



Comparing Metal V2 to Original

Understanding and appreciating the improvements

Metal V2



Metal



Cosmetic: To help visibly differentiate the new design from its precedent, the original silver anodized aluminum **framework** of the Torrent drivers and are now **black anodized aluminum**. The **decoupling system** on the Element Metal, consisting of the **Skid Plate and adjustable claw**, are also finished in a matching black.

The most subtle visible difference is in the size of the **dust cap**, enlarged from **40mm** on the original to **50mm** on the new version.

Next Generation Torrent Woofer: The new drivers incorporate **17 individual magnets**, increased from 16, positioned cylindrically around the voice coil, ensuring it is always in the magnetic field for the greatest control. The **voice coil** has a **more robust tri-laminate plating** to interact cohesively within the magnetic gap.

Despite the increased magnet content, the overall structure is **more compact**. The shorter design results in the driver's cone structure having a **stronger connection to the voice coil** which in turn produces a **more linear midrange response and deeper, fuller bass**.

A **larger dust cap** improves the **damping factor** and hides a new **thicker, more conductive tinsel**.

Bass Response: Metal V2 drops **4Hz lower** than the original, down to a remarkable **26Hz** from an already impressive 30Hz.

Port Design: A new, **proprietary port shape** manipulates the **increased air flow** generated by the more powerful, next generation woofers. **Together, they allow the deeper bass response**.

Soundstage Dimensions: Palpably twice as deep and wide as the previous model. More expansive and three dimensional than ever before, extending far beyond their physical location.