

# COAX it out

Digital cables can make a big difference to your system's sound – yes, really. You can max your digital music, from CD player to DAC or DVD player to multichannel amplifier, by investing in one of these cables



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**CLEARER AUDIO SILVERLINE OPTIMUS**  
**£185 (0.5M)** ★★★★★

Clearly this is a premium cable for premium systems – to connect a CD player to a DAC, perhaps. But the Optimus will win you around once you plug it in. It's by far the best-sounding cable here, outgunning the opposition for bass depth, midrange drive, treble purity and soundstage openness. Its chunky Super Suppressor collars make it stand out – so does the brilliance of its sound.