

SANSUI SR222MKII

Two-Speed Belt-Drive Manual Turntable
with Black-Luster Finish and Impressive Performance.

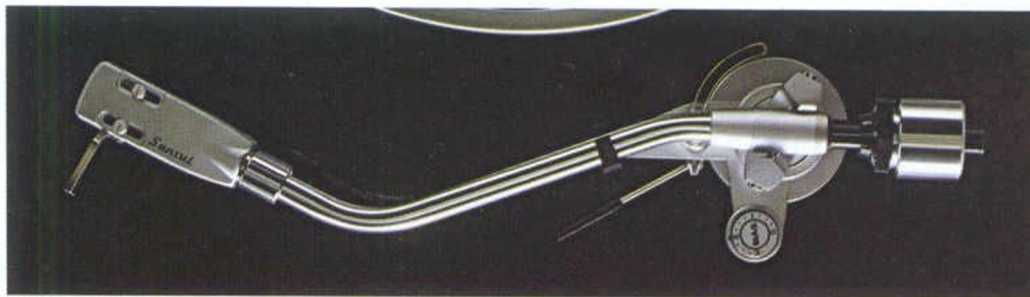
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Sansui Black-Luster Turntable, Priced to Please: SR-222 MKII



Another high-performance turntable finished in beautiful Sansui black luster is here, and we call it the SR-222 MKII. You're going to like the finish and the performance, and, happily, you're certain to like the price. This is a winner for all systems.

Witness the low wow and flutter of 0.045% (WRMS) and low S/N ratio of better than 68dB (DIN-B). Examine Sansui's precision machining as exemplified by the high-sensitivity tonearm which, we assure you, can trace any record groove with a mere 0.8 grams of tracking force. Check out the total ease-of-operation and dynamic music reproduction. The SR-222 MKII is all Sansui. Looking for Sansui turntable performance at a price that's sure to please? Ask your dealer to demonstrate the SR-222 MKII.

A tonearm so sensitive that a mere 0.8 grams is necessary for accurate record groove tracking. We've created a beautifully sensitive tonearm for this turntable, one that you'll be hard-pressed to duplicate on any other model in this price range. Trackability is a mere 0.8 grams so you use a lightweight, low-tracking-force cartridge. It is made possible by precision design of the 2-pivot support system, and then the way we precision machine and finish it. You'll note a dial on the tonearm's weight. This lets you directly read out the applied tracking force, and makes it easy to apply necessary tracking force (from 0.8 grams upward) with minimum fuss.

Here are the three features we've added to the tonearm to prevent resonance and vibration, factors that lead to sound coloration.

One is the heavy arm support section, made of

zinc alloy die-cast with high specific gravity. A second is the rugged arm base, which hugs the arm column, and is also made of zinc alloy die-cast. A third feature is the low-mass Acoustic Absorbent (Sansui Pat. Pend.), filled inside the die-cast aluminum arm pipe. With these features, reproduction was never cleaner or more transparent. And since we've added an easy-to-adjust bias adjustment, to assure accurate stylus tracking, as well as a smooth-operating Oil-Damped Cueing lever, and gold-plated head shell connectors, you're assured of extremely high performance at all times.

One-touch sliding switch for power on/off and speed change, has a bright indicator.

One switch controls power on/off and selects the desired speed, 33 $\frac{1}{3}$ or 45rpm. A bright red light on the panel lets you know the status of power on and is beautifully contrasted against the black luster cabinet.

Sansui Four-Pole Synchronous Motor assures accurate 0.045% (WRMS) wow and flutter. Two components used in the SR-222 MKII deliver silent platter operation: a time-tested belt-drive mechanism and precision 4-pole line frequency servo synchronous motor. Pitch does not vary and is completely independent of fluctuations in line voltage or record load. No speed adjustment is required, either, no matter where in the world the unit is used.

Complete motor suspension assures extra large howling margin.

The motor in this turntable is effectively insulated

from the turntable cabinet and therefore from the tonearm support. A Tripod Suspension system is employed, and this is formed of thick, natural rubber to isolate the entire drive assembly from other components, and to prevent vibration.

Heavy Platter—300mm in diameter—is die-cast for low resonance and true concentricity.

Sansui uses a diamond-tipped cutter and special polishing equipment to finish each heavy, dynamically balanced, die-cast aluminum platter. This ensures long-term mechanical accuracy. Additionally, the spindle is held snugly in a unique oil-less metal housing, with its bearing made of a rugged plastic, to complete a virtually air-tight seal.

Beautiful black luster cabinet design is distinguished by non-resonating characteristics.

The SR-222 MKII is a beautifully designed piece of equipment. Its black tone lends attractive contrast to the silver finished platter and tonearm. Functionally, the turntable cabinet is of high-mass design to increase the howling margin and lead to clear disc reproduction. Thick, heavy particleboard is used for the cabinet. And thanks to high internal loss property, spurious vibrations are effectively absorbed, and musical quality enhanced.

IM (Induced Magnet) Cartridge is included to make your musical enjoyment more satisfying.

The Sansui SC-37 Cartridge is included with the SR-222 MKII turntable. You'll like it because it features reduced distortion and clean sound from the lows to the highs.

SPECIFICATIONS

TYPE	Two-speed, belt-drive	ACCEPTABLE CARTRIDGE WEIGHT	4 to 10g	U.S.A. and Canada models	120V, 60Hz only
SPEEDS	33 $\frac{1}{3}$, 45rpm	CARTRIDGE	SC-37 (For the SR-222MKII sold outside the U.S.A., UK & Canada)	Europe models:	220V, 50Hz only
PLATTER	Aluminum alloy die-cast diameter 300mm (12")	TYPE	Induced magnet	UK models:	240V, 50Hz only
MOTOR	Four-pole synchronous	FREQUENCY RESPONSE	20 to 20,000Hz	CONSUMPTION	10 watts
PERFORMANCE		OUTPUT VOLTAGE	3.5mV per channel (1,000Hz 50mm/sec.)	DIMENSIONS	452mm (17 $\frac{3}{8}$ ")W
WOW & FLUTTER	less than 0.045% (WRMS)	OPTIMUM LOAD	47k ohms		139mm (5 $\frac{1}{2}$ ")H
SIGNAL TO NOISE RATIO	better than 68dB (DIN-B)	TRACKING FORCE	2.5g	WEIGHT	370mm (14 $\frac{1}{4}$ ")D
TO NEARM		STYLUS	SN37 0.5mil diamond spherical		6.0kg (13.2lbs.) Net
	Statically-balanced S-shaped resonance-free tubular tonearm with anti-skating device, direct readout tracking force dial, 4-contact plug-in head with gold-plated connectors	CABINETRY	Chipboard base with anti-howling insulators and hinged free-stop tinted cover	ACCESSORIES	7.4kg (16.3lbs.) Packed
LENGTH	220mm (8 $\frac{1}{4}$ ") pivot to stylus tip	POWER REQUIREMENTS			45rpm record spindle adaptor
OVERHANG	17.5mm (3/4")	VOLTAGE	120/240V (Usable 110-130/220-250V)		
MINIMUM TRACKING FORCE SETTING	0.8g (When using cartridge guaranteed to operate at 0.8g stylus pressure)		50/60Hz		

*No cartridge is provided on units sold in the U.S.A., Canada or U.K.
Design and specifications subject to change without notice for improvements.