



Press Release, May 2011: Pro-Ject Announce Debut S/E3 Turntable

Henley Designs are delighted to announce yet another UK-exclusive from Pro-Ject Audio Systems, the internationally renowned manufacturer of analogue turntables and Hi-Fi micro-electronics. The *Pro-Ject Debut S/E3* sees the continuation of the Vienna-based company's twenty-year ethic of high-quality Hi-Fi at an affordable price.

The Pro-Ject Debut has been an internationally respected and extremely popular domestic turntable since its inception in 1999 and is now in its third re-incarnation. However, the Debut S/E3 is set to take all the impressive specifications of the current model, and improve on them even further.

First and foremost, Pro-Ject are highly regarded for their attention to design, and the Debut S/E3 is no exception. Using the traditional rectangular plinth design, the turntable is finished in a high-quality Piano Black coat, as found on many of Pro-Ject's higher-end players.

However, it is within the improved mechanics that the Debut S/E3 really shows its advances. The deck boasts a new 12" platter, compared to the standard 10" on the original Debut III. There's also the same arm as the original model, except it uses a better bearing set for improved performance. There is an upgraded motor employed in the Debut S/E3, which benefits from a new suspension system – decoupling the motor from the plinth to reduce the transmission of unnecessary resonance. Similarly, the use of a new rounded belt with a smaller form factor allows for minimal contact area between the motor and the sub-platter. Finally, the Debut S/E3 employs a junction box on its underside, allowing users to upgrade their turntable interconnects, to suit their preferences.

The Debut S/E3 is supplied with a pre-fitted Ortofon Super OM10. The Super OM10 uses the highly respected and long-standing Stylus 10, but it is mounted into an improved cartridge body, compared to the OM5e (as found on the standard Pro-Ject Debut).

The Pro-Ject Debut S/E3 is available from May, 2011 with a SRP of £250.00.

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