

# MUSICAL FIDELITY

## A5 CD Player

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## OVERVIEW

In our opinion the A5 CD is the best player ever made. We know that sounds like an extreme claim but the A5 is incredibly sweet, clear with astonishing image width and depth. We know that a CD player offering value for money whilst claiming to be the best ever goes against the conventional wisdom that "if it costs more it must be better" but it's a fact. Forget the price and use your ears; the A5 CD is the best ever.

## FEATURES & BENEFITS

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| <b>24-bit 192k 8 times oversampled upsampling.</b> | Extraordinary insight into the shadows of recordings. |
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| <b>Very low jitter of about 135 pps, probably the best ever available.</b> | Exact resolution of all detail. |
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| <b>Extremely consistent distortion related bandwidth products.</b> | Extremely well balanced neutral, <i>realistic</i> sound. |
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| <b>Limited edition of 1,500 pieces.</b> | This is an exclusive product which will keep a good proportion of its value in years to come. |
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| <b>mu-Vista (6112) tube output stage.</b> | Contributes to the exquisite limpid sound. |
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## SPECIFICATIONS

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| <b>DAC architecture</b>                  | 24 bit Delta-Sigma (Bitstream)<br>Dual differential<br>8x oversampling<br>Valve (tube) output stages                                   |
| <b>Disc mechanism</b>                    | Philips  |
| <b>Upsampling</b>                        | 192kHz   |
| <b>Frequency response</b>                | 10Hz to 20kHz +0 / -0.2dB  |
| <b>Signal / noise ratio</b>              | > 113dB 'A' weighted   |
| <b>Total harmonic distortion</b>         | < 0.003% 10Hz to 20kHz   |
| <b>Total correlated jitter</b>           | < 135 pS   |
| <b>Channel separation</b>                | > 105dB 20Hz to 20kHz  |
| <b>Linearity</b>                         | < 0.1dB down to -96dB  |
| <b>Audio output at digital 0dB level</b> | 2.15VRMS at 1kHz nominal   |
| <b>Analog output</b>                     | 1 pair RCA connectors  |
| <b>Analog output impedance</b>           | 47 Ohms  |
| <b>Digital outputs</b>                   | 1 optical (Toslink),<br>1 S/PDIF (RCA connector)   |
| <b>Power requirements</b>                | 100 / 115 / 230V AC 50 / 60Hz (factory preset)<br>30 Watts   |
| <b>Dimensions (approximate)</b>          | 436mm, 17.2 inches wide<br>125mm, 4.9 inches high including feet<br>387mm, 15.3 inches deep including rear terminals and on/off button |
| <b>Weight</b>                            | 10.2kg, 22.5 lbs unit only, un-boxed<br>12.7kg, 28 lbs in shipping carton  |
| <b>Standard accessories</b>              | Remote control handset (universal type), 2 batteries size LR03 or AAA, manganese alkaline type, IEC mains lead (10 Amp type)           |