

# A-Bus by MTX Audio<sup>™</sup>

A-Bus was created to simply and affordably distribute music in commercial and home applications. A-Bus works with inexpensive 8-conductor (CAT5) wire to distribute audio, infrared, status and system power to the A-Bus in-wall controller / amplifier.

### **A-Bus Hubs**

The A-Bus Hubs are the core component of the distribution system. The hub is responsible for distributing audio signal, system power, and status indication to A-Bus power modules installed in rooms throughout the installation. Hubs are also capable of sending IR commands from the power modules back to the source components. Hubs are usually located near the main sound system (Amplifier/Receiver, CD, DVD, Tape, Cable, etc.). ABUS-HUB1X2 has 1 input and 2 zone outputs, ABUS-HUB1X4 has 1 input and 4 zone outputs available on 8 output ports. Each hub includes an expansion port (IN/OUT) so multiple hubs can be connected to expand the system.

#### A-Bus Powered Wall Mount Volume Controls

The MTX Audio ABUS-VC2 volume control power module is specifically designed for use with the ABUS-HUB1x2, ABUS-HUB1X4 and ABUS-HUB4X8 Hubs. The ABUS-VC3 Keypad Volume Control Module was designed to work with the ABUS-HUB4X8 intelligent A-Bus Multi-Source Multi-Zone Hub using standard A-Bus commands to provide volume control and source selection. Both models incorporate a stereo amplifier with a level control that can power a pair of speakers in each room. Units come packaged with three colors of Decora style wall plates, inserts, and buttons (white, ivory, and bone). Volume control systems include "credit card" sized remote for zone On/Off, source selection and level control.

# ABUS-LS1

Local Input Module provides input capability for sources such as TV sound, MP3 player, computer sound cards, etc. located in the zone. The Local Input Module, ABUS-LS1, automatically switches to the local input when a local source is detected. 30 seconds after the local source ceases, the Local Input Module automatically reverts to the main input source.

# ABUS-MS1

Use with ABUS-HUB1X4 to expand single source input to 4 inputs.

# ABUS-40

Four amp power supply – only required for ABUS-HUB4x8 to provide power to port outputs 5-8.



