# IW31-EZ In-Wall Speaker

Technical Information for System Engineers





#### Specifications: IW31-EZ

System Type	3-inch full-range, in-wall (10-watt transformer for 25/70.7/100		
	volt or transformer bypass)		
Impedance (nominal) 1	8 ohm		
Sensitivity dB @ 2.83 V/1 m	85.5 dB		
Sensitivity dB @ 1 W/1 m <sup>2</sup>	85.5 dB		
Frequency Response (- 3 dB) 3	190 Hz - 14 kHz		
Frequency Response (-10 dB) 3	115 Hz - 22 kHz		
Max. Program Power <sup>4</sup>	40 W		
Max. Continuous Power RMS <sup>5</sup>	20 W		
Max. Power SPL @ 1 m 6	98.5 dB		
Coverage Angle (-6 dB @ 2 kHz)	180°		
Coverage Angle (-6 dB @ 10 kHz)	45°		
Coverage Angle (averaged from 2 to	120°		
10 kHz)			
Directivity Factor (Q)	4.5 (averaged 100Hz - 10kHz), 2.8 (2kHz)		
Directivity Index (DI) dB	5.5 (averaged 100Hz - 10kHz), 4.4 (2kHz)		
Tap Selector (transformer accessory	Six-position rotary switch or transformer bypass		
only)			
Transducer - Full-Range Driver	76.1 mm (3.0 in.) Polypropylene driver with butyl rubber sur-		
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Low Frequency Voice Coil	19.0 mm (0.75 in.)		
Enclosure Material	ABS baffle, steel backcan		
Grille	Corrosion-resistant, powder-coated aluminum		
Inputs	Hardwire lead		
Colors	White		
Backcan Height	88.9 mm (3.50 in.)		
Visible Height	127.0 mm (5.00 in.)		
Visible Width	127.0 mm (5.00 in.)		
Weight	1.4 kg (3 lbs.)		
Shipping Weight	1.8 kg (4 lbs.)		
Packaging	One per box		
Included Accessories	Conduit connector, paint mask and wire nuts		
Optional Accessories	Pre-construction bracket (AC-IW3-PCB), Theft-resistant stain		
	less steel grille (AC-IW3-TRG), 10-inch powered subwoofer		
	(SM1001p)		
Regulatory - UL	UL 1480 (UEAY) and 2043 approved		
Regulatory - CE	Approved		
RoHS	Approved		
	Transformer Taps		

## 1 Impedance listed per IEC 60268-5 with a mini-

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> Max output based on max continuous power

70.7 V	Output	100 V Output		25 V Output	
10 W	95.5 dB	10 W	95.5 dB	1.3 W	86.5 dB
5 W	92.5 dB	5 W	92.5 dB	0.7 W	84.0 dB
2.5 W	89.5 dB	2.5 W	89.5 dB	0.4 W	81.5 dB
1.3 W	86.5 dB	1 W	86.5 dB	0.2 W	78.5 dB
0.7 W	84.0 dB			0.1 W	75.5 dB

## **Key Features**

- One 3-inch (76.1 mm) full-range high-extrusion, high-fidelity polypropylene driver with butyl rubber surround.
- Weatherized components for indoor/outdoor applications.
- Rapid installation, blind-mount fixed-wing mounting mechanism with constant tension design affixing to wall thicknesses ranging from 0.1 inch (2.5 mm) to 1.5 inch (38.1
- Shallow 3.5-inch deep all steel backcan with integrated backcan, driver and baffle configuration.
- Ultra-compact design with a total visible footprint of 5-inch square.
- Corrosion-resistant, powder-coated aluminum grille with snap fit attachment
- UL 1480 (UEAY) and 2043 approved.
- High quality black or white paint finish.
- Included accessories: Conduit connector, paint mask and wire nuts.
- Optional accessories: Pre-construction bracket (AC-IW3-PCB), theft-resistant stainless steel grille (AC-IW3-TRG) and 10-inch powered subwoofer (SM1001p).

## Description

The IW31-EZ is a premium full-range 3-inch in-wall speaker for applications requiring 8 ohm or distributed audio solutions. The IW31-EZ incorporates a low profile grille with a total visible footprint of 5-inch square and an integrated backcan and driver design for an ultra compact installations in wall plates. The in-wall speaker includes a six-position tap switch with a transformer bypass position. Mounting hardware is included and features a fast and secure constant tension SpeedWing™ mounting system. All components in the IW31-EZ are completely weatherized for indoor and outdoor applications.

### **Applications**

Engineered for rapid installation and low profile mounting for smaller venues, the IW31-EZ is ideal for retail, restaurants, conference rooms, educational facilities, transportation hubs, correctional facilities or any setting where full-range intelligibility, low profile design and in-wall installation ease are paramount. For additional bass response down to 41 Hz (- 10 dB), the SM1001p powered 10-inch subwoofer may be incorporated.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> 1 W 1 m sensitivity determined using nominal impedance

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Frequency response measured in half or full space as dictated by speaker mounting configuration

<sup>4</sup> Max program power is 3 dB above max continuous power

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Continuous power rating, EIA-426-B test



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## 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.

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EASE™ data – 3-D polar plots.

EASE™ Address – 2-D modeling for distributed systems

Autodesk® Revit® software

Tech Sheets - Technical information and architectural specs for system engineers

SoundTubeSPEC™ - Proprietary speaker placement software

### Acquisition and Verification

All data for SoundTube speakers are independently collected from and verified by NWAA Labs (www.nwaalabs.com) using their proprietary MACH testing system. All data are collected and analyzed according to ASTM, ISO and AES standards using EASERA, TEF and MLSSA. Full balloon data including both phase and magnitude is compiled into a variety of formats including EASE 4.x, GLL and CLF.

## **Architectural Specifications**

The loudspeaker shall consist of one full-range 76.2 mm (3.0 in.) polypropylene driver with butyl rubber surround. The lowfrequency voice coil diameter shall be 19.0 mm (0.75 in.).

Performance specifications for a typical production unit shall be as follows: Useable frequency response shall extend from 115

Hz - 22 kHz (- 10 dB). Measured sensitivity (2.83 volt input, 1 meter) shall be at least 85.5 dB. The speaker shall have a nominal impedance of 8 ohms. The speaker shall be available for 25-, 70.7- and 100-volt modes and shall include a six-position tap switch with a transformer bypass position. Rated power capacity shall be at least 20 watts continuous (RMS) and conform to EIA-426-B. Maximum continuous power output at 1 meter shall be 98.5 dB.

The full-range transducer shall have a polypropylene cone with butyl rubber surround.

Installation for the speaker shall be by two-screw, blind-mount, constant tension winged assembly and shall attach to wall thicknesses ranging from 2.5 mm (0.1 in.) to 38.1 mm (1.5 in.). The fixed-wing assembly shall be constructed of steel. The external wiring shall be by hardwire lead.

The maximum backcan dimensions shall be no more than 88.9 mm (3.5 in.) in height. The maximum visible dimension shall be no more than 127.0 mm (5.00 in.) in height by 127.0 mm (5.00 in.) in width. The system shall be for indoor/outdoor applications.

The enclosure shall be constructed of steel. The grille shall be constructed of powder-coated aluminum for lasting performance and affix to the speaker baffle via snap fit. For theft prevention and durability, an optional stainless steel grille with stainless steel one-way screws is available (AC-IW3-TRG).

The system shall be the IW31-EZ for lowor high-impedance applications.

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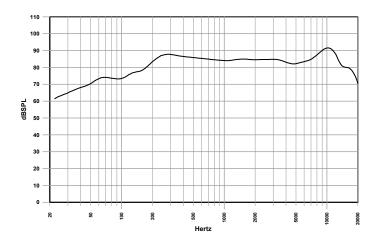
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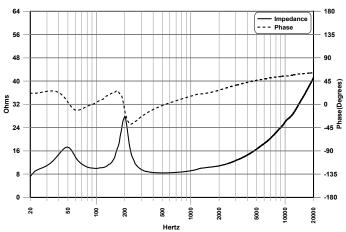


## **Graphs and Plots**

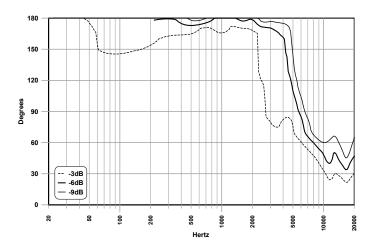
## Frequency Response



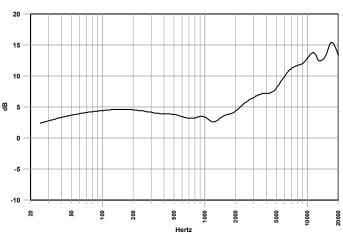
### Phase/Impedance Response



## Vertical Beamwidth (-6 dB)

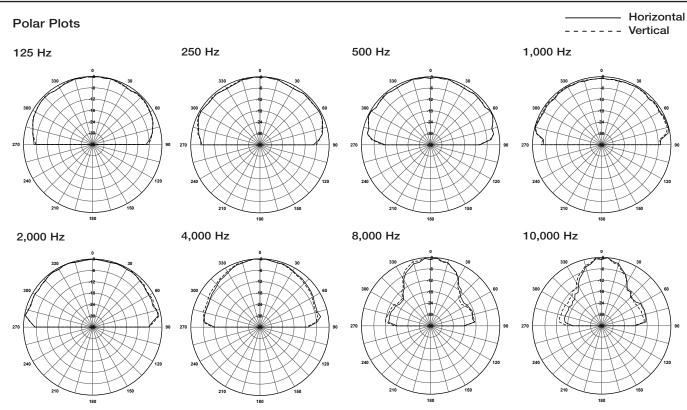


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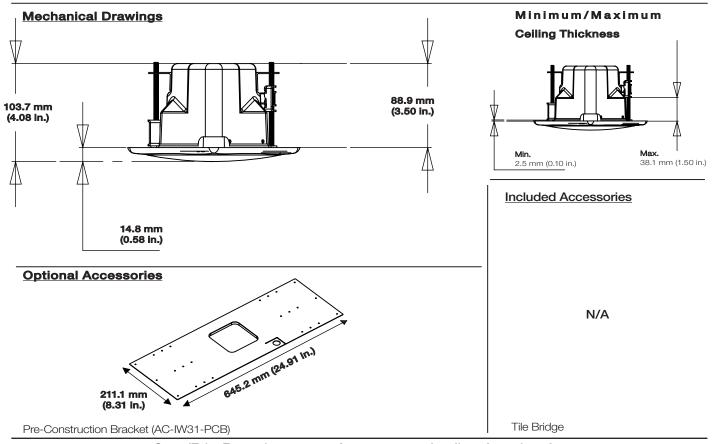


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