

BETA° Microphones

EXPERT SOUND, IN EVERY DETAIL.



PRECISION-ENGINEERED PERFORMANCE FOR DEMANDING ENVIRONMENTS.

For over two decades, Beta Microphones have been the choice of top touring and recording professionals for capturing fine details in demanding acoustic environments. Each specialized model is precision-engineered for focused, accurate reproduction of the intended source. Recognized for their superior construction, low handling noise and high gain-before-feedback, Beta Microphones redefine sensitivity and control for essential, expert sound reinforcement.



VOCAL

BETA'58A

SUPERCARDIOID | DYNAMIC

Vocal Microphone

Optimized for lead vocal applications, the Beta 58A features a tight supercardioid pattern that provides maximum sound isolation and minimum off-axis tone coloration.



50Hz – 16kHz







BETA**87A**

SUPERCARDIOID | CONDENSER

Vocal Microphone

Built to withstand extreme sound pressure levels, the Beta 87A has a smooth, tailored response for warm, accurate sound and a supercardioid pattern that provides maximum sound isolation.



50Hz - 20kHz







BETA'87C

CARDIOID | CONDENSER

Vocal Microphone

With its excellent rear rejection, the cardioid polar pattern of the Beta 87C helps to compensate for the noise bleed often associated with the use of personal monitors.









BETA'53

OMNIDIRECTIONAL | CONDENSER

Headworn Vocal Microphone

Delivers detailed, uncolored vocal reproduction in a nearly invisible, lightweight and fully adjustable design.











BETA54

SUPERCARDIOID | CONDENSER

Headworn Vocal Microphone

Ideal for broadcast, theater and other applications requiring uncompromised sound quality and minimal visibility.

50Hz - 20kHz







Operating Principle















Frequency Response Flat Tailored

INSTRUMENT & DRUM

BETA 27

SUPERCARDIOID | CONDENSER

Large-Diaphragm Side-Address Microphone

Low self-noise and a supercardioid pattern that delivers high gain-before-feedback makes the Beta 27 ideal for critical live and studio applications.



20Hz - 20kHz

BETA 52A

SUPERCARDIOID | DYNAMIC

Kick Drum Microphone

Featuring an integrated locking stand adapter, the extremely rugged Beta 52A provides superb attack and "punch" that makes it ideal for kick drums and other low-frequency applications.



20Hz - 10kHz





BETA 56A

SUPERCARDIOID | DYNAMIC

Snare+Tom Drum Microphone

Specifically tailored for close miking of snares and toms, the Beta 56A features an integrated locking stand adapter and supercardioid pattern that ensures maximum sound isolation.



50Hz - 16kHz







BETA'91A

HALF-CARDIOID | CONDENSER

Boundary Microphone

Optimized for kick drums and other low frequency applications, the Beta 91A uses a low-profile boundary microphone with an integrated XLR preamplifier tailored for a strong low-frequency response.

20Hz - 20kHz









BETA'98A/C

CARDIOID | CONDENSER

Instrument Microphone

Precision-engineered with a high output miniature cardioid condenser microphone, the Beta 98A/C features a compact design for a variety of placements with acoustic or amplified instruments.

20Hz - 20kHz









BETA'57A

SUPERCARDIOID | DYNAMIC

Instrument Microphone

A tight supercardioid polar pattern allows the Beta 57A to provide high gain-beforefeedback and maximum sound isolation. with minimum off-axis tone coloration for amplified or acoustic instruments.



50Hz – 16kHz







BETA 98AMP

CARDIOID | CONDENSER

Miniature Drum Microphone

Combining an integrated XLR preamplifier with a miniature cardioid condenser microphone, the Beta 98AMP offers a flexible gooseneck for accurate placement in any configuration.



20Hz - 20kHz







BETA181

CONDENSER

Side-Address Microphone

Featuring an ultra compact, small diaphragm side-address condenser microphone with multiple polar pattern capsule options, the Beta 181 enables discreet placement and versatility in tight conditions.



20Hz - 20kHz









BETA'98AD/C

CARDIOID | CONDENSER

Drum Microphone

Built for toms, snares and percussion instruments, the Beta 98AD/C uses a miniature cardioid condenser microphone with a flexible gooseneck mount for accurate placement in any configuration.

20Hz - 20kHz







BETA'98H/C

CARDIOID | CONDENSER

Instrument Microphone

Built for brass, woodwind and percussion instruments, the Beta 98H/C uses a miniature cardioid condenser microphone with a flexible gooseneck mount that clamps directly to the bell or rim for precise positioning.

20Hz - 20kHz









Technical Specifications

Model	Туре	Frequency Response	Polar Pattern	Sensitivity (at 1 kHz, Open Circuit Voltage)		Maximum SPL (1 kHz at 1% THD)	Net Weight
BETA 27	Externally Biased Condenser	20 to 20,000 Hz	Supercardioid	-37dBV/Pa (14.13 mV)	160 Ω (at 1 kHz)	134 dB (148 dB, Pad on) (1% THD, 1,000 Ω load)	Microphone: 428 grams (15.1 oz) With Stand Mount: 537 grams (18.9 oz)
ВЕТА 52А	Dynamic	20 to 10,000 Hz	Supercardioid	-64 dBV/Pa (0.6 mV)	150 Ω (at 1 kHz)	NA	605 grams (21.6 oz)
BETA 53	Condenser (electret)	20 to 20,000 Hz	Omnidirectional	–55 dBV/Pa (1.78 mV)	136 Ω (at 1 kHz)	147 dB; (1% THD, 1,000 Ω load)	35.35 grams (1.25 oz)
BETA 54	Condenser (electret)	50 to 20,000 Hz	Supercardioid	–52 dBV/Pa (2.51 mV)	136 Ω (at 1 kHz)	149 dB; (1% THD, 1,000 Ω load)	35.35 grams (1.25 oz)
BETA 56A	Dynamic	50 to 16,000 Hz	Supercardioid	–51 dBV/Pa (2.8 mV)	290 Ω (at 1 kHz)	NA	468 grams (16.7 oz)
BETA 57A	Dynamic	50 to 16,000 Hz	Supercardioid	-51 dBV/Pa (2.8 mV)	290 \(\Omega\) (at 1 kHz)	NA	275 grams (9.6 oz)
BETA 58A	Dynamic	50 to 16,000 Hz	Supercardioid	–51.5 dBV/Pa (2.7 mV)	290 Ω (at 1 kHz)	NA	278 grams (9.92 oz)
BETA'87A	Condenser (electret)	50 to 20,000 Hz	Supercardioid	–52.5 dBV/Pa (2 mV)	100 \(\Omega\) (at 1 kHz)	140.5 dB; (0.25% THD, 1,000 Ω load)	207 grams (7.6 oz)
BETA'87C	Condenser (electret)	50 to 20,000 Hz	Cardioid	-51 dBV/Pa (2.7 mV)	100 \(\Omega\) (at 1 kHz)	139 dB; (0.25% THD, 1,000 Ω load)	207 grams (7.6 oz)
BETA' 91A	Condenser (electret)	20 to 20,000 Hz	Half-cardioid	-48.5 dBV/Pa (3.8 mV)	146 Ω (at 1 kHz)	151 dB with 1,000 Ω load	470 grams (16.6 oz)
BETA'98AMP	Condenser (electret)	20 to 20,000 Hz	Cardioid	-50.5 dBV/Pa (2.5 mV)	150 Ω (at 1 kHz)	153 dB with 1,000 Ω load	130 grams (4.6 oz)
BETÄ 98AD/C	Condenser (electret)	20 to 20,000 Hz	Cardioid	-48 dBV/Pa (3.8 mV)	179 \(\Omega\) (at 1 kHz)	144 dB with 1,000 Ω load	12 grams, less cable (0.4 oz) Preamplifier: 96 grams (3.4 oz)
ВЕТА 98А/С	Condenser (electret)	20 to 20,000 Hz	Cardioid	-48 dBV/Pa (3.8 mV)	179 Ω (at 1 kHz)	144 dB with 1,000 Ω load	12 grams, less cable (0.4 oz) Preamplifier: 96 grams (3.4 oz)
ВЕТА 98Н/С	Condenser (electret)	20 to 20,000 Hz	Cardioid	-56 dBV/Pa (1.6 mV)	150 Ω (at 1 kHz)	155 dB with 1,000 Ω load	Microphone with cable and preamplifier: 156 grams (5.5 oz)
BETA181 All Specifications Subject	Condenser (electret)	20 to 20,000 Hz	Cardioid Supercardioid Omnidirectional Bidirectional	-46.5 dBV/Pa (2.4 mV) -49.5 dBV/Pa (2.5 mV) -52.0 dBV/Pa (2.6 mV) -51.0 dBV/Pa (2.6 mV)	110 Ω (at 1 kHz)	$\begin{array}{c} 149.0 \text{ dB } (1,\!000\ \Omega\ \text{load}) \\ 152.0 \text{ dB } (1,\!000\ \Omega\ \text{load}) \\ 154.0 \text{ dB } (1,\!000\ \Omega\ \text{load}) \\ 153.50 \text{ dB } (1,\!000\ \Omega\ \text{load}) \end{array}$	145 grams (5.1 oz)

