

Kuzma SAFIR 9

ANALOGUE TONEARM

he Kuzma SAFIR 9 tonearm is the culmination of five years of in-depth research. Using the company's proprietary multi-point bearing system derived from the 4Point tonearms, the SAFIR 9 features an armtube crafted from engineering-grade synthetic sapphire. Weighing 1250g with an effective mass of 60g, the 9" arm demands a high-mass turntable, but delivers anti-resonance properties far beyond those of metal-tubed arms.

Stunning bass

Kuzma's SAFIR 9 displays stunning bass reproduction capabilities, characterised by precise control and musical articulation across the frequency spectrum. Its adept handling of the lower frequencies, extending seamlessly through the midrange, produce a sound of musicality and authority. This sonic authority makes the

SAFIR 9 a vital addition to the analogue playback landscape. The SAFIR 9's ability to deliver a dynamic, transparent soundstage is only matched by its portrayal of low-level musical detail and its expressive clarity.

Our test underscored the SAFIR 9's paradigm-shifting performance. The tonearm's ability to redefine the benchmarks for analogue playback left editor Alan Sircom almost awestruck in our test. He felt that the Kuzma SAFIR 9 is an unrivalled pinnacle of tonearm engineering excellence, poised to revolutionise the vinyl playback domain for high-end audiophiles seeking uncompromising sound quality and musical immersion from their highend turntable designs. This makes it a perfect partner for Kuzma's XL turntable platform, too.

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