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Subject: Quick report from the front

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Everyone has been getting setup, lots of really great systems here! I took longer than I expected because I found myself getting sidetracked with this and that. But my room is finally set up (at 2:00am). A bunch of us went out to eat, that's always nice. I listened to Jim Griffin's system for a minute, sounds great. The Azzolina Audio room looks great - Just love those huge blue horns and the vented LaScala style bass bins. Can't wait to listen to them. An Audio Note preamp gave fits so I loaned my Kit 2 while another system is flown in (hopefully) making it here by tomorrow morning. Two Oklahoma club rooms are setup, one by Akhilesh and the other by Mark Margiotta. The Dallas and Houston rooms are also setup and stocked. Fred mans one and Jim is in the other, as well as all the other usual suspects. BassMaxx and MaxxHorn are here setting up in the room just above me. Every once in a while I hear a loud thump and I don't know if they've dropped an engine block on the floor or I'm hearing a power-on thump from the bashorns, but I suspect the latter. Jef Larson has the abraxasaudio room ready to go with some luscious tube amps. He's running a pair of my tower twos and also a pair of Brines speakers. I know there are others I've forgotten but hey, it's 2:00am and I'm just now finished setting up myself. I'm definitely eager to check all the great gear out tomorrow!

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