
Any MD/MNM owners have a pelican case?

Posted by hageir - 2007/07/19 22:31

I was just glancing over the tips & tricks manual and saw that "Case section" and someone recommended a pelican case (model 1500)

I was just wondering, because of the Pick & Pluck foam, how well does the md/mnm sit in the case? what about all the "jacks" + seperate outs?

does it have enough space for that HUGE/Awkward (:-) powersupply? maybe the tm-1 too?

easiest way = can someone post a picture of their md/mnm in one of those cases?

also, when I was browsing the peli.com site, I noticed that you can have them make your own custom foam padding interior (water-cut or something, as it's really smooth and can do round edges, tight corners, etc.) but there has to be a minimum quantity ordered (probably 10 or something)

anyone interested in a customized elektron peli case? :-)

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Re: Any MD/MNM owners have a pelican case?

Posted by hageir - 2007/07/29 22:29

bump

really considering buying one..

would love a pic of a md/mnm in one.. 8-)

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Re: Any MD/MNM owners have a pelican case?

Posted by neonleg - 2007/07/30 04:23

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hi bump,

i got a ghetto samsonite briefcase for 2euro and then i went around the next street and found some old foam mattress on the nature strip, cut that up so it all sits nice with leads attached.

its pretty because i put some stickers on it too.

if only i could afford some pluck foam that would be sweet.

good luck wit the pelican.. are you after the rifle one for both mono and md? or just one machine>

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Re: Any MD/MNM owners have a pelican case?

Posted by Allerian - 2007/07/30 04:28

The Pelican 1510 is well worth it. It is a carry-on approved case, but I don't have the stomach or time to explain to the TSA what a Machinedrum is, so when I travel this case goes ahead via Fedex. For a 1-2 day trip, I can fit all my clothes and personal effects as well.

Without the MD.

http://www.allerian.com/images/MD_Pelican_01.JPG

MD safe in place.

http://www.allerian.com/images/MD_Pelican_02.JPG

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Re: Any MD/MNM owners have a pelican case?

Posted by hageir - 2007/07/30 06:02

wow thanks for the reply allie!
it's great, I'm buying one ASAP!
so yours is the 1510?
does the 1500 just fit snugly for the md/mnm or does it have a little extra space on the side too?

ps. my name is not bump :-)
bump means that you want the topic on top..

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Re: Any MD/MNM owners have a pelican case?

Posted by Allerian - 2007/07/30 20:38

hageir wrote:
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The way I cut it There is about 1" to the left, 2" above and below, and about 5" to the right. If I recall correctly, the bottom foam is not "pick n pluck", but was simple to cut - err on the side of "snug". I considered many configurations and decided that this gave the best mix of MD protection combined with the ability to store extra gear. As you can see there is a good 6" above the MD. I put the 1" eggcrate foam facing down on the knobbage and put my other stuff on top of that.

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Re: Any MD/MNM owners have a pelican case?

Posted by scuto - 2007/07/31 21:27

Sorry, meant to reply earlier...

I don't have pics, but my MD-UW fits nicely in a 1520. Since it is deeper than necessary, I used the foam I plucked out to keep the MD lifted off the bottom, where I put some cables. And there was enough space around the MD space to pluck out spaces for the power supply and more cables. It is a bit bulky-feeling, though I feel very confident my MD won't be damaged when it's in there. I flew to Oregon with it as a carry-on with no trouble with security, though I got some odd looks from fellow passengers!

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Re: Any MD/MNM owners have a pelican case?

Posted by narobi - 2007/12/14 19:37

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Re: Any MD/MNM owners have a pelican case?

Posted by aom - 2007/12/14 19:48

I have the 1500, w/ the foam cut similar to the one pic posted above; however, I dont have room for p/s in it.

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Re: Any MD/MNM owners have a pelican case?

Posted by hageir - 2008/01/15 01:46

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^^^*bump*

2nd,

newsflash

I just won a girlfriend for my MD UW on the bay!!!

A classic SFX-60, she's real pretty :)

..and I tend to keep them both pretty and neat + the boxes will evaporate after a few more runs.

Anyways, does anybody have a case that fits both the MD+MNM?
and maybe the PSU's too?

ps.

here she is, waiting to be shipped!

http://i8.ebayimg.com/02/i/000/d1/1c/56c2_1.JPG

aww

J/K, hehe

Re:Any MD/MNM owners have a pelican case?

Posted by ural - 2008/01/15 03:38

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weapons... :)

I was thinking about buying from an online retailer, it's like \$90 for a 1500 case, maybe I'll just take two? :silly:

anyways, that's an awesome idea for the sfx-6 :laugh:

when you arrive at gigs people think that you have a bazooka or an automatic assault rifle or something :D

hahaha

then you open it and play awesome stabs and tunes!

and they're literally blown away

Re:Any MD/MNM owners have a pelican case?

Posted by scuto - 2008/01/15 13:39

@ narobi--the 1520 is not deep enough for both a Machinedrum and a Monomachine on top of each other, though it's deep enough to make slots for your nicely-wound audio cables to fit vertically!

I did see some discussion of using a rifle case for the SFX-6, but I forget if it was on here or the Yahoo group list-serve. I do recall some impressive pics, though! :)

Re:Any MD/MNM owners have a pelican case?

Posted by anselmi - 2008/01/16 01:54

congrats BUMP!:P

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PS: iÂ´m surprised by your use of the genere on elektron machines...for me the MnM is the boy and the MDUW is the girl!

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Posted by hageir - 2008/01/16 02:40

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well, IMHO the pelican cases are sooo good, they're shatterproof, waterproof and a ton more.. (they actually drove over one in a SUV and it didn't break!!! +they've dropped them out of helicopters and put them into the coldest waters on earth.)

anyways, hah

the sex of the elektrons for me has always been:

Mr. Machinedrum

&

Mrs. Monomachine

:D
haha

keep us posted on your double case!!

Re:Any MD/MNM owners have a pelican case?

Posted by hageir - 2008/01/21 06:59

I just found a nice, long case -might fit the sfx-6.. (don't know)
http://www.cases4less.com/detail_seal_tight_lc.html

Re:Any MD/MNM owners have a pelican case?

Posted by narobi - 2008/01/21 08:57

I picked up a Peli 1550 second hand for Â£70 of ebay. It holds my mono and machine quite nicely, i reckon if i cut the top layer of foam nicely i could get my ultralite and turbo midi on the top layer too...

<http://img259.imageshack.us/img259/1921/dsc00424jz9.jpg>

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wow, that's super!!
I'm totally getting one :)
thanks for the pic!

Re:Any MD/MNM owners have a pelican case?

Posted by tIB - 2008/01/22 01:45

I have the pelican 1720 for my sfx6, its built like a tank and it fits perfectly- 80 quid minus foam on ebay.

Re:Any MD/MNM owners have a pelican case?

Posted by tIB - 2008/01/22 01:48

While Im here has anyone travelled far with one of these?
Im moving overseas and want to take the mono with me- any ideas on how to get extra baggage allowance for my huge weapons case?!

Re:Any MD/MNM owners have a pelican case?

Posted by hageir - 2008/01/22 12:25

tIB wrote:

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:laugh:

well, they (pelican) are designed for all kinds of hardcore use (military, work, etc.)

so yeah, it'll definately be ok..

as far as airport security, I don't have a clue :laugh: :laugh: :laugh:

Re:Any MD/MNM owners have a pelican case?

Posted by pelektor - 2008/01/22 15:02

Security is not an issue , because they screen it and check for irregularities. You may have to explain a bit when you check in, though. if this is a weapons case:laugh:

The weight however is another matter, but usually it's not a problem either, just that it can cost a lot of money extra if you have over your allowed total weight...I always carry on my MD and SID, though! I have seen what the airline-carriers do to the luggage!!:S :blink: :pinch:

Seems to me they have a through it as far as possible contest out there every day..

Re:Any MD/MNM owners have a pelican case?

Posted by tIB - 2008/01/23 01:02

Im toying with the idea of trying to pick up a secong hand sfx60 to take, but seeing as though i dont have a machinedrum I have decisions to make....:unsure:

I have no desire to sell the sfx6 though as I think it is as near perfect as anything else I have ever used. Also, carrying it round in a high grade munitions case makes me feel, in my own special way, a bit like Jimmy Cauty!!!:woohoo:

Re:Any MD/MNM owners have a pelican case?

Posted by anselmi - 2008/01/23 05:28

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get that MD man...youÂ'll never get it back...

Re:Any MD/MNM owners have a pelican case?

Posted by tIB - 2008/01/23 06:08

wise words.

my only problem with this is that if I do get the MD Im pretty sure Ill get a sfx60 as well as Im a bit simple like that. I havent put the mono down since I got it and Im still learning. Ho hum, there are worse problems to have and at the end of the day its only money!

;)

Re:Any MD/MNM owners have a pelican case?

Posted by polytroniks - 2008/02/08 17:36

i also own the sfx-6 and a pelican 1720
it can be a tight squeeze sometimes
all original foam
i cut it out with a knife
and a little space up top for the knobs
i am very happy with the quality
and the wheels

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Re:Any MD/MNM owners have a pelican case?

Posted by Allerian - 2008/02/08 22:33

+1 for the Pelican 1720. Amazing case and yeah, you can't beat the wheels.

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Re:Any MD/MNM owners have a pelican case?

Posted by 214 - 2009/04/02 23:20

New here, hello!

I've been lurking for a good while but just coming around to finally posting. I'm glad this discussion has been archived in the FAQ section..

to those with the 1550 Peli that holds both the MD and MNM, does anyone know if this case is allowed as a carry on? I'll be traveling soon and wondering if it'll have to go into cargo, which I prefer not to, but the case seems strong enough to deal with the brute force of baggage handlers loading and unloading. I'm hoping I can just sit it in the overhead compartment but between size and weight, I'm not sure.

I also noticed the Peli site has a new lock which is TSA approved.

cheers!

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Re:Any MD/MNM owners have a pelican case?

Posted by actuel - 2009/04/02 23:48

The 1510 is the largest that can technically be a carry on. 1550 is 2 inches to big.

I think you can stack the MM and MD fine in the 1510 though.

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Re:Any MD/MNM owners have a pelican case?

Posted by 214 - 2009/04/03 01:00

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I read on page 2 of this thread that both machines don't fit in the 1510.

Edit - it was actually the 1520 that was referenced as not fitting both machines. It looks like the 1510 is approved carry

on per the pelican site, but

Can anyone with a 1510 confirm that both machines fit in it? I'm flying to a gig in May and looking for the best way to have these on me rather than checking them in. The boxes they came in look small enough to bring as carry on, but not sure if i can just bring those 2 boxes with me and my backpack

cheers!

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Re:Any MD/MNM owners have a pelican case?

Posted by Allerian - 2009/04/03 07:55

Yes, they both fit in the 1510 and still have plenty of protection.

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Re:Any MD/MNM owners have a pelican case?

Posted by Computer Controlled - 2009/04/03 08:52

Here's a video of the 1550

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wPxdklwXpBQ>

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Re:Any MD/MNM owners have a pelican case?

Posted by tIB - 2009/04/03 14:15

Allerian was kind enough to try out fitting both units into his 1510 for me a little while back... All good, i will be getting one fairly shortly. thanks again for that. :)

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Re:Any MD/MNM owners have a pelican case?

Posted by 214 - 2009/04/04 01:05

thanks, guys! 1510 it is. I don't trust those things in cargo even if those cases are rock solid.

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Re:Any MD/MNM owners have a pelican case?

Posted by Bencodec - 2009/04/26 04:23

hey, just got a nice yellow pelican 1500 for my MD. Thought i'd show it off. I had heard that you couldn't fit the AC adapter in but I was able to make space for it.

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Re:Any MD/MNM owners have a pelican case?

Posted by Bencodec - 2009/04/26 04:36

<http://gallery.me.com/bencodec/100090/photo/web.jpg?ver=12406878650001>

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Re:Any MD/MNM owners have a pelican case?

Posted by UnbalancedBeats - 2009/05/12 18:17

i use ecler evo 5 troiley, i didnt really buy it for carrying MD but....

Md + Virus fit perfectly!!!! and can even put my laptop,audio interface, power adaptor and cables into it!!!

http://www.shopatron.com/product/part_number=CTROLLEY/725.0

and i forgot to say that im not a ecler shareholder B)

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Re:Any MD/MNM owners have a pelican case?

Posted by UnbalancedBeats - 2009/05/12 18:21

ural wrote:

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there is a way.... i would recomend it... <http://static1.mundoanuncio.com/img/2009/3/31/11711596471.jpg>

lol

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Re:Any MD/MNM owners have a pelican case?

Posted by hageir - 2009/06/02 23:34

Ok, so I'm going to NYC in ca. a week and I want to take my loved ones with me (MD+MnM)

So, the 1510 is the biggest size allowed on a plane (carry-on).

Can someone confirm that I could stack both the MD & the MnM inside the 1510?

I can put the PSU's in a separte bag no problem..

It's just that the price difference in one of the local photography stores is ridiculous..

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Re:Any MD/MNM owners have a pelican case?

Posted by tIB - 2009/06/02 23:39

yes you definately can; allerian was kind enough to try it out for me and I have photographic proof! how much where you are? about 240 pounds out here, swines!

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Re:Any MD/MNM owners have a pelican case?

Posted by hageir - 2009/06/03 00:56

tIB wrote:

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ok sweet!

yeah, those swines (causing the swine flu?)

I called and the 1550 (with foam) is 25.000 kr.
off course you can't really take the crown seriously nowadays,
so it's ca. \$200 (now)

but the real (old) price is \$350 or so (the real Icelandic crown -the strong one ;))

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Re:Any MD/MNM owners have a pelican case?

Posted by superflat - 2009/06/03 01:29

i considered getting one of the longer pelican cases, so that i could leave gear in place (wired up), pop the top off, and play (rather than having to remove everything and set up). anyone trying something similar?

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Re:Any MD/MNM owners have a pelican case?

Posted by tIB - 2009/06/03 02:23

swine flu and man flu...
shit, forgot to say they were mk2s that fit in the 1510... cant confirm classics... anyone?

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Re:Any MD/MNM owners have a pelican case?

Posted by 214 - 2009/06/03 03:25

I did pick up the 1510 shortly after my post and was able to stack the MNM and MD in it. I was also able to include my soundcard AND small edirol controller AND Lacie drive. As long as you cut the foam correctly, you can fit quite a few things. Was very impressed. And TSA didn't even ask to open the case after it went through the xray machine.

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Re:Any MD/MNM owners have a pelican case?

Posted by hageir - 2009/06/03 04:51

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Ok, cool!
Classic or MK-II?

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Re:Any MD/MNM owners have a pelican case?

Posted by 214 - 2009/06/03 04:55

MK II

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Re:Any MD/MNM owners have a pelican case?

Posted by hageir - 2009/06/03 10:26

214 wrote:

MK II

snappity-crap.
how much difference is there?
..maybe I'll just go to the store, hehe :)

I'll sort it out!

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Re:Any MD/MNM owners have a pelican case?

Posted by tIB - 2009/06/03 10:32

i reckon they will go in on their sides but not stacked. good luck with the move haigs, exciting times...

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Re:Any MD/MNM owners have a pelican case?

Posted by tIB - 2009/06/06 15:59

i just stumbled across a gator pedal board box i picked up- should fit both though not as tough as a peli.

EDIT: Does fit both units side by side so would probably be fine for classics too.

This one...

<http://www.gatorcases.com/productsmodeldetail.aspx?LID=18&PID=173&MID=562>

Requires a bit of bastardising as I need to drill out the hinge for the stand and find some foam to pad it with. not sure if I'll be allowed it as carry on either... pushing the limit (which isn't very clear anyway.) Still, saved me 150 quid :woohoo:

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Re:Any MD/MNM owners have a pelican case?

Posted by stiiiiiiive - 2010/11/03 20:13

On this french company website, you can find the specifications of many Pelicases models regrouped in a table.

These are centimeters.

Here!

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Re:Any MD/MNM owners have a pelican case?

Posted by data-line - 2010/11/03 20:39

I use 2 of these for the MD and MNM, they have travelled around in Europe and still alive,

<http://www.gear4music.com/Guitar-and-Bass/Stagg-UPC424-Guitar-Pedal-Board/AY5>

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Re:Any MD/MNM owners have a pelican case?

Posted by Hertzian Cone - 2011/02/09 19:43

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<http://www.gear4music.com/Guitar-and-Bass/Stagg-UPC424-Guitar-Pedal-Board/AY5>

Thanks Mr data-line, these are ideal, and reasonable price too.
Here is a clip of how it goes together, great because you can cable up without removing from the case.

<http://www.flickr.com/photos/57774545@N06/5430802026/>
<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=I5GeDDfNTv4>

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Re:Any MD/MNM owners have a pelican case?

Posted by data-line - 2011/02/09 20:00

yep, good going mate!

Get some stickers on that case and of we go :)

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Re:Any MD/MNM owners have a pelican case?

Posted by Duncan - 2011/02/15 09:22

Liked it so much i bought another 2!!

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Re:Any MD/MNM owners have a pelican case?

Posted by saichele - 2011/03/04 16:28

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Perfect. And the 27" version is even better for my needs (1 case to fit both MM and outboard FX unit).

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