# **Owner's Manual**

# *T-1000* MC STEPUP TRANSFORMER



Thank you for purchasing Phasemation product.

Read your Owner's Manual thoroughly for proper operation before starting to use your equipment.

Please keep your Owner's Manual with caution.

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## Safety Instructions

Before starting to use

In this owner's manual and on the product, various pictures are used to show our customers how to use Phasemation T-2000 safely and properly in order to avoid the loss of customer's assets and to protect our customers from harm.

Indication Mark Ex. / Inside the diagrams or nearby shows in detail what is prohibited.

**Electric Shock Caution** 'Y  $\Delta$ This sign states that there are contents that urges caution



**Disassembly Prohibited** 

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Pull out the power plug from the outlet

(including danger/warning).



♦ This sign states prohibited action.

This sign states that there are contents that forces or instructs action.

WARNINGS If this indication is ignored and handled incorrectly, these contents show that there is a possibility that can cause death or severe injury of a person.			
•	Do not use the equipment being broken.	● In case this equipment falls or is damaged, or the abnormal sound is brought, stop it and consult your dealer. If continuing using without measure, it can be caused to malfunction. Never repair it because repairs done by the user is very dangerous.	
	Never remodel the equipment.	<ul> <li>Disassembling or remodeling this unit not only causes it to be damaged but can affect other devices. Therefore never disassemble or remodel.</li> </ul>	
T T T T T T T T T T T T T T T T T T T	Never install the equipment near water.	<ul> <li>Do not use the equipment in the bathroom. This can result in a risk of fire or electric shock.</li> <li>The equipment is designed for using indoors. Do not expose the equipment to water. This can result in a risk of failures, fire, and electric shock.</li> </ul>	
	Never put an object filled with water on the equipment.	• Do not put a vase, flower pot, glass or any object filled with skin lotion, cup, chemical, water, or small metal object on the equipment. In case the liquids are spilled or fall inside the equipment, this can result in a risk of fire or electric shock.	
$\bigcirc$	Never put an object inside the equipment.	If a foreign object has fallen inside the equipment, contact the dealer. To keep using the equipment can result in a risk of fire or electric shock.	

<b>CAUTION</b> If this indication is ignored and handled incorrectly, these contents show that there is a possibility that people can get injured or objects can get damaged.			
$\bigcirc$	Do not place on top of unstable places.	Do not place on top of unstable places such as wobbling stands or tilted areas. It can fall or drop on the ground and cause injury.	
$\bigcirc$	Do not set anything heavy on top.	<ul> <li>Do not set anything heavy or any big object that sticks out of the edge of this unit. It can loose its balance and fall or drop on the ground, and cause injury.</li> </ul>	
0	When moving it	When moving it, turn the power switch off of connected devices and disconnect cords and then move it. If not, the cords could get damaged and can cause fire or electric shock.	
$\oslash$	Places which are not suitable for installation	<ul> <li>Places where it comes into contact with soot or steam such as kitchen counters and humidifiers.</li> <li>Places where there is too much humidity or dust.</li> <li>Hot areas such as near heaters or places where it comes into contact with direct sunlight. It may cause fire or electric shock.</li> </ul>	
	■ Connection	• When connecting with other audio equipments, read the manual of the equipments, turn the power switch off, and connect according to the instructions.	

### **Usage Cautions**

Installation place

In order to use the equipment for a long time, follow the instructions shown in below:

- Do not install this equipment near a heat source such as direct sun light, a stove and so on.
- Do not use this equipment at a poorly-ventilated, humid or dusty place.
- Do not install this equipment at an unstable place such as a slope or a vibrating place.
- Do not install this equipment near the window where the equipment can be exposed to rain.
- Do not place this equipment somewhere that can come in contact with soot or steam such as a kitchen counter or humidifier.
- Avoid using this equipment on an equipment generating heat such as an amplifier.
- Do not place this equipment near a power supply transformer or a motor of another equipment.

#### Repair

• In case of the equipment failure consult the dealer.

## Care of Equipment

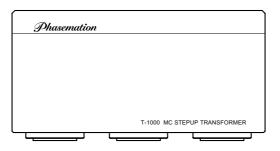
◎ If the equipment is covered with dust or dirt clean it with a soft cloth.

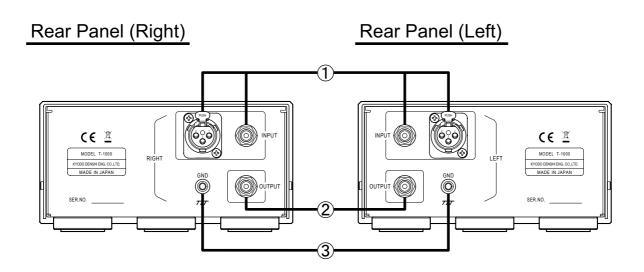
- ◎ If the equipment is covered with heavy dust put a very thin mild detergent on a soft cloth. Wring the cloth and wipe off the dust and dirt. Then clean with a dry soft cloth.
- O Never use chemical agents such as thinner, naphtha or alcohol when cleaning it. If any of them is attached to the equipment, the silk printing can be flaked or the surface can lose metal luster.

### Names and Functions

#### Front Panel

\* The left and right are in common for the front panel.





(1) Phono Input Terminals

Connect the audio cables, L and R, from your analog disc player. There are RCA terminals and XLR terminals. If both of them are connected at the same time, the sound may lose quality and may cause noises.

- \* For a balanced connection, compatible phono cables should be connected to the XLR or RCA terminals.
- \* No.1 of the XLR terminal is GND, No.2 is HOT and No.3 is COLD.

#### -( Caution

• For the input, do not connect the RCA terminal and XLR terminal at the same time.

• This unit is designed for a balanced connection due to a 2 core shield line. Therefore, for an unbalanced connection due to a 1 core shield line, it is liable to receive noises. Be especially careful when using a cartridge with high impedance.

#### (2) Phono Output Terminals

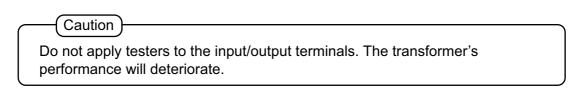
Connect them with the MM input terminals of a pre-amplifier or phono amplifier.

\* Never connect them to the MC terminals or the excessive input will distort the sound.

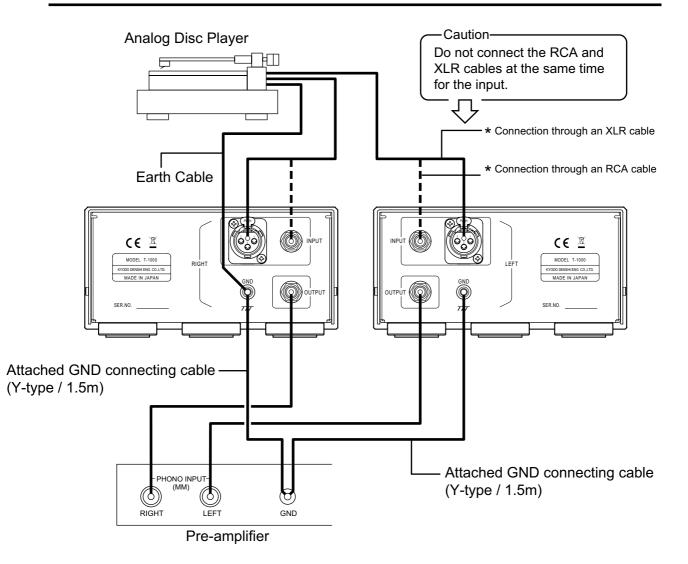
(3) GND Terminals

Connect the earth cables from the analog disc player and from the GND terminals of the phono amplifier or others.

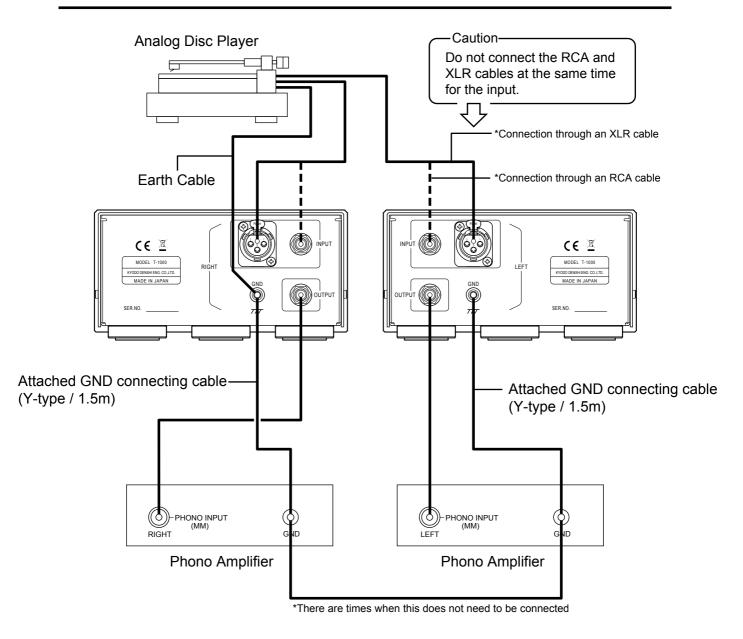
\* The earth cable shall essentially be connected between the transformer and the pre-amplifier or phono amplifier.



### Connections



### Connection 2 (If the phono amplifier boxes are separate for left and right)



# **Trouble Shooting Guide**

In case the equipment does not operate properly, check out the followings. If it does not operate properly even after checking the advised points, then contact the dealer.

Trouble	Causes	Measures
The sound is not heard.	The audio wires are not plugged in completely.	Insert the audio wires completely.
Sounds warp and the volume decreases.	<ul> <li>The unit's output is connected to the MC input terminal of a pre-amp or phono amp.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Connect to the pre-amp or phono amp MM input terminal.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>The load resistance of the phono amplifier is not 47k ohms.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Receive the output from the transformer at high impedance.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Both XLR and RCA are connected to the input terminal.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>If there is an exchanging switch of the load resistance, set it to 47k ohms.</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>Connect either one of them into the input terminal.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>The audio wires are not plugged in completely.</li> </ul>	Insert the audio wires completely.
	<ul> <li>The earth cable with the analog disc player is disconnected.</li> </ul>	Surely connect the earth cable.
A hum noise is heard.	<ul> <li>A power supply transformer or motor in another equipment is installed near this equipment.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Place this equipment apart from the power supply transformer or motor of other equipments.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Both XLR and RCA are connected to the input terminal.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Connect either one of them into the input terminal.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>The earth cable with the phono amplifier is diconnected.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Surely connect the earth cable. Test it by also connecting the grounds of the phono amplifier and pre-amplifier with the earth cable although usually it is not necessary.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>The RCA cable connected to the output terminal is a shield floating type</li> </ul>	Cables with the shield being floated may induce noises. For ones with an earth cable, it may improve if the earth cable is connected. For ones without an earth cable, connect using a different cable.
	<ul> <li>The input is an unbalanced connection</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Test using a phono cable that is for a balanced connection.</li> </ul>

# User Support

As for the unclear matters with regards to the after service, please contact the dealer.

# Specifications

Product	MC Stepup Transformer Supporting Phono Balanced Transmission
Best Cartridge's Output Impedance	1.5 - 40 ohms (4 ohms is best)
Load Impedance	47k ohms
Step-up Ratio ( voltage gain )	26dB
Frequency Response	10 - 70kHz (within ±3dB)
Dimensions	W : 174mm H : 90mm D : 173mm
Weight	2.1kg x 2 units
Input/Output Terminals	Rhodium plated terminals of FURUTECH

Accessories : GND connecting cable (Y-type / 1.5m) x 2

The appearance and specifications of this equipment are subject to change without notice in order to improve it.

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