

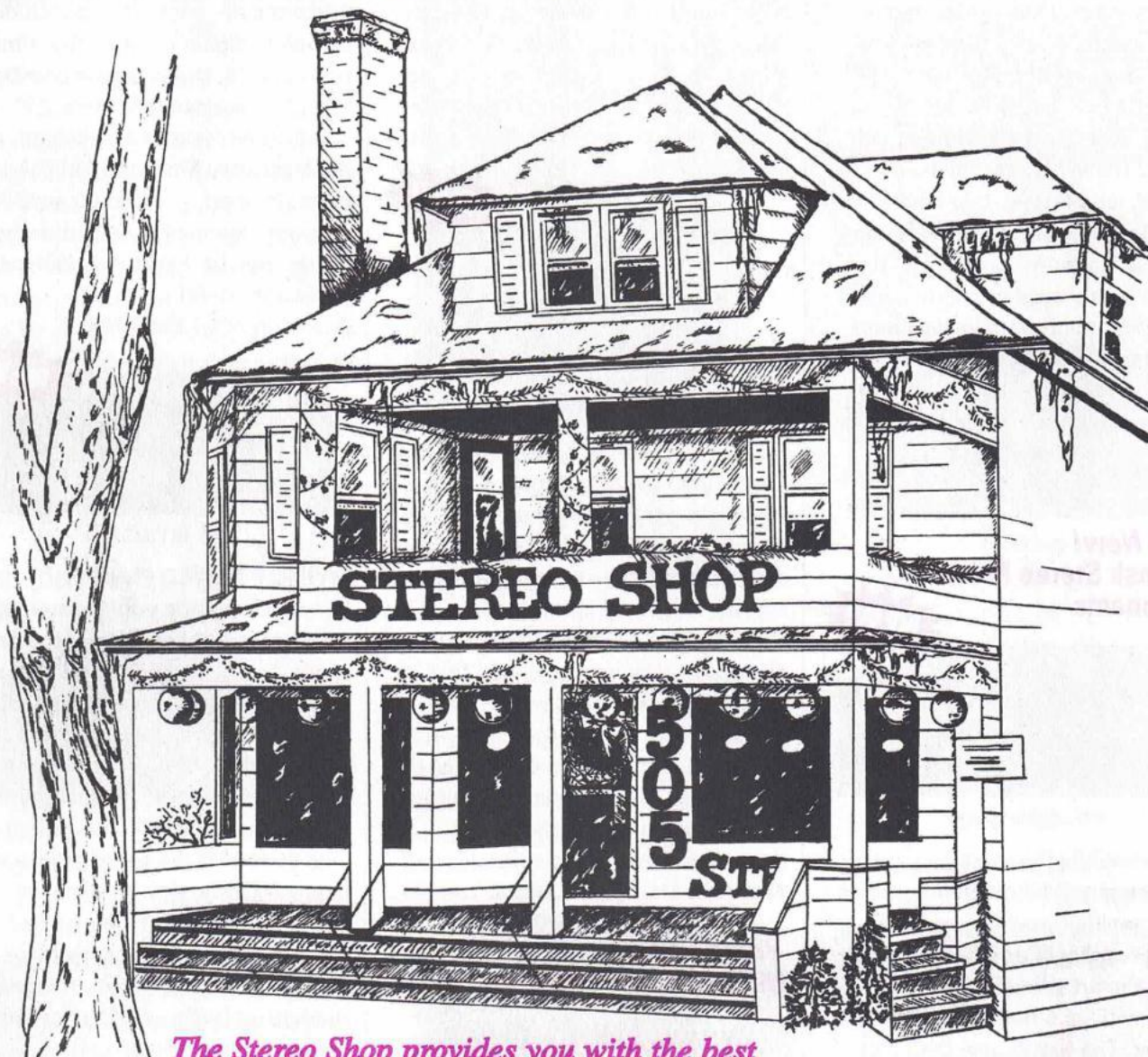
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Celebrating 40 Years since 1959!



The Stereo Shop provides you with the best sounding stereo equipment and the most professional service.

**What was true then is true today:
QUALITY • KNOWLEDGE • EXPERIENCE**

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McIntosh Laboratory celebrates its 50th anniversary! Hand-built in the United States since 1949, McIntosh has always been synonymous with the "best!" McIntosh is always at the forefront of technology, always creating the best sounding, best performing home theater and stereo components. There is nothing ordinary about a McIntosh - hand-crafted, with the finest parts and build quality no other manufacturer can match. These high-technology, rugged, long-lasting, beautifully finished instruments are legends, the ideal choice for maximum performance in any music system, home theater or multi-room installation. The Stereo Shop will help you design and install a McIntosh system that will provide years of terrific entertainment for your family.

Brand New! McIntosh Stereo Music Components



C-42 Audiophile Preamplifier

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The legendary C-32 revolutionized the preamplifier, and became the choice of audiophiles who needed state-of-the-art sound quality and control, with its 5-band graphic equalizer. The brand-new C-42 continues the tradition and is loaded with features, including optical controls for ultra-precise adjustments, Reed (electromagnetic) switching that never deteriorates and eliminates noise, and an 8-band equalizer! The sound of this preamp will absolutely astonish you!

McIntosh C-42- \$3,699.00



C-15 Preamplifier

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A new slimline design, the high-performance C-15 features McIntosh's high technology circuitry and switching, along with gorgeous front glass panel, backlit fascia, and electromagnetic switches for long life. Built like a McIntosh! *McIntosh C-15...\$1,499.00*



MC-352 Audiophile Power Amplifier

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The brand new MC-352 is rated at 350 watts per channel, but has twice the output devices of its 300-watt per channel predecessor! Its ultra-high current (50 amps) controls this awesome power, delivering it smoothly and accurately into any load! This amplifier seems like it will never run out of power!

Providing a huge three-dimensional soundstage, yet providing the utmost delicate detail, this is the best-sounding McIntosh powerhouse yet! *McIntosh MC-352-\$ 4,499.00*

Brand New! McIntosh Home Theater



MX-132 Home Theater Controller

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Become part of the movie with McIntosh's incredible MX-132! The

transparency of sound is so astonishing and involving, you'll forget you're sitting in your house! Imagine having a fantastic movie experience in your home theater, while music plays in other rooms of your home! It's all possible with McIntosh's technological wonder, the world's finest home theater controller! It includes a complete digital preamplifier, time-aligned DTS, Dolby Digital and Dolby Pro Logic surround formats, "S" video conversion and switching, and the legendary McIntosh AM/FM tuner. In short, you can do anything you can imagine for maximum home theater playback with this indispensable instrument!

McIntosh MX-132-\$6,999.00



MVP-831 DVD/CD Player

MVP-831 DVD/CD Player

Ready to upgrade your compact disc player? How about state-of-the-art reproduction of audio and video program sources in one unit with the superbly crafted, easy-to-use and convenient MVP-831, the McIntosh of DVD/CD players! Technology features include a dual-focus hologram lens that splits the beam of a super-fine laser to read two disc layers simultaneously! The unique Red Laser has a thinner beam with a shorter wavelength to more accurately read DVDs and CDs for unsurpassed picture and sound!

McIntosh MVP-831...\$2,749.00



McINTOSH...STILL THE BEST

McIntosh Home Theater



McIntosh MC-7205

The **McIntosh MC-7205** is the perfect five-channel home theater amplifier, and matches the MX-132. Specially designed for the 5.1 format, (the sixth, or .1 channel, goes to a powered sub-woofer), this is a 1,000 watt amp! Each of five channels delivers 200 watts of power, protected against clipping by patented PowerGuard circuitry. Sentry Monitor circuits protect the MC-7205 under the most extreme operating conditions. This amplifier is classic McIntosh, with illuminated glass panel and power meters. *McIntosh MC-7205...\$4,499.00*

McIntosh Stereo Music Components



MCD-7010

Compact Disc Player

The **MCD-7010** is the best sounding one-unit player we have heard yet! It is so easy to place and use, looks so good, and sounds so musical, you won't even think of anything else! The build quality is exquisite, and refinements include state-of-the art digital to analog converters, 20 bit, 8 times oversampling, and timeless McIntosh front glass panel finish. *MCD-7010...\$3,499.00*

Preamplifiers

The incredible **C-100** preamplifier, perhaps the finest in the world, is

built to ultra-high space program standards (higher than military spec!), with optical controls and electromagnetic switching that will never wear out! Your music will acquire the



C-100

height, depth, breadth and detail of a real-life performance that will astonish and delight you. You can even hear the air around each instrument! *McIntosh C-100...\$6,499.00*

Power Amplifiers

McIntosh's beautifully finished power amplifiers are a worldwide legend, combining ultra-refined performance with "bulletproof" construction. They feature McIntosh PowerGuard, which prevents the amp from being overdriven (clipping) and Sentry Monitor for internal protection. Output wattmeters accurately report real power output. They are prime examples of what it means to be "built like a McIntosh" and why people say a McIntosh is "the best!"



MC-162

MC-162 - 160 watts per channel. In mono, this amp will deliver an astounding 500 watts! *McIntosh MC-162...\$2,195.00*

Integrated Amplifiers

If you have limited space, or you like

convenience, how about a McIntosh preamp and power amplifier on one chassis? Power meters, backlit glass front panel, Sentry Monitor and PowerGuard are essential McIntosh features in a convenient, flexible, compact design!



MA-6450

MA-6450 - 100 watts per channel, multiple inputs, dual tape monitors. *MA-6450...\$2,195.00*



MA-6500

MA-6500 - 200 watts per channel - *MA-6500...\$2,995.00*



MR-7084

McIntosh AM/FM Tuner

The legendary **MR-7084**, for best-sound and best reception! Built like a MAC! *MR-7084...\$1,495.00*



McIntosh
THE GREAT AMERICAN POWERHOUSE

Conrad-Johnson of Fairfax, Virginia, is the maker of some of the world's finest stereo equipment. Their claim to fame is their marvelous tube and transistor preamplifiers and power amplifiers, which sound absolutely glorious! While Conrad-Johnson products are as good as any in the rarefied realm of "the absolute best," their focus is on bringing demanding music lovers the best sound possible at sensible prices. The Stereo Shop is proud to be Connecticut's only Conrad-Johnson representative, and we have their full line of exquisite components for your evaluation.

The Romance of Tubes

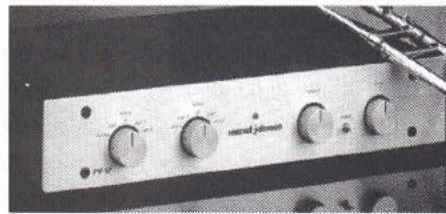
Turn your entertainment center into a glowing "hearth" where you can share the warmth and beauty of music! Not only does tube technology traditionally bring wonderful euphony to sound, but the actual radiance of tubes in a dimly lit room contributes to a cozy atmosphere of intimacy and connection to your music. Conrad-Johnson tube components are not only among the finest available, but they are the most reliable. Trust your long-term commitment to music to Conrad-Johnson!

Tube Preamplifiers



PV-10AL

PV-10AL - The most popular tube preamp in the world, the affordable PV-10AL is an "instant upgrade" to your system with its rich, musical sound.
Conrad-Johnson PV-10AL...\$1,195.00



PV-12AL

PV-12AL - One of the finest tube preamplifiers available, this model was designed to function as the control center for high-end audio systems.

Conrad-Johnson PV-12...\$1,895.00

Tube Power Amplifier



Conrad-Johnson Premier Eleven

Premier Eleven - Redefine your expectations with the highest level of quality in tube amplification at a reasonable cost. With 70 watts per channel, this stereo amplifier sets the standard of performance in the lucid and true-to-life presentation of music.

Conrad-Johnson Premier 11...\$3,495.00

SONOGRAPHE

Sonographe Power Amplifiers

Conrad-Johnson's solid state "high end" **Sonographe** power amplifiers provide incredible musical refine-

ment at unheard-of low prices! If you are looking for looks, performance and value, you can't beat these top-rated power amps!



Conrad-Johnson Sonographe SC-26

Sonographe SA-400 - At 200 watts per channel, plenty of power and fantastic sound.

Sonographe SA-400...\$1,695.00



Conrad-Johnson Sonographe SA-250

Sonographe SA-250 - With 125 watts per channel, this amp is the finest in its price class.

Sonographe SA-250...\$1,195.00

Tube preamps and solid state power amps: A great combination

A lot of people are making the most out of their systems. If you have a solid state amp, just drop in a Conrad-Johnson tube preamplifier and prepare to be amazed and pleased! The inherent musicality of the tube preamp combined with the power and speed of a solid state power amp brings the best of both worlds together for truly wonderful sound! Try it!

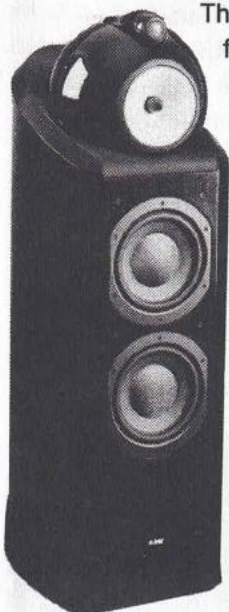
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It just sound right.

Throughout its entire history, B&W, England's great speaker makers, have sought to reproduce music as it is heard - live. Patented Kevlar drivers make the difference with their natural sound. Indeed, B&W has more patents in loudspeaker technology than anyone else. No wonder over 80% of all classical recordings made today are monitored through B&W speakers.

B&W's Finest Nautilus 800 Series

With the Nautilus system, B&W magic makes speaker drivers and cabinets "disappear", leaving only musicians to deliver their live command performance for you. How? B&W has created "transparent" cabinets, eliminating unwanted resonance by extending long tubes behind the drivers, augmented by an internal cabinet design that uses the multiple-cell, or honeycomb, concept of the Matrix enclosure. The result is the closest yet to perfect musical reproduction, with deeper bass, lower distortion, lifelike imaging and a magnificent sound-stage!

The **B&W Nautilus 800** series offers highest performance at every level.



The reference N-801 features a 15" woofer, 6" midrange and 1" tweeter. The elegant N-802 offers nearly all the performance of the N-801 in a much more slender style. The N-803 and N-804 are floor-standing speakers, beautifully styled, and offer nearly all the performance of the flagship speak-



The Legend Continues

ers. The N-805 is a small monitor speaker that fits elegantly into any room. Come and audition the finest new speakers from B&W!

N801...\$11,000.00 N802...\$8,000.00
N803...\$5,000.00 N804...\$3,500.00
N805...\$2,000.00

Brand New 600 Series 2

Totally packed with the latest B&W Nautilus-derived technology, all 600 Series 2 speakers incorporate Nautilus tweeters and Kevlar drivers for maximum performance at an affordable price. Available in cherry or black ash.

DM-601 S2- Bookshelf model, with 6.5-inch Kevlar driver and 1-inch tweeter.

B&W DM-601 S2
...\$449.00 pr.

DM-602 S2 - Larger bookshelf, with 7-inch Kevlar driver and 1-inch tweeter.

B&W DM-602 S2
...\$599.00 pr.

DM-603 S2- Small tower with 7-inch woofer, 7-inch Kevlar bass/midrange driver and 1-inch tweeter.

B&W DM-603 S2
...\$1,099.00 pr.

DM-604 S2 - Larger tower with two 7-



inch woofers, 7-inch Kevlar bass/midrange and 1-inch tweeter.
B&W DM-602 S2...\$1,599.00 pr.

DM-605 S2 - Similar to the DM-604 S2, with woofers powered by internal 130 watt amplifier.

B&W DM-605 S2...\$2,199.00 pr.

B&W 300 Series

These great speakers emphasize the best performance at extremely affordable prices! The secret is the cutting-edge technology B&W brings to cabinet and driver construction.

B&W's "prism" system in cabinet construction involves a series of tapered wedges on the rear panel, projecting into the cabinet, simulating an anechoic test chamber environment. The CM302 small bookshelf includes a 1" tweeter and 5" woofer, and the CM305 small tower features a 1" tweeter and 6 1/2" woofer.

DM-302...\$249.00

DM-304...\$449.00



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ADCOM High End Performance Without the High End Price

Since the 1970s, **Adcom** has consistently delivered state-of-the-art audio/video components that are easy to use at affordable prices. Their obsession for affordable perfection has enabled their components to be judged the equivalent of others costing two, three, even five times as much. And their numerous awards year after year prove they are never satisfied to rest on their reputation.

Compact Disc Changer



GCD-700

GCD-700 - A great-sounding CD carousel changer, with isolated transport and 20-bit Burr Brown D/A converters. *Adcom GCD-700...\$695.00*

Stereo Components



GTP-450

GTP-450 Tuner/Preamp - With remote control, electronic switching and the sound of separate components, this preamp/tuner combination is sonically superior to many separate preamps and tuners costing much more. A preamp/tuner allows you to choose your own power amp. Enjoy the convenience of a receiver with the sound quality of separate components! *Adcom GTP-450...\$495.00*

Boston Acoustics

BOSTON ACOUSTICS Advanced Engineering Makes The Difference

Compact Reference Speakers - These bookshelf speakers are among the finest available, can be placed almost anywhere and sound tremendous! Tweeters are placed close to the woofer for point-source configuration and



seamless sound. Boston's Deep Channel Design (DCD) allows woofers to move a tremendous amount of air with ease, for great bass response. Boston Acoustics, one of the most successful speaker companies in the world, now offers five bookshelf speaker sizes for any home application. Build a home theater around these great small monitors, place them on walls or shelves, or take them to school for the dorm room. With their inexpensive price and great sound, the CR series make sense for anyone who wants great sound in a smaller space.

CR-9 - Size: 9 3/4" X 11 3/8" X 19 1/2"
Boston Acoustics CR-9...\$395.00 pr.

CR-8 - Size: 8 1/2" X 10 1/2" X 15"
Boston Acoustics CR-8...\$329.00 pr.

CR-7 - Size: 7 1/2" X 9 1/8" X 12 1/4"
Boston Acoustics CR-7...\$249.00 pr.

CR-6 - Size: 5 7/8" X 7 7/8" X 10 1/8"
Boston Acoustics CR-6...\$198.00 pr.

Velodyne®

VELODYNE Subwoofers

Enjoy a new level of performance with our finest subwoofers by Velodyne! Brimming with new technology, they're incredibly small and can be placed unobtrusively anywhere in a room, yet they outperform other subwoofers many times their size. A built-in 1,000 watt amplifier and servo technology make them giant-killers. You'll love it! In two sizes, 10" woofer and 12" woofer.

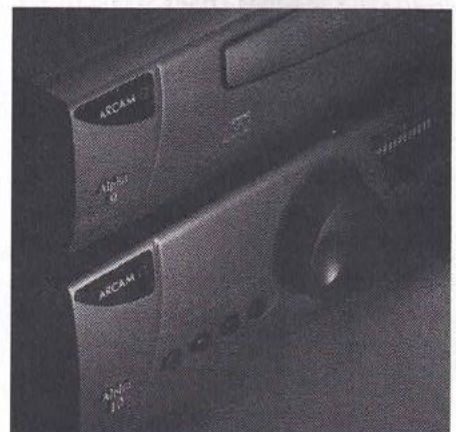


HGS-10...\$1,599.00 HGS-12...\$1,999.00

ARCAM

THE BRITISH ARE COMING! The Stereo Shop welcomes ARCAM

Long known as super audiophiles, the British have a great hifi industry too. We welcome the new line of ARCAM integrated amplifiers and compact disc players. These finely crafted, great sounding English components have garnered rave reviews in the world press, and are currently on display for your evaluation.



Also among the finest speaker makers, THIEL's design philosophy is to build speakers with "coherent source" spatial and timing accuracy, so that speakers become transparent music "windows".

THIEL speakers are easily placed in any living room and are a visual delight. Exquisite standard cabinet finishes such as Walnut, Black Ash, White Oak, and Natural Cherry are featured. Special finishes such as Pickled Oak, Birds-eye Maple, Teak, Amberwood, and many more are also available.

CS .5 - A two-way, ported, floor-standing loudspeaker offering high performance in a compact, easy-to-place cabinet. Completely time and phase coherent, the CS .5 provides a dimension of clarity and realism that conventional speakers in its price class cannot achieve, making it ideal for both music and video sound. It uses the same quality materials as the more expensive THIEL models - a die-cast magnesium woofer chassis, select grade capacitors, and rigid, 1-inch thick cabinet walls. Size: 8" X 11" X 31" *Thiel CS.5...\$725.00 ea.*

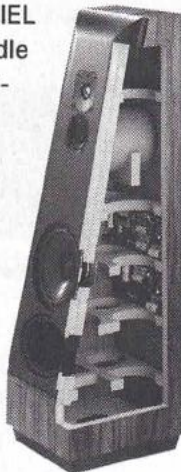


CS 1.5 - True full-range performance from a small speaker. Standing only 33 inches tall, 8.5 inches wide, and 11 inches deep, the CS 1.5 delivers bass to 42Hz, projects a realistic, three dimensional soundstage and provides a very high degree of



tonal, transient, and dynamic accuracy. Its solid construction features a 2-inch thick baffle, 1-inch thick cabinet walls and extensive internal bracing. By reducing unwanted vibration, both clarity and imaging are improved. Size: 8 1/2" X 11" X 33" *Thiel CS-1.5...\$1,095.00 ea.*

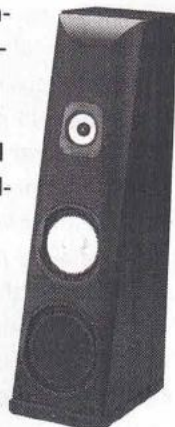
CS 2.3 - The latest THIEL monitor is in the middle of the line, but is similar to their acclaimed top model, the CS 6. Like the CS 6, the CS 2.3 features a 1-inch tweeter coaxially mounted within a midrange driver. The CS 2.3 uses an 8" woofer with a passive radiator, bringing bass down to below 35 Hz. The performance of the CS 2.3 should be compared to any speaker available at any price! Size: 12" X 13" X 42" *Thiel CS-2.3...\$1,800.00 ea.*



CS-3.6 - This speaker provides extremely faithful reproduction of all musical information, from the deepest bass to the uppermost harmonics. It employs a 10-inch woofer, passive bass radiator, 4.5 inch midrange, and 1 inch tweeter to provide dynamic sound down to 29 Hz. THIEL's superb attention to construction detail provides excellent clarity, superior imaging, life-like dynamics, and extremely accurate tonal response. Size: 12 1/2" X 17" X 48 1/2" *Thiel CS-3.6...\$2,150 ea.*



CS 6 - This model combines new design techniques and materials with innovations and refinements developed over 20 years of award-winning speaker-making to provide an astonishing listening experience. It uses a 1-inch tweeter coaxially mounted within a 4-inch midrange driver, a passive bass radiator, and a 10-inch woofer with a massive 20 pound magnet structure, bringing bass down to an astounding 27 Hz. Size: 13" X 18 1/2" X 50" *Thiel CS-6...\$3,950.00 ea.*



INTRODUCING
The New THIEL PCS
The High Performance Personal
Coherent Source Loudspeaker



Only 19" inches tall, the PCS enables you to indulge your desire for an uncompromised experience of great music and sound. Small enough to fit on your bedroom dresser, den shelf or office credenza, the three-way PCS delivers high output, high-performance sound without the bulk. Plus it is video shielded for placement near a TV or computer monitor. And like all THIELs the PCS is available in a wide variety of exquisite finishes to enhance any home or office decor. The **THIEL PCS** - a speaker designed just for you! *THIEL PCS...\$2,995.00 pr.*



THIEL

Ultimate Performance Loudspeakers

Yamaha's latest line of home entertainment products are designed to provide best performance and value at every level. From their most advanced home theater products to their least expensive receiver, the same care is evident in the silky feel of the controls, and the effortless ability to provide you superb entertainment for many years to come.



Yamaha DSP-A1

Maximum Home Theater

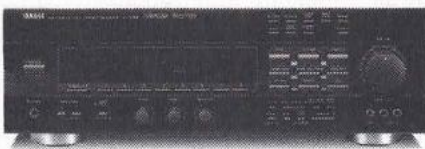
Yamaha's home theater masterpiece, the mighty, 620-watt **DSP-A1**, is a state-of-the-art audio/video amplifier, with the fastest, most powerful processing circuits to create a much larger soundstage and better digital effects. This is the most complete expression of Yamaha digital technology available, with the power to turn your home into any music venue or movie theater you like!



With Dolby Digital and DTS.
Available in two colors - black and champagne finish.
DSPA1 Black...\$2,595.00
DSPA1 Champagne...\$2,795.00

Home Theater Receivers

RX-V2095 - The ultimate home theater receiver! Features DTS and Dolby Digital. Capable of two room operation (home theater and music)



Yamaha RX-V2095

simultaneously. With over 550 watts of power.

Yamaha RX-V2095...\$1,599.00



Yamaha RX-V995

RX-V995 - Over 500 watts of power, DTS and Dolby Digital.

Yamaha RX-V995...\$995.00



Yamaha RX-V795A

RX-V795A - DTS and Dolby Digital, 425 watts.

Yamaha RX-V795A...\$699.00



Yamaha RX-V595A

RX-V595A - With 295 watts, DTS and Dolby Digital.

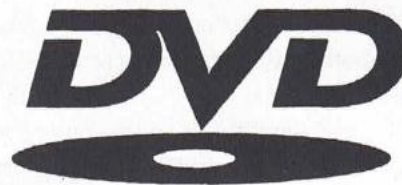
Yamaha RX-V595A...\$495.00



Yamaha DVD-S796

Yamaha DVD-S796 DVD Player

Some DVD players experience digital lockup (picture freeze). Not Yamaha's! With more powerful digital processors for the crisp, exciting picture and sound of DVD discs without digital lockup! This remarkable compo-



nent plays back compact discs and DVD discs with super performance. With fiber optic connector for best sound.

Yamaha DVD-S796...\$679.00



Yamaha C-900

Yamaha C-900 DVD/CD Changer

This amazing new product not only plays and changes your CDs, but also your DVDs! Can you imagine, mixing and matching movies and music at the touch of a button! Perfect for the person who wants a DVD player and CD changer in one convenient package.

Yamaha C-900...\$799.00



YAMAHA

Stereo Receivers

Yamaha's stereo receivers are engineered to provide large amounts of reserve power for accurate reproduction of the high energy peaks that are especially prevalent in digital audio sources. Each one is built to be the best in its class, with high quality parts and construction and the flexibility, convenience and ease of use you want in a sophisticated audio component. Each one comes equipped with excellent sound quality and remote, varying only in power and features.



Yamaha RX-596

RX-596 - With 80 watts per channel, variable loudness control, record out selector and CD direct amplification circuit (bypasses several amp circuits). *Yamaha RX-596...\$395.00*



Yamaha RX-496

RX-496 - With 70 watts per channel, two tape monitors, variable loudness, and pure direct circuit (bypasses tone controls). *Yamaha RX-496...\$295.00*



Yamaha RX-396

RX-396 - With 45 watts per channel, variable loudness control, three audio inputs with one tape monitor. *Yamaha RX-396...\$249.00*

PLAYXCHANGE™

Compact Disc Changers



Yamaha compact disc changers are great-sounding and easy to use! Yamaha developed Pro-Bit, an innovative D/A conversion technique that delivers a smoother, more musical signal. Yamaha also made CD changers more convenient, with their five-disc carousel players and PlayXchange, allowing you to change up to four discs while a fifth continues to play. This next generation of Yamaha CD players provides higher performance with greater quality and convenience.



Yamaha CDC-775

CDC-775 - Yamaha's best-sounding CD player is a five-disc carousel changer with PlayXchange, 20-track program, random and repeat play, and much more. *Yamaha CDC-775...\$349.00*



Yamaha CDC-675

CDC-675 - Five-disc carousel changer with PlayXchange, 20-track program play, 10-key direct track access, and

many more features.

Yamaha CDC-675...\$249.00



Yamaha CDC-575

CDC-575 - Yamaha's least expensive five-disc carousel changer provides excellent sound, PlayXchange, 20-track program and more. *Yamaha CDC-575...\$179.00*

Cassette Decks

Cassettes remain an important music source, both at home and in cars. Yamaha, already a leader in cassette deck design, has upgraded their technology to provide even higher sound quality. They have also made operation more convenient, so you can access music faster and easier. Whichever you select, your Yamaha cassette deck will be a pleasure to listen to and use for years to come.



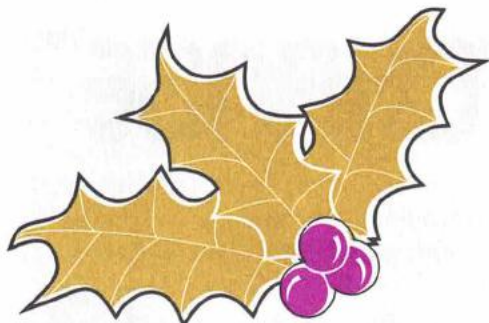
Yamaha KX-W421

KX-W421 - Auto reverse double cassette deck, with Dolby HX Pro. *Yamaha KX-W421...\$299.00*



Yamaha KX-W321

KX-W321 - Auto Reverse double cassette deck, with full logic controls. *Yamaha KX-W321...\$249.00*



The Stereo Shop, for 40 years, is Central Connecticut's custom audio/video specialist. The systems on this page provide the absolute best sound and value at their prices. They sound excellent and offer superior build quality and reliability. We have these systems on display for your evaluation and we are sure you will agree they provide first-class entertainment. At the Stereo Shop, there is no substitute for quality, knowledge and experience. Equipment on these pages is discussed elsewhere in our holiday newsletter for more detailed descriptions. Please call us at 523-7250 for information anytime!

Good



This is perfect for an inexpensive music system that really performs!

CD Changer - **Yamaha CDC-575** - 5 disc CD changer

Receiver - **Yamaha RX-396** - 50 watt stereo receiver

Speakers - **Phase Tech Teatro 7.5** - 2-way tower - 8" woofer

System Price: \$949.00

Better



This is an Adcom/B&W system, always an excellent combination!

CD Changer - **Adcom GCD-700** - 5 disc CD changer

Tuner/Preamp - **Adcom GTP-450**

Power Amp - **Adcom GFA-5400** - 120 watts per channel

Speakers: **B&W 603S2** - 3-way floor standing design - two 7" woofers

System Price: \$2,795.00

Best



This is a great new high-end system, with all McIntosh components, the excellent CD changer by California Audio Labs and THIEL speakers. You can't get better than this without paying twice as much!

CD Changer - **California Audio Labs CL-10** - 5 disc CD changer

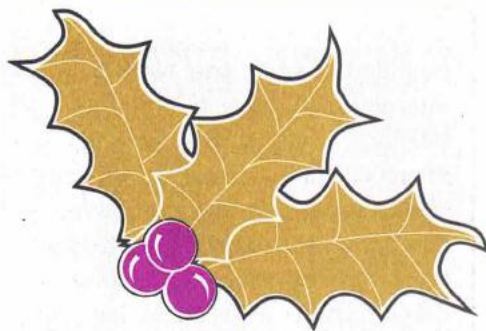
Preamplifier - **McIntosh C-15** - full feature pre-amplifier

Power Amplifier - **McIntosh MC-162** - 160 watt stereo power amp

Speakers - **THIEL 2.3** - 3-way floor standing design - 10" woofer

System Price: \$7,995.00

These systems are the audio elements for your custom home theater system. Our new televisions are listed on page 15. We believe that the home theater surround sound systems on this page are the best available for the price. They provide highest-quality sound and reliability as well as ease-of-use in their respective classes. We have all these systems on display at the store for you to enjoy and compare. We think you will be amazed at what they can do for home entertainment!



Good

- Yamaha RX-V595A Dolby Digital A/V Receiver
 - 2 Definitive Technology Pro Monitor 100 front speakers
 - Definitive Technology ProCenter dialogue speaker
 - 2 Definitive Technology BP-1X bipolar rear surround speakers
 - Definitive Technology ProSub 100 subwoofer
- System Price: \$1,699.00**



Better

- Yamaha RX-V795A DTS/Dolby Digital A/V receiver
 - 2 Definitive Technology BP-10 bipolar tower front speakers
 - Definitive Technology C-2 center dialogue speaker
 - 2 Definitive BP-2x bipolar rear surround speakers
 - Definitive Technology Powerfield 12TL subwoofer
- System Price: \$2,849.00**



Best

- Yamaha RX-V2095 DTS/Dolby Digital A/V receiver
 - 2 Definitive Technology BP-2002TL bipolar tower front speakers
 - Definitive Technology CLR-2002 center dialogue speaker
 - 2 Definitive Technology BPX bipolar rear surround speakers
 - Definitive Technology Powerfield 18TL subwoofer
- System Price: \$5,895.00**



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314 - Another wonderful value from NAD, this 35 watt per channel integrated amp offers six inputs (including two tape). Not only does it sound

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NAD Compact Music System Sale...\$699.00

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Teatro Series

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produces all of

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crossover

assemblies,

along with the

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7.5 features a

full-range

response of 38-

20,000 Hz with 90 dB sensitivity;

simply translated - just what you need for outstanding depth and bass impact in music and home theater applications. With its handsome rosewood laminate cabinet and highly stylized profile the Teatro 7.5 adds style and performance to your home entertainment needs — for music, movies and more.

Phase-Technology Teatro Series

Model 7.5...\$599.00 pr.

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The **Definitive Technology** line of slender, elegant, lacquer finish floor-standing tower speakers can be easily and attractively placed in your home environment, yet provides a huge, natural soundstage of spectacular three-dimensional depth and breadth. They accomplish this with bipolar driver arrays - one set facing forward and the other facing to the rear - that radiate sound in an omnidirectional pattern much like sound is reproduced in real life.

Transmission Line Towers:

BP2000TL and BP2002TL — These brand-new, redesigned flagship towers have literally re-invented the loudspeaker! They combine multi-driver bipolar arrays complete with built-in side-firing high wattage powered subwoofers

built into beautiful, designer-styled cabinets which occupy less than one square foot of floor space! The result is awe inspiring deep, rich bass response effortlessly extending below 15 Hz!

BP2000TL (15" subwoofer, 500 watt amp) Size: 9" X 17" X 50"
\$1,499.00 ea.

BP2002TL (12" subwoofer, 250 watt amp) Size: 7 1/4" X 14 3/4" X 43"
\$1,095.00 ea.



speakers make the walls of your room seem to disappear and, in effect, expand the size of your room into the soundspace of the live event your system is reproducing. They literally bring your music and movies to life.

BP30 — Size: 8 1/2" X 15" X 46"
Frequency Response: 18Hz — 30kHz
\$699.00 ea.

BP10B — Size: 8" X 12 1/4" X 42"
Frequency Response: 20Hz — 30kHz
\$499.00 ea.

BP8B — Size: 7" X 11" X 38"
Frequency Response: 22Hz — 30kHz
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BP6B — Size: 7" X 11" X 35"
Frequency Response: 25Hz — 30kHz
\$299.00 ea.



Definitive's Bipolar Surround Speakers and Center Channels



These are the perfect rear surround speakers because their bipolar design sends sound into an exceptionally wide, three-dimensional soundstage. They will improve the rear channels of any home system. Definitive also pioneered the concept of full-range

high-definition center channel speakers. They sound great! Rear surrounds start at...\$350.00 per pair, Center channel speakers start at...\$199.00 each.

Why settle for a little more bass when you can have Definitive bass

As home theater enthusiasts know, nothing equals the floor shaking power and startling impact of a great subwoofer. Music lovers also want that last, lowest octave. The Stereo Shop is pleased to present the Definitive Technology PF series, with phenomenal low frequency extension and wide dynamic range. They are ultra fast, very powerful and can literally shake even concrete floors! Available in 18", 15" or 12" size.

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PF-18TL: \$999.00

PF-15TL: \$699.00

PF-12TL: \$549.00

Pro Cinema

The new Pro Cinema series is perfect for rooms where sound and space is important. You will not believe the sound that comes out of these small speakers - detailed highs, open midrange and deep bass!



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Manufacturer	Model	New	Used	Sale	Manufacturer	Model	New	Used	Sale
INTEGRATED AMPLIFIERS					CASSETTE DECKS				
McIntosh	MA-5100 (45 watt-solid state)	449	549	449	Akai	HX-A1 (Basic machine w/Dolby	n/a	125	99
McIntosh	MA-230 (30 watt-tube-MAC collectors item)	349	995	895	Onkyo	TA-2044 (Dolby B/C-Integra series)	310	195	179
PREAMPLIFIERS					LOUDSPEAKERS				
Carver	C-1 (sonic holography circuit)	550	349	295	JBL	L-100 (3 way-classic)	980	499	299
McIntosh	C-24 (solid state)	250	499	399	B&W	DM-620 (2 way-British design)	800	599	399
McIntosh	C-27 (solid state)	749	595	495	a/d/s/	L-1230	1500	899	650
McIntosh	C-29 (solid state-clean sound)	949	1400	749	Citation	7.3 (surround speakers)	2000	1295	795
McIntosh	C-504(solid state)	1095	895	795	a/d/s/	M-12 (3 way-walnut)	1900	1299	849
McIntosh	C-31V (solid state w/ 5 band EQ)	1895	1495	1195	McIntosh	XR-19	5300	3999	3499
McIntosh	C-39 (THX-Pro Logic-A/V system control)	3995	2795	2195	SUBWOOFERS				
AM-FM TUNERS					Citation	7.4 (THX-14" passive sub)	1150	DEMO	549
Carver	TX-11B(quartz digital tuner)	800	449	395	McIntosh	HT-2 (w/2 12" drivers-black)	1750	849	749
McIntosh	MR-67 (All tube-classic MAC-mint)	299	949	895	HOME THEATER EQUIPMENT				
McIntosh	MR-71 (World's best sounding tuner-tube)	399	1095	995	Yamaha	DSP-100U (Pro Logic Processor)	700	199	139
McIntosh	MR-78 (the MAC tuner!-collectors piece)	1695	2000	1895	Adcom	GSP-560 (Dolby Pro Logic Processor)	600	395	149
McIntosh	MR-80 (solid state-digital tuner)	2500	2295	1995	Aphex	ESP-7000 (Enhanced Surround Processor)	995	199	149
PREAMP/TUNERS					Lexicon	CP-2 (surround processor-Dolby Pro Logic	995	295	189
Adcom	GTP-600 (A/V pre-amp-w/presets)	1100	695	495	Pioneer	VSX-453 (60 watt-Pro Logic-A/V receiver)	345	249	195
McIntosh	MX-110 (tube-FM stereo)	400	895	795	Pioneer	CLD-S-201 (CD-LD player)	535	395	249
POWER AMPS					Pioneer	CLD-1070 (CD-LD player)	600	449	295
Adcom	GFA-7000 (5 channel-THX-130 watt)	1300	1095	895	Pioneer	BSS-780 (surround sound chair)	800	DEMO	299
McIntosh	MC-2505 (50 watt-w/meters-classic)	549	795	695	Pioneer	CLD-91E (CD-LD player-Elite)	2000	1095	595
McIntosh	MC-7300 (300 watt)	3400	2995	2749	Yamaha	RX-V992 (Dolby Digital A/V rcvr.w/remote)	995	749	595
McIntosh	MC-300 (300 watt-MAC keystone)	4000	3795	3195	Pioneer	CLD-92E (CD-LD combi player-Elite)	2000	1295	695
McIntosh	MC-2500 (500 watt-w/meters)	3800	3795	3500	Citation	7.3 (surround speakers)	2000	1295	795
RECEIVERS					Yamaha	DSP-3090 (Dolby Digital processor)	2000	1495	1195
KLH	52 (33 watt-70's collectible)	320	179	149	CAL	CL-25 (CD/DVD player-24/96 processing)	2995	DEMO	2495
Pioneer	SX5-525 (17 watt-vintage)	260	179	149	McIntosh	MSD4 (Dolby Digital-DTS processor)	3250	2995	2750
Pioneer	SX5-626 (27 watt-vintage)	340	229	189	MISCELLANEOUS				
Nakamichi	TA-3A (50 watt-smooth sound)	895	395	295	Kinergetics	KMP-2 (Magnetic tape deck processor)	110	35	15
McIntosh	MAC-1700 (Classic MAC-45 watt-tube)	599	595	495	JVC	SEA-20 (7 band EQ)	150	99	69
A/V RECEIVERS					McIntosh	MQ102 (Equalizer)	150	100	89
Pioneer	VSX-453 (60 watt-Pro Logic)	345	249	195	dbx	224-Type II (noise reduction system)	270	169	129
Yamaha	RX-V992 (Dolby Digital-w/remote)	995	749	595	Audiosource	AV-1 (10 band EQ)	580	295	149
TURNTABLES					AudioControl	C-22 (10 band Equalizer)	260	195	179
Technics	SL-20 (belt drive)	280	229	195	CWD	Magic Lowboy (blonde oak)	1295	DEMO	995
Denon	DP-31L(direct drive)	300	279	249	McIntosh	MI-3 (performance scope)	250	1495	1195
B&O	Beogram 2402 (belt drive-slimline)	350	325	295	McIntosh	MPI-4 (performance indicator scope)	600	2195	1995
B&O	Beogram 5500 (classic Danish design)	500	425	395	MATCHED COMPONENT SETS				
Thorens	TD-115 (belt drive-German quality)	435	375	349	Adcom	GTP-500/GCD575/GFA-5500 (tuner-pre-amp/CD/amp combo-white-rare!)	2100	1495	995
PHONO ACCESSORIES					stereo shop audio/video interiors				
Oracle	Record clamp (threaded spindle)	89	NEW	49	Visit us on the World Wide Web at www.thestereoshop.com				
Denon	D-103 (low output MC cartridge)	395	NEW	295	QUALITY • KNOWLEDGE • EXPERIENCE				
COMPACT DISC PLAYERS									
McIntosh	MCD-7009 (rugged McIntosh)	2750	2495	2195					

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ing. All have 1200 lines of resolution, two-tuner picture-in-picture, TV Guide + and beautiful black high gloss finish.



WT-46805 46" WideScreen (16:9 aspect ratio) Superb picture performance in a high-quality compact tabletop format that integrates well with custom wall units. HDTV upgradeable. *Mitsubishi WT-46805* ...\$3,149.00



WS-55905 55" Big Screen (16:9 aspect ratio) - Here's your big step up to the future of television! With the new standard 16:9 aspect ratio for movies and HDTV, a glorious picture and huge screen. *Mitsubishi VS-55905*...\$4,499.00

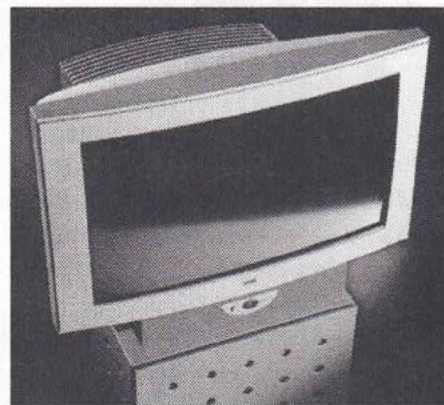


WS-65905 65" Diamond Series Big Screen (16:9 aspect ratio) - For those who want the best, this TV has no peer! With a giant 65" screen and Diamond picture. *Mitsubishi WS-65905*...\$5,499.00

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Finally available in the United States, the legendary Loewe (pronounced "Lerv") digital tube televisions are the pinnacle in tube television technology. For 75 years, Loewe has been a leader in the European electronics industry, and produced the first integrated circuit (1926) as well as the world's first electronic television

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Loewe Calida - 32" tabletop (4:3 ratio) TV with paneling in matte black finish *Loewe Arcada*. Reg. \$3,500.00
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Loewe Art - 36" (4:3 ratio) TV with flat, planar screen integrated into a sculpted, black-matte console. *Loewe Art*...\$4,995.00

Loewe Planus - 32" (16:9 ratio) TV available as table model or with full base. Also expands 4:3 ratio images to fill the screen. In black matte or platinum. *Loewe Planus*...\$3,795.00

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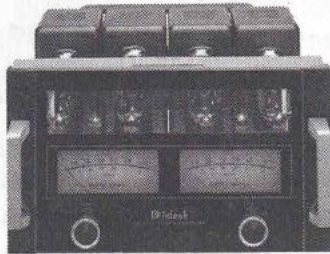
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The Limited Edition **MC2000** Stereo Vacuum Tube Power Amplifier commemorates 50 years of American ingenuity and craftsmanship, while it celebrates the brilliant life's work of legendary McIntosh designer Sidney

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