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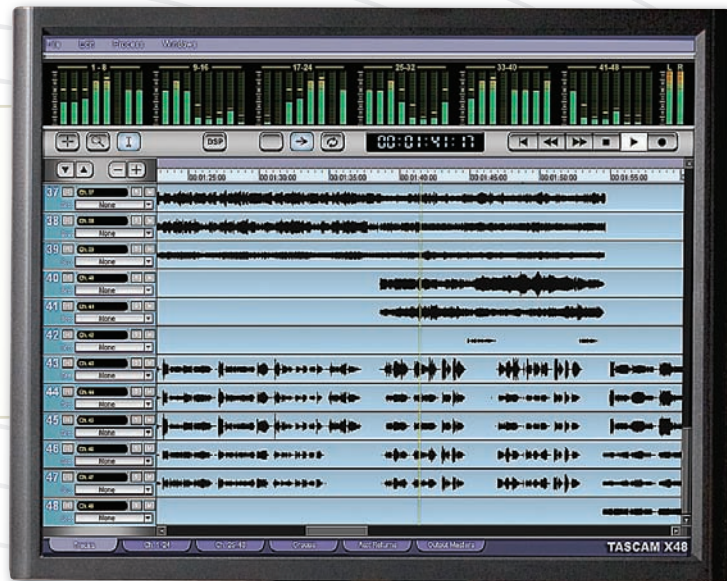
- 48-track hard disk recorder with 24-bit/96kHz quality
- 80GB hard drive provides a very stable recording platform
- Built-in DVD+RW drive for creating backups and for easy file transfers
- Console-style transport, metering, and track-arming functions
- Large display for computer-style tracking and editing
- Flexible signal-routing capabilities, with expandable analog and digital I/O

X-48

The Reliability and Features of a Standalone Recorder, with the Flexibility of a Computer!

Here's a standalone recording setup that can handle even the largest worship groups! The **X-48** gives you the best of both worlds: it offers the ease of use and stability of a hard disk recorder, with the easy-to-read screen, flexibility, and editing features you'd expect to find in a computer-based recording setup. If you're ready to move from simply documenting performances to producing high-quality results, then the incredible 48-track X-48 provides you with all the tools you'll need — in one package. The self-contained X-48 includes a reliable 80GB hard drive and an onboard DVD+RW drive, so you can easily back up audio files and transfer them to a computer. You can also add to the X-48's already impressive amount of inputs and outputs, with analog and ADAT expansion cards. Call your Sales Engineer and find out what the X48 can do for you!

X48	Rackmount Recorder.....List \$6599 ⁹⁹	ONLY \$150/mo.
IFAN24x	Analog Expansion Card.....List \$1499 ⁹⁹	\$4999⁹⁹
IFAD24	ADAT Expansion Card.....List \$499 ⁹⁹	\$1099⁹⁷
		\$459⁹⁷



TASCAM®

Monitor, keyboard, and mouse not included



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- 24-track high-resolution digital recording
- Ultra-reliable 40GB hard drive
- Easily integrates into ADAT systems
- 24 analog inputs/outputs
- 24 channels of ADAT optical and MIDI I/O
- Ethernet and ADAT sync connections

What our customers are saying...

"I am a worship leader for a church, and while we buy a lot of gear for a church our size, I know that we are not one of your larger customers. But, you always make me feel like we are. I have tried other vendors and never gotten the level of service and attention that I get with Sweetwater."

— Kevin Smith, Louisiana

ALESIS HD24

Record the Whole Service with Digital Clarity — in Your Church or on the Road!

Do you need a high-quality digital recorder that's capable of tracking the sermon, the worship band, and the choir, at different locations? The **HD24** is your portable solution, and it's right here at Sweetwater! This amazing recorder gives you direct inputs for each of its 24 tracks — you can run straight out of your church's mixing console for exceptional live recordings, and you can mix and edit the results later! If your ministry goes to different locations, the HD24 is robust enough to go along. It offers the rock-solid reliability of a standalone digital system, while its durable, rackmountable chassis and compact dimensions make it ideal for in-house, installation, and in-the-field use. It can be easily integrated into existing ADAT systems, and flexible signal routing and an array of digital and analog connections mean you can easily export audio from the HD24 to other systems. Call us today and find out more about the HD24!

HD24

Rackmount Recorder.....List \$2499⁹⁹

ONLY \$48/mo.
\$1599⁹⁷

A Revolutionary Approach to Live Worship with **Ableton Live**

By Phil Selman

Just for a moment, set aside any negative feelings you may have about integrating a computer into your live worship set. Dismiss any apprehension you may have about using backing tracks and discard any doubt you may have about their flexibility or usefulness in real-time worship.

Imagine the possibilities of having total control over a powerful yet easy-to-use resource that could bring out the best in your worship team. Imagine being able to add brilliant backing vocals to fill out the performance of your backup singers, or to add drums, guitar, or bass if they were missing. What if you could do this without giving up the freedom to jump from section to section in the arrangement in real time?

You can stop just imagining these possibilities and start experiencing what countless churches across the country have already discovered by turning to Ableton Live.

You don't need to invest in expensive equipment or spend hours learning the system and retraining your worship team. Ableton Live is accessible even to small churches with limited funding or space, or the lack of personnel required for a full worship band. To run Live, you'll need a computer, a basic audio interface, and some way to deliver a separate audio mix to your drummer. A dedicated MIDI controller is also a good idea, and you'll need to feed at least two channels of input into your PA system.

The only other things you'll need are some backing tracks. Currently, these tracks are available online at Interactive Worship Live (interactivelive.com) and Worship Kitchen (worshipkitchen.com). These sites provide most popular contemporary worship music in a multitrack format without the lead vocals. That means you get separate tracks for guitars, drums, bass, and backing vocals, as well as other instruments. Once you've loaded these tracks into Ableton Live, you can pick and choose which tracks to play. You can even make individual practice mixes for each member of the worship team!

When you rehearse or play live, you send a headphone mix with a click track to your drummer. Locators are points in the song that you set to tell Live where to jump to and how many measures to play before returning to the beginning of the loop. So, you can set a point in the intro and let that loop, or you can add repeats where and when you want them.



**Akai Professional
APC20**

A compact Live controller with nine dedicated track faders

\$199⁹⁷

**Novation
Launchpad**

A versatile Live controller with instant visual feedback

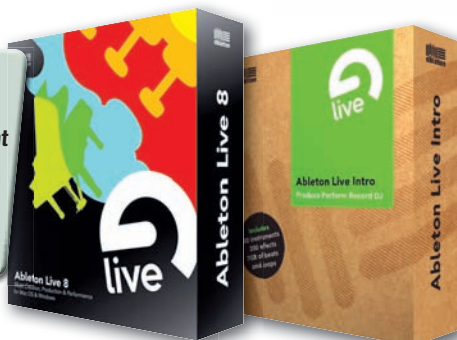
\$199⁹⁷

Ableton Live is easy to program to accept MIDI-to-trigger locator points. Any MIDI keyboard will work, but those with assignable buttons, such as Edirol PCR series keyboards, are ideal. Alternatively, a dedicated controller, such as the Novation Launchpad or the Akai Professional APC40 or APC20, gives you plenty of pads, dedicated controls, and excellent visual feedback. For guitarists and vocalists, either the X-Tempo Designs pok or the Roland FC-300 gives you a wide range of control at the press of a footswitch.

However you configure your system, we're sure that you'll benefit from using Ableton Live. Every church is different, and your needs and equipment may affect how you integrate Live into your system. For more information, give your Sweetwater Sales Engineer a call.

Ableton Live 8
A multipurpose music arrangement environment

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