## **Technical Data Sheet**

# CMS 803DCQ



### Features

- Advanced new Dual Concentric driver design utilizing Omnimagnet technology
- Torus Ogive Waveguide device for improved broadband directivity
- Tight, uniform 70 degree dispersion pattern for high-ceiling applications
- · Improved time alignment and phase coherence, delivering even better sonic performance
- · High power and high sensitivity with extended frequency response and very low distortion
- Improved LF performance for applications where genuine bottom-end is a must
- Low insertion-loss, 60 Watt line transformer for a more powerful and dynamic performance
- Convenient front-tapping switch for settings
- · Magnetically-adhering grille system for easy custom painting and optional Arco designer grilles for minimal architectural impact
- Five-clamp self-aligning system
- UV resistant baffle and grille
- · Packaged with classic grille, tile rails and C-ring for quick and easy installation and simple stocking logistics

### **Applications**

- Voice Alarm Systems
- Multizone Foreground Music & Paging Systems
- Boardrooms & Offices
- Business Music Systems
- Airports, Convention Centres, Hotels
- Reception / Waiting Rooms
- · Houses of Worship
- Retail Outlets / Shopping Malls
- Lounges / Bars
- Cruise Ships
- Courtrooms

### Product description

The Tannoy CMS 803DCQ is a full bandwidth, high power-handling and high sensitivity loudspeaker built around CMS 3.0 - the third generation of Tannoy's revolutionary Ceiling Monitor System technology. The new "Q" variant, designed specifically for high-ceiling applications, incorporates a proprietary waveguide design with a tight, uniform 70-degree conical dispersion pattern.

Based on an all-new evolution of Tannoy's proprietary Dual Concentric point-source driver, the CMS 803DCQ has been fundamentally re-engineered to deliver wider and more consistent broadband directivity, even greater intelligibility, and a more accurate and linear response. The new Dual Concentric driver design features revolutionary Omnimagnet™ technology and unique patentpending Torus Ogive Waveguide™ device for more consistent directivity along with improved high frequency response. Improved time-alignment and greater coherence between LF and HF results in a wider sweet spot for enhanced performance both on- and off-axis. The re-designed baffle provides a subtle extension to the waveguide effect for additional sonic benefits.

The CMS 803DCQ also features extra clamp extension to accommodate thicker ceiling panels, and a locking design that prevents inadvertent over-screwing. Magnetic grille attachment enables easy removal and fitting for custom painting and tapping changes with grilles now available as either traditional style (inset in bezel) or new Arco™ style which conceals the entire unit for more architectfriendly aesthetic appeal.

The CMS 803DCQ utilizes a 16 ohm driver, making it ideal for use in high performance low-impedance systems (with optimized performance when used in conjunction with Lab.gruppen LUCIA amplifiers). A low-insertion loss 60 W transformer is included, with convenient front bezel switching for taps at 60 W, 30 W and 15 W, with an additional 7.5 W tap for traditional constant voltage systems.

The CMS 803DCQ is supplied with an integral, zinc plated steel back-can with an integrated, recessed termination box. The removable locking connector has screw terminals for secure wire termination and loop-thru facility. Strain relief is provided by a clamping mechanism for use with plenum-rated cable or conduit, while the new design's spring-loaded and self-aligning clamps make for even guicker and easier installation. Products are supplied with classic grille, two tile support rails and one C-ring; Arco grille and plaster (mud) ring are available as optional accessories.

### **Physical data**

Bezel diameter: Front of ceiling to rear of backcan:

319.0 mm (12.56") 310.5 mm (12.22") Hole Cutout Diameter: 295.0 mm (11.61") Front of ceiling to top of safety loop:

327.7 mm (12.90")



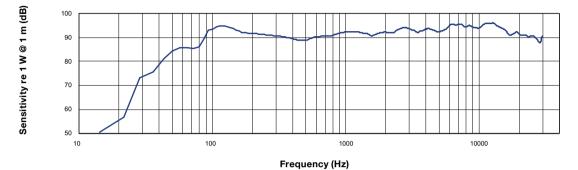






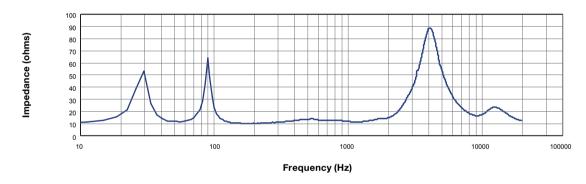
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#### 1 m on-axis Frequency Response



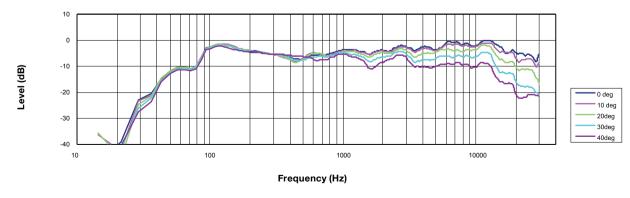
**Anechoic Frequency Response** 

#### Impedance vs frequency



#### Impedance

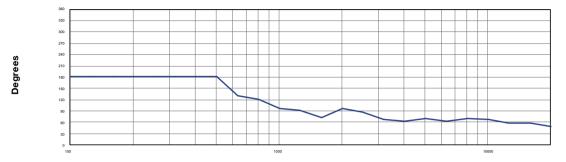
#### **Off-axis Frequency Response**



#### **Off Axis Response**

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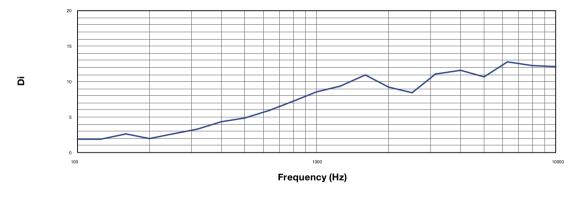
#### **Beamwidth vs Frequency**



Frequency (Hz)

Beamwidth

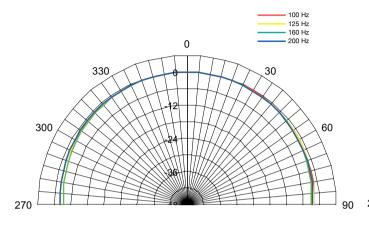
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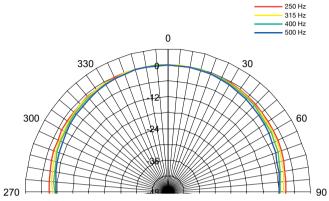


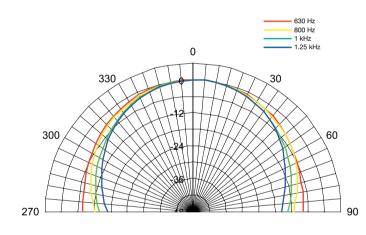
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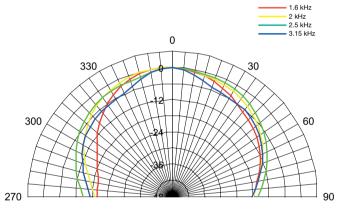
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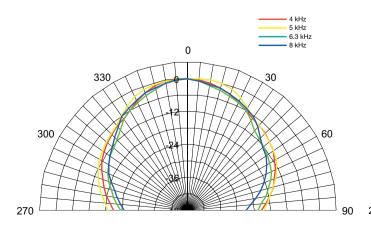
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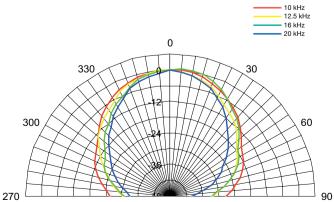












## **Technical Data Sheet** Specifications

## CMS 803DCQ

Performance Frequency response (-3 dB) <sup>(1)</sup>	47 Hz - 30 kHz	Ordering Information	0.1	
Frequency range (-10 dB) <sup>(1)</sup>	47 Hz - 35 kHz	Part Number	Colour	
	93 dB (1 W = 4 V for 16 Ohms)	8001 7490		
System sensitivity (1 W @ 1 m) <sup>@</sup> Nominal Coverage Angle	60 degrees conical	CMS 803DCQ	White /	
Power Handling <sup>(3)</sup>	ou degrees conical		Paintable	
Average	90 W	8001 4650		
Programme	180 W	CMS 803	Zinc Plate	
Programme Peak	360 W	Plaster (Mud) Ring	Steel	
Recommended Amplifier Power	180 W @ 16 ohms	8001 7900		
Nominal Impedance (Lo, Z)	16 ohms	CMS 803 Arco Grille	White / Paintable	
Rated maximum SPL			Paintable	
Average	113 dB			
Peak	119 dB			
With THP60 - Average	111 dB		$\frown$	
Transformer Taps (via front rotary switch)			(Vı)	
70 V	60 W (83 Ω) / 30 W (165 Ω) / 15 W (330 Ω) / 7.5 W (660 Ω) / OFF & low impedance operation			
100 V	60 W (165 Ω) / 30 W (330 Ω) / 15 W (660 Ω) /		<b>LISTED</b> JL-1480.	
	OFF & low impedance operation		JL-1480, JL-2043	
High Frequency	25 mm (1.00") PEI dome	1 metre on axis		
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Physical		<ol> <li>Long term power handling in EIA - 426B test</li> </ol>	capacity as defined	
Enclosure				
Backcan	Zinc plated steel	A full range of measurements, pe	erformance data,	
Baffle	Reflex loaded UL 94V-0 rated ABS	CLF and Ease™ Data for CMS 80	03DCQ can be	
Grille	Steel, with weather resistant coating	downloaded from www.tannoypr	ro.com.	
Safety Features	Safety ring located at rear of enclosure for load bearing safety bond			
Clamping Design	Security toggle clamp	Tannoy operates a policy of conti and development. The introduction		
	Min / Max clamping range 9.5 mm (0.37") /	or manufacturing methods may in		
	60 mm (2.36")	in actual performance; however,	actual performar	
Cable Entry Ontions	Recommended clamp torque: 1.5 Nm	always will equal or exceed the p		
Cable Entry Options	Cable clamp & squeeze connector for conduit up to 22 mm	specifications, which Tannoy rese	-	
Connectors	Removable locking connector with screw terminals with "loop through" facility	alter without prior notice. Please specifications when dealing with		
Compliance	UL-1480, UL-2043, CE	specifications when dealing with	спасагарріїСаці	
Dimensions	,	Copyright (c) 2015 Tannoy Limited	d. All rights reserv	
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