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Model: Replacement Turntable Needle

INTRODUCTION

This manual provides essential instructions for the proper installation, operation, and maintenance of your Durpower replacement phonograph record turntable needle. Following these guidelines will ensure optimal performance and longevity of your new stylus.

This replacement stylus is compatible with various EMERSON turntable models, including: **727, ARS126, ARS127, DS50, LS400, LS404, M126, M2150, M2152, M2350, M2370, M2450.**

PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The Durpower replacement turntable needle is designed to restore the audio quality of your phonograph. It features a .7 mil diamond tip, suitable for playing records at 33 and 45 RPM speeds.

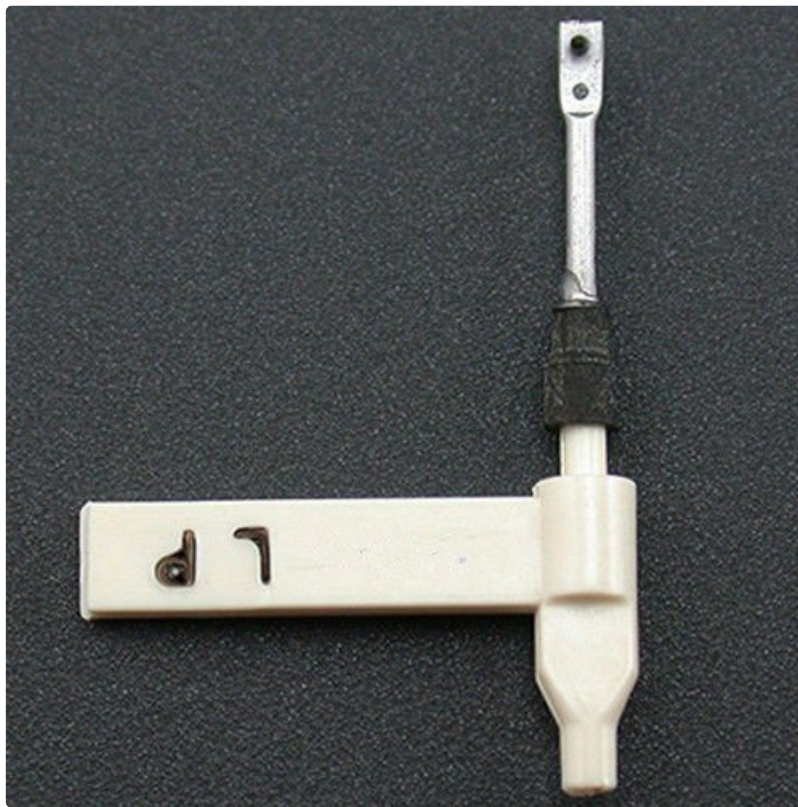


Image: Durpower replacement phonograph record turntable needle. This image displays the stylus, highlighting its diamond tip and the structure designed for cartridge attachment. It is a new, factory-sealed replacement stylus.

SETUP AND INSTALLATION

1. **Power Off:** Before beginning, ensure your turntable is completely powered off and unplugged from the electrical outlet to prevent accidental damage or injury.
2. **Locate Old Stylus:** Carefully identify the existing stylus on your turntable's cartridge. It is typically located at the front underside of the tonearm.
3. **Remove Old Stylus:** Gently grasp the old stylus assembly and pull it forward and slightly downward, away from the cartridge body. Avoid excessive force to prevent damage to the tonearm or cartridge.
4. **Unpack New Stylus:** Carefully remove the new Durpower replacement stylus from its packaging. Handle it by the plastic body, avoiding contact with the delicate diamond tip.
5. **Install New Stylus:** Align the new stylus with the cartridge body. Gently push it upwards and backwards until it clicks securely into place. Ensure it is seated firmly and level.
6. **Inspect Installation:** Visually confirm that the new stylus is correctly installed and that the diamond tip is visible and undamaged.
7. **Power On:** Plug in and power on your turntable.

Caution: The stylus tip is extremely delicate. Handle with care to avoid bending or breaking it. Do not touch the diamond tip with your fingers.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

- **Record Placement:** Place your record gently on the turntable platter.
- **Tonearm Handling:** Use the tonearm lift lever to raise and lower the tonearm. Avoid manually dropping the tonearm onto the record, as this can damage both the stylus and the record.

- **Stylus Contact:** Carefully position the stylus over the lead-in groove of the record before lowering the tonearm.
- **Speed Selection:** Ensure your turntable is set to the correct speed (33 or 45 RPM) for the record you are playing.
- **Record Cleaning:** Always play clean records. Dust and debris can accumulate on the stylus and degrade sound quality, as well as cause premature wear.

MAINTENANCE

- **Stylus Cleaning:** Regularly clean the stylus tip using a soft stylus brush, brushing gently from back to front (in the direction of play). Do not brush side-to-side. Use a specialized stylus cleaning fluid if necessary, applied sparingly to the brush, not directly to the stylus.
- **Record Cleaning:** Keep your records clean using a record brush or cleaning solution to minimize dust transfer to the stylus.
- **Stylus Inspection:** Periodically inspect the stylus tip for wear or damage using a magnifying glass. A worn stylus can damage your records and degrade sound quality. Replace the stylus if it appears bent, chipped, or excessively worn.
- **Storage:** When not in use, ensure the tonearm is secured in its rest and the stylus guard (if available) is in place to protect the tip.

TROUBLESHOOTING

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Poor sound quality (muffled, distorted)	Dirty stylus, worn stylus, incorrect tracking force, dirty record.	Clean stylus. Inspect stylus for wear and replace if necessary. Check turntable's tracking force setting. Clean record.
Skipping or jumping	Dirty record, damaged record, incorrect tracking force, turntable not level, damaged stylus.	Clean record. Ensure turntable is on a level surface. Check tracking force. Inspect stylus for damage and replace if necessary.
No sound or very low sound	Stylus not properly seated, loose connections, amplifier issues.	Ensure stylus is fully inserted into the cartridge. Check all audio cable connections. Verify amplifier settings.

SPECIFICATIONS

- **Tip:** .7 mil Diamond
- **Speeds:** 33 & 45 RPM
- **Condition:** New old stock (factory sealed box)
- **ASIN:** B019HBGQ64
- **Date First Available:** December 17, 2015

WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

This product is a replacement part. For specific warranty information, please refer to the original purchase documentation or contact the retailer from whom you purchased this stylus. For technical support or further assistance, please contact the manufacturer or your product supplier.

Always ensure you are using the correct replacement part for your specific turntable model to avoid damage and ensure optimal performance.

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