

Acceptance & Submission Guidelines

Hi-Fi & Radio



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Premium Positioning

At **Catawiki** we auction hi-fi and radio equipment of **premium quality** that is hard to find and appealing to **passionate, music-loving enthusiasts and hi-fi collectors**.



Because potential buyers come to Catawiki looking for special and rare hi-fi and radio equipment, our **in-house experts select every piece** for our auctions, **ensuring** they are of **premium quality** and are presented in the best possible way.

We do this because we aim to **keep our bidders excited**, allowing them to **find the pieces they're interested in** and to ensure our **sellers have great selling experiences**.



At Catawiki, we move constantly forward. Our positioning is evolving to a strong premium segment which opens more opportunities for success for us and for you.

From the 14 million visitors that come to our platform every month, we gain valuable information on what they are passionate about and what they prefer to buy.

With your help, we want to make sure we continuously meet this demand and offer the special objects that our growing number of bidders are excited about and want to buy.

In these guidelines, we've defined what the special pieces are that bidders look for in our hi-fi and radio auctions. We'll also state what we require from you to successfully place them in auction. These guidelines serve to create a level playing field between all our sellers.

We will be happy to make room in our auctions for your lots that meet this high quality demand, and we will aim to shape ourselves to better fit you.

Our experts and account managers will be fully supporting and guiding you for success on Catawiki.

Thank you for being with us on this exciting journey!



Product Guidelines

At **Catawiki** we auction hi-fi and radio equipment for the music- enthusiast and collector.

For our auctions we seek and select:

- hi-fi and radio equipment that is more than 5 years old, including Bang & Olufsen equipment
- vintage gramophones and tube radios
- items that are not widely/generally available
- items that are in at least a good and working condition
- items with a minimum value of €75



Collectable hi-fi and radio items

For our auctions we seek vintage and pre-owned hi-fi and radio equipment, as well as items of scarce or limited (collectable) editions that are not or no longer generally available. This includes:

- Tape and cassette decks
- Turntables
- Hi-fi speakers
- Amplifiers
- Tube radios
- Gramophones
- 78 rpm shellac records



Please note that younger models and items that are widely available are less appealing for collectors and therefore not suitable for our auctions. This includes:

- ✗ Spare parts/parts of equipment
- ✗ Tube TVs, karaoke sets, car audios
- ✗ Video equipment (exception of Bang & Olufsen)



Selection of reputable makers and brands

Accuphase	Focal	NAD	Sansui
Acoustical	Garrard	Nakamichi	Setton
Akai	Grundig	Nikko	Shure
Arcam	H.H. Scott	Nordmende	Siemens
B&O	Harman Kardon	Nordmende	Sony
B&W	His Masters	Onkyo	Teac
Bose	Voice	Opera	Technics
Braun	Infinity	Optonica	Telefunken
Brionvega	JBL	Panasonic	Tesla
C.E.C.	JVC	Pathe	Thorens
Cabasse	Kef	Philips	Tivoli
Canton	Kenwood	Pioneer	Trio Track
Chario	Lenco	Quad	Uher
Dali	Luxman	Quadral	Wega
Denon	Magnat	Revox	Wharfedale
Dual	Marantz	Revox	Yamaha
DUAL	MB-Quart	Rotel	Zenith
Elac	Micro Seiki		
Erres	Mission		
	Mitsubishi		
	Musical Fidelity		

Brands that are not suitable:

✗	Amstrad	✗	Samsung
✗	Behringer	✗	Schneider
✗	Behringer	✗	Shamrock
✗	Beng	✗	Soundwave
✗	Cat	✗	SpiritofStLouis
✗	Crosley		s
✗	Denver	✗	Sudfunk
✗	Dr. Dré	✗	Universum
✗	Kendo	✗	Vestax
✗	Koda	✗	Yoko
✗	LG		
✗	Life		
✗	Madison		
✗	Marquant		
✗	Metz		
✗	Omniversum		
✗	Ricatech		

Condition

Mint: New, unused product



Excellent: Used with minor signs of use



Good: Used with clear signs of use



✗ Items in fair or poor condition, meaning damaged or defect items, are not suitable for our auctions



Submission Guidelines

Potential buyers are more likely to bid on lots with a good description, all relevant information displayed clearly and, of course, beautiful photos.

Lot Description

To help encourage potential buyers to bid on your lot, you should include a detailed description of your object(s). This should be thorough and honest, and follow the guidelines on the next page.



Submission Guidelines

If you are using our website to upload your lots, tips will appear to give you guidance about what information we need to know about your lot. The fields that you fill in help to present the information in a way that's easy for the buyer to read.

The required information includes:

- Brand and model name/number and type
- Condition (all conditions should be in working and tested condition)
- Specifications and technical highlights (power, connections etc.)
- Weight and size
- Please provide a serial number, particularly for Bang & Olufsen models that were made after 1990

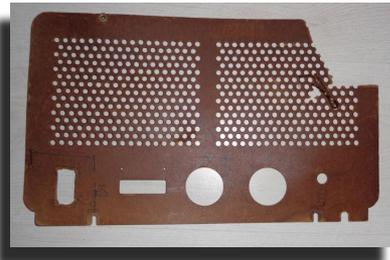
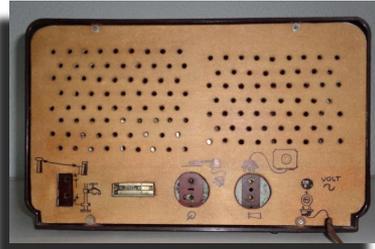


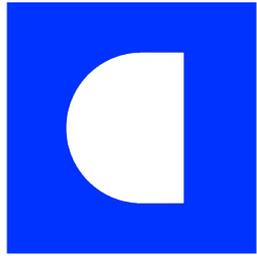
Image Guidelines

- Photograph the front, side and back of your item against a plain and neutral background, preferably a white wall.
- Make sure you avoid any distracting background, such as a shop interior or outdoors. Photos should show nothing else but the item(s) you want to put up for auction. Please avoid any self-portraits.
- Bidders are interested in seeing as many details as possible. Therefore, please always include images of the back, bottom, top, sides and from the inside where applicable. In case of several items, please photograph all offered items together as well as every item separately.
- Provide specific sharp images of details, such as the front of the lot with the buttons and the back with connections, as well as clearly readable and detailed images of the serial number plate.
- Signs of wear and tear or (minor) damage must be very clearly shown in images. Include sharp and detailed images of repaired or restored parts.



Image Guidelines - Example lot





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Thank *you.*