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THE E-STRIP

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OVERVIEW

The E-Strip allows operation of the 328XD to feel very much like that of an analogue console.

The channel strip on most analogue consoles offers similar controls, typically parametric equalisation, auxiliary sends and pan controls.

To enable speedy navigation of the console, the E-Strip has three simple modes of operation. Whether you're burning the midnight oil in the studio, or feeling the pressure at a live gig you'll take comfort in knowing that the E-Strip will make your life a whole lot easier.

THE CHANNEL STRIP THAT'S A REAL PUSH OVER

Firstly the E-Strip works just like a standard 'analogue' channel rotated through 90°. Pressing a channel SELECT switch for any analogue input 1-16, digital input 17-32, stereo input or FX return will instantly activate the E-Strip for that channel. You now have immediate access to the 3 band fully parametric EQ, 4 auxiliary sends, 2 internal Lexicon FX sends and pan control, all operated with normal rotary pots as you would expect.

Use the white on grey legending beneath the E-Strip.

LINE 'EM UP! 1 CHANNEL 1 PAN POT

Secondly the E-Strip can be set up to function as a row of dedicated level, auxiliary or internal Lexicon FX sends or pan controls for all 16 the channels of either channels 1-16 or 17-32. In this way, the current settings for either of the 16 channel banks can be viewed simultaneously.

By way of an example, an analogue console will generally speaking offer a pan pot directly above the fader of that channel. In a similar way, all 16 encoders found on the E-Strip, can be switched to function as pan pots just like on an analogue console. Similarly. Auxiliary sends 1-4 and internal Lexicon FX sends 1 and 2 can be selected to appear on the E-Strip for all 16 channels of the active bank.

THE E-STRIP AS A DYNAMICS PROCESSOR

In a third mode, the E-Strip recreates the controls of a compressor/gate dynamics processor, for quick and easy dynamics processing of all 45 internal dynamics processors.

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