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BEST BUY and 5 STARS for our PC-7000 power conditioner by "hificlass" (10-2023).

Sound quality

The budget amplifier AMC XIA 50 went first for testing...

After plugging the XIA 50 into the socket supported by the filters built into the PC-7000, **the sound was more tangible and gained better stereophony.** This was particularly audible in Lars Danielsson's songs from the album "Libera Me" with **a lot of subtle sounds in the treble range, which gained precision and dynamics.** In general, the sound has become smoother and more pleasant to listen to, which allows us to make an obvious conclusion: budget amplifiers can benefit from connecting to the PC-7000.

During the test with the Cambridge Audio DVD99 DVD player connected to the excellent Heed Abacus S digital-to-analog converter, it turned out that it also makes sense that power systems divided at the signal source level are powered via the conditioner. The DVD player was plugged into a socket from the second group, and the D/A converter was connected to the socket for digital devices from the first group.

As a result, the sound improved significantly, primarily in terms of soundstage reproduction - it became clearer, especially in the second and third plane, and there was more air between the instruments. A kind of haze in the treble range also disappeared. The top of the band became more colorful in perception, but also clearer. In the case of audio signal sources, I noticed the smallest changes in terms of dynamics - one could get the impression that the bass motor skills were slightly improved, but it was on the verge of perception.

