

SONORE by Simple Design

the sound has to be in concert with the music....

WHAT WE DO: We offer a select line of products to improve your computer audio listening experience.

DSD Ready Devices	DoP Input	Native DSD Input	DSD64	DSD128	DoP Digital Output	Native DSD Digital Output	Price USD	Comments	Website
Auralic Vega	USB		Yes				\$3,500.00		http://www.auralic.com/
Ayre QB-9 DSD	USB		Yes			No	TBD	DSD update coming soon	http://www.ayre.com
Ayre DX-5 DSD	USB	via SACD disk	Yes				TBD	DSD update coming soon	same
Benchmark DAC2 HGC	USB, digital inputs	No	Yes	No	SPDIF	No	\$1,995.00		http://www.benchmarkmedia.com/
Chord Electronics Ltd. QuteHD	USB		Yes				\$1,795.00		http://www.chordelectronics.co.uk/
Chord Electronics Ltd. QBD76 HDSD	USB		Yes				\$8,500.00	w/ DSD option	http://www.chordelectronics.co.uk/
dCS Debussy DAC	USB		Yes				\$11,000.00		http://www.dcsLtd.co.uk/
dCS Paganini DAC	USB		Yes				\$17,999.00		same
dCS Vivaldi DAC	USB		Yes				\$34,999.00		same
EMM Labs DAC2X	USB	EMM Optilink	Yes	Up samples			\$15,500.00		http://www.emmlabs.com/
Esoteric D-03	USB		Yes				\$13,999.00		http://esoteric.teac.com/dacs/d-03/
exaSound Audio Design e20 DAC	No	USB (ASIO)	Yes	Yes			\$2,499.00	Exasound ASIO driver	http://www.exasound.com/
Fostex HP-A8C	SD card		Yes				\$1,995.00		http://www.fostexinternational.com/docs/products/HP-A8C.shtml
Harmony AX-D1									http://ntw-aiwa.co.jp/review.html
Korg DS-DAC-10	No	USB (ASIO)	Yes	Yes			\$699.00	PC only, Mac to follow	http://www.korg.co.jp/Product/Audio/DS-DAC-10/
Korg MR-2000S	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	No	\$1,799.00	plays from HDD	
Light Harmonic Da Vinci Dual DAC	USB		Yes	Yes			\$31,000.00	one signal path for PCM the other for DSD	
Love Harmony AX-D1	No	HDMI	Yes	Yes	No	No		digital to analog converter (used with AX-WD)	http://ntw-aiwa.co.jp/axd1.html
Love Harmony AX-WD	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	HDMI		analog to digital converter (used with AX-D1)	http://ntw-aiwa.co.jp/axwd.html
Lumin LUMIN Network Music Player	Ethernet	Ethernet	Yes	Yes	SPDIF	HDMI	\$3,980.00	uses Minimserver UPnP	http://ntw-aiwa.co.jp/news/news_20120120.html
Luxman DA-06 USB DAC	USB		Yes				\$3,531.00	coming soon	http://www.luminmusic.com/
Lynx Studio Technologies Hilo DAC	USB, digital inputs	No	Yes				\$2295/\$2495	no expansion card / expansion card	http://www.lynxstudio.com/index.asp
Meitner Audio MA-1 DAC	USB	No	Yes	Up samples	No	No	\$7,000.00		http://www.meitner.com/
Meitner Audio MA-2 DAC	USB	No	Yes	Up samples	No	No	\$11,000.00	same as above with disc transport	same
MSB Technology Analog DAC	USB, digital inputs	Yes	Yes	Yes			\$6,995.00	starting price	http://www.msbtech.com/
MSB Technology DAC IV, DAC IV Plus	USB, digital inputs	Yes	Yes	Yes			\$8,995.00	starting price	http://www.msbtech.com/
Mytek Digital Stereo192-DSD DAC	USB, FireWire, digital inputs	SDIF and USB (ASIO)	Yes	Yes			\$1,695.00	DSD ASIO driver avail (WIN)	http://www.mytekdigital.com/
Pioneer Electronics SC-67 9. AVR	Ethernet						\$2,000.00		http://www.pioneerelectronics.com/PUSA/Home/AV-Receivers/Elite+Receivers/SC-67
Playback Designs MPD-3 DAC	USB, digital inputs	USB (ASIO)	Yes	Yes			\$6,500.00		http://www.playbackdesigns.com/
Playback Designs MPD-5 DAC	USB, digital inputs	USB (ASIO)	Yes	Yes	AES	No	\$13,000.00	Requires USB-X	same
Ratoc Systems RAL DSDHA-1	USB	No	Yes	No	No	No			http://www.ratocsystems.com/english/audio/ral/dsdha1/
Ratoc Systems RAL DSDHA-2	USB	No	Yes	No	No	No			http://www.ratocsystems.com/english/audio/ral/dsdha1/
Resonessence Invicta	USB	SD card	Yes				\$3,995.00	V 4.0 firmware required	http://resonessencelabs.com
Sonore/exD DSD DAC	USB	USB (ASIO)	Yes	Yes	No	No	\$1,295.00		http://www.sonore.us
Sonore Rendu SPDIF	Ethernet	signal not utilized	Yes	No	SPDIF	No	\$1,359.00	coming soon	same
Sonore Rendu SPDIF/i2s	Ethernet	Ethernet	Yes	No	SPDIF	multiplexed i2s/DSD	\$1,449.00	coming soon, in production	same
Sonore Rendu DSD2PCM	Ethernet	signal not utilized	Yes	No	Converts to PCM	No	\$1,449.00	coming soon	same
Sonore USB DSD2PCM Converter	USB	TBD	Yes	No	Converts to PCM	No	\$1,449.00	coming soon	same
S.O.I.M sDP-1000 DAC/Preamp	USB	USB (ASIO)	Yes	No			\$2,900.00	coming soon, battery powered, analog volume control	same
Teac UD-501 DSD DAC	USB		Yes	Yes	No	No	\$1,400.00	coming soon	http://www.teac.jp/product/ud-501/
TechDAS D-7 192/DSD	USB	No	Yes		No	No			http://www.techdas.jp/digital_01.html
Wadia Intuition 01	USB		Yes				\$7,500/\$8,000		
Wyred4Sound DAC2	N/A	via i2s	Yes	Yes	No	No	\$1,499.00		http://www.wyred4sound.com
DSD Ready DIY Projects	DoP Input	Native DSD Input	DSD64	DSD128	DoP Digital Output	Native DSD Digital Output	Price USD	Comments	Website
Acko AKD-12P DAC	N/A	via i2s	Yes	Yes	No	No	varies	DIY Kit	https://sites.google.com/site/ackodac/
Acko AKD-18 DAC	N/A	via i2s	Yes	Yes	No	No	varies	DIY Kit	same
Acko AKD-16 DAC	N/A	via i2s	Yes	Yes	No	No	varies	DIY Kit	same
Twisted Pear Audio Buffalo DAC	N/A	via i2s	Yes	Yes	No	No	varies	DIY Kit	http://www.twistedpearaudio.com/landing.aspx
Twisted Pear Audio Opus DAC	N/A	via i2s	Yes	Yes	No	No	varies	DIY Kit	same
DSD Ready Media Players, UPNP	DoP Input	Native DSD Input	DSD64	DSD128	DoP Digital Output	Native DSD Digital Output	Price USD	Comments	Website
Audirvana Plus	N/A	N/A	Yes	Yes	Yes	DoP	\$49.00		www.audirvana.com
Channel D Pure Music	N/A	N/A	Yes	Yes	Yes	DoP	\$129.00		www.channld.com/puremusic/
Foobar2000	as renderer	as renderer	Yes	Yes	Yes	DoP/ASIO	\$0.00		http://www.foobar2000.org
JPlay	N/A	N/A	Yes		Yes				
J River Media Center	as renderer	as renderer	Yes	Yes	Yes	DoP/ASIO	\$49.98	can add and change metadata to DSD files	www.jriver.com/download.html
Korg Audiogate	N/A	N/A	Yes	Yes	No	No	\$0.00	free to Korg customers or Twitter users	http://www.korguser.net/audiogate/en/index.html
Signalyst HQPlayer	N/A	N/A	Yes	Yes	Yes	DoP/ASIO	\$142.00	1. DSD upsampling (from PCM or DSD) 2. Digital volume control for DSD 3. convolution engine / digital room correction for DSD	www.signalyst.com
Teac HR Player	N/A	N/A	Yes	Yes	Yes	DoP/ASIO	\$0.00		http://teac.jp/product/hr_audio_player/downloads/
Merging Technologies Emotion			Yes	Yes					http://www.teac.com/content/downloads/products/890/hr_player_om.pdf
MinimServer	N/A	N/A	Yes	Yes	coming soon	UPNP	\$0.00	DSD/PCM streaming server	http://www.google.com/search?client=safari&rls=en&q=merging+technologies&ie=UTF-8&oe=UTF-8
MPD	N/A	N/A	Yes	Yes	as player	No	\$0.00		minimserver.com linux.voyage.hk/voyage-mpd

