
Subject: Audio Product Testers
Posted by [Azuri](#) on Sun, 10 Nov 2019 12:00:03 GMT
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I know paid product testers are a thing, but is there any company specific to audio products? This would be great for my own personal situation and I'm running up against brick walls trying to find this specific niche in this industry.

Subject: Re: Audio Product Testers
Posted by [Rusty](#) on Sun, 10 Nov 2019 14:35:02 GMT
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I've seen youtube evaluations, reviews of some audio devices. Primarily phono cartridges and preamps. I don't read the audio rags and their reviews. They're so compromised by advertising revenue influence that it's biased the review process. Rooting around the web and audio forums are about the best I can do. Then you roll the dice.

Subject: Re: Audio Product Testers
Posted by [Miami](#) on Tue, 12 Nov 2019 18:55:49 GMT
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You might want to try the companies that either make audio equipment, sell it, or both. Most product testing companies take any product they can get, so if you go straight to source you might get some work.

Subject: Re: Audio Product Testers
Posted by [The Noise](#) on Fri, 28 Aug 2020 02:18:43 GMT
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If you have, or get, a large enough You Tube following in this niche then companies will respond to your inquiries about this. They won't compensate anyone for reviews if no one see's the reviews.

Subject: Re: Audio Product Testers
Posted by [Strum Drum](#) on Wed, 07 Oct 2020 23:58:05 GMT
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Subject: Re: Audio Product Testers

Posted by [pietro111](#) on Tue, 03 Oct 2023 12:50:14 GMT

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I'm an audio products tester myself and I can tell you that some companies are more willing than other to send stuff or pay for the reviews. Usually they send me amplifiers, DACs and headphone for 30 days, than I publish a review, and I send the stuff back to the producer.

Reviews based on product testing with products sent by companies tend not to be too negative, however, it should be considered that often the reviewer already asks to test products of his interest, and that he will probably like... Moreover, there is still a considerable difference between a positive review and an enthusiastic review, so a certain degree of objectivity remains. This is my opinion, at least.

Subject: Re: Audio Product Testers

Posted by [Clint](#) on Fri, 27 Feb 2026 05:47:40 GMT

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This is often based on whether the company sending these stuff feel like you have the pull that they need. Having a big followers on YouTube, for example, is a major consideration for most of them. So, how did you end up getting such a deal?
