Back mode for two compression characteristics

www.steinberg.net

UNIVERSAL AUDIO NEVE 1073 PREAMP & EQ PLUG-IN COLLECTION

The Universal Audio Neve 1073 Preamp & EQ plug-in collection captures the sonic characteristics of one of the most revered preamp and EQ circuit ever designed bringing that 'Neve sound' to UAD-2 hardware and Apollo interfaces.



- Exclusively Neve licensed, Universal Audio modelled Neve 1073 preamp and EQ
- Models entire Neve 1073 Class A transformer/transistor circuit path, including preamp, EQ, output amplifier, nonlinearities, and clipping
- Reversed three-band Wessex A88/8014 console EQ: high shelf, mid bell, low shelf, passive high pass filter
- Real-time UAD Processing and exclusive Unison Mic Preamp Technology features with Apollo audio interfaces

www.uaudio.com

IZOTOPE NECTAR 2 PRODUCTION SUITE

iZotope Nectar 2 Production Suite is a complete set of tools designed specifically for voice. Producers can set up their favourite vocal settings as presets and quickly recall them every time.

- Eleven powerful tools in one plug-in: Plate reverb, FX, pitch, delay, de-esser, saturation, compressors, gate, EQ, and limiter
- Smooth, pitch-perfect takes with dedicated Pitch Editor and Breath Control plug-ins

CEDAR AUDIO CEDAR STUDIO 6

Announced at the 2014 NAB Show by restoration specialist Cedar Audio, the newly released Cedar Studio 6 suite comprises AAX and VST plug-ins that allow users to restore and improve the sound quality of their audio.



- Adaptive Limiter 2 produces perfectly controlled and natural sounding audio
- Auto Dehiss removes hiss without the introduction of unwanted side-effects or artefacts
- Debuzz removes unwanted signal components across the entire audio spectrum
- Decrackle removes all manner of ground-in and grungy crackle without damaging the wanted audio
- DNS One remains the modern standard for dialogue noise suppression in film and TV studios

www.cedaraudio.com

WAVES MAXX TECHNOLOGIES

Waves' MAXX technologies are used to improve sound quality in virtually every sector of the audio market, from recording, mixing, and mastering to post-production, broadcast, and live sound.



- Advanced psychoacoustic algorithms that calculate precise harmonics related to the fundamental tones of sound
- The resultant frequency enhancement technologies stand behind Waves' processors

www.waves.com



- Improvement of vocal production at all stages, from tracking through mixing
- Rapid audition of different vocal sounds with 150+ varying presets

www.izotope.com

MCDSP

AE400 ACTIVE EQ



McDSP's new offering, the AE400 Active EQ, is used by Grammy-winning mix engineers such as Andrew Scheps and Mick Guzauski who have been lauding the versatility and sonic fidelity of the only active EQ available for AAX DSP and AAX Native.

- Four fully overlapping fixed and active EQ bands
- Independent control over all active EQ parameters per band
- Active EQ ratio response control
- Side chain support
- Double precision processing

www.mcdsp.com

SONNOX OXFORD REVERB



The Oxford Reverb is a flexible reverb plug-in with full control over all of its many parameters. Designed with the ability to create virtual spaces from scratch, the Oxford Reverb also has over 100 presets.

- Independent control of early reflections and reverb tail
- Integrated five-band EQ
- AAX DSP, AAX Native, TDM, RTAS, AU, and VST formats

www.sonnox.com