

Merlin Tarantula MK6

Best mains cable, Awards 2010. A good tweak for a hi-fi or AV system. **Tested at £40**

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★★★★★


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Our Verdict

★★★★★

Best mains cable, Awards 2010. If you're looking to tweak a hi-fi or AV system, this could be the cable you're looking for

For

Against

- Cleaner, smoother sound

- Nothing at this price level

Reviewed on 11th October 2010

We weren't overly enamoured with the last incarnation of **Merlin's** Tarantula mains cable, and a three-star rating was duly dished out.

But, the company's MK6 version is a spectacular improvement. Plug it into hi-fi electronics and, compared with your standard kettle lead, the Tarantula helps your system produce a much cleaner, smoother sound.


The lack of noise allows more detail to seep through into the soundstage, with greater separation between instruments and vocals.

But the benefits aren't just hi-fi based: plug the cable into a TV, and images appear crisper, while there's greater punch to the overall picture.

It's not a spectacular difference, but we think it's a worthwhile improvement nonetheless.


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