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Atacama

Multi-Media Furniture Specialist

PRODUCT RANGE PORTFOLIO

FEATURING THE EQUINOX RANGE OF AWARD WINNING SUPPORTS.

WHAT HI-FI? SOUND & VISION MAGAZINE (ACCESSORIES) PRODUCT OF THE YEAR.

2004, 2005, 2006, 2007 AND NOW 2008!

WELCOME TO Atacama

A BRITISH MANUFACTURING COMPANY

Atacama first began producing award winning speaker stands back in 1986, when we discovered that by raising speakers off the ground and mounting them onto sand filled steel columns, it vastly improved their sonic performance.

The Atacama factory, Croft, Leicestershire

Part of our extensive warehousing facilities, Croft, Leicestershire

It was soon realised that there was also major benefits to be gained by isolating Hi-fi equipment in order to allow its full acoustic potential to be achieved. Ordinary domestic furniture did not offer the qualities required, so therefore it was necessary to design dedicated furniture products that were aesthetically appealing, whilst at the same time allowing the audio equipment it supports to achieve optimum performance.
Since those early days Atacama has continued to manufacture over 90% of products at our UK based factory in Leicestershire. We now offer a comprehensive range of speaker stands, hi-fi, and home cinema equipment racks, developed to meet the demanding needs of today's consumer.

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EQUINOX RANGE SERIES

EQUINOX SERIES

Equinox Range Made in the UK

This multi-award winning range of equipment racks combines high performance, practicality and good looks as well as a flexible approach to rack design.

EQUINOX HI-FI

- Modular design, with 2 choices of extra shelving height.
- Each module is isolated via spikes.
- Suitable for both Hifi and AV use.
- Toughened safety glass to BS6206A standard.
- Up to 3 additional shelves can be utilised.
- A choice of 3 frame and 2 glass colours (see page 14 for details)

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If you need to protect laminate floors, spike shoes are available as an option in standard black or metallic silver.

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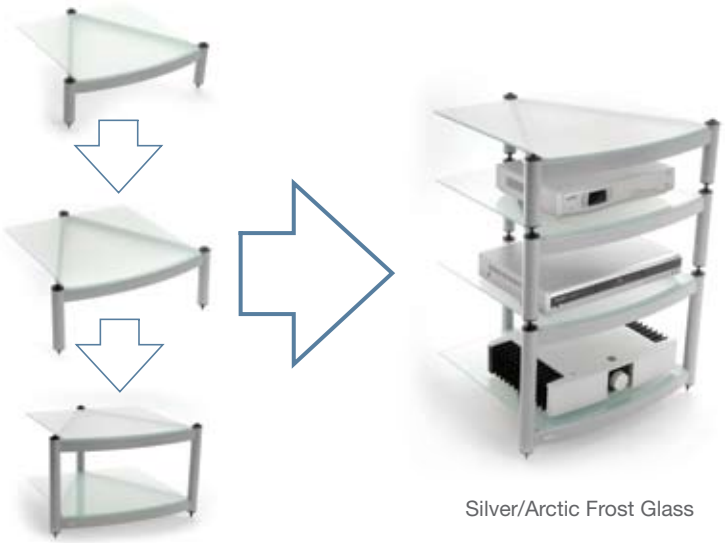

Silver/Arctic Frost Glass

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Equinox Range Made in the UK

EQUINOX SERIES

EQUINOX XL PRO SE

Designed for the audio connoisseur, the Equinox XL Pro SE offers the ultimate in Hi-Fi rack performance. As well as being able to accommodate larger equipment, an extra level of isolation has been added to improve the sonic characteristics further.

Black/Piano Black Glass

SE frame to glass isolation

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- Modular design, with 2 choices of shelving height.
- Each module is isolated via spikes.
- Toughened safety glass to BS6206A standard.
- Up to 3 additional shelves can be utilised.
- A choice of 3 frame and 2 glass colours. (see page 14 for details).
- 4 leg design to accommodate larger equipment.
- An additional level of isolation between the frame and glass to further improve the sonic qualities.

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HI-FI CHOICE BRONZE AWARDS 2006

HI-FI CHOICE BRONZE AWARDS 2007

WHAT HI-FI? SOUND AND VISION Best Buy HI-FI & HOME CINEMA AWARDS ACCESSORIES Rack

EQUINOX AV

EQUINOX SERIES

Equinox Range Made in the UK

The Equinox AV rack is a double width rack which will support all your AV equipment including up to a 60” plasma panel. An additional isolated single shelf module can be added if so desired.

- 1 modular designed additional shelf can be added.
- A choice of 3 frame and 2 glass colours (see page 14 for details).
- Toughened safety glass to BS6206A.
- Suitable for Hifi and Video applications.
- An AV Plus version is also available, incorporating cable management and carpet glide feet (optional additional shelf facility not available on AV Plus).

Silver/Arctic Frost Glass

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LOAD SPECIFICATIONS

Total shared load capacity	100kgs
Maximum load capacity per shelf	75kgs
Total shared load capacity with optional shelf	125kgs

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An additional shelf can be added if more capacity is required

Equinox Range Made in the UK

EQUINOX SERIES

EQUINOX AVI TS

The new Equinox AVi TS is the latest version of our highly successful Equinox AV range and can offer a completely integrated solution for mounting most flat panel television's of 26" to 37" in size.

- Cantilever design, with both a 30 degree tilt and 80 degree swivel facility.
- Cable management incorporated into the TV mounting pole.
- Toughened safety glass to BS6206A standard.
- A choice of 3 frame and 2 glass colours (see page 15 for details).
- Carpet glide feet for ease of movement when required.

Black/Piano Black Glass

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Carpet glide feet

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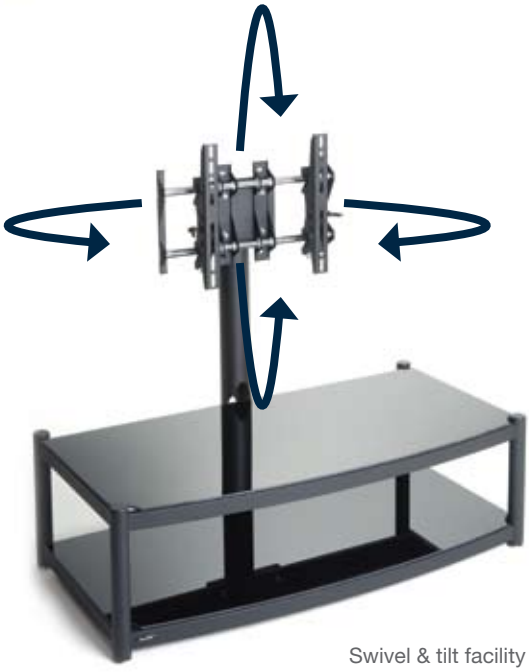

Swivel & tilt facility

EQUINOX AVI TL

EQUINOX SERIES

Equinox Range Made in the UK

The new Equinox AVi TL shares all the same features of the TS version, but allows the installation of larger flat panel televisions. For 2008 we have extended the rear pole by a further 70mm, thus allowing most screens of between 40” to 50” in size to be accommodated.

30 degree tilt facility

Black/Piano Black Glass

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See pages 14 and 15 for Equinox AVi TS and TL series technical specifications and colour choices.

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ELARA SERIES

ELARA AV54 & AV64

New for 2008, the Elara AV range is made using real black oak wood veneer and is perfect for when the 'average' size rack is just not big enough for the task!

With a capacity of up to 6 pieces of standard equipment (AV64) as well as being able to handle flat panel TV's up to 65", Elara is the ultimate AV component storage solution.

Elara AV54

Elara AV64

"The high-quality finish ensures it'll add class to any home cinema setup…"

AVReview.co.uk 18/10/07

Elara AV64 Weights and Dimensions (Elara AV54 in brackets)

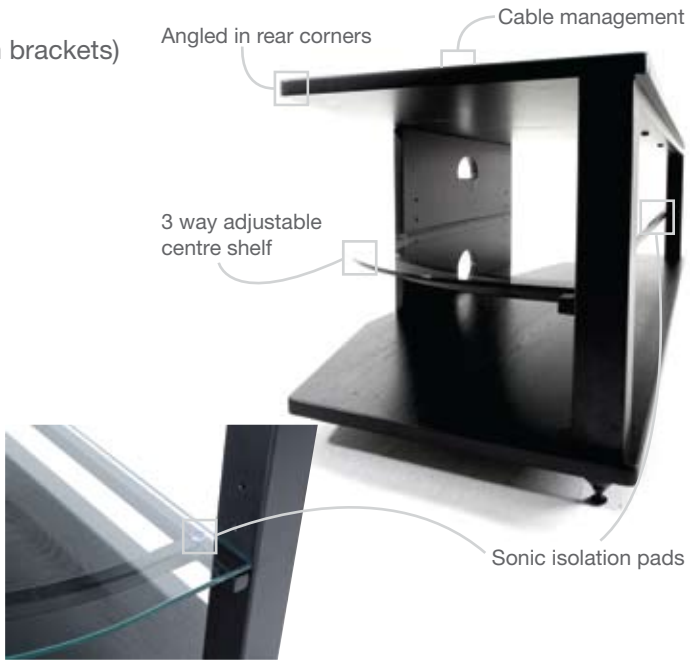
Overall height 445mm
Overall width 1626mm (1372mm)
Overall depth 495mm
Note- centre glass shelf has 3 height settings

Option 1 glass shelf at highest setting
Top shelf space 115mm
Bottom glass shelf space 198mm

Option 2 glass shelf on middle setting
Top shelf space 153mm
Bottom glass shelf space 160mm

Option 3 glass shelf on lowest setting
Top shelf space 191mm
Bottom glass shelf space 122mm
Total height with glass shelf removed 343mm

Glass shelf dimensions
Width- 1583mm (1329mm)
Depth- 406mm
Net space between the tubes 1500mm (1246mm)
Total weight capacity 150kg
Glass shelf weight capacity 35kg



ELARA 5 HI-FI RACK

The Elara 5 Hi-Fi rack is the ideal one stop solution, allowing up to five pieces of equipment to be stored.

Made using real black oak wood veneer and carbon steel. Featuring cable management, this rack has the ability to be mass loaded with atabites to maximise it's sonic characteristics.

Elara 5 Dimensions

Overall height 876mm*	Distance between upper two shelves 185mm
Overall width 527mm	Distance between shelf supports 486mm
Overall depth 394mm	
Thickness of shelves 15mm	Distance between lower two shelves 196mm

20kg per shelf weight capacity

* Height quoted does not include feet

MODENA 36 LCD RACK

60 degree swivel facility

Introducing the Modena 36, our first purpose built multilevel 60 degree swivel rack.

Designed for LCD televisions with a screen size of up to, and including, 37 inches.

Cable management

Height 489mm
Width 900mm
Depth 480mm

Usable shelf height top 172.2mm

Usable shelf height bottom 154.7mm

Available in black with a piano black glass top and 2 x clear glass shelves only.

Weight capacity 35kg (Top shelf)

15kg per inner shelf

Europa Range Made in the UK

EUROPA SERIES

EUROPA REFERENCE SERIES

The Europa Reference Series, designed for those looking to acquire the ultimate in style as well as functionality.

Made using aerospace grade components and 10mm safety glass, Europa is a truly stunning range of unique, modular specialist equipment racks, built to enhance your viewing and listening pleasure.

EUROPA REFERENCE 6.5

At 650mm wide, this is the perfect way to display your av components when space is at a premium.

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EUROPA REFERENCE 8

With a width of 800mm, this is a mid sized equipment rack for both audio and flat panel applications.

Isolation is achieved using cones and cups

A choice of 3 different leg heights,135mm, 185mm and 235mm is available

EUROPA SERIES

Europa Range Made in the UK

EUROPA REFERENCE SE SERIES

Sharing all the same dimensions and features of the Europa 6.5 and 8, the SE version has stainless steel UV bonded bosses (as opposed to aluminium) which, being a denser material, further improves both the sonic characteristics and tensile strength of the rack.

Available exclusively with Piano black glass and black anodised columns.

EUROPA REFERENCE 6.5 SE

Build any Europa to the size that you require using the 3 choices of leg heights available.

And remember, you can always add extra shelves later, to a maximum of 5 levels!

EUROPA REFERENCE 8 SE

Europa 8 SE, offering form and function to quality rack design. Ideal for when more space is needed.

See page 15 for Europa series technical specifications.

Extra shelving can be added at a later date if required

"…The EUROPA 8 is the best rack here by some margin…" What Hifi June 2006

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Nexus/SL Range Made in the UK

NEXUS/SL SERIES

NEXUS & NEXUS ‘i’ SERIES

Atacama has always been known for offering outstanding value and the Nexus is no exception.

Made from heavy gauge steel and using high tensile fixings, it can even be mass loaded with Atabites in order to achieve maximum performance.
From May 2008 this range will be upgraded to the “i” version which will include our isolation gel pads to further improve its sonic performance.

A choice of 4 height options

Optional top plate available for slim yet deep speaker cabinets. (not illustrated)
Width 130mm (5.1”)
Depth 200mm (7.9”)

Available in Black, Graphite Metallic and Silver Metallic

HI-FI CHOICE BRONZE AWARDS 2006

HI-FI CHOICE BRONZE AWARDS 2007

See page 15 for Nexus and SL series technical specifications and colour options.

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SL SERIES

Our professional range of speaker stands caters for when a larger top plate is required.

Adjustable heavy duty carpet spikes are supplied as standard, with the facility to add top spikes as a option. There are 7 different height models available to suit a wide range of speaker applications.

Atacama isolation gel pads

Are designed to adhere to speaker stand top plates and are made from a high performance polyurethane elastomer which, as well as being non-slip and non scratch, gives excellent sound and vibration resistance. Supplied in packs of 8.

Colour choices as listed for Nexus

REMEMBER!

Atabites

Atabites is high density filler designed for mass loading of speaker stands. They are 3 times denser than sand which interlock together creating minimum air gaps. Supplied in 9kg (20lbs) tubs.

AURORA SERIES

Aurora Range Made in the UK

AURORA 6 SERIES

The brief was to develop a speaker stand that would be revolutionary in design and stunning in concept, whilst still retaining the sonic abilities associated with the Atacama brand.

Aurora 6 does this and more. Featuring a clear centre column that can be filled with just about anything (nothing living or liquid please!) they will add interest to any room.

Spike Shoes

Available as a option, aids isolation and protects floor coverings.

See page 15 for Aurora series technical specifications.

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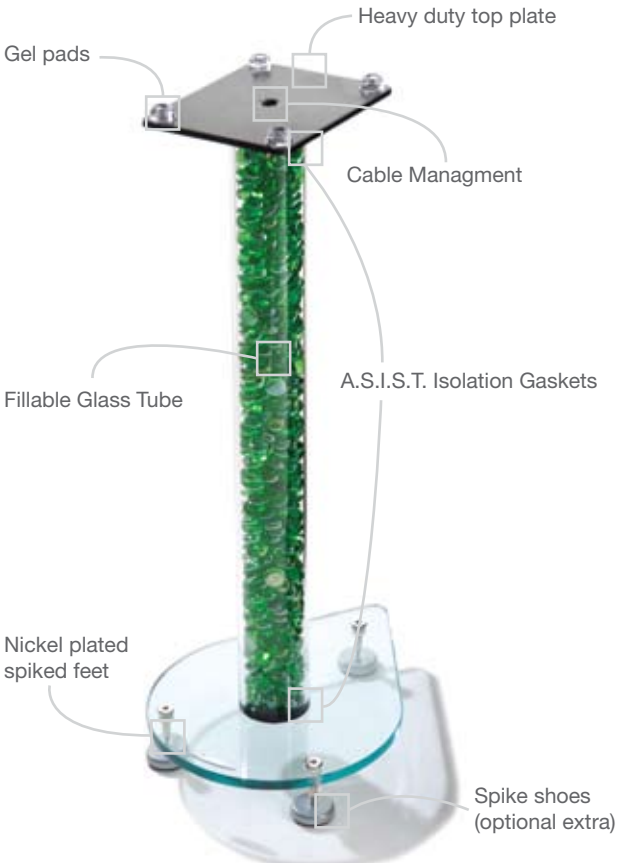
"…even empty they impress with a fantastically clear, detailed delivery…."

What Hifi April 2008



Eclipse Range Made in the UK

ECLIPSE SERIES

ECPLISE 1 LCD SUPPORT

With an emphasis on style, the Eclipse 1 offers a minimalist approach that really complements the latest LCD screens.

Capable of handling up to a screen size of 32” and 20kg in weight, it is available in silver, graphite or black with the glass base colour choice of artic frost or anthracite.

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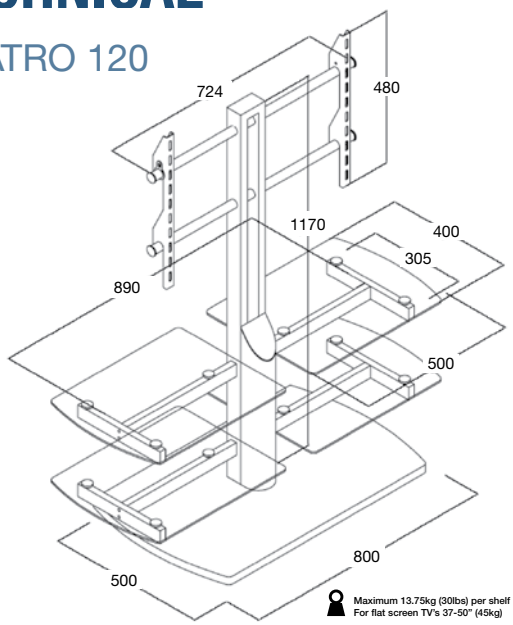


EQUINOX COLOUR SWATCHES

Recommended colour combinations.

Standard Black
Piano Black Glass

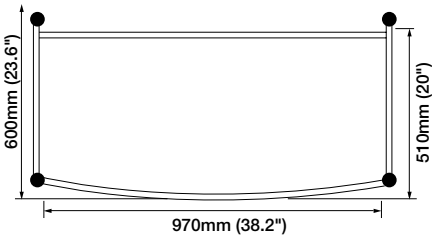
Silver Metallic
Arctic Frost Glass

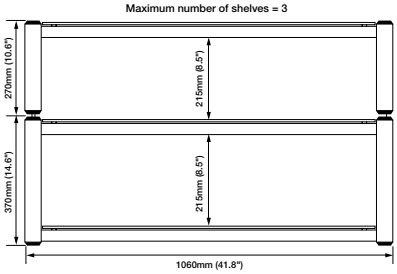
Silver Metallic
Piano Black Glass

Graphite Metallic
Piano Black Glass

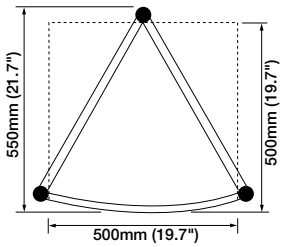
Graphite Metallic/Arctic Frost Glass also available (not illustrated)

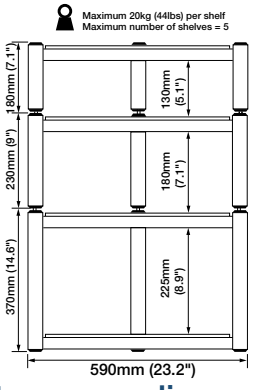
EQUINOX AV AND AV PLUS



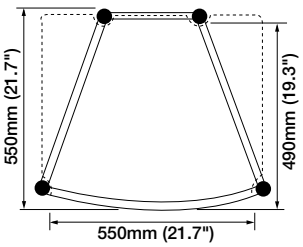


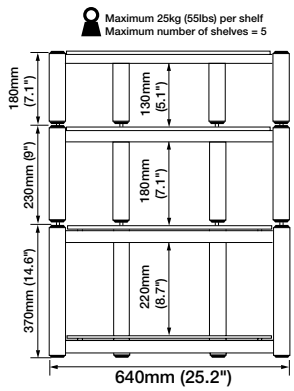
EQUINOX HI-FI





EQUINOX XL Pro SE





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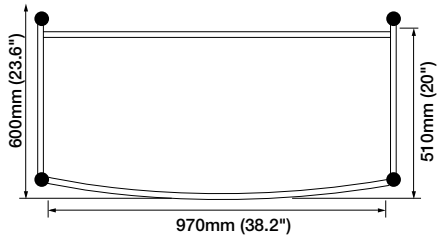
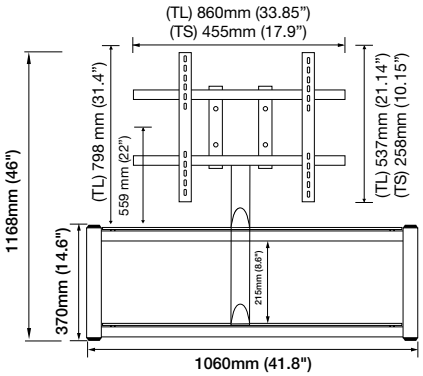
EQUINOX AVI TL & TS





NEXUS & SL COLOUR SWATCHES

Recommended colour combinations.

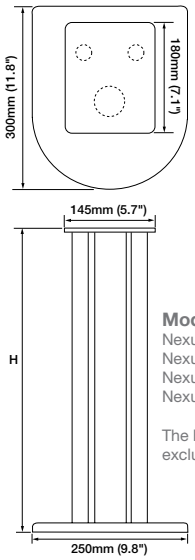
Silver Metallic | Graphite Metallic | Standard Black

Recommended number of Atabite tubs per pair of speaker stands

Nexus 5,6,7 and SL 2,3 require 1 tub
Nexus 10 and SL 4,5,6,7 require 2 tubs
HMS 1 require 3 tubs
SL 10, require 4 tubs
HMS 2 require 5 tubs

*All amounts are approximate as different volumes will give different sonic characteristics.

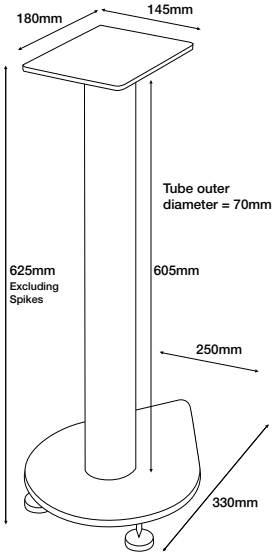
NEXUS SERIES



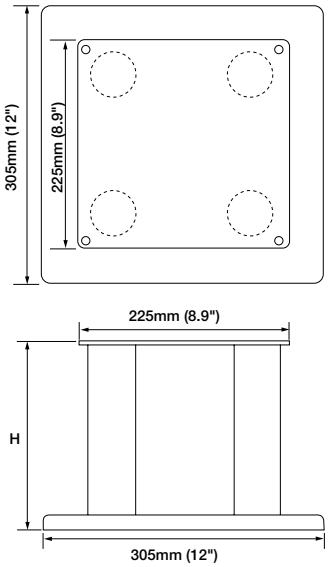
Model	Height 'H'
Nexus 5	500mm (19.7")
Nexus 6	600mm (23.6")
Nexus 7	700mm (27.6")
Nexus 10	1000mm (39.4")

The height of each model excluding spikes.

AURORA 6 SERIES



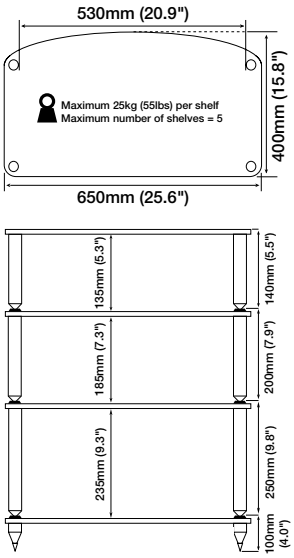
SL SERIES



Model	Height 'H'
SL200	200mm (7.9")
SL300	300mm (11.8")
SL400	400mm (15.8")
SL500	500mm (19.7")
SL600	600mm (23.6")
SL700	700mm (27.6")
SL1000	1000mm (39.4")

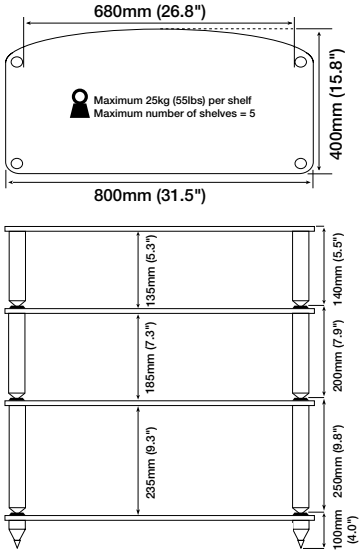
The height of each model excluding spikes.

EUROPA REF 6.5+SE



Europa glass thickness is 10mm

EUROPA REF 8+SE



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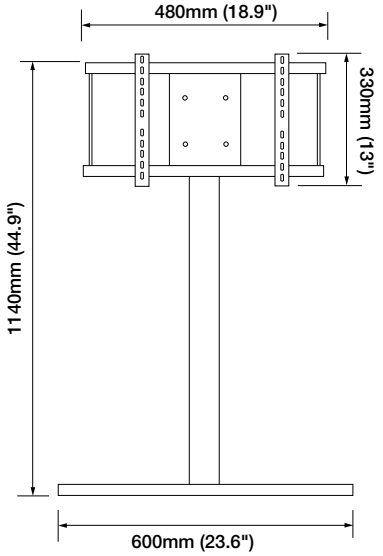

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