DesignMax DM8C

in-ceiling loudspeaker



Product Overview

DesignMax loudspeakers bring outstanding audio and aesthetics to any commercial space. Delivering SPL suitable for foreground music, The 125-watt DesignMax DM8C features a two-way, 8-inch coaxially mounted woofer and a center-firing 1-inch compression driver, delivering 50 Hz - 20 kHz frequency range. The DM8C is installed easily via QuickHold mounting arms. And with both black and white versions available, the DMC is easy to integrate with any décor.



Key Features

Deliver instantly impressive sound with custom Bose drivers — no DSP or EQ required. For even better sound, use select Bose DSPs and amplifiers to enable Bose loudspeaker EQ and SmartBass processing, which expands performance and response at any listening level

Blend into any room design with elegant form factors, minimum-bezel grilles available in black or white, and removable logos **Reduce installation time** with the patented QuickHold mounting system, which also reduces strain, hassle, and the chance of product damage

Install easily — includes Euroblock connectors; plenum-rated backcan, tile-bridge, and front-access audio wiring that makes installation and troubleshooting easier

Deliver high SPL for demanding applications, including high-ceiling venues such as ballrooms, concourses, and convention centers

Technical Specifications

SINGLE LOUDSPEAKER PERFORMANCE		
Frequency Response (-3 dB) (1)	65 - 20,000 Hz	
Frequency Range (-10 dB)	50 - 20,000 Hz	
Nominal Coverage Angle (2)	115° conical	
	Bose extended-lifecycle test (4)	AES transducer test (6)
Power Handling, long-term continuous	125 W	150 W
Power Handling, peak	500 W	600 W
Sensitivity (SPL/1W @ 1 m) (3)	96 dB	96 dB
Calculated Maximum SPL @ 1 m (4)	117 dB	117 dB
Calculated Maximum SPL @ 1 m, peak	123 dB	124 dB
Crossover	1.4 kHz (passive 2-way crossover)	
Loudspeaker EQ	Not Required, Bose EQ voicings and SmartBass processing available	
Recommended High-Pass Protection	48 Hz with minimum 12 dB / octave filter	
Overload protection	Resistor-network power reduction with automatic reset	
Transformer taps	70V: 2.5, 5, 10, 20, 40, 80 W, bypass 100V: 5, 10, 20, 40, 80 W, bypass	
TRANSDUCERS	,	
Low Frequency	1 x 8-inch woofer (203 mm)	
High Frequency	1 x 1-inch compression driver, coaxial center-firing (25 mm)	
Nominal Impedance	8 ohms (transformer bypass)	

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PHYSICAL		
Enclosure Material	Engineered plastics front baffle with integrated steel formed backcan	
Grille	Magnetically attached perforated steel, powder-coated finish, paintable, with safety-tether	
Logo	Rotatable, removable	
Color	Black: RAL 9005, White: Bose Artic White, similar to RAL 9003, Paintable	
Environmental / Ingress-Protection	Indoor only	
Safety Agency	UL-1480A, S5591/ UL Listed, in compliance with UL2043 for plenum-space installation, NFPA70 & NFPA90-A, in accordance with IEC60268-5, ROHS, CE compliant	
Operating Temperature Range	0 to 50 °C (32 °F to 122 °F)	
Connectors	Euroblock 6-pin connector with loop-through, front-baffle mounted. Accepts 18 AWG (0.8 mm²) to 14 AWG (2.5 mm²) size wire	
Wire / Conduit Entry	Single top wire entry point allows for 9.5 mm (3/8") conduit	
Suspension / Mounting	Three (3) QuickHold, spring-loaded mounting arms plus Three (3) safety cable locations	
Product Dimensions (Grille Diameter x Depth)	409 x 255 mm (16.1" x 10")	
Backcan Dimensions (Diameter x Depth)	329 x 240 mm (13" x 9.4")	
Cutout size [Diameter]	349 mm (13.75")	
Maximum Ceiling Thickness	76 mm (3.0 in)	
Net Weight, Loudspeaker with Grille	9.57 kg (21.1 lbs)	
Net Weight, Tile Bridge	TBD	
Shipping Weight, Single	10.57 kg (23.3 lb)	
Included Accessories	Adjustable Tile-Bridge, Template	
Optional Accessories	Rough-in 6-pack for new construction	
PRODUCT CODES		
802080-0110	DM8C DesignMax DESIGNMAX, DM8C, SINGLE, BLK	
802080-0210	DM8C DesignMax DESIGNMAX, DM8C, SINGLE, WHT	

(1) Frequency response and range measured on-axis in half-space environment with Bose EQ Voicing
(2) 1 khz to 10 khz average
(3) Sensitivity measured on-axis in half-space environment with Bose EQ voicing
(4) Maximum SPL calculated from sensitivity and power handling specifications, exclusive of power compression.
(5) Bose extended-lifecycle test using pink noise filtered to meet IEC268-5, 6-dB crest factor, 500-hour duration.
(6) AES standard 2-hour duration with IEC system noise

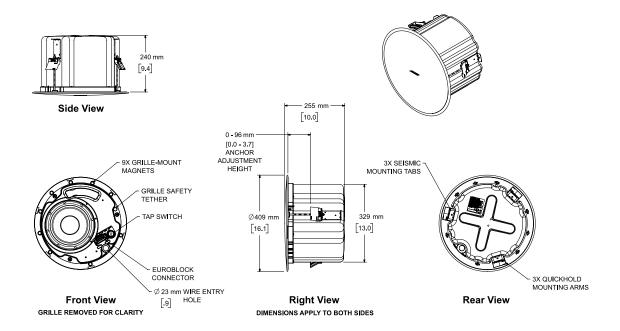


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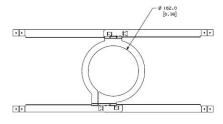
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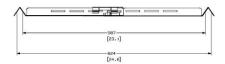
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Dimensions



- NOTES: 1. DIMENSIONS ARE IN MILLIMETERS OVER INCHES 2. WEIGHT APPROX 9.6kg [21.1lbs]





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