

# C 42

## STEREO PRE-AMPLIFIER / VIDEO CONTROL CENTER

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**FRONT PANEL:** Glass with illuminated teal/gold nomenclature. BALANCE: L to R. RECORD switch (with indicator lights): TAPE 1, LINE 2, LINE 1, CD, PH/AUX 1, AUX 2, TUNER, TAPE 2. Digital display. LISTEN switch (with indicator lights): TAPE 1, LINE 2, LINE 1, CD, PH/AUX 1, AUX 2, TUNER, TAPE 2. VOLUME. ⚡ EQUALIZER FREQUENCY controls: 20, 35, 70, 150. IR sensor. EQUALIZER FREQUENCY controls: 300, 600, 1.2k and 4k. ⚡ HEADPHONES jack. Touch buttons (with indicator lights): RECORD PROCESSOR, LISTEN PROCESSOR, RECORD MONITOR, MONO, INPUT TRIM, DISPLAY: dB or %, MUTE, OUTPUTS 1, OUTPUTS 2, STANDBY/ON / RESET. POWER: ON or OFF.



**BACK PANEL:** POWER CONTROL jacks: MAIN, Accessory, amplifier 1 and amplifier 2. DATA PORTS: TAPE 1, TAPE 2, CD, TUNER, LINE 1, LINE 2, PH/AUX 1, AUX 2. Left and Right BALANCED OUTPUTS: MAIN, 2 and 1. Left and Right BALANCED LINE 1 INPUTS. ⚡ Power cord receptacle. FUSE. Coax EXTERNAL SENSOR connector. LISTEN: OUTPUTS: MAIN, 2, 1 and PROCESSOR: FROM and TO. RECORD OUTPUTS: TAPE 2, TAPE 1 and PROCESSOR: FROM and TO. Audio INPUTS: TAPE 2, TAPE 1, TUNER, CD, LINE 2, AUX 2, AUX 1. Ground binding post. Switch: AUX 1 or PHONO. PHONO INPUTS.

**SPECIFICATIONS:** **Response:** 20-20kHz (+0 -0.5dB). **Distortion:** 0.002%. **Noise and Hum:** - 97dB aux, -86dB phono. **Output Rated:** 2.5V. **Maximum Output:** 10V. **Input Sensitivity and Impedance:** high level 0.45V (10V max) at 22k, phono 4.5mV (90mV max) at 47k and 65pF. **Voltage Gain:** 15dB high level, 40dB phono. **Power Requirements:** 120V at 30 Watts. Has hand remote **HR100**.

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**Size:** 5-3/8"H, 17-1/2"W and 17-1/2"D behind panel. **Weight:** 25-1/2 lb. **\$3,500.00**