


P90 style T-Bridge fit

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Reviewer Background:

Purchased From:

Catswhiskers - Via Ebay

Price:


GBP35.00 GBP

Features: 


This is a P90 style replacement pickup designed to fit in the standard Tele Bridge as a direct replacement. As with a P90's it is a fatter sounding single coil It has moderately high output, warm tone, and is coil tapped so that the output can be reduced to give a vintage P90 option as well as a hot P90 option. I believe the magnets are Alnico 5.


Instrument:

I fitted this in the bridge position of a Korean VP Challenge Tele copy that is built from good tone wood but originally had poor low output pickups. The other pickup is a Gotoh Tele pickup (also a replacement for the original) My reason for changing was to get a slightly fatter Tele sound and this pickup delivers exactly what I wanted


Sound Quality: 

The delivers a very good P90 sound but when coil tapped it also gives the traditional Tele Twang too so it is a very versatile and cost effective improvement. On a classier Tele I'm sure it would sound even better but it transforms this Korean model into something very special. It gets an 8 on this guitar but I bet it would be a 10 on a good Fender Tele with an Ash body.

Reliability/Durability: 

Ease of Use: 

Customer Support: 

Overall Rating: 

Excellent - for less than forty pounds sterling I have transformed a so-so tele copy into a versatile and very good sounding guitar. What more could I ask for. This guy knows how to make handmade scatter-wound pickups with a difference

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