

Hydrogen

advanced drum machine for GNU/Linux

<https://www.hydrogen-music.org>

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Installation Ressources

\$ dnf install hydrogen

3355606kit	Boss_DR-110	Emu_E-drum	Korg_MS20+EMS_VCS3
AVL-BlackPearl-4A-1.1	Boss_DR-660_taxman_full	Emu_Sp12	Korg_Minipops35
AVL-BlackPearl-4B-1.1	Boss_DR-660_zapman_full	Ensoniq_ASRX_Acoustic_full	Korg_Minipops7
AVL-BlackPearl-5-1.1	Boss_DR110_full	Ensoniq_ASRX_Electro_full	Korg_SR120
AVL-RedZep-4-1.0	Boss_DR202_altaira_full	ErnysPercussion	Korg_TX
AVL-RedZep-5-1.1	Boss_DR202_sainthood	Fairlight_CMI-iix_full	Korg_Wavestation
Ace-Tone_Rhythm_Ace	Boss_DR202_zaphod_full	Farfisa	Korg_x5_full
Ace-Tone_Rhythm_Plus	Boss_DR220C	ForzeeStereo	Lightning1024
Akai_MPC-X	Boss_DR550_cymbale	Fricke_MFB5x2	Linn_LM1
Akai_XE8	Boss_DR550_dj	Hammond_Autovari22	Linn_LM2
Akai_XR10	Casio_MT500	Hammond_DPM48	Linn_Linn-9000
Akai_XR10_Latiny	Casio_MT800	HardElectro1	Linn_Linndrum
Alesis_D4FX_full	Casio_PT30	HipHop-1	Ltibbits_Rock
Alesis_DM5_circle_full	Casio_PT80	HipHop-2	Lugenfalscher_BeguinesAndBeghards
Alesis_DM5_eclectic	Casio_RAP1	Ianhall_SampleSet	Lugenfalscher_Blitzbox
Alesis_DM5_future_full	Casio_RZ3	Jovica_Tonic_full	Lugenfalscher_SG1
Alesis_DM5_ghazal_full	Cheetah_MD16_full	K-27_Trash_Kit	Lugenfalscher_Teatime
Alesis_DM5_space_full	Classic-626	KawaiXD-5Kit	MXR_M185
Alesis_HR16_chaser	Classic-808	Kawai_R100	MatiasReccius_heavyMetal
Alesis_HR16_power_full	ColomboAcousticDrumkit	Kawai_R50_full	Millo-Drums_v.1
Alesis_HR16_skins_full	DeathMetal	Kawai_XD5	Millo_MultiLayered2
Alesis_HR16_wimpy	EKO_Rhythmbox	Korg_DDD1	Millo_MultiLayered3
Alesis_SR16	EasternHop-1	Korg_DDD5	Moogish_full
Altemark_gameboy-lsdj	ElectricEmpireKit	Korg_DDM110	Oberheim_Dmx
BJAPacific	Electro_Harmonix_Drm15-32	Korg_KPR77	Quasimidi_309
Bdu_Roland_TR606	Emu_Drumulator	Korg_KR55	RolandJD-990Kit
Blackie666_8bit	Emu_Drumulator-alt	Korg_M1	Roland_CR-1000



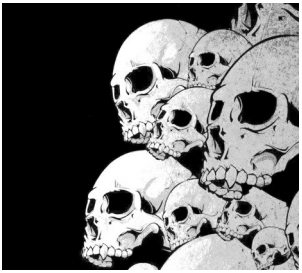


Installation Ressources

```
$ dnf install hydrogen-drumkit-TD-7kit
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Roland_CR79
Roland_D-10_withMOD_full
Roland_D-70
Roland_JD-990_full
Roland_JD800
Roland_MC303
Roland_TB909
Roland_Tr-808_full
SF3007-2011-Set-03
Serge_Modular
Suonho_deconstruction
Synthie-1
TD-7kit
TR808909
Techno-1
Thanvannispen_industrisplode
TicTacShutUp_studio_17-29
VariBreaks
YamahaRX15Kit
YamahaTG-55Kit
YamahaVintageKit
Yamaha_SY22_full
Yamaha_Sy35
Yamaha_TX16W
Yamaha_Tg33_full
Yoursck+Vitriolix_Texturizer





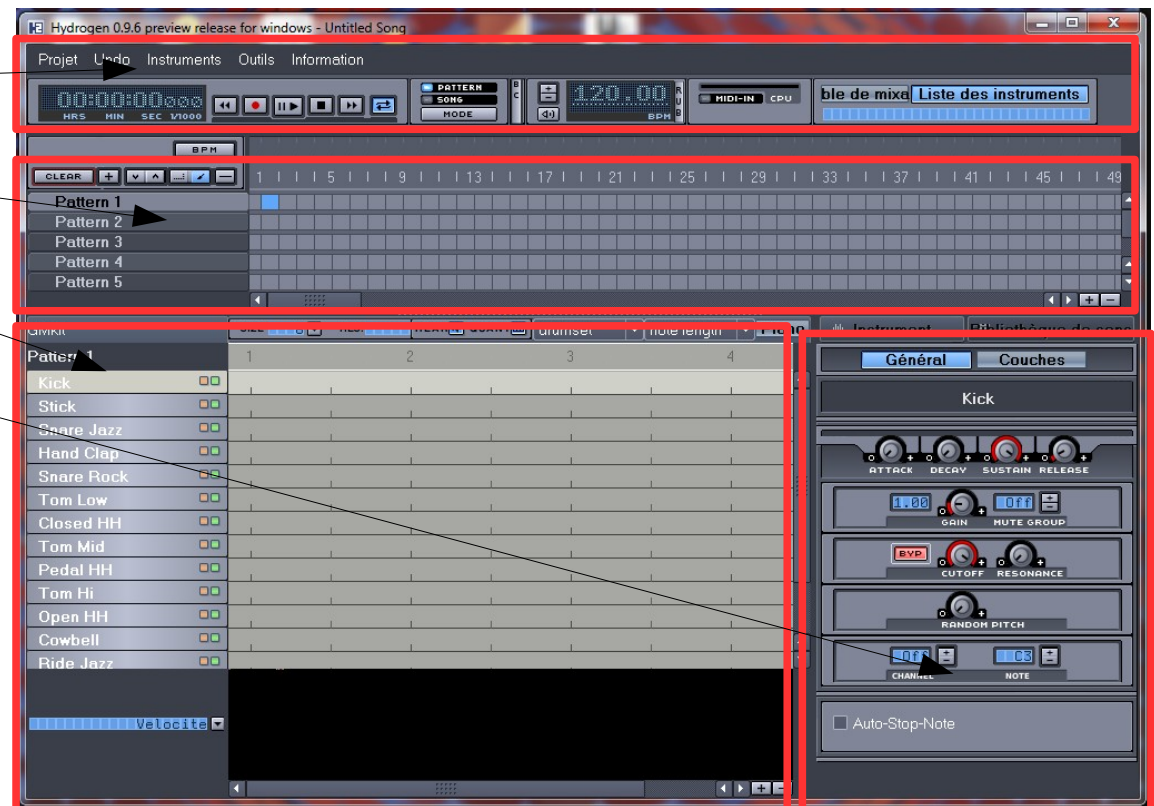
Apparence générale

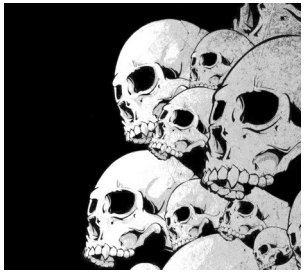
Barre de menus

Séquenceur de patterns

Editeur de patterns

Réglages des sons





Réglage des sons 1/2

Filtre ADSR associé à chaque son de batterie

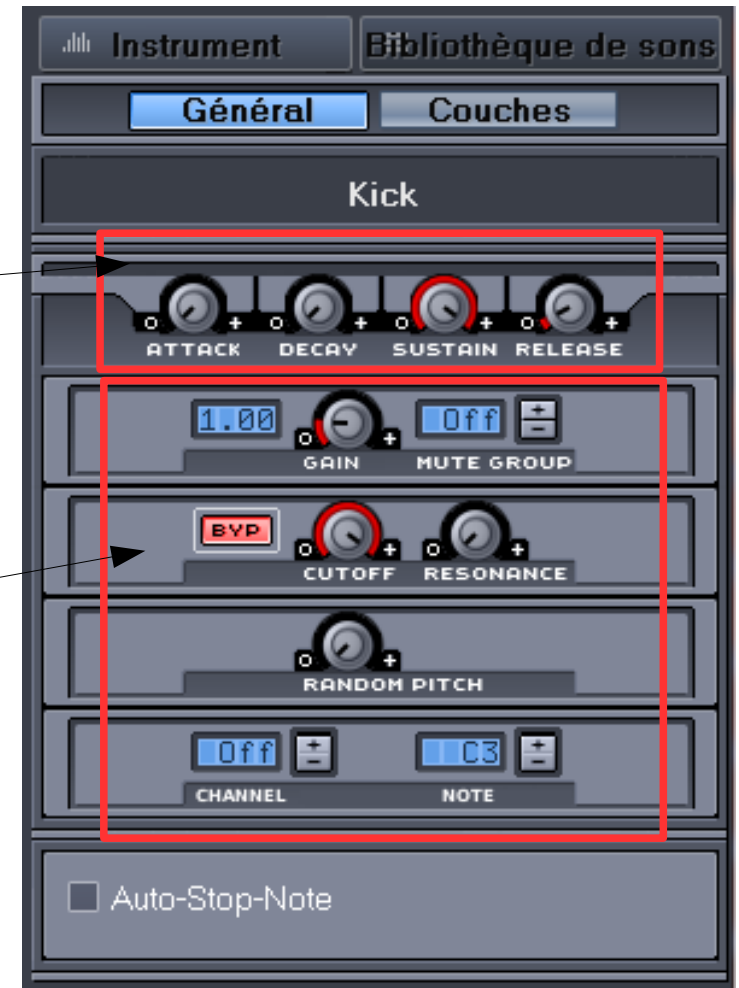
Attack : Attaque

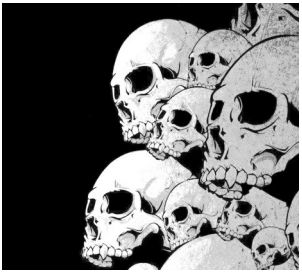
Decay : Décroissance

Sustain : Maintient

Release : Relâchement

Effets divers pour le son

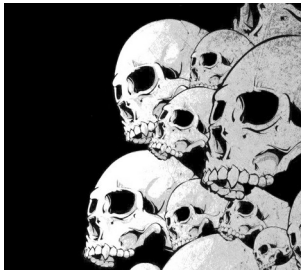




Réglage des sons 2/2

Chaque son de batterie peut être une superposition de différents sons.



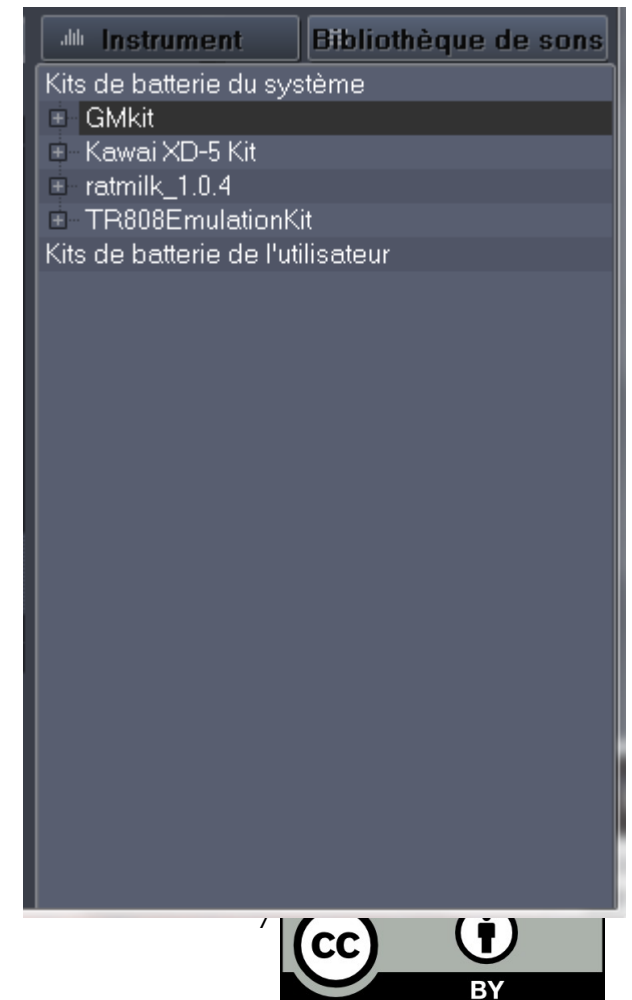


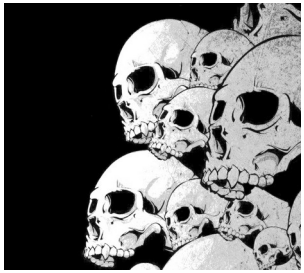
Sélection des bibliothèques

Plusieurs sets de batterie existent. Certains sont téléchargeables sur le site :

<http://sourceforge.net/projects/hydrogen/files/Sound%20Libraries/>

La version 0.9.7 permet de télécharger automatiquement et d'installer des nouveaux sons de batterie.





Importation de bibliothèques

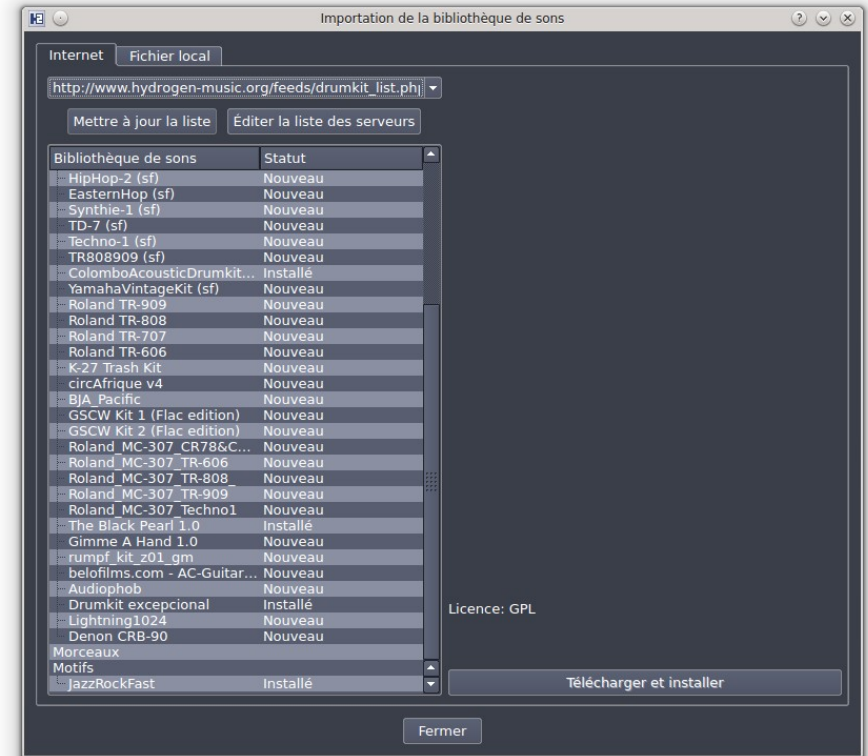
Pour installer une nouvelle bibliothèque, le plus simple reste de passer par le menu instrument :

Instruments → Import Library

Cliquer sur 'Update list', puis sélectionner la bibliothèque que vous voulez installer puis cliquez sur le bouton 'Télécharger et installer'.

Quelques autres bibliothèques sont accessibles ici :

<http://www.hydrogen-music.org/hcms/node/16>



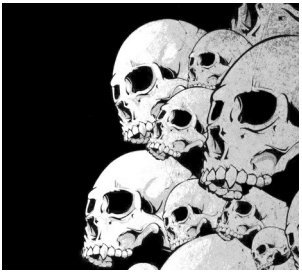


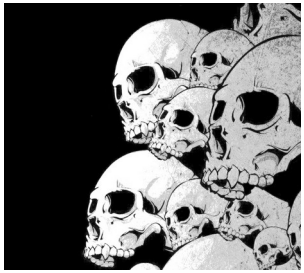
Table de mixage



Piste de mixage pour chacun
des sons de la batterie

Zone
d'application de
plug-ins d'effets

Niveau
général

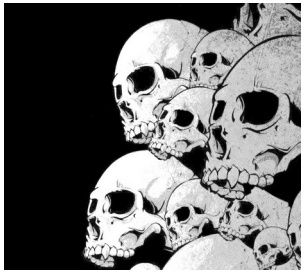


La gestion du Midi

La version 0.9.5 gère le Midi Alsa (l'entrée hydrogen apparaît dans la section Alsa Midi de QJackCtl).

La version 0.9.6 beta gère le Midi Alsa et Jack (l'entrée hydrogen peut apparaître au choix dans la section Alsa ou Jack de QjackCtl).

```
$ git clone https://github.com/hydrogen-music/hydrogen.git
$ cd hydrogen
$ mkdir build_tmp
$ cd build_tmp
$ cmake -DCMAKE_INSTALL_PREFIX=/opt/hydrogen-devel -
DCMAKE_BUILD_TYPE=RELEASE ..
$ # On installe les applications manquante, puis on relance la commande ci-dessus
$ make
$ sudo make install
```



Connecter un instrument

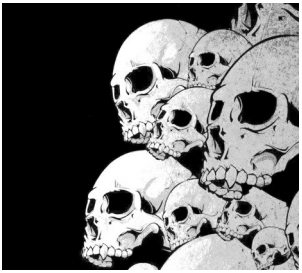
Hydrogen n'utilise qu'une partie des événements MIDI pour contrôler les sons. Les événements gérés vont de 36 à 59.

Pour savoir qu'elles événements MIDI votre instrument génère, il faut connecter sa sortie à **kmidimon**. Cette application permet d'afficher tous les événements MIDI qui passent par une connexion données.

Ensuite, il faut réordonner les instruments **Hydrogen** en fonction des événements MIDI de l'instrument.

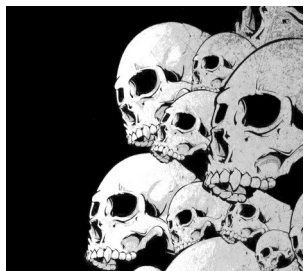
Par exemple, si mon instrument génère un événement 36 et qu'on veut associer une caisse claire, alors il faudra déplacer le caisse claire en position 1 (pour qu'elle soit déclenchée par notre événement MIDI 36) dans le drumkit chargé dans **Hydrogen**.

La table suivante liste les positions d'instruments avec les événements MIDI associés.



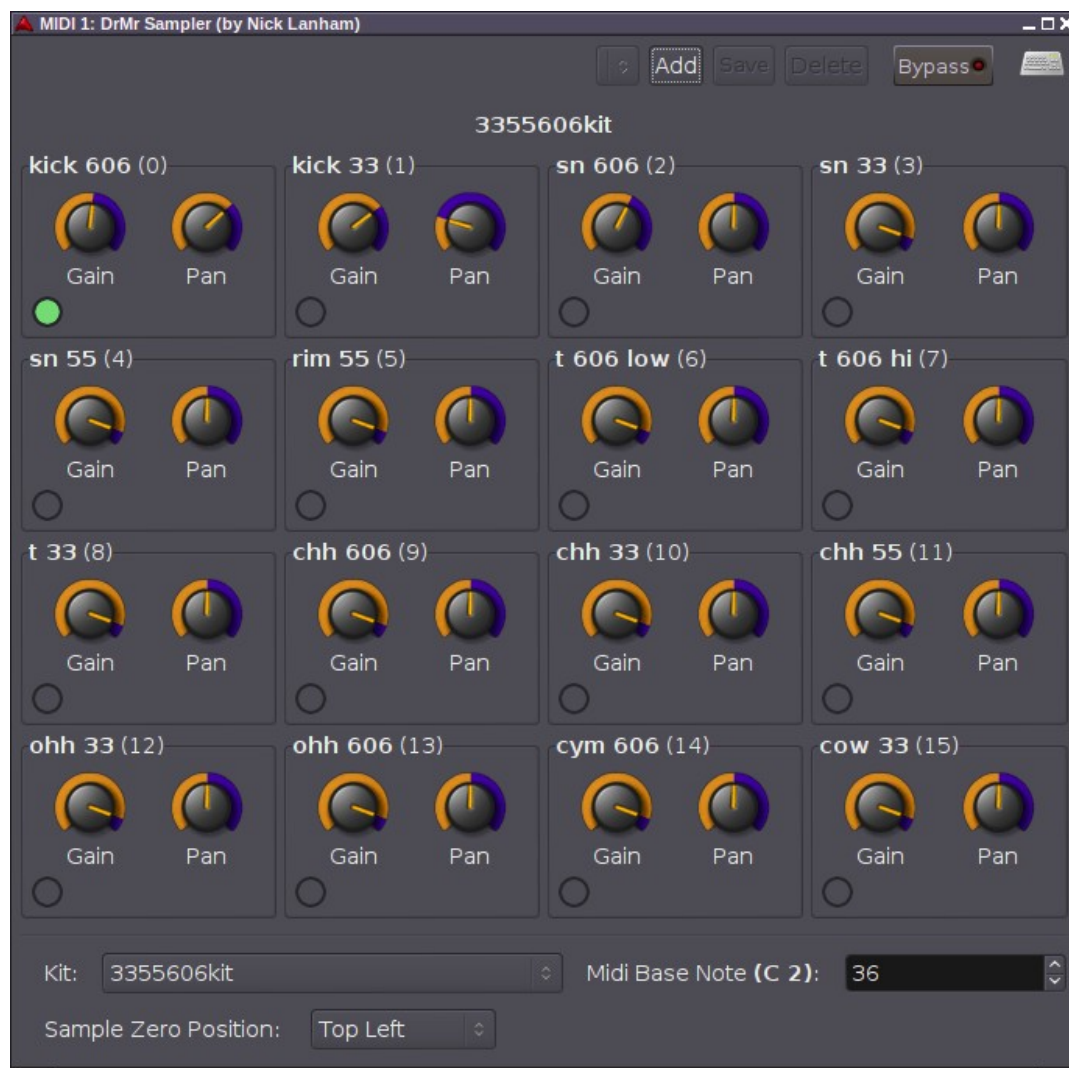
Connecter un instrument

Instrument position	MIDI note	PC Keyboard Key	Instrument name (Gmkit)
1	36	Z	Kick
2	37	X	Snare Jazz
3	38	C	Snare Rock
4	39	V	Tom Low
5	40	B	Tom Mid
6	41	N	Tom Hi
7	42	M	Cowbell
8	43	Q	Ride Jazz
9	44	W	Ride Rock
10	45	E	instrument N0. 17 (not assigned yet)
11	46	R	instrument N0. 18 (not assigned yet)
12	47	T	instrument N0. 20 (not assigned yet)
13	48	Y	instrument N0. 22 (not assigned yet)
14	49	U	instrument N0. 24 (not assigned yet)
15	50	S	Stick
16	51	D	Hand Clap
17	52	G	Closed HH
18	53	H	Pedal HH
19	54	J	Popen HH
20	55	2	Crash
21	56	3	Crash Jazz
22	57	5	instrument N0. 19 (not assigned yet)
23	58	6	instrument N0. 21 (not assigned yet)
24	59	7	instrument N0. 23 (not assigned yet)



DrMr

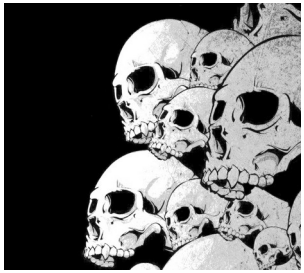
Plugin LV2 pour Hydrogen



DrMr est un plugin LV2 qui permet de lire des fichiers Hydrogen et de générer un rendu sonore via des évènements MIDI

<https://github.com/nicklan/drmr>

D'autres puglins sont disponibles :
- drumrox
- drumlabooh



Une alternative : DrumGizmo

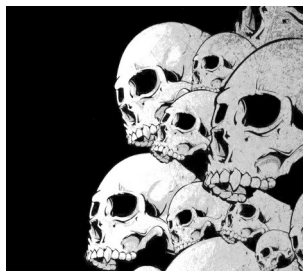


Un plugin / exécutable pour simuler une batterie.
Les drumkits actuels sont plutôt orientés métal :

- DRSKit
- MuldjordKit
- Aasimonster



<https://www.drumgizmo.org/wiki/doku.php?id=start>

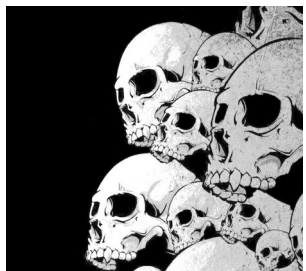


DrumGizmo

aasimonster



```
$ drumgizmo -i jackmidi -l midimap=midimap.xml -o jackaudio aasimonster.xml
```



DrumGizmo

aasimonster - micros

This drumkit was recorded using 14 microphones a trigger and the output from a trigger module:

Snare drum was close-mic recorded using two Shure SM57 microphones. One at the top of the snare and one at the bottom. Furthermore the analog output of a DDrum trigger was recorded.

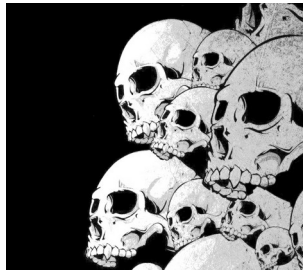
Each of the four toms were close-mic recorded using AKG C518M swaneneck microphones.

The kickdrums were recorded using AKG D112 microphones mounted in the hole. Furthermore the output of a Alesis DM5 drummodule were stored set up with the “Speed Metal” sample. The trigger module were activated using the Axis E-Kit trigger system.

The hihat and ride cymbal were close-mic recorded using cardioid condenser microphones.

The crash cymbals were recorded using RØDE NT5 over head microphones.

The ambiance of the entire kit were recorded using cardioid condenser microphones.

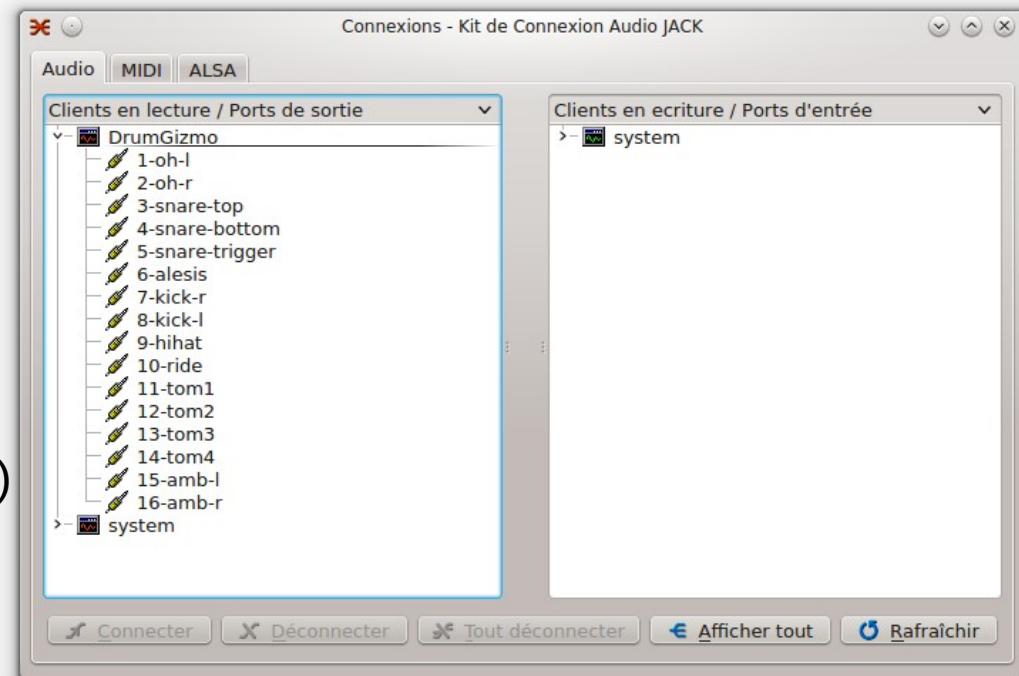


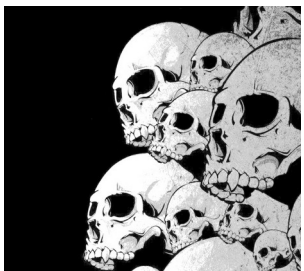
DrumGizmo

aasimonster - canaux

Each of the microphones are mapped to an output channel when the plugin is assigned to the midi track. The tracks are as follows:

- Midi Ch 1:** Overhead left (RØDE-NT5)
- Midi Ch 2:** Overhead right (RØDE-NT5)
- Midi Ch 3:** Snare top (Shure SM57)
- Midi Ch 4:** Snare bottom (Shure SM57)
- Midi Ch 5:** Snare trigger (DDrum)
- Midi Ch 6:** Alesis DM5
- Midi Ch 7:** Kick right (AKG D112)
- Midi Ch 8:** Kick left (AKG D112)
- Midi Ch 9:** Hihat (Cardioid condenser)
- Midi Ch 10:** Rise cymbal (Cardioid condenser)
- Midi Ch 11:** Tom 1 (AKG C518M)
- Midi Ch 12:** Tom 2 (AKG C518M)
- Midi Ch 13:** Tom 3 (AKG C518M)
- Midi Ch 14:** Tom 4 / floor tom (AKG C518M)
- Midi Ch 15:** Ambience left (Cardioid condenser)
- Midi Ch 16:** Ambience right (Cardioid condenser)



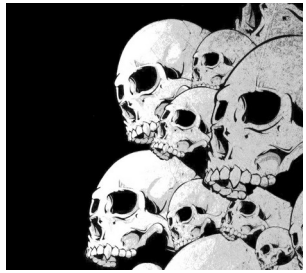


DrumGizmo

DRSKit



```
drumgizmo -i jackmidi -l midimap=Midimap_minimal.xml -o jackaudio DRSKit_minimal.xml
```



Drumgizmo

DRSKit - micros

Close mic: Snare top: Shure Sm57

Close mic: Snare bottom: Shure Sm57

Close mic: Tom1: Shure Sm57

Close mic: Tom2: Shure Sm57

Close mic: Tom3: Shure Sm57

Close mic: Kick drum back: AKG D112

Close mic: Kick drum front: Shure Sm57

Close mic: Ride cymbal: Beyerdynamic MCE 86 II

Close mic: Hihat: Beyerdynamic MCE 86 II

Overhead: Focusing on left crash and hihat: Røde Nt5

Overhead: Focusing on right crash and ride: Røde Nt5

Ambience: Focusing on entire kit placed further back in the room to the left: t.bone Rb500

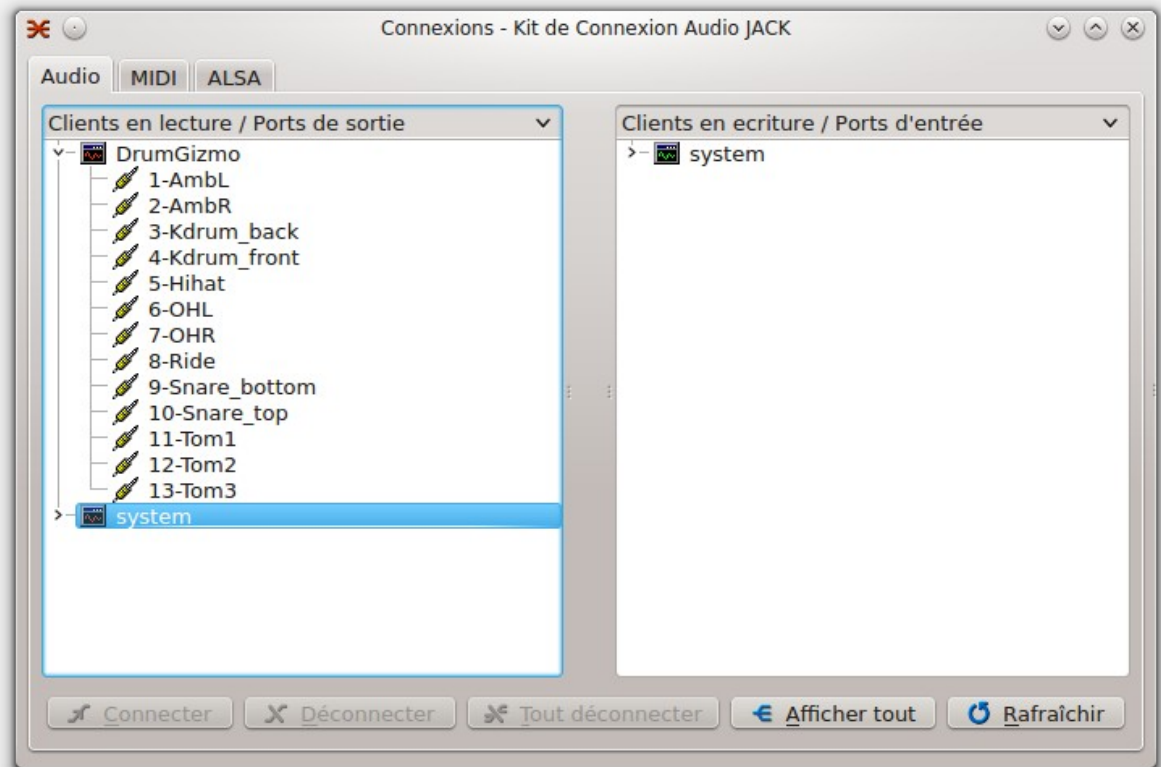
Ambience: Focusing on entire kit placed further back in the room to the right: t.bone Rb500

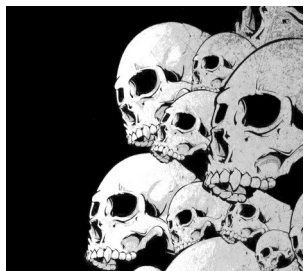
DrumGizmo

DRSKit - canaux

All microphones are connected to its own channel when loading the kit in DrumGizmo. 13 channels total. Remember to pan the relevant channels to give you a better stereo effect.

- Midi Ch 1:** Ambience left
- Midi Ch 2:** Ambience right
- Midi Ch 3:** Kickdrum back
- Midi Ch 4:** Kickdrum front
- Midi Ch 5:** Hihat
- Midi Ch 6:** Overhead left
- Midi Ch 7:** Overhead right
- Midi Ch 8:** Ride cymbal
- Midi Ch 9:** Snaredrum bottom
- Midi Ch 10:** Snaredrum top
- Midi Ch 11:** Tom1
- Midi Ch 12:** Tom2 (Floor tom)
- Midi Ch 13:** Tom3 (Floor tom)



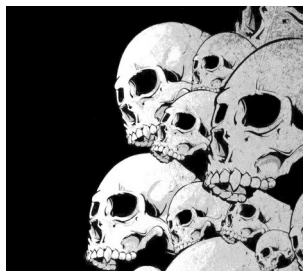


DrumGizmo

MuldJordKit



```
drumgizmo -i jackmidi -l midimap=Midimap.xml -o jackaudio MuldjordKit.xml
```



DrumGizmo

MuldJordKit - micros

Close mic: Snare top: Shure Sm57

Close mic: Snare bottom: Shure Sm57

Close mic: Tom1: AKG C516 ML

Close mic: Tom2: AKG C516 ML

Close mic: Tom3: AKG C516 ML

Close mic: FTom4: AKG C516 ML

Close mic: Kick drum left inside barrel: AKG D112 + DDrum trigger

Close mic: Kick drum right inside barrel: AKG D112 + DDrum trigger

Close mic: Ride cymbal left: Shure Sm57

Close mic: Ride cymbal right: Shure Sm57

Close mic: Hihat: Shure Sm57

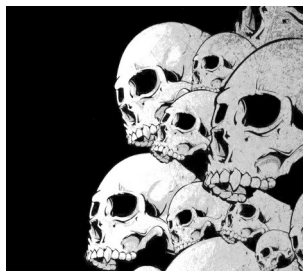
Overhead left: Røde Nt5

Overhead right: Røde Nt5

Ambience: Focusing on entire kit placed a little further back in the room to the left:
t.bone Rb500

Ambience: Focusing on entire kit placed a little further back in the room to the right:
t.bone Rb500

Also DDrum triggers on both kick drums mixed onto one mono channel

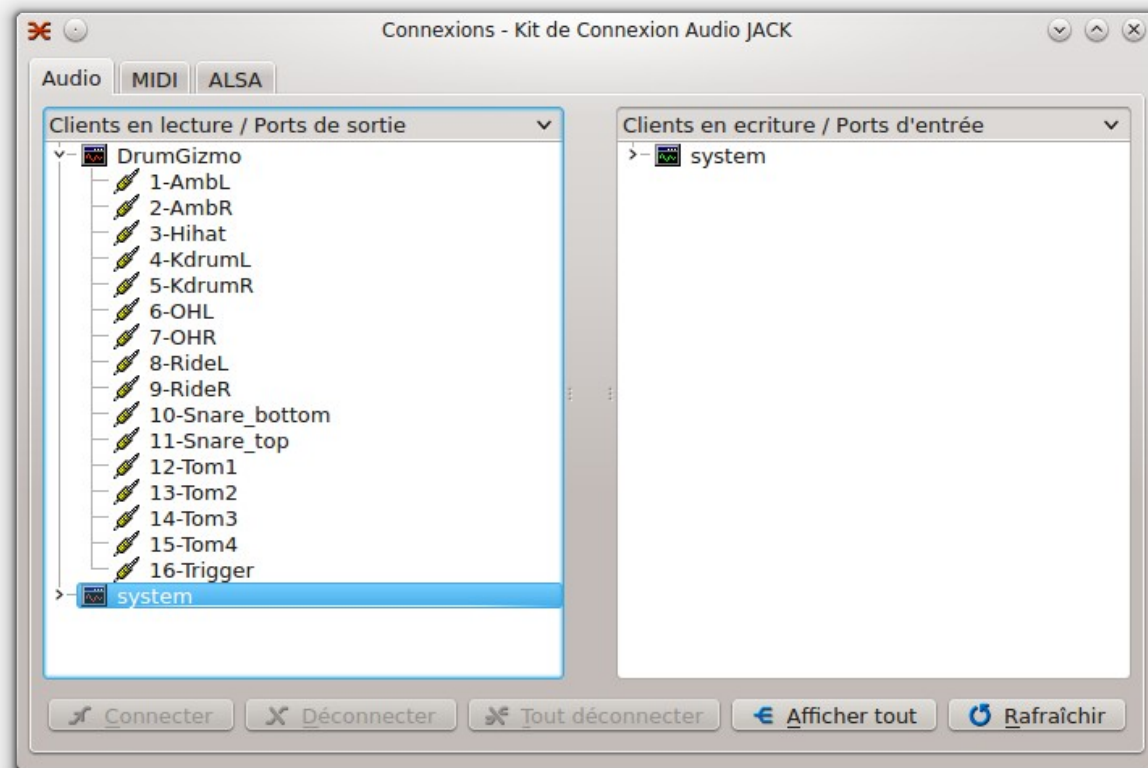


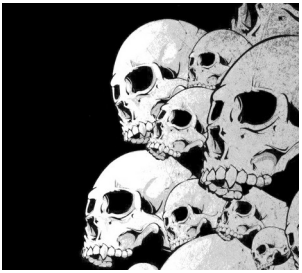
DrumGizmo

MulJordKit - canaux

All microphones are connected to its own channel when loading the kit in DrumGizmo. 16 channels total. Remember to pan the relevant channels to give you a better stereo effect.

- Midi Ch 1:** Ambience left
- Midi Ch 2:** Ambience right
- Midi Ch 3:** Hihat
- Midi Ch 4:** Kickdrum left
- Midi Ch 5:** Kickdrum right
- Midi Ch 6:** Overhead left
- Midi Ch 7:** Overhead right
- Midi Ch 8:** Ride left
- Midi Ch 9:** Ride right
- Midi Ch 10:** Snare bottom
- Midi Ch 11:** Snare top
- Midi Ch 12:** Rack tom 1
- Midi Ch 13:** Rack tom 2
- Midi Ch 14:** Rack tom 3
- Midi Ch 15:** Floor tom
- Midi Ch 16:** Kick drum trigger signals



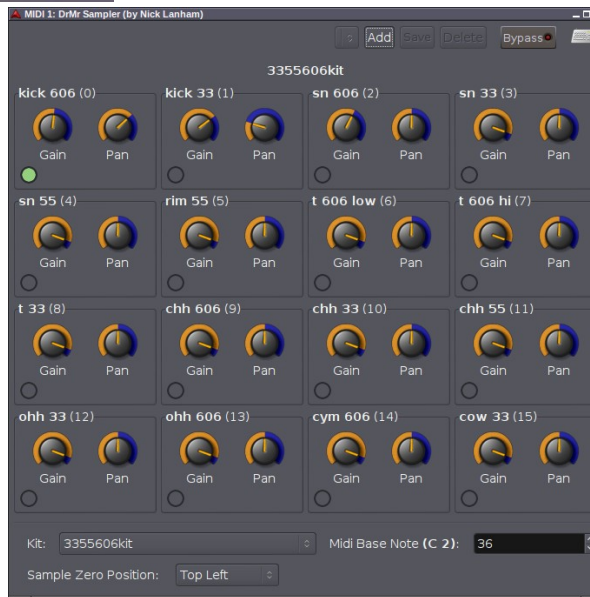


Hydrogen plugins



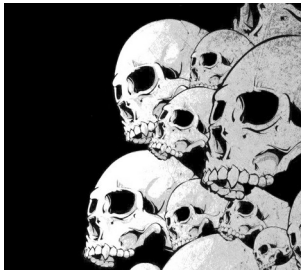
drumlabooh

drmr



drumrox





Other drum plugins

drumgizmo : Software Synthesizer

ChowKick : Kick synthesizer based on old-school drum machine circuits

boomer : A drum synth

geonkick : Drum Software Synthesizer

kickmess : A kick drum synthesizer plugin

lv2-fabla : An LV2 drum sequencer

onetrick-cryptid : An FM drum synth with the cold clanging heart of a DX7 in the fearsome frame of an 808.

onetrick-urchin : A hybrid drum synth that models the gritty lo-fi sound of beats from vintage records without sampling.

sickbeatbetty : An open source MIDI drum machine / generator VST and standalone application

AVLDrumkits-BlackPearl-H2-repack : Hydrogen drumkit

AVLDrumkits-BlondeBop-HotRod.h2d : Hydrogen drumkit

AVLDrumkits-BlondeBop.h2d : Hydrogen drumkit

AVLDrumkits-BuskmansHoliday : Hydrogen drumkit

AVLDrumkits-RedZeppelin-H2-repack.h2d : Hydrogen drumkit

bandshed-drumkits : Bandshed DrumKits for Hydrogen

drumkv1 : An old-school drum-kit sampler

lv2-avldrums-x42-plugin : Simple Drum Sample Player LV2 Plugin