

OWNER'S MANUAL ARCHITECTURAL SPEAKERS

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INTRODUCTION

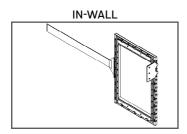
Thank you for purchasing Episode® speakers. To complete installation, follow these four main steps: Setup, Connect, Secure, and Fine Tune. Don't forget to plan! Visit our website for design recommendations and speaker calculators.

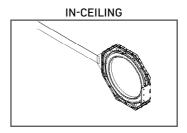
SETUP

NEW CONSTRUCTION INSTALL

Episode speaker installations can be simplified by using Episode Pre-Construction Brackets (sold separately). These are installed prior to drywall and allow for precise placement of the speaker.

Remember to secure the wiring within reach of the bracket for easy access.

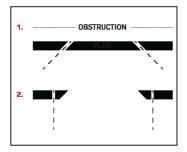


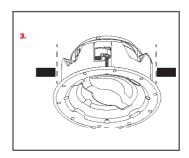


EXISTING CONSTRUCTION INSTALL

Use the supplied template to make a cutout for the speaker. If you are installing the speaker near adjacent objects, allow space for the bezel, or cut the hole in two steps before placing the speaker in the ceiling.

- 1. Cut the drywall at a 45° angle so that if the speaker is too close to an obstruction, you can easily 'plug' the hole.
- 2. If there are no obstructions, cut the drywall again, this time at a 90° angle.
- **3**. Insert the speaker into the cutout.



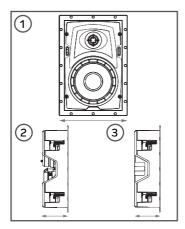


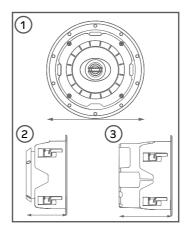
CUTOUT DIMENSIONS

Use the chart below to verify the correct dimensions if you do not have access to the cutout template.

Model	Cutout Dimension (1)	Depth without Rear Enclosure (2)	Depth with Rear Enclosure (3)
IC-4	6.17″	4.58″	5.88″
IC-6*	8.30″	4.75″	6.20″
IC-8	9.69″	5.15″	6.58″
IW-6	11.67″ x 7.63″	3.66″	3.75″
IW-8	13.73″ x 9.03″	3.66″	3.75″
LCR	14.38″ x 7.62″	3.75″	3.75″

*For POINT-IC-6 models, refer to IC-8 cutout dimensions





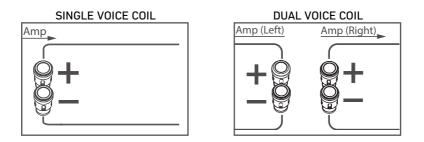
CONNECT

Strip the insulation on each conductor approximately $\frac{1}{4}$ and insert into the speaker terminals. Ensure that there are no stray strands of wire protruding from the connectors.

Observe proper polarity (+ to + and – to – for each speaker and at the amplifier).

When wiring a dual voice coil speaker, refer to the dual voice coil wiring configuration image below.

For help with impedance, system design ideas, or wiring recommendations, see our website or contact us.



SECURE

ENGAGE THE DOGS

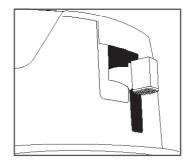
After inserting the speaker into the wall or ceiling opening, turn the screw for each of the dogs one quarter turn clockwise to engage the spring mechanism.

The speaker is now held in place, freeing up your hands so that you may continue to tighten the dogs safely.

TIGHTEN THE DOGS

Continue to tighten the dogs until you feel resistance, but do not overtighten. If using a drill, use a low-torque setting.





REMOVING THE SPEAKER



Important Note: When removing the speaker, the dogs must be engaged AND tightened before attempting removal. Failure to do so will result in the inability of the dog to retract to its parked position.

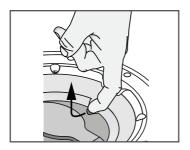
- 1. Turn each dog screw in a counter-clockwise direction until the dog is in its original parked position.
- 2. Once the dogs are disengaged, the speaker is easily removed from the ceiling or wall.



FINE TUNE

ADJUST THE TWEETER

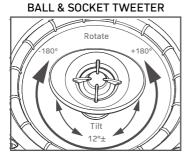
First, remove the protective installation cover by pulling up on the perforated hole on the outside edge.



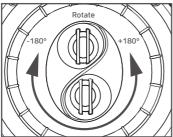
There are four different types of tweeter mechanisms illustrated below that may be used depending on the type of speaker. Tilt and/or rotate to direct sound where you prefer.

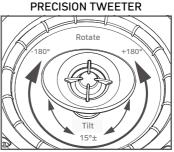


Important Note: Do not turn any tweeter past 360°. Over-rotating the tweeter may result in damage.

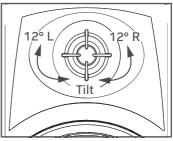


ROTATE ONLY TWEETER





TILT ONLY TWEETER



ADJUST THE SOUND

On the face of the speaker, there is a switch for sound adjustment that varies by the model and size of the speaker.

Treble/Bass Switch - Select + or -

Typically, in furnished rooms with various absorption materials (furniture, carpet, people, etc), it is good to bump up the response 1.5dB to '+'. In more reverberant rooms, it is typically better to back down the response -1.5dB to '-'.

Dialogue Enhancement Switch (LCR Only) - Select ON or OFF

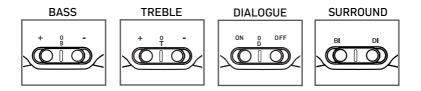
Select 'ON' for enhanced dialogue and more coherent speech.

Bipole/Dipole Switch (Surround Only) - Select BI or DI

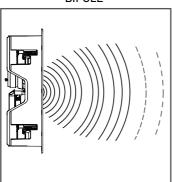
Bipole - Select for in-phase output in spacious rooms with a balanced speaker arrangement for a slightly more direct sound coming from the speaker.

Dipole - Select for out-of-phase output in rooms with a slightly deviated arrangement to imbue a more spacious, enveloping sound reverberating off the walls.

Note: Preference subject to opinion.







DIPOLE

NEED HELP? CALL TECH SUPPORT!

If you need further clarification, please feel free to call tech support at 1(800) 838-5052, or e-mail support@snapav.com. For other information, instructional videos, support documentation, or ideas, see our website, and visit your speaker's product page on http://www.snapav.com.

WARRANTY

Limited Lifetime Warranty

Episode[®] Signature speakers have a Lifetime Limited Warranty. This warranty includes parts and labor repairs on all components found to be defective in material or workmanship under normal conditions of use. This warranty shall not apply to products that have been abused, modified, or disassembled. Products to be repaired under this warranty must be returned to SnapAV or a designated service center with prior notification and an assigned return authorization number (RA).



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