9.2 Installing SMPTE/MIDI

9.2.1 Opening the controller

Unscrew the 6 screws of the right frontpannel.



Unplug the flatcable and power cable from the frontpannel and take it off.

9.2.2 Installing the XLR connectors

Unscrew the blind plate for the XLR connectors you want to install.

Install the connectors : Use M3x8 screws and M3 nuts



9.2.3 Installing the MIDI PCB

There are 2 brands of SMPTE/MIDI interfaces : Roland or MusicQuest MQX-32.



9.2.4 Installing the interface

First check the Dipswitch settings on the interface :

For the Roland interface :



For Music Quest MQX-32 interface :



Find an empty slot on the controllers mainboard and push the SMPTE interface in. Connect the cables.

Reinstall the frontplate. Use the lower 40 pin connector of the frontpannel, or the analogue faders won't work. Reconnect also the power.



9.2.5 Checking software

Before the mainprogram starts, a text must appear on the monitor :



If this text doesn't appear, check the file AUTOEXEC.BAT.(see 9.3) If the text says : CARD ABSEND OR NOT READY, there may be something wrong with the dipswitch settings (see 9.2.4).

If everything is OK, close the controller.

9.3 The Autoexec.bat file. Changing the keyboard layout.

MartinCase controllers can handle different keyboard layouts. Since the controllers are delivered all over the world, it is possible to connect your own national keyboard to the controller. When you connect a US keyboard on a controller configured for FR (france), the Q becomes A, the W becomes Z.... To change the keyboard layout of the controller : Go to DOS by pressing SHIFT + SETUP



The screen will show : C:\CASE> Now type : CD .. And press return The screen will show : C:\> Now type : EDIT AUTOEXEC.BAT

You are now in the editor and the file autoexec.bat will be shown on the screen : @ECHO OFF PATH C:\;C:\DOS;C:\CASE PROMPT \$P\$G MAKESWAP 5000 C:\CASE\SWAP >NULL (1) SET DPMI32=MAXMEM 32000 SWAPFILE C:\CASE\SWAP (2) KEYB BE (3) CD CASE CMOUSE SMPTE (4) LOGICASE

- (1) This line maybe doesn't exist on your controller or is different.
- (2) This line can contain something else on your controller
- (4) If no SMPTE/MIDI card is installed in your controller, this line will be : REM SMPTE
- (3) This line gives the keyboard layout. This line should be changed if you want to install another keyboar layout. If this line doesn't exists, just type it at this place.

US for QWERTY United States keyboards
UK for QWERTY United kingdom keyboards
GR for QWERTZ German keyboards
DK for QWERTY Danish keyboards
FR for AZERTY Franch keyboards

To save the changed file :

Change the **BE** into

Go with the tracker ball to the File option and select it with the tracker ball key. Now select the save option.

To exit the editor :

Go with the tracker ball to the File option and select it with the tracker ball key. Now select the Exit option.

Now restart the controller.