



# CRIME FUNDAMENTALS

SOUNDSET FOR  
U-HE ZEBRA 2

*WHATBAUDIO*

## **About:**

Crime Fundamentals is a dark and cinematic soundset of 188 patches for u-he's Zebra 2 software synthesizer inspired by shows like Marcella (Lorne Balfe), Blacklist (Dave Porter), Broadchurch (Ólafur Arnalds) or The Sinner (Ronit Kirchman) and also the works of John Powell (Bourne Series) or James Newton-Howard (Parkland).

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## **Designed with the crime drama genre in mind.**

Scoring a crime show or thriller movie asks for a vast range of styles and emotions. There is mystery, suspense and tension, sadness and despair but also hope and relief. There is murder, investigation, suspicion, interrogation, action, drama and the always ticking clock in a race against time.

Crime Fundamentals gives you a great set of tools to cover every aspect of a story in your work as a film composer. You will find deep and thumping basses, disturbed and emotional pads, simple and effective pulses, dark drones, quirky keys and mallets as well as a vast array of driving ticks to keep up the pace.

### **Simplicity is key**

I am a big believer in simplicity: The patches are easy to use and are designed to sound like a film score and sit in the mix and around the dialogue right out of the box. Every sound was made with a certain purpose in mind and you can only tweak them within a range that serves a scene or emotion best. They make no use of Zebra's X/Y-Pads to go berserk and break a scene - instead everything you need is in the Mod-Wheel. The sounds will always keep their cinematic and emotional character. In the description of each patch you will find a suggestion of how to use the patch the best way, what to play and what's the best tempo and keyrange. If you find an entry like:

Best Keyrange: C1 - C2

C1 refers to midi note number 36, C2 refers to midi note number 48, etc.

I hope you enjoy Crime Fundamentals as much as I did making these sounds and write great music with it!

-Andreas

### **The Patches:**

Crime Fundamentals contains 188 Patches

5 ARPs  
4 ATMOS  
28 BASSes  
8 CYCLEs  
4 CYMBals  
3 DRONEs  
4 DRUMs  
10 KEYS  
8 LEADs  
3 LOOPs  
4 MALLETs  
30 PADs  
27 PULSEs  
8 SEQuences  
12 SFXs  
3 SWELLs  
27 TICKYs

### **Installation:**

**Important Note:** This soundset works within u-he's Zebra 2 software synthesizer (of course you can also load and tweak the patches in the "Dark Zebra / ZebraHZ" Version of the Zebra plugin). The soundset can not be used in any other software synthesizer or plugin and does **not contain** any samples.

Zebra 2 is **not** a part of this package - a valid license must be purchased here: <https://u-he.com/products/zebra2/>

The patches have been created with Zebra 2 version 2.9.1 (REV.9709), make sure you have this or a later version installed.

Installing the soundset is pretty straightforward:

Unzip the „WhatabaudioCrimeFundamentals.zip“. Then locate your u-he preset folder and place a copy of the folder with the patches (the folder's name is: „whatabaudio - Crime Fundamentals“) there:

If you're on Windows locate your „Zebra2.data" folder here:  
C:\Users\\*YOUR USERNAME\*\Documents\u-he\Zebra2.data\  
Then go to ...\\Presets\Zebra2\

If you're on a Mac go here:  
.../Users/\*YOUR USERNAME\*/Library/Audio/Presets/u-he/Zebra2

### **The easy way**

If your u-he presets are located somewhere else, you can easily find them from within the Zebra 2 plugin: Open the preset browser and load a factory preset. Use a right click on the preset name and choose Open in Explorer (Windows) or Reveal in Finder (macOS). You will now be directed to the correct installation path. It is important to place new presets there so that Zebra 2 can find and show them in the preset browser. Refresh the preset browser you're ready to go!

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### **Full Patch List:**

ARP Asia.h2p  
ARP Changeling.h2p  
ARP Crime Plucks.h2p  
ARP Simpl.h2p  
ARP Thin Plucks.h2p  
ATMO Blurred Squares.h2p  
ATMO Loose Cables.h2p  
ATMO Minor Mood.h2p  
ATMO Predator.h2p  
BASS Cut Deep.h2p  
BASS Deepest Regrets.h2p  
BASS Deeply Noted (BPM).h2p  
BASS Detective (BPM).h2p

BASS Detective Pluck.h2p  
BASS Dirty Tonal Hit.h2p  
BASS Distorted Action Bass (BPM).h2p  
BASS Distorted Action Bass Soft (BPM).h2p  
BASS Interrogation Bass (BPM).h2p  
BASS Interrogation Bass Pluck.h2p  
BASS It's Coming Hard (BPM).h2p  
BASS It's Coming Soft (BPM).h2p  
BASS Lay down the Eights (BPM).h2p  
BASS Lay down the Quarters (BPM).h2p  
BASS Live Die Repeat 1 (BPM).h2p  
BASS Live Die Repeat 2 (BPM).h2p  
BASS Live Die Repeat 3 (BPM).h2p  
BASS Ongoing Robbery BPM.h2p  
BASS Overtones.h2p  
BASS Pulse Spike 100Hz (BPM).h2p  
BASS Reverse Feel (BPM).h2p  
BASS Simple Pluck Thinner.h2p  
BASS Simple Pluck.h2p  
BASS Surveillance (BPM).h2p  
BASS Surveillance Pluck.h2p  
BASS Time is running out (BPM).h2p  
BASS Unipolar (BPM).h2p  
BASS Urgent Bass (BPM).h2p  
CYCLE Disturbed Minds.h2p  
CYCLE Looking Back.h2p  
CYCLE Minor Chords.h2p  
CYCLE Motif.h2p  
CYCLE Pulsing Deeply.h2p  
CYCLE Rough Ride Fat.h2p  
CYCLE Rough Ride Soft.h2p  
CYCLE Strange Feelings.h2p  
CYMB Artificial Scrape.h2p  
CYMB Bright Bells Smooth.h2p  
CYMB Dark Cymbal Swipe.h2p  
CYMB Swelling.h2p  
DRONE Distorted Punishment.h2p  
DRONE Sub Movement.h2p

DRONE The Deep.h2p  
DRUM Baddest Hit w Delay.h2p  
DRUM CineSnare.h2p  
DRUM Crime Kick Short.h2p  
DRUM Crime Kick.h2p  
KEY Almost Piano Pluck Fat.h2p  
KEY Almost Piano Pluck Thin.h2p  
KEY Almost Piano Swelled.h2p  
KEY Distant Piano.h2p  
KEY Grimely Crime Piano.h2p  
KEY Heavily Stringed.h2p  
KEY Long Pluck.h2p  
KEY Rust n Bone.h2p  
KEY Step Three.h2p  
KEY Thin Key.h2p  
LEAD Crunch Lead Legato.h2p  
LEAD Direct Lead.h2p  
LEAD Distorted Wanderer.h2p  
LEAD Growl.h2p  
LEAD Heavytone.h2p  
LEAD Nervous Spikes.h2p  
LEAD String Alarm.h2p  
LEAD Tension Lead.h2p  
LOOP Cascade Noise.h2p  
LOOP Klick Pulse.h2p  
LOOP Thin and Dirty.h2p  
MALLET Bells from Hell.h2p  
MALLET Chucky's Toy Piano.h2p  
MALLET Detuned Bells.h2p  
MALLET Suspect One.h2p  
PAD Alone in the Alley.h2p  
PAD Church Pad FMed.h2p  
PAD Church Pad Pulsed.h2p  
PAD Cold Pulse.h2p  
PAD Confessed.h2p  
PAD Disturbed Movement.h2p  
PAD Gated Warm Pad.h2p  
PAD Glassworks.h2p

PAD High Energy Layer.h2p  
PAD High Glassy Pad.h2p  
PAD High Roller.h2p  
PAD Hollow Ghost.h2p  
PAD Hollow Spikes.h2p  
PAD Ice.h2p  
PAD in Heaven.h2p  
PAD It's complicated.h2p  
PAD Memory Lane Tuned.h2p  
PAD Murder Pad.h2p  
PAD Piano like Pad.h2p  
PAD Sad Movement.h2p  
PAD Saddest Pad.h2p  
PAD Suspicion Pad.h2p  
PAD Swipe Pad.h2p  
PAD The Hollows.h2p  
PAD The Ring Pulsed.h2p  
PAD Uneasy Cue Starter.h2p  
PAD Very Cold Pad.h2p  
PAD Warm but Bright.h2p  
PAD Warm Fear.h2p  
PAD Waves.h2p  
PULSE 2MSEGs.h2p  
PULSE Almost Bongos.h2p  
PULSE Almost Wurli.h2p  
PULSE Bassy Pulse.h2p  
PULSE Bouncing Chords.h2p  
PULSE Bright Chord Patterns.h2p  
PULSE Crime Loop.h2p  
PULSE Deep Sweller.h2p  
PULSE dETUNED.h2p  
PULSE Dirt Pulse.h2p  
PULSE Fingerprints.h2p  
PULSE Guitarlike.h2p  
PULSE Minor Chord Bed.h2p  
PULSE On the Run.h2p  
PULSE Ping Pong Balls.h2p  
PULSE Pulsator.h2p

PULSE SID.h2p  
PULSE Slow Springs.h2p  
PULSE Slow Swellers.h2p  
PULSE Spiky Chords.h2p  
PULSE Spring Rhythms.h2p  
PULSE Stranger Rhythm.h2p  
PULSE Team in Position.h2p  
PULSE Thin Bouncing Chords.h2p  
PULSE Thin Chord Patterns.h2p  
PULSE Thinned Out.h2p  
PULSE What is this.h2p  
SEQ Dualtone.h2p  
SEQ Fat EDM Bass.h2p  
SEQ Fill in Minor Thirds.h2p  
SEQ Movement Crazy.h2p  
SEQ Search and Enter.h2p  
SEQ Sine Ball Vari.h2p  
SEQ Sine Ball.h2p  
SEQ Urgent Chords.h2p  
SFX Ghost Apparel.h2p  
SFX Ghost Whisper.h2p  
SFX Make the Transition.h2p  
SFX Piano String Breaks 1.h2p  
SFX Piano String Breaks 2.h2p  
SFX Piano String Breaks 3.h2p  
SFX Piano String Breaks 4.h2p  
SFX Piano String Breaks 5.h2p  
SFX Rev FX.h2p  
SFX Tonal Trems.h2p  
SFX Unsweet Dreams.h2p  
SFX Weird Ending.h2p  
SWELL Grinded.h2p  
SWELL I Remember now.h2p  
SWELL Who's there.h2p  
TICKY Almost Shake 16th.h2p  
TICKY Almost Shake.h2p  
TICKY Blurred Lines.h2p  
TICKY Click Pulse.h2p

TICKY Crazy OSC Switch.h2p  
TICKY Fast Lane.h2p  
TICKY Fill in the Mids.h2p  
TICKY High Pitch Groove.h2p  
TICKY In the Middle.h2p  
TICKY Jungle Drum.h2p  
TICKY Noise Groove High 1.h2p  
TICKY Noise Groove High 2.h2p  
TICKY Noise Track.h2p  
TICKY Noisy Bouncer.h2p  
TICKY Offset Ticky.h2p  
TICKY Pan Tick.h2p  
TICKY Panned Noise Pulse.h2p  
TICKY Paper Cut.h2p  
TICKY Quirky Perc.h2p  
TICKY Remorse Swipe.h2p  
TICKY Squelch Tick.h2p  
TICKY Strum Noise.h2p  
TICKY Swiped Out 16th.h2p  
TICKY Swiped Out.h2p  
TICKY The Hunted.h2p  
TICKY The Sentinel.h2p  
TICKY Tik.h2p