

# TDM Mixer Plug-Ins

Pro Tools 6.7 Mixer plug-ins have been optimized to allow more Pro Tools HD|Accel-compatible plug-ins to run on a given Pro Tools HD|Accel system. Under certain rare conditions, for example in very complex mixer setups, DSP Manager may not be able to free up enough Pro Tools HD|Accel DSPs for plug-ins. Users may encounter a failed “DSP Shuffle” or a DAE error -7204 even though free DSPs are available.

The enclosed beta versions of the Pro Tools 6.7 Mixer plug-ins have been modified to resolve failed DSP shuffles. This modification reduces mixer channel availability on each Pro Tools HD|Accel DSP by about 10%. Mixer channel count on HD “non-Accel” DSPs is not affected.

To differentiate from the “shipping” Mixer plug-in versions, a “b” character has been added to the file name and version string. File names are as follows:

- Stereo Dithered Mixer\_b
- Surround Dithered Mixer\_b
- Stereo Mixer\_b
- Surround Mixer\_b

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## Switching TDM Mixer Plug-Ins

### To switch TDM Mixer plug-ins:

- 1 Quit Pro Tools.
- 2 Insert your Pro Tools installation disk.
- 3 In the Additional Files\Unsupported Software\Mixer folder on your installation disk, locate the beta plug-in that you want to use.
- 4 Do one of the following:
  - On Windows systems, open the Plug-ins folder (C:\Program Files\Common Files\Digidesign\DAE).
  - or –
  - On Macintosh systems, open the Plug-ins folder on your startup drive (Library/Application Support/Digidesign).
- 5 Drag the Mixer plug-in that you want to use from the installation disk to the Plug-Ins folder on your hard drive.
- 6 Open the Plug-Ins folder, locate the Mixer plug-in version that you no longer want to use, and drag it to the “Plug-Ins (Unused)” folder.
- 7 Launch Pro Tools.