

Record Care Products, Inc.
Since 1981



ince 1981 Nitty Gritty Record Care Products has successfully created solutions to properly clean vinyl records. Everyone who owns records must know by now that records need to be maintained in a clean condition in order to sound their best and to preserve the quality of their fragile surfaces. Record cleaning devices operate on a number of different theories and principles, but they all have one thing in common: they do NOT totally clean all the pollutants from record grooves. They leave film, grease, residue, micro dust, static electricity, carbon fiber hairs, and mold release compounds behind. These remaining pollutants prevent the record lover from hearing all the music on the record, regardless of the quality of the playback system! And they cause premature wear of the record and phono stylus.

Until now, no available record cleaning system was accepted by professionals and enthusiasts alike as producing the desired result: clean records. No single system was able to rid a record's surface of film, grease, residue, and dust while it eliminated static electricity and left a purified vinyl disc.

Nitty Gritty offers such a system. Records cleaned on a Nitty Gritty system reproduce all the music stored in their grooves, without the interference and masking of record pollutants. The improvement in sound that a Nitty Gritty cleaning makes is so dramatic that the benefit of upgrading one component (of a hi-fi system) is less significant by comparison. The Nitty Gritty record cleaning system has established itself as an essential component in every hi-fi system.

The Nitty Gritty 2.5Fi won the 1985 CES Award for Design and Engineering. Since that time, very little has changed in the basic design concept, though improvements continually evolve. It's still built to last, and 35+ year old Nitties are still out there, cleaning merrily away... doing what they were created to do.

Today, Nitty Gritty remains an intimate little company, dedicated to hand-built quality RCMs for music lovers throughout the world. Pick one up and try for yourself and I think you will be impressed.





Nitty Gritty's most inexpensive vacuum based record cleaning machine.

The 1.0 & 2.0 is a manually operated cleaning system, meaning the operator must apply the fluid, scrub the record and rotate the platter by hand. The 1.0 & 2.0 does, however, use the exact same vacuum motor as the top-of-the-line Mini Pro cleaner!

Sacrifice a little in creature comfort, save a lot in money!

BLACK VINYL







Nitty Gritty's Record Master is a manually operated cleaning system, meaning the operator must apply the fluid, scrub the record and rotate the platter by hand.

The Record Master 1 has a built in adapter for 45-78RPM LPs, which allows for rapid cleaning of all size records!

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Now record cleaning is faster and easier with Nitty Gritty's 1.5 and 2.5 machines. Nitty Gritty's unique Capstan Record Drive automatically rotates the record during fluid application and vacuum suction-eliminating the need to manually scrub the record. The vacuum strip fibers scrub the record at the same time it's being rotated and vacuumed. Neat and simple. A slide-out waste tray on the bottom allows easy spent fluid disposal.

With these automatic features, you'll be able to clean more records in less time than with the Models 1.0 & 2.0!





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Nitty Gritty "Fi" models feature the world's easiest to use record cleaning system which automatically rotates the record, wets, scrubs, and finally vacuums away dust, dirt, grease, grime, and other unmentionables. The "Fi" stands for "fluid injection."

Here's how the fluid injection system works: When you press the pump, the machine automatically applies cleaning fluid across the record surface. Next, a microfiber-covered strip deep-cleans the grooves while the vacuum strip sucks the debris and polluted fluid away. A slide-out waste tray on the bottom allows easy spent fluid disposal.







Clean both sides of the records at the same time with Nitty Gritty's Mini-Pro machines - the only vacuum-powered record cleaning machines which can pull off this feat!

The Mini-Pro system is effortless to use. Put on the record, slide the top cleaning arm in place, push the buttons, and done! The Mini-Pro automatically rotates, wets, scrubs, and vacuum both sides of the record at the same time. For bi-directional cleaning just flip the record over and repeat the process. A slide-out waste tray on the bottom allows easy fluid disposal.



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The Nitty Gritty 2.5FI-XP record cleaner is a versatile, Dual-Pump breakthrough! The 2.5FI-XP dispenses two separate fluids interchangeably, as the record automatically rotates during the scrub and vacuum cycles! The "Fi" stands for "fluid injection."

Here's how the fluid injection system works: When you depress the pump, the machine automatically applies cleaning fluid across the record surface. Next, a microfiber-covered strip deep-cleans the grooves while the vacuum strip sucks the debris and polluted fluid away. A slide-out waste tray on the bottom allows easy spent fluid disposal.



PURE 1 RECORD CLEANING FLUID

PURE 1 is formulated specifically for all lacquer records. It contains no alcohol, and has a different chemical make-up from PURE 2.



PURE 2 RECORD CLEANING FLUID

PURE 2 is a specially-formulated cleaning fluid for all vinyl. It contains a small percentage of alcohol to more efficiently clean your LP's and 45's.



PURENZYME+ RECORD CLEANING FLUID

PUREnzyme+ is Nitty Gritty's doubleenzyme cleaning fluid, enhanced with a proprietary catalyst to reduce or eliminate surface noise, lower the general noise floor, thus increasing the dynamics of the music.

PURE CD CLEANING FLUID

Nitty Gritty Pure CD cleaning fluid cleans and protects your CD's by restoring the finish, repelling dust and neutralizing static build up! A cleaning, polishing, enhancing liquid for CDs, DVDs and Laser Discs.





FIRSTrv VINYL PRE-CLEANER RECORD CLEANING FLUID

FIRSTrv is a vinyl pre-cleaner designed to remove mold-release compounds and fingerprints from the record surface, as well as reduce stylus friction and/or poor tracking. FIRSTrv must be applied with a separate applicator—it should not be put in the fluid pump!



VAC-SWEEP REPLACEMENT KITS

The Vac-Sweep Kit comes with (4) replacement "velvet lips" for the vacuum slot, as well as an installation guide. Be sure to ask for the appropriate kit for your machine—unit with or without fluid injection.





RECORD CLEANING BRUSHES

Made with the same short-napped fabric as the Vac-Sweep, the Record Cleaning Brush can be used to scrub the topside of the record, while the underside rotates over the Vac-Sweep.

The Nylon Bristle Brush, with its ½ black nylon bristles, is preferred by some over the 'velvet' Record Cleaning Brush.

Both Brushes also comes in Oak and Dark Cherry wood.





CAPSTAN & SPINDLE REPLACEMENT KITS

The Capstan Replacement Kit is for units with automatic rotation --- it comes with (4) rubber capstans and glue.

The Spindle Replacement Kit comes with (2) spindles, a drill bit, and acrylic cement to replace a worn or damaged spindle on your Nitty Gritty record cleaner.





ACRYLIC COVERS

The DC-2, DC-2L, and DC-2XP (for units without and with a fluid pump, respectively) are made of 1/8" bronze acrylic, and cover the entire top of the unit, down to the cabinet. Appx. 4" deep.



VINYL COVERS

The DC-1, DC-1L, and DC-1XP (for units without and with a fluid pump, respectively) are made of soft black 'distressed' vinyl, and cover the entire top of the unit.



"3 WAY" ADAPTER

The 3-Way Adapter entails a permanent modification to units with automatic rotation. With 3 threaded inserts and a threaded spindle, the adapter allows you to move the spindle to a position appropriate for 7"-10"-12" records.



45-RPM ADAPTER

This adapter is for cleaning 7" records on units with automatic rotation (except for the Mini-Pro). It is placed over the spindle of the record cleaner, and positions the 7" record to engage the capstan drive.



RECORD TURNER

For manual rotation of the record over the scrubbing fibers (Vac-Sweep). Also comes in Oak and Dark Cherry wood.



RECORD SLEEVES

Nitty Gritty record sleeves are professionalgrade, poly-lined, anti-stat sleeves. 20# cotton paper with a polyurethane lining.



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