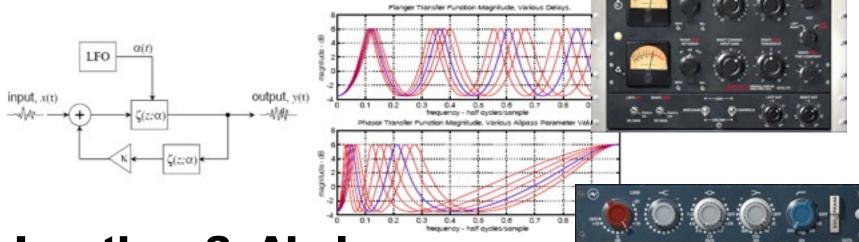
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Signal Processing Techniques for Digital Audio Effects



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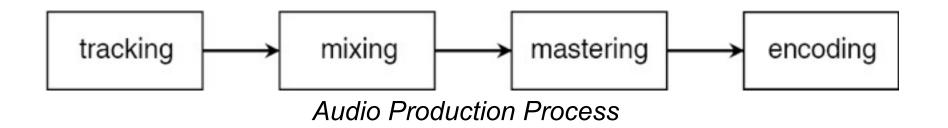


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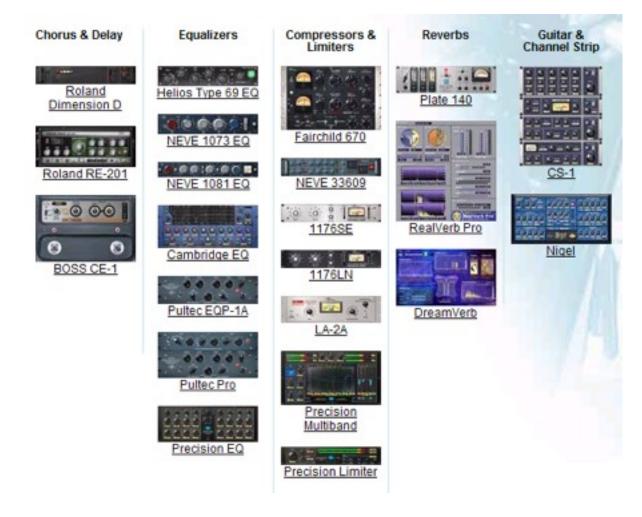
Introduction



- Music is typically produced in four steps: tracking, mixing, mastering and encoding.
- This class is about how to build digital versions of the mainline effects used in mixing and mastering.
- Dynamic range control
- Reverberation and room acoustics
- Equalization and filter design
- Distortion and delay effects



Mixing and Mastering Effects





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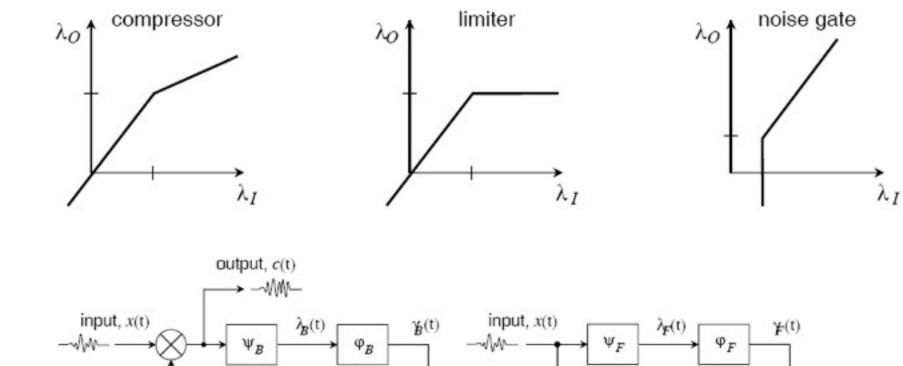






Dynamic Range Control







detector

gain

feed forward compressor

computer

detector

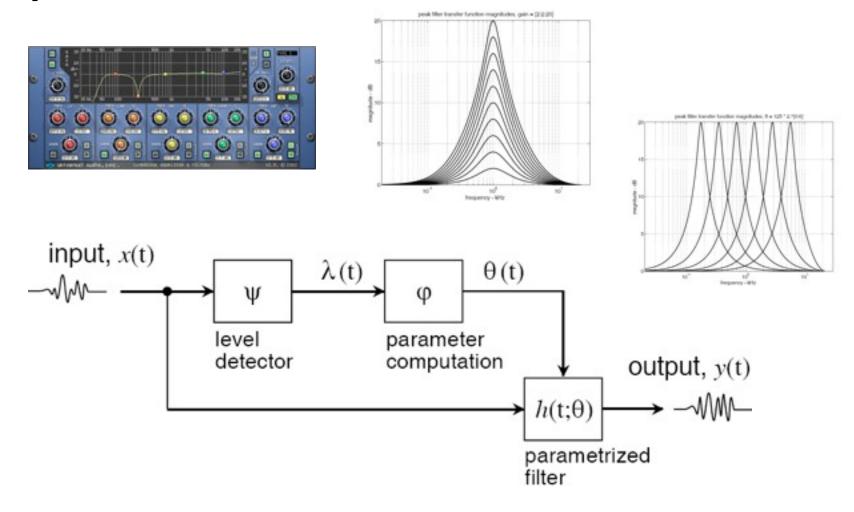
gain

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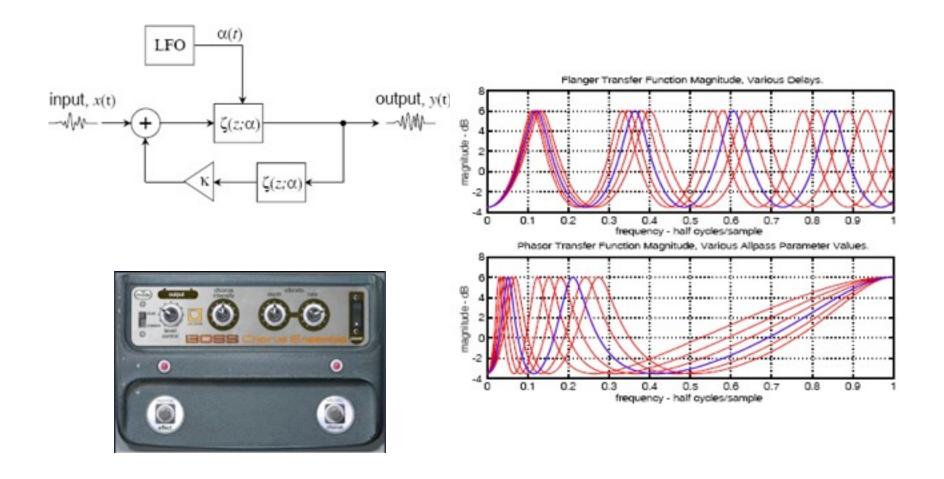
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Equalization



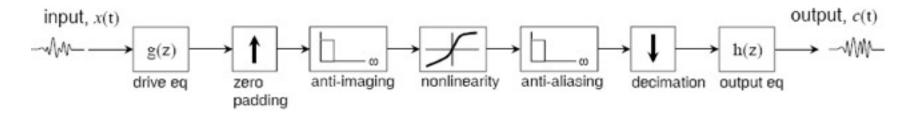


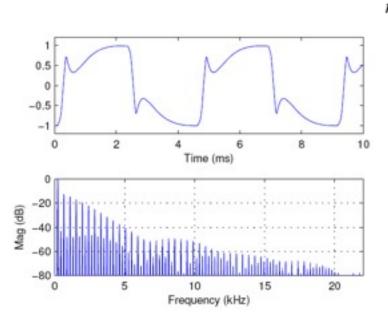
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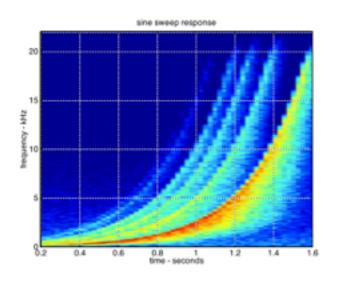


Distortion Processing





$$r(t) = \sum_k g(t) * \left(\beta(\omega_k) \sin \int_0^t \omega_k(\tau) d\tau \right) \; \omega_k(t) = k \times \omega(t)$$





Room Acoustics and Reverberation

