## The Museum of Modern Art

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## WYNTON MARSALIS NARRATES RECORDED TOUR OF PIET MONDRIAN: 1872-1944

Wynton Marsalis is a featured narrator on the forty-five-minute

Acoustiguide audiotour of PIET MONDRIAN: 1872-1944, on view at The Museum of

Modern Art (October 1, 1995 - January 23, 1996). Mr. Marsalis, Artistic

Director of Jazz, Lincoln Center, together with Glenn D. Lowry, Director, The

Museum of Modern Art, and John Elderfield, Chief Curator at Large and

coorganizer of the exhibition, guide the visitor through highlights of the

exhibition, illuminating aspects of Mondrian's long career and his

contributions to the art of this century.

The recorded tour is available in English and Spanish. It may be rented for \$4.00 (members, \$3.50) when purchasing an admission ticket or entering the exhibition.

PIET MONDRIAN: 1872-1944 is organized jointly by the National Gallery of Art, Washington, D.C.; the Haags Gemeentemuseum, The Hague; and The Museum of Modern Art, New York. It has been granted an indemnity by the Federal Council on the Arts and the Humanities. The New York showing is made possible by KPN Royal PTT Nederland, with additional support from the National Endowment for the Arts.

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