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The SME Specialist.



Model 30/12 A

The huge success of the SME Model 30/2A and the recent introduction of the M20/12A meant that SME would inevitably produce a turntable that exploited the virtues of both machines and so the new "top of the range" M30/12A was born.

This new heavyweight machine required a new tonearm so a 12" version of the top selling Series V was produced and is entitled the Series V-12. It utilizes an extended Series V lightweight, ultra rigid magnesium arm tube and has an additional weight package to balance cartridges up to 30g .

The first printed review of the Model 30/12A stated that it "sets a new performance standard - I would never need to listen to another record deck".



Both the Model 30/2A and the 20/12A will continue in production alongside the new machine. All have the latest 8bit computer controlled power supply which is available as a substantial upgrade to older turntables.

To complement these new machines and all other SME turntables we have our own range of 5mm "Cast" acrylic lift-off turntable covers.

They are available in four different sizes with the SME Logo engraved into the top facing as an extra cost option.

ICON AUDIO

Large range of valve amplifiers at sensible prices with great sound quality.



The brilliant New PS1. Mk II & PS3 phono stages now in stock, with optional upgrades to the valves and Jensen Capacitors.



Also the new LA4 MkII pre-amp and a complete range of integrated, stereo and mono bloc valve amplifiers. The designs use triode front ends and a choice of various grades of EL34, KT88, KT90 and even 300B & 845 output valves, the choice is endless.

New models include the Stereo 20SE a KT88 powered Single Ended integrated unit, the MKIII version of the best selling Stereo 40 and the MB150 KT88/90 monoblocks.



Optional valve and Jensen capacitor upgrades available on all amplifiers.

AUDIOPHILE BASE.

Audiophile Furniture Ltd produce the highly acclaimed "BASE" and "STRATBASE" control platforms and a range of audio support stands with the control platforms playing an important part in achieving an uncoloured sound.



Although produced from lightweight materials the StarBase illustrated is easily capable of taking heavy audio equipment. Pictured is the SME Model 30/2A which weighs 42.0kg, or 92 lbs.

There are three audio support systems available all in tripod format and being modular extra tiers can easily be added. Assembly requires no tools and is quick and easy to accomplish.



The new QuattraBase pictured above is suitable for very heavy equipment, ideal for the new SME 30/12A for example. More details on our web-site.



As an upgrade from the standard audio leads supplied with most tonearms we have our own range of 99.99% high purity Silver litz audio leads. They are a considerable improvement over the standard offerings and are suitable for even the very best tonearms and turntable combinations.

As a development from the audio leads we have an interconnect version which is fitted with Gold locking plugs. Also matching Silver Litz speaker cables



SME have just released two more 12" tonearms to satisfy popular demand. The Series V-12, pictured above left is essentially a Series V but with an all new 12" pressure die-cast magnesium tonearm tube for strength and rigidity with light weight and very low resonance characteristics.

On the right is featured the all new M2-12R the only "J" shaped tonearm in the current SME range. Utilizing a stainless steel tube and the classic S2R headshell this versatile tonearm can accept cartridges up to 38.0g or 46.0g plug in units.



Glider -3 Output levels available, H2, L2 & M2



We supply cartridges from Benz Micro, The Cartridge Man and the ever popular Ortofon range.

SPU's are still available to special order.

Icon Audio are now producing the valve enthusiasts dream, a floor standing loudspeaker designed specifically for valve amplifier usage. With high sensitivity and a constant impedance even low output single ended amplifiers will drive them to high volumes. Designated the MFV 3 ("Made For Valve") it has a retail price under a £1000.00. New "MFV" speakers from Icon Audio include three bookshelf models.



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