

Solstice Special Edition Phono Stage



Solstice Special Edition is the first turntable in Naim Audio's almost 50-year history. Lovers of the organic authenticity of vinyl can now enjoy it with the musical purity and passion only a Naim system can deliver. Limited to just 500 units, this Special Edition includes the Solstice turntable, a next-generation version of the iconic Naim Aro tonearm, an Equinox MC cartridge, Solstice Series Phono Stage, Power Supply and bespoke accessories set.

The Solstice Series phono stage is a sophisticated, ultra-low-noise Class A design with dedicated MC and MM head-amplifiers.

It is a glorious-sounding phono stage, which is also easy and flexible to use. It references previous Naim designs, such as SuperLine, but also our engineering pinnacle – the Statement amplifier.

The Solstice Series Phono Stage is the first to feature the Discrete Regulators (DR) developed for that flagship – providing a smooth, stable power supply that is crucial for next-level performance. For greater flexibility, fly-by-wire input switching,

loading and gain were included. Fly-by-wire allows the controls to be conveniently located on the rear panel and the internal circuits ideally placed for optimal performance. You can use these controls on the go, for fast tuning: with 16 resistive and 16 capacitive loading settings, there are 256 possible tuning combinations for moving-coil (MC) cartridges.

Internally, MM and MC inputs have their own dedicated head-amplifiers, including an all-new, Class A MC design, configured to be inherently ultra-low noise - the only sound you hear is what's on your records.

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Parameter	Solstice Series Phono Stage Switchable MM/MC phono stage with MC load adjustment	
	MM	MC (low & high gain)
Model Code	NVC TT	
Gain	42dB	61dB low gain and 67dB high gain (switchable)
Signal to noise ratio	83dB ref 5mV A-wtd	84dB ref 0.5mV A-wtd (both gain settings)
RIAA accuracy	+/-0.1dB	
IEC cut	(Partial) – 2dB at 20Hz and -3dB at 14Hz	
Cross talk	>75dB	
Max output signal	8Vrms	
THD+N	<0.005% ref 50mV input	<0.005% ref 1.5mV input
Loading	47kΩ and 100pF	1000Ω, 600Ω, 430Ω, 330Ω, 250Ω, 215Ω, 185Ω, 165Ω, 150Ω, 140Ω, 125Ω, 115Ω, 105Ω, 100Ω, 90Ω, 85Ω 100pF, 400pF, 700pF, 1000pF, 1300pF, 1600pF, 1900pF, 2200pF, 2500pF, 2700pF, 3100pF, 3400pF, 3700pF, 4000pF, 4300pF, 4600pF
Headroom	22dB ref 5mV input	23dB ref 0.5mV input low gain setting, 17dB ref 0.5mV high gain setting
Power Supply input connector	Type 1	
Audio input	Stereo RCA	Stereo RCA
Audio output	Stereo RCA, 5 pin DIN, 8 pin DIN	
Front Panel	Clear Acrylic	
Naim Logo	White illuminated	
Logo Brightness setting	3 position switch - High, Medium. Low	
Power input	+/-18V DC @300mA	
Dimensions (H x W x D)	70mm x 214mm x 329mm	
Weight	3.4kg	