Subject: Studio 2s and a vote of confidence Posted by JLapaire on Mon, 30 Sep 2002 10:02:18 GMT

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Wayne, this is what happened to those Studio 2 kits you sent me. The boxes came from some speakers I made for my sister 25 years ago that the drivers rotted out of. Slightly oversized for the stock 2 Pi, but modelled well and sound great. The dings and scratches were sanded and covered with 3 coats of PolyShades. I put in some .5 mh coils, but haven't listened to them without to see what the difference might be. Grilles will go on when I get around to making them.John

Subject: nice job, and recycling Posted by Sam P. on Mon, 30 Sep 2002 10:22:50 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

decent older enclosures is a great way to economize or just save time when building "new" speakers. Man, look at the reflection of that window sill trim in the side of the speaker, very smooth and shiny looking:) Sam

Subject: Re: Studio 2s and a vote of confidence Posted by replay on Mon, 30 Sep 2002 10:33:15 GMT

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well done! they look fantastic. george

Subject: Re: stunning

Posted by bmar on Mon, 30 Sep 2002 11:47:44 GMT

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Those look really nice! nice goingBill

Subject: Re: Studio 2s and a vote of confidence

Posted by BillEpstein on Mon, 30 Sep 2002 14:44:26 GMT

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Incroyable!, M. JLapaire.And after I spent the morning of my day off stripping ALL the veneer from one cabinet. Sacre bleu!D'ONT leave globs of glue on the veneer to dry, it ain't coming off. Grilles seem more important with these Alpha's than the Delta's, don't they? They're kinda ugly next to a nice wood finish. The tweeter looks good, tho'.Anybody have a source for the kind of grill cloth that's stretchy and has an elastic around it that you pull over the baffle?

Subject: Those look great!

Posted by Wayne Parham on Mon, 30 Sep 2002 14:51:46 GMT

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Truly outstanding!

Subject: oh man....

Posted by roland on Mon, 30 Sep 2002 15:20:08 GMT

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great job!

Subject: Re: Suzy Homemaker

Posted by bmar on Mon, 30 Sep 2002 15:40:27 GMT

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break out the Singer and have at it. Chorus sings in the background...he's a mean one, Mr Grinch

Subject: Grille cloth

Posted by JLapaire on Mon, 30 Sep 2002 16:39:51 GMT

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Till, Yeah, they're a bit ugly - er plain. (in a really nice way, Wayne)I found a source for grille cloth material - a little stretchy, acoustically near-transparent, but not cheap. It was the graduation robe I hadda buy in '95 when I finally made it through college! (high school class of '74) Made several mighty nice grille covers after washing the sprayed champagne out of it. Hope this helps. John

Subject: Grill cloth from Parts Express is pretty stretchy. Posted by Garland on Tue, 01 Oct 2002 13:38:06 GMT

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It's what I used for my Theater 4's. The cloth stretched over the MDF frames, stapled and glued in the rear (ow!), and has held up with no sagging or distortion of the relatively thin frame. It is not totally transparent to Hi Freqs. so for serious listening they come off.G.

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