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Zcd CD player with MP3 playback

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Ultra-compact player for CDs and MP3 files on a USB flash drive



The new Parasound Zcd is an ultra-compact CD player with far more features than most full sized players. The Zcd plays MP3s from a CD-R or a USB flash drive. Its analog volume control enables you to combine the Zcd with our Zamp v.3 power amplifier for a truly high end compact stereo system without the need for a separate preamp.

The Zcd includes a composite video output to view and select MP3 files. For installation flexibility there are simultaneous fixed and variable level analog outputs as well as coax and optical digital outputs. A 3.5mm analog line input jack makes it easy to integrate any portable MP3 player or smartphone into your system even without a preamp.

The Zcd has a 12 volt trigger input which allows a preamp to turn the Zcd on and off automatically. A 12 volt trigger output can trigger a power amp on. Full operation is possible by the included remote control or 1-way RS-232 or rear panel IR input.

The combination of unique features and compact size makes the Zcd perfect for a wide variety of applications. Like all the products in our Z custom line-up, the front panel is half a standard rack width and can lock together with another Z custom product for use in a standard rack. From high end desk top systems to custom AV solutions the Zcd can do it all.

TYPICAL APPLICATIONS

- Use with a Sonos® player for CD playback
- Use with a Zamp v.3 for a hi-performance system
- Compact size allows for use in small spaces
- Rack mount for unique custom AV solutions



Features:

- Plays MP3s from CD-R or USB flash drive
- Built in analog volume control for use without a preamp
- Composite video output to view MP3 file names
- Optical and Coaxial digital outputs
- Simultaneous fixed and variable analog outputs
- Rear panel 3.5mm input for portable MP3 player or smartphone
- Three turn on options (manual, 12V trigger, AC)
- 12 Volt trigger output for turning on power amp
- Remote control included (shown on right)
- Rear panel IR input and 1-way RS232 serial port
- Unique half-rack width chassis; 1 rack space high
- Shipping weight: 8 lbs., net weight: 5 lbs.

Specifications:

Frequency Response: 20 Hz - 20 kHz, +0/-1 dB

THD Distortion: < 0.02% at 20 Hz

S/N Ratio: > 98 dB, IHF A-weighted

Crosstalk: >75 dB at 20 kHz

Maximum Output Level: 2.0 Volts

Output Impedance: < 60 Ω

AC Power Requirement: 110-130 VAC, 60 Hz or 220-240 VAC, 50 Hz (15 Watts)

(Voltage must be set inside unit)

Dimensions (WxDxH): = 9.5" (242 mm) X 10" (254 mm) X 2" (51 mm)

Weight: Net: 5 lbs. (2.3 kg) / Shipping: 8 lbs. (3.6 kg)

Rack Mount Accessory (purchased separately):

- SBS – Side by Side mounting bracket for locking two Z custom units together
- Zblank – Blank panel extender for mounting one Z unit in a standard rack space
- Zrack – Half width desktop rack perfect for up to 5 Parasound Z components



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