

ESD Series Subwoofers

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ESD 1.12 SUBWOOFER 600Watts

ESD1.12 - part number KVV 987 225



Application

Specifically designed as a passive subwoofer to accompany and compliment the ESD5/6 as a true full range system

- For fixed installation
- Bars-small entertainment projects
- Small footprint and dimensions allow placement under seating and fixtures

Introduction

The ESD1.12 is a very compact passive, high output subwoofer. The ESD1.12 is a passive version of the active EX1.2, 12" subwoofer and features the same high quality neodymium driver.

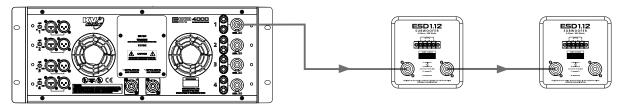
This subwoofer's low profile and size makes it ideal for discreet applications.

With a power handling of 600 watts, the ESD1.12 is capable of delivering tight, fast, controlled bass response at high output levels from a compact cabinet.

The ESD1.12 woofer is protected by a reverse thermal-circuit breaker (autoreset) and features a professional Baltic Birch construction with a wear resistant polymer coating and a specially designed handle for simplified handling and carrying. The ESD1.12 is also available in any RAL colour (white RAL9003 on stock).

Connection

The ESD1.12 features both Speakon (NL4) connectors and a terminal block. The connectors are interconnected in parallel to allow the "daisy chaining" of additional ESD1.12's.

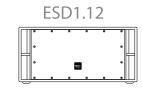


PARALLEL CONNECTION OF THE ESD1.12 (4 Ω) - TOTAL IMPEDANCE 2 Ω

Configurations example

ESD1.12 + 1x ESD10 or 4x ESD6





ESD1.12 + 1x ESD10 or 4x ESD6

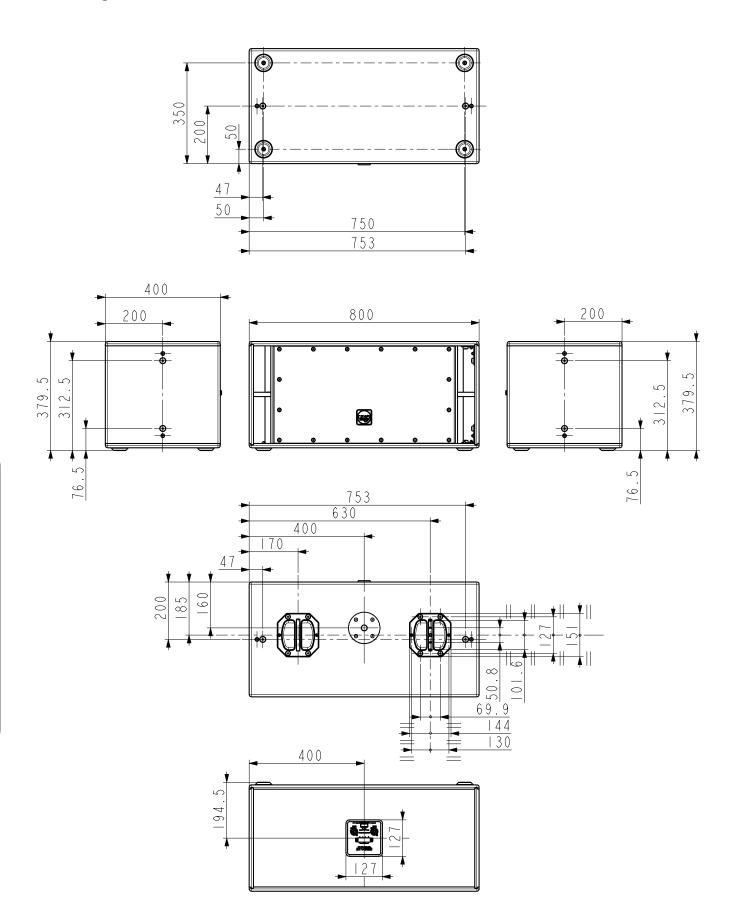


Specifications

| System Acoustic Perfomance | | |
|--|---------------------------------------|--|
| Max SPL Long-term | 124dB | |
| Max SPL Peak | 127dB | |
| -3dB Response | 38Hz to 150Hz | |
| -10dB Response | 34Hz to 170Hz | |
| Recommended Power | 600W | |
| Sensitivity | 97dB (half-space area) | |
| Impedance | 4Ω | |
| Crossover Point | 80Hz to 150Hz | |
| Low Frequency Section | | |
| Acoustic Design | Twin Asymmetrical loading | |
| Number of Drivers | 1 | |
| Woofer Size / Voice Coil Diameter / Design | 12" / 3" / Inside Outside | |
| Diaphragm Material | Epoxy Reinforced Cellulose | |
| Magnet Type | Ferrite | |
| Protection | Thermal breaker - autoreset | |
| Speaker Input | | |
| Speaker Input | 2x Neutrik Speakon®, Terminal Block | |
| Cabinet | | |
| Cabinet Material | Baltic birch | |
| Handles | 2 | |
| Pole Mount | M20 | |
| Flyware | 8x M10 suspension points | |
| Color | "Orange peeled" Matt Black or any RAL | |
| Physical Dimensions | | |
| Height | 379.5 mm (14.94") | |
| Width | 800 mm (31.49") | |
| Depth | 400 mm (15.75") | |
| Weight | 26.7 kg (58.8lbs) | |

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Drawings



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ESD 1.15 SUBWOOFER 600Watts

ESD1.15 - part number KVV 987 241



Application

Specifically designed as a passive subwoofer to accompany any of the ESD range to create true full range system performance

- Fixed installation
- Portable PA
- Bars-small entertainment projects
- Scalable into larger systems

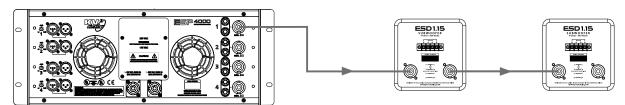
Introduction

The ESD1.15 is a compact passive, high output subwoofer. The ESD1.15 features a single 15" neodymium driver. Offering a peak SPL of 130dB the ESD1.15 produces considerable output yet in true KV2 style retains a compact footprint. Multiple units of ESD1.15's can be stacked together to create a powerful and scalable subwoofer system. With a power handling of 600 watts and high efficiency, the ESD1.15 is capable of delivering fast, controlled bass response at high output levels from a compact cabinet.

The ESD1.15 woofer is protected by a reverse thermal-circuit breaker (autoreset) and features a professional Baltic Birch construction with a wear resistant polymer coating and a specially designed handle for simplified handling and carrying. The ESD1.15 is also available in any RAL colour (white RAL9003 on stock).

Connection

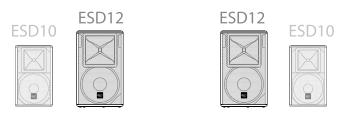
The ESD1.15 features both Speakon (NL4) connectors and a terminal block. The connectors are interconnected in parallel to allow the "daisy chaining" of additional ESD1.15's.

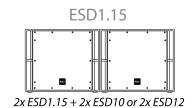


PARALLEL CONNECTION OF THE ESD1.15 (4Ω) - TOTAL IMPEDANCE 2Ω

Configurations example

2x FSD1.15 + 2x FSD10 or 2x FSD12





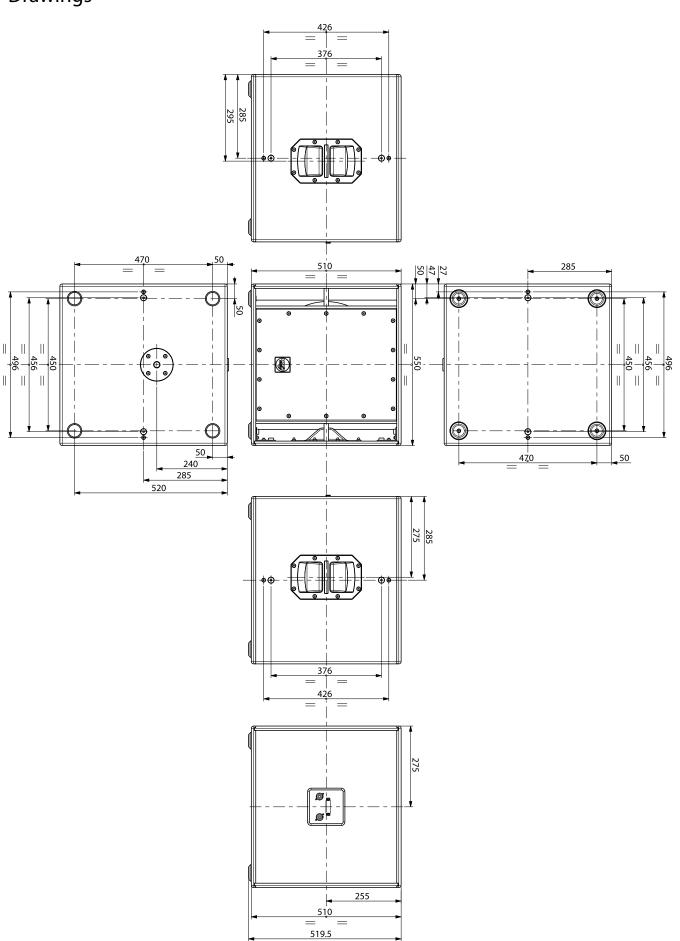


Specifications

| System Acoustic Perfomance | | |
|--|---------------------------------------|--|
| Max SPL Long-term | 127dB | |
| Max SPL Peak | 130dB | |
| -3dB Response | 37Hz to 150Hz | |
| -10dB Response | 34Hz to 170Hz | |
| Recommended Power | 600W | |
| Sensitivity | 99dB (half-space area) | |
| Impedance | 4Ω | |
| Crossover Point | 80Hz to 150Hz | |
| Low Frequency Section | | |
| Acoustic Design | Twin Asymmetrical loading | |
| Number of Drivers | 1 | |
| Woofer Size / Voice Coil Diameter / Design | 15" / 3" / Inside Outside | |
| Diaphragm Material | Epoxy Reinforced Cellulose | |
| Magnet Type | Ferrite | |
| Protection | Thermal breaker - autoreset | |
| Speaker Input | | |
| Speaker Input | 2x Neutrik Speakon®, Terminal Block | |
| Cabinet | | |
| Cabinet Material | Baltic birch | |
| Handles | 2 | |
| Pole Mount | M20 | |
| Flyware | 8x M10 suspension points | |
| Color | "Orange peeled" Matt Black or any RAL | |
| Physical Dimensions | | |
| Height | 510 mm (20.08") | |
| Width | 550 mm (21.65") | |
| Depth | 570 mm (22.44") | |
| Weight | 34.2 kg (75.4lbs) | |



Drawings





E5D 1.18 **SUBWOOFER 600Watts**

ESD1.18 - part number KVV 987 242



Application

Specifically designed as a passive subwoofer to accompany any of the ESD range to create true full range system performance

- Fixed installation
- Portable PA
- Bars-small entertainment projects
- Scalable into larger systems

Introduction

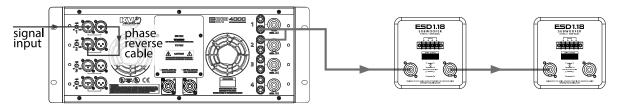
The ESD1.18 is a high output subwoofer. The ESD1.18 is a passive version of the active EX1.8, 18" subwoofer and features the same high quality neodymium driver. The unit provides a very firm foundation on which to build a powerful ESD system.

With a power handling of 1000 watts, the ESD1.18 is capable of delivering controlled bass response at very high output levels from a relatively small cabinet.

The ESD1.18 woofer is protected by a reverse thermal-circuit breaker (autoreset) and features a professional Baltic Birch construction with a wear resistant polymer coating and a specially designed handle for simplified handling and carrying. The ESD1.18 is also available in any RAL colour.

Connection

The ESD1.18 features both Speakon (NL4) connectors and a terminal block. The connectors are interconnected in parallel to allow the "daisy chaining" of additional ESD1.18's.



PARALLEL CONNECTION OF THE ESD1.18 (8 Ω) FROM THE BRIDGED ESP4000 - TOTAL IMPEDANCE 4 Ω

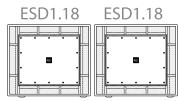
Configurations example:

2x ESD1.18 + 2x ESD12



ESD1.12



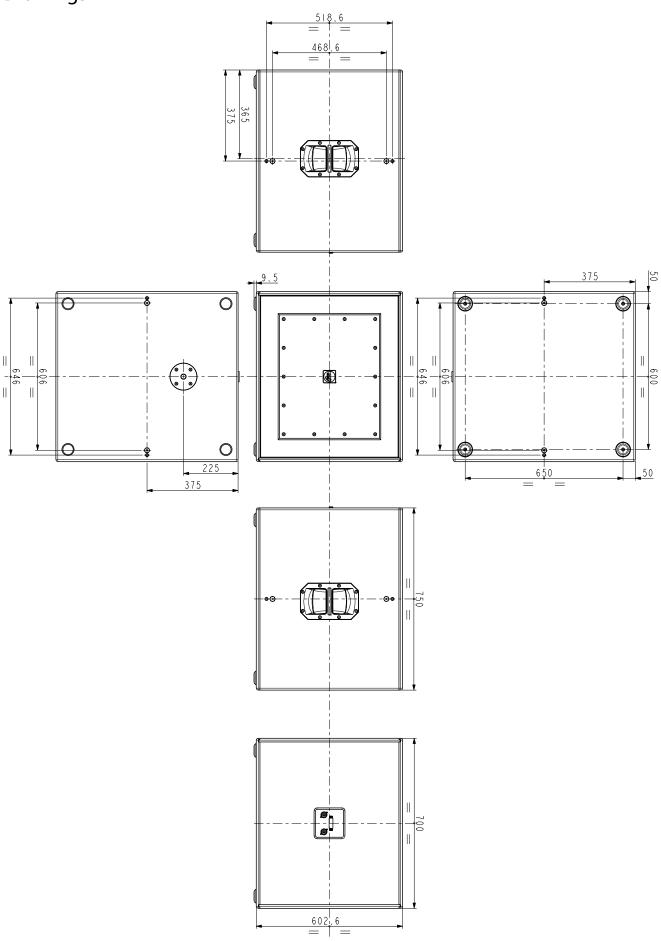


ESD1.12 + 1x ESD10 or 4x ESD6



Specifications

| System Acoustic Perfomance | | |
|--|---------------------------------------|--|
| Max SPL Long-term | 131dB | |
| Max SPL Peak | 134dB | |
| -3dB Response | 30Hz to 150Hz | |
| -10dB Response | 28Hz to 170Hz | |
| Recommended Power | 1000W | |
| Sensitivity | 100dB | |
| Impedance | 8Ω | |
| Crossover Point | 80 to 150Hz | |
| Low Frequency Section | | |
| Acoustic Design | Twin Asymmetrical loading | |
| Number of Drivers | 1 | |
| Woofer Size / Voice Coil Diameter / Design | 18" / 4" / Inside Outside | |
| Diaphragm Material | Epoxy Reinforced Cellulose | |
| Magnet Type | Neodymium | |
| Protection | Thermal breaker - autoreset | |
| Speaker Input | | |
| Speaker Input | 2x Neutrik Speakon®, Terminal Block | |
| Cabinet | | |
| Cabinet Material | Baltic birch | |
| Handles | 2 | |
| Pole Mount | M20 | |
| Color | "Orange peeled" Matt Black or any RAL | |
| Physical Dimensions | | |
| Height | 612 mm (24.1") | |
| Width | 700 mm (27.56") | |
| Depth | 750 mm (29.5") | |
| Weight | 52 kg (114.7lbs) | |



ESD1.18 · Drawings



Speaker pole - universal

part name:
KV2-H
part number:
KVV 987 130
description:
- Heavy duty telescopic speakerpole
- 0,735 to 1,23 m
- diameter 35 mm



Speakon speaker cable 4.15

part name:

weight 2,2 kgmax. load 50 kgbottom terminal M20

- matte black

CABLE SPEAKON 4.15

part number: **KVV 987 326**

description:

- 4 wire speaker cable
- Speakon NL4FX connectors
- 1,5m (5ft)



Speakon speaker cable 4.40

part name

CABLE SPEAKON 4.40

part number: **KVV 987 327**

description:

- 4 wire speaker cable
- Speakon NL4FX connectors
- 4m (13ft)



Speakon NL4 wiring

part name:
ESD, Speakon NL4 wiring

positive pin
(1+, 2+ parallel)

negative pin
(1-, 2- parallel)

2+ ----2+

Recommended speaker cable lenghts

| MINIMUM CROSS SECTION [mm²] | LENGTH [m], impedance 4Ω | LENGTH [m], impedance 8Ω | LENGTH [m], impedance 16Ω |
|-----------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| 1.5 | 8 | 15 | 30 |
| 2.5 | 15 | 30 | 60 |
| 2 x 2.5 | 20 | 40 | 90 |
| 4 | 25 | 50 | 100 |

ESD Series Subwoofers · Warranty · Service



Warranty

Your ESD is covered against defects in material and workmanship.

Refer to your supplier for more details.

Service

In the unlikely event that your ESD develops a problem, it must be returned to an authorised distributor, service centre or shipped directly to our factory. Because of the complexity of the design and the risk of electrical shock, all repairs must be attempted only by qualified technical personnel.

If the unit needs to be shipped back to the factory, it must be sent in its original carton. If improperly packed, the unit may be damaged.

To obtain service, contact your nearest KV2 Audio Service Centre, Distributor or Dealer.



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