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INTRODUCING LE PLAYER 3+, THE CLASSICA RANGE BY METRONOME IS NOW COMPLETE

With the CD Transport Le Player 3 already on the market since May 2020, Le Player 3+ completes the Classica range of Métronome with a super DAC & CD Player hybrid. Same classic design and improved electronics to deal with DSD up to 512 in native form: no DoP and no systematic resampling in Métronome devices!

After Le Player 3 arrived in the shops last May, the "Plus" version completes the Classica range with an integrated CD Player, or more precisely a DAC and CD Player hybrid, since the versatility of the device allows it to be perfect in both uses. In its elegant

and timeless outfit, Le Player 3+ is the perfect device for all the music lovers who listen to computer music and thus need an excellent DAC, but who also listen their old CDs from time to time.

The D/A converter is available through asynchronous USB supporting PCM up to 32 bits / 384 kHz and DSD up to 512. With the S/P DIF input supporting PCM up to 24 / 192, Le Player 3+ DAC will be able to connect to most streamers or servers, or more generally all digital sources.

Le Player 3+ also comes with the improved pickup mechanism introduced with Le Player 3: new decoupling system and the "Pickup Box" enclosure reducing the parasitic noises from the transport. A future unmissable...

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LE PLAYER 3+, Retail Price: 6,000.00 euros Available in Silver and Black finishes



Jean Marie Clauzel, Owner and Designer of Metronome Technologie, comments: "Now I'm really proud with the Classica range, which is completed by a CD Transport, a DAC, and a hybrid, respectively Le Player 3, Le DAC and Le Player 3+. Despite the situation we face since the beginning of 2020, Métronome goes on innovating, and this is not coming to an end!"



TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS OF LE PLAYER 3+

Pickup mechanism:

Philips GF8 customized by Métronome, encapsulated in the "Pickup Box"

Resolution:

32 bits / 384 kHz dual-mono, 1 internal D/A converter (AK4493)

Digital inputs:

Asynchronous USB type B S/P DIF 75 Ohms RCA connector

Analogic outputs:

Unbalanced 2.5 V RMS @0dB – 47 kOhms, RCA connectors Balanced 2.5 V RMS @0dB – 600 Ohms, XLR connectors

Power supply:

3 toroidal transformers with Schaffner filters, 7 independent regulation lines Voltage: 100 – 120/240 V – 50/60 Hz

Accessories: Métronome remote, Delrin cones

Other characteristics:

Consumption: 35 VA

Dimensions (LxHxP): 450 x

115 x 435 mm Weight: **11 Kg**

• Finishes: Black or Silver



About Metronome Technologie:

Métronome is a French high-end audio manufacturer. Our aim is to offer audio enthusiasts a universe where the sound is king, where it is real. Designed and hand-made in France, our products will satisfy most discerning music lovers with incredible technical performances and quality of sound, approved by international reviewers.

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