

# ACOUSTIC SOUNDS WINTER 2013



# SUPER HIREZ

DSD DOWNLOADS & MORE

# You spoke ... We listened

For the last year, many of you have asked us numerous times for high-resolution audio downloads using Direct Stream Digital (DSD).

Well, after countless hours of research and development, we're thrilled to announce our new high-resolution service **www.superhirez.com**.

Acoustic Sounds' new music download service debuts with a selection of mainstream audiophile music using the most advanced audio technology available...DSD. It's the same digital technology used to produce SACDs and to our ears, it most closely replicates the analog experience.

#### They're audio files for audiophiles.

Of course, we'll also offer audio downloads in other high-resolution PCM formats.

We all like to listen to music. But when Acoustic Sounds' customers speak, we really listen.

# **Call The Professionals**

contact our experts for equipment and software guidance

#### **RECOMMENDED EQUIPMENT**

# Chord Electronics Limited Chordette QuteHD Ultra-High Res DAC



UD-501 PCM & DSD USB DAC



**Mytek** Stereo 192-DSD-DAC Preamp Version



Playback Designs
Music Playback System MPS-5

#### **RECOMMENDED SOFTWARE**









#### ACOUSTIC SOUNDS

# DEAR CUSTOMER,

#### More big news!

Thanks to such support from so many great customers, we've been able to use this space in our catalogs to regularly announce exciting developments. We're growing – in size and scope – all possible because of your business. I told you not too long ago about our move from 6,000 square feet to 18,000 square feet. And then again about our move to 70,000 square feet. Then it was the big news about our new pressing plant, Quality Record Pressings.

Now we're taking on the new audiophile frontier: hi-res downloads. Introducing our new Acoustic Sounds Super HiRez store (www.superhirez.com). We're the first to market with major-label, main-stream DSD downloads, and we also offer the highest-quality PCM files. Customers have been calling me and stopping me at shows for the past couple of years, asking, "When is someone going to have DSD downloads of the music that you reissue on LP and SACD?" Well, now you can find both DSD and PCM downloads for the likes of Elvis Presley, Sam Cooke, the Counting Crows, Shelby Lynne, Rickie Lee Jones, Nat "King" Cole, Miles Davis and on and on. We've struck deals with the majors, and we're adding more titles to the site daily. Stay tuned to watch the selection explode. We're also contracting with several independent labels and artists to include an even greater variety.

We've developed a comprehensive getting-started guide to walk the first-time user through the entire process of enjoying hi-res downloads. And we've got all of the equipment and software you'd need to get started. Everything but the computer is available at Super HiRez.

This was a massive undertaking for our company, both in expense and time. But so many of you asked for this, and we're proud to be able to bring it to you. Please see page 2 to learn more about Super HiRez. And of course make sure you head to <a href="https://www.superhirez.com">www.superhirez.com</a>.

I can hear some of you worrying — are we moving away from vinyl and SACDs? Absolutely not! I'm a vinyl guy, first and foremost. It's still how I enjoy almost all of my music, and it's still what fuels my passion for this business. We just started a pressing plant, for crying out loud. And we still sell more SACDs than anyone in the world. None of that is changing. We simply wanted to add to our mission to be the best music store in the world. Quality remains the overarching principle to all of what we do. Do not worry: Your records and SACDs aren't going anywhere.

In fact, concerning vinyl, we've got more huge news: Acoustic Sounds is now the U.S. importer for SME turntables. SME is of course renowned for the precision and craftsmanship they put into their turntables and tonearms. They create truly special, audiophile-grade products. Each component part for SME turntables and tonearms are manufactured in-house using the most advanced CNC machining, pressure die-casting, injection molding, metal finishing, electro-plating and anodizing to ensure the resulting product will provide a lifetime of listening pleasure. See the products on page 64.

I'm sorry to end this on a sad note, but we want to pay deserving tribute to our very dear friend Clark Williams, who passed away at age 50 this summer. Clark worked at Acoustic Sounds for nearly nine years over two stints, and he was amazingly talented at turntable setup, building a system on a budget, evaluating recordings and recommending music. He was a blast to have around, and we all miss him greatly. Please read our tribute to Clark on page 10.

Happy holidays to you all. Thank you so much for your support and business.

Our office hours are 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. weekdays and 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturdays (CST). And remember, you can always shop online at www.acousticsounds.com.

Sincerely

Chad Kassem

Acoustic Sounds, Inc. CEO

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# **AUDIO FILES FOR AUDIOPHILES**

# Acoustic Sounds' Super HiRez service fueling audio revolution

- By Dave Migdal

There's a quiet revolution taking place in the audiophile community.

Just as high-definition television (HDTV) changed the way we watch television, high-resolution audio is redefining the way we listen to music. And Acoustic Sounds, the worldwide leader in audiophile recordings, is leading the charge.

Acoustic Sounds recently launched Superhirez.com, the first digital music download service to feature a broad spectrum of mainstream albums using the most advanced audio technology available....Direct Stream Digital (DSD). It's the same digital technology used to produce SACDs, and to the collective ears at Acoustic Sounds, it's the format that most closely replicates the analog experience.

Make no mistake, Super HiRez is about providing music lovers access to high-quality music in a convenient, easy-to-use fashion. The website features guides, tutorials and other information geared to making the downloading of albums as seamless as possible.

But it's also about giving audiophiles alternatives to MP3 and other lower-resolution formats. While Acoustic Sounds is partial to DSD, albums are also available in hires PCM formats such as ALAC and FLAC.

The top selling albums so far include "Just a Little Lovin" by Shelby Lynne, "August and Everything After" by Counting Crows, "The Very Thought of You" by Nat "King" Cole, "Come Away with Me" by Norah Jones and

"We Take Requests" by the Oscar Peterson Trio.

"People have been asking me for months to create a hires digital download service," said Chad Kassem, the owner and CEO of Acoustic Sounds. "The launch of Super HiRez was simply a matter a listening to what consumers were asking for and giving them what they want."

After launching in late August with 35 albums (Mostly from Acoustic Sounds' Analogue Productions label), the digital music download service is expected to feature between 300-500 albums by the end of 2013. Deals have already been made with Sony Music and Universal Music Group, providing U.S. consumers access to both companies' vast libraries of music mastered in DSD. Deals are also in the works to expand the reach of Super HiRez to Canada in the fall/winter timeframe. Other international markets may follow in 2014.

And the early reviews from audiophiles and even nonaudiophiles have been outstanding.

Mike Snider of USA Today, who covered the launch of Super HiRez, shared his initial thoughts of the service and Norah Jones' "Little Broken Hearts" with the newspaper's 3.2 million daily readers: "Compared with the standard CD, the DSD download had richer sound — and much more warmth than the portable version on my iPod."

Similar sentiments have been expressed by the audiophile media, but the revolution doesn't begin and end there.

In fact, just days after the launch of the Super HiRez, the Consumer Electronics Association (CEA) announced its support for high-resolution audio (HRA in CEA parlance) and stated it would be one of the focal points during the 2014 Consumer Electronics Show, CEA research found



that nine in 10 consumers say sound quality is the most important component of a quality audio experience, along with compelling content (85 percent).

CEA research has also confirmed that audio buyers and potential buyers focus on quality as a critical purchase factor, second only to price.

As if a blessing from the CEA wasn't enough, its news was followed by the introduction of several high-resolution audio products from Sony Electronics. Kassem and Marc Sheforgen, the COO of Acoustic Sounds, were recognized at Sony's press event at Lincoln Center in New York, and Super HiRez was mentioned as one of the pre-

ferred destinations for digital downloads.

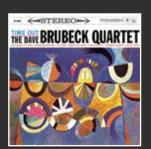
We're talking about some serious industry momentum here folks.

But whether it's a global association, a major player in the consumer electronics industry, or an audiophile company in Salina, Kan., high-resolution audio comes down to providing music lovers with an immersive experience as an alternative to MP3, along with the power to choose the digital formats that suits them best.

That's Super HiRez. And it's simply revolutionary.

# FILES ARE ADDED DAILY!

We're adding big titles from all the major labels on a daily basis. Head over to SuperHiRez.com. Below is just a taste of some of the best cuts on the site:



Dave Brubeck Time Out



Elvis Presley 24 Karat Hits



Miles Davis Seven Steps To Heaven



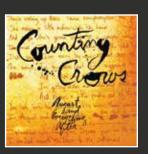
Sam Cooke The Best Of Sam Cooke



Norah Jones Come Away With Me



Shelby Lynne Just A Little Lovin'



Counting Crows
August And Everything
After



John Coltrane A Love Supreme

Flip the page for our growing selection of Digital Audio Equipment!



SUPER HIREZ / DIGITAL AUDIO



#### IT'S NOT JUST ANOTHER DAC...

# CHORD ELECTRONICS LIMITED

# CHORDETTE QUTEHD

#### ULTRA-HIGH RES DAC

The new QuteHD is an ultra-high resolution asynchronous USB DSD DAC which plays 384 kHz and DSD music files. It resolves a breath-taking: 24 bit 384 kHz files over its Coax input, 32 bit 192 kHz files including DSD over its USB input, and 24 bit 192 kHz files via its Optical input. Simply connect all three inputs, press Play, and the QuteHD automatically selects the input and adjusts the resolution. With no switches, dials or displays nothing could be easier to use.

Available in Black and Silve

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\$1,795.00



# FEATURED DIGITAL AUDIO EQUIPMENT

### **AUDIOQUEST**

\$199.00

DragonFly is an affordable and easy-to-use device that delivers far superior sound by by-passing the poor quality sound card that is built into your computer. DragonFly is a sleek, flash drive sized Digital-Audio Converter that connects to a USB jack on a Mac® or Windows® PC, turning any computer into a true high-fidelity music source.

## **AUDIOQUEST**

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\$16.95

DragonTail USB 2.0 Extender



DragonTail is a USB 2.0 extender for use when a USB device (such as AQ's DragonFly® USB Stick,Digital-Audio Converter or a flash drive) is too large to fit next to other occupied computer ports.

#### Also Available: AudioQuest USB cables Type A to Type I

Diamond USB (1.5m)	W	AODUSB1.5\$699
Diamond USB (0.75m)		
Coffee USB (1.5m)		
Coffee USB (0.75m)	W	AQCOUSB.75\$279
Carbon USB (1.5m)	W	AQCAUSB1.5 \$169
Carbon USB (0.75m)	W	AQCAUSB.75 \$129
Cinnamon USB (1.5m)	W	AQCIUSB1.5\$79
Cinnamon USB (0.75m)		
Forest USB (1.5m)	W	AQFUSB1.5\$39
Forest USB (0.75m)	W	AQFUSB.75 \$35
Pearl USB (1.5m)		
Pearl USB (0.75m)	W	AQPUSB.75\$25

### PLAYBACK DESIGNS

Music Playback System MPS-



\$8.500.00

E MPD-3 \$6.500.00

Music Playback System MPS-



E MPS-5 \$17,000.00 Music Playback Digital to Analog Converter MPD-5



E MPD-5 \$13,000.00

#### **TEAC**

UD-501 PCM & DSD USB DAC

E UD501 \$849.00



#### Available in Black and Silve

TEAC's new UD-501 is the star of the 501 series. The UD-501 supports DSD 2.8/5.6MHZ file native playback by ASIO 2.1 or DoP methods or up to 32bit/384kHz PCM.





# DIGITAL AUDIO More featured Digital Audio Equipment

#### **MERIDIAN**

Director USB Audiophile DAC

\$699.00



Director is a high-quality DAC (Digital to Analogue Converter) designed to deliver superior audio quality from any digital source. Built in Britain to the same standards as any Meridian product, Director breathes new life into digital sources when listened to on analogue hi-fi systems.

#### **MERIDIAN**

\$299.00



Explorer replaces your computer's sound card with a USB-powered DAC (Digital to Analogue Converter) featuring Meridian's high quality audio circuitry and design derived from Meridian's award-winning Reference Series components, along with a powerful headphone amplifier with on-board analogue volume control.

#### **MICROMEGA**

\$369.00



MyDAC is the perfect link between your computer and your HiFi system. It's a 24 bits / 192 kHz asynchronous USB Dac allowing you to enjoy with an audiophile quality, the content of the music files stored in your computer.

#### MUSICAL SURROUNDINGS

\$1,000.00



Mike Yee's patented digital reconstruction technology, developed over the past 3 years, is software driven, executed with a FPGA or field programmable gate array.

#### MYTEK

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DSD

Stereo192-DSD-DAC is designed to provide easy intuitive access to all of its features. Unique to the industry is a choice of several computer interfaces that provide flexibility and ease of use whether quick plug and play or sophisticated native DSD or 192k operation is required.

#### AURALIC

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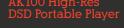


VEGA, the next generation digital audio processor, is developed with the goal of 'seeking for non-compromised sound'. With plenty of I/O ports and powerful function, it will become the kernel component of your high-end stereo system

# PORTABLE DEVICES

#### **ASTELL & KERN**







\$1,299.00

\$699.00

The Astell&Kern is the ultimate portable high-fidelity audio system capable of playing Mastering Quality Sound (MQS) from music mastering studios. MQS refers to all of the high resolution digital music recording studio formats up to 24-bit/44 - 192kHz. MQS delivers vast amounts of better music experience because MQS delivers 6.5 times of the detailed information in the same track.



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Hear John Mayer's new album, Paradise Valley, now available in hi-res download at:



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Listen to John Mayer's "Paper Doll" in High-Res Audio along with tracks from a variety of other groundbreaking artists, all preloaded on the Sony® HAP-Z1ES Hi-Res Music Player.

# SONY hi-res AUDIO.

#### Hi-Res Music Player with 1 TB HDD

E HAPZ1ES \$1.999.99



The HAP-Z1ES can decode the following file formats: DSD (DSF, DSDIFF), PCM (44.1k/48k/88.2k/96k/176.4k/192kHz·16/24/32 bit), WAV, AIFF, FLAC, ALAC, ATRAC Advanced Lossless, ATRAC, MP3, AAC, WMA music file playback.

Store personal music of all formats for local music playback on the 1 terabyte hard drive. Storage space is expandable via an external USB hard drive.

#### 500GB Hi-Res Music Player System

E HAPS1S \$999.99 (Silver) E HAPS1B \$999.99 (Black)



The HAP-S1 can decode the following file formats: DSD (DSF,DSDIFF), PCM (44.1k/48k/88.2k/96k/176.4k/192kHz/24 bit); MP3, WAV, WMA, AAC, FLAC, ALAC, ATRAC, ATRAC Advanced Lossless and AIFF. Like the HAP-Z1ES, the HAPS1/S stores music of all formats for local music playback. The HAPS1/S features a 500GB hard drive, with expandable storage via an external USB hard drive. An ideal companion for desktop audio and/or headphones.

#### Sony Hi-Res Speakers

K SSHA1B \$599.99



The SS-HA1 Hi-Res Speaker System features a 13cm woofer with dual layer design, high frequency dispersion, front- and top-mounted super tweeters, minimum diffraction, high rigidity woofer cone and an aluminum cabinet. The Wide Dispersion (WD) W-Super Tweeter complements high-band energy for high resolution music sources.

#### **Integrated Stereo Amplifier**

M TAA1ES \$1.999.99



The TA-A1ES integrated stereo amplifier is the latest offering in Sony's Elevated Standard Series and has been specifically designed to complement the company's new HAP-Z1ES reference standard Hi-Res Music Player.

More than three years in the making, the new TA-A1ES stereo amplifier utilizes a frame/beam/base chassis that was originally developed for Sony's acclaimed R-Series components. It delivers crisp, noiseless power performance.

#### **USB DAC Amplifier**

E UDA1S \$799.99 (Silver) E UDA1B \$799.99 (Black)



The UDA-1 DAC Amplifier can decode the following file formats: DSD (DSF,DSDIFF), PCM (44.1k/48k/88.sk/96k/176.4k/192kHz/24 bit); MP3, WAV, WMA, AAC, FLAC, ALAC, ATRAC, ATRAC Adanced Lossless and AIFF. **Connect the UDA-1 to a PC via USB and use any music player** such as JRiver Media Center, iTunes, Windows Media player, Media Go and more to enjoy the Hi-Res music experience. Just add your computer!

#### K SSHA3B \$349.99



The SS-HA3 Hi-Res Speaker System features a 10cm woofer with single layer design, high frequency dispersion, front- and top-mounted super tweeters, minimum diffraction, high rigidity woofer cone and an aluminum cabinet. Like the SS-HA1, the SS-HA3 woofer cone has Mica Reinforced Cellular (MRC) fiber for supremely light and extraordinarily rigid woofer cones.

# ANALOGUE PRODUCTIONS PRESENTS RCAVICTOR



How do you improve a classic LP reissue? Audiophiles get ready — The RCA Living Stereo limited edition series from Analogue Productions will show you!

We're bringing you 200-gram LPs cut at 33 1/3 and released on Hybrid SACD, featuring 25 premier-sounding titles from RCA's Living Stereo golden era.

"...The sound is as it should be: Inviting the listener into the music and entirely constant with (conductor Fritz) Reiner's readings. This transfer bespeaks a confidence in the sound on the master tape without the artificial touch-ups (a brightness) later found in the original Living Stereo pressing and the more pronounced jiggering in the version from Classic Records. ... If ever there were a must-have LP in the recent wave of audiophile reincarnations, this is it. Treat yourself and thank (Chad) Kassem for doing it the justice it deserves."

— Harry Pearson HP Soundings Founder & Owner

"golden minute" — in a scant period, roughly from 1958 to 1963, the beginning of the stereo era — pure vacuum tube amplification helped

> produce recordings demonstrating unparalleled fidelity and warmth, lifelike presence and midband illumination.

These 25 titles are some of the most famous classical recordings — says Acoustic Sounds founder/owner Chad

Kassem, "These are fantastic records — very warm rich and smooth."

And of course, where to press these gems but our own premier vinyl record pressing plant, Quality Record Pressings, where the best-sounding audiophile LPs in the world are produced. All titles will be plated there by Gary Salstrom.

Would the packaging for this reissue series be anything less than stellar? Look for original tip-on jacket fascimiles that precisely duplicate the original cover art, including the "Living Stereo" logo, LSC numbers and "Shaded Dog" label.

These are designed from the mastering, to the pressing and packaging to be the finest RCA Living Stereo LPs ever reissued.

We know you may

have heard many, but not all of these titles, as originals or reissues by other labels. We've read the reviews and comments about those LPs. We think that now, all the issues complained about on all those previous records have been addressed.

We've remastered these historic records from the original 3-track master tapes and have had them recut by engineer Ryan Smith at Sterling Sound in New York.

Again, we know how our customers feel. We agree with most of the comments about the prior reissues. We feel that all prior reissues of this series had various shortcomings. And we think you'll be thoroughly pleased when you hear how we've addressed all the issues.

RCA's "golden age" era was more like a





#### AVAILABLE ON 33 1/3 RPM AND SACD. LPs Pressed at Quality Record Pressings.



Strauss: Also Sprach Zarathustra Reiner/CSO AAPC 1806



Offenbach: Gaite Parisienne Fiedler/Boston Pops AAPC 1817



Brahms: Violin Concerto Reiner/CSO/Heifetz AAPC 1903



Bartok - Reiner/CSO AAPC 1934



Debussy: The Sea Munch/BSO AAPC 2111



Tchaikovsky: Violin Concerto Reiner/CSO/Heifetz AAPC 2129



Prokofiev: Lt. Kije - Stravinsky: Song Of The Nightingale/Reiner/CSO AAPC 2150



The Reiner Sound/CSO Moussorgsky/ AAPC 2183 An Exhibition



Moussorgsky/Ravel: Pictures At An Exhibition/Reiner/CSO AAPC 2201



Debussy: Iberia - Ravel: Alborado Del Gracioso/Reiner/CSO AAPC 2222



Spain - Reiner/CSO AAPC 2230



Mendelssohn/Prokofiev - Munch BSO/Heifetz AAPC 2314



Saint Saens: Symphony No. 3 Munch/BSO AAPC 2341



Gershwin: Rhapsody In Blue Fielder/Boston Pops AAPC 2367



Prokofiev: Alexander Nevsky Reiner/CSO AAPC 2395



Masquerade Suite/The Comedians Kondrashin/RCA Victor Symphony AAPC 2398



Festival - Reiner/CSO AAPC 2423



Rachmaninoff: Rhapsody on a Theme of Paganini/Reiner/CSO/Rubinstein AAPC 2430



Sibelius: Violin Concerto/Hendl CSO/Heifetz AAPC 2435



Respighi: Pines Of Rome Reiner/CSO AAPC 2436



Rimsky-Korsakov: Scheherazade Reiner/CSO AAPC 2446



Lalo: Symphonic Espagnole Hendl/CSO AAPC 2456



Stokowski Rhapsodies - Liszt Enesco/RCA Victory Symphony AAPC 2471



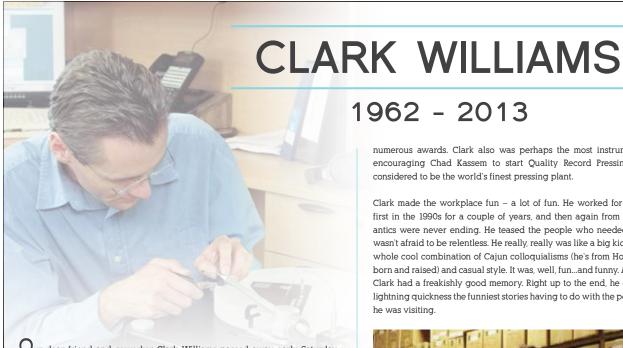
Bruch: Scottish Fantasy/Sargent/New Symphony Orchestra of London/Heifetz AAPC 2603



Rozsa: Violin Concerto/Hendl Dallas Symphony Orchestra/Heifetz AAPC 2767

Vinyl selection numbers listed above. Please go to acousticsounds.com for SACD information.





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m ur}$  dear friend and coworker Clark Williams passed away early Saturday, August 24, 2013, following his yearlong struggle with cancer. Clark was only 50.

Clark would have said he "snuffed it." Cause that's the sort of thing he said when someone died. Not because he was flippant about it or didn't care – far, far from it. No, it's just one of the many unique little ways or sayings he had about him that'll make those of us who knew him well miss him so.

There's no conveying through writing who Clark was. He had a special style about him, entirely his own. And it was infectious. He was hilarious. He was extraordinarily talented. He was independent. He was passionate. And he was cool. Above all, he was unique - and memorable. Maybe among the best things you could say about a person.

Through the prism of Acoustic Sounds, it's important to describe in more detail just how talented this man was. There's not been a better ear. We might grant you an equal, but we ain't coming off that statement of nobody better. 'Cause it's the truth. Clark was flat-out gifted in the way that he could listen to music. His ability to hear what was taking place in a recording was incomparable. And that's what we do at Acoustic Sounds. We sell music to audiophiles - people who want to hear the best sound that recording and playback technology can deliver - and we ourselves are audiophiles. Clark was better than all of us at diagnosing what sounded good - or bad - and why.

More importantly, he had fun doing what he was good at. This whole business of people being ate up with their high-end stereo being better than the next guy's, or using a stereo as a status symbol was silly to Clark. What Clark cared about was: Does it sound good to you? And, does it sound better than what you had before? He urged people to trust their ear, to not take it too seriously. To love what they were doing. Otherwise, he'd likely have said, do something else.

And, man, did his customers trust him. Equipment manufacturers, too. A lot of people tapped into his talent and reaped the rewards of his recommendations. He was a whiz at turntable setup, at system compatibility, at building systems to fit various budgets. Oh, and he could turn people on to music from various eras and genres. He never subscribed to the shortsighted, unimaginative curmudgeon philosophy of "there's no good new music or recordings." Nonsense. His stereo wasn't stuck in the '70s and '80s - the era of his youth. He enjoyed a healthy variety.

Clark made major professional contributions to Acoustic Sounds and to the industry at large. In 2006, he co-produced The Ultimate Analogue Test LP - a record that lived up to its name in helping people set up their turntables for optimal playback. The record has become the industry standard and has won

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numerous awards. Clark also was perhaps the most instrumental person in encouraging Chad Kassem to start Quality Record Pressings, now widely considered to be the world's finest pressing plant.

Clark made the workplace fun - a lot of fun. He worked for Acoustic Sounds first in the 1990s for a couple of years, and then again from 2004 to 2011. His antics were never ending. He teased the people who needed it most, and he wasn't afraid to be relentless. He really, really was like a big kid. And he had this whole cool combination of Cajun colloquialisms (he's from Houma, Louisiana born and raised) and casual style. It was, well, fun...and funny. And his memory... Clark had a freakishly good memory. Right up to the end, he could recall with lightning quickness the funniest stories having to do with the people with whom he was visiting.



He was something of a renaissance man – into yoga, cars, fishing, investments, running, whiskey, art, guns, marksmanship, food, travel, live music and whatever else we're leaving out. If it was fun, he probably dug it.

And he had found his suitable copilot these past seven-or-so years - his wife, Kate. They were adventurers together, and they did their best to set the world on fire with the time that they had. Clark retired from Acoustic Sounds in 2011, and he and Kate moved to what Clark called "the redneck Rockies" - northwest Arkansas. It was an area - the Ozarks - where they had loved to camp, explore and relax. They got set up in what they called their "tree house" and got down to some good living.

The cancer came on strong and advanced - brain tumors - August of last year. It was a hell of a seesaw from there. Clark's wife. Kate, maintained one of the most inspiring, informative and regrettably tragic journals one might imagine via their Caring Bridge page throughout the ordeal. Eventually, after enjoying two brief periods of having been supposedly cancer free, more tumors cropped up - on the other side of Clark's brain. It was curtains - that's what Clark might have said. He was admitted to Hospice and a few days ago returned to his home as he'd wished. Clark died exactly one year from the day of his first diagnosis.

Clark's steady message throughout his sickness - and actually even before he was sick - was to value time. "That's what I don't have," he said. "I can make more money, but I can't make more time." He told those who'd listen to hug their kids, to dance with their wives, to go places, to do the things they wanted to do.

Sage advice, wouldn't you say?

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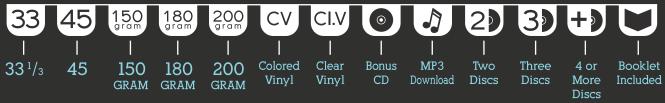
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# ICON LEGEND

Welcome to our catalog's music section. We've identified some of the key components that are important for record collectors to make informed buying decisions. We've assigned an icon to each component and have used them consistently throughout the following pages. Please familiarize yourself with the below icon legend for your best navigation of our catalog. And remember, more information - including album descriptions and customer reviews - is always available at <a href="https://www.acousticsounds.com">www.acousticsounds.com</a>.

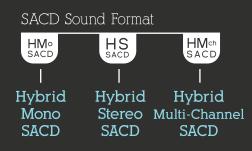
# **VINYL ICONS**

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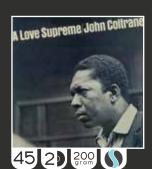


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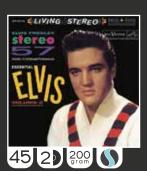
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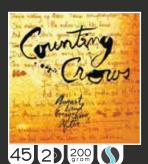
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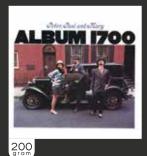
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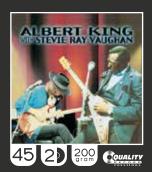


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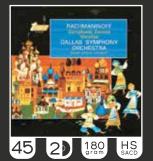
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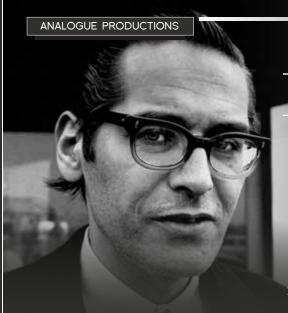
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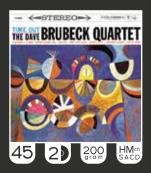
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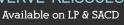
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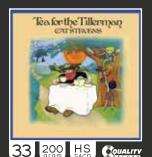




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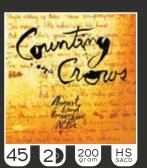
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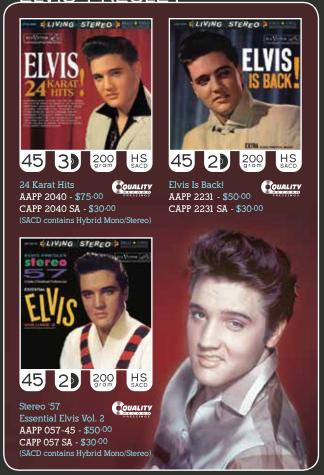
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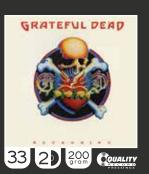


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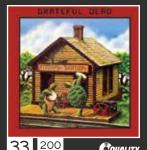
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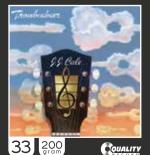




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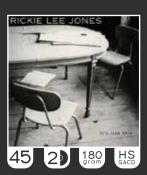


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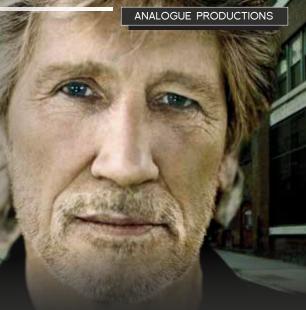


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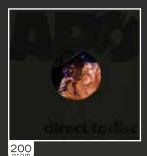
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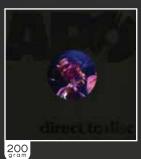
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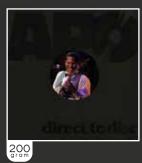




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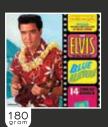
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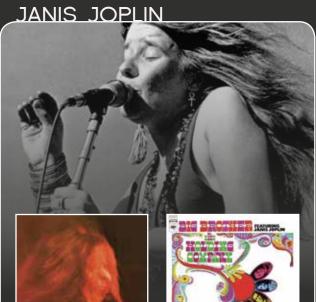
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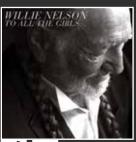


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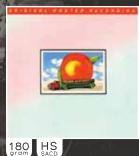


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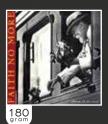
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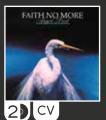
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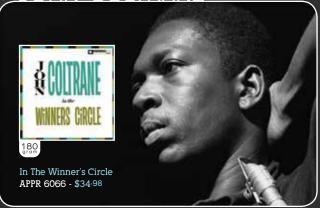
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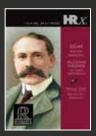
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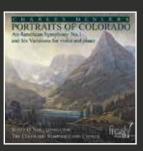
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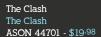
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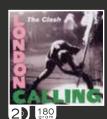








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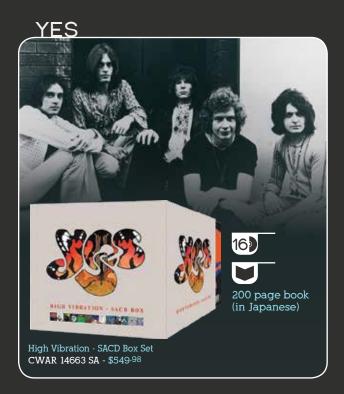
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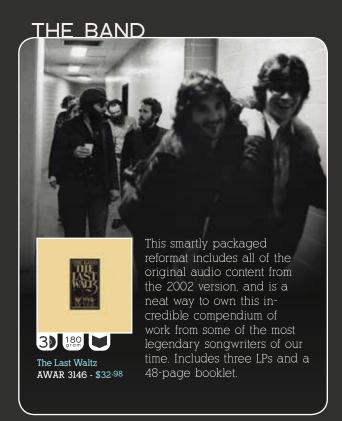


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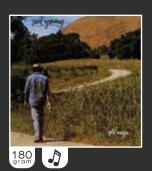


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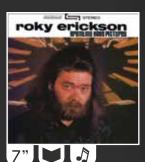
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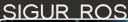
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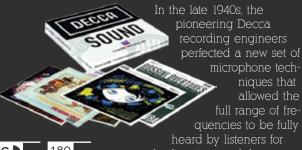
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Verve Remixed: The First Ladies AVER 855201 - \$29.98 Verve Remixed, a compilation series created by Verve Records, brings the greatest producers and DJs today to create electronic sound remixes of classic Verve jazz tracks. The series has sold close to 1 million tracks worldwide, resonating both with fans of the original recordings and with a new untapped fanbase who are drawn to the producers showcased on the albums.





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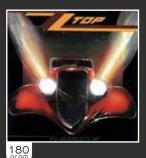
Deutsche Grammophon presents six classic Wagner recordings, originally released between 1958 and 1988, featuring great Wagner singers: Astrid Varnay, Wolfgang Windgassen, Jess Thomas, René Kollo, Margaret Price and Jessye Norman; and conductors: Ferdinand Leitner, Karl Bohm, Carlos Kleiber and Herbert von Karajan — as well as a unique recording of the Bayreuth Festival Chorus made in the Bayreuth Festspielhaus itself.

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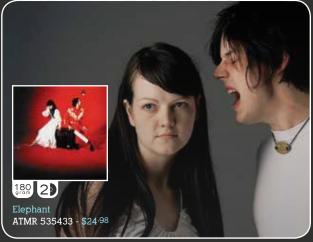
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T CONCEPTPKG2

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(Concept MC Low-Output Cartridge)

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## CLEARAUDIO EQUIPMENT

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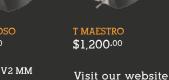
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# STABI XL MK2 TURNTABLE

Kuzma's biggest turntable, Stabi XL, is the latest offering in their bid to achieve the goal of perfect analogue sound. It represents the culmination of 20 years research, development and experience in the production of turntables and tonearms. Theoretically the aim was simple, ie. to spin the record in the nearest possible way to the master and to enable the tonearm to emulate the cutter head.



4 motor with VTA and motor controller T STABIXL4V - \$30.275.00



# FEATURED KUZMA EQUIPMENT

#### **4 POINT TONEARM**

The heart of the new construction is a unique 4-point bearing. The first set of of two points (similar to a unipivot bearing) allows vertical movement. The second set of two points allows horizontal movment. All four points have minimal friction and zero play in all playing directions thus ensuring the cartridge platform and the cartridge itself move with very low friction and minimal vibration across the record.

"...I think the Kuzma 4Point pushed more energy down the pipeline. It sounded closer to the sound of the tape than any other arm I've heard...the Kuzma 4Point may be the finest tonearm out there, period."

- Michael Fremer, Stereophile

T 4PTNSE

\$6,375.00

T 4PTNSEB

\$6,675.00 (WITH BIWIRE OPTION)

#### STOGI S12 VTA TONEARM

This is of a unipivot design with a unique, rigid headshell made from a solid aluminum block and a base of solid brass that control all the vibration and facilitate stability of the tonearm as a whole.

Wires are in one uninterrupted piece from headshell to RCA phono connectors. By special order, wiring can also be fitted in for balanced connection. Designed to fit a standard 9-inch base.

T S12NSEVTA

\$2,950.00



#### STABI S

Stabi S is Kuzma's smallest turntable with a design approach normally found only in more expensive models. Its unique shape and construction of solid brass rods, provide an extremely rigid connection to platter, bearing and tonearm support. Includes electronic speed controller.



T STABI SPS - \$3,410.00 (WITH MOTOR CONTROL)

#### STABI REFERENCE 2

WITH DIGITAL POWER SUPPLY

This is constructed from two plates, each plate being made from a sandwich construction of two 10 mm aluminium plates, separated by an acrylic plate clamped together with prestressed, non-magnetic, stainless steel screws. The turntable chassis (top plate) is suspended by large springs submerged in silicone oil, with a low resonance of 2.2 Hz, which dampens movements of the springs themselves. The main base (bottom plate) is supported by three aluminium and stainless steel spikes. The top plate is easily levelled by four knobs. When this plate is lifted (for transport) the silicone suspension reservoirs are automatically sealed.



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#### MUSIC HALL AUDIO

# MMF-7.1 TURNTABLE

# music hall

The Music Hall MMF-7.1 turntable is a 2-speed belt driven audiophile turntable employing the unique dual-plinth construction originated by Music Hall. The distinctive design isolates the critical sound reproducing components; platter, main bearing, tonearm, and cartridge on the top platform from the adjustable tip-toe feet which are mounted on the bottom platform.

T MMF-7.1NOCART - \$1,295.00



#### FEATURED MUSIC HALL TURNTABLES

#### MMF-9.1

The new MMF-9.1 turntable is a 2-speed belt driven audiophile turntable employing the unique triple-plinth construction originated by Music Hall.

"If you want a great table out of the box. buy an MMF-9."

Jeff Dorgay,Tone Magazine



T MMF-9NOCART

\$1,995.00

#### USB-1

Music Hall's new USB-1 is a convenient, easy to use, and fun turntable. It's a snap to set-up and comes with everything you need to start spinning vinyl. Whether you're looking to digitize and download your record collection, release your inner DJ, or simply discover the joy of spinning vinyl, the USB-1 is your answer. It has a built-in phono preamp, cartridge, dust cover, and includes all necessary cables and software required for simple plug and play operation.

T MHUSB-1 \$249.00



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#### **PRO-JECT**

# PERSPEX TURNTABLE

A new Manual turntable from the good folks at Pro-Ject - The first to feature the new Evolution Series of Reference Carbon-Fiber tonearms!



The New Perspex is constructed using a visually stunning, clear acrylic plinth. Floating above the plinth is a sophisticated sub-chassis system made of corian suspended by three height adjustable opposing magnet fields.



Additional features include: a bonded MDF platter with vinyl mat, a threaded record clamp, and adjustable cone feet. A new 9" tonearm, the 9cc Evolution, incorporates a conical carbon fiber arm tube with integrated headshell made of a single piece of carbon fiber and new ultra-rigid bearing assembly to give the customer the ability to use more massive and lower compliant moving coil cartridges. Female chassis mount RCA connectors on the rear panel allow for the use of any single ended interconnect cables. Transparent acrylic with black details.

\$1,799.00

#### FEATURED PRO-JECT TURNTABLES

#### XPERIENCE CLASSIC

The Xperience Classic sets a new standard in terms of cost versus performance. The precision balanced resonance-optimized MDF platter weighs in at a substantial 4.4 pounds and features sandwich construction using a vinyl top layer. The platter's chrome-plated stainless steel axle rests on a Teflon bearing plate in a bronze bearing housing. A 9-inch full carbon-fiber tonearm tube with integrated headshell is pre-mounted with a Sumiko Blue Point No. 2 cartridge.

#### T XPER CLASSIC

\$1 299.00



Available in Piano Black, Mahogany and Olive

#### XPRESSION III

Pro-Ject have taken their award-winning Xpression and improved it again, delivering the stunning Pro-Ject Xpression III. It features an improved carbon fiber tonearm, superior isolation feet and is supplied complete with a factory-fitted and aligned "Sumiko Oyster" cartridge.



T-PRO-XP III

#### DEBUT CARBON

The Debut Carbon has been designed to set new standards in this category for the coming decade - perfectly timed as analogue today is again a respected source, while the demand for good turntables is growing again! 8.6" carbon tube tonearm. Includes Ortofon 2M Red magnetic cartridge.



T DEBUTC - \$399.00

Available in Piano Black, White, Silver, Yellow, Green, Blue and Red

#### RM-10.1

Furthering the design principles of the RM-9.2, the RM-10.1 complements the company's analog offerings by being its first true reference-quality turntable. A platter with double the mass of the RM-9.2's ensures accurate speed control with deep and extended bass response. This mammoth dual-layer acrylic platter is mated to a plinth made from ultra-dense MDF filled with metal dust and sealed

A brass record clamp and Ground It Deluxe 3 is included. 18.9"w x 8.3"h x 13"d turntable, 19.7"w x 3.2"h x 15.8"d Ground It Deluxe 3, 20.7"w x 11.4"h x 16.7"h overall with Cover It dustcover (optional).

TRM-10.1 - \$2.999.00



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T SME30-12ARM

\$42,200.00

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Tonearm available separately:

T SMEV 12

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### FEATURED SME LIMITED EQUIPMENT

#### **MODEL 30/2**

The Model 30/2 embodies immaculate construction and finish stemming from the facilities and uncompromising quality control which have made SME famous for engineering excellence. Detail, resolution, and neutrality are of a new standard with a dynamic range that does justice to your treasured recordings. Series V Tonearm included.



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The Classic Series V features a cast magnesium, onepiece tonearm tube supported by ABEC-7 bearings. Other features include a van den Hul mono crystal internal wire, a van den Hul 501 tonearm cable, dynamic tracking force and fluid-controlled lateral damping.

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The Model 309 offers a performance and manufacturing excellence unmatched by many more expensive models and features a unique one-piece magnesium tonearm.

T SME309 \$2,200.00



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#### VP



# CLASSIC DIRECT TURNTABLE

The VPI Classic Direct Drive Turntable is the newest turntable in the VPI Classic line. VPI's design takes advantage of 21st Century motor technology for accurate speed control utilizing a servo motor controller coupled with an active feedback loop to control the motion of the platter. It is a true measure of design and engineering excellence. The Classic Direct Drive Turntable is precision manufactured and painstakingly handmade entirely in the USA. It is simple to set up and is free from any shift in factory settings over time.

- Piano black finish with 3D Tonearm
- Direct drive with no mechanical contact in the horizontal plane.
- A proprietary non-cogging drive system that uses the platter as the rotor and a printed circuit board stator.

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#### FEATURED VPI TURNTABLES

#### CLASSIC 1 & 2

The sound of the Classic turntable is fast, clean and wide open, with deep powerful bass, and unparalleled speed and stability. The Classic turntable gives any turntable made regardless of price a serious run for the money. The Classic 2s include VTA on the fly tonearm.



VPI Classic 1 & 2 are available in Black and Walnut

#### CLASSIC 3 WITH 3D TONEARM

The VPI Classic 3 re-draws the line in the sand to its competition when it comes to performance and price. It features the VTA on the fly tonearm, piano black base, 1/2" thick aluminum top, ring clamp and HR-X weight, Valhalla wire, and a new stainless steel armtube.



VPI Classic 3 is available in Black, Rosewood and Walnut

#### SCOUT 1.1

The Scout lives on in this evolutionary design from Harry Weisfeld! Featuring the latest in platter design, this Scout sized platter is a downsized version of the Classic damped metal platter. Featuring the excellent JMW9T uni-pivot tonearm, the VPI Scout has fully evolved.

T VPI CLASSDIR B \$30,000.00



#### **TRAVELER**

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# DENON

#### DL-304 LOW OUTPUT MC



This audiophile moving coil cartridge provides ultimate performance in the most demanding high-end system.

T DL-304 \$699.00

#### DL-301II LOW OUTPUT MC



The DL-301II cartridge is the updated version of the popular DL-301. The body style has been changed and output performance has been improved to provide a more detailed sound. In addition the output level of this standard output moving coil cartridge is slightly higher than most providing a strong response with plenty T DL-301MK2 \$329.00 of punch.

#### DL-103R LOW OUTPUT MC



The DL-103R is an updated version of the classic DL-103. It provides improved sound by using 6N copper coils wound with precision to the cantilever shaft. Audio lovers will delight with detail that is brought out by this outstanding phono cartridge.

T DL-103R \$379.00

#### DL-103 LOW OUTPUT MC



Denon's classic cartridge, the DL-103, has been an industry standard for decades. Providing smooth response in many Hi-Fi systems, the DL-103 gives a pleasing sound and brings out the full detail of audio performances.

T DL-103 \$229.00

#### DL-110 HIGH OUTPUT MC



The DL-110 is an unobtrusive high output moving coil cartridge that is able to display music in a very three-dimensional manner. This cartridge provides clean sound for HiFi systems with moving magnet inputs.

T DL-110 \$139.00

#### DL-102 HIGH MONO OUTPUT



This cartridge is a specially designed cartridge to reproduce superior sound from monaurally recorded records. The high output mono signal is designed to work with a standard moving magnet input.

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# GRADO

# STATEMENT SERIES

LOW OUTPUT CARTRIDGES

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Sonata 1 T SON	00
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HIGH OUTPUT CARTRIDGES

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#### **KOETSU**

# tiger eye platinum

#### LOW OUTPUT CARTRIDGE

For decades, the Koetsu sound has been legend in audiophile lore. But only a proud few have owned and experienced the unequaled magic these hand-built cartridges evoke. Many of the converted search out second and third Koetsus. Why? Maybe it's time you hear for yourself.

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Things come and go in the world of audio, but Koetsu's Rosewood is a perennial favorite. There is a great reason why the Rosewood Signature has been around for decades; spellbinding sound. Many older audiophiles will tell you exact and specific details from their first encounter with a Rosewood Signature.

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T KOETSUROSEPLAM - \$6.950.00 (SIGNATURE PLATINUM MONO)

#### URUSHI TSUGARU

Another variation in the ultimately-acclaimed Koetsu line – the Urushi Tsugaru. This beautiful, hand-made Moving Coil cartridge features Neodymium magnets, silver-clad copper wire and a healthy .6mV output. It's encased in a gorgeous black and gold lacquered rosewood body and weighs 9.2 grams.

T TSUGARU - \$5,450.00



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#### **ATLAS**



The Atlas Lyra boasts the first time that anyone has made an asymmetrically structured phono cartridge. Why asymmetric? Because, by eliminating the barriers to great sound that are present in every other cartridge today, it confers a number of important performance benefits.

T LYRA ATLAS \$9,500.00



Lyra again turns the analog world on its ear with the introduction of the Etna phono cartridge. Sharing its name with Sicily's majestic Mount Etna, Etna the cartridge is an impressive monument in its own right, one that melds tried and true Lyra design tenets with designer Jonathan Carr's very latest thinking on phono cartridges.

T LYRA KLEOSM \$6,995.00

#### SKALA



Introducing Lyra's brand-new, fifth-generation cartridge design. Using a unique, multi-section, multi-material structure that combines a dense and rigid metal with a lightweight polymer, the Skala is a monster when it comes to reproducing big dynamics without sacrificing fine detail. This baby is ultra-strong and yet reasonable in

T LYRA SKALA \$3.995.00

#### KLEOS



The Kleos is the lowest cost Lyra cartridge to feature the full fledged Ogura manufactured boron cantilever and coil system with Lyra original line-contact (3 x 70ftm) stylus. This is similar to what is employed on even the most expensive Lyra models.

SL LOW OUTPUT SPECIAL LIMITED EDITION T LYRA KLEOSL \$3,500.00

T LYRA KLEOSM \$3,500.00

STANDARD

T LYRA KLEOS \$2,995.00

#### **DELOS**



The Delos has a microridge stylus for outstanding tracking, a non-parallel solid metal body for low resonances, and nude construction for greater clarity. The result is clearly improved sound quality, particularly resolution, dynamic range, transient impact and immediacy.

T LYRA DELOS \$1.650.00

#### DORIAN



Lyra has found a way to bring their sonic signature to a more affordable price point. Introducing the Dorian, a machine-wound Moving Coil cartridge that retains much of the magic of Lyra's more expensive hand-wound cartridges.

T LYRA DORIANM \$1,110.00 (MONO OUTPUT)

# ortofon

## LOW OUTPUT CARTRIDGES

MC Anna

\$8.499.00

MC Cadenza

Rlue

MC Windfeld



\$3.899.00





\$1.799.00



T CAD RED \$1,219.00



\$2.599.00

MC Cadenza

T RND BRZ \$1,159.00



Rlue

MC Cadenza

\$2.199.00

MC Rondo

Bronze

T RND BLII \$879.00

Need more specs? Visit acousticsounds.com, type in the product number and dive in on all the techincal talk you'll need to make the best decision for your setup.

#### HIGH OUTPUT CARTRIDGES

2M Black



T 2M BLK \$719.00

Includes Shibata Diamond Stylus

2M Bronze

T 2M BRZ \$419.00

2M Blue

\$225.00



2M Red

T 2M RED \$99.00

MC-3 Turbo

MC-1 Turbo



\$359.00



\$199.00

#### **NEED ADVICE?**

Deciding which cartridge to get can be tough. Let us help! We'll guide you to any component that best suits your ear. Call us at 1.800.716.3553 to speak to an expert today.

#### STYLUS REPLACEMENTS



Black - S 2M BLK - \$549.00 Bronze - S 2M BRZ - \$319.00 Blue - S 2M BLU - \$194.00

Red - S 2M RED - \$83.00



# SHEL/ER

#### HARMONY MC



Shelter's new reference model! For the first time in a Shelter pickup, the Harmony uses CFRP (carbon fiber reinforced plastic) for the cartridge's body-shell. This material has superior characteristics of absorbing and decreasing vibrations. The resonance frequency of this CFRP material is out of the audible frequency range, thus having less coloration but allowing the reproduced signal many sonic advantages.

THARMONY \$5,495.00

#### MODELS 9000, 7000 & 5000



A new cartridge design technology improves dynamic range. These new models (the 5,000, 7000 and 9000) are a complete departure from the current line current line of Shelter cartridges.

T 9000 \$4.195.00 T 7000 \$3.395.00

T 5000 \$2,300.00



90111 MC The Shelter 90111 MC combines the old style body of the original 901 (which is smaller and lighter than the massive, anodized aluminum bodies of Shelter's later models), with a motor assembly containing all the updates found in the "thousand series" Shelters.

T 90111 MC \$2,595.00



50111 MC Owners of this wonderful cartridge have said the Shelter 501 II easily fills the sonic shoes of cartridges costing two or three times as much. The 501 II blends its musical presentation with a warm, extremely musical midrange, deep, authoritative bass and a smooth as silk top end. Instruments shine and are easily placed, showing plenty of soul. With a .4mV output and great tracking, the 501 II is stunning.

T 501 II MC MONO \$1,995.00 T 501II MC \$1,295.00 (STEREO)

#### 201 MM



T 201MM \$310.00

Shelter introduces a Moving Magnet cartridge that stays true to this great company's "family sound." The unique quality of the 201 MM is that it offers tremendous musicality without being overly critical of the quality of vinyl it is tracking. This is an outstanding bonus when considering an entry-level analog front end. The 201 MM would be a great choice for use with Thorens, Pro-Ject, Music Hall, Rega or Clearaudio turntables.

# **SUMIKO**

#### LOW OUTPUT CARTRIDGES

#### PALO SANTOS PRESNTATION



T PALO SANTOS

\$3,999.00

#### LOW OUTPUT

The new Palo Sanotos Presentation is no exception. New design requirements incorporating advances in material technology and construction techniques have resulted in a significantly improved product which delivers a highly refined and resolved, yet musically satisfying sound quality previously unavailable at or even near its price.

#### CELEBRATION LOW OUTPUT



T CELEBRATION \$2,499.00

Improvements to the original Pearwood Celebration include a brand new handcrafted Pearwood cartridge body, refined long-grain boron cantilever, and most notably a new ultra low-mass Ogura Jewel Co. P9 Stylus (Vital Design). The Pearwood Celebration II embodies all the virtues that over 25 years of experience in designing and distributing the finest in analog products.

#### HIGH OUTPUT CARTRIDGES

Blackbird



\$1,099.00



\$499.00



Blue Point No. 2

\$399.00

Pearl

Black Pearl

Oyster Phono



\$125.00



\$100.00



\$75.00

Call For Trade-In Pricing!



# Soundsmith

#### **SOUNDSMITH**

Recognizing the variability in taste and systems, within the Soundsmith designs are three cartridges that present detailed analog with a noticeably warmer or more sultry presentation – these include the Carmen, The Zephyr, and the Paua. The remainder of the Soundsmith line will add air and detail for lovers of remarkable resolution without the hardness that can accompany cartridges that attempt such levels of confidence with any disc.

#### SUSSURRO PAUA

#### LOW OUTPUT - LOW EFFECTIVE MOVING MASS CARTRIDGE

MC Preamp compatible. Ultra low effective moving mass resulting in superlative transient and micro detail performance. Telescoping Aluminum Alloy Cantilever / Selected nude Contact Line diamond stylus. Composite body featuring impedance matched energy transmission system. For the first time it is possible to enjoy the virtues of our low effective moving mass architecture with the finest step ups and phono preamps for truly amazing vinyl replay.





#### FEATURED SOUNDSMITH CARTRIDGES

#### THE VOICE EBONY MI

Soundsmith's top-of-the-line High-Output Moving Iron Cartridge. The VOICE overturns the myth that MC type cartridges are the only path to perfection. With 40% lower effective moving mass than the other Soundsmith high-output cartridges; The VOICE is faster, smoother, more musical and without the sonic "signature" that MC cartridges produce.



T THEVOICE - \$2,799.95

High Output Medium Compliance

#### THE ZEPHYR MK/II \*NEW\*

Same price as the BOHEME but a different animal. The new "Z/II" is a Low Compliance cartridge that was designed to work extremely well with both "unipivot" and standard "bearing" tonearms. The Z/II is the first SOUNDSMITH cartridge to utilize a boron cantilever coupled with a low-mass contact-line stylus providing the same speed and tracking ability that one has come to expect from this artisanal US company.



T ZEPHYR - \$1,199.95

High Output Low Compliance

#### THE BOHEME

Recognized as one of the best values on the cartridge market today; the BOHEME is a Medium Compliance design featuring a ruby cantilever and a low-mass CL stylus. To experience the BOHEME is to recognize speed, musicality and palpable presentation; all without casting any sonic signature.



T BOHEMES - \$1,199.95

High Output Medium Compliance

#### THE AIDA

Boasting an OCL stylus attached to a single crystal ruby cantilever, the AIDA dances right through the most complex musical passages. This Medium Compliance cartridge, while sophisticated, is still compatible with a wide variety of tonearms and MM type phono-stages. Handmade in New York State-the AIDA can go toe-to-toe with cartridges costing three times the price.



T AIDA - \$1,799.95

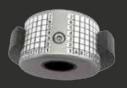
High Output Medium Compliance



#### **EZ-MOUNT**

Cartridge Screws

S EZ MOUNT - \$39.95 (SET OF 8)



#### "COUNTER INTUITIVE"

VPI Tracking/Azimuth Adjustment

**S CTRINTUIT - \$49.99** 



**EQUIPMENT** 

# ACOUSTECH STYLUS FORCE GAUGE

#### PHONO CARTRIDGE SETUP TOOL



Do not calibrate new gauges.
All gauges come pre-calibrated from the factory!

G ATE DSFG - \$79.99

The Deluxe AcousTech gauge is set apart from the standard version by a full metal casing, AAA battery support, and a deluxe storage case. Includes mini screwdriver and calibration weight.

The AcousTech gauge will accurately read your tracking force within 0.002 grams, the finest reading available. Many imitators only read accuracy of 0.01 grams.

Accurate and simple to use – that's the essence of a great stylus force gauge, and that's what you get with this AcousTech model. We all know, or certainly we all should know, that dialing in your correct tracking force is absolutely essential for optimal record playback. If you miss on the heavy side, your sound becomes thick and sluggish. Miss on the light side, and your cartridge is more likely to mistrack and the sound will be light and anemic.

So stop messing with those mechanical stylus balances that aren't even accurate. This is one case where digital makes more sense when it comes to fine-tuning your analog.



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Spin Clean Record Washer Mk II

Finally, a record cleaner everyone can afford!



"...it's cheap and it really, really works...I cleaned some dirty, fingerprint-encrusted records, and when I removed them from the vat, all dirt and fingerprints were gone...not everyone wants to spend hundreds of bucks on a vacuum machine, and the Spin Clean got the job done."

- Michael Fremer, Stereophile, February 2010

#### **SPIN CLEAN Record Washer System MKII Package**

Spin Clean is the ultimate in record care, easy to use. Just spin the record two or three times in the Spin Clean record washing system, remove and wipe dry with the special lint-free cloth. Presto, it's clean. The only record washing system on the market that is a "bath type" complete record cleaning system. Includes 2 pair of brushes, 1 pair of rollers, 7 washable drying cloths, 4 oz washer fluid and 32 oz washer fluid.

E WASHSYS PKG \$124.99

#### **SPIN CLEAN Record Washer System MKII**

Same as above, but includes 1 pair of brushes, 1 pair of rollers, 2 washable drying cloths, one 4 oz washer fluid.

C WASH SYS \$79.99



#### **NEW!**

#### SPIN CLEAN Record Washer System MKII Limited Edition Clear

Same as above, but includes 2 pair of brushes, 1 pair of rollers, 7 washable drying cloths, 4 oz washer fluid and 32 oz washer fluid. E WASHCLR PKG \$149.99

# RECORD CLEANERS

#### CLEARAUDIO SMART MATRIX



The Clearaudio Smart Matrix Professional Record Cleaner features a rigid and damped chassis, significantly reducing ambient noise during operation of the powerful vacuum system. Improved polymer-based platter with a soft, non-reactive surface to protect vinyl records. Bi-directional rotation and a precision manufactured self-adjusting vacuum tube ensure deeper cleaning of record grooves. New extended 3 year manufacturer's guarantee.

E MATRIX SMT \$1,500.00

#### **NITTY GRITTY**

Nitty Gritty offers a superior quality cleaning machine for delicate cleaning of records due to static buildup with its platerless design & capsten edge drive system. Visit acousticounds.com for a wide variety of Nitty Gritty models:

Model 1.0 Vinyl Woodgrain



E NG 1.0 \$399.00

Model 1.5 Vinyl Woodgrain



E NG 1.5 \$645.00

Mini-Pro 1 Vinyl Woodgrain



E MINI-P 1 \$1,139.00

#### Record Master 1



E NGMASTER1 \$429.00

Model 2.5 Semi-Manual/Oak Cabinet



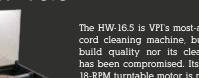
E NG 2.5 \$699.00

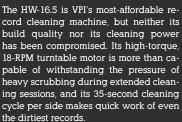
Model 2.5 Semi-Manual/Oak Cabinet



E MINI-P 2 \$1,205.00

#### **VPI HW-16.5**

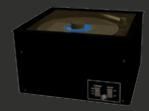




#### VPI VP MW-1 CYCLONE

#### E VPI VPMW-1 \$999.99

E VPI 16.5A \$650.00



The Cyclone features vacuuming in both directions, really cleaning out the record grooves. An all aluminum machine, the VPI MW-1 Cyclone Record Cleaning Machine is quieter than the Award Winning HW-16.5 plus it has a platter that can be pressed on quite hard for solid cleaning!

#### VPI HW17.I PRO

#### E VPI HW 17/F

\$1,500.00



VPI's HW-17F is now constructed of seven-layer, Marine-grade plywood, making it completely waterproof. This material upgrade is of significant benefit to the durability and life expectancy of this legendary performer. It is not uncommon for the serious audiophile to have an investment in quality records far in excess of his sound reproduction equipment. This investment demands the best in constant care and maintenance, and the HW-17 record-cleaning machine is the answer. The HW-17 cleans the oldest, dirtiest records thoroughly, providing a pristinely clean, dry, static-free record that sounds better than new.

#### VPI HW-27 TYPHOON

#### E VPI HW-27

\$2,300.00



Quiet, simple, heavy-duty – introducing the new HW-27 Typhoon, VPTs best record cleaning machine yet. Everything VPI has learned in 27 years of manufacturing record cleaning machines is incorporated into this new design. The Typhoon has twice the suction power of the HW-17. The Typhoon's platter is made from solid acrylic sitting on a bearing assembly similar to a turntable and features a precision sheet metal chassis with all parts to +/-.004 inch.





# exposure

#### **EXPOSURE 3010S2 Pre-Amplifier**



Available in black and silver

#### **EXPOSURE 3010S2 Mono Block Power Amplifier**



Available in black and silver

With great transparency, dynamics and natural tone, the new van den Hull Valley 3T interconnect and D-352 speaker wire are the perfect partners for your Exposure equipment. Until December 23, 2013 we are offering a free pair of both, the interconnects and speaker wire (.8m interconnect and 8' speaker cables), with every Exposure 3010S2 pre-amp and monoblock combination purchased. An \$800 Value!

# PREAMPS

#### **CROFT ACOUSTICS**

MICRO 25 Regulated Preamp

M MICRO 25R \$2,595.00



Featuring point-to-point wiring and selected matched components, the Micro 25 preamplifier includes a high quality valve MM phono stage.

Also Available - Croft Acoustics - Micro 25 Preamp - M MICRO 25 - \$1,395.00

### **EXPOSURE**

3010S2 Preamp

M 3010S2 PRE \$1,795.00



#### Available in Black and Silver

Large custom-made toroidal power transformer and smoothing capacitors for power supply. Full remote control. Audio output stages utilizing discrete transistor Class A output buffer. Internal phono cards available for \$495.

#### HERRON AUDIO

M VTSP-3

VTSP-3 Vacuum Tube Stereo Preamp

\$6,550.00



#### Available in Black and Silver

A highly refined advancement over the VTSP-2 with the addition of a precision non-resonant plate voltage controller, two front panel selectable gain modes for system matching and improved tube circuitry for increased resolution.

#### MANLEY LABS

M SHRIMPR \$3.660.00

Jumbo Shrimp R Preamp



A great sounding, ALL-TUBE, line-level preamp, the Shrimp is very quick and lively sounding.

#### PASS LABS

M XP-30

\$16,500.00

XP30 Chassis Reference Preamp



Where other makers are concentrating on eye-candy, the XP-30 offers better sound. The XP-30 is the best line stage ever made by Pass Labs. By extension it is possibly the best line stage ever made.

#### Also Available:

Pass Labs - XP20 2-Chassis Preamp - M XP20 - \$8,600.00 Pass Labs - XP10 Single Chassis Preamp - M XP10 - \$5,250.00

#### **ROGUE AUDIO**

M METISMAG

Metis Magnum Tube Preamp

\$1.495.00



#### Available in Black and Silver

The "Magnum" versions of the Titan series features significant parts upgrades that improve performance in your Atlas, Metis or Cronus in a number of important ways. Increased transparency, greater dynamics, improved bass and high frequency response, as well as a smoother and more refined presentation are all part of the Magnum upgrade. Please note that all of Rogue Audio's current products other than the Titan series already use Magnum-type parts.

#### ROGUE AUDIO

M PERSM

Rogue Perseus Magnum Preamp

\$2,195.00



#### Available in Black and Silver

The Magnum version of the Perseus preamplifier features a host of premium parts and circuit upgrades that are cost prohibitive in the standard versions. This Magnum upgrade package increases the transparency and dynamics of the component along with further improved performance at both frequency extremes.



# PHONO PREAMPS

#### **BELLARI**

Rolls VP29 Solid State Phono Stage



Rolls VP130 Phono Pre Amp



E VP29 \$85.00 M VP130 \$275.00

Also Available:

Bellari - VP-530 Tube Phonostage with USB - E VP530 - \$399.00

#### **CLEARAUDIO**

M SMARTPHONO **\$700**.00

#### Smart-Phono v2 Phono Preamp

Extremely low noise phono-stage, two separated channel design, each channel MM/MC switchable, with external power supply, automatic matching of input impedance for MM/MC.



#### **CROFT ACOUSTICS**

M RIAA \$995.00

RIAA Phono Preamp

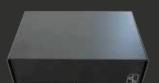


The Croft Acoustics RIAA is finally available for those audiophiles wanting to capture that Croft magic for their vinyl playback. Based on the Micro 25 preamp, the Croft RIAA features a pair of 12AX7 tubes (1.7 mV sensitivity) for bringing any high-output phono cartridge to life.

#### D.B. SYSTEMS

M DB-8 \$165.00

DB-8 MM Phono Preamp



Phono Preamplifier , 37 dB gain, RIAA within .04 dB, .002% distortion, output 150 ohms. Comes with captive Wall Wart power supply

Also Available:

D.B. Systems - DB-8 MC Phono Preamp - M DB-8 MC - \$190.00

#### HERRON AUDIO

M VTPH-2 \$3.650.00

VTPH-2 MM/MC Tube Phono Preamp



#### Available in Black and Silver

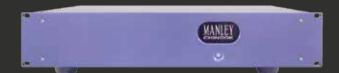
The Herron VTPH-2 Phono Preamplifier was created to address the retrieval of musical information from vinyl LPs without any compromise. The original design was only intended for use by a few dedicated music lovers in their cutting edge audio systems. The design was so good, and demand so high, that the unit was refined and engineered to meet the requirements for a more durable unit manufactured in larger quantities.

#### MANLEY LABS

M CHINOOK

Chinook Phono-Stage

\$2,250.00



Angling for an affordable yet world-class vacuum tube phono stage? The hunt is over! The Chinook epitomizes the sound of the Steelhead. Designed for the music lover, not the switch tweaker.

#### MANLEY LABS

M STEELHEADR

Steelhead Reference Phono-Stage

\$8,000.00



The Steelhead completely redefines what is possible in the arena of vinyl playback and music reproduction in general. It is also the most flexible phono-preamp ever designed.

#### MICROMEGA

M MMYGRV

\$269.00

MyGroov MM/MC Audiophile Phono Preamp



MyGroov is a MM/M phono preamplifier that will extract from the grooves of your preferred vinyl records, the tinest piece of information. Associated with a quality MM or MC cartridge, MyGroov will give you hours of exceptional musical listening pleasure.

Available in Black and White



# PHONO PREAMPS

#### MUSIC HALL AUDIO

M MH PA 1.2 \$175.00

MM/MC Phono Preamp

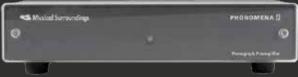


The music hall phono amp is a perfect solution for attaching a turntable to today's audio equipment. It is a low noise high quality phono pre amp that accepts both moving magnet and moving coil cartridges.

#### MUSICAL SURROUNDINGS M PHONOMENA II

\$600.00

Phonomena II



Built in California, the Phonomena II is a phono stage with incredible flexibility and performance. Based on the discrete circuit developed by Michael Yee for the Nova, the Phonomena II has rear-panel accessible switches for gain and loading.

#### PARASOUND

M ZPHONO

**ZPhono** 

\$199.99



An entry-level phono preamp for a very reasonable price. We don't think you'll do better for \$199.99. Take those LPs out of storage and get back to the real sound of vinyl. This elegantly simple and affordable component allows your turntable to be used with any preamplifier or receiver. Long live vinyl!

Parasound - ZPhono USB - M ZPHONOUSB - \$249.00 (Limited Availability)

#### PASS LABS

XP25 - Twin Chassis Phonostage Preamp



(SINGLE CHASSIS) \$3,800.00

M XP-15

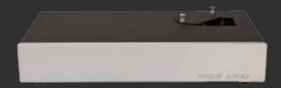
M XP-25 (DOUBLE CHASSIS) \$10.600.00

With twin chassis, the XP-25 phonostage features significant performance gains while remaining exceptionally user friendly. Multiple input, convenient loading and gain selection. Intuitive adjustment. More spacious and "you are there" sonic presentation of recordings than the XP-15.

#### ROGUE AUDIO

Triton Phono Preamp

M TRITON \$995.00



The new Triton phono preamplifier offers outstanding performance at a modest price of \$995.. With four different gain settings (35dB, 45dB, 55dB, 65dB), eight resistive loading options and four capacitance settings, the Triton will sound stunning with almost any cartridge ever produced. All of the loading options are accessible through a convenient hatch plate in the cover making fine tuning of your setup a snap.

#### ROGUE AUDIO

M ARES-S

Ares Phono Preamp

\$1.995.00



#### Available in Black and Silver

Rogue Audio's new Ares phono preamplifier is an all tube design that offers cutting edge performance for virtually any cartridge and turntable setup. The Ares is a four tube design that includes two 12AX7 and two 12AU7 tubes but can also be outfitted with four 12AX7's for additional gain.

#### SOUNDSMITH

M MCP2 \$995.00

Firefly Moving Coil Phono Preamp

An upgrade in sound quality does not have to deplete your wallet. The new Soundsmith MMP2 preamps are revolutionary designs for their price. Each hand made preamp circuit is housed in a high quality aluminum case, powered by an external DC power supply, with easy to set up instructions. All models exhibit extremely accurate RIAA equalization response.

Also Available:

Soundsmith - Firefly Magnet Phono Preamp - M MMP3 - \$649.95



# INTEGRATED AMPLIFIERS DISCREPANDE PAR

#### **EXPOSURE**

# 3010S2 INTEGRATED AMP

110 watts RMS per channel into 8 Ohms. Six line inputs. Option to fit a MC or MM phono module. Bi-wiring compatible. Separate pre-amp output with class A buffer stage. Remote control. High quality capacitors used in the signal path. Uniquely tuned short signal and power supply path PCB. Cascode circuitry utilised for improved power supply immunity. Fast bipolar transistor output stage for dynamic and vivid performance. All-aluminium casework and extruded front panel to control resonance and stray electro-magnetic fields. Three-year guarantee

Available in Black and Silver

M 3010S2 INT

\$2,595.00

Also Available:

Exposure - 2010S2 Integrated Amp - M 2010S2 INTAMP - \$1,645.00



#### FEATURED INTEGRATED AMPS

#### CAYIN AUDIO

A-50T Integrated Amplifier

M A-50T/EL-34 \$1,495.00



#### **Integrated Tube Amplifier**

M A-88/KT-88

\$2,895.00



#### **CROFT ACOUSTICS**

Croft Integrated Amplifier

M CROFT \$1,895.00



After a series of requests, Acoustic Sounds has succeeded in obtaining the Croft Phono Integrated amplifier for U.S. enthusiasts. Based on the well reviewed and magnificent sounding Micro 25 / Series 7 pre & power amplifiers, this minimialist design from Glenn Croft is sure to capture the heart of any music lover with its soulful and musical presentation.

#### MUSIC HALL AUDIO

A70.2 Integrated Amp 125w

M A70.2 \$1,499.00



#### Available in Black and Silver

The a70.2, Music Hall's most powerful integrated amplifier to date, impresses with its brawn yet wows with its delicacy. The engulfing soundstage presented and engaging sonic character are the direct result of brilliant circuit design and careful attention placed on the critical elements for accurate and musical sound reproduction while eliminating all unnecessary bits.

#### PASS LABS

INT-150 (150 watt per channel)

M INT-150 \$7,150.00



The INT-150 is Pass Labs' first integrated amplifier. Based on the X-150.5 Stereo Amplifier, the INT-150 embodies the design technology and refinements - including patented Super-Symmetry circuit - of the X150.5 and Pass Labs' larger X.5-Series amplifiers.

Also Available:

Pass Labs - INT-30A 30 watt per channel - M INT=30A - \$7,150.00





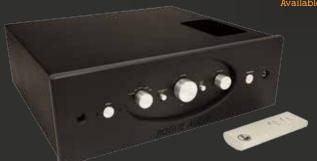
# PHARAOH HYBRID

#### Integrated Amp with Remote

Rogue Audio's new Pharaoh Hybrid Integrated Amplifier with remote is a no-compromise approach to an integrated amplifier. It truly is a one-box, high-end solution that our own audio expert Chad Stelly gleefully calls his "desert island" integrated amp — a single piece of hardware that's the Hi-fi Swiss Army Knife you'll count on for superb playback.

Available in Black and Silver

M PHARAOH \$3.495.00



## FEATURED INTEGRATED AMPS

#### ROGUE AUDIO

Cronus Tube Integrated Amp

M CRONUS \$1,895.00

S ROG COVER

\$125.00

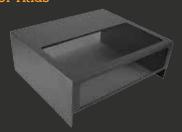


#### Available in Black and Silver

The Titan Series of Rogue Audio amplifiers, of which the Cronus integrated model is a part, were engineered with the challenge of creating truly high-end products at entry-level prices. The Titan Series offers outstanding performance and build quality that is accessible to almost anyone with a love for great sounding music.

#### ROGUE AUDIO

Cover for Rogue Audio Cronus or Atlas



You've made a significant investment in an ultra-high-quality Rogue Audio amplifier. Why not protect it from dust, pets, curious children and the like? For \$110, you can have a classy, quality, built-to-fit cover for your prized electronics.

#### ROGUE AUDIO

Cronus Magnum Tube Integrated Amp

M CRONUSMAGP \$2,295.00

INTEGRATED AMPLIFIERS



#### Available in Black and Silver

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#### ROGUE AUDIO

Sphinx Hybrid Integrated Amp

M SPHINX \$1,395.00



#### Available in Black and Silver

Dynamic, transparent, and profoundly musical, the Rogue Sphinx sets a new standard in affordable integrated amplifiers. Utilizing sophisticated circuitry borrowed from our most advanced designs, the Sphinx is able to outperform separates costing far more than this single box design. And with 100 watts of hybrid power, this integrated is capable of realistic volume levels that will rival the clarity and presence of the original performance.



# POWER AMPS

#### CROFT ACOUSTICS

Series 7 Regulated Power Amp

M SERIES 7R \$2,595.00



The Croft Series 7 power amplifier is considered as "entry-level" but quite honestly there are only a minority of manufacturers in the market who are capable of producing amplifiers that are this good. A hybrid design which uses 1 ECC83 valve for the input and high quality Mosfets for the output.

Also Available:

Croft Acoustics - Series 7 Power Amp - M SERIES 7 - \$1,395.00

#### **EXPOSURE**

M 3010S2 MAMP

3010S2 Mono Power Amp / Pair

\$3,195.00



#### Available in Black and Silver

Large custom made toroidal transformer and smoothing capacitors for power supply. All bipolar transistor design using carefully selected parts. DC coupled throughout. Electronic, non-invasive overload protection circuit and thermal trip. Bi-wire speaker outputs using high quality shrouded sockets. High quality all aluminium case work.

#### Also Available:

3010S2 Stereo Power Amp - M3010S2 SAMP - \$1,995.00 Available in Black and Silver

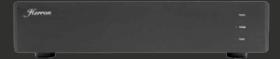
2010S2 Power Amp - M2010S2 AMP - \$1,295.00 Available in Black and Silver

#### HERRON AUDIO

M M-1

M1 Monaural Power Amp

\$6.850.00



#### Available in Black and Silver

New for 2012, the evolution continues. The M1A matches the VTSP-3A tubed line stage preamplifier cosmetically.

#### MANLEY LABS

M SNAPPER \$7,250.00

'Snapper' Monoblock Amps / Pair



This brilliant design features a quartet of EL-34s per chassis in a fully-differential circuit topology. The Snapper can be driven full balanced all the way through via the XLR inputs. The unbalanced RCAs can also be used in this special topology with equally impressive results.

#### MANLEY LABS

M MAHI

Mahi Power Amp (Mono Pair) \$4,600.00



Brand new styling. Looks like a mini-Snapper. This is a monoblock version of the Stingray integrated amplifier. Includes 40 watts of ultralinear or 20 watts of triode. UL/Triode switching is now a standard feature.

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# POWER AMPS

CLASS A/B

PASS LABS

X1000.5 1000 watt Mono Block Amplifier (PAIR) M X1000.5 \$34,100.00



The X1000.5 is the natural progression of the X1000. Changes include improvements to power transformers, paralleled high speed / soft recovery rectifiers, improved AC EMI filters, more paralleled power supply capacitors, increased supply RC filtering, refinements to the front-end input circuits, and the addition of single-ended Class A bias circuits for balanced single-ended Class A at low power levels.

#### Also Available:

X600.5 600 watt Mono Block Amp (PAIR) - M X600.5 - \$22,000.00 X350.5 350 watt per channel Stereo Amp (EACH) - M X350.5 - \$11,550.00 X150.5 150 watt Stereo with meter Amp (EACH) - M X150.5 - \$5,500.00 X 250.5 250 watt per channel Stereo Amp (EACH) - M X250.5 - \$8,250.00

CLASS A

PASS LABS

XA200.5 200 watt Class A Mono Amp (PAIR) M XA200 \$34,100.00



With the introduction of the XA200.5 Pass Laboratories significantly raises the performance standard of excellence by introducing an entirely new series of power amplifiers. The new "XA" series of amplifiers feature a refined and elegantly simple, very highly biased, pure Class A mode of operation. This is a new and unique circuit topology the Pass descriptively characterizes as being Single-ended Class A. This new topology combines the very best characteristics of Pass Laboratories" "X" series amplifiers and the highly rated "Pass Laboratories" Aleph. The XA series is the marriage of a highly refined Aleph output stage with the patented Supersymmetry "X" front end.

#### Also Available:

XA160.5 160 watt Class A Mono Amp (PAIR) - M XA160 - \$22,000.00 XA100.5 100 watt Class A Mono Amp (PAIR) - M XA100 - \$16,500.00 XA60.5 60 watt Class A Mono Black Amp (PAIR) - M XA60 - \$11,000.00 XA30.5 30 watt per channel Stereo Amp (EACH) - M XA30S - \$5,500.00

#### ROGUE AUDIO

Atlas Magnum

M ATLASMAG

\$1,995.00



#### Available in Black and Silver

The "MAGNUM" versions of the Titan series features significant parts upgrades that improve performance in your Atlas in a number of important ways. Increased transparency, greater dynamics, improved bass and high frequency response, as well as a smoother and more refined presentation are all part of the Magnum upgrade. The extensive power supply mods permit the use of the KT120 power tube which increases the rated output power of the Atlas and Cronus to 100 WPCI

#### Also Available:

Atlas 55 wpc Tube Stereo Power Amp - M ATLAS - \$1,595-00 Available in Black and Silver

# ROGUE AUDIO Medusa

M MEDUSA

\$3,995.00



#### Available in Black and Silver

Rogue Audio proudly introduces the Medusa and Hydra tube hybrid amplifiers. Utilizing breakthrough technology developed by Rogue Audio these amplifiers provide outstanding performance in a compact and cool running design. The Medusa is conservatively rated at 200WPC into 8 Ohms and 400WPC into 4 Ohms while the Hydra is rated at 100/200WPC. Both amplifiers feature a triode tube front end combined with a class D Mosfet output section that offers incredibly smooth and transparent sound with none of the fatigue often associated with earlier class D amplifiers.

#### Hydra

M HYDRAS \$2,995.00



Available in Black and Silver



## **EPOS**

# 5 FLOORSTANDING LOUDEAKERS



The Epic 5 is the elegant floor-standing model in this new range of loudspeakers from Epos. This 2 1/2 way design holds true to Epos's purist principles of simple crossover, well-behaved drive units and clean understated aesthetics yet delivers a big-speaker performance way above its price point.

K EPIC 5

\$1,399.00 (PAIR)



## FEATURED EPOS SPEAKERS

"Epic" Series is Limited Stock

ELAN 15 2-Way Loudspeakers (PAIR) K ELAN 15 \$1,399.00

K EPIC 2 \$799.00



#### Available in Black and Cherry

Elan 15 is the larger of the two bookshelf speakers in this new range. It has been designed to hold true to Epos's purist principles of simple crossover, well-behaved drive units and clean understated aesthetics, yet deliver a 'big-speaker' performance. It has a larger cabinet and woofer cone than Elan 10 and, as a result, offers notable advantages in sensitivity, bass output and power handling. As you would expect, the Epos design philosophy delivers the very best sound quality and musical performance.

ELAN 15 2-Way Loudspeakers (PAIR) K ELAN 10 \$1,000.00

#### Available in Black and Cherry



The Elan 10 is the smallest of this new range; designed to deliver big performance from a compact cabinet, but still hold true to Epos's purist principles of simple crossover, well-behaved drive units and clean understated aesthetics.

### EPIC 2 "Epic" Series is Limited Stock Loudspeakers (PAIR)



The Epic 2 is the medium-sized two-way model in this new range of loudspeakers from Epos. It has been designed to hold true to Epos's purist principles of simple crossover, well-behaved drive units and clean understated aesthetics yet deliver a 'big' performance way above its price point. Having a larger cabinet and cone than the Epic 1, it offers notable advantages over the Epic 1 in sensitivity, bass output and power handling.

EPIC 1 "Epic" Series is Limited Stock Loudspeakers (PAIR)

K EPIC 1 \$599.00



#### Available in Black and Cherry

The Epic 1 is the smallest of the new Epic range of loudspeakers from Epos; designed to deliver big performance from a compact cabinet, but still hold true to Epos's purist principles of simple crossover, well-behaved drive units and clean understated aesthetics.



### HARBETH SPEAKERS

# MONITOR 40.1 SPEAKERS



The flagship Harbeth of the Harbeth family is the new Monitor 40.1, developed from the hugely respected Monitor 40 widely used in the sound editing and broadcast industry as a control room monitor - and at home around the world. The inspiration of the design is that of the BBC LS5/5 from which it is descended; the world's first plastic-coned loudspeaker. Although originally developed for professional use in BBC control rooms where many pairs are in use, the Monitor 40/40.1 have been adopted as a domestic reference system, and where space permits brings the ultimate in natural sound to the serious home listener.

K MONITOR40E (Eucalyptus) K MONIT

\$14.390.00 (PAIR) \$13.490.00 (PAIR)



## FEATURED HARBETH SPEAKERS

#### SUPER HL5

K SUPER HL5E (Eucalyptus)

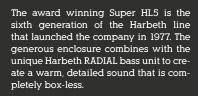
\$6 950.00 (PAIR)

K SUPER HL5RW (Rosewood)

\$6,950.00 (PAIR)

K SUPER HL5 (Cherry)

\$6,490.00 (PAIR)



## **HL-COMPACT 7ES-3**



K HL-C 7ES-3E (Eucalyptus) \$4.090.00 (PAIR)

K HL-C 7ES-3RW (Rosewood)

\$4,090.00 (PAIR)

K HL-C 7ES-3TE (Tiger Ebony)

\$4,090.00 (PAIR)

K HL-C 7ES-3 (Cherry)

\$3,850.00 (PAIR)

Whatever you ask of the Compact 7ES-3, it always delivers: perfectly. The clarity is spellbinding and brings the "magic carpet ride experience" to the listening room in a medium-sized enclosure.

#### MONITOR 30.1



K MONITOR30E (Eucalyptus)

\$6,390.00 (PAIR)

K MONITOR30 (Cherry)

\$5,990.00 (PAIR)

The Monitor 30.1, featuring the patented Harbeth RADIAL cone, takes resolution a step further. The larger cabinet allows for greater power handling, and the RADIAL cone provides the most natural mid band of any monitor. Used and trusted by sound engineers who are editing on very long shifts, the Monitor 30.1 is completely free from the coloration and makes musicians and artists appear in front of you.

#### P3ESR



K P3ESRBL (Black Ash)

\$2,790.00 (PAIR)

K P3ESR (Rosewood)

\$2.790.00 (PAIR)

K P3ESRE (Eucalyptus)

\$2,490.00 (PAIR)

K P3ESCH (Cherry)

\$2,290.00 (PAIR)

The P3ESR's exceptional all-round performance flows from the perfect integration of the cabinet, drivers and crossover. Harbeth's world exclusive RADIAL2° cone technology has been lifted from the larger Harbeths and is now at the heart of this new-generation P3ESR.



## **KLIPSCH**

# PALLADIUM SERIES

Offering the highest level of perfection in every respect, the Palladium P-39F floorstander pushes the boundaries of performance, style and technology as never before. In fact, this high-end luxury speaker is the pinnacle of modern-day horn-loaded technology, letting you hear and emotionally connect with your music and movies precisely as the original artist or director intended.

and Natural)

\$20,000.00 (PAIR)

K KP P38F (Available in Merlot and Natural) \$12,000.00 (PAIR)

K KP P37FM (Available in Espress Merlot and Natural)

\$8,000.00 (PAIR)



Also Available: P-17B

**Bookshelf Speakers** 



(Available in Espresso and Natural)

\$4.000.00 (PAIR)

### FEATURED KLIPSCH SPEAKERS

#### **KLIPSCHORN**

K KLIPSCHORN

3-Way Loudspeakers (PAIR)

\$9,000.00



The original Klipschorn three-way loudspeaker, invented by founder and audio pioneer Paul W. Klipsch, has a unique musical truthfulness that has never been equaled. Commonly called a corner-horn speaker, the remarkably uncommon Klipschorn includes a highly efficient horn-loaded tweeter and midrange compression driver. Its patented folded-horn woofer delivers the low frequencies.

Available in Black, Cherry and Walnut

#### LA SCALA II

K LA SCALA

3-Way Loudspeakers (PAIR)

\$7,000.00



The Heritage Series La Scala II threeway loudspeaker provides a very Klipschorn-like performance with sparkling highs; extreme output, yet smooth midrange; and the unsurpassed low distortion bass response of the patented Klipsch folded-horn woofer.

Available in Black and Cherry

# CORNWALL III

Loudspeakers (PAIR)

K CORNWALL

\$4,000.00



Initially introduced in 1959, the Cornwall speaker was designed to serve as a larger, full-range alternative to the Heresy when used as a center channel speaker between two widely spaced Klipschorns. When it was discontinued in 1990, there was an outcry from consumers resulting in a letter-writing campaign and even a petition to bring back this storied loudspeaker.

Available in Black, Cherry and Walnut

## HERESY III

K HERESY

3-Way Loudspeakers (PAIR)

\$1,700.00



The Heritage Series Heresy III threeway loudspeaker delivers an exceptionally "big" sound filled with the moving, emotional elements that make your music such an important part of your life. The efficient high frequency and midrange horn drivers as well as the reliable 12-inch bass woofer work together to create a very smooth, low distortion, dynamic sound. The Heresy III's sealed enclosure is available in a wide variety of rich wood finishes.

Available in Black, Cherry and Walnut



#### INTRODUCING

# SPENDOR

## LOUDSPEAKERS

## THE REAL DEAL

Spendor Audio is one of England's most accomplished manufacturers of high quality loudspeakers. Spendor grew out of the expertise gained in the BBC's sound engineering department. Over the past 40 years Spendor has earned a reputation for superior R&D, innovative design, no compromise engineering, outstanding musical performance and exceptional value. Spendor loudspeakers and drive units are designed and hand built at the Spendor factory in Hailsham, Sussex in the UK.

Spendor is first and foremost an engineering company focused on performance. Not content to rest on yesterday's successes, today Spendor is pushing the envelope of conventional loudspeaker design and moving forward worldwide with more innovative designs and unique technologies.

As one of the very few companies which manufactures their own drive units, Spendor enjoys many competitive advantages over ordinary loudspeaker builders.

Have a listen and you will know why we say Spendor is the real deal.





**SPEAKERS / SPENDOR** 

## **SPENDOR**

# D-7 STEREO SPEAKERS



The Spendor D7 delivers music with a fresh vibrant realism that conventional loudspeakers cannot match. This new level of performance is the direct result of important Spendor innovations.

The Spendor LPZ tweeter is built around a stainless steel front plate that forms an acoustic chamber directly in front of the lightweight diaphragm. The phase correcting microfoil equalises sound wave path lengths whilst generating a symmettrical pressure environment so the tweeter operates in a balanced linear mode. The D7 mid-bass drive unit has an advanced EP77 polymer cone, whilst the low frequency drive unit uses a bonded Kevlar composite.

K D7 CUSTOM

\$7,495.00 (PAIR)

\$6,495.00 (PAIR)

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Custom Dark Gloss Finish

Available in Black Ash, Cherry and DarkWalnut



## FEATURED SPEAKERS SPEAKERS



#### SPENDOR A-9

#### Stereo Speakers (PAIR)

The Spendor A9 is a full-size 3-way floor standing loudspeaker. It has the resolution, dynamic range, and low frequency extension to realise the breathtaking detail which the finest digital media servers can now deliver from well-recorded hi-resolution uncompressed audio source material.

K A9

\$7,995.00

Available in Black Ash, Cherry and DarkWalnut



#### SPENDON A5

#### Stereo Speakers (PAIR)

The Spendor A5 offers exceptional performance in relation to its compact dimensions. New drive units based on technology developed for the recently launched Spendor SA1 ensure clear and natural mid-range and a beautifully open treble. The new 15cm drive units have a magnesium alloy chassis to support the long throw motor system which helps to give these loudspeakers a remarkably big and powerful sound. The fluid cooled 22mm wide-surround tweeter completes the driver array.

K A5

\$3,195.00

Available in Black Ash, Cherry and DarkWalnut



#### SPENDON A6R

#### Stereo Speakers (PAIR)

The Spendor A6R is a major revision of the highly acclaimed A6. The new Spendor 18cm main drive unit features technology developed for the D7 high resolution speaker. This drive unit together with an all new crossover design utilising upgraded components extends both the low and high frequency range.

K A6R

\$4,595.00

Available in Black Ash, Cherry and DarkWalnut



#### SPENDON A3

#### Stereo Speakers (PAIR)

The ultra-compact Spendor A3 delivers clear natural sound with real low frequency power and scale. Drive units based on technology developed for the Spendor SA1 and other A-Line models ensure clear and natural mid-range and a beautifully open treble.

K A3

\$2,495.00

Available in Black Ash, Cherry and DarkWalnut





SPEAKERS / SPENDOR

## **SPENDOR**

# SP100R2 CLASSIC STEREO SPEAKERS



The Spendor Classic Series is a range of stand-mounted loud-speakers which has been developed from the experience of over 30 years of Spendor heritage and experience. Whilst there have been constant advances and refinements to the original technology used in the first Spendor products, the attention to fine detail remains and is embodied in the award winning Classic Series products. The Latest 'R²' series classic speakers combine all the advantages in materials technology that have been developed for the new Spendor speakers, but retain the traditional styling and sound balance one would expect from these monitor grade loudspeakers.

K SP100R2

\$11,495.00 (PAIR)

Available in Cherry and Dark Walnut

## FEATURED SPEAKERS SPEAKERS

SP1/2R2

K SP1 2R2

Classic Stereo Speakers (PAIR)

\$6,795.00

SP3/1R2 Classic Stereo Speakers (PAIR)

Classic Stereo Speakers (PAIR)

K SP3 1R2

\$3,195.00



The Spendor SP1/2R² offers a unique blend of audio quality, tonal accuracy, razor sharp stereo precision and craftsmanship. A product derived from many years of development in drive units, crossovers and cabinetry. A speaker which wears it's heritage with pride. Directly descended from the much praised and critically acclaimed Spendor BC1, the SP1/2R² maintains the former's dimensions and uncanny mid and upper range accuracy at far higher sound pressure levels, with increased sensitivity, closer control of bass frequencies and lower mid-band colouration.

Available in Cherry and Dark Walnut

SP2/3R2

K SP2 3R2

Classic Stereo Speakers (PAIR)

\$4,295.00



Without compromise to design or audio specification, the latest Spendor SP2/3R² demonstrates the same silky smooth, neutral sound which has made it's big brother, the SP1/2R² such a favourite with professionals and music afficionados the world over. Housed in a more compact enclosure, the SP2/3R² is capable of dealing with the kind of demanding and revealing programme material that often defeats lesser loudspeakers.

Available in Cherry and Dark Walnut



Compact with high power handling and a natural sound that belies its size, the Spendor SP3/1R² draws together some of the most advanced features of Spendor designs resulting in a compact, high quality monitor loudspeaker. Loudspeakers of this size normally have difficulty in delivering a consistent sound across the frequency range, adding unnecessary colouration and dynamic inequalities to the stereo image but this is not the case with the Spendor SP3/1R².

Available in Cherry and Dark Walnut

S3/5R2

K S3 5R2

\$1,595.00



The Spendor S3/5 was launched in 1997. It gained worldwide recognition as the natural successor to the LS3/5a. Ten years later a new S3/5R acheived what many thought impossible - new levels of transparency and imaging coherency, more articulate bass delivery and the enjoyable fatigue free listening experience which so clearly distinguished the original Spendor S3/5 from other small loudspeakers.

Available in Black Ash, Cherry, Dark Walnut and Light Oak



# HEADPHONES

#### GRADO PS1000

#### H GRADO PS1000

\$1.695.00



"...these are the best sounding Grado phones, ever. They can do it all, often sensationally...The PS-1000 retrieves all the data sent it, with delicacy, or power (as the music demands), without smearing or masking, without the usual bugaboos or under or over damping, without deviation from their frequency response curve with volume, and without phase-errors that have a negative effect on voicing." - Max Dudious, Positive Feedback Online

#### GRADO GS1000i

H GS1000

\$995.00



The GS1000i is Grado's finest effort to date. This new headphone incorporates a redesigned driver, a new and larger wooden housing and much larger foam cushions that are extremely comfortable. The new cushion design actually creates a "room" for the ears to sit in, creating a larger soundstage and greater spatial experience for the listener.

#### GRADO RS1i

HRS1

\$695.00



Grado's best headphones are some of the finest available at any price. Those who like a warm, rich tonal balance and smooth highs and dynamic bass response will find much to like in these 'phones. The earpieces are made from a specially-cured Mahogany. Couple a pair of the RS-1i with the new Grado RA-1 headphone amp for reference-level sound quality. The RS-1i are the only product ever nominated by Stereophile for their "Product of the Year" distinction, two years in a row!

#### PS500 PROFESSIONAL

H GRADO PS500



There is art in the heart and soul of every Grado product. The PS500 truly conveys the heart and soul of every musical performance you will listen to through them. This is the result of the art learned over the course of almost 60 years of designing and manufacturing products that faithfully follows music. A compact monitoring tool that will put a smile on the face of the most demanding music professionals as well of demanding audiophiles.

#### GRADO RS2i

\$495.00



What does the i stand for in the new RS2i from Grado? Improved, that's what! The RS2i is the little brother of the RS1i. The RS2i has an upgraded driver and the new 8 conductor cable design. The characteristics of the RS2i remain the same as its distinguished big brother, with the new species of hand crafted mahogany, but with a smaller wooden air chamber.

#### GRADO GR8 IN-EAR

H GRADO GR8

\$299.00



A proprietary wide bandwidth moving armature design provides the listener with unsurpassed performance. Small size allows earphone to nestle well within the ear canal, maintaining an excellent air seal for improved bass and reduction of outside noise without causing discomfort.

SR-325is

SR225i

SR 125i







H SR225 \$200.00



H SR125 \$299.00

SR80i

SR60i

iGrado



HSR80 \$99.00



HSR60 \$79.00 with mini-plug connector



H IGRADO \$49.99 with mini-plug connector





# HEADPHONES

#### SENNHEISER HD800

H HD800

\$1,499.95



More than 60 years of ingenious headphone engineering has been applied into the new HD 800. Incorporating Sennheiser's most advanced driver technology, these open, circum-aural dynamic stereo headphones redefine what reference-level audio is all about. You will form an altogether new height of sonic perspective as you experience a high-fidelity natural hearing experience.

#### SENNHEISER HD700

H HD700

\$849.00



Utilizing Sennheiser's mastership of acoustic properties, the HD 700 delivers an advanced acoustic DNA never before heard in headphones. Borrowing a design cue from the flagship HD 800, the HD 700 also utilizes a vibration damping frame - strategic layering of materials to aide in eliminating unwanted resonances from entering the acoustic chamber. The culmination of these technologies lends to the warm, detailed, balanced and utterly revealing sonic signature that is luxurious and practical for the audiophile purist.

#### SENNHEISER HD650

H HD650

\$499.99



The audiophile HD 650 is the ultimate in open-aire, dynamic headphone design. Developed from the award-winning HD 600, the HD 650 feature improved materials for even better sound reproduction. They captivate the listener with their expressiveness and emotion while maintaining absolute precision and lifelike reproduction. Enjoy sound in perfection!

#### RS220 WIRELESS

H RS220

\$499.95



If today's high definition A/V components are a high-performance exotic sports car, the RS 220 is the driver. Audiophiles have long asked when the audio quality of the legendary HD 600 series (HD 600 and HD 650) could be ported to a wireless format. Utilizing powerful developments in wireless audio transmission, the RS 220 bridges the gap between wireless and wired headphones via DSSS.

#### H IE 800 In-Ear



\$999.95



IE 80 In-Ear

H IE80 **\$449.**95



HD600

H HD600 \$399.99

#### Momentum Around-Ear



\$349.95 Available in Black

and Brown



H RS 180 \$329.95





H RS 170 \$279.95

IE 60 In-Ear



\$249.95

HD 518

HD598



H HD598 \$249.95

HD 558 Precision



\$179.95



H HD518

PX 100-II



CX 685 Adidas In-Ear



H CX685 \$69.95 Limited Stock



H PX 100-II \$69.95



#### **AURALIC**

Taurus MKII

M TAURUS II

\$1899.00



Begins from the pursuit of an extraordinary amplifier that can well match with modern top quality headphones, inspired by the soul of Rupert Neve's legendary design philosophy, bearing with modern simplism style appearance,

#### **BELLARI**

M HA 540 \$299.00

#### HA 540 Tube Headphone Amp

The ha540 is a real high-end piece with plenty of gain that is uniquely capable of driving headphones rated from 16 -2000 Ohms. Having two separate inputs, it's brilliantly designed to work equally well with both high and low output level source components. This means it will produce a high level signal of superb clarity when connected directly to a CD player, computer, iPod or mp3 player. Bellari prod-

ucts are all hand assembled in the USA.



#### CAYIN AUDIO

M HA-1A \$975.00

#### HA-1A Integrated Headphone Vacuum Tube Amplifier



This is one seriously heavy-duty piece of gear. We're not kidding. It weighs 15 ½ pounds!! It's made from ultra-high-quality parts. It looks stunning especially for a headphone amp. The sound is so typically Cayin - that being natural and musically delicate without excessive warmth or detail. In other words: just right. It's got an impedance selector switch that ranges from 6 to 300 ohms, so that it interfaces perfectly with any pair of head-

#### CREEK AUDIO

M OBH-21SE \$500.00

#### Creek OBH-21SE Headphone Amp



The OBH-21SE features two pairs of stereo phono sockets (RCA jacks) on the rear panel for input from any line-level source and chain linking to another product in a tape loop circuit. Also, internally-advanced circuitry is used to split the power supply from a single positive to a split positive/ negative supply, which allows circuits to be DC coupled and to eliminate capacitors on the SE version.

# HEADPHONES AMPS

#### D.B. SYSTEMS

M DB-9 ALPS

\$235.00

#### DB-9 ALPS Headphone Amp



From the less is more school of thought, the DB Systems DB-9 is proof positive that sexy packaging contributes nothing to musicality and performance. David Hadaway of DB Systems has been quietly doing things the right way for over 35 years. One listen to this ageless design is all it will take to realize good sound never goes out of style.

#### **FOSGATE**

M FOS HEADAMP

\$1,499.95

#### Signature Tube Headphone Amp



The Fosgate Signature embodies unique and patented circuit topologies, elevating the headphone listening experience. The genesis of the design started over 2 decades ago. Countless man-hours of working with every possible major circuit approach was not just explored, but designed, built, and auditioned by Jim Fosgate himself.

#### LEHMANN AUDIO

M LINEAR \$1.149.00

#### Black Cube Linear Headphone Amp



Do you have any idea how great your headphones really could sound? Hear a Black Cube Linear now and expect a surprise! Dynamic headphones are much more different than most people realize. For the same sound pressure level the power needed with different headphone models can vary up to a factor of about 500! Impedances can be different to a factor of more than 20!

Available in Black and Silver

## **MICROMEGA**

E MMYZIC

MYZIC Headphone Amp

\$269.00



MyZic is a full function, highly stable, energy efficient headphone amplifier with its own internal switching power supply and cutting edge circuitry that delivers detail without any harsh edge. It does deliver fantastic high-dynamic contrast, bass control and a superbly well-defined sense of spacial clarity.

Available in Black and White



# LINE CONDITIONERS

#### **AUDIENCE**

\$695.00

Adept Response aR2p High-Resolution Power Conditioner



Replacing the previous aRlp single outlet plug version Adept Response, the aR2p sports a high current Hubbell hospital grade duplex and high quality 15A magnetic circuit breaker on/off switch. For ultra high resolution the aR2p is also made with optional Aura-T "Teflon" capacitors.

#### **AUDIENCE**

W ADEPT 2 \$2,495.00

Adept Response aR2p Heavy Duty **High-Resolution Power Conditioner** 



Also Available:

The Adept Response High Resolution Power Conditioner is a cutting edge design providing the best power conditioning possible without limiting dynamics. Since power must respond quickly and completely to the demands of program material we believe it is imperative that power conditioning components present the lowest possible impedance power path while providing wide bandwidth noise reduction.



W ADEPT 6 \$3,495.00

#### **AUDIOPRISM**

#### Ouietline MKIII Current AC Power Conditioners



The Quietline Noise Reduction System is a set of noise-suppressing modules that treat line noise and interference throughout your home to reduce the noise from computers, digital clocks, power tools and other offending appliances.

W QUIETLINEMKIII \$39.95

W QUIETLINEMKIII 4PK \$149.95 (4 PACK)

W QUIETLINEMKIII 8PK \$295.95 (8 PACK)

Also Available:



Euro Schuko Plug Style

W QUIETEU 4PK \$199.95 (4 PACK)

#### CABLE PRO

W HALCYON

\$1.049.99

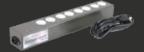
Halcyon Power Conditioner



The Halcyon AC power conditioner with UP-OCC (Ohno Cast Copper) conductors, maximizes picture and sound quality while providing your expensive electronics with the highest level of protection with 4 individually isolated duplex outlets

#### Also Available:

**Revelation 8 Outlet** Power Strip



W PWR8WC \$350.00

Integrity 8 Outlet Power Strip



W PWR8W \$230.00

## RICHARD GRAY'S POWER COMPANY

W RG 400PRO \$795.99

RGPC 400 Pro Power Line Conditioner



A four-outlet, audiophile-quality Power Delivery device with a 20-amp IEC cord for use with today's high-powered amplifiers and digital devices. Upgraded outlets are wired in parallel like the 1200C. Designed to be placed next to the components needling line enhancement. Features four Hubbell AC outlets. 12-gauge internal wiring, a surge protection system, a six-foot 14-gauge power cord and an internal 15-amp IEC Connector and 15-amp slo-blow fuse.

## RICHARD GRAY'S **POWER COMPANY**

\$1 395.00

RGPC 600 S



Offering all the same striking good looks and benefits of the larger RGPC 1200S at a more attractive price, the RGPC 600S is perfect for the more budget-conscious audio/ video enthusiast with a smaller

Available in Black and Silver

ISOLATION DEVICES

## SYMPOSIUM ACOUSTICS

# SEGUE ISO PLATFORM

#### Perfect For Turntables!

The Symposium SEGUE ISO platform is the first platform expressly designed to isolate low frequency vertical wave vibration. It achieves its goals through a unique system of five cocentric staineless steel precision compression springs which are internally damped with aircell foam. Much more linear in action as compared to lossy rubber, sorbothane and polymers or even magnetic suspension systems and air bladder systems, the ISO will not induce bass "bloating," transient blurring or loss of dynamics due to non-linearities of these more commonly used systems, while still providing the classic Symposium "energy absorption" design. Used as recommended, the ISO will reduce or eliminate bass feedback and floor-borne shock and vibration.

21x18.75 LG SEGUE ISO MD with 80# Vertical Isolation

S LSISO MD

\$549.00

19x14 STD SEGUE ISO LD with 40# Vertical Isolation

\$349.00



### FEATURED ISOLATION DEVICES

#### SYMPOSIUM ACOUSTICS

I RB2 4

\$499.00

Rollerblock Series 2+ /Set of 4

SYMPOSIUM ACOUSTICS

S MM SPLUS \$299.00

S SVELTE 19NC

\$399.00

9" x 9" Svelte Plus for Mac Mini



The direct offspring of the Svelte Shelf, the Svelte Plus improves component performance by draining away and dissipating unwanted mechanical energy from your equipment's chassis in an acoustically neutral medium. It achieves this by providing excellent overall rigidity, using "constrained layer" damping (its stainless steel top and bottom layers are uniformly bonded to an interlayer between them and a foam layer to eliminate resonances), and incorporating a rigid, double-thickness center foam "heat sink" that converts mechanical energy to heat energy. Its stainless steel top and bottom plates also provide effective EMI/RFI (Electromagnetic and Radio Frequency Interference) shielding.



from solid, rectangular blocks of extremely hard alloy aircraft aluminum. and are finished with a black "hardcoat" anodizing. This relatively thin, special layer, harder than the aircraft aluminum itself (which is harder than some types of steel), improves contact efficiency and provides "constrained layer" resonance damping to the body.

The Series 2 Rollerblock body is made

Also available as Set of 3:

I RB 3

\$399.00



#### SYMPOSIUM ACOUSTICS

I RBJR 4 \$225.00

Rollerblock Junior /Set of 4



Also available as Set of 3: I RBJR 3 \$219.00

Also available in Tungsten: \$219.00

Set of 4 - I RBJR 4T \$289.00

Rollerblock Jr. consists of 6 tops and bottoms and 3 center bearings, to make 3 "Double Stacked" isolator/ coupler units. Each top and bottom is constructed of black anodized, aircraft alloy aluminum, and has a 1.875" diameter (4.76 cm) and 5/8" (1.58 cm) thickness.

Heavy Duty Special Edition: Set of 3 - I RBJR 3HDSE

\$299.00

Set of 4 - I RBJR 4HDSE

\$399.00

#### SYMPOSIUM ACOUSTICS

19" x 14" Svelte Shelf



Simple but effective, the Svelte Shelf sets new standards for an entry level acoustic shelf! At only 5/8" thick, it fits in places other isolation devices can't go. Simply place it on top of existing rack shelves and surfaces for improved sonics with CD & DVD players, turntables, amps and preamps; it also works on TOP of components. Precision laser-cut, stainless steel sandwich technology improves bass control, dynamics, timbral purity, midrange and treble transients.





## **ACOUSTIC SOUNDS**

# ULTIMATE TURNTABLE SETUP KIT



Purchased seperately the items in this kit retail for \$868.96, buy them together here for a savings of over \$110!! We will even throw in FREE SHIPPING! (Continental U.S. Only)

You've purchased the best turntable and accompanying system that your budget will allow. The last thing you want is to go that far and not have your gear singing at its absolute best. With this package, our turntable experts have assembled all of the absolutely essential tools required to eek out the nth degree of sonic excellence from your setup. With the correct application of these tools, you'll never have to wonder if you're getting all you can out of your turntable. Instead, you can sit back and revel in a truly perfect setup. Hear the difference!

S AS ULT KIT \$758.96

This kit includes:

Feickert - Next Generation Universal Protractor - G PNG - \$259.00 21st Century Vinyl: Michael Fremer's Practical Guide to Turntable Set-Up - L FREMER - \$29.99 Musical Surroundings - The Fozgometer Azimuth Range Meter - G FOZGOMETER - \$300.00 KAB - SpeedStrobe Turntable Speed Tester - G KAB STROBE - \$99.99 AcousTech Electronics Stylus Force Gauge - G ATE DSFG - \$79.99

Analogue Productions - The Ultimate Analogue Test LP - AAPT 1 - \$39.99 Clearaudio - Bubble Level - G BBL - \$60.00

## FEATURED ACCESSORIES

#### **ACOUSTECH**

The Big Record Brush



Dissipate static and wipe away harmful dust, lint and dirt with one simple stroke of this handle-held large brush. Unlike some record brushes, this model fits across the entire radius of a 12inch LP. Its bristles are made of a unique blend of soft natural hairs and conductive synthetic fibers that result in effective static dissipation. Packaged in a re-sealable pouch. For use on LPs, film, glass, plastics and negatives.

S ATE SW-141GC \$52.99

**S ATE SW-140** 

\$36.95

With Grounding Cord

#### THE DISC DOCTOR

Miracle Record Cleaning Kits



Every record, even if thought to be cleaned, is soiled with a wide range of dirts and contaminants, including mold and mildew. Vinvl discs are also coated with sticky mould-release compounds. Contaminants between the groove and diamond stylus or steel needle cause mistracking and are abrasive resulting in unnecessary, excessive wearing of both record and stylus.

Kit contains a pair of 12" (Type A) brushes with spare pads plus fluid.

C PTKT-A

C 1/2KT-A

\$67.00 (PINT KIT) \$100.75 (1/2 GALLON KIT)

C QTKT-A

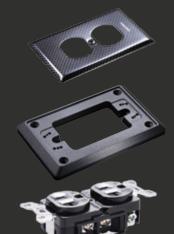
C 1GKT-A

\$79.75 (QUART KIT)

\$157.00 (GALLON KIT)

#### **FURUTECH**

addGTX Wall Frames



S OC 104-D

\$160.00

S GTX WF \$160.00

W GTX D-GOLD

\$210.00 Gold Plated

W GTX D-RHODIUM \$239.00

Combo Deals! Get everything pictured above for one great price: W GTX G COMBO - (Gold) \$340.00 (\$190 savings!) W GTX R COMBO - (Rhodium) \$360.00 (\$199 savings!)

Many consider the GTX AC outlets to be Furutech's single best product. The Rhodium-plated versions are a bit more wide-open and vivid-sounding than the Gold-plated ones, which lend a slight but perceivable gentleness to the upper octaves in direct comparison. At the end of the day, these receptacles have an overall system effect more akin to changing to a better preamp or power amplifier than simply installing a new receptacle. With a very robust physical construction and pure copper conducting elements, the GTX series of AC receptacles will facilitate the very best performance from all of the components in any system.



RECORD STORAGE

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## OUTER LP SLEEVES

#### **NON-RESEALABLE**

Very simply, the best outer record sleeve we've ever come across. Ultimate protection and aesthetics in one package. These sleeves use a hybrid 2.5 mil polypro/polyester film. Rather than viewing your records through a cloudy sleeve, you'll instead see them perfectly crystal clear. And each sleeve is die-cut to exactly 12.75 x 12.75 inches. These sleeves are much more rigid and tight-fitting than standard outer sleeves. Again, if you want the absolute best and best-looking outer sleeve, look no further.

Accommodates Most Gatefold Jackets!

2.5 mil 50 COUNT O ULT2.5 50 \$13.99



5.0 mil 50 COUNT O ULT5.0 50 \$21.99



### FEATURED RECORD SLEEVES

### MOBILE FIDELITY

MFSL Original Master Sleeves



MoFi Original Master Sleeves help preserve your most prized record-

ings. These custom-designed inner sleeves protect against scratching,

static build-up and contamination; all common problems associated

with regular sleeves of all types. Your records are irreplaceable. These

O MSTR SLVS \$20.00

# QUALITY RECORD PRESSINGS

Rice Paper Sleeve with QRP Logo



Maximum protection for your valuable records. Protects against scratching and static build-up. Rice Paper Sleeves are the absolute go-to sleeve among serious collectors who care about preserving quality. With these sleeves, two layers of anti-static, high-density poly are sandwiched around an acid-free inner paper layer. No risk of paper scuffs. No static build-up. No stabilizer drift. Avoid the pitfalls commonly encountered with poly or paper sleeves. Make the best choice the first time, and be done with it. If you care about your collection - and obviously you do - it's a no-brainer.

ULTIMATE BOX SET

sleeves will guarantee they last a lifetime.

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**Outer Sleeve** 

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Finally, a crystal clear polypropylene sleeve that will protect boxed LPs! Our new 2.5 mil Diskeeper measures 13.75 x 13.75 inches. No annoying flaps, big enough for multiple LP sets measuring over 1" wide, slipcases, and dowels at an affordable price!

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500 COUNT 1000 COUNT O RICESLVQRP-1000 O RICESLVQRP-500 \$255.00

\$136.00

250 COUNT O RICESLVQRP-250

\$72.25

#### PLAIN WHITE RECORD JACKET



Plain and simple – this is a high-quality outer record jacket. Every record needs a home, and if a title's original jacket is damaged or lost, extras can really come in handy.

O JACKETS \$1.00







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BY WEB: Add the items to your "cart" and complete the order form

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We will ship according to your preference, but if you do not specify a shipping method, we will choose the method we feel is best as outlined in the above paragraph. Customers who refuse shipments will be charged shipping charges to and from Acoustic Sounds.

OVERSEAS SHIPPING TIME: DHL/UPS Expedited: 4 to 10 business days. DHL/FedEx/UPS Express: 1 to 3 business days. Airmail: 7 to 14 business days. Shipping time will vary according to holidays.

**SPECIALS/SALES:** Special discounts on quantity purchases, equipment and sales may not display pricing and or shipping correctly on the online shopping cart. These will be calculated on the final invoice.

BACKORDERS: We try to keep a current supply of everything that is listed in the catalog. At times, however, some items may be temporarily out of stock. By checking the Backorder box on the order form, you may put the item(s) on backorder. We will ship in-stock items and place the out-of-stock item(s) on backorder. Acoustic Sounds will not charge shipping and handling for backordered items, but all backorders will be sent by the method of Acoustic Sounds' chosing. Credit cards will not be charged until the item ships.

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**RETURNS:** Acoustic Sounds, Inc. offers, as part of our industry-leading service, the finest, most durable packaging of any music mail-order business. In short, we know how to package and ship music and equipment so that it will arrive damage-free. But of course there are times when manufacturing defects exist that are not visible or audible until the packaging is opened. In the event that you are not satisfied with the physical or audible condition of your Acoustic Sounds purchase, please take note of our following return policies:

Within 30 days of purchase, we will accept returns of any physically or audibly defective or damaged item. We do not guarantee that you will like the music or recording quality of a LP or CD, and personal taste does not qualify as a reason for return. In lieu of a refund, we will instead

ship to our customer a replacement copy of the same item that was returned. The customer is responsible for the shipping costs to return the defective item to Acoustic Sounds. Acoustic Sounds will in turn pay the shipping costs to replace the item to the customer.

In the case of international orders, Acoustic Sounds will only ship a replacement item as part of a \$50-minimum subsequent order.

In order to return an item, the customer must obtain a Return Merchandise Authorization Number (RMA#) from Acoustic Sounds by calling 785-825-8609. A RMA# must be requested by the customer by no later than 30 days from the time that they purchased the item in question. If after 30 days from purchase no RMA# has been requested, the sale of that item becomes final.

Once a RMA# has been issued, the customer is to write that number on the outside of the box being returned to Acoustic Sounds. In the case of a piece of equipment or hardware, DO NOT write on the product box or container. You can write the RMA# on a piece of paper and tape that to the product box.

Each return must include a written description of exactly what is defective and why the item is being returned. Please be specific. For example, if an LP is being returned due to inordinate surface noise, describe exactly where in the record (side, track, minute, second) the defect occurs.

When returning a defective or damaged item to Acoustic Sounds, it is recommended that the customer ship using either FedEx or UPS so as to be able to both insure and track their shipment. Shipments can be made to Acoustic Sounds at 518 N 10th Street, Salina, KS 67401. The customer assumes all responsibility for any packages that are lost, stolen or damaged in return transit.

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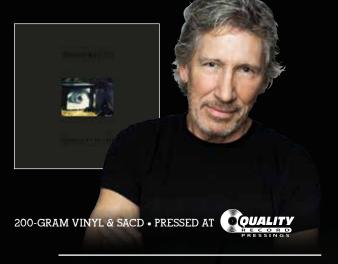
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