Getting started with the n-remote

Unpack the n-remote and check that the following items are included in the accessory box.

- n-remote
- Charging dock
- Charger
- Charging cable

After removing these items, please retain the packaging.

Charging the remote control

The remote control must be fully charged for at least 2 hours before first use.

- Place the dock in a convenient and stable position.
- Connect the mini-USB cable from the Charger to the socket on the charging dock.
- Fit a mains adaptor to the charger to match your power sockets.
- Connect the charger unit to the mains.
- Place the remote control on the dock.

The battery level indicator on the display will show the current level and the charge indicator (arrow) when charging.

Charge indicator ⟶ ➡ ▭■

NOTE: The charger should only be connected to the mains when charging the n-remote.

Charging from mini-USB

The n-remote may also be charged from the mini-USB cable connected directly to the charger, or to a computer.

Connect the mini-USB plug directly to the USB socket on the bottom of the remote control.

To pair an n-remote to a Streamline

The wireless system of each n-remote must be paired to a particular Streamline. In this way, neighbouring Streamline units can operate without risk of interference.

Pairing should only be necessary once during initial setup unless the n-remote or Streamline are later to be paired with another unit.

When pairing a Streamline to an n-remote, it is necessary for both components to be in close range.
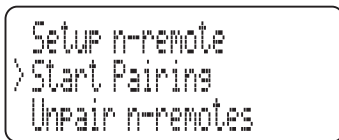
- Press and hold the ⇐ key on the front panel to return to the Main Menu.

```
Main Menu
> Setup
  Source
```

- Select the Setup option from the Main Menu.

The Setup Menu is displayed.

- Select the n-remote option from the Setup Menu.

```
Setup n-remote
> Start Pairing
  Unpair n-remotes
```

The Start Pairing option will be highlighted. Move on to the next step before selecting this option.

- On the n-remote, press the ✗ (settings) button.

The System-Settings menu will be displayed.

```
System-Settings        ▭
▣  User-Settings
▣  Device Selection
▣  Change Zone
▣  System Information
   Start Pairing


12:30 Not connected
Stream  CyIR
```
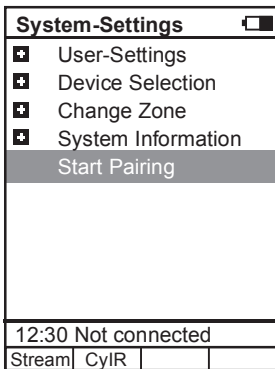
- Highlight the 'Start Pairing' option.
- To begin pairing, select the 'Start Pairing' options on both the n-remote and Streamline within one or two seconds.

Pairing should occur almost immediately. The Streamline will return to the Source Menu and the n-remote will prompt for a device name.

```
Pairing success        ▭
Please enter name:
Stream█




12:30 Not connected
        CyIR
```
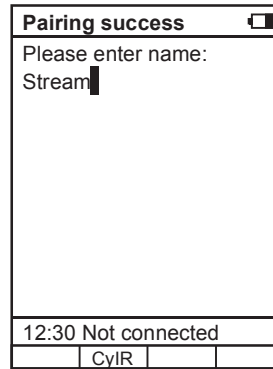
- Press ENTER to select the default name 'Stream' (recommended) or rename this device.

You will now get the option to select how the n-remote volume control will operate.

```
V+/V-/Mute to          ▭
Don't change
CyIR
Stream



12:30 Not connected
Stream  CyIR
```
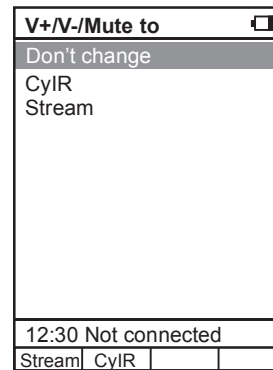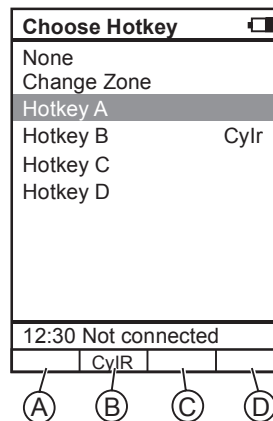
- Choose 'Don't change' to retain the volume setup used when the n-remote was previously paired to the Streamline.
- Choose 'Stream' if you have connected speakers to the Streamline or if you are using the Streamline as a preamplifier.

The n-remote volume buttons will now control the Streamline volume setting.

- Choose 'CyIR' if you have connected the Streamline as an input to a Cyrus stereo amplifier.

The n-remote volume buttons will now operate the volume control of a Cyrus stereo amplifier (via infra-red).

You will now get the option to assign the Streamline device to one of the four quick-access Hotkeys below the display..

```
Choose Hotkey          ▭
None
Change Zone
Hotkey A
Hotkey B           CyIr
Hotkey C
Hotkey D


12:30 Not connected
        CyIR
```
Ⓐ   Ⓑ   Ⓒ   Ⓓ

- If you select one of the Hotkeys A to D, the 'Stream' device will be selectable by the chosen Hotkey.
- In the example on the left, Hotkey B is pre-assigned to the CyIr device (to send remote control commands to other Cyrus products), so Hotkey A would be recommended for the Streamline.

NOTE: This setting can be changed at any time via the 'Key mapping' option of the 'User-settings' menu.

Once this setting has been made, pairing is complete.

Unpairing a remote control

If necessary, you can unpair n-remotes from a Streamline.

For more information about unpairing n-remotes, refer to the Setup menu section of the Streamline instructions.

n-remote features

The Streamline is partnered with the n-remote wireless remote control. The features of the remote control are -

- Wireless remote control of all Streamline functions.
- Large format, backlit text/graphic display.
- Motion-sensing standby - the display will switch on automatically if you lift the remote control or press a button
- Re-chargeable operation with a charging dock.
- Infra-red remote control of a Cyrus stereo system.
- Infra-red programming function to control non-Cyrus equipment.

n-remote functions when operating a Streamline

1. Standby button - switches a Streamline to and from Standby.
2. Hot-Keys - these can be programmed to select devices controllable by the n-remote, for instance a Streamline and a Cyrus system plus TV.
3. No function with Streamline.
4. Zone select - selects a zone if the n-remote is set to control multiple zones.
5. Up cursor - navigates up a menu list on the display, also browses alphanumeric characters when renaming etc. Hold the button to browse faster.
6. Settings - opens the n-remote settings menu.
7. Right cursor - navigates to the right.
8. No function with Streamline.
9. Down cursor - navigates down a menu list on the display, also browses alphanumeric characters when renaming etc. Hold the button to browse faster.
10. No function with Streamline.
11. No function with Streamline.
12. No function with Streamline.
13. Next track - selects the next track when playing music.
    Skips forward a page when browsing a list.
14. Pause - pauses music play.
15. Stop - Stops music play.
16. Numeric keypad - enters track numbers or alphanumeric data for renaming etc.
17. Repeat button - selects repeat modes (only when supported by the server or connected device).
18. Shuffle button - selects shuffle/random modes. Also changes the character set during alphanumeric entry.
19. No function with Streamline.
20. Previous track - selects the previous track when playing music.
    Skips back a page when browsing a list.
21. Play - plays the selection highlighted on the display.
22. Volume down - decreases the volume level.
23. Volume up - increases the volume level.
24. Mute - mutes the audio.
25. No function with Streamline.
26. Back - moves back one step when navigating a menu.
27. Left cursor - navigates to the left.
28. Information - displays additional information about the track playing.
29. Enter - selects highlighted menu options.
30. Home - displays the Home Menu.
31. Display off.
32. Hot-Key display legends - the legends for the Hot-Keys are displayed here.
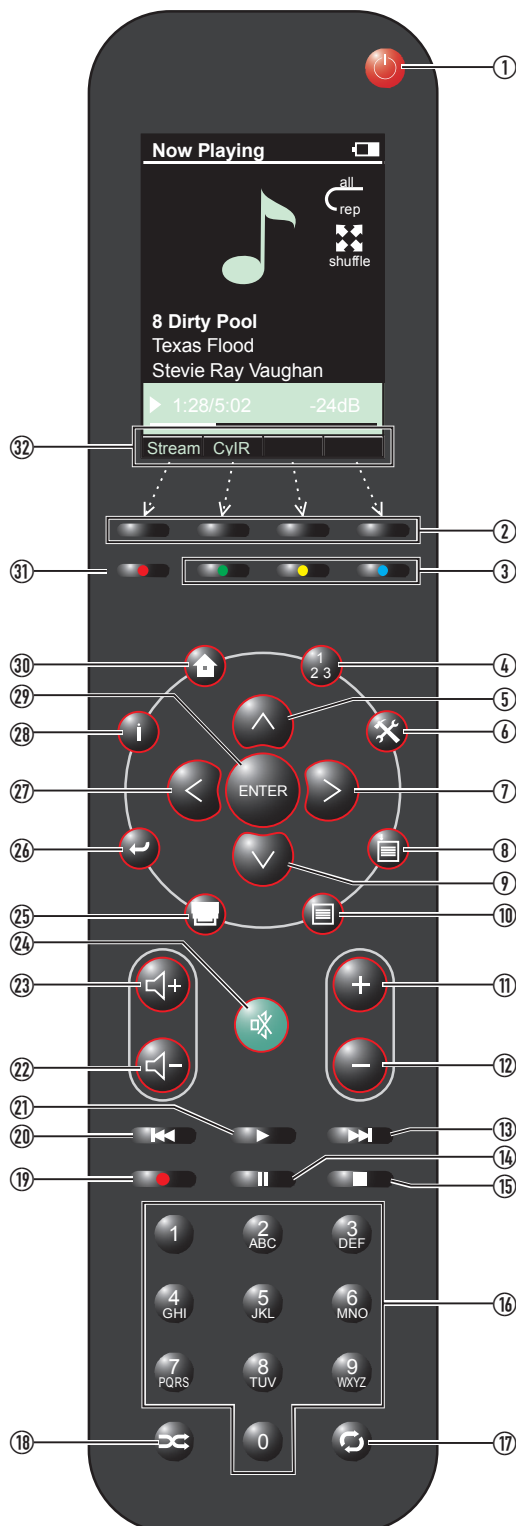
Remote control operation

Once an n-remote has been paired to a Streamline, all the functions of the Streamline may be operated from the n-remote. There is no need to direct the n-remote to the Streamline during operation, the wireless operating system is not directional.

The n-remote display will constantly update to show the status of the Streamline. If a setting is changed at the Streamline front panel, this will be shown on the n-remote display and vice-versa.

The following section describes n-remote operation. All references in this section are to the n-remote buttons or display unless otherwise stated.

n-remote display navigation

- Press the ⌃, ⌄, ‹ or › buttons to navigate menu options displayed on the remote control display.
- When navigating long selection lists on the display, press and hold the ⌃ or ⌄ button to navigate the list more quickly, or press the ▸▸| or |◂◂ button to skip a page.
- Press the ENTER button to select an option.
- Press the ↵ button to return to the previous display screen.

Hot keys

There are four hot-keys located below the display. These keys select the devices displayed immediately above the buttons.

The factory default naming for these buttons is shown in the diagram -
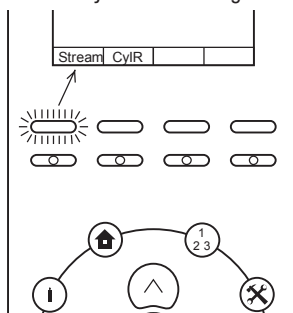
- Select Stream to send wireless commands to a Cyrus Streamline.
- Select CylR to send Infra-red commands to a Cyrus amplifier.

The remote control will switch to the selected mode. More details of the infra-red commands available are listed in the section 'Controlling a Cyrus Audio System' on page 19.

Connecting the remote control to a Streamline

Once paired, the n-remote will remain connected to a Streamline unit, whether operational or in Standby.

The n-remote will disconnect from the Streamline if the n-remote is moved out of wireless range of the Streamline whilst operational or if AC power is removed from the Streamline.

In this case, 'There was no response from the selected device' will be displayed on the n-remote.

If the n-remote has been moved out of range of the Streamline
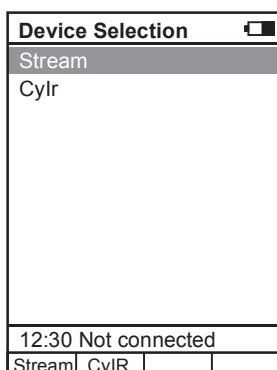
- Move the n-remote back into range of the Streamline.
- Select the 'Stream' device from the Device Selection menu, or by pressing the Stream Hot-key.

The n-remote will re-establish connection.

If AC power has been disconnected from the Streamline

- Re-connect AC power to the Streamline.
- Wait until the Streamline has completed initialisation and set to Standby.
- Select the 'Stream' device from the Device Selection menu on the n-remote, or by pressing the Stream Hot-key.
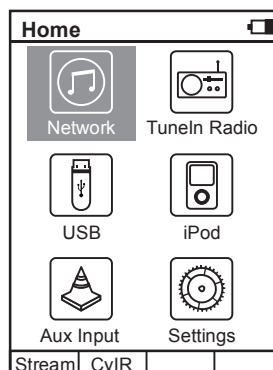
The n-remote will connect to the Streamline.

Power control

Switching on a Streamline set to Standby

- Press the ⏻ button.

The Streamline will switch on and the n-remote display will confirm this.

The Home Menu will be displayed when initialisation is complete.

To return to the Home Menu at any time

- Press the ⌂ (Home) button.

Setting the Streamline to Standby

- Press the ⏻ button.

The Streamline will switch off and the n-remote display will confirm this.

Selecting a source

From the Home Menu

- Select one of the Source Icons from the Home Menu.
  - Select the Network icon to listen to music from a music library located on a networked component.
  - Select the TuneIn Radio icon to listen to Internet Radio.
  - Select the USB icon to listen to a USB source.
  - Select the iPod icon to listen to an iPod connected to the USB port.
  - Select the Aux Input icon to open a sub-menu of the AUX sources available.

    A sub-menu will open with a list of all AUX inputs. Select the AUX input you want to play from the list.

Volume control

To set the volume from the remote control

- Press the ◁+ or ◁− button to increase or decrease the volume.

A volume level bargraph and level display will be displayed briefly. The volume setting is then displayed on the 'Now Playing' screen.

Muting the sound

- To mute the sound completely, press the ⊗ button.

The Mute symbol will be shown on the display to confirm.

- Press the ⊗ button again to restore the volume.

The 'Now Playing' display

When music is playing from a Streamline, the Now Playing display shows details of the track playing and the status and settings of the Streamline. The Now Playing display is the same whether playing music from a network server, an iPod or a USB source.
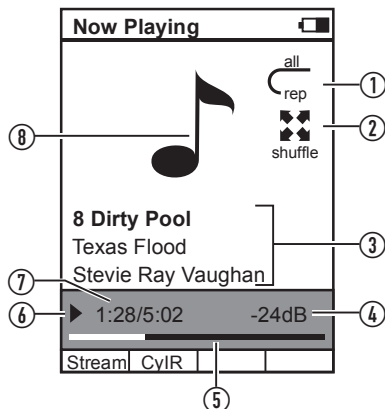

1. Repeat indicator.
2. Shuffle indicator.
3. Music file details (when available).
4. Volume level.
5. Elapsed time bargraph.
6. Play/pause indicator.
7. Elapsed time/Total time for the track.
8. Music symbol. Album art will appear here when available from the server.

NOTE: Track information and album artwork will be displayed if it is available for the track playing (for example, the ID3 tag of an FLAC file), and if the format/resolution of album artwork is compatible with the n-remote display.
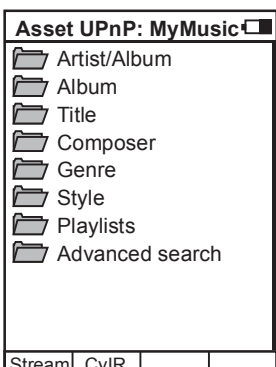
To play music from a music library on your network

From the Home Menu, select the Network option.
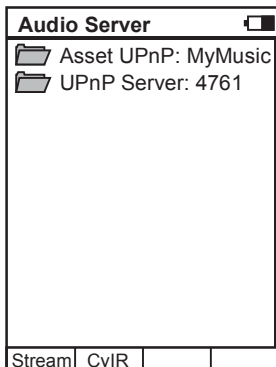
You can now browse a list of the music servers on your network.

- Select the Music Server that you want to connect to.

You can now choose how to search your music. The categories you see will be those offered by the server you selected, but will typically include album, artist, genre, playlist etc, as shown in the example.

- Select the category you want to use.

You can continue to browse and select in the same way. For example, the Genre category may include sub-categories for Blues, Classical, Country etc.

- When you have highlighted the music selection you want to play (this may be an album, a track or a complete category (for example, the Blues Genre), press the ► button.

After a short delay the music will start to play. The 'Now Playing' display will be shown.

Music will continue to play until all tracks in the selection have played. If a single track is selected, play will continue through the album containing the selected track. At the end of the selection, play will stop.

Changing tracks

- To change track, press the ►►I or I◄◄ button to select the next or previous track in the selection.

Pause

- To pause playback at any time, press the II button.

Playback will pause and the pause indicator will show.

- Press the ► button to re-start play.

Repeat

- To set a repeat mode, press the ↻ button repeatedly.

Choose from Repeat Track (displayed 'single rep') or Repeat Selection (displayed 'all rep').

- To cancel repeat modes, continue to press the ↻ button until the repeat indicators are no longer displayed.

Shuffle

- To set shuffle/random mode, press the ⤬ button.

The Now Playing display will confirm with the indication 'shuffle' and the tracks selected will play in a random sequence. The shuffle function will continue to play the selection until cancelled.

- Press the ⤬ button again to cancel shuffle mode.

NOTE: The Repeat and Shuffle functions will remain active during further music selections unless cancelled from the Now Playing screen.

Track information

The track information display shows technical information about the music file you are playing.

- Press the i button during playback.

The file format and bit-rate are displayed.

To make a new selection

- Press the ↵ key to step back through the categories and make a new selection or press the ⌂ button to choose another source.