
Subject: 20uF Cap for 4Pi Cross Over
Posted by [Norbert](#) on Wed, 20 Aug 2008 00:35:16 GMT
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I'm trying to source the 20uF film caps but don't see much selection out there that don't cost an arm and leg. Aside from Dayton (PartExpress), Clarity (E-Speakers), Solen, or motor run is there any other ones I should be looking? Thanks, Norbert

Subject: Re: 20uF Cap for 4Pi Cross Over
Posted by [Wayne Parham](#) on Wed, 20 Aug 2008 01:12:35 GMT
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The poly caps from those manufacturers all sound very good, as do Erse. As you say, there are some high end caps that sound nice also, but at 10x the price. The Daytons, Solens and Erse caps are great sounding for the money.

Subject: Re: 20uF Cap for 4Pi Cross Over
Posted by [Matts](#) on Wed, 20 Aug 2008 02:48:28 GMT
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the Obligato basic cap from diyhifi in Hong Kong cost under \$10 in that size, and will rival an Auricap.

Subject: Re: 20uF Cap for 4Pi Cross Over
Posted by [Norbert](#) on Wed, 20 Aug 2008 03:23:17 GMT
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Hi Matt, The Obligato's from <http://www.diyhifisupply.com> only comes in 22uF I am trying to stick closer to 20uF as per Wayne's suggestion from previous post. I guess technically it is within the design's tolerance. Thanks.

Subject: Re: 20uF Cap for 4Pi Cross Over
Posted by [Bill Epstein](#) on Wed, 20 Aug 2008 03:34:15 GMT
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I'm using the 22uF Obbligato right now but also tried the 20uF Aerovox motor run caps. Very little difference, if any.

Subject: Re: 20uF Cap for 4Pi Cross Over
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get two tens in parallel? I've used 2 tens and a 1.5 before, North Creeks, with no probs. I replaced them with the big Obligatos.

Subject: Re: 20uF Cap for 4Pi Cross Over
Posted by [Norbert](#) on Wed, 20 Aug 2008 05:18:57 GMT
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motor runs may be the way to go. A friend of a friend is in the heating repair business and he is collecting used motor run caps for me. Thanks.
