Open-Ceiling Speaker Technical Information for System Engineers





Specifications: RS600i

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System Typ	e		6.5" Coax, open-ceiling, ported (33 Watt transformer for			
			25/70.7/100 Volt or voice coil/8 Ohm direct)			
Frequency Response (-3 dB) ¹			63 Hz - 22 kHz			
Low Frequency (-10 dB) ¹			45 Hz - 22 kHz			
Max. Program Power			180 Watts			
Max. Continuous Power RMS ²			90 Watts			
Max. UL Power Rating ³			60 Watts			
Max. SPL dB @ 1 M			110.5 dB			
Sensitivity dB @ 1W/1M ⁴			90.5 dB			
Impedance (nominal)			8 Ohm (nominal value)			
Coverage Angle (-6 dB @ 2 kHz)			135°			
Coverage Angle (-6 dB @ 10 kHz)			125°			
Directivity Factor (Q)			3.83 (Averaged 100 Hz - 10 kHz); 6.80 @ 2 kHz			
Directivity Index (DI)			5.00 dB (Averaged 100 Hz - 10 kHz); 4.79 dB @ 2 kHz			
Tap Selector			6-Position rotary switch with voice coil/8 Ohm direct			
Transforme	r Taps					
70.7 V	Output	100 V	Output	25 V	Output	
	105.5 dB	33 W	105.5 dB	5 W	97.5 dB	
17 W	103.0 dB	17 W	103.0 dB	2.5 W	94.5 dB	
9 W	100.0 dB	9 W	100.0 dB	1.3 W	91.5 dB	
6 W	98.5 dB	6 W	98.5 dB	0.63 W	88.5 dB	
3 W	95.5 dB					
Transducers						
Low Frequency Driver			1 x 165	1 x 165 mm (6.5 in) Polypropylene cone,		
			butyl rubber surround			
High Frequency Driver			25 mm	25 mm (1.0 in) Convex aluminum tweeter with waveguide		
Low Frequency Voice Coil			25 mm (1.0 in)			
Crossover Frequency			3 kHz	3 kHz		
Network Ty	pe					
Low Pass			12 dB p	12 dB per octave, 2nd order		
High Pass			12 dB per octave, 2nd order			
Enclosure Material			Injection molded ABS, glass fiber reinforced			
Motor Board			Cast aluminum			
Grille			Iridite-plated steel with powder-coat finish			
Inputs			4 Pin, 5 mm Euroblock for individual or daisy chain connection			
Colors			Black or	Black or white		
Height			363.6 m	363.6 mm / 14.31 in		
Diameter			307.3 mm / 12.10 in			

6.1 kG / 13.5 lbs

7.5 kG / 16.5 lbs

weather boot

1 Per box

¹ Frequency response is measured in half & full space and includes a low-frequency peak > + 3 dB.

Hanging hardware, Euroblock connector & terminal

Surface-Mount Bracket (AC-RS-SM6)

SoundTube continually develops new product innovations and improvements. Updates to existing

products without prior notice are an example of SoundTube's drive for constant improvement.

² Continuous power rating, EIA-426-B test.
³ UL testing specifies band-limited pink noise over the indicated frequency spectrum.

Mounting hardware included

- BroadBeam[®] waveguide technology delivers a consistent dispersion pattern up to 10 kHz for maximum coverage area per speaker (EASE[™]documented).
- One 165 mm (6.5 in) polypropylene woofer and one 25 mm (1.0 in) convex aluminum tweeter with FerroFluid[™] cooling mounted to a proprietary castaluminum M6[™] baffle and heat sink.
- Weatherized components for indoor & outdoor applications.
- Includes hanging hardware with aircraft cables and integrated SpeedClamp[™] self-locking cable grip for fast, easy & secure installation. Also includes Euroblock connector & terminal weather boot.
- Patented ZeroReflection[™] enclosure technology for optimal sound reproduction & cabinet rigidity.
- Easy access 6-position selectable tap switch for 25, 70.7 and 100 Volt applications with voice coil/8 Ohm direct simplifies ordering and inventory tracking.
- Iridite-plated steel grille with protective powder-coated finish for lasting durability.
- 90.5 dB average sensitivity offers highoutput capabilities & reduced amplification costs.
- UL 1480 rev. 5, CE (EMC Directive 89/ 366/EEC, EN55020, EN55013 & IEC529 approval pending. Milspec 810 approved.
- Optional accessory: AC-RS-SM6 bracket for surface-mount applications.
- High-quality black or white paint finish. Custom paint colors optional.

Description

The RS600i is a 6.5" 2-way speaker with an open-ceiling enclosure design that delivers effective low-end response (45 Hz) and optimal off-axis performance (up to 10 kHz, EASETM documented). SoundTube's proprietary BroadBeam® waveguide tweeter system delivers consistent high-performance audio across the operating bandwidth. The RS600i speaker design incorporates a low-profile grille, proprietary M6[™] motor-board, driver protection circuitry and a 6-position tap switch with voice coil/8 Ohm direct. Hanging hardware is included & features SpeedClamp[™] self-locking cable grip for fast, easy & secure installation.

Weight

Shipping Weight

⁴ 2.83 Volts at a distance of 1 meter.

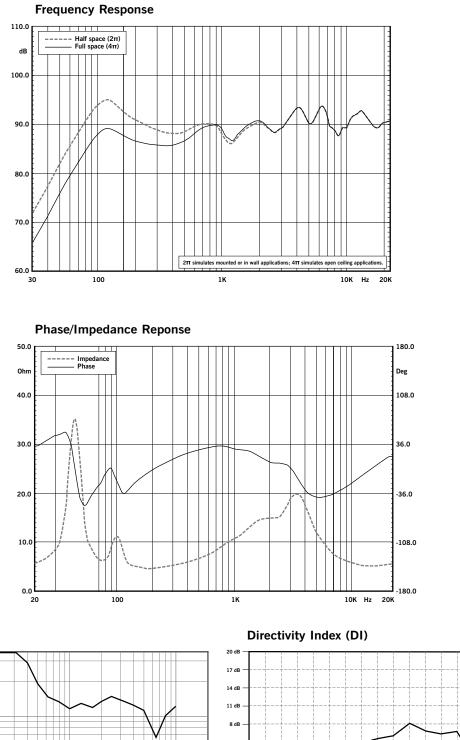
Accessories

Included

Optional

Packaging







1,000 Hz

Beamwidth (-6dB)

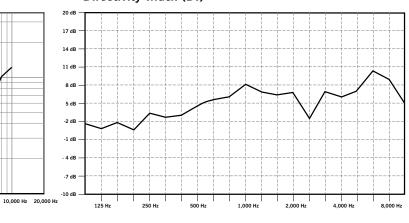
100 Hz

360

100

10°

20 Hz





Applications

Designed for indoor & outdoor background to mid-level SPL applications, the RS600i includes a single-point mounting system for rapid open-ceiling installations with an optional SM6 bracket for surface-mount applications. The broad dispersion pattern (45 Hz -10 kHz, EASETM documented) and high sensitivity (90.5 dB 1W/1M) make the RS600i speaker ideal for retail, restaurants, grocery stores, hotels, casinos, fitness centers, conference rooms, big box stores, museums, trade shows & airports and other open-ceiling applications. For applications where additional bass is required, SoundTube's RS801i 8" subwoofer provides bass down to 40 Hz.

BroadBeam® Wide **Dispersion Technology**

Polar Plots

More than 3 years in development, SoundTube's proprietary BroadBeam® technology incorporates a high-frequency waveguide mated to a 1" convex aluminum tweeter. The BroadBeam® high-frequency waveguide delivers a consistent dispersion pattern across the upper registers of the frequency

spectrum (up to 10 kHz, EASE[™] documented). The result is an audio system with fewer speakers, reduced power needs, shorter installation time and cost savings on shipping & labor.

Patented SoundTube Technologies

SoundTube Entertainment is constantly developing new technologies that enhance audio product performance. SoundTube Entertainment innovations are protected by multiple U.S. & international patents, which explicitly cover SoundTube dispersion, enclosure & dome technologies. SoundTube Entertainment actively defends its patents in order to protect SoundTube resellers and end users.

Technical Data and **Specification Tools**

Technical Data

SoundTube Entertainment strives to provide complete and effective technical information and data to dealers, engineers and designers. All data are available from SoundTube Entertainment or at www.soundtube.com.

Data Acquisition

All performance data acquired at SoundTube's Technical Measurement Center (TMC) are analyzed using a variety of standard measurement techniques, including Measured Length Sequence (MLS) and Time Delay Spectrometry (TDS). Performance, development and data acquisition tools include: Gold Line TEF 20, CLIO, LMS, LEAP, and proprietary modeling software. EASE[™] data are acquired through an automated TEF 20/Outline/EASE[™] interface.

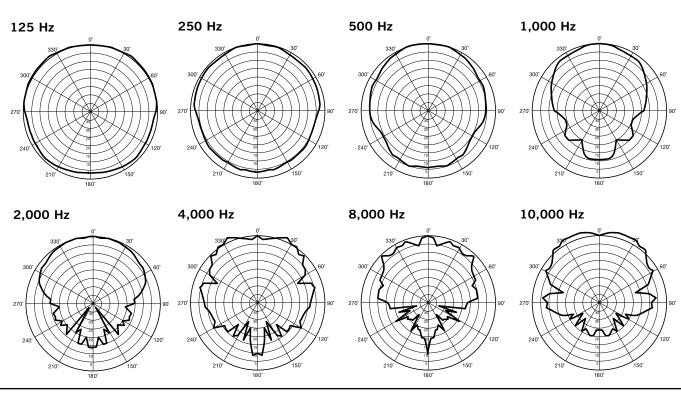
EASE™ Data – 3-D polar plots.

SoundTubeSPEC™ – Proprietary SoundTube speaker placement software.

Architectural Specifications

The loudspeaker shall consist of a 165 mm (6.5 in) low-frequency transducer and a 25 mm (1.0 in) high-frequency transducer with a crossover network installed in the ported enclosure. The low-frequency voice coil diameter shall be 25 mm (1.0 in).

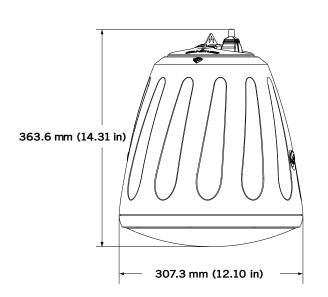
Performance specifications of a typical production unit shall be as follows: Useable frequency response shall extend



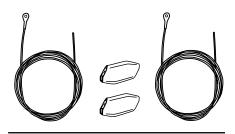
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Mechanical Drawings



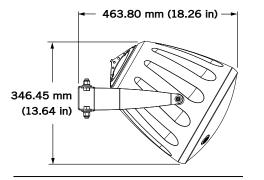
Included Accessories



Hanging Hardware: Main & Safety Cables w/ SpeedClamp™

SoundTube's hanging cable kit incorporates hanging & safety cables & fasteners for an integrated and easy-to-install system. Hanging & safety cables are infinitely adjustable to 2.74 M (9.0 ft).

Optional Accessory



Surface-Mount Bracket (AC-RS-SM6)



from 45 Hz – 22 kHz (-10 dB, half space, no external equalization). Measured sensitivity (2.83 Volt input, 1 meter) shall be at least 90.5 dB. The speaker shall have a nominal impedance of 8 Ohms and be available for 25, 70.7 & 100 Volt modes with voice coil/8 Ohm direct. The frequency-dividing network shall have a crossover frequency of 3 kHz with slopes of 12 dB per octave (2nd order) for both low & high pass filters. Rated power capacity shall be at least 90 Watts continuous power (RMS) and conform to EIA-426-B testing. Maximum continuous output at 1 meter shall be 110.5 dB.

The low-frequency transducer shall have a polypropylene cone with butyl rubber surround. The high-frequency transducer shall be constructed of aluminum with a proprietary BroadBeam[®] waveguide.

Installation for the RS600i shall be by aircraft cable affixed to the speaker chassis via a carabiner. For seismic & safety redundancy, a secondary aircraft cable shall be included and attach to the speaker chassis via #10 bolt. The external wiring input connector shall be a 4-pin, 5 mm Euroblock for 8 Ohm or distributed systems and shall accept from 10 – 22 gauge wire. The system shall have a weatherresistant boot covering all wire connectors.

The enclosure shall be constructed of injection-molded, mineral-filled, glass- reinforced ABS. The grille shall be constructed of iridite-plated, powder-coated steel for lasting performance in the elements. Overall cabinet dimensions shall be no more than 363.6 mm (14.31 in) in height by 307.3 mm (12.10 in) in diameter. The RS600i shall include hanging hardware, Euroblock connector & weather-resistant terminal boot.

The system shall be the SoundTube RS600i with hanging hardware for both low & high impedance applications.

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