

AGIE

dac on → video on → fader 110 → pattr 2 → s all → *stagger individual files with the “s” command*
(wait 10 seconds)

tir all 30 20000
 m all 100 → or all 900 60000
(wait a few seconds)

ti 32 16 8 40 → ti 4 70

(when offsets arrive at 900, immediately enter)
 or all 700 10000 900 5000

(when offset arrives at 900, immediately enter)
 file all 3
(wait 10 seconds)

ti 32 10 → ti 24 20
(wait 10 – 15 seconds)

or all 350 120000 900 20000
(wait about 45 seconds)

file 8 1 → o 8 0
(enter the following commands over the next 1 – 2 minutes)

file 24 4 → o 24 700

file 16 5 → o 16 500

file 12 2 → o 12 0

file 4 0 → o 4 300

(when finished entering the above commands, wait 15 – 20 seconds)

ti all 70 → m all 50
(wait 5 – 10 seconds)

tir all 10 240000 → m all 40 → or all 0 240000 → m all 30
(wait about 10 seconds)

m all 25

Gradually lessen the meter over the next 2 minutes (m 24... m 23... m 20... etc.)
 arriving at “m 9” just before the tempo reaches 10.

(when the tempo reaches 10, enter immediately)
 pattr 3

As the offsets ramp up and down, alternate between the following commands:
 ti 10, ti 15, ti 20 (with more weight on “ti 10”)

(just before the offsets arrive at 0, enter immediately)
 x all → lcollr all 4
(wait 10 – 15 seconds)

lr all 0 20000
(wait 20 seconds)
 video off → dac off *(at final black screen)*

Key of Commands

Command Logic:

- 1) - first argument sends the message to a general area of the patch (tempos, meters, levels, offsets, etc.)
 - 2) - if necessary, second argument directs the message to a more specific area or group of objects within the larger area (here you talk to specific files, types of notes, channels, etc.)
 - 3) - at the end of the list is the specific message that will be passed along to the object or objects of your choosing
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DAC:

dac on / dac off

FADER:

fader 0 / fader 100 1000 / fader 100, 0 1000

LEVELS:

l all 100 / l 4r 100 0 = level for right channel of 4 file goes to 100 in 0 msec (in this case, you must use two numbers) /

l 4l 8b 12r 100 0 = levels for left channel of 4 file, both channels of 8 file, and right channel of 12 file go to 100 in 0 msec (again, two numbers at the end)

TEMPI:

Many ways to change tempi –

t = change tempo but don't bang the next count or restart the sequence

ts = change tempo and bang next count but don't restart the sequence

tss = change tempo, bang the next count and restart the sequence

ti = like t but independently determined, that is, not proportionally to tempi of other files

tis = like ts but...

tiss = like tss but...

tr = like t but with the ability to ramp (tr all 100, 30 10000)

tsr = like ts but...

tssr = like tss but...

tir = like ti but with the ability to ramp

tisr = like tis but...

tissr = like tiss but...

examples: t all 700 / ts all 700 / t 4 8 12 24 50 / tr all 0, 3000 1000 / tiss all 125

METERS:

Commands for meter are similar to tempi, except no ramping –

m all 7 / mi all 7 / mi 4 8 12 100 / mss 4 244 / miss 4 244

STARTING, STOPPING, and SYNCING FILE PLAYBACK:

s all (restarts all files at 1st beat) / s 4 (restart 4 from 1st beat) / s 4 8 16 (restart 4 8 16 from 1st beat)

x all (stops playback of all files) / x 4 8 32 (stop playback of 4 8 32 files) / x 4 (stops playback of 4file)

c all (continues playback of all files from the point at which they were stopped) / c 4 8 12 / c 8

BUFFER OFFSETS (amount into file that playback starts):

Commands for offsets are similar to tempi and meters (and they DO include ramping) –

o all 800 / o 4 8 12 32 468 / o 32 24 16 1000 / or all 0, 1000 10000 / or all 0 1000 / or 4 700, 300 1000

(with ramping, if you don't ramp all buffer offsets, then you have to enter ramps of individual buffers one at a time – so you can't do this: or 4 8 12 100, 0 1000)

NOTES (control of which notes are on and off):

You can tell the computer to randomly select notes, or you can have complete control –

RANDOMIZING:

all rand / 4 rand / 12 rand / 24 rand (you can't do this: 4 8 12 rand)

COMPLETE CONTROL:

all on (all notes on) / all off (all notes off) / 4 on (all notes on for 4 file) / 12 off / 4 1 3 5 6 7 1 (1st, 2nd, 3rd, 5th and 7th notes on [1 = on, 0 = off] for 4 file) / 32 11 13 33 48 0 (1st note of 1st beat, 3rd note of 1st beat, 3rd note of 3rd beat...off)

VISUAL MODE:

visual on = you only see the notes that you hear

visual off = you see all the notes, regardless of their audibility (in other words, you see a facet of the engine underneath the patch - this may be helpful at times when sculpting phrases)

VIDEO ON/OFF:

video on = video window responds to commands

video off = video does not respond to commands (window remains black)