

Power Cable of the Year

IsoTek EVO3 Initium

It is easy to get somewhat carried away by the cost of cables within an audio system. It is for this reason that the lean, green, power machine that is Initium came as such a refreshing change. EVO3 Initium uses 40 strands of OFC to form the three 2mm diameter conductors with a PE dielectric, with an RFI-busting rotational twist in the construction, cotton filler maintains a consistent dielectric and a vivid green PVC jacket completes the Cable. Termination is nickel plated copper.

Steering clear of either dulling dynamics or accentuating the top end at the expense of low end frequency articulation, Alan Sircom felt Initium, “plays a longer game, with an absence of sonic signature and a good sense of dynamic freedom on integrated and smaller power amps. Initium also shows up just how inconsistent give-away power cords can be.”

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