

Pro-Ject DAC Box DS

D/A converter with asynchronous USB

DAC Box DS seems to have hardly in common with their little brothers. All 3 inputs (coax, optical, USB) support 24bit/192KHz and USB additionally offers asynchronous mode. To reach maximum resolution a special driver is needed, which comes on CD.

A fine writing display shows all about current status and digital filter settings have some minor effects on sound result. The second filter sounded a bit more musical, so we liked this setting most.

Compared with small DAC Box S USB sound space was far more impressive and balanced. DAC Box DS is worlds apart from the somewhat dull character of DAC



Box FL. In contrary. DAC Box DS offers a wide and tangible soundstage and music flows all around the speakers.

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VERDICT

Around €420, Warranty 2 years
 Dimensions: 10 x 4 x 10 cm
 Contact: www.project-audio.com

Supple, velvety and extremely balanced, DAC Box DS is the most sophisticated DAC from Pro-Ject's Box series. Digital filter Circuits allow sound adaptation.

STEREO-TEST

SOUND LEVEL DAC	75%
SOUND LEVEL USB	74%

PRICE vs PERFORMANCE



OUTSTANDING