Subject: quarter inch tape deck question
Posted by radman16 on Thu, 12 Oct 2006 03:12:24 GMT
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Hi!I hope I may find some help here... I am looking for some info on how to transfer rather antique (late 50's, early 60's) home recording, consumer-level 1/4" reel tapes to digital. I need to find a deck that will accomplish this. At this point, I need to find a tech info on what machine to look for. If any of you audiophiles could point me in the right direction (more appropriate forum or info), I'd appreciate it big time. Thanks!Rad

Subject: Re: quarter inch tape deck question
Posted by Wayne Parham on Sat, 14 Oct 2006 17:47:33 GMT
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Reel-to-reel decks like you're talking about are still pretty popular with audiophiles. I still have a Panasonic RT-909 and I like it a lot. You might look for one for yourself. Try eBay and Audiogon.

Subject: Re: quarter inch tape deck question
Posted by Listens2tubes on Sun, 28 Jan 2007 18:51:44 GMT
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Do you know if the tapes are Stereo or Mono? Tapes of that vintage are most likely 2-track Stereo which newer 4-track Stereo machines may noy be able to play. Some older machines like Magnecord are switchable for 2 or 4 track playback.