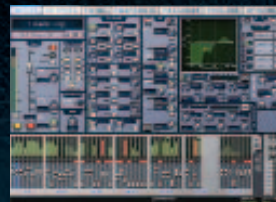


## SOFTWARE SCREENS

Use the View Mode switches (C) or the Trackball (H) to display the different software screens

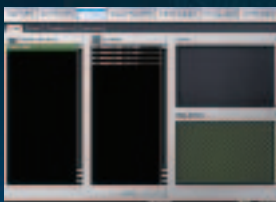
**Inputs**  
View, adjust, name, and configure inputs



**Outputs**  
View, adjust, name, and configure outputs



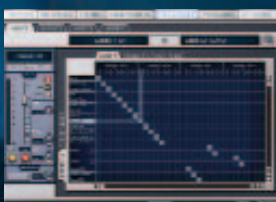
**Filing**  
Transfer, save, and load data outputs



**Snapshots**  
Store, recall, and edit snapshots



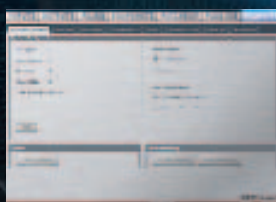
**Patchbay**  
Manage hardware I/O routing and channel assignment



**Plug-ins**  
Assign, route, and configure plug-ins



**Options**  
Configure the system, install plug-ins, and customize preferences



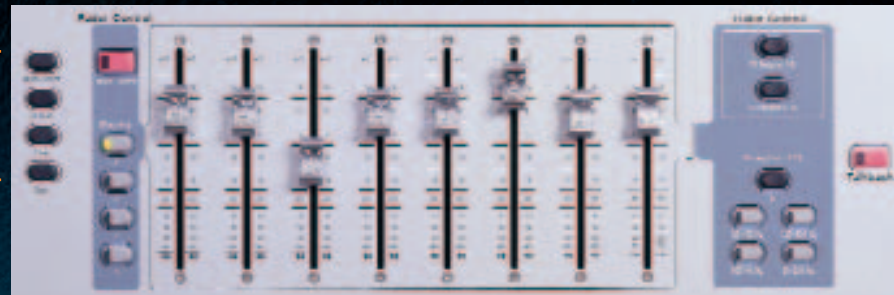
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## B INPUT FADERS

**Shortcuts & Global Modifiers**



### Multi-Select

To select multiple channels

1. Press and hold Multi-Select (it flashes when enabled)
2. Press Select on each channel to include
3. Adjust parameters on any selected channel\*
4. Press Cancel, or press Select on an unselected channel to exit

\* Multi-Select does not apply to Input Gain and Pad

### Default

To reset a fader, knob, or switch parameter

1. Hold Default
2. Press Select to reset a fader; press the knob or switch you want to reset

### Fine

To adjust a parameter with fine resolution

- Hold Fine while adjusting the parameter
- Double-press the Fine button to latch Fine mode

### Make Stereo

To make two mono channels into one stereo channel

1. Enable Config mode
2. Press Make Stereo
3. Press Select on two mono channels
4. Press Make Stereo again to confirm

To split a stereo channel into two mono channels

1. Enable Config mode
2. Press Make Stereo
3. Press Select on a stereo channel
4. Press Make Stereo again to confirm

### Fader Banks A, B, C, D

To bank Main and Sidecars to other input channels

- Press Bank A, B, C, or D, as needed

### FX Returns

To bank the Main faders to FX return channels

- Press FX 1-8 or FX 9-16

### Graphic EQ

To adjust graphic EQ using the Main faders

1. Select an output that has a GEQ assigned
2. Press a GEQ switch to control that bank of frequencies

### Keyboard Shortcuts

To select a particular channel or snapshot using its number or name

- Type the number or first few characters of the channel name (Inputs or Outputs screen) or snapshot name (Snapshots screen)



Assigning a Graphic EQ (Outputs screen)

## E ASSIGNABLE OUTPUT FADERS



Aux 1-8/9-16, Personal Qs, Matrixes, Groups, VCAs

To bank output faders

- Press an Output Faders switch

### VCAs

To assign channels to a VCA

1. Press VCAs in the Output Faders section
2. Press Multi Assign on the VCA to which you want to assign channels
3. Press Select on each channel to include in the VCA
4. Press Multi Assign on the VCA again to confirm

### Show VCA Members

To identify channels assigned to each VCA

1. Press Show VCA Members
2. Check the Bus Assign LEDs in each channel; a flashing LED indicates membership

## F MASTER/GLOBAL SECTION

### Monitoring

To align the monitor bus to the main PA

1. Press and hold the Delay switch
2. Rotate the Select encoder in the ACS Options & Snapshots section (C)

### Mute Groups

To assign channels to a Mute Group

1. Press Assign
2. Press a Mute Group switch (1-8)
3. Press Select on each channel to include in the Mute Group
4. Press Assign again to confirm

### Talkback/Osc

To route to outputs

1. Press Talkback, 2-Track or Oscillator
2. Press Route to Selected
3. Press Select on output channels
4. Press Route to Selected again to confirm
5. Press On/Talk to activate; rotate encoder to adjust level

### Solo/PFL

To engage Solo In Place

- Press and hold Solo In Place for two seconds

Mains controls



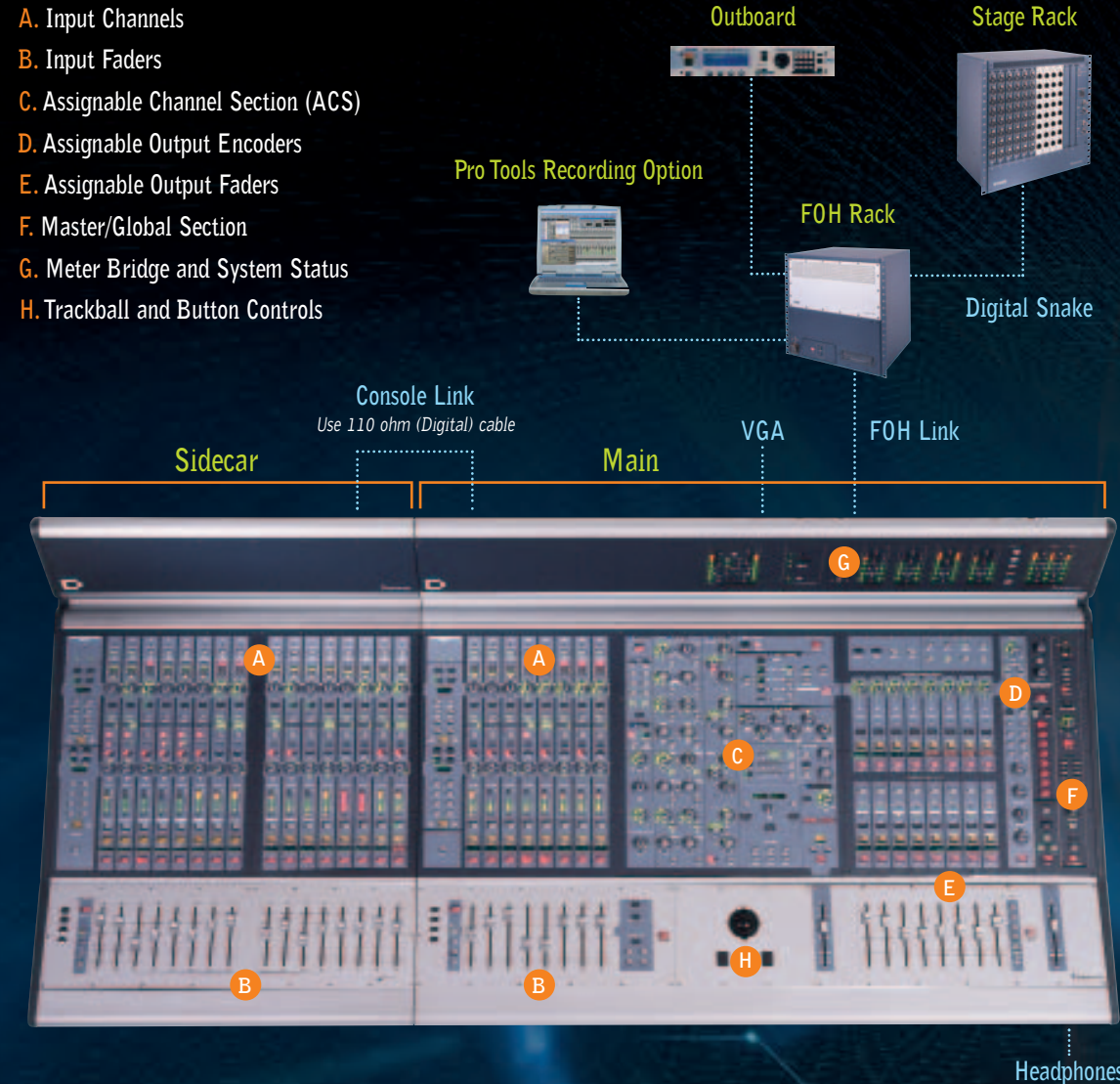
## Quick Start Guide





# OVERVIEW

- A. Input Channels
- B. Input Faders
- C. Assignable Channel Section (ACS)
- D. Assignable Output Encoders
- E. Assignable Output Faders
- F. Master/Global Section
- G. Meter Bridge and System Status
- H. Trackball and Button Controls



	Weight	Dimensions (W x D x H)
Main & Sidecar (joined)	194 lbs (88 kg)	78.3" x 35.5" x 13.7" (1988 x 895 x 347 mm)
Main only	121 lbs (54.9 kg)	51.7" x 35.5" x 13.7" (1313 x 895 x 347 mm)
Sidecar only	73 lbs (33.1 kg)	28.7" x 34.8" x 13.7" (729 x 884 x 347 mm)

## A INPUTS On Sidecars & Main

**Bus ID**  
Determines layout of input channels on Main & Sidecars

Press to assign Row 1 encoders

Flip to Faders  
Control encoder function using channel faders

Press to assign Row 2 encoders

**Source**  
Press to display channel names or I/O assignments



**Multi Assign**  
Select  
Press to bring any channel to the ACS (C)

- Power Up/Down Sequence**
- To Power Up
1. Connect the system (see overview)
  2. Press Power on the FOH Rack
- To Power Down
1. Enable Config mode
  2. Choose Shutdown from the Options> System Config tab

- Assigning Inputs to Bus Outputs**
- From the ACS
1. Select one or more input channels (see Multi-Select on other side)
  2. In the ACS (C), use the Bus Assigns and Aux Sends controls to assign routing to Mains, Groups and Auxes

## OUTPUTS On Main



Select an Output, (Aux, Groups, Matrix and PQ) to control with the output encoders

**D Assignable Output Encoders**

- From the Outputs section
1. Press Multi Assign on the Output (E) to which you want to assign channels
  2. Press Select on each input channel (A) you want to include
  3. Press Multi Assign again to confirm

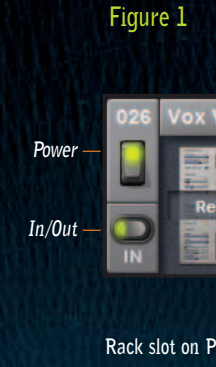
## C ASSIGNABLE CHANNEL SECTION (ACS)



**Input Controls**

**Gain Guess**  
Press and hold to automatically set input gain

## PLUG-INS



- Installing Plug-ins**
1. Enable Config mode
  2. Insert the plug-in CD into the FOH Rack CD ROM drive
  3. Navigate to the Options screen and choose the Plug-ins tab
  4. Select the CD ROM drive from the Device selector
  5. Choose one or more plug-ins from the Plug-ins to Install list
  6. Click the Install button
- iLok USB Smart Key authorization may be required**

- Assigning a Plug-in to a Rack Slot** (Figure 1)
1. Enable Config mode
  2. Navigate to the Plug-ins screen
  3. Click the Plug-in Selector on an empty rack slot
  4. Choose an available plug-in from the list of installed plug-ins

- Using a Plug-in as a Bus Processor** (Figure 1)
1. Press Plug-ins (View Mode) to display the Plug-ins screen
  2. Click the Input selector for an available plug-in and choose an Aux or other Bus Out
  3. Click the Output selector and assign a return channel
- Inserting a Plug-in on a Channel** (Figure 2)
1. Select a channel to display it on screen
  2. Click an Insert selector and choose an available plug-in

Double-click any Plug-in to view it in Zoom mode



- Adjusting a Plug-in Inserted on a Channel**
1. Select a channel, then press an Insert switch (1-4) in the ACS
  2. Press Insert Mode to adjust parameters using the Assignable Output Encoders
  3. Press Prev Page or Next Page to access additional plug-in parameters
- EQ and Dynamics plug-ins can also be adjusted using the EQ and Dynamics controls on the ACS.*

