

Avid HiFi ISOpuks feet

ISOpuks are equipment support feet that are beautifully made from a Sorbothane compound inserted into a machined solid aluminium housing. They are designed to fit underneath any piece of audio equipment, placed so that they fit directly onto the unit's chassis and not under the existing feet. They're very easy to fit – the equipment simply rests on them. All that may be required is to remove existing feet if they are not lifted clear of the base.

ISOpuks are available in two hardness levels of Sorbothane (Isopuk 5 for 0.1-2.0Kg and Isopuk 7 for 5.0-7.0 Kg equipment) in order to ensure that performance is geared towards the specific weight of the component. Recognising that the weight of equipment is not evenly distributed (especially with valve hi-fi, where heavy transformers are often at the rear of the unit), AVID sell ISOpuks separately to allow firmer ones to be used under the heaviest areas.

Sound quality

When the ISOpuks were placed underneath my turntable, the sound stage opened up, giving more air and space around the individual instruments and vocals. Transient response was also improved as cymbals had better attack, but there was no added harshness to the string section of an orchestra.

The use of these feet with my valve CD player (using 5s at the front and 7s at the back) resulted in similar improvements and, in addition, the overall bass response was cleaner. Removing the ISOpuks gave the impression that I had smeared a thin layer of mud on my CD! These work. **NR**



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