## TA 240

POWER TUBE HYBRID AMPLIFIER

DATA SHEET



Like the entire Kora amplifier range, the TA 240 is powered by the Square Tube® operational amplifier. Equipped with 4 triodes per channel, this innovative circuitry provides very unique musical qualities to the amplifier.

The Square Tube® provides all functions of amplification and control of the audio signal. Its output voltage is that which will be applied to the speaker outputs. Complementary power transistors, audio and hyper-linear will give the current required by the speakers, but without interfering in the amplification of the signal. Technicians call it "Impedance matching". The power transistors can be seen as the output transformer.

But the Square Tube® / Transistors combination does not face the limitation usually associated with the usual output transformers:

- → There are no phase shifts in the low frequencies,
- → There are no phase shifts in the high frequencies,
- $\Rightarrow$  There is no bad coupling in the low frequencies and above all: no current limitation!

The combination of the high voltage capacitance of the Square Tube® and the high current of the output transistors gives you a very high definition power amplifier.

- $\rightarrow$  The tubes give the smoothness, the transistors give the unrestrained energy.
- → Square Tube® brings phase accuracy and will extract a wealth of unsuspected detail from your sources with natural dynamics.
- → At last but not least, the amplifier is very stable, even with complex loads.



## General characteristics

Overall dimension	148 x 420 x 350 mm	Materials	Aluminium and steel
Chassis size only	130 x 420 x 320 mm	Finish	Mineral grey
Unit weight	19 kg	Accessories	Remote control, power chord, instructions
Manufacturer's warranty	5 years	Construction & design	Toulouse, Occitania region, France

## Electronic features

Power supply	IEC 230 V AC socket +7% ~ -10% (117V AC on request)	Maximum power input (2 x 200 W / $4\Omega$ ): 650 VA Maximum power consumption (2 x 120 W / $8\Omega$ ): 350 W	
Internal power supply	2 x (± 50 V DC)	Dual power supply	
Power supply transformer	2 x 300 VA	Auxiliary supply: 5 DC/DC converters 2 linear regulators	
Main filtering	2 x 60 000 μF		
High voltage	+ 300 V stabilised - 200 V stabilised		
Input tube heater	2 x 12 V DC	Regulated and grounded voltages	
Output tube heating	2 x 12 V DC	Isolated regulated voltages	
Output power	2 x 120 W/8 Ω 2 x 200 W/4 Ω		
Output power distribution	12 complementary highly linear power transistors "ON SEMI®" (225 W / 15 A each)		
Inputs	<ul> <li>1 input asymmetrical, RCA connector input impedance: 10 k</li> <li>1 input symmetrical, 2 XLR connectors input impedance: 2 x 20 kΩ</li> </ul>	Sensitivity: adjustable from 0,5 V to 5 V	
Bandwidth	20 Hz ~ 20 000 Hz	± 1dB	
Internal impedance	Output: $< 0.08 \Omega$		

