

Koan[®] X Platinum

The fascinating, intelligent and fun new "generative" music power tool for everyone, irrespective of age or ability. It requires no prior musical knowledge and you will soon be creating, mixing and performing your own contemporary music from totally cool drum 'n' bass to chillout ambient - fast, and all without a musical keyboard! All you need to do is drag a Koan template (an icon) into the KoanMix and you will be on your way to making your own great sounding new music, maybe even for your next CD, website or multimedia project!!



Koan X Platinum - just drag 'n' mix!

System requirements: 66MHz 486 PC (minimum) or higher, 8Mb RAM (minimum), Microsoft Windows 3.1x / Windows 95/ Windows NT 4, Mouse, CD ROM drive, 2Mb free hard disk space. PC MIDI interface/soundcard with Windows MIDI driver support and with a high quality sound synthesizer (Koan X Platinum has seamless inbuilt support for Creative Labs SoundFonts.)

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Selected features:

- Includes 100 Koan templates to drag into your KoanMix
- Create new KoanMixes from randomly selected templates via Styles (File New dialog) or build them up yourself
- Mix each template's volume, pitch and stereo position
- Alter each template's Reverb and Chorus settings and Mute or Solo them, too
- Change each template's default GM patch or select a patch bank (if your soundcard supports patchbanks) or SoundFont (SBK/SF2) patch (if your soundcard supports SoundFonts)
- Set up automatic piece mixing with the 'Drift' control which has bounding bars to constrain the area of drift and advanced vertical/horizontal lock controls
- Create KoanMixes from 1 second to 8 hours
- Change the Piece Root and Scale rule for the KoanMix
- Create time based arrangements (for automatic muting of templates throughout a piece) with the Mix Editor, which includes a 'Scratch mixing' facility
- Save your KoanMix to encrypted SKP (non-reopenable) file - ideal for creating Koan pieces for your website or save to SKD (SSEYO Koan Design) files for later remixing
- Record your KoanMix to MIDI or audio (WAV) - ideal for saving your KoanMix's music to an electronic score and for making music for CDs (writable CD ROM drive required)
- Get visual system feedback on your KoanMix with meters for Reaction time and Polyphony, MIDI channel, SoundFont usage
- Full and comprehensive on-line help



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