

HK 980

2 x 80W stereo integrated amplifier

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Specifications



■ The Harman Kardon® HK 980

Superlative two-channel music reproduction is the toughest test of an audio component, and the new Harman Kardon® HK 980 delivers effortlessly. Combining an elegant, new look with time-proven engineering, the HK 980's high-current, ultrawide-bandwidth design improves transient accuracy and phase linearity while delivering power that is more than a match for even the most demanding loudspeaker loads. The result is lively, dynamic sound that's a true representation of any recording.

■ Highlights

High-current capability
Ultrawide bandwidth
Phono input
A/B speaker selection
Heavy-duty binding posts

■ Key Specifications

- Audio section – continuous average power (FTC), (stereo mode): 80 watts per channel into 8 ohms @ 20Hz – 20kHz, <0.07% THD, both channels driven; high instantaneous-current capability (HCC): ± 80 amps
- Dimensions (H x W x D) and weight: 116mm x 440mm x 392mm, 12.7kg

Depth measurement includes table stand, knobs, buttons and terminal connections, unless stated otherwise; height measurement includes feet and chassis, unless stated otherwise.

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■ Features

Power

- 80W x 2 into 8 ohms, 20Hz – 20kHz, at <0.07% THD, with all channels driven simultaneously
- High-current (± 80 amps), ultrawide-bandwidth (10Hz – 100kHz) amplifier design

Connectivity

- Six stereo analog audio inputs
- Two analog recording outputs
- One high-quality phono input for connection to record players with an MM cartridge
- Stereo preamp outputs to allow for external power amplifiers
- Heavy-duty binding posts to allow for speaker cables up to 10mm
- IR remote extension jacks for control of the amplifier when it is placed in a cabinet

Ease of Use

- High-current capability for the instantaneous current necessary to drive and control nearly any loudspeaker system precisely
- Ultrawide-bandwidth amplifier design for improved transient accuracy and phase linearity
- Low negative feedback for further improved dynamic accuracy
- Use of discrete electronic circuitry to provide the highest performance level
- Sophisticated electronic protection circuitry to guard the amplifier from short circuits or from damaged speakers and wires without impairing sound quality by using current-limiting or output relays
- Dot-matrix display
- Tape-monitor loop for recording
- Remote A/B speaker switching
- Harman Kardon system remote for control of compatible Harman Kardon CD players and tuners

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