
Subject: Re: What sort of phono preamp are you all using in here?

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They have a couple phono pieces in the current ish of _aX_. The article is called Canto Sirena, Part 1 on page 32 of the January 2004 edition of _Ed Dell's _AudioXpress_. Those looking for a copy of this excellent magazine could try Barnes and Noble. The author is James Lin and it says in the bio that Lin has written for The Audio Amateur, Speakerbuilder and Glass Audio (these were the previous publications which Ed Dell combined as _Audio Express_. The one magazine has articles on all these subjects now. Will see how much goes into this project of Mr. Lin's. I am just irked to see the ads for phono preamps in _aX_ for \$600! It just seems irrational. But I also do not know the cost of the tubes and parts used in the device which Mr. Lin has designed. The only named reference to another tube design is by J.C. Morrison called The Siren's Song, after which Mr. Lin derived the name for his design. There is also a full reference section of source material. The design looks to be a rack mount construction and the details will be provided in an upcoming _aX_. If I did the project I'd have to have my hand held step by step. Depends on if I can get some help on this end for doing the actual assembly. lon@athenet.net
