

# Lifestyle® 38

DVD HOME ENTERTAINMENT SYSTEM

**Our most popular Lifestyle® system with the uMusic™ intelligent playback system.**

*Bose® Lifestyle® home entertainment systems strive to deliver an unparalleled combination of performance, elegance, simplicity, and expandability throughout your home.*



## PRODUCT POSITION

Our most popular Lifestyle® home entertainment system that features the uMusic intelligent playback system and CD content storage capabilities. It includes a suite of innovative Bose technologies designed to enhance the home entertainment experience:

- Integrated system design
- Ability to store approximately 200 hours of music
- uMusic intelligent playback system
- Direct/Reflecting® cube speaker arrays (Now available in Silver)
- ADAPTiQ® audio calibration system
- Radio frequency universal remote control
- Enhanced multi-room expansion with Bose® link

## REASONS TO OWN A LIFESTYLE® 38 SYSTEM

- You enjoy watching movies and listening to music.
- You have invested in a large CD collection.
- You would appreciate an easier way to manage your music collection.
- The ability to enjoy audio in other areas of your home is important to you.
- You value audio performance, elegance in design, and simplicity of operation.

FEATURE	FUNCTION	BENEFIT
Lifestyle® integrated systems design	Every element is designed to work in harmony with the others - efficiently and simply.	Delivers performance and simplicity unmatched by conventional systems.
Integrated music storage system	Digitally stores and organizes approximately 200 hours of music within the Lifestyle® media center.	Enables all your music CDs to be organized inside the elegant media center and accessible at the touch of a button. Eliminates the need to alphabetize and stack your collection.
uMusic™ intelligent playback system	The uMusic system is an intelligent technology that applies insights gained from learning your music listening habits, along with detailed information about your music collection, to create a personalized music database.	A better way of managing your music.  Becomes a personal music manager that serves up the music you want, when you want it, effortlessly.  No menus. No need to create playlists. No computer required.

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ADAPTiQ® audio calibration system	Technology that automatically customizes the sound of the system to the room.	Allows greater freedom of speaker placement. Eliminates the need to adjust tonal controls for great sound. Ensures that every Lifestyle® DVD system delivers a quality Bose performance in any room.
Acoustimass® module with Bose® proprietary technology	Allows prodigious airflow at the lowest frequencies without port compression or other audible artifacts.	Delivers a reproduction of pure, deep low notes without audible distortion. Enables the module to be hidden almost anywhere in the room, while the sound seems to come from the cube speakers.
Direct/Reflecting® speaker technology	Re-creates a natural blend of reflected and direct sound.	Delivers more open, spacious sound throughout the listening area.
Integrated DVD player with progressive scan technology	Provides access to the most popular content, including: DVD video, CD, CD-R, CD-RW, VCD, PCM, digital 5.1, MP3 files, MPEG-2.	Integrated A/V solution provides playback of today's most popular audio and video content.
Bose Videostage® 5 decoding and post-processing circuitry	Delivers a five-channel speaker performance regardless of the listening material.	Allows listening material including DVD, CD, VHS, and even mono recordings to be played in surround sound.
Digital 5.1 decoding	Delivers five-plus-one discrete channels of audio from digital 5.1-encoded material, including DVD, Dolby® Digital, DTS®, DSS, HDTV.	Provides improved realism from 5.1-encoded DVDs, DSS or HDTV.
Proprietary integrated signal processing circuitry	Automatically adjusts tonal balance at lower listening levels.	Delivers rich sound and clear dialogue at lower listening levels.
Control integration <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Universal radio frequency remote</li><li>• TV sensor</li></ul>	Lifestyle® system radio frequency remote control operates popular functions on other IR-receiving equipment attached to the home entertainment system: TV, VCR, cable box, satellite receiver, personal video recorders and CD changers.	Allows one easy-to-use remote to control the entire home entertainment system.  TV sensor makes turning on the home entertainment system a one-button operation.
Bose® link <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Multi-room expansion with dual-stream audio</li></ul>	Allows seamless hookup to Bose speaker solutions and systems for whole-house options.  Provides expandability with multi-source/multi-room capability (14 additional rooms maximum)	Enables Lifestyle® systems to integrate with other Bose® link-enabled products to provide sound and basic control functions in secondary rooms of the home, including outdoors.  Enables two different sources to be playing in two different areas at the same time. Allows 15 different rooms to have independent volume and mute control.

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## SPECIFICATIONS

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### Warranty

A written, limited one-year transferable warranty.

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### Dimensions/weight

**Direct/Reflecting® cube speaker arrays:** 6¼"H x 3"W x 4"D (15.7 x 7.8 x 10.2 cm), 2.4 lbs (1.1 kg).

**Media center:** 3¼"H x 15¼"W x 11½"D (9.4 x 39.9 x 29.2 cm), 9 lbs (4.1 kg).

**Acoustimass® module:** 16¼"H x 25"W x 8¼"D (40.9 x 63.4 x 20.6 cm), 38 lbs (17.3 kg)

**Remote control:** 1½"H x 2¼"W x 9¾"L (2.6 x 5.7 x 23.1 cm), 7 oz (0.2 kg).

**System in carton:** 20"H x 28"W x 19"D (50.8 x 71.1 x 48.3 cm), 84 lbs (38 kg).

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### Driver complement

**Direct/Reflecting® cube speaker arrays:** Two magnetically shielded 2½" (6.4 cm) wide-range drivers.

**Acoustimass module:** Two 5½" woofers in Acoustimass module.

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### Color

**Cube speaker arrays:** Black, White, Silver.

**Media center:** Aluminum.

**Acoustimass module:** Black, White (Black only with Silver cube speakers).

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### Bose® link expandability options

#### 1) Speakers with Bose® link-enabled Lifestyle® SA-2 or SA-3 amplifier:

##### Outdoor:

151® SE environmental speakers

251® environmental speakers

Free Space® 51 environmental speakers

##### Indoor:

161™ speakers

201® V speakers

301® V speakers

#### 2) Bose® link-enabled systems:

3-2-1 system, 3-2-1GS system

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### Optional multi-room accessories

**Floor Stands:** UFS-20 B, W, S

**Table Stands:** UTS-20 B, W, S

**Wall Brackets:** UB-20 B, W, S

**Amplifiers:** SA-2, SA-3, Expansion kit

**Controllers:** Personal® music center II, RC-38S remote