

## Best hi-fi of 2023



## Melco N5

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If you want to hear streamed music at its very best you need a super quiet library to store your files, the Melco N5 is one of the quietest and thus best sounding we have heard. A one box design with 5TB of solid state memory onboard it can be connected directly to a DAC via USB or to a streamer over ethernet. Based on the range topping N1 with a slightly less elaborate case the N5 is a tremendously sophisticated and articulate music streamer that competes with the very best when it comes to unveiling the finest details and delivering the most dynamic impacts.