

## **SPECIAL UNPACKING INSTRUCTIONS**

### **READ CAREFULLY!**

1. The turntable base and dust cover are suspended from the sides by two molded styrofoam support blocks. Reach underneath the base and pull it out along with the blocks and dust cover.
  2. Carefully remove the styrofoam blocks. Remove the plastic bag from the base.
  3. Set the dust cover aside until after the turntable has been set up and adjusted.
  4. Inside the carton is another styrofoam block containing the turntable platter, record mat, and several other parts. Remove the turntable platter and mat.
  5. Place the platter over the spindle of the turntable motor. The platter is held on the tapered spindle only by gravity. It will turn freely. Do not lean on the platter as you assemble the rest of the turntable, or you may damage the motor bearings.
  6. Place the turntable mat on the platter.
  7. To prevent shipping damage, the tone arm is secured to its arm rest and bolstered with small styrofoam blocks. Remove the blocks, but leave the arm tied down until you are ready to install a phono cartridge.
  8. Among the parts left in the carton are two counterweights. The larger counterweight has a stylus pressure scale plate attached (the numerals are printed on the scale plate). Attach the counterweight to the rear of the tone arm with the scale plate facing forward (toward the pivot of the arm). Gently push it inward until it clicks in a detent. Then screw it toward the tone arm pivot until it reaches mid position.
  9. Attach the smaller counterweight to the tone arm directly behind the large counterweight.
  10. Place the 45 rpm adaptor on the small post provided on top of the base.
  11. Remove the cartridge shells from the carton and prepare a work area to mount your phono cartridge.
  12. Your turntable is now assembled. Refer to the handbook of instructions for step-by-step setup procedures.
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