



(on Stabi M turntable)

Instruction manual

KUZMA OUTER (RING) CLAMP for Kuzma turntables
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The **Outer clamp** is a very precisely engineered piece of equipment. Its purpose is to clamp the outer rim of the record (with its weight) firmly to the platter. This ensures that records are flat and firmly pressed against the turntable's mat.



Fig. 1. Outer clamp

The clamp is machined from solid bronze. It should be handled with care because the inner edge, which touches the top of the outer edge of the record, is very thin and sensitive.



Fig. 2. Outer clamp- upside down

Choice of outer clamp:

Outer clamp 2.0 kg (h= 32mm) **Stabi XLs and Stabi M turntables.**
Outer clamp **lighter** 1.3 kg (h= 22mm) **Stabi Ref and Stabi S turntables**

How to use clamp:

First put the record on the platter and then gently lower outer clamp on top. Check that clamp edge sits flat on the record without any gap. First use it without record to see how outer clamp will fit.

Lighter outer clamp:

The lighter clamp must be used on Stabi S, Stabi Ref, Ref 2. On a suspended turntable like Stabi Ref the outer clamp must be left on the platter permanently to keep the top chassis in the correct height position. You can leave the outer clamp on the platter and still listen records without pressing records down. It is also possible to use the lighter outer clamp on Stabi XLs and Stabi M turntables.

How to fit clamp:

On the stationary platter without record, gently fit the outer clamp. Move it around a little to see if there is a lot of slack in the horizontal plane. If it fits too tightly on the platter rim do not push it down! Consult us! If it fits OK, remove it and put record on platter and then put the outer clamp on the record. Be sure that the cartridge can pass the outer clamp without the diamond tip touching it. Reposition the tonearm or cueing device if necessary!

If it is too slack you can add 3 pieces of selfadhesive sticker plates on the inside wall nearer the threads and recheck the slack. If it is still too much add another 3 pcs. If the clamp feels too tight to fit on the platter remove 3 pieces of plates at a time. See photo Fig. 3.



Fig. 3. Stickers position

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