

## MUSICAL FIDELITY



# MX-HPA Balanced Headphone Amplifier

Ultra High Performance Headphone Amplifier

**Years of experience in making high quality headphone amps have been distilled into the design of the MX-HPA. As a result, this fully-balanced headphone amp offers an awe-inspiring listening experience.**

The MX-HPA's technical performance is stunning. Typically, distortion from 20 Hz to 40 kHz is less than 0.005%. Signal-to-noise ratio is better than 120dB ('A' weighted). Frequency response is ruler flat from 10 Hz to 20 kHz (-0.1dB).

The MX-HPA is capable of a short-term peak of 10 watts (for one cycle) and has two gain positions: 18dB (8X) and 24dB (15X). Inputs are either balanced or single-ended. The MX-HPA will automatically convert single-ended inputs to balanced. The MX-HPA is genuinely fully balanced from beginning to end.

### MX-HPA In Brief

- Fully balanced, studio design, purist headphone amplifier
- Incredible technical performance
- Will drive any headphone with ease
- Wide bandwidth: 10Hz-40kHz at +0, -3dB
- Very low noise
- Very low distortion: < 0.003%, 20Hz to 20kHz
- Outstanding channel separation
- Powerful, muscular, output into 32 ohms
- Beautiful aesthetics and build quality

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## SPECIFICATION

### Output

Power 1.8 Watts per channel into 8 Ohms (27dBW)  
Maximum output voltage 19 Volts RMS, 20Hz to 20 kHz  
Onset of clipping (54 Volts peak-to-peak) balanced

### Line input

THD+N >0.005% typical, 20Hz to 20 kHz  
Signal / noise ratio >120dB 'A'-weighted  
Input impedance 50k Ohms  
Frequency response +0, -0.1dB, 10Hz to 20 kHz  
Gain, LO position (volume max) 18dB (8x)  
Gain, HI position (volume max) 24dB (15x)

### Connections

Line level inputs  
1 pair line level XLR (balanced) connectors  
1 pairs line level RCA connectors  
Headphone outputs  
1 pair 3-pin XLR/¼" stereo Jack combined sockets

### Power requirement

Mains voltages 90-250VAC 50-60Hz universal worldwide supply  
Consumption >0.25 Watts standby (Orange LED lit)  
15 Watts maximum (Blue LED lit, full power output)

### General

Dimensions - WxHxD (mm): 220 (8<sup>2</sup>/<sub>3</sub>" ) x 53 (2") x 240 mm (9<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>" )  
Weight (unpacked / packed): 2.2 kg (5 lbs) / 3.7 kg (8<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> lbs)