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Integrated 2

"It's refreshing to see a company focus in on details like the cosmetics and symmetry of the front panels, first rate packaging, set up instructions, quality support materials, and, of course, high performance music playback. ...if you become a member of the Anthem club, you'll smile every time you look at your equipment."

"Anthem just sounds right. No matter what makes them tick, these products were made to enrich our lives with glorious music."

*- Michael Fuschi
Audio Revolution Online Magazine, May 1998*



INTEGRATED 2

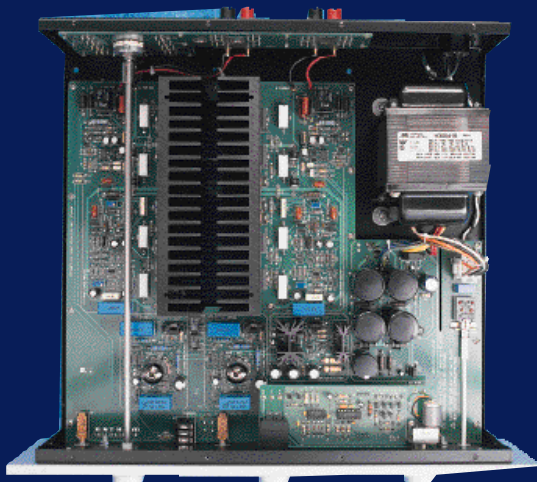
Hybrid Integrated Amplifier - 90 watts/ch



the power and the majesty



Sonic Frontiers, manufacturers of the ground-breaking line of modern high-end vacuum-tube stereo electronics, introduce a new integrated amplifier to its Anthem line: The Integrated 2. The Anthem series is designed for superb performance within cost constraints.



Design Features

HYBRID DESIGN: Much more powerful than its predecessor, the Integrated 1, the new model puts out 90/145 watts per channel. It's 24-dB power-amp circuitry is entirely solid state and is designed around the latest generation of Motorola bipolar devices. The 15-dB preamplifier section, however, is an all-tube design, using two mil-spec Russian 6922's. These tubes are very inexpensive to replace, and are rated for a life cycle of at least 5,000 hours (approximately 5 years in typical use).

PREAMPLIFIER OUTPUTS/POWER AMPLIFIER INPUTS:

The preamp design incorporates custom-designed gold-plated Teflon RCA jacks and a coin-silver mil-spec selector switch for four inputs (CD, Tuner, and two sets of AUX) plus both a tape-monitor loop (inputs and outputs, plus switching) and a surround sound processor (SSP) bypass loop. The latter function, together with its pre-out and main-in jacks, makes it possible to use the preamp and power-amp sections entirely separately, should that be desirable. This gives the user the option of adding a larger amp later or biamping.

FRONT PANEL FEATURES:

Additional front panel controls include switches for mode (mono/stereo), muting, and power (on/off; volume and balance controls; and a headphone jack. The volume pot is motorized so that it can be driven from the supplied remote, which also controls the mute and SSP bypass switching, functions which are offered as momentary switches on the front panel. A front-panel LED indicates status: 45-second turn-on mute (low green), normal operation (high green), muting (flashing green), and SSP bypass (orange).

EXCEPTIONAL QUALITY PARTS:

Build quality is outstanding throughout. Capacitors are MultiCap and Wima metallized polypropylene; Holco and Draloric 0.5% metal-film resistors are used. RCA jacks are custom designs using Teflon and gold materials. A Noble balance pot and Kimber interconnect wiring are among the premium parts used in this design.



All Anthem products are available with either black or silver faceplates.