

Product Announcement

Roksan Radius 7

The ultimate contemporary vinyl experience.

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Roksan Audio's award-winning Radius turntable has earned an enviable reputation over the years as an audiophile record player that delivers phenomenal sound from a visually striking device. Now, utilising new technology and design materials in order to take the aesthetic appeal, technical performance and musicality up several notches, the London-based company are proud to unveil the latest version of their coveted design: Radius 7.

Roksan Audio are acknowledged around the world as pioneers of analogue technology, with over thirty years of experience and success in the market, starting with their iconic Xerxes record player. The Radius 7 is the latest step in this story, offering renewed excitement and refinement from a tried and tested design model, with considerable improvements in overall performance.

The Radius 7's Perspex construction boasts the same innovative, decoupled dual-layer plinth design but in a new precision-machined 'glass-effect' finish. The new look raises the visual appeal to another level while still offering a solid, reliable base for the separate turntable components to perform fully. The same striking shape of the plinth layers remains, but as with previous Radius designs this is not only to help the look, but also to control resonance and reduce effective mass.

The decoupled drive motor employed in the Radius 7 is a completely new design, engineered from scratch using trickle-down technology from Roksan Audio's flagship speed control for the Xerxes record player, the RPM. It's an exceptionally precise device, featuring a very high accuracy, temperature-compensated crystal speed control system, which maintains pitch-perfect speed stability for both 33 and 45rpm, irrespective of voltage variations. The added benefit to this new system is manifest in the new aluminium alloy pulley, which utilises a single rung; as the Radius 7 is capable of automatic speed changing. To add further visual appeal, a bright yet un-intrusive LED is built-in underneath the motor assembly and illuminates either blue (33rpm) or red (45rpm) to show the current platter speed.

The Radius 7 boasts the same acrylic platter as the Radius 5.2. The platter provides a neutral base for the playing record, letting the original recording do the talking. The platter rotates on a precision-machined hardened steel bearing ball that sits within a brass housing that contains Roksan's LX-7 bearing oil, with ultra-low friction properties for reduced resonance.

In the UK, the Radius 7 is supplied as standard with the popular Roksan Nima tonearm. The Nima is a low-friction, uni-pivot design that allows any pick-up cartridge to navigate the groove accurately to a fine tolerance. The Nima is carefully assembled by hand and boasts the same internal wiring as Roksan's previous flagship tonearm, the Artemiz. The end-result is a much-desired tonearm that's easily at home on any high-end record player.

Though the Radius 7's design focuses on technologies that assist in a 'true', neutral sound reproduction, Roksan Audio's extensive knowledge of high-quality audio has allowed them to stamp their subtle, yet highly-desirable, sound signature on the player. The result is a sound-stage that not only offers depth, width and detail, but one that musically engages with the listener – ensuring maximum satisfaction.

SRP £1,900.00

The Radius 7 will be available in the UK from March 2016.

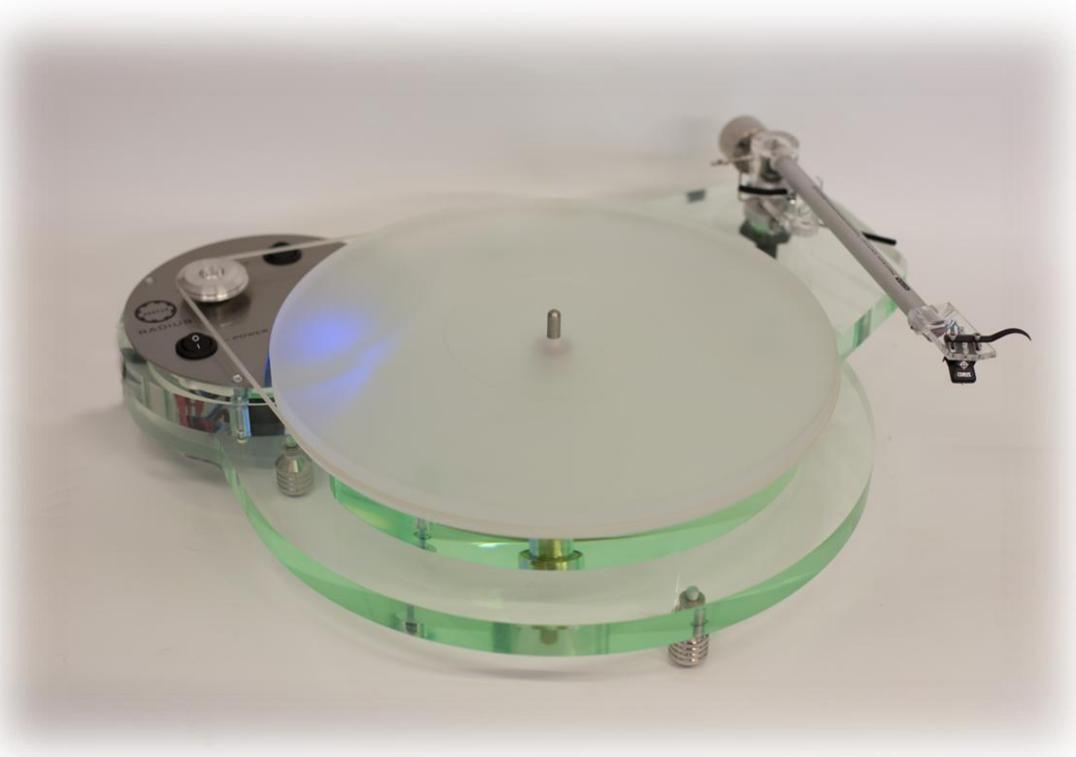
Technical Information

Radius 7

Main Bearing Spindle:	Precision-machined stainless steel
Main Bearing Housing:	Precision-machined solid brass
Main Bearing Ball:	Precision case hardened steel
Pulley:	Precision-machined aluminium alloy
Platter:	Precision-machined acrylic
Motor:	Custom-made 24 pole synchronous
Speeds:	33.3 & 45 rpm
Power:	90-240V / 50-60 Hz
Rumble:	< -75dB
Wow & Flutter:	< 0.04%
Dimension (W x D x H):	400 x 350 x 150mm
Weight:	7kg

Nima Tonearm

Bearing:	Stainless Steel Unipivot
Bearing Yoke:	Acrylic
Arm Tube:	Aluminium Alloy
Headshell:	Acrylic
Effective Length:	240mm
Overhang:	17.5mm
Headshell Offset Angle:	22.9°
Effective Mass:	10g
Mounting Hole Diameter:	23mm
Recommended Cartridge Weight:	5 – 12g
Recommended Tracking Weight:	1.5 – 3.5g



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About Roksan Audio

Since their formation in 1985 and through to the modern day, *Roksan Audio* has always been associated with high-end hi-fi. The iconic Xerxes turntable was their first product, and since then a full range of quality turntables and electronics has been released from their UK-based headquarters.

Everything Roksan produce is firmly associated with prestige, quality and excellent sound performance. From the iconic Kandy and Caspian ranges, through to the revolutionary Oxygene series, Roksan are at the forefront of good British hi-fi.



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