BIGTONE Chronospheres

128 expressive patches for u-he Zebra 2.5, BIGTONE Studios, http://www.bigtone.de/

Installation

Unpack the .zip file that contains the Chronospheres patchset and this ReadMe file. Then simply copy the directory "BIGTONE Chronospheres" with all of its contents to following location:

Windows: PathToDataDirectory/Zebra2.data/Presets/Zebra2/

MacOS X: MacHD/Library/Audio/Presets/u-he/Zebra2/

Patch Information

Please open Zebra's info field for valuable information about using these patches (click the *i*-button on the top right of the editor window). Most patches have various hints for playability and usage:

Controllers:

Most patches have 1-3 XY-controls assigned. These are mainly set up in a surgical way, such as reverb mix. BigTone's emphasize with this patch bank was on expression through common controllers such as Velocity, Aftertouch, PitchBend and Modwheel. The preset names indicate the main controllers by their endings, such as mw for ModWheel and pb for PitchBend.

BT arp:

BT X . F . M . (mw+pb)
BT belley dancers (mw+pb)
BT differences (mw+pb)
BT digi crunch (mw+pb+at+vel)
BT dreamy addon (mw+pb)
BT ffm zapper (mw+pb)
BT groove me (mw+pb)
BT love wideness (mw+pb)
BT morph comber (mw+pb)
BT noiced sines (mw+pb+at)
BT one-finger mini seq (mw+pb)
BT spectralis (mw)
BT stereo mod arp (mw+pb)
BT swirling bells (mw+pb)
BT zc202 01 (mw+pb)
BT zc202 02 (mw+pb)

BT athmospheric stuff:

BT binaural melody (pb)
BT digital scraper (mw+pb)
BT oc-casio-nally (mw+pb)
BT precious (mw+pb)
BT reso noise drone (mw)
BT resonaural
BT the dreamer (mw+pb)
BT the third drone (mw)

BT bass:

BT analog as can be (mw+vel)
BT analog wire (mw+vel)
BT bootsie`s superfunker (mw+at)
BT cutting plastic (vel+mw)
BT digi 80`s (mw+vel)
BT electro knocker (mw+pb)
BT electro nailer (mw+pb)
BT electro thumper (mw)
BT fm growler (vel)
BT getting nasty (mw+pb)
BT house organ bass
BT moving bass
BT noise attack
BT oldschool hip hop (mw)
BT pure pain bass groove (mw+pb)
BT reduced fm snarl (mw+vel)
BT this way, baby (mw+vel)
BT thommy knocker (mw)
BT ugly rattler 01 (mw+vel)
BT ugly rattler 02 (mw+vel)
BT ugly rattler 03 (mw+vel)
BT ugly zapper (mw)
BT velocity raptor (vel)
BT x-or-electro bass (vel)

BT fx:

BT cluster fx (pb)
BT fm fall (vel)
BT fm whopper (vel)
BT mega ringer (vel)
BT noise fx hits
BT VCS like fx (mw+pb+vel)

BT keys:

BT bell structures (mw)
BT classic chicago stack 01
BT classic chicago stack 02
BT crackle fm bell (mw+pb)
BT dancing keys (mw+pb+at)
BT ffm beautyness (mw)
BT iced knockers (mw+pb)
BT reduced love (mw+vel)
BT space drip (mw+pb)

BT lead:

BT god`s groove lead (mw)
BT hommage to the king (mw+vel)
BT liquid (mw+pb+at+vel)
BT modwheel shmurgler (mw)
BT tekk saw (mw)

BT loops'n things:

BT 8am addon loop (mw+pb)
BT can do loops (mw+pb)
BT chord rm groover (mw+pb)
BT syncopic cluster (mw+pb+at)

BT semireal:

BT african mallets (at)
BT belly stage piano chorussed
BT belly stage piano
BT classical guitar (vel+at)
BT generic amped e-bass
BT jimmy smith like (mw)
BT movie war drums (vel)
BT orchestral strings attempt
BT peruan flute (vel+at+mw)
BT pick it, mr.benson! (mw)
BT real bassdrum
BT real snare
BT timpani

BT pads:

BT beloved digital noise (mw+pb)
BT bigtones ZEBRA (mw+pb)
BT digi move (mw+pb)
BT dream wash (mw+pb)
BT etheral bells (mw+pb+at)
BT farfisa polychrome choirish (mw)
BT floating elves (mw+pb+at)
BT from sine to noice (mw+pb+at)
BT generic analog beauty (mw)
BT glitzerbaby! (mw+pb+vel)
BT it`s alive! (mw+pb)
BT jmj phasersolina (at)
BT liquid dreams (mw+vel+pb)
BT liquid metal (mw+pb)
BT on drugs (mw+pb)
BT plucked moments (mw+pb)
BT starfighter (mw+pb+at)
BT stertorously (mw)
BT the shimmer (mw+pb)

BT sequencer:

BT artificial pluck (vel)
BT ffm seq (mw+pb)
BT generic snapper (mw+vel)
BT italo galore (mw+pb)
BT metalizer seq 01 (mw+vel)
BT metalizer seq 02 (mw+vel)
BT xpander mojo (mw+vel)

BT syndrums and percussion:

BT analog clap 01 (vel)
BT analog clap 02 (vel)
BT analog clap 03 (vel)
BT analog clap 04 (vel)
BT bassdrum 01 (vel)
BT bassdrum 02 (vel)
BT bassdrum 03 (vel)
BT bassdrum 04 (vel)
BT reduced blip 01 (vel)
BT reduced blip 02 (vel)
BT Snaredrum 01 (vel)
BT Snaredrum 02 (vel)
BT Snaredrum 03 (vel)
BT Snaredrum 04 (vel)
BT zapper 01 (vel)
BT zapper 02 (vel)

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