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Zphono XRM Phono Preamp

\$595 US MSRP

The Zphono XRM is Parasound's latest phono preamplifier which combines high performance with unprecedented versatility and a price that fills the gap between our popular \$200 Zphono and internationally acclaimed \$1495 JC 3 Jr. We built the Zphono XRM for vinyl lovers willing to spend \$1000-\$1500 to upgrade their entry-level turntable/cartridge, but not interested in spending \$800 or more to upgrade their phono preamp. Most phono preamps don't give buyers what they really want: convenient on-the-fly impedance adjustment for MC cartridges, a switchable rumble filter, a stereo-mono switch and balanced XLR outputs. Many phono preamps use "wall warts" that are inferior to the Zphono XRM's high-capacity, low-noise, linear power supply. The Zphono XRM is powerful proof of Parasound's continuing support of the vinyl renaissance.

- Signal to Noise Ratio, MM 40 dB Setting
 - > 94 dB, input shorted, IHF A-weighted
 - > 90 dB, input shorted, unweighted
- Signal to Noise Ratio, MM 50 dB Setting
 - > 94 dB, input shorted, IHF A-weighted
 - > 90 dB, input shorted, unweighted
- Signal to Noise Ratio, MC 50 dB Setting
 - > 92 dB, input shorted, IHF A-weighted
 - > 88 dB, input shorted, unweighted
- Rumble Filter 40 Hz high pass, 18 dB /octave
- RIAA accurate to within 0.2 dB
- Ultra-low distortion <0.02% THD
- MC 50-1050 ohms variable impedance adjustment
- MC Gain options of 50 dB or 60 dB unbalanced (56 dB / 66 dB balanced)
- Dual inputs for two turntables (1 MM & 1 MC)
- Front panel turntable Input Select switch
- Front panel Mono/Stereo Mode switch
- Front panel Rumble Filter switch
- Balanced XLR and unbalanced RCA outputs
- Ultra high-speed, low-noise op amps
- Audiophile-grade resistors and capacitors