

ULTRASONIC RECORD CLEANER USER INSTRUCTIONS

- Cleaner Capacity = 6 liters (1.585 gallons)
- 91% Isopropyl Alcohol -- \approx 6 oz. per 1½-gallons of distilled water
- \approx 6 drops of Kodak Photo Flo to 1½-gallons of distilled water
- Use distilled water only – other bottled waters have minerals in solution that can leave deposits on the records.
- Set operating temperature to 40° C. (104° F.)
- Set run time to 10 to 15 minutes for best results

General Recommendations:

1. Before spooling dirty records it is advisable to wipe any excess dust and grime off of the records for the best results to limit contamination of the cleaning solution.
2. Spool the dirty records while holding the motor drive shaft rather than trying to spool the records with the motor and shaft attached to the support bracket at the upper most position. It is easier and it does not stress the lower joint of the bracket.
3. Only remove the cleaned records from the spool while wearing un-powdered vinyl surgical gloves. The cleaned records will attract finger oil easily and you will undo what the cleaning accomplished.
4. It is helpful to the drying process if you can blow off loose water with compressed air or shake off loose water. Either with or without the blow or shake-off step the cleaned records should be racked for air drying overnight to assure that all of the moisture has evaporated so you only sleeve and put away dry records. Choices of racks are numerous. The least expensive are file folder racks that you can buy at an office supplies store such as Office Depot as one example.
5. Do not use the record sleeves the records came in. Buy and use new vinyl sleeves available on eBay and Music Direct.
6. Mark the record jackets so you know which records were cleaned in your new ultrasonic record cleaner.

Now enjoy the silent background!