

Cambridge-Audio 851N

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OUTSTANDING - amongst the best.



CONCLUSION

In terms of sound quality, versatility and value for money, the 851N is hard to beat. It is inherently neutral and uncoloured through whatever input you choose to use, meaning it never sounds anything less than surefooted and sophisticated. Add in its DSD capability, pre-amp function and promise of future software upgrades and the new Cambridge could well set a benchmark at its price.

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OUTSTANDING - amongst the best.

VALUE - keenly priced

VERDICT

One of the most naturalsounding, versatile and well-equipped streamer/ DAC/pre-amps available at its price. Sets the standard for rivals.

FOR

- neutral, flowing sound
- DSD capability
- comprehensive inputs
- good control app

AGAINST

- nothing at the price

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