

TASCAM Announces iM2 Stereo Microphone and TASCAM Digital PCM Recorder App that turns iOS Device into A High-Quality Stereo Recorder

26th January 2012 – London - TASCAM, the brand synonymous with professional recording products, today introduced the pocket sized iM2 stereo mic and accompanying Tascam PCM Recorder app that turns the iPad / iPhone / iPod Touch into a high quality stereo recorder. Ideal for anyone who requires a discrete portable recorder, iM2 is available now with an SRP of £85.00.



Tascam iM2 front

Tascam iM2 back

Tascam iM2 and Tascam PCM Recorder App

iM2 Stereo Microphone

Featuring a pair of **180 degree adjustable condenser microphones** of the same high quality as TASCAM's best-selling DR-series recorders, the iM2 plugs into the dock connector of your Apple device. The **iM2 contains its own microphone preamp and analog-to-digital converter** for low noise and premium audio quality. Unlike mics that use the built-in iPhone preamp, the **iM2 can handle up to 125dB SPL sounds for the loudest concerts and instruments.**

Also enclosed in the iM2 is a **stereo limiter to tame sudden loud sounds.** The microphone level is adjustable with a knob on the side, making it quick and easy to adjust without looking at the unit. **It's powered through the dock connector so no battery is required** and a USB socket is provided to charge your Apple iOS device for long recordings.

The ultra-portable iM2 is a must have for musicians who want to capture inspiration on their iPhone or iPad without sacrificing recording quality.

Tascam PCM Recorder app

Available for free download, TASCAM PCM Recorder app is the perfect companion for TASCAM's iOS products such as the iM2 stereo microphone and iXZ mic and guitar interface. TASCAM PCM Recorder turns the iPhone, iPod Touch or iPad into a stereo recorder, based on the popular TASCAM DR-series.

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The TASCAM PCM Recorder app has **input and output level faders with an “on-screen” meter** to help check levels. **High and low EQ is built-in**, as well as **stereo limiting and a low cut filter to prevent overload**. Users are able to record **mono or stereo files at CD-quality for up to 12 hours**. After recording, **files can be accessed through iTunes or uploaded to SoundCloud** right from the iPhone. TASCAM PCM Recorder app, a perfect companion to the iM2 and iXZ, is **available now as a download from the iTunes store at no charge** - <http://itunes.apple.com/us/app/pcmrecorder/id481055155?mt=8>

iM2 Specifications

- Stereo condenser microphones for iPhone 4, iPod Touch or iPad dock connection
- High-quality stereo condenser microphones – same as the best-selling DR-series recorders
- Microphones adjustable 180 degrees front to back
- Built-in analog to digital converter and microphone preamp for low noise recording
- 125dB SPL maximum level for recording loud shows without distortion
- Switchable limiter attenuates high-level signals to prevent recording overload
- Adjustable input level control
- Powered through iPhone, iPad or iPod Touch dock connector
- USB input allows the iPhone or iPad to be charged from a USB power source.
- CD-quality digital recording (44.1kHz/16-bit linear PCM)
- Compact size ideal for mobile use

Compatible with iPhone 4, iPhone 4S, iPod Touch 4G, iPad, iPad 2

The TASCAM iM2 is available in the UK now and has an SRP of £85.00. The TASCAM PCM Recorder App is available for download now from iTunes at no charge.

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Notes for Editors

TASCAM is the professional audio division of TEAC Corporation and has been developing and manufacturing professional recording products since the early 1970's. Today, TASCAM's model line up includes recording devices (both portable and static), mixers and interfaces for the professional recording and broadcasting world. In addition, TASCAM continue to develop its range of semi-pro and home-recording products dubbed Portastudio – the iconic portable recording device that has been synonymous with musicians the world over since the mid 1970's.

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