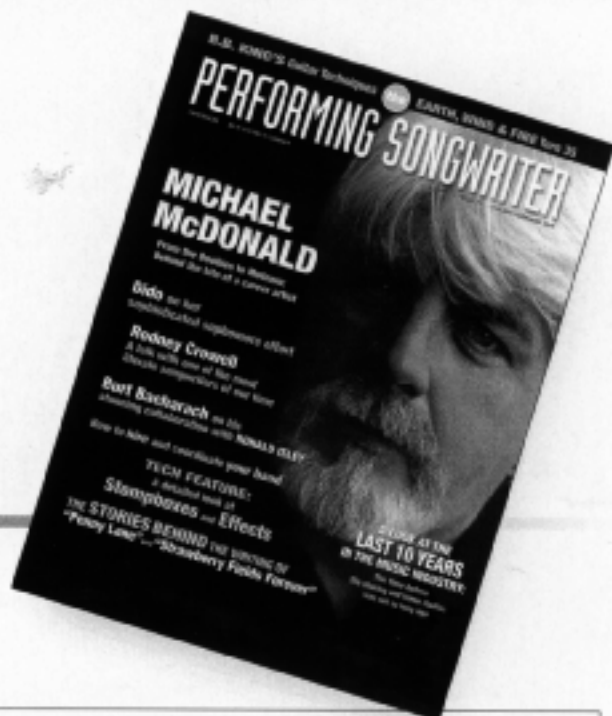


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## SCHERTLER UNICO

## PORTABLE ACOUSTIC SOUND SYSTEM SPOTLIGHT

**MOST SINGER-SONGWRTERS** and acoustic musicians have shown up at a coffeehouse gig only to discover a sound system that is sub-par or, worse yet, nonexistent. Before you find yourself in a similar situation, you may want to invest in the **UNICO** Acoustic Amplifier from Schertler. It's the all-in-one sound system every solo musician and acoustic duo has been waiting for.

Roughly the size of a small window air conditioner (but not nearly as heavy), the UNICO is a multi-functional unit, perfect for the city-bound apartment dweller. This Swiss-made amp will easily fit in the back of your standard econo-car and is even manageable enough to be carried



onto a subway train.

Inputs, EQ and volume controls are all conveniently located on top of the amp, so adjustments can be made quite easily. There's a mic input with optional phantom power, and other inputs accommodate a

wide spectrum of instruments, from guitar to violin to electronic keyboard.

You can run a compressor/limiter or other personal effect device through the UNICO and, if desired, record your performance using the Aux Out and Aux Send busses. Schertler even went so far as to include an extra fuse—just in case you push the envelope and turn it up to 11.

**IN A NUTSHELL:** While this unit is a bit pricey, there are deals to be had if you're willing to peruse the Internet or your local retailers. The UNICO is compact, multi-functional and easy to operate—and it sounds good.

**LIST PRICE:** \$1,399.