

Common Sound Issues: Are You Experiencing Any Of These Problems?

Speech Intelligibility Reverberation Sound Quality

X Echo

Hearing Protection

SOLATION

X Sound Transfer

Vibration Noise

Impact Noise X Low Frequencies

PROJECT SUMMARY

Absorption: Yes **Isolation:** Maybe **Install:** Moderate

Cost: \$\$- \$\$\$

Planning Checklist

MUST KNOW

X Loudness

- X Room Dimensions
- X Ceiling Height
- X New Build or Retrofit

GOOD TO KNOW

- X Type of Lighting
- X Ventilation/Ductwork
- X Fire Suppression Systems
- X Current Sound Treatments

Questions to ask an Acoustic Specialist

- What type of solution should I consider?
- What kind of results can I expect from this acoustic treatment?
- Can I solve my problem in stages, or do I have to buy all at once?
- How does installation work? Do I need to buy any hanging hardware or tools separately?
- What questions haven't I asked yet that I should ask before making a decision?

LEVEL OF COVERAGE TYPICAL APPLICATIONS **Light Absorption** Appropriate for live recording or listening rooms, offices, conference 5% - 25% rooms and rooms where people gather and converse. of Wall Surface Area **Moderate Absorption** Suits listening and control rooms that typically feature more subdued music, as well as larger business spaces. Moderate absorption 25% - 50% of around 50 percent is a good estimate for many home theaters. of Wall Surface Area **Heavy Absorption** Suits drum rooms, music practice space, rooms that handle highenergy music. Vocal booths and recording isolation booths require 50% - 100% of Wall Surface Area the most absorption.



Ask yourself, What does success sound like?

Make sure you buy a solution, not a product. Your solution starts with understanding your problem and having realistic goals to attain.



TYPE OF TREATMENT NEEDED

ABSORPTION: YES

Sound absorption takes care of many sound issues at the source. Audimute's Acoustic Panels achieve results by absorbing mid and high-frequency sounds before they can scatter and distort around rooms.

ISOLATION: MAYBE

Sound isolation addresses sound issues that bother people outside of the room in question. Isolation treatments either add mass to walls, or work as a constrained layer to transform sound. Either way, isolation (or "barrier") materials prevent sound from passing between neighboring areas.

We Recommend:

2" Thick Acoustic Panels

Why? Acoustic Absorption is crucial for these often loud spaces. Proper acoustic treatment will also help the beats in music come through more clearly, and aid with speech intelligibility.

If Necessary: Peacemaker Sound Barrier & Soundproofing Underlayment

Why? If your neighbors are complaining about sound transfer, using a sound barrier will help keep noise where it belongs. Peacemaker® Sound Barrier can be used to reduce mid-frequency sound transfer, while Peacemaker® Sound-

proofing Underlayment is good for low-frequency sound and impact or vibrational noise.

ETIPS• Get The Most Out of Your Sound Treatment

- Evenly treat all four walls to most effectively reduce loudness and eliminate echo.
- Use a phased approach to installing absorption. Though these types of spaces often need a high level absorption, it is often more cost-effective to start small and keep addding absorption until you get the results you want.
- Consider using eco-C-tex® if aesthetics are not a concern. It is highly absorptive, more cost effective, and recovers well from impact. It is also frameless, making it safer for spaces in which people are active.



TAKE THE NEXT STEP

Consult with an acoustic specialist to get personalized advice call us at (866) 505–6883

Or, if you haven't already, fill out a room analysis form at AudimuteAcousticPanels.com



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At Audimute we're able to make your product exclusively your own. There are virtually no limits to what can be done in your space with our products. We have the ability to custom cut, shape, print images, color coat and more with our products. If you can imagine it, then we can create it!







