







PRESS RELEASE

PERFECT8 TECHNOLOGIES, YPSILON ELECTRONICS, AND RACKS AUDIO DESIGN TEAM UP TO SHOWCASE THEIR "NO COMPROMISE" ULTRA HIGH-END AUDIO SYSTEMS AT CES2011

LAS VEGAS (CES, The Venetian, Suite 29-335) - Three high-end audio companies from Sweden, Norway and Greece will showcase their latest ultra high-end components at the 2011 International CES®. The world's largest consumer technology tradeshow, the 2011 International CES, will run January 6-9, with 2,500 exhibitors and more than 120,000 attendees from more than 130 countries.







The Swedish company PERFECT8 Technologies, specialized in high-end glass loudspeakers, will be showcasing its complete line of loudspeaker models for the first time at the forthcoming CES show in Las Vegas. The models are the tiny "The Cube", the sleek floor-standing "The Point", and the top of the line "The Force". All models in the PERFECT8 program have been carefully designed with a "no compromise" philosophy and using a new technology platform with none of the significant drawbacks of all traditional designs. The PERFECT8 loudspeakers exhibit perfect motor control, zero energy storage, no internal vibrations or cavity resonances, near-linear off-axis response, seamless mid/treble-integration, and perfect room interaction. The result has been awarded "Best sound in show" at CES three years in a row.

"I was stunned to hear utterly transparent sound, with the clarity and lucidity of the original Quad's midrange. Selecting "The Mooche" from Stereophile's Editor's Choice CD, I heard the best sound I've heard from all the different loudspeakers on which I have auditioned this recording."

- Larry Greenhill, Stereophile

"The Force was extremely open and transparent sounding, with no sense at all of an enclosure. (Of course, it's a dipole, so it had none.) It was also exceedingly realistic. Its imaging was bigger, more freed-up, and a little more diffuse than that of a box speaker (as is the case with all dipole linestages); voices and instruments sounded very "there," very lifelike." - Jonathan Valin, The Absolute Sound







NEW PRODUCT INTRODUCTIONS TO THE US MARKET:

- PERFECT8 Technologies introduces The Point loudspeaker.
- Ypsilon Electronics introduces the SET 100 MKIII monoblocks.
- Undisclosed cables available for a sneak peek at CES 2011.
- Audio Design Racks high quality racks.

The Ypsilon SET 100 MKIII a SE hybrid amplifier monoblock design of 2 gain stages, output power of 120 Wrms, the magic midrange of a small S.E.T amplifier with the scale, authority, macro and micro detail that no amplifier has previously achieved. It uses a custom designed s-e mosfet output stage transformer coupled at the output with custom in-house built double c-core amorphous transformer. The SET 100 has power and drive with transparency, and produces tremendous musical involvement. Combined with the award winning VPS-100 phono stage and PST-100 transformer attenuated pre amplifier creates a unique musical experience.

"The Ypsilon produced an absolutely intoxicating blend of stupefyingly extended high frequencies, resolution, clarity, and transient precision, along with tight, deep, nimble, nonmechancial bass, and an ideally rich-ie, not too rich-midrange with just the right amounts of body and harmonic structure".

"I heard the high-frequency clarity, air, and extension of the best solid-state phono preamps, as well as the harmonic expression and musical flow of the best tube phono preamps, with none of the negatives of either". - Michael Fremer - Stereophile Class A+ Component: Aug. 2009

"I haven't got over the Ypsilon and I don't expect to for some time. If ever"

- Michael Fremer - Stereophile Product Of The Year: "Editors Choice" Dec. 2009

"Nonetheless, there is no disputing the fact that this is a preamp that stands at the pinnacle of sonic splendor."

"The PST 100's tonal purity was great in either the passive or active mode, but on certain pieces of quiet and delicate music, notably with piano, flute, violin and clarinet, the passive mode produced an absolutely heavenly sound that made you feel as though the performer was in the room."

- Ed Momkus DAGOGO - YPSILON PST-100MKII valve transformer pre amplifier Sept. 2009

Racks Audio Design-racks are hand-crafted from carefully matched high quality materials and available in various sizes. Shelf materials include Corian and 2 layers of solid Beech wood. Frames are built from reinforced metal parts. The result is excellent vibration dampening characteristics with less than 2 milliseconds to eliminate any vibrations.

Pricing for the PERFECT8 loudspeaker systems range from \$70 000 - \$375 000.

The Ypsilon components range from \$26 000 - \$93 000.

The Audio Design Racks are priced from \$2 500 to \$5 500.

(All prices prices in EUR translated to USD as of December 2010, excluding local taxes)







■ About PERFECT8 Technologies

PERFECT8 Technologies is a Swedish provider for high-end ribbon and dynamic loudspeakers and sub-woofers. Backed by over 25 years of research and more than 5 years of dedicated development, PERFECT8 Technologies was founded in 2005 with the primary mission of producing the most exclusive and best sounding loudspeaker systems in the world! www.perfect8.com

■ About Ypsilon Electronics

Ypsilon Electronics is a Greek provider of high-end audio electronics. Ypsilon Electronics was founded in 1995 with the single-minded purpose of recreating live music with passion and perfection. Extensive experience with live music and over 10 years of research and innovation lead to new design concepts and advanced component technologies with unsurpassed results. www.ypsilonelectronics.com

■ About Audio Design Racks

Racks Audio Design is a Greek manufacturer of high-end high quality racks for audio equipment. Racks Audio-design are made in Greece since 1996, designed by Architect Vangelis Issichopoulos. The company's main innovations is a layering technique involving Corian® and wood to produce highly dampened as well as aesthetic looking racks.

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