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## your very first elektron users post...

Posted by kirlian - 2013/09/19 11:09

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this was mine:

[http://www.elektron-users.com/index.php?option=com\\_fireboard&func=view&Itemid=28&catid=13&id=47695#47695](http://www.elektron-users.com/index.php?option=com_fireboard&func=view&Itemid=28&catid=13&id=47695#47695)

kinda goofy in many respects, but at that time my very best, inspired by the community. i have always been challenged by the music makers here.

reminds me of my days living in germany. ah... elektron users will always be my roots. and after quite a few years of owning elektron boxes, i've come back to using them as they shine the best: live machines of mayhem.

my first, all elektron live show just happens to be 24 September, 2013! then same day this joint closes up for good. so fitting. i won't be able to do it justice, but i'll try my ballz off.

thanks EUSERS!

what was your first post here?

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## Re:your very first elektron users post...

Posted by kirlian - 2013/09/19 11:13

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well, i meant the day after this joint closes up for good.. how fitting!

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## Re:your very first elektron users post...

Posted by papertiger - 2013/09/19 11:56

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here's mine! 7 years, 10 months ago. WOWZERS.

[http://www.elektron-users.com/index.php?option=com\\_fireboard&func=view&Itemid=28&catid=9&id=5780#5780](http://www.elektron-users.com/index.php?option=com_fireboard&func=view&Itemid=28&catid=9&id=5780#5780)

This idea is great, kirlian. :D

here it is in case people don't want to click through:

"I got my monomachine a few weeks ago, and I have to say that I have never been so excited about learning a piece of equipment. Fortunately work has been very slow lately -- and while I can't bring it to work and mess with it, I can read the manual. Which I've done. 4 times. And I think about it. Constantly.

So I just wanted to say "hi." And I can't wait to learn from the mm masters on this board.

Hi!

-M"

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## Re:your very first elektron users post...

Posted by tIB - 2013/09/19 14:23

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Mine was GAS related and inaccurate: [http://www.elektron-users.com/index.php?option=com\\_fireboard&func=view&Itemid=28&catid=11&id=25830#25830](http://www.elektron-users.com/index.php?option=com_fireboard&func=view&Itemid=28&catid=11&id=25830#25830)

tIB wrote:

cant say im too optimistic about the interface. while it is no doubt a great machine the desktop evo is not the easiest to navigate....unsure:

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5 years, 8 months and about 8000 posts later I haven't changed.

Nice thread C, good luck with the set.

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## Re:your very first elektron users post...

Posted by Nils - 2013/09/19 14:33

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Haha, great thread C! It's like a reminiscing thread for the veterans :laugh: :backslap:

I'm feeling a bit sad that this place is finally closing its doors, and I will miss the good times we've had on this board. Elektronauts will pick up where EU left off though.

Here's my first post, 7 years and 8 months ago (beat me there PT), asking for an extinct OS for the MD...

Hi everyone

Does anyone know where to get the os 1.20 for the Machinedrum these days? Sorry for the stupid question, I haven't been in touch with the Elektron world for a long time..

Regards,  
Nils  
Norway

Good luck with your set! (which btw happens to be the day before my 40th birthday.. :blink: )

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## Re:your very first elektron users post...

Posted by tIB - 2013/09/19 14:35

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Happy birthday old man!

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## Re:your very first elektron users post...

Posted by Nils - 2013/09/19 14:36

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Old man indeed! and thanks ;)

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## Re:your very first elektron users post...

Posted by Amanita - 2013/09/19 14:56

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[http://www.elektron-users.com/index.php?option=com\\_fireboard&func=view&Itemid=28&catid=9&id=22486#22486](http://www.elektron-users.com/index.php?option=com_fireboard&func=view&Itemid=28&catid=9&id=22486#22486)

5 years 11 months

About to start bitching about Turnkey - well i showed them, no one keeps me waiting for months and stays in business :laugh:

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## Re:your very first elektron users post...

Posted by xmit - 2013/09/19 18:12

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[http://www.elektron-users.com/index.php?option=com\\_fireboard&Itemid=28&func=view&id=23303&catid=9&limit=10&limitstart=240](http://www.elektron-users.com/index.php?option=com_fireboard&Itemid=28&func=view&id=23303&catid=9&limit=10&limitstart=240)

only a mere 5 years 10 months ago - seems like longer.. :laugh:

Aww - & the first reply was me old mate Nils ;) Love this place. :)

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only 40 next week btw Mr Odergaard - you're still just a young 'un.... B)

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## Re:your very first elektron users post...

Posted by papertiger - 2013/09/19 22:02

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This thread has made me a bit nostalgic. I hadn't actually looked to see how long EU had been a part of my life. Those were probably the most important years for me musically.

Thanks to all of you (you know who you are, or at least you should) who have had an influence on me, my music, etc. You've shared knowledge, your creations, and, most importantly, your friendship.

I will miss this place as it existed during it's best years. Everything changes, I suppose, even online communities for esoteric hobbies.

:kiss:

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## Re:your very first elektron users post...

Posted by dubathonic - 2013/09/19 22:34

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papertiger wrote:  
This idea is great, kirlian.  
+1 to that!

On mine, I'm as usual asking lots of detailed questions and, also as usual, getting great answers from this helpful crew. (among them Tarekith and Darenager, both still here, still fountainheads of knowledge.)

'Twas a mere four years ago, and nearly a year before I even bought my first piece of Elektron gear. What a noob I am :P

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## Re:your very first elektron users post...

Posted by the dreammer - 2013/09/19 22:58

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Yeah groovy idea this :) its 1year and 8 months ago i started my elektron-voyage with a bit of music, and to say hello..  
[http://www.elektron-users.com/index.php?option=com\\_fireboard&func=view&Itemid=28&catid=10&id=163769#163769](http://www.elektron-users.com/index.php?option=com_fireboard&func=view&Itemid=28&catid=10&id=163769#163769)

I am still having lots of fun reading your thoughts and hearing your music.  
as it is fun to talk about me and sharing my puppetry and other acts of weirdness.  
so hope to see you all on the other site, to continue this..

the dreammer wrote 1 Year, 8 Months ago :

Hello world,

I am new, bought my octatrack about a week ago..  
so to give it a nice test, i hooked up an x0xb0x.

so for your entertainment.. the song:

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<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TmlShmj7gi0>

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## Re:your very first elektron users post...

Posted by Tarekith - 2013/09/19 23:08

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7 years, 7 months ago:

[http://www.elektron-users.com/index.php?option=com\\_fireboard&func=view&Itemid=28&catid=9&id=7944#7944](http://www.elektron-users.com/index.php?option=com_fireboard&func=view&Itemid=28&catid=9&id=7944#7944)

Asking about changing the slippery knobs on my new SPS-1UW :)

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## Re:your very first elektron users post...

Posted by dataline - 2013/09/19 23:30

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[http://www.elektron-users.com/index.php?option=com\\_fireboard&func=view&Itemid=28&catid=9&id=10782#10782](http://www.elektron-users.com/index.php?option=com_fireboard&func=view&Itemid=28&catid=9&id=10782#10782)

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## Re:your very first elektron users post...

Posted by dataline - 2013/09/19 23:34

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And here is my first thread:

[http://www.elektron-users.com/index.php?option=com\\_fireboard&func=view&Itemid=28&catid=9&id=10907#10907](http://www.elektron-users.com/index.php?option=com_fireboard&func=view&Itemid=28&catid=9&id=10907#10907)

I even mention that I am saving up for Monomachine :D

Have to say, those days were well trippy...And those times extended out into infinity, thanks to Machinedrum.

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## Re:your very first elektron users post...

Posted by howdragonsdisappear - 2013/09/20 02:21

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here's mine

MD function button midi equivalent 7 Years, 1 Month ago

I would like to know if the function button as a command equivalent in sysex, i would like to use it for twick all parameter with only one automation, and also for reload the kit ??

I think the reload must be possible with a simple load kit but i don't really know.

Can someone help me please?

nobodies helps me :(

:laugh:

but i'm specialist to look for an impossible function only me need :laugh:

then i spam for my music B)

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then i finally share some of my special tricks & some love ;)

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## Re:your very first elektron users post...

Posted by LIVESEQ - 2013/09/20 03:32

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:laugh: great thread for the nostalgia.

My first post (only 4 years 10 months ago?) was about the age old software-hardware midi sync issues. I used to write so eloquently. How very strange.

Cheers to you all and farewell e-u. :beer: :watch:

it seems this last post went down like a lead balloon :silly:

[http://www.elektron-users.com/index.php?option=com\\_fireboard&Itemid=28&func=view&id=58408&catid=13&limit=10&limitstart=0](http://www.elektron-users.com/index.php?option=com_fireboard&Itemid=28&func=view&id=58408&catid=13&limit=10&limitstart=0)

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## Re:your very first elektron users post...

Posted by papertiger - 2013/09/20 05:00

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@liveseq

The backslapper thread!!! YAY!!! hahahah

for the sake of continuity: <http://test.elektronauts.com/topics/view/787>

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## Re:your very first elektron users post...

Posted by neilbaldwin - 2013/09/20 05:19

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Mine:

I can't remember the last time I had so much fun with a single piece of kit. The OT is a work of art. Yeah, sure, it's got some quirks and bugs and the manual isn't the clearest on some of the trickier aspects but what Elektron have created here is organic and eclectic and often indistinguishable from magic.

Only 2 and 3/4 years ago though!

Have to say, even though I sold my Monomachine and I'm not massively enamoured with my A4, I still feel the same way about the Octatrack. I guess there's an Elektron box for everyone!

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## Re:your very first elektron users post...

Posted by kirlian - 2013/09/20 07:16

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there is really only one thing to say to this:

:backslap:

well, and maybe this:

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:know: :sauce: :word: :shh: :hijk: :oof: :lvl: :pomo: :koolaid: :chirp: :hot: :suspect: :snap: :watch: :game: :raw: :feelin:  
:gangsta: :happyday: :beer: :okay: :funny: :bonus: :drums: :walkaway: :welcome: :youmad: high5

:backslap:

so many late late nights spent on this forum. such good years of my music making life.

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## Re:your very first elektron users post...

Posted by polyslax - 2013/09/20 08:39

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Awesome thread idea...

I opened with this memorable title:

bra eftermiddag

That was 5 Years, 4 Months ago.

[http://www.elektron-users.com/index.php?option=com\\_fireboard&func=view&Itemid=28&catid=10&id=33297#33297](http://www.elektron-users.com/index.php?option=com_fireboard&func=view&Itemid=28&catid=10&id=33297#33297)

Still haven't really gotten into the swing of 'nauts myself. Feels... claustrophobic, somehow.

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## Re:your very first elektron users post...

Posted by N\_Rain - 2013/09/20 15:15

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5 years and 6 months ago, bought my first machinedrum here which I since sold to fund my second octatrack, which i now regret (selling the machinedrum, not getting the second octatrack ;) )

gurulogic wrote:

Thank you Teriyaki! Sorry everyone else :whistle:

I guess y'all be seeing a little more of me around here from now on..

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## Re:your very first elektron users post...

Posted by kirlian - 2016/09/30 16:32

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It's like roaming the halls of your old school during summer, after graduation.

i wonder where all my old friends are.. the ones made on this forum? tib, papertiger, polyslax, koshimazaki, Nils, oh oh... JSROCKIT where are all of you?