



Review "Hi-FiChoice", U.K., 10.2021 by: Ed Selley

Phono Box RS2

"Exceptional level of performance"





- This has been constructed as **fully dual mono** from front to back.
- Input and output are via **RCA and XLR** and the RS2 builds on the original by moving to a **discrete output stage** with no op amps in the circuit.
- Befitting a flagship, user adjustability is broad. Options include continuously variable impedance adjustment as well as multiple capacitance and gain settings.
- Build quality is exceptionally good.
- Even at the standards of the price point, this is an **admirably transparent** device.
- Extremely deep notes have immense weight and scale here and there is a convincing three dimensionality to the presentation that is not tied to simple scale.
- A little sweeter and more refined across the top end.
- Its **transparency is genuinely impressive**, even judged at the price.
- A **reference-level** phono stage that offers an **exceptional level of performance** and very flexible spec.