# 231

Dual Channel 31-Band Graphic Equalizer





## VISIONARY DESIGN

With a lineage extending back to the revered 12 and 20 Series graphic equalizers, the dbx 231 easily lives up to the dbx reputation at a price point which can find a home in the tightest of budgets. Besides including two 31-band channels of 1/3-octave equalization, the 231 also offers ±12 dB input gain range; switchable ±6 or ±12 dB boost/cut range; XLR, 20mm faders and 1/4" inputs; nonconductive nylon sliders; and an intuitive user interface with comprehensive output and gain reduction metering. As always, the inevitable result of our meticulous attention to detail and top-quality componentry is exceptional sound, performance, and reliability.

### REVOLUTIONARY ENGINEERING

The 2-Series represents a major step forward in the performance of entry-level graphic equalizers. From its amazing 10Hz to 50kHz frequency response, to its 108dB dynamic range and internal toroidal transformer, the 2-Series offers out of this world specifications with a down to earth price point. Sure to find a home in the studio, on tour and with installed sound venues, the 2-Series is destined to take its rightful place in the lineage of great dbx® signal processors that are the Professional's Choice™. With such affordable quality, there's no longer any excuse for compromising your sound.

## **FEATURES**

- Two 31-band, 1/3-octave Constant Q frequency bands
- Switchable boost/cut ranges of  $\pm 6$  or  $\pm 12$  dB
- 12dB per octave 40Hz low-cut filter
- Front panel bypass switch
- ±12 dB input gain range
- 4-segment LED ladders for monitoring output levels

- XLR and TRS Inputs and **Outputs**
- Internal Toroidal Transformer
- Frequency Response of <10 Hz to >50kHz
- Dynamic range of greater than 108dB

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### **SPECIFICATIONS**

Inputs Type:

Connectors:

1/4" TRS, female XLR (pin 2 hot)

Impedance:

Electronically balanced/unbalanced, RF filtered

Balanced  $40k\Omega$ , unbalanced  $20k\Omega$ Max Input Level: >+21dBu balanced or unbalanced >40dB, typically >55dB at 1kHz

CMRR:

Outputs Connectors:

1/4" TRS, male XLR (pin 2 hot)

Impedance-balanced/unbalanced, RF filtered Type:

Impedance: Balanced  $100\Omega$ , unbalanced  $50\Omega$ 

>+21dBu balanced/unbalanced into  $2k\Omega$  or greater Max Output Level:

>+18dBm balanced/unbalanced (into 600Ω)

**System Performance** 

Bandwidth: 20Hz to 20kHz, +0.5/-1dB

Frequency Response: <10Hz to >50kHz, +0.5/-3dB

Dynamic Range: 108db Signal-to-Noise: 90db

<0.004% THD+Noise:

Interchannel Crosstalk:<-80dB, 20Hz to 20kHz

**Function Switches** 

EQ Bypass: Bypasses the graphic equalizer section in the signal path

Low Cut: Activates the 50Hz 12dB/octave high-pass filter Range:

Selects either +/- 6dB or +/- 12dB slider boost/cut range

**Power Supply** 

Operating Voltage: 100VAC 50/60Hz, 120VAC 60Hz, 230VAC 50/60Hz

Power Consumption: 15W

IEC receptacle Mains Connection:

Note: Specifications subject to change.

dbx engineers are constantly working to improve the quality of our products. Specifications are, therefore subject to change without notice.

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