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Dear McIntosh Authorized Dealer,

McIntosh is pleased to announce two new products. One that looks familiar, one that's all new...

The MC275 Series IV

The MC275 has returned, better than ever. It looks similar to previous versions, but there are important differences. These changes improve power output, performance consistency, installation flexibility, and manufacturing efficiency.

Voltages have increased; even sub-optimal tubes yield power beyond the specified 75 watts per channel.

Point-to-point wiring has been minimized; almost the entire internal volume is now taken up by a glass epoxy circuit board. Minimizing point-to-point wiring means variations are almost non-existent; previously, slight variations in the position of wires to critical components had an effect on performance. Examine the inside of the latest version...it looks like electronic artwork.

A rear panel IEC style plug-in power cord makes installing easier and gives the customer the opportunity to change the cord, if desired. Balanced inputs are included, bypassing the first input tube, a phase splitter. Input sensitivity is variable in the unbalanced inputs.

With a bandwidth of 10Hz-70,000Hz, high resolution sources can be utilized fully. Output taps are provided for 4, 8, and 16ohms. Parallel-mono, selectable on the front apron, yields double power (150 watts mono), into 2, 4 or 8 ohms...perfect for low impedance "exotic" speakers.

We have recently expanded the factory to make room for two new parts insertion machines. Yes, our products are still hand made. We still fabricate our chassis from stainless steel sheets, wind our own output transformers, hand-assemble, and test every unit. Only in insertion of small parts into holes in the circuit boards is now done by machine, prior to soldering, trimming, and testing. Our new machine even checks the value of each part before inserting it. It is amazing to see it in action. And boy, does it save time!

Assembly time is cut in half, leading to the best news of all. The MC275 IV will carry a retail price of \$3500.00 which *includes* a complete premium tube set. ***Please take note of dealer cost on the new price sheet.***

The MC275, arguably the most revered amplifier ever made, is back. Shipping next month with this pricing, we feel that this will be a pivotal piece for McIntosh and our dealers. ***For many consumers, it will be the first purchase of their dream McIntosh system.***

The MA2275 Tube Integrated Amplifier

A combination of the new MC275 and a new preamp, the MA2275 is like a Rolls Royce for half price.

Input selection is done directly at the input jacks, by switches that are sealed in glass cylinders, filled with inert gas. Noise is so low as to be almost non-existent.

Huge gold-plated all-metal outputs are provided for 8, 4, and 2 ohm speakers, so exotic, low impedance speakers will be fully nourished with low distortion power. Bandwidth is wide, and distortion is low across the entire spectrum. Power is delivered through the McIntosh Unity Coupled circuit,

All amplification is accomplished with vacuum tubes, including phono, with one solid state op-amp that buffers to reduce the noise floor to amazing levels. In other words, a traditional circuit with a few "high-tech" flourishes.

Pre-outs and main-ins plus an additional set of pre-outs provide flexibility. Imagine a system with an MA2275 along with an MC275 bi-amplifying your favorite speakers. ***Better yet, consider displaying these new models in just this way!***

Fiber-optic lighting, bypassable bass & treble controls, blue meters, remote control, data ports, lots of inputs. The MA2275 has it all. The best part is the price at just \$6100.00. Shipping now.

Ken Zelin

Director of Sales Training



MC275 Mk IV

Vacuum Tube Power Amplifier

Introducing the McIntosh MC275 Mk IV Tube Power Amplifier



Features

- 2 x 75 watts at 4/8/16 ohms or 1 x 150 watts @ 2/4/8 ohms from 20 to 20kHz at less than 0.5% THD
- Patented McIntosh Unity Coupled Output Circuitry and Bifilar Output Transformers
- Balanced and Unbalanced inputs with level controls for unbalanced inputs
- New detachable power cable and new power switch
- Original MC275 styling updated with super-mirror finish stainless steel chassis
- Premium tube set included
- Tube Compliment:
 - 3 – 12AX7A inputs and phase invertors
 - 4 – 12AT7 voltage amplifier and drivers
 - 4 – KT88/6550 power output
- Tube cage included
- Available: March 2004
- MSRP \$3,500





MA2275

Vacuum Tube Integrated Amplifier

Introducing the MA2275 Vacuum Tube Integrated Amplifier



Features:

- The first *all-tube* McIntosh integrated amplifier. All *signal amplification* is done by vacuum tubes:

Phono Amp: 2 – 12AX7
Main Preamp: 2 – 12AX7
Power Amp: 2 – 12AT7 Drivers
4 – KT88 Outputs

- 2 x 75 watts at 2/4/8 ohms from 20 to 20kHz at less than 0.5% THD
- Patented McIntosh Unity Coupled Output Circuitry and Bifilar Output Transformers
- Six inputs including one balanced input, one MM phono input and one tape loop
- Electromagnetic Switching
- Precision motor driven volume control
- Illuminated output wattmeters
- LED/Fiber Optic Light Diffuser illumination – no more light bulbs to replace!
- IR remote control and switched data ports
- Two power-on control triggers
- Available: NOW
- MSRP \$6,100

