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Models

Versions

size:	M	L
height:	47 mm	47 mm
width:	452 mm	502 mm
depth:	360 mm	450 mm
weight:	11 kg	12 kg

max. load: 40 kg per platform.

Finish

Three finishes are available to harmonise perfectly with existing hi-fi components:

dark grey

dark / light grey

light grey

bamboo

carbon

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Silence Plus

The Silence Plus combines the functions of damping and decoupling in a unique way. Painstakingly developed on the basis of our AVC technology (Adaptive Vibration Control), this platform sets new standards when it comes to damping high-end audio equipment, both in terms of absorbing vibrations generated by the device itself and in reducing external sources of degradation. This special dual function distinguishes it from the Silence, which focuses exclusively on vibration absorption aspects. Moreover, the materials used were even more precisely analysed, and the utmost care went into their selection and processing.



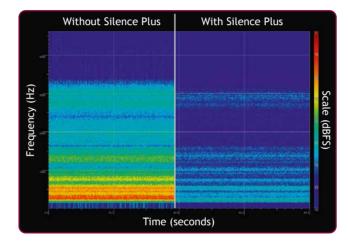
The structural design of this top-of-the-line THIXAR isolation platform comprises several layers of different, specifically selected materials. Their differing properties ensure its effectivity over a wide range of frequencies. The material selection, combination and placement is the culmination of exhaustive quantitative validation and auditioning process. This third evolution of the Silence Plus naturally follows the proven "Constrained Layer Damping" principle, i.e. the absorption of adverse energy through transitions between rigid and flexible elements.



The upper and lower surfaces of the Silence Plus are separated by a permanently elastic gel. This THIXAR-typical material has the effect of inhibiting the transmission of signals from top to bottom and vice versa. Additional materials are embedded in this special gel that selectively absorb medium-frequency vibrations and eliminate them in combination with the gel.

All of these measures give the components and circuitry of the hi-fi equipment a more precise response to match their desired sound characteristics. This significantly reduces background

noise thus making fine detail more perceptible. Thanks to the THIXAR platform, low-frequency interference is inhibited from both entering the device and being passed on to other components in the playback chain. This extends the low-end response substantially while enhancing bass definition. Spatial imaging also benefits from a Silence Plus — in all three dimensions.



Such immediately audible, quantitatively proven effects are a consequence of the unique way this THIXAR isolation platform is constructed. The Silence Plus liberates the audio equipment



resting on it from all detrimental, sound-degrading influences — both vibrations generated internally (absorption) and those arriving from the environment (decoupling). All you hear is the balanced, unadulterated sound of your equipment — and nothing else.

The design of the THIXAR Silence Plus is time-lessly modern, while simultaneously reflecting the elaborate internal construction. The platform is available in two sizes, and a variety of colour combinations allow it to be customised according to personal taste. It should be placed directly on the shelf or rack without the use of additional spikes or decouplers. Alternatively, several Silence Plus platforms can be integrated into the Serenity Plus rack system. The result is a superlative quality rack that significantly enhances the sound quality of every high-end audiophile system.

