

Fitting and Connecting Instructions for Garrard Plug-in Pickup Cases

There are several types of Garrard plug-in pickup cases for use with various Garrard units as follows:—

Case Type No.	For use on Garrard Units
M24	RC.98 and RC.88 Record Changers. 4SPA and TA Single Record Players.
M34	RC.121/Mk.II Record Changer.
M44	As M34 but white for use on 4HF Single Record Player. TPA12 Transcription Pickup Arm,
M5	Model 210 Record Changer. RC.88/Mk.II (Brown). Auto Turntable Unit Type A.

The above pickup cases will, with the accessories supplied with them, enable most makes of pickup cartridges to be fitted.

A thin section in front of the case can be broken away to accommodate the knob of turnover type cartridges, instead of this thin section, a removable rubber grommet may be fitted. A hole is provided in top of the case, covered by the Garrard name plate, for the knob of turn round stylus type or cartridge.

As these pickup cases are easily plugged in to the pickup arm, single stylus cartridges can be fitted, using a separate case for each type of cartridge.

The fixing accessories provided with each case comprises two screws 6BA x 5/16", two screws 6BA x 7/32", two stand-offs, two thin washers, two thick washers and one sub plate.

No difficulty should be found in assembling and connecting most makes of cartridge, two lengths of screws are supplied as the longer ones will be required for certain thick cartridges.

The two thick washers should be assembled under the harness of the cartridge should the stylus not project far enough below the edge of case.

The two thin washers may be required for use under the screw heads where the holes in the harness are larger than the screw heads. On some cartridges the thin washers will not be required. Centralise the cartridge before tightening the screws.

For cartridges having the turn round type of stylus, the Garrard name plate should be removed by pushing it out from inside and replacing it with the sub plate. Take care not to lose the two 6BA nuts underneath the plate.

Connecting Instructions:—

All Garrard record reproducing units are now wired to take stereophonic as well as monophonic pickups.

Assemble the cartridge as instructed and connect the colour coded leads in the moulding to the connecting lugs on the cartridge, the connecting pins supplied should be used if the cartridge terminations are sockets. Information on the cartridge connections are usually supplied with it.

The lead colour coding is as follows:—

Brown	—	Right Channel
Grey	—	Left Channel
Black	—	Right Channel Earth (Ground)
Blue	—	Left Channel Earth (Ground)

For cartridges having three connections use the black lead as the common or join the black and blue lead together, and use these as a common.

For monophonic cartridges use the brown and black leads.

Tuck away or cut off any leads not required.

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