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This warranty shall be invalid if the product is damaged as a result of defacement, misuse, abuse, neglect, accident, destruction or alteration of the serial number, improper electrical voltages or currents, repair, alteration or maintenance by any person or party other than our own service facility or an authorized Service Center, or any use violative of instructions furnished by us.

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# DB24 Stereo Direct Interface

- Two channel, transformer isolation device
- Passive no power required
- Stereo RCA, 1/8" (3.5mm), and dual 1/4 Inputs
- Balanced XLR Outputs
- Ground Lift for each channel
- Individual variable attenuators

The DB24 is an ideal impedance matching device for connecting any unbalanced stereo signal to a balanced system. Consumer audio equipment such as CD players, DVD players, MP3 players, etc., may be easily connected to a professional audio system.

DB24 St. Direct Interface







# ROLLS DB24 Stereo Direct Interface



#### SPECIFICATIONS

Input Impedance : Frequency Response: Output Impedance: Max Output Level: Connectors:

Controls:

Weight: Dimensions: 2 ea; XLR Male, 1; Stereo RCA, 1; 1/8" (3.5mm) TRS, 2 ea; 1/4" TRS 2 ea; Variable attenuators, 2 ea; Ground Lift switches 1.5 lbs. 3.42" w x 1.45" h x 3.325" d

20k - 600 Ohms

600 Ohms

+4 dBm

50 - 15kHz +/- 3 dB

**Operations Guide** 

## INTRODUCTION

Thank you for purchasing the DB24 Stereo Direct Interface. This sturdy device is designed and manufactured to the most demanding specifications in order to provide years of faithful survice. The DB24 converts high impedance audio signals to low impedance via Rolls proprietary audio transformers, and a variety of inputs.

#### DESCRIPTION FRONT PANEL



- L.Ster: 1/4" Tip-Ring-Sleeve jack for connection to a "Left" portion of a signal, or a Tip-Ring-Sleeve "Stereo" signal.

- Left Level: Adjusts the input level to the Left channel.

- L & R: Stereo RCA jacks, for connection to an unbalanced stereo signal. Note: The Right and Left jacks may be used individually as well.

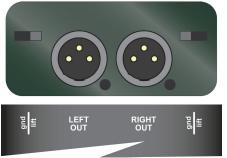
NOTE: The Red RCA jack connects to the Right Out, and the White RCA jack connects to the Left Out.

- St. IN: 1/8" (3.5mm) Tip-Ring-Sleeve jack for connection to an unbalanced Stereo signal *only*.

- Right Level: Adjusts the input level to the Right channel.

- R. Mon: 1/4" Tip Sleeve jack for connection to the "Right" portion of a stereo signal, or to a "Mono" signal.

#### **REAR PANEL**



NOTE: DESCIPTIONS FOR THE FOLLOWING ARE IDENTICAL FOR THE LEFT AND RIGHT OUTPUTS.

Ground Lift (Labeled "gnd/lift"): When positioned to the side of the switch labeled "lift", the shield of the XLR plug is separated from the ground pin (pin 1).
Left/Right OUT: Balanced XLR jacks - for connection to mixer inputs, amplifiers, etc.

## CONNECTION / OPERATION

1/4" Jacks: Stereo Operation:

A. Individual Right and Left connections - Connect Tip-Sleeve 1/4" plugs to the Right and Left Input jacks.

B. Stereo Tip-Ring-Sleeve connection - Connect a Tip-Ring-Sleeve 1/4" plug to the Left/Stereo Input jack. IMPORTANT NOTE: Connecting a Tip-Sleeve MONO plug into this jack, with nothing connected to the Right/Mono Input will result in the Right/Mono Input being shorted to ground.

<u>1/4" Jack: Mono Operation</u>: Connect a Tip-Sleeve Mono plug to the Right/Mono Input.

<u>1/8" (3.5mm) Jack</u>: Connect a Tip-Ring-Sleeve stereo plug into this jack for stereo operation only. **NOTE: Connecting a Tip-Sleeve MONO plug into this jack, with nothing connected to the Right/Mono 1/4" Input will result in the Right/Mono Input being shorted to ground.** 

<u>RCA Jacks</u>: Connect Stereo RCA plugs into these jacks for stereo or dual-mono operation.

Connect XLR outputs to the next device in your signal chain.

Adjust the Right and Left Level controls for an appropriate input level. For example, for maximum amount of attenuation (least amount of signal), turn the Level control to -60. For minimum attenuation (maximum signal), turn the Level control up to -20.

#### SCHEMATIC

