# WAY OMNI BASS SERIES

The NS WAV Omni Bass combines the feel and tonal character of an electric upright bass with the ease and familiarity of the 34" scale, bridging the divide between an EUB and a bass guitar. This innovative and exhilarating instrument is one of the clearest examples of the raw conceptual energy which Ned Steinberger brings to his work. The WAV offers the combination of design, performance and affordability exceeding any other instrument in its class and true to the NS tradition, the WAV captures the essence of an acoustic, yet opens up an exciting range of new possibilities. It's a pleasure to play!

### WAV4 - 4 string (EADG) WAV5 - 5 string (BEADG)

Tuned in fourths, the fingering positions and spacing are identical to the bass guitar, and therefore immediately familiar to any bass player. The Omni Bass can also be tuned in fifths, CGDA (low to high) for 4 string, CGDAE for 5 string.

## **FEATURES**

#### Maple Neck and Body

For rich tone, strength and visual grace.

#### TransRadius<sup>™</sup> Fingerboard

Asymmetrical relief for easy playability, even in the highest positions. The fingerboard radius at the nut is 9-1/4 inches for more familiar feel for the bass guitarist. For ease of bowing, the radius at the bridge end of the fingerboard is tighter, 2 inches.

### NS Polar<sup>™</sup> Pickup System

The great natural sound of our Polar directional piezo passive pickup system responds selectively to either vertical vibration (for the sustained plucked sound, like an electric bass guitar), or lateral vibration (for dynamic bowing, and a percussive plucked sound). Battery-free operation. Volume and Tone controls; Pizzicato / Arco select switch.

### Adjustable Bridge and Two-Way Truss Rod

Tweak the neck curvature and string heights to suit your music and playing style.

Boomerang<sup>™</sup> Strap System This standard support system has a pivoting friction hub that holds the instrument firmly in place close to the body. Attached with a guitar style strap to its two support arms, the system allows the instrument to be moved into virtually any position in relation to the hands and body as it is played. Weight is .45 kg (1 lbs.).

### **NS Support System Options**

Includes Boomerang Strap System. Compatible with optional CR Tripod Stand or NXT Tripod Stand, Bass End Pin Stand or Frame Strap System.

**Compact and Light Weight** WAV4 - 7 lbs; WAV5 – 7.2 lbs. Length: 44". Width: 5.4".

### Padded Gig Bag

For the instrument and accessories. Goes anywhere, any time.





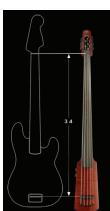












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