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CD Player Reviews

Majik/Akurate



Majik CD Player in Black

AKURATE CD High Fidelity Online, Poland Dec 2007

Award of the Year - Akurate CD

'One of the very few multi-format players that is excellent in every possible format. Warm, organic sound and great culture are the most important attributes. It is like beautiful sail from CD platform to waters of the higher-resolution possibilities.'

AKURATE CD Stereoplay, Germany Jul 2007

"100 % AUDIOPHILE...The Linn truly honours its name, it's more than accurate. At long last, the dyed-in-the-wool audiophile and a multi-format player can live happily together... The AKURATE CD is a sensational audio-only universal player, offering incredibly precise imaging and extremely natural sound.... Verdict: Absolute Spitzenklasse. Value for Money: exceptional. REFERENCE."

Lab performance and ease of setup and user friendliness were also found to be outstanding!

AKURATE CD Haute-Fidelite, France Jul 2007

This review highlights the fantastic musical qualities of our new Akurate CD Player, the source component of our new Akurate system.

The reviewer notes "the Akurate CD plays a new song every time you change track or CD. This is the sign of great musicians who use their talent to communicate the author's intentions. The Akurate CD is a must buy and is an affordable high-end digital player when you consider its performance which is simply outstanding."

MAJIK CD

Stereophile, US Mar 2007

"I believe the Linn Majik CD player deserves special consideration by any shopper who needs a new source and whose budget can accommodate it. Its performance is brilliant and it offers a generally high level of value for the money. To suggest that its manufacturer has a reputation for product longevity seems like a bit of an understatement. The Linn Majik CD player delivered musical and sonic performance that was superb—no other word for it. Once again, here's a Linn that can only improve the majority of systems into which it's placed. Funny how things don't change."

MAJIK CD

Hi-Fi Choice, UK, July 2006 , July 2006

Majik System Hi-Fi Choice, UK, July 2006 Hi-Fi Choice BEST BUY "Why the new Majik CD and amp combo puts us under its spell..one thing that particularly stands out, is that the overall character of the components of this system remains impressively consistent throughout...the CD Player is almost beyond reasonable reproach on technical grounds. Distortion, noise and jitter are all good enough to make measuring them with certainty a difficult task..it does communicate the musical messages with fine clarity and aplomb."



Ikemi Mechanism

Genki

Linn Genki CD Player, Linn Majik Integrated Amplifier, Linn Ninka Floorstanding loudspeakers. Hi-Fi Choice Magazine, UK, May 2002

Linn was the high-end turntable manufacturer that took on the giants of hi-fi and won. One of the most distinctive and musical sounding systems you will find.

Ikemi

Ikemi CD Player, www.stereotimes.com , September 2002

"..from what the Ikemi achieved at its asking price, I can confidently say this: for readers who own elite CD systems of the previous generations, once you experience Ikemi's extended frequency response, resolute spectral definition, discrete dimensionality and the resultant musicality, you will not hesitate to spend the \$3,595. Of the CD systems I reviewed so far.. the under priced Linn Ikemi beseeches my top recommendation in its well-rounded overall excellence and satisfying musicality.">