

## Control4 Gets Russound, Cabasse Drivers

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Control4 home automation systems gain control of more audio systems with drivers for Russound and Cabasse products, simplifying integration with the popular control platform.



The drivers are compatible with the Russound MCA-66, MCA-88 and the streamer equipped MCA-88X controller amplifiers, as well as the XZon4 four-zone multi-room amplifier and the legacy X5 and DMS3.1 streams. The result allows Control4 installers to specify Russound multiroom audio products in their systems.

As for Cabasse systems, the drivers provide two-way control of the Stream whole house audio streaming range, including the StreamBASE and StreamBAR soundbase and soundbar, via TCP/IP. Discrete preset selection lets users choose music from the Control4 interface, while comprehensive metadata feedback enhances the user experiences and adds instant synchronisation with other applications.

"Our customers have been asking for Control4 drivers for the Russound and Cabasse products for some time so they can use their favourite products in their Control4 installs. So it's great news that both companies have now released them and the possibilities that this brings are considerable, with installers now more able to mix and match the hardware they want to specify with the control system they have chosen to use," distributor Connected Systems says. "For the Cabasse range in particular the addition of Control4 makes it a very powerful solution for whole house streaming, with extensive features and a very attractive profit margin when compared to other products."

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