

# VULCAN

## V730 POWER PLATINUM LAZER



VULCAN IS ONE OF THE NEWEST ENTRANTS IN HIGH END PADDLE DESIGN AND MANUFACTURE. VULCAN ADVANCED LOGIC ENSURES EACH PADDLE IN THE 700 SERIES IS MADE TO A DEFINED SET OF ATTRIBUTES TUNED TO EACH PLAYER'S PREFERENCES: BALANCING POWER, CONTROL, SWEET SPOT, AND SPIN. PADDLES ARE ENGINEERED TO CONCENTRATE AND TRANSFER ALL THE ENERGY FROM THE PADDLE INTO THE BALL. THE PATENT-PENDING STATERACORE POLYMER LATTICE CORE ALLOWS NATURAL FLEX THAT GENERATES POWER INSTEAD OF EXTRA WEIGHT. THE CORE IS COVERED WITH VULCAN'S PATENT-PENDING V-SKIN FIBER REINFORCED POLYEPOXIDE WHICH IS LAYERED AND ORIENTED TO PRODUCE CONTROLLABLE PERFORMANCE VARIABLES. VULCAN IS THE FIRST TO UTILIZE THERMAL DIFFUSION WELDING ADHESION TECHNOLOGY TO REDUCE WEIGHT AND FRAGILE GLUE LINES, SO THAT NO ENERGY IS WASTED IN HEAT AND VIBRATION.

Reading about their leading edge technology, I honestly had to go to Wikipedia to look up many of the technical terms and materials being used. And it actually seemed to make sense. But, seeing is believing. At 8.0 oz it feels extremely light, a good indication of proper balance. The paddle is solid. On ground strokes and serves the ball literally jumps off the paddle face. It definitely lives up to the POWER in its name. It takes a bit getting used to at the net, as it transfers the energy generated by paddle head movement into the ball with little or no loss. It does not have a "soft" feel, at least not for someone used to the forgiveness of the Paddletek Tempest Wave. Once I recalibrated my net stroke, it was easy get the ball over the net, softly and accurately. The paddle face features a very defined texture design. Despite the random design, players who use spin as an offensive weapon should enjoy using this paddle. Overall, a very nice and competitive product.

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