# Juniline Five

Line preamplifier



The Juniline five is the culmination of an idealist dream: to propose a high quality level preamplifier at an attractive price. To reach this ambitious target, we integrate many innovations that you can only find in our realizations.

## Utilization

The Juniline five is a four inputs stereo line preamplifier. We think simplicity of usage and robustness. Commands were simplified: input selector and control level. We can't do simpler; the essential is inside...



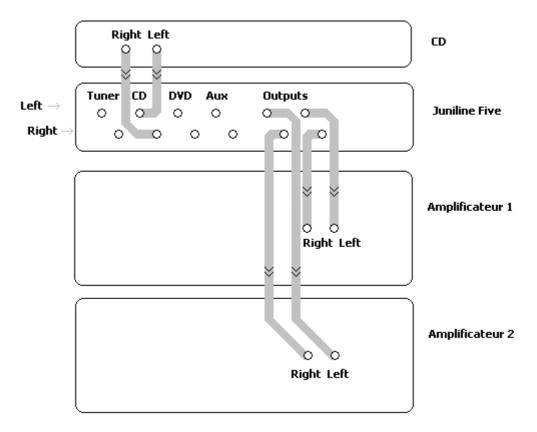


# **Starting operation**

The power ON button is on the rear panel, beside the power main cord. The preamplifier is ready to go when the yellow LED is lit.

# **Connecting**

The Juniline five integrates 4 high level inputs allow connecting sources like CD, DAC, DVD, Tuner... It integrates 2 outputs allow connecting two amplifiers in bi-amplification mode. The following schematic illustrate the connection.



# **Technical specifications**

Inputs: 4 stereo RCA inputs
Outputs: 2 RCA stereo outputs

Gain: 6db

Input impedance: 25Kohm

Recommended output impedance: >10Kohm

Output impedance: <10 ohm Maximum output level: 5V RMS Maximum input level: 16V RMS

Main voltage: 220V or 110V.

Power: 11W

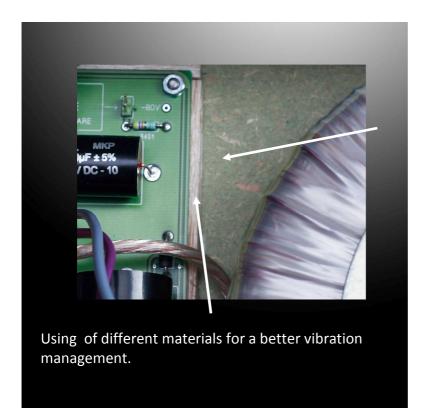
Dimensions: 44cm x 8cm x 22cm

Weight: 8k

Fuse for power supply 220/240V - 4AT Fuse for power supply 110/115V - 8AT

## **Mechanical**

The aluminum chassis box uses hard and soft material to avoid sound degradations due to mechanical vibrations. It sits on a massive Limba support (Limba, Afara (UK), Korina (US), African wood. No feet, no spike). With its granite, it weights no less than 14Kg!



The PCB is fixed with mixed materials (hard and soft); the transformer is damped with sand and absorbers.

This allows a high definition level and comfortable bass.



Anti vibratory material fixed on the top chassis box.



### **Technical solutions**

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Line stages works in class A, open loop (feedback free) configuration. The large powerful power supplies use a 500VA transformer and many polypropylene or polypropylene film capacitors (higher quality).

Into the Juniline five, we put an active shield toward positive ionic and an evolution of our "shared current power supply". The regulators are powered with high tension, like valves circuits, but with lower tension. The use of big electrolytic capacitors is reduced; we don't use any one in the analog supply or stage! Only  $20\mu F$  are used for filtering. This lower capacity allows using only polypropylene capacitors for all stages. This gives a high quality and realistic tonal balance.

# How to get the best from your preamplifier

# Running-in period and heating

The preamplifier that you buy is new. To reach is optimal quality level, a 200 hours period is necessary. During or after this period, your converter will give the best of itself when it is hot. This heating period is reach at least after 24H00; we recommend a 48H00 or more heating period.

## **Analog cord**

The quality of the analog cord is very important. Having a high quality analog cable is necessary to reach high quality level.

## Power cord and fuse

The quality of the power cord will act on audio rendering. The Juniline Five is provided with standard power cord, it is recommended to change and replace it by a high quality cable.

The Juniline Five is provided with audio grade fuses. It is not necessary to replace it.

# **Ground optimization**

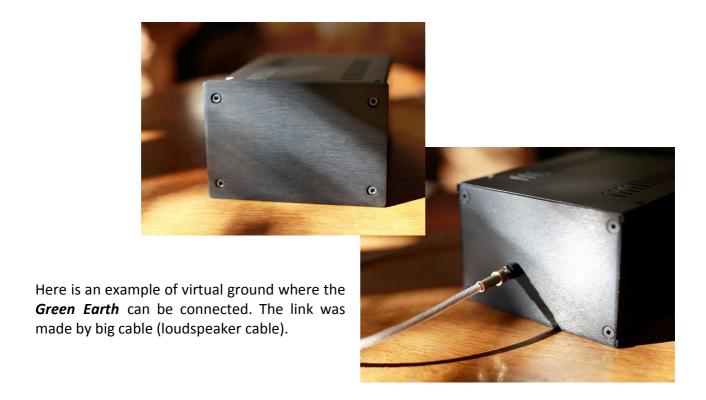
#### **Green Earth**

The Juniline Five's chassis box is linked to Earth via its IEC plug. To optimize sound rendering, a second connector named *Green Earth* is available in rear panel. It is internally wired to audio ground.



You can improve Juniline Five's audio rendering by linking the *Green Earth* to:

- A virtual ground, (see picture)
- A Main Earth via a big cable,
- Other audio equipment chassis box.



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