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Subject: Woohoo! Brought home my new turntable today  
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The apogee of HW-19s from 1992: VPI HW-19 MK IV with viscous-damped SME III arm, Grado Platinum cartridge, Stand-Alone Motor and PLC power line conditioner. This last of the line has the TNT heavy platter and super armboard. I was able to travel just 70 miles (HAH!) to pick it up from a terrific new audio friend, Herman Ford, on the south side of Cleveland. Before packing it up we sat and listened to Ben Webster and a RED disc Count Basie. Yeah! Turns out Herman just returned from RMAF, his third, and related some of his impressions. He's got a Scheu on order to replace the VPI and settle in with his Cary components and B&W speakers. Nice rig!

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