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Subject: Hey Wayne, what's up with this gizmo?  
Posted by [lon](#) on Sun, 24 Sep 2006 17:34:32 GMT

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I just saw this thing at Tiger Direct. No clue as to whether it's worth the dough but it has solid 5 star reviews from buyers. Is this just black box snake oil or what? I figured you'd know a scam from an actual functioning device. True that the software content is unknown, but I've put off ripping LP's for a long time due to setup problems and quality of sound. For instance, the review info says the software will split tracks. I have Audiograbber which is supposed to do that but it never worked right.

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Subject: Re: Hey Wayne, what's up with this gizmo?  
Posted by [Wayne Parham](#) on Mon, 25 Sep 2006 05:16:22 GMT

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It's just an ADC designed to connect using a USB port. The price isn't bad, so I don't think there's any harm checking it out. Let us know what you think if you get one.

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Subject: Re: Hey Wayne, what's up with this gizmo?  
Posted by [lon](#) on Sat, 30 Sep 2006 19:12:43 GMT

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Well, unless there's a Kruger and inside it, anything that small isn't worth 60 balloons. But it might go on deal at TigerDirect. My home studio is still a long way from completion. A toy like that would be somewhere in my future when the turntable is set up.