

# NODE X

Premium Wireless Music Streamer



**TEN YEARS OF #LIVINGHIFI.** Bluesound is proud to celebrate a 10-year milestone with a limited-time, 10th Anniversary Edition NODE X. Since its inception, the iconic NODE has proven that audio quality, convenience and affordability can live together in one compact unit. The NODE X re-imagines some of the best parts of the NODE's product design and takes 'just add streaming' into the next generation of audiophiles.

**ULTIMATE HI-RES STREAMER.** Performance takes a step up in the NODE X with an upgraded audiophile ESS 9028Q2M Sabre DAC design to output amazing musicality, near-zero levels of clock jitter, ultra-low noise and a wide dynamic range. A truly high-end headphone amplifier driven by cutting edge THX AAA™ technology with patented feed-forward error correction results in infinitesimally low levels of noise, distortion and power consumption to drive a no-compromise headphone listening experience.

**FULLY EQUIPPED.** The NODE X uses enhanced dual band Wi-Fi to deliver the best in-class wireless stream quality. Access built-in music services like Tidal®, Spotify® and Qobuz® through the intuitive BluOS app for iOS and Android, or play from your own digital music library held on a computer or external drive. Like a jack of all trades, the NODE X is equipped with all the inputs and outputs to please every avid audiophile.

**THE MULTI-ROOM DREAM.** Seamlessly group the NODE X with multiple Bluesound speakers around the home to create an intuitive multi-room music system. Control the NODE X directly from your smart device or computer, touch panel controls with presets, voice assistants like Siri, Alexa, or by using the included RC1 Remote Control, which offers one-touch access to any Bluesound player within its proximity.

PREMIUM ESS SABRE HIFI DAC  
THX AAA™ HEADPHONE AMPLIFIER  
6.35mm / 1/4" WIRED HEADPHONE OUTPUT  
WIRELESS BLUETOOTH HEADPHONE OUTPUT  
QUAD-CORE 1.8GHz ARM® CORTEX™ A53 PROCESSOR  
HDMI eARC, OPTICAL & ANALOG INPUTS  
STEREO ANALOG OUTPUT  
OPTICAL, COAXIAL & USB AUDIO OUTPUTS  
BluOS™ WIRELESS MULTI-ROOM MUSIC CAPABILITY  
MQA MUSIC AND HI-RES AUDIO STREAMING  
AIRPLAY 2 INTEGRATION  
WORKS WITH AMAZON ALEXA  
DUAL-BAND WI-FI + GIGABIT ETHERNET  
TWO-WAY aptX™ HD BLUETOOTH  
IR REMOTE LEARNING CAPABILITY  
IR INPUT  
12V TRIGGER OUTPUT  
WIRED & WIRELESS SUBWOOFER OUTPUT  
TOUCH CONTROLS WITH PRESETS SILVER FINISH  
RC1 REMOTE CONTROL INCLUDED





Front View



Rear View

## NODE X Specifications

<b>Operating System:</b>	BluOS
<b>Supported Controller Operating System:</b>	iOS, Android, Windows Vista, 7, 8, 10, macOS 10.10-10.15, 11
<b>Supported Audio File Formats:</b>	MP3, AAC, WMA, WMA-L, OGG, ALAC, OPUS
<b>Supported Hi-Res Audio File Formats:</b>	FLAC, MQA, WAV, AIFF, MPEG-4 SLS
<b>Supported Network File Sharing:</b>	Server Message Block (SMB)
<b>Native Sampling Rates:</b>	up to 192 kHz
<b>Bit Depths:</b>	16-24
<b>Music Service Integrations:</b>	23+
<b>3rd-Party Integrations:</b>	AirPlay 2 Apple Wireless Accessory Configuration (WAC)
<b>Control System Integrations:</b>	Crestron, Control 4, RTI, ELAN, URC, Push, Lutron, iPort
<b>Voice Control Integrations:</b>	Amazon Alexa Skills

### Features

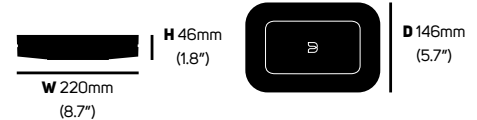
<b>Status Indicator:</b>	LED x 2
<b>Play/Pause Button:</b>	Touch LED
<b>Volume Control Buttons:</b>	Touch Slider LED
<b>Previous/Next Track Buttons:</b>	Touch LED
<b>Preset Buttons:</b>	Touch LED x 5
<b>Proximity Sensor:</b>	Yes
<b>Audio Controls &amp; EQ:</b>	In-App
<b>Processor:</b>	ARM® Cortex™ -A53, Quad-Core, 1.8GHz per core
<b>DAC:</b>	ESS 9028Q2M
<b>Signal-to-Noise Ratio:</b>	-118dB
<b>Distortion:</b>	THD+N, 0.0003%

### Connections

<b>Power:</b>	Universal bi-pin AC cord input (100-240AC)
<b>Ethernet/LAN:</b>	Ethernet RJ45, GigE 1000 Mbps
<b>Wi-Fi Built In:</b>	Wi-Fi 5 (802.11ac), dual-band
<b>Bluetooth Quality:</b>	Bluetooth 5.0 aptX HD
<b>Bluetooth Connectivity:</b>	Two-Way (transmit & receive)
<b>IR Optical Built In:</b>	IR Sensor Built In - front panel with IR Remote Learning
<b>IR Input:</b>	3.5mm Jack
<b>Optical/Analog Input:</b>	Combo Mini TOSLINK; 3.5mm Analog Line In
<b>HDMI Input:</b>	HDMI eARC
<b>USB IN:</b>	Type A (Fat32 Formatted)
<b>Audio Output:</b>	Analog RCA Stereo with Fixed Output option USB Audio 2.0 (Type A)
<b>Coaxial Output:</b>	RCA
<b>Optical Output:</b>	TOSLINK digital optical
<b>Trigger Out:</b>	12 Volt
<b>Headphone Output:</b>	6.35mm Stereo; Bluetooth
<b>Headphone Signal-to-Noise Ratio:</b>	-95dB ref 1mW / 32ohms
<b>Headphone Distortion:</b>	THD+N, 0.002%
<b>Subwoofer Output:</b>	RCA x 1; Wireless to PULSE SUB+

<b>Finish:</b>	Silver
<b>Version:</b>	N131

\* all specifications subject to change without notice



### Product Dimensions

220 x 46 x 146 mm (W x H x D)

8.7 x 1.8 x 5.7 in (W x H x D)\*

**Weight:** 1.14kg/2.5lbs

### Included Accessories

- RC1 Remote Control
- 120V AC Power Cord
- 230V AC Power Cord
- Ethernet Cable
- Stereo RCA to RCA Cable
- TOSLINK Optical to 3.5mm Mini Adaptor
- Safety/Warranty Guide
- Quick Setup Guide
- 10th Anniversary Insert

\* Non-metric measurements are approximate.



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