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Native Instruments announces NI ESSENTIALS

New producer package includes four acclaimed NI instruments plus guitar amp emulation of choice, with special limited-time upgrade offer

Berlin, October 7th 2005 – Native Instruments today announced NI ESSENTIALS, a new instrument collection that allows aspiring musicians and producers to get their hands on a powerful arsenal of acclaimed software instruments at a highly attractive bundle price.

NI ESSENTIALS offers a well-rounded and versatile selection of creative musical tools providing professional results for a wide range of styles and genres. The bundle includes the full versions of ABSYNTH 3, the award-winning semi-modular synthesizer; BATTERY 2, the versatile percussion sampler; PRO-53, the true-to-life emulation of the legendary Prophet 5 analog synthesizer; KOMPAKT, the versatile multi-format sampler that includes a comprehensive instrument library; and one amp emulation of choice from the GUITAR COMBOS series that includes the Plexi Combo, Twang Combo and AC-Box Combo, all derived from NI's groundbreaking GUITAR RIG amp emulation system.

The NI ESSENTIALS package includes the four software instruments on a single DVD, and contains a special license code that allows the download of an individual GUITAR COMBOS amp emulation from the NI website.