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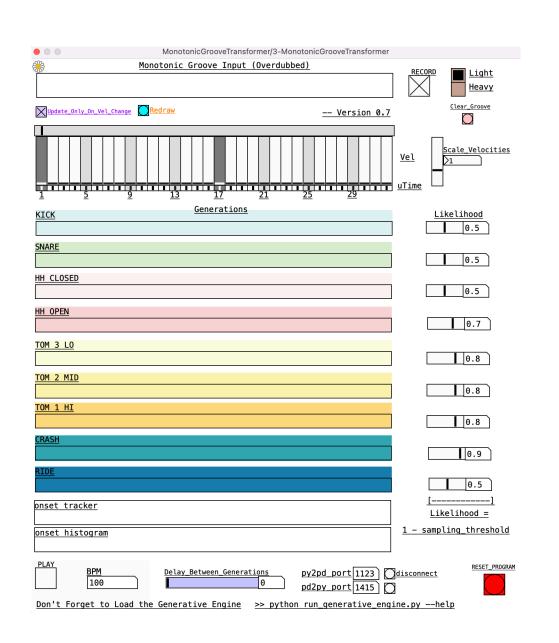


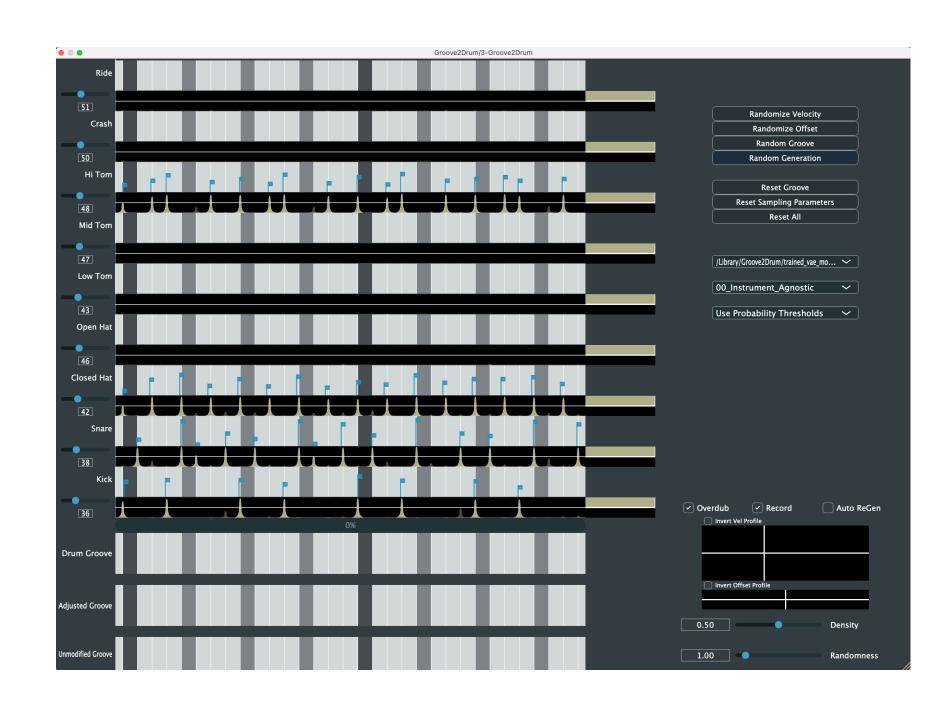
## What is NeuralMidiFx?

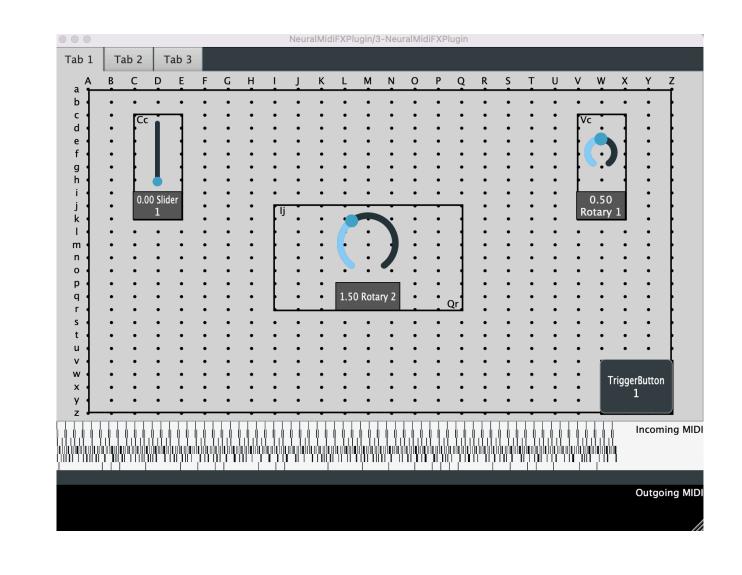
 A VST3 Wrapper/Template that streamlines the deployment of NN-based generative systems of symbolic music

Targeted for researchers working on generative symbolic music

## Motivation







#### **VST Version 1:**

Pure Data Frontend (Camomile)

Python Backend (Torch)

OSC Communication

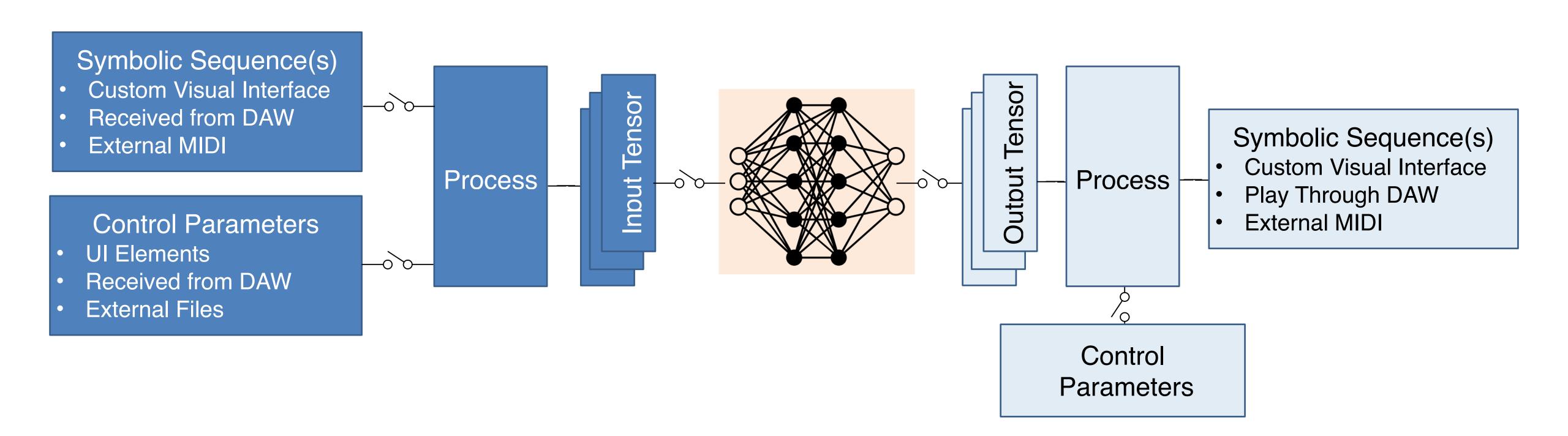
**VST Version 2:** 

Self-Contained VST JUCE with Libtorch

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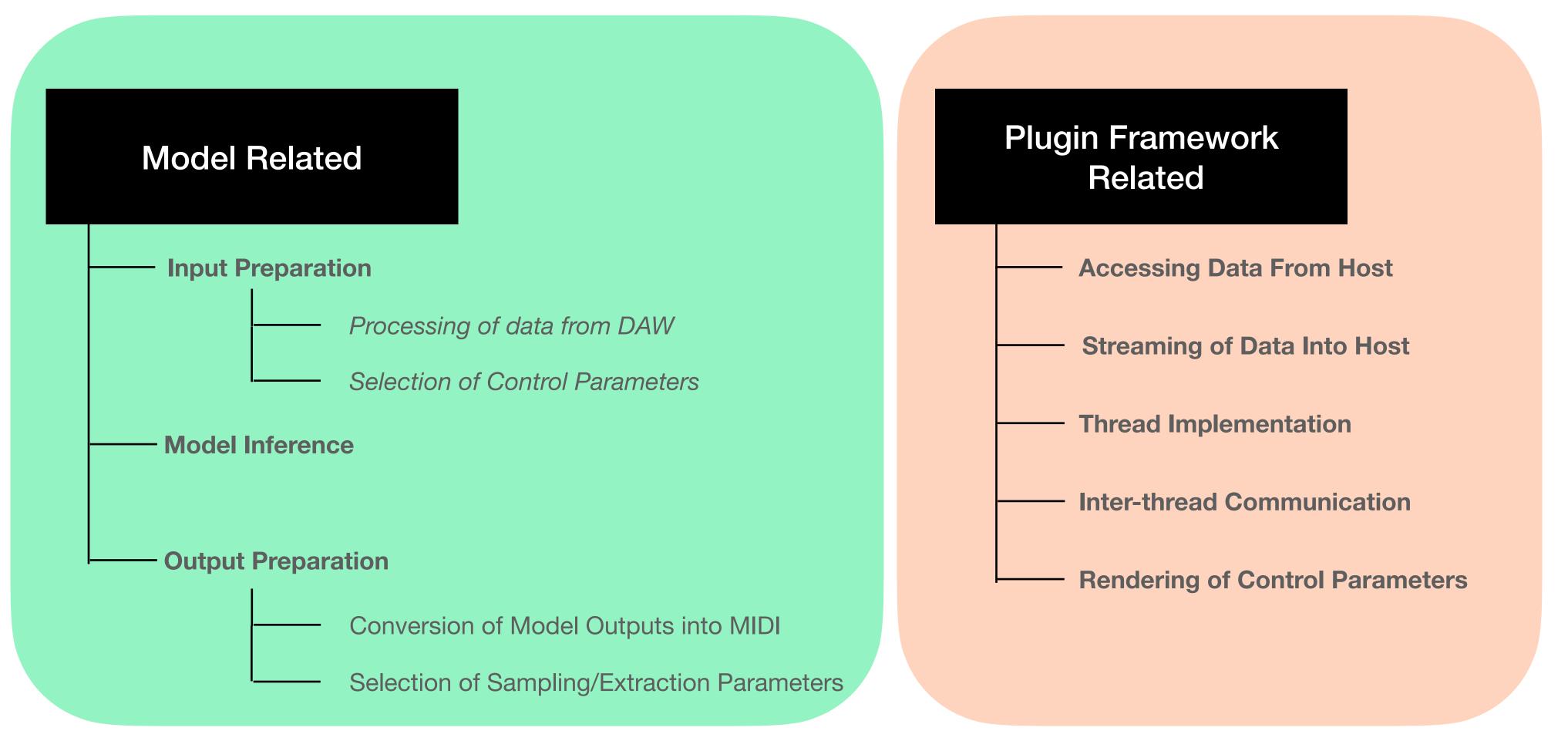
# Why is VST deployment challenging?



- Designing UI and interacting with DAW requires knowledge of frameworks like JUCE
- Multi-threaded design is essential and extremely complex
- As opposed to the research stage, VST deployment is usually done in C++

## Design Decisions For NeuralMidiFx

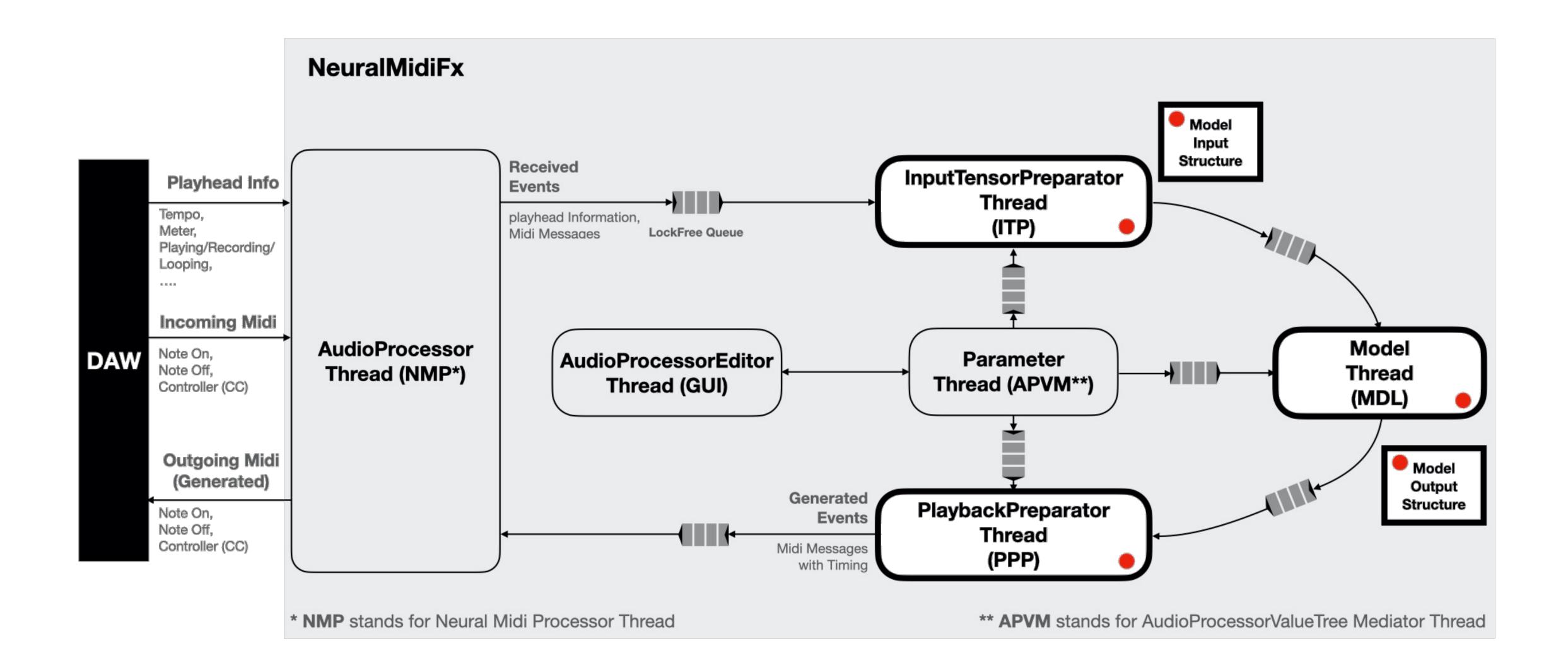
### **Deployment Tasks**



Researcher's Responsibility

Fully Handled By NeuralMidiFX (no further development needed)

## Architecture



## Resources

Paper
Source Code
Documentation
Tutorials / Examples
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