



INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE
Pro-Ject Pre Box

Dear music lover,

thank you for purchasing a PRO-JECT AUDIO preamplifier.

In order to achieve maximum performance and reliability you should study these instructions for use carefully.

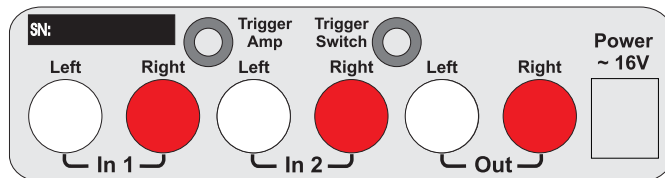


Warning of a hazard for the user, the unit or possible misuse.



Important notice.

Connectors



Make all connections whilst the preamplifier is disconnected from the power supply.



Take care to connect the left and right channels correctly. The right channel is usually marked red, the left channel black or white.

Pre out

A power amplifier or active loudspeakers can be connected to the output sockets marked **Out**.

Inputs

Line level sources such as CD player radio or TV can be connected to the input sockets marked **In 1** & **In 2**.

Remote power-on, switching voltage

The socket marked **Trigger Amp** provides a 12V DC switched output voltage for remote power-on of units with this facility (such as the Pro-Ject Amp Box or Pro-Ject Amp Box Mono), which corresponds to the position (on/off) of the power switch on the front panel.

Optional Pro-Ject Switch Box. The **Trigger Switch** socket connects the input expander Pro-Ject Switch Box. The Switch Box provides four extra line-level inputs.

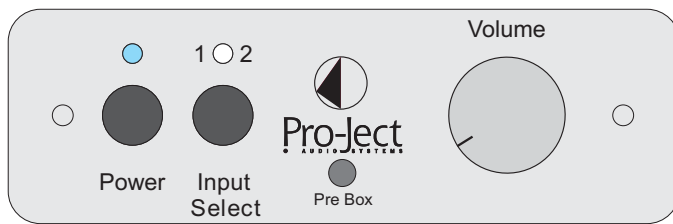
A 50cm remote power-on cable (polarity --⊕+) is supplied with the Pro-Ject amplifiers for connecting the remote-switched power socket to the Pro-Ject Pre Box. Longer cables are available from your Pro-Ject dealer.

Do not use this trigger output for any other connections for which it is not designed.

Mains power connection

The unit is supplied with a power supply suitable for your country's mains supply. Check the label before connecting to ensure compliance with the mains rating in your house. Connect the low voltage plug from the power supply to the **Power ~16V** socket before connecting the power supply to the mains.

Using the Pro-Ject Pre Box



Stand-By

The switch marked **POWER** on the front panel and **ON/OFF** button on the remote control turn the unit on or back into standby. The blue LED on the front panel shows that the unit is powered on.

Input selector

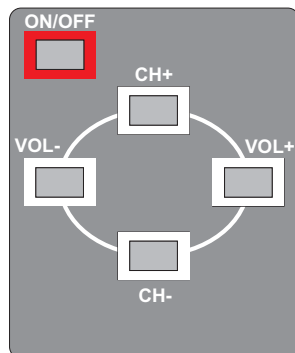
Pressing the **Input Select** button selects the **In 1** and **In 2** inputs in turn. Select the inputs using the remote control buttons marked **CH-** or **CH+**. If Input 1 is selected, the LED over the **Input Select** button lights up green. If Input 2 is selected, it lights up red.

If the optional input expander Pro-Ject Switch Box is connected, **Input Select** will also select the additional inputs provided by the Switch Box.

Volume

Adjust the volume to the desired level using the large knob marked **Volume** on the front panel or by using the buttons on the remote control marked **VOL-** or **VOL+**.

Remote control Pro-Ject Pre Box



ON/OFF switches the unit into and back out of the standby mode

VOL- and **VOL+** adjusts the sound volume

CH- and **CH+** selects the inputs

Changing batteries

Proceed as follows:

- Slide open the battery case cover
- Replace both batteries together. Make sure the batteries are the right way round
- Refit the battery case cover

Battery type: 2 x AAA 1,5V mignon cells



Do not dispose the batteries as ordinary domestic refuse. Please dispose your exhausted batteries at the appropriate collection sites - usually located at supermarkets and drugstores.

Technical specifications Pro-Ject Pre Box

Frequency response:	20Hz - 20kHz (+ - 0,2 dB)
Noise floor:	-100dB (A weighted)
THD:	0,001%
Gain:	8,5dB
Pre out:	1 pair RCA/Phono sockets
Output voltage typically:	1V at 1kHz
Line-level inputs:	2 pairs RCA/Phono sockets
Input impedance:	20kohms
Trigger (Trigger Pre):	12V DC switching voltage
Trigger out (Trigger Pre):	2-pole 2,5mm co-axial jack
Trigger out (Switch Box):	3-pole 2,5mm co-axial jack
Outboard power supply:	16V/500mA AC, suitable for your country's mains supply
Power consumption:	16V/200mA AC
Replacement battery remote control:	2 x AAA / 1,5V
Dimensions (W x H x D):	103 x 38 x 141mm
Weight without power supply:	630g

Service

Should you encounter a problem which you are not able to alleviate or identify, please contact your dealer for further advice. Only when the problem cannot be resolved there should the unit be sent to the responsible distributor in your country.

Warranty



The manufacturer accepts no responsibility for damage caused by not adhering to these instructions for use. Modification or change to any part of the product by unauthorized persons release the manufacturer from any liability over and above the lawful rights of the customer.

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