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## A Better Audio & Home Theater Experience

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### Audio Refinement Offers Exceptional Electronics at Affordable Prices

Audio Refinement components are designed by Yves-Bernard Andre of YBA fame. They rely upon much of the same sophisticated design and components utilized in the much more exotic, and dramatically more expensive, YBA line...but at a fraction of the cost. We believe this is more a result of an effort to target a different segment of the market, rather than cutting corners during the design and manufacturing process. We have found these components to offer unusually high build quality given their affordable prices and, more importantly, musicality that is rare at any price level. Audio Refinement uses custom modified YBA capacitors, suspended transformers and eschews plastic connectors and connectors. They sound bigger, warmer and more open than most gear at significantly higher prices and they have that rare ability to reveal the good qualities about recordings rather than spotlighting the bad.



**CD Complete** – We have finally found a great, and we mean really great, affordable CD player. Our search has been going on for years now with no real success until this wonderful Audio Refinement player walked into our lives. At just \$995, the CD Complete compares favorably with players costing two to three times as much. It sounds incredibly refined when compared to other players in its price range, with loads of detail and a smooth engaging sound.

**Integrated Complete** – Just as with the CD Complete, the Integrated Complete is a superb and musical sounding instrument. One of our favorite golden-eared reviewers Peter Moncrief of International Audio Review (IAR) said it best:  
*“If you are looking for the most musically enjoyable solid-state amp you can buy with price no object, this is it. If, on the other hand, you're price sensitive and are looking for the most economical entry point to true high end, this is it. Any questions?”*  
While that may overstate the case just a bit, anyone who spends time with this wonderful amplifier will understand where Peter was coming from. At \$995 it is a ridiculous bargain and you owe it to yourself to come in for a listen.

**Multi 2, 3 and 5 Power Amplifiers** – As good as the integrated amplifier is, people can get the same big, open and tube-like sound with even more power and effortless dynamics with the larger separate power amplifiers. Audio Refinement has done something really smart by offering virtually identical sounding 2, 3 and 5 channel power amplifiers to satisfy the needs of audiophiles and videophiles alike. You can build your music system around the excellent Multi 2 Stereo Power Amplifier and later add a Multi 3 Amplifier should you ever want to do surround. Or, if you are ready for surround from the start, just buy the Multi 5 and you're on your way. The Multi 2, 3 and 5 cost \$1,195, \$1,495 and \$2,495 respectively.

**Pre 2 DSP** – At \$1,395 this is best sounding surround processor we have ever encountered anywhere near its price. It decodes Dolby Digital, DTS and ProLogic II as well as providing a clean bypass mode for stereo listening and analog 5.1 inputs for DVD-Audio and SACD multichannel recordings. Bass management allows you to control which channels get full range sound and which route deep bass information to an LFE subwoofer. What the Pre 2 doesn't have are all of the gizmos and gadgets found on some other processors that don't sound nearly as good as it does. An incredible bargain!

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