



# DS players

*the future of music*

Linn DS is a new generation of music player. It offers breakthrough specialist performance and convenience, letting you interact with your music in a new, enriching way. Adding Linn DS will transform your hi-fi into a system for the future.

With high quality music downloads now readily available and widespread use of portable mp3 players, more people than ever before are interacting with music on their computer.

Linn DS lets you release this music from your computer to enjoy genuine audiophile performance from stored CDs and music downloads. Linn DS players are the only authentic hi-fi products to access stored digital music and stream it over a home network.

Offering performance that surpasses any CD player and with the convenience of having your entire digital music collection at your fingertips, organised your way, you'll never go back.

It's as simple as this:

STORE



CONTROL



ENJOY



## Q1. What is a DS Player?

A DS ( digital stream player ) is a modern replacement of the CD player.

Like a CD player it does not store the music, it just plays it.

Music files are stored on a separate device such as a computer, laptop or network storage device.



## Q2. What are the benefits?

Thanks to Linn's new technology and audio experience, your CD collection will sound noticeably better when played on a Linn DS compared to any CD player.

Easy access to Studio quality, CD Quality & MP3 downloaded music and internet radio.

No need for messy CD storage.

Open platform allows easy access to your music collection.

Easy to backup your music collection.

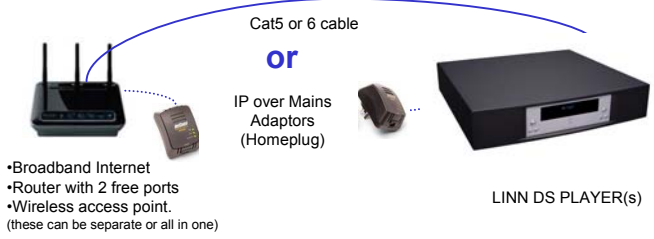
Music available anywhere in your home.

**Q3. What do you need to make a DS work?**

**Music Storage**



**The Network**

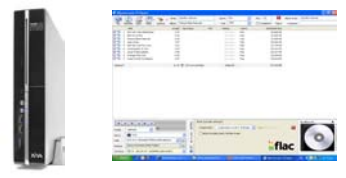


**Control**



**Q4. How do I get the music onto the computer?**

Rip your CD collection using a Ripping N.A.S. or with a software program downloaded from the Linn website. Download new music from the internet, preferably in FLAC or Apple Lossless, but lower quality MP3s will play. Copy files via the network or by memory stick. Have your CD collection ripped professionally.



**Q5. How do I control the DS?**

You can set up a playlist on your computer and use a Linn remote control, just like a CD player.

You can use a computer, laptop or tablet on a wireless or wired network.

You can use one of any number of portable wireless devices that can run UPnP streaming programs, these include I-Phone & I-Touch, PDAs, some cell phones, Web Browsers and Philips Pronto



**Q6. Who will set this up for me?**

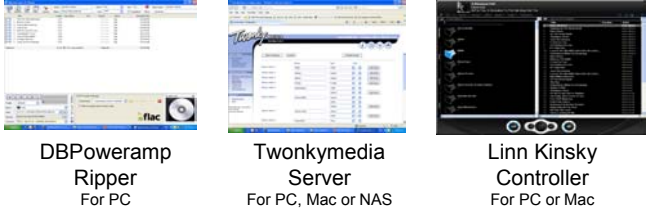
Your Linn retailer will set up the DS player and connect it to your network. Usually, providing cabling is in place or a Homeplug is purchased this will be done free of charge. If there are problems with your computer system requiring an IT professional or electrical installer, this can be arranged at a cost to you.

**DS Components**

*Digital Stream Players*



*Common Software Programs*



*Common Control Points*



*Other useful devices*

