

WHAT IT DOES

CUE counts the bars until the next Arrangement locator and shows the number large enough to read from the far side of the room. It reads the locators already in your set, so there is nothing to set up.



SETTING UP

01 Keep the files together

CUE.amxd, cue.js and cue_ui.js must sit in the same folder. Max looks for the scripts next to the device.

02 Drop it on the Main track

CUE is an audio effect and passes the signal through untouched. It belongs where your playback comes together.

03 Name your locators

Right-click the strip above the timeline, insert a locator. The name is what shows up on the display.

04 Press OPEN DISPLAY

The button at the bottom right of the device. The window appears at 1280 x 720, stays above other applications and remembers where you put it. Drag it onto the screen that faces the stage, move the mouse in, press FULL. Escape brings the window back.



WHAT YOU SEE

Big number	Bars until the next locator.
Line below	The locator name.
Green band	Progress from the last locator to the next.
Tick band	All locators; green is the next one, bright is the playhead.
LEDs below	One per beat, the lit one is where you are; the one is amber.
Top right	Time to the next section, and the bar you are in.
Setlist rail	Pro: the next sections with their length in bars.
Everything blue	Inside the warning threshold. On the last bar the digit pulses with the beat.

CONTROLS

Double-click	On a tick in the band: jump there, quantised. On the number: open or close the window. A single click does nothing on purpose.
Chips	Mouse into the window: FULL (fullscreen on that screen, Escape brings it back) and MIRROR. Mouse out, gone.
WARN AT	How many bars ahead the display switches over. 0 to 64. Automatable like any Live parameter.
DISPLAY	Toggles the big window. Saved with the set.
DEMO / LICENSED	The chip top right. The demo is the whole device with a 60-second clock on the transport; then the display freezes and asks. Reload the set for another 60. Click the chip, enter the email you bought with and the serial, press Unlock: the clock is gone and the chip reads LICENSED. Saved as CUE-Pro.license next to the device.

WINDOW COMMANDS

These go to the js object inside the device. The pencil icon in the title bar opens CUE in Max; add a message box there and click it.

Drag the edge	The display follows the window. Pull it onto a second screen and size it to the room.
size 1920 1080	Window and canvas size, exactly.
full 1	Fullscreen on the screen the window sits on; full 0 back.
pos 1920 0	Position, e.g. onto the second screen.
mirror 1	Also blackout 1, full 1 - as messages, for MIDI mapping.
dump	Writes locators, tempo and window position to the Max console.

IF SOMETHING IS OFF

NO LOCATORS	None in the Arrangement yet. Right-click above the timeline.
Display blank	The scripts are not sitting next to the amxd file.
Wrong typeface	Install fonts/IBM Plex Mono from the download, restart Live.
Window hides	Stays above other apps, but not above full-screen ones.
Serial refused	Bound to your email, capitals do not matter.
Count wrong	Time-signature changes are undocumented in Live - tell us.