Supertweeter for outstanding detail and clarity in high-frequencies without harshness. The ST304 / ST304-SLF* may be used individually in lower power systems or arrayed for increased coverage and SPL in higher power systems.

The bullet-shape horn design offers a longer throw 40° x 40° dispersion.

The plastic injected housing is stable and durable.

The phenolic annular diaphragm is long-lasting, cost-effective and more natural-sounding than metallic diaphragms.

The use of high-temperature materials and adhesives improves power handling and produces exceptionally high acoustic output.

A precisely engineered diaphragm structure and alignment mechanism for easy, reliable, cost effective repair in case of diaphragm failure.

*ST304-SLF: Product without Selenium / Professional logo on the plate.

SOUND DISPERSION PATTERN
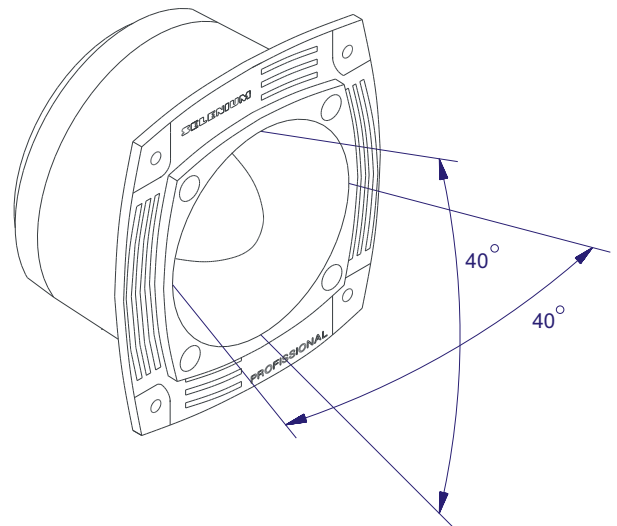
SPECIFICATIONS

Nominal impedance	8	Ω
Minimum impedance @ 6,000 Hz	7.0	Ω
Power handling		
Musical Program (w/ xover 5,000 Hz 12 dB/oct)[1]	40	W
Musical Program (w/ xover 8,000 Hz 12 dB/oct)[1]	80	W
Sensitivity (2.83V@1m) averaged from 5 to 15 kHz	106	dB SPL
Frequency response @ -6 dB	3,500 to 18,000	Hz
Sound dispersion (H x V)	40 x 40	degrees
Diaphragm material		Phenolic
Voice coil diameter	46 (1.8)	mm (in)
Re	6.0	Ω
Flux density	1.38	T

[1] Power handling specifications refer to normal speech and/or music program material, reproduced by an amplifier producing no more than 5% distortion. Power is calculated as true RMS voltage squared divided by the nominal impedance of the loudspeaker. This voltage is measured at the input of the recommended passive crossover when placed between the power amplifier and loudspeaker.
Musical Program= 2 x W RMS

WARNING: Must be connected with an appropriate crossover.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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Magnet material		Barium ferrite
Magnet weight	320 (11)	g (oz)
Magnet diameter x depth	102 x 10 (4.02 x 0.39)	mm (in)
Magnetic assembly weight	1,000 (2.21)	g (lb)
Housing material		ABS X17 plastic
Housing finish		Black
Magnetic assembly steel finish		Zinc-plated
Voice coil material		Copper
Voice coil former material		Polyimide (Kapton®)
Voice coil winding length	2.9 (9.5)	m (ft)
Voice coil winding depth	2.2 (0.09)	mm (in)
Wire temperature coefficient of resistance (α25)	0.00356	1/°C
Volume displaced by tweeter	0.5 (0.018)	l (ft³)
Net weight	1,100 (2.43)	g (lb)
Gross weight	1,200 (2.65)	g (lb)
Carton dimensions (W x D x H)	12 x 12.6 x 10 (4.7 x 5 x 4)	cm (in)

MOUNTING INFORMATION

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Number of bolt-holes	4	
Bolt-hole dimensions	4.5 x 6 (0.18 x 0.24)	mm (in)
Distance between bolt-holes (H x V)	85 x 90 (3.35 x 3.54)	mm (in)
Baffle cutout diameter (front mount)	109 (4.30)	mm (in)
Connectors		Push on terminals
Polarity	Positive voltage applied to the positive (+) terminal gives diaphragm motion toward the horn throat	
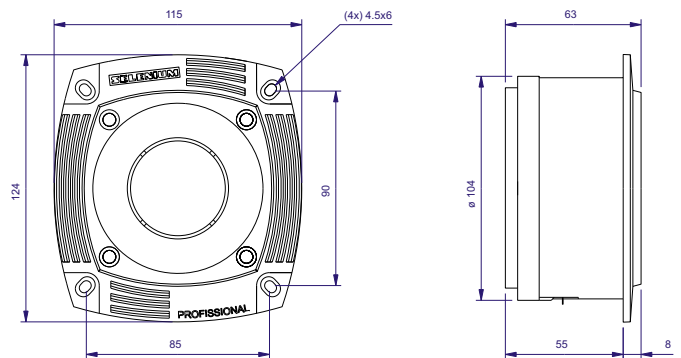
Dimensions in mm.

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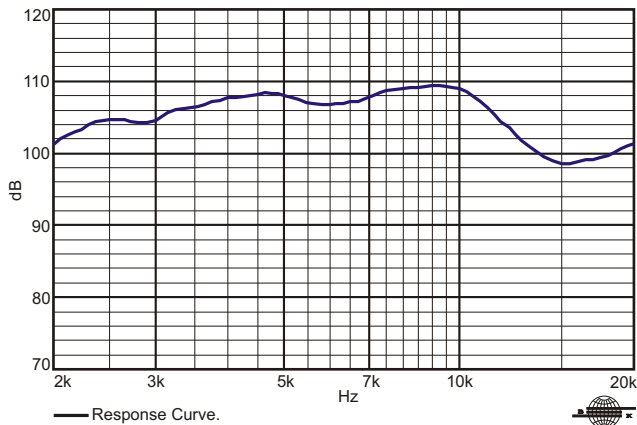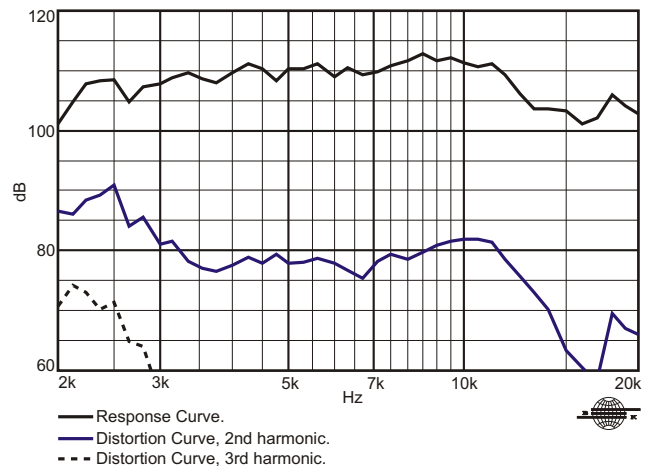
Response Curve.

IMPEDANCE AND PHASE CURVES MEASURED IN FREE-AIR.

Impedance Curve.
Phase Curve.

HARMONIC DISTORTION CURVES, 1 W / 1 m.

Response Curve.
Distortion Curve, 2nd harmonic.
Distortion Curve, 3rd harmonic.

HARMONIC DISTORTION CURVES, 2 W / 1 m.

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Distortion Curve, 2nd harmonic.
Distortion Curve, 3rd harmonic.
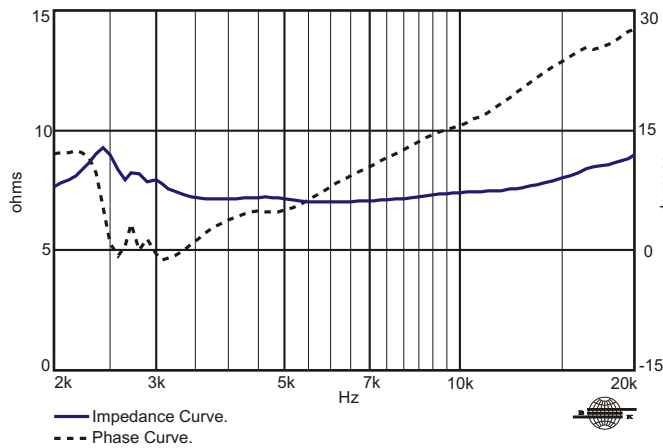
POLAR RESPONSE CURVES

2.5 kHz

5 kHz

10 kHz

Polar Response Curve.
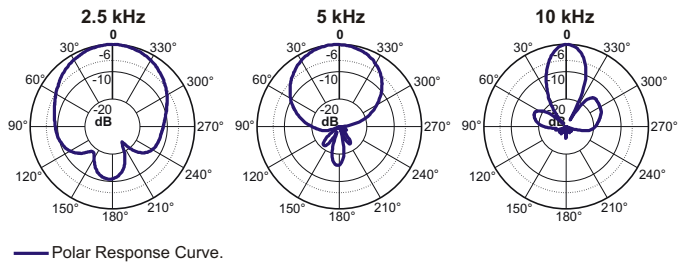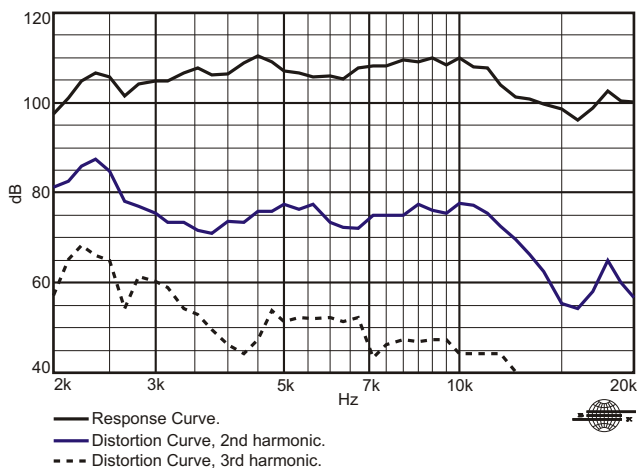
HOW TO CHOOSE THE RIGHT AMPLIFIER

The power amplifier must be able to supply twice the RMS driver power. This 3 dB headroom is necessary to handle the peaks that are common to musical programs. When the amplifier clips those peaks, high distortion arises and this may damage the transducer due to excessive heat. The use of compressors is a good practice to reduce music dynamics to safe levels.

FINDING VOICE COIL TEMPERATURE

It is very important to avoid maximum voice coil temperature. Since moving coil resistance (R_E) varies with temperature according to a well known law, we can calculate the temperature inside the voice coil by measuring the voice coil DC resistance:

$$T_B = T_A + \left(\frac{R_B}{R_A} - 1 \right)\left(T_A - 25 + \frac{1}{\alpha_{25}} \right)$$

T_A , T_B = voice coil temperatures in °C.
R_A , R_B = voice coil resistances at temperatures T_A and T_B, respectively.
α_{25} = voice coil wire temperature coefficient at 25 °C.

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