





ASCENSION SERIES

TAKING YOUR TONE TO THE NEXT LEVEL

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# LEGENDARY BRITISH LOUDSPEAKER MANUFACTURER FANE ACOUSTICS HAS A RICH HISTORY AND HERITAGE DATING BACK TO THE LATE 50'S.

HIWATT, JENNINGS, SOUND CITY, WEM, VOX AND LANEY WERE JUST SOME OF THE WELL KNOWN BRANDS THAT EQUIPPED THEIR CABS WITH FANE AND WITH THEM THE SIGNATURE TO ICONIC BRITISH TONE.





In 2015 Fane Acoustics returns with the 'Ascension Series', a brand new line of guitar speakers, hand crafted in England with fresh cosmetics and refined tonal enhancements that will reassert Fane once more as a leader in the world of guitar speaker technology.

With an emphasis on consistency and reliability, producing speakers capable of delivering classic guitar tone is as much art as technology and goes well beyond simply coupling a magnet assembly to a cone and voice coil. Fane's engineering and design talent coupled with a highly skilled and experienced assembly team, has resulted in a range of finely crafted speakers that perfectly balance heritage with innovation and encapsulate the timeless qualities of performance, exquisite tonality and consistent quality that truly must be heard to be believed.

Faced with high expectations from a long line of loyal followers, the beauty of the Fane sound is firmly rooted in the legendary recordings and live performances which Fane helped spawn in the first place. Players worldwide pay continued homage to those classic sounds and the Fane team has put extensive effort into

developing a family of purpose driven models that deliver this elusive quality – a quality that coincides perfectly with the needs of today's players.

The Ascension Series, initially, consists of four models that can be divided into groups by their tonal characteristics: The painted frame ceramic magnet F70 and Alnico fitted A60 offer players a 'classic' guitar speaker sound, with the ceramic magnet F90 and Alnico A90 on plated frames catering for modern rock and metal.

Although designed to give outstanding tonal performance individually, careful consideration has also been given to using the speakers in combination, blending tonal characteristics of the Ceramic and Alnico models to allow a dynamic expansion of the overall sound or creation of something unique by blending tones.



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#### // ASCENSION F70

Understanding all of the subtle elements of amplifier and speaker cabinet behaviour has given Fane a decided engineering edge in developing the all new, Ascension F70. The 12-inch, 70 watt, ceramic magnet driver represents the evolution of a classic tone guitar speaker for players looking for a fresh point of reference.

Promising to be the new most talked about speaker in a generation with its unique ability to enhance the performance of clean low gain amplifiers and high gain shred machines alike. It is just as at home in a classic rear mounted 4x 12 as it is in a modern front mounted application. The F70 offers a stunningly detailed top-end, rich mid-range and warm low-end with an intricate three-dimensional vintage crunch. The beauty of the F70 is that you need not even change your amplifiers setting to appreciate its ability to articulate delicate passages or manage pummeling abuse with ease. Whether your application is a head and cab or an open back combo, the F70 most definitely adds a welcome new dimension to existing rigs.

#### // ASCENSION A60

The Ascension A60 is a 12-inch, 60 watt, Classic Alnico driver. While its stunningly simple 'old school' visual statement will elicit an instant smile, you will find yourself unprepared for the sonic impact about to be experienced. The keyword here is balance. Every note and harmonic will immediately sound like it has been perfectly expressed.

Providing a refined tonal 'flavour' of the Ascension F70, the A60's detailed, shimmering top-end is never pointed and harsh. It's clear distinct low end coupled with the characteristic Fane vocal mid-range will present the player with an entirely renewed appreciation of harmonic structure. Designed specifically to reveal all of the subtle nuances of a finely crafted tube amplifier, the A60 is tailor made for players looking to explore new sonic territory while enhancing an amplifiers signature voice.

#### // ASCENSION F90

The ceramic magnet, 12-inch, 90 watt, Ascension F90 is the speaker of choice for modern rock and metal sounds. Its articulate high end and super-tight bottom deliver precision and punch while maintaining the legendary Fane tonal character. Suited for use in closed back 4x 12 and 2x 12 cabinets as well as single open back applications, the F90 makes a bold tonal statement. Even at low volumes, the F90 provides a great low end you can feel, and thanks to its high power rating can handle the most punishing high sound pressure level situations.

#### // ASCENSION A90

The 12-inch Ascension A90 is a bold new entrant in the arena of high performance Alnico guitar speakers for modern rock and metal sounds. With a power handling capacity in excess of 90 watts, this is the speaker that long-suffering high output compact combos have been waiting for. Providing a refined tonal'flavour' of the F90, the A90 is ideally suited for high-powered 1x 12 combo applications where formerly the compromise you had to accept was a stiff, harsh sounding and heavy weight speaker just to manage the power. Now imagine warmth, bell-like highs, sparkling mids, solid bottom end response and the familiar Alnico compression quality that will do equal justice to clean tones and high gain voicing. Add to that the high power to weight ratio of Alnico and back breaking compact combos now become more manageable and tonally beautiful.

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	// ASCENSION F70	// ASCENSION AGO	// ASCENSION F90	// ASCENSION A90
Nominal Diameter	12" / 304.8 mm	12" / 304.8 mm	12" / 304.8 mm	12" / 304.8 mm
Power Rating	70 Watts	60 Watts	90 Watts	90 Watts
Nominal Impedance	8 Ω / 16 Ω	8 Ω / 16 Ω	8 Ω / 16 Ω	8 Ω / 16 Ω
Frequency Range	70 Hz - 5 kHz	70 Hz - 5 kHz	70 Hz - 5 kHz	70 Hz - 5 kHz
Sensitivity	100 dB	100 dB	100 dB	100 dB
Resonance (Fs)	70 Hz	70 Hz	70 Hz	70 Hz
Chassis Material	Pressed Steel	Pressed Steel	Pressed Steel	Pressed Steel
Magnet Type	Ceramic	Alnico	Ceramic	Alnico
Voice Coil Material	Copper	Copper	Copper	Copper
Voice Coil Diameter	1.75" / 44.45 mm	1.75" / 44.45 mm	1.75" / 44.45 mm	1.75" / 44.45 mm
Nett Weight	4.85 Kg / 10.69 lb	4.1 Kg / 9.04 lb	4.58 Kg / 10.58 lb	4.1 Kg / 9.04 lb



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