Testing audio plugins and UIs with Carla

(using version >= 2.0-beta4)
What is Carla?

- Modular Plugin Host
  - LADSPA, DSSI, LV2 and VST2

- Separate small CLI tools
  - Used for discovery and plugin bridging
carla-discovery

- **CLI Tool used to scan plugins**
  - Prints any useful info to the terminal

- **Can do small tests**
  - Load/Unload plugin several times
  - Single pass of audio and MIDI events
carla-bridges

- Load single plugin as JACK client
  - Easy testing of DSP + UI

- Load UIs separately from DSP
  - Easy testing without having to handle audio
See more of Carla at the workshop tomorrow!