### Key Benefits:

- Simplified, low-cost software solution
- Typical arrangement
  of six commonly-used
  filters
- Attacks a wide variety of common noises
- Dual-trace Spectrum Analyzer
- Mono or stereo audio processing
- Efficient CPU utilization, all processing focused on speech bandwidth
- VST 2.4 and AAX host environments supported

### **Best Uses:**

- Quick clean-up of audio from video surveillance
- Portable field operations (using a laptop computer)

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# QuickEnhance Plug-In

Simplified Speech Clarification Tool for Use in Audio/Video Editors



The QuickEnhance Plug-In provides six sequential stages of speech clarification filtering in a single plug-in that can be operated within many PC-based audio/video editor platforms, including Adobe Audition, MAGIX Sound Forge, Acon Acoustica, iZotope, Audacity, and Avid Media Composer. With an innovative user interface designed for simple, intuitive operation by novice and occasional users, QuickEnhance efficiently and effectively improves the intelligibility of voice recordings by reducing typical background noise sources such as hum, motors and fans, static, and hiss. Additionally, reverberations in speech can be reduced, and multi-band equalization can be applied to improve the final sound quality, with a final AGC stage compensating for near/far talker level differences in the clarified conversation.

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QuickEnhance is a simple, powerful speech clarification plug-in tool that can be easily added to most software editors that handle audio / video files. An intuitive interface provides a typical arrangement of six filters that are effective for reducing many real-world noises. Simply install this tool alongside any PC-based software that supports VST 2.4 or AAX plug-ins, and you will have a powerful speech clarification capability that you can begin using immediately with NO training required!

An effective and easy-to-use tool for quickly clarifying hard to understand audio recordings

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A dual-trace spectrum analyzer is included, allowing the user to visually compare the input and output audio in the frequency domain.

# The QuickEnhance Plug-In provides the following audio processing, over a voice bandwidth of approximately 7 kHz<sup>†</sup>:

- INPUT (Pre-processing of incoming audio)
  - 200 Hz Highpass Filter
  - Auto-Normalize (automatically adjusts audio level to normal range)
- SPECTRUM Analyzer
  - Dual-trace, 1000-band FFT analyzer,
  - Able to display both input and output spectral analysis at the same time
- HUM FILTER
  - Comb Filter with Automatic Tracking capability
  - Reduces 50-60Hz AC power, or "mains" hum
  - Able to adjust hum frequency over a range of 40 Hz to 75 Hz in increments less than 0.1 Hz
- ADAPTIVE NOISE REDUCTION
  - PREDICTABLE noise reduction section, able to reduce time-correlated noises such as motors and fans, also able to reduce reverberation in voice with Reverb feature enabled
    - RANDOM noise reduction section, able to reduce noises with broadband spectral patterns such as hiss and static
- 20-BAND GRAPHIC EQUALIZER
  - Slider controls allow user to shape the final frequency response for desired sound quality
- AGC (Automatic gain control)
  - Adjustable dynamic gain to compensate for near/far talkers in final clarified audio

Salient Sciences has tested the QuickEnhance Plug-In on multiple platforms. Upon request, a bundled solution that includes the recommended audio/video editor for the desired application can be provided.

#### System Requirements (minimum):

- Windows 7/8/10 PC (32-bit or 64-bit OS)
- 2 GB of RAM
- 2.4 GHz dual-core CPU
- 10 GB free disk space
- Software application capable of hosting VST 2.4 (32- or 64-bit) or AAX (64-bit only) plug-ins

 $^{\rm +}$  Supports audio files at all standard sample rates from 8000 Hz to 96000 Hz

NOTE: We do not support Mac platforms at this time.