

## Pre<sub>2</sub> DAC Qx Highest performing pre amplifier with DAC for optimum sound quality

### Product Information:

Recognised by thirty years of awards and accolades, Cyrus consistently pushes the boundaries of audio technology. We're tirelessly working towards the ultimate hi-fi system, which will reproduce the sound and feeling of a live performance without any interference or loss of detail.

The Cyrus Pre<sub>2</sub> DAC Qx offers a sonic step up in performance from the Pre<sub>2</sub> DAC because of our superb sounding Qx DAC card. The Qx DAC sounds more open and detailed than ever with an ability to paint a captivating 3D image for your music.

One sound quality level up from an integrated amplifier is Cyrus' entry level preamp, designed to be partnered with one of our matching power amplifiers. By separating the preamp into its own chassis and providing a dedicated power supply the preamp can resolve more detail. Complete with a built-in DAC, the preamp is compatible with a very wide range of sources such as CD players, streamers or your TV digital audio out.

### Pre<sub>2</sub> DAC Qx features and benefits

#### Trickle Down Advanced Technology:

The Pre<sub>2</sub> DAC Qx delivers surprising audio performance and value because it is based on the advanced preamplifier circuitry from the DAC XP Signature; benefitting from a 'trickle down' of our most advanced technology.

#### Pre Amplifier:

The Pre<sub>2</sub> DAC Qx offers a sonic step up in performance from our integrated amplifiers. This is achieved because the pre amplifier circuitry has its own power supply. The internal power supply provides isolation from the demands of other system elements, making available an additional level of dynamics and resolution.

#### Integrated 'Qx' DAC:

The Pre<sub>2</sub> DAC Qx features a high performance 'Qx' 24/192 DAC bringing optical and coaxial inputs and a driverless USB connection allowing plug and play connectivity to a PC or Laptop. The 'Qx' DAC is a truly advanced design bringing in dual mono, upsampling DAC design from the DAC XP Signature.

#### Essential Connectivity:

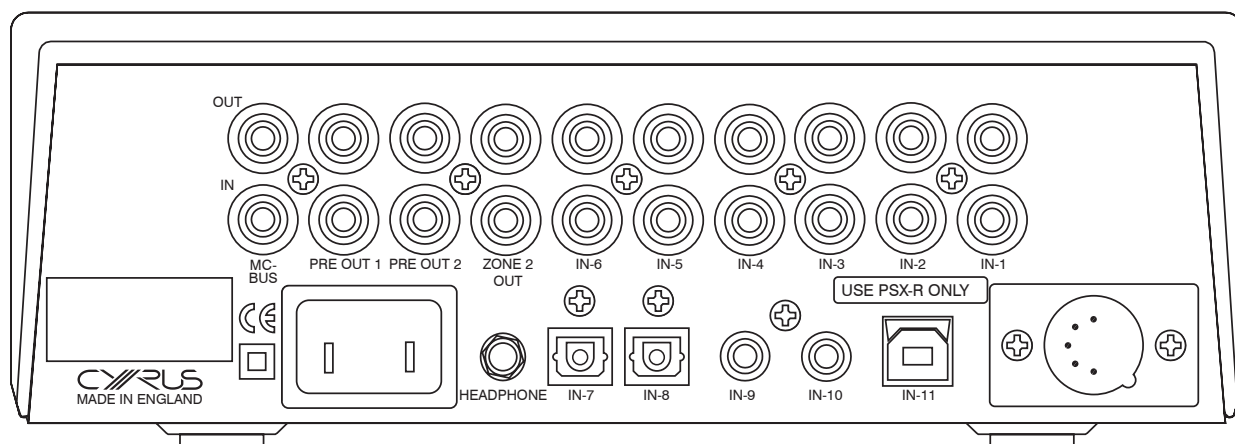
Six analogue inputs, a high quality headphone amplifier, Zone 2 and pre amplifier output give the Pre<sub>2</sub> DAC Qx flexibility for connecting a wide variety of audio devices. There is also a PSX-R port on the Pre<sub>2</sub> DAC Qx allowing connectivity of the instant upgrade off-board power supply.

#### Advanced Setup:

The microprocessor controlled operating system in the Pre<sub>2</sub> DAC Qx allows extensive programming of many functions within the unit. Input naming, differing display readouts and input volume matching across all sources are just some of the possibilities.



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All Cyrus components are manufactured in an advanced die-cast aluminium chassis and this hand finished casework is an integral part of the products' sound. It's not just about good looks; the chassis composition is specifically designed to create an electronically shielded and mechanically vibration-free environment for the sensitive audio circuits which are hung inside the inverted chassis, avoiding unwanted electric currents and secondary magnetic fields so the sound you hear is the very best that it can be.

### Suggested Systems

Pre<sub>2</sub> DAC Qx + X Power



Pre<sub>2</sub> DAC Qx + Stereo 200 + PSX- R<sub>2</sub>



### Pre<sub>2</sub> DAC Qx Specifications

Dedicated pre amplifier

DAC Qx card (24/192)

Custom input naming

iR14 Remote control included

5 digital / 6 analogue inputs

USB input

Pre out

Zone 2 output

Headphone amplifier

Dimensions (H x W x D) – 73 x 215 x 360 mm

Weight – 5kg



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