

# Composition: Electronic Media II

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## Intro to Kyma

1. Discussion of **Kyma** software and **Capybara** hardware.

2. Launch **Kyma** as follows:

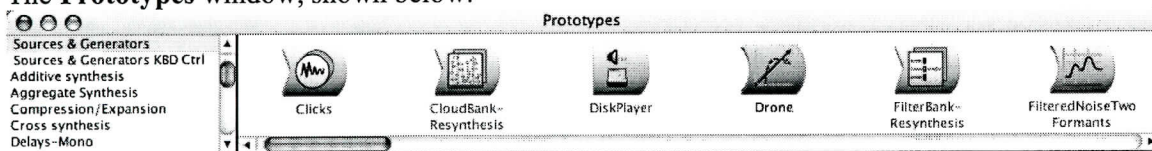
- Power up the studio.
- Bring up the **Kyma** faders on the Mackie mixer, assign them to the desired busses, bring up the bus faders, bring up the speaker output faders, as done last semester.



- Launch **Kyma** by selecting the icon shown in the dock.
- Several preliminary windows will appear: a Splash Screen, windows showing the state of the **Capybara**, a help window, and possibly a license window. Some will disappear automatically, others can be manually closed.

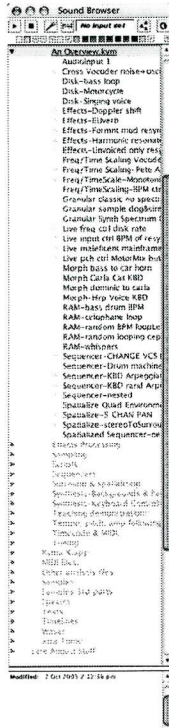
3. The main windows:

a. The **Prototypes** window, shown below:



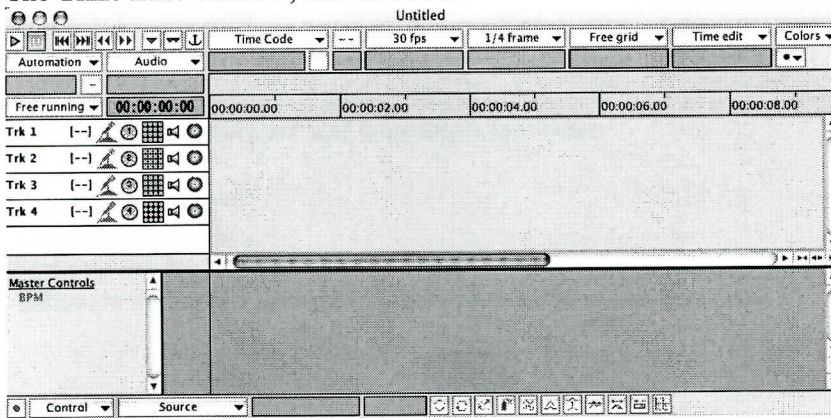
Discussion: navigating and window placement.

b. The **Sound Browser** window, shown below:



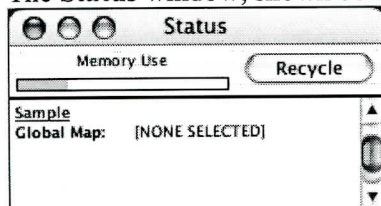
Discussion: function and window placement.

c. The **Time Line** window, shown below:



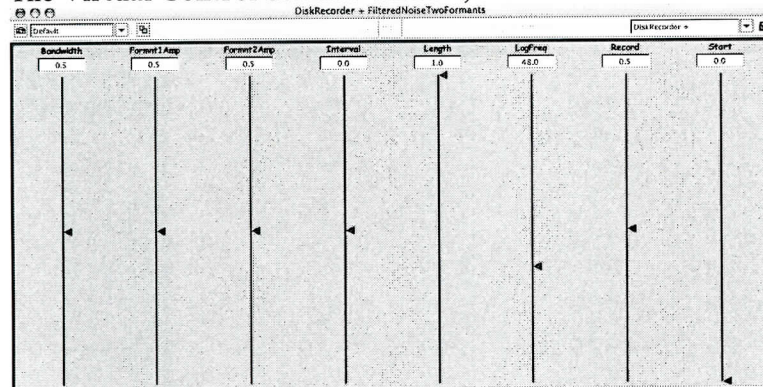
Discussion: features and window placement.

d. The **Status** window, shown below:



Discussion: Memory use, global map, window placement.

e. The **Virtual Control Surface** window, shown below:



Discussion: features and window placement.