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• **Overview & Installation:**

First of all, special thanks for purchasing my fifth soundbank entitled M E K K A – the sequel of my first pack for Serum dedicated to Cinematic Electronica called L O S T.

I am HydraTek, a sound designer, sound engineer & producer based in Italy, but firstly an artist *like you*.

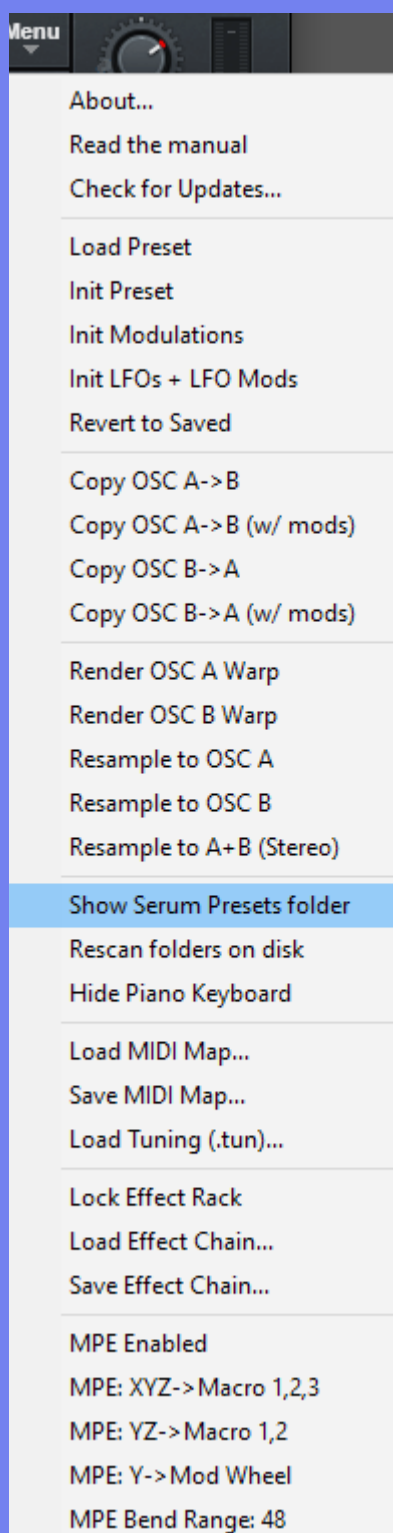
My mission is to bring you fresh inspiration for your own projects by employing my creativity and vision of sound's aesthetics.

In this soundpack you will find 100 presets for Serum, 100 samples key and tempo labelled made with the aforementioned presets in order to give you a taste of how they can be used, 53 custom wavetables, 20 custom noise shapes, 15 custom FX chains and, as a special bonus, a collection of 35 cool and inspirational AI artworks made with Midjourney to accompany the concept of the pack.

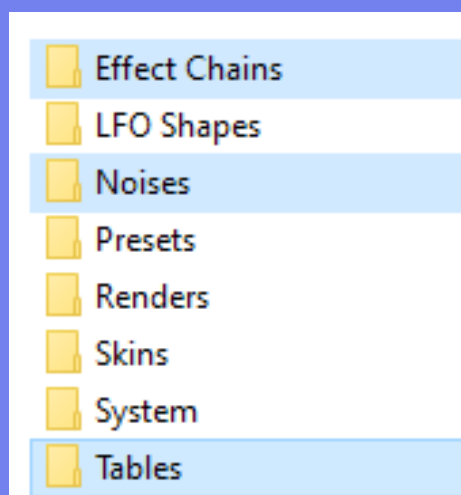
In order to run the presets properly you must first install the custom wavetables and noise shapes. This is how you do it:

Open the menu inside of Serum and click 'Show Serum Presets folder'; a folder pointing to the right directory will guide you to where the presets are located in your PC/MAC.

While you are here, allocate the presets of this pack in that folder.



Now, go one level above and you will also find the 'Effect Chains' folder, the 'Noises' folder and the 'Tables' folder. This is where you want to move and allocate respectively the custom fx chains, noise shapes and wavetables provided in the pack.



On PC the above directory can be found at:
C:\Users\{your name}\Documents\Xfer\Serum Presets

After that, click on 'Rescan folders on disk' – the option in the menu right after the previous used: now all the presets should load properly.

Sorry for this little hassle but it will be worth it, promised.

I could have integrated the custom stuff in the presets themselves, but I preferred to give you more value by giving you plenty of customization. In this way you are able to mess around with a bunch of custom tables, noises and fx chains!

By the way, to load the fx chains click again on the menu of Serum and select 'Load Effect Chain...'. These effect chains are meant to give you instant inspiration if you find yourself sound designing your own sounds and want to either give instant life to a raw sound or give a new character to an already made patch.

Bonus Tip: if you click 'Lock Effect Rack' you are able to try the same effect chains even when switching to a different preset!

Now the fun part! The whole purpose of my work this time was to bring forward the theme of the predecessor L O S T in order to explore a more futuristic and experimental side of electronica. Immerse yourself in a a new sonic world of edgy sequences, complex, mutating hybrid sounds, metallic basslines, sci-fi and cinematic pads, plucks, leads and much much more.

I've tried my best to make the presets as expressive and customizable as possible, in fact you will find all 4 macros assigned, including the special themed MEKKA macro to give new dimension and space to the patches, and the modulation wheel assigned too for a variety of modifications limited only by your creativity.

I truly hope you'll enjoy this pack as much as I did making it and find it as a good source of inspiration and experimentation. Feel free to share your creations with me by reaching me out on **Instagram** at

hydratek_official and I'll be super glad to hear and share what you come up with!

IMPORTANT: The presets and samples provided are royalty-free for commercial use in your projects. Reselling or unauthorized distribution of this content is forbidden.

Until next time..

Happy Music Making! 😊

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