Subject: 3Pi to 4Pi
Posted by Champion on Fri, 24 Oct 2008 13:10:37 GMT
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Hi Wayne,After living with 3 Pi, I am itched to try the 4 Pi at some stage. Seems like everyone is going for 4 Pi and there aren't many 3 Pi users. Is the upgrade worthy? What parts can be reused - are the crossover circuits the same with differences in component values, or are the circuits totally different? How about the horn? I assume the compression driver can be reused? Thanks.

Subject: Re: 3Pi to 4Pi
Posted by Wayne Parham on Fri, 24 Oct 2008 17:34:12 GMT
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I like both speakers. They are about the same size and have similar sonic character. The biggest

model. It sounds smoother and more detailed at the same time, and is less fatiguing at high volume levels or after extended listening periods.You might also want to consider upgrading the

speakers. Depending on the tweeter used, you may have to change R1/R2. Do make sure you use the new 2008 crossover, as the improvements made around the first of the year make a difference. The changes are subtle but significant, and you can re-use many of the same components.

Subject: Re: 3Pi to 4Pi
Posted by Champion on Sat, 25 Oct 2008 05:44:08 GMT
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Hi Wayne, yes, I am already using the DE250 tweeter. And since I got the crossover from you earlier this year (around March), I assume it is the new 2008 version?May I have the 4 pi plan please? Thanks.

Subject: Re: 3Pi to 4Pi
Posted by Wayne Parham on Sun, 26 Oct 2008 04:39:52 GMT
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Very good.  You have the 2008 crossover then.