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Subject: Anti Skate

Posted by [Sanyo](#) on Sun, 21 Aug 2005 06:27:35 GMT

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Hi Has anyone got a good definition of Anti Skate?

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Subject: Re: Anti Skate

Posted by [Manualblock](#) on Sun, 21 Aug 2005 12:29:25 GMT

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A person who hates to skate. No; seriously it is the concept that rotational forces on the tonearm seek to pull it into the center of the record thereby creating unequal groove wear. Anti-skate seeks to apply a counter-force that keeps the needle centered in the groove. Some use a spring mechanism; some use magnets, there are other ways also.

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