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    processBiquad (*coeffs, buffer);
    coeffs->b0 *= 2.0;

    biquadCoeffs = coeffs;
}

void changeBiquadParameters (BiquadCoefficients newCoeffs)
{
    auto newBiquad = std::make_unique<BiquadCoefficients> (newCoeffs);

    for (auto* expected = storage.get(); // spin while the realtime thread is processing
         ! biquadCoeffs.compare_exchange_strong (expected, newBiquad.get());
         expected = storage.get());

    storage = std::move (newBiquad);
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Works!

farbot's NonRealtimeMutable

```
struct BiquadCoefficients { float b0, b1, b2, a1, a2; };  
NonRealtimeMutable<BiquadCoefficients> biquadCoeffs;
```

```
void processAudio (float* buffer)  
{  
    auto& coeffs = biquadCoeffs.realtimeAcquire();  
    processBiquad (coeffs, buffer);  
    biquadCoeffs.realtimeRelease();  
}
```

```
void changeBiquadParameters (BiquadCoefficients newCoeffs)  
{  
    auto& coeffs = biquadCoeffs.nonRealtimeAcquire();  
    coeffs = newCoeffs;  
    biquadCoeffs.nonRealtimeRelease();  
}
```