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SR Loudspeakers

The "SR-1" (First son of Rushmore) loudspeaker was Pass Laboratories second entry into the often-confusing world of loudspeakers, a world fraught with claims of new technology and brilliant technological breakthroughs. Pass Laboratories claims no special technology in the SR-1, only Nelson Pass's meticulous attention to detail, a strong commitment to using the finest available parts and the



love of experiencing the finest in recorded music.

The first Pass Labs loudspeaker was "Rushmore" a no compromise system built around what we sincerely believed were the finest, high efficiency drivers available anywhere in the world. Those drivers were mated to four purpose built class A amplifiers, electronic crossovers and level controls into a self contained, all encompassing package.

Realizing that many customers already have favorite electronics or appreciate the opportunity to choose and substitute electronics as their preferences change; Pass set out to design a speaker that accommodates a wide variety of customer owned electronics without compromising the sound.

Like Rushmore the Pass Laboratories SR-1 started with the best drivers available; the highly regarded Nextel series from Seas of Norway. Each SR-1 loudspeaker system contains one each;

29 mm soft dome "HEXADYM"™ magnet tweeter

18 cm midrange driver

22 cm mid-woofer driver

26 cm long excursion woofer

All of these Seas drivers have very long excursion diaphragms, low mass, underhung voice coils and substantial copper faraday rings in the motor assembly.

These advanced and costly design features in the Nextel drivers assure very low, non-linear distortion and excellent transient response.

Recognizing that not all audiophiles are blessed with spacious rooms that welcome all loudspeakers, the SR-2 was conceived with the thought of making the most of difficult rooms.

The SR-2 is a more compact 3-way version of the SR-1. The SR-2 was optimized to make best use of smaller and more acoustically demanding environments that may not support large floor standing speakers.

One of the significant attributes of the SR-2 is a spectacular blending of the three drivers into one coherent voice even at listening positions normally associated as very near field and too close to the speaker to be considered optimal.

Each loudspeaker element and crossover in this two-piece system is hand wired, inspected and tested in the Foresthill California factory of Pass Laboratories, assuring our meticulous personal attention to quality control.

Like the SR-1, the SR-2 uses the Nextel series from Seas of Norway. Each SR-2 loudspeaker system contains one each;

29 mm "HEXADYM"™ magnet tweeter



18 cm midrange driver

26 cm long excursion woofer

We at Pass Laboratories want you the listener to enjoy this hobby in all it's aspects. If you want to do nothing but listen to the music then we say sit back and enjoy the "SR" Loudspeakers for what they do. If you want to enjoy the equipment we say sit back and enjoy the "SR-1" or "SR-2" for all the things they let you do.



The SR-1 and SR-2 come standard in Cherry (left above) and are available in two optional finishes - Mardrone (center) and Ask burl (right).

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