

MERIDIAN LAUNCHES UHD121 HDMI CONTROLLER

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Meridian launches UHD121 HDMI Controller - seamless connectivity, uncompromised sound.

A compact, high-performance controller designed for effortless integration of modern UHD sources into Meridian systems.

Meridian Audio has officially launched the UHD121 HDMI Controller, a discreet yet powerful solution engineered to simplify connectivity and preserve the authenticity of every sound, delivering the full Meridian experience.

First previewed to installers and integrators at CEDIA Expo 2025 earlier this September, the UHD121 bridges the gap between today's UHD video sources and Meridian's world-leading DSP loudspeakers and controllers. Supporting HDMI eARC/ARC and CEC, it delivers lossless, 2-channel LPCM audio up to 192kHz/24-bit, ensuring an authentic and uncompromised listening experience.

"The UHD121 saves us hours on site with its simple, reliable setup. Our clients love the seamless control from their TV remote, and we love how easy it makes delivering outstanding sound."

- Daryl Dembiec, Owner, HEDnorth

Key Features & Benefits

- **Flexible connectivity:** HDMI ARC/eARC for TV connection, plus a single additional HDMI input for another source.
- **High-resolution audio support:** Up to 192kHz/24-bit LPCM ensures pristine reproduction of UHD content.
- **Universal control:** CEC over HDMI enables system operation via the TV's remote, or control via the Meridian app and third-party systems.
- **Compact design:** At just 35.5mm high, the UHD121 fits discreetly into any installation.
- **Seamless integration:** Two Meridian SpeakerLink connections (Master/Slave) ensure compatibility with all current DSP loudspeakers and controllers.

"The UHD121 embodies Meridian's philosophy of making premium performance simple and accessible. It allows customers to enjoy the full impact of UHD sources with uncompromised Meridian sound, all controlled as intuitively as turning on the TV."

- Simon Bowman, Engineering Director at Meridian Audio.

For the home

The UHD121 brings simplicity and performance into the home. By connecting TVs and other HDMI sources directly to a Meridian system, it ensures effortless day-to-day operation through the TV remote, while delivering the authentic Meridian experience — every note, word and moment with clarity and impact.

Specification Highlights

- HDMI eARC/ARC, CEC enabled
- USB-B for configuration and maintenance
- Supports 2-channel LPCM audio up to 192kHz/24-bit
- Encoded Dolby Digital and DTS passthrough
- Control via Meridian app or third-party systems
- Dimensions: 35.5mm (H) x 80mm (W) x 170mm (D), weight 0.52kg

“The UHD121 gives our customers the ability to sell Meridian DSP speakers where they could not before. This gives us a whole new sales channel opportunity for our integrators.”
- Ryan Donaher, Founder, Apex Technologies US

Availability

The Meridian UHD121 HDMI Controller is shipping and is available to order now through Meridian's authorised dealer network. Following its award-winning debut at CEDIA Expo 2025, the UHD121 is already establishing itself as an essential solution for installers and homeowners alike.

For more information, visit: <https://www.meridian-audio.com/products/zone-control/uhd121/>

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About Meridian Audio

Meridian, the award-winning British audio technology pioneer and innovator, has been creating innovative audio technologies and elegant, high-performance audio products since 1977. Meridian's ambition is to enable people to listen, enjoy and fall in love with their music and movies wherever they are, and its renowned sound philosophy can be applied in all listening environments.

From Meridian's flagship DSP loudspeakers with integrated amplification to its discreet and powerful in-wall loudspeakers, the company delivers easy-to-install, high-resolution audio systems with intentional design for home cinemas and whole-home solutions. Meridian's product range also includes the Ellipse, its latest all-in-one streaming speaker, offering the same uncompromising quality in a compact form. Continuing to push the boundaries of home audio, its products are chosen for many of the world's most astonishing luxury residences and superyachts worldwide.

Many of the world's most ambitious brands choose Meridian to engineer their sound solutions enabling millions of consumers around the world to experience Meridian's signature sound. Customers include United Airlines, MasterCraft, Range Rover, Defender, Discovery, Jaguar, AVATR, British Airways, LG Electronics, Kia and Togg. These partnerships enable millions of consumers around the world to experience Meridian's high performance, signature sound in residential, automotive, marine and airline settings.

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