

Monitor Audio

Monitor Audio is arguably one of those 'slow burn' brands. It's actually one of the largest and most innovative UK audio brands, but is so ubiquitous and ever-present, people tend to take the company for granted.

The company started back in 1972, with Mo Iqbal and a small team of engineers hand-building loudspeakers. Mo established from the outset a mentality of precision and perfectionism that remain watchwords in the company to this day. He also prized the notion of cutting-edge technological development, and that too has been passed down the years at Monitor Audio.

A list of firsts at Monitor Audio would take dozens of pages, but two key innovations are that the company was the first to release a ceramic sandwich metal cone and the first to vapour-deposit gold on metal dome tweeters. These innovations still shape Monitor Audio speakers to this day.

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