



Dynaudio Contour Legacy

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FLOORSTANDING LOUDSPEAKER £10K - £20K



Designed to mimic the Contour 1.8 loudspeaker from the 1990s, the Dynaudio Contour Legacy uses a 28mm Esotar tweeter and two 180mm mid-bass drivers taken from the Evidence range. The rear reflex-ported loudspeaker bristles with high-quality components in its crossover, and a richer grade of sustainable American walnut veneer than the more prosaic finish of the original Contour 1.8. This is another limited run from Dynaudio, with the company making just just 1,000 pairs of the Contour Legacy loudspeaker for the whole worldwide market. So... get in quick!

Sensational bass extension

In Ed Selley's test, he noticed that "the Contour Legacy has sensational bass extension," adding that, "the delivery is practically effortless; the port is utterly inaudible, and the control and definition give you the sense that you are barely pushing the Dynaudio. And that's true even at the point where people unencumbered by neighbours and the rudiments of mechanical sympathy would be winding it down a notch." Ed also noted that, "As the frequencies increase, the Contour Legacy remains almost impossible to provoke. Wilful mis-partnering would result in a performance where that refinement slipped, but you'd have to work on it." He concluded the review by saying that, "The Dynaudio Contour Legacy is something a bit special. It's a modern retelling of a profoundly influential speaker, made as well as the company can make it. However, the result is still greater than that of prodigious engineering. It delivers a performance absolutely of the moment with just enough knowing winks to the past to make the experience an unforgettable one."

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