Product information – Genesys

Genesys FireWire audio compatibility

FireWire is a legacy protocol and is not supported by Mac OSX 10.11+ and Microsoft Windows 10+

FireWire audio;

- The Genesys uses a FireWire chipset and driver which is not supported in OSX 10.11+ and Windows 10+
- The FireWire driver remains fully operational on OSX version 10.10 ('Yosemite') or below, with sample rates up to 192kHz
- The FireWire driver remains fully operational on Windows, versions 7, 8 & 8.1 at sample rates up to 192kHz

To connect the Genesys to a DAW running OSX 10.11+ ('El Capitan') or Microsoft Windows 10+, an interface with either AES or MADI is required to connect to the Genesys for audio transfer. FireWire audio operation remains available within the Genesys software but is only available on the external DAW software platforms detailed above.

MADI is capable of sample rates up to 96kHz on OSX and Windows and support for higher sample rates is being developed.