

Objects Covered Cheatsheet

Part 3

| Object [] | What it does | Example Arguments (where applicable) |
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| [biquad~] | Two-Pole, Two-Zero Filter, with a ton of modes. You <i>can</i> set coefficients yourself (but that's insane), or just easily connect it to [filtergraph~] to set parameters. | |
| [filtergraph~] | Graphical filter editor. Use an [attrui] in the first inlet to set the mode, and graphically edit the cutoff, gain, and Q values. Connect the left outlet to the left inlet of [biquad~] or [cascade~] to set them. | |
| [cascade~] | Cascaded series of biquad filters. Use with a [filtergraph~] and [attrui] in it's left inlet set to nfilters to set each band when using peaknotch mode. VERY similar to a graphical equalizer in that respect. | |
| [comb~] | Comb filter effect. Mixes the current input with earlier input/output to get a sweeping sound. Arguments are max delay, init delay, gain, feedforward, and feedback. All are floats. DO NOT GO ABOVE 0.99 FOR FEEDFORWARD OR FEEDBACK. | [comb~ 15 1 0.25 0. 0.25] |
| [teeth~] | Alternate comb filter effect. Arguments are feedforward delay, feedback delay, gain, feedforward gain, feedback gain. All are floats. DO NOT GO ABOVE 0.99 FOR FEEDFORWARD OR FEEDBACK GAIN. | [teeth~ 15 1 0.25 0. 0.25] |
| [allpass~] | Allpass filter - flat magnitude response but interesting phasing. Typically delays sharp transients. Arguments are max delay, initial delay and gain. All are floats. | [allpass~ 100 30. 0.5] |
| [reson~] | Resonant bandpass filter. Arguments are the initial gain, center frequency and Q (try values of 1-100). All are floats. | [reson~ 1. 200 23] |
| [lores~] | Resonant lowpass filter. Much more efficient than stacking a [biquad~] and a [reson~]! Arguments are cutoff frequency and resonance (0-1). All are floats. | [lores~ 220 0.8] |
| [onepole~] | Single-pole lowpass filter. Very simple IIR filter with 6 dB attenuation per octave. Argument is the center frequency (floats). | [onepole~ 330] |
| [svf~] | State-variable filter with four simultaneous outputs. Outputs lowpass, highpass, bandpass, and notch from left to right. Arguments are the center (cutoff) frequency and the resonance. Both are floats. | [svf~ 700 0.7] |
| [poly~] | Manages polyphony and voice allocation for creating polyphonic instruments. Arguments are the name of an abstraction and the number of voices to allocate. | [poly~ synth_core 6] |
| [midiformat] | Essentially the inverse of [midiparse], minus a final corresponding inlet for (midievent)'s. Right output is a (midievent), perfectly formatted for [poly~] or [vst~]. | |
| [in] and [in~] | Message and signal input for a patcher loaded into [poly~] or [pfft~]. Argument is the inlet number. | [in 2] [in~ 37] |
| [out] and [out~] | Message and signal output for a patcher loaded into [poly~] or [pfft~]. Argument is the outlet number. | [out 1] [out~ 99] |

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| [s] and [r] | Send and receive messages and non-audio data without patch cords. Can also be coded as [send] and [receive]. Each takes the name of a specific bus to use. If you use multiple instances of [send] with the same bus, the values are summed at the [receive]. If you use multiple [receive] instances and one [send], they all receive the same message. | [send foo] [receive foo] |
| [polymidiin] | Like [midiin], but for MPE data. Always used inside of a [poly~] instance. | |
| [mpeparse] | Like [midiparse], but for MPE data. Outputs Note/Velocity pairs, Poly Pressure, CC's, Program Changes, Aftertouch, Pitch Bend, Voice Number, Zone First Channel, Zone Index, and mpeevent (for [vst~] only). | |
| [scale] | ESSENTIAL OBJECT! Maps an input range of floats or ints to an output range. Arguments are the input-low, input-high, output-low, output-high. They can be ints or floats and can be used to convert between the two. | [scale 0 127 0. 1.] |
| [clip] | Limits values to a certain range. If it exceeds the maximum value, it keeps outputting the maximum. Arguments are min and max values. | Specify for floats - [clip 0. 50.] |