
Subject: Pi Studio 2 WOW!!!

Posted by [CyberSlacker](#) on Wed, 31 Jul 2002 18:42:51 GMT

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finished em last night, VERY KOOL !!UNBELIEVABLE sound for the price.what a deal.i have heard speakers costing 1k that can't compete with em25 watts of tube power is plenty, and i am a rocker.you are really missing out if you don't use em with tubes.questions welcome, markps: i used 3/4" MDF

Subject: Re: Pi Studio 2 WOW!!!

Posted by [trancemitr](#) on Thu, 01 Aug 2002 08:27:48 GMT

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I'd just like to see some pictures. Did you veneer? Did you buy the kit, or did you get all of the parts yourself?Kevin

Subject: Re: Im confused?

Posted by [Jerry Parker](#) on Fri, 02 Aug 2002 11:35:36 GMT

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"25 watts of tube power is plenty, and i am a rocker.you are really missing out if you don't use em with tubes."I dont understand, why would they sound bad with a transistor based amplifier? This concerns me, as I have heard a pair of the 1pi's and they sounded great, but they were run off a transistor amplifier. Would the sound be a lot better with a tube amp? What about the tube amp makes it better?

Subject: Re: Im confused?

Posted by [spkrman57](#) on Fri, 02 Aug 2002 13:20:03 GMT

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Jerry, Not to worry, tube amp lovers find the sound of a low powered tube amp to sound almost the equal of a solid state amp that is as much as 5 times as much wattage. I myself, if Ohio was not already 90 degrees in the shade as it has been, I too would be running tubes. I will wait for wintertime so my AC has a fighting chance. I am using a Marantz 2215B receiver that is rated at 15 watts per channel and will tell you I prefer its sound to my 200-250 watt per channel amps on

my 4 Pi-pro's. The low powered (less than 20wpc) Marantz have a (almost) tubelike sound quality to them. Tube amps have the ability to reproduce all the notes at a lower wattage level, while solid state you usually have to turn up the wattage to have all the music sound at a even level.

Anyways, what I am trying tyo say is, enjoy your solid state amp, but if you should come across a 5 to 30 watt tube amp, you might start joining in on the praises of VACUM TUBES also. Regards,
Capt Ron
