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**SUBWOOFER**

**ATX1615**

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## **ATX SERIES**

### **CAR AUDIO SUBWOOFERS**

**Congratulations on your purchase of the new Autotek ATX Series High Power subwoofer system.**

**The ATX subwoofer series offer superior sonic accuracy, intense high power sound quality with exotic build materials and outstanding good looks.**

**These subwoofers are ideal for high power listening levels as well as high SPL competition.**

- **3" DVC 2-Ohm High-Temp Black Aluminum Former**
- **1" Tall Roll Polyester Foam Surround For Long Excursion**
- **Large Air Cooled 160 oz. Double Stack Magnet Assembly**
- **Double Laminated Poly Cotton Spider w/ Woven Tinsel Leads**
- **FEA Structured Glass Impregnated Paper Cone**
- **Nickel Plated Push & Insert Speaker Terminals**
- **Full Press Pulp Paper Dust Cap w/ Silk Screen**
- **Heat Dispersing Ported Back Plate**
- **Ultra Ridged Aluminum Die Cast Basket w/ White Chrome Finish**
- **20mm Top Magnet Plate w/ White Chrome Finish**

**As with all high quality car audio products, we recommend professional installation by an authorised Autotek dealer. Your dealers knowledge and experience can ensure a problem free and cosmetically integrated installation.**

**If you choose to install the subwoofers yourself, please read the entire manual very carefully.**

# SUBWOOFER INSTALLATION AND WIRING DIRECTIONS

## Enclosure Materials

Typically, 5/8" or 3/4" MDF (Medium Density Fiber Board) is best for most applications. 3/4" MDF is recommended.

## Enclosure Build Materials

Connecting joints need to be glued and screwed to ensure no air escapes and joints do not separate under high pressure. Mitered and rabbit joints also help to ensure the enclosure joints are secure.

## Bracing

Internal bracing is also recommended to prevent flexing and to strengthen the enclosure.

**Note:** The volume taken up by the bracing should be added to the total enclosure interior volume.

There are two common bracing methods.

1. **Corner Bracing:** These help prevent the connection joints from separating under heavy vibration and air pressure.

Use 1' x 1" MDF at all interior joints

2. **Diagonal Bracing:** These internal braces connect the top side to the bottom side as well front side to back side. This prevents the wood from bowing or pushing outwards.

Use 1" x 2" with 1" surface contact that is glued and screwed.

## Wiring

**Wiring Parallel, Series or Parallel/Series will affect the final impedance at the amp and great care must be taken to ensure the amp is not driven below its intended impedance capabilities.**

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## Parameters

Wiring	Parallel	Coils
NomZ	1	Ohm
Sd	0.085	sqM
Revc	1	Ohm
BL	11	TxM
Vas	101	Liters
Cms	98.58	uM/N
Mms	270	Grams
Fs	30.85	Hz
Qms	3.8	
Qes	0.433	
Qts	0.388	
no	0.662	%
SPL @ 1W	90.36	dB
Xmax	20	mm
Rms	1600	Watts
Maxx	3200	Watts

\*\*NOT RECOMMENDED FOR CLOSED BOX DESIGNS (SEALED)\*\*

## Vented Box Designs

### Standard Tight Bass

Box Volume	2.6	Cubic Feet
Fb	44	Hz
Port Size (Height)	13	Inches
Port Size (Width)	2	Inches
Port Length	14.5	Inches
F3	40	Hz

### Optimal Sound Quality-Flat Response

Box Volume	3.5	Cubic Feet
Fb	37	Hz
Port Size (Height)	15.5	Inches
Port Size (Width)	2	Inches
Port Length	21.25	Inches
F3	35	Hz

### SPL Very Boomie-Loud

Box Volume	3.25	Cubic Feet
Fb	50	Hz
Port Size (Height)	15.5	Inches
Port Size (Width)	3	Inches
Port Length	18.5	Inches
F3	42	Hz

FEATURES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE

NOTE: All above volumes are internal values and already include subwoofer and port displacement.

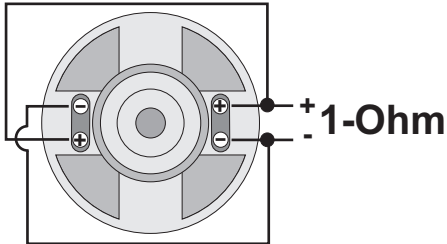
The F3 value represents the -3dB cut off of the enclosure.

## Glossary of Terms

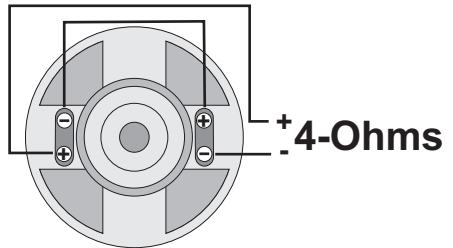
- Q The energy losses of relative damping (ratio of stored to dissipated energy or ratio of reactive to resistive energy).
- F<sub>s</sub> Free air resonance of driver in Hz.
- Q<sub>ms</sub> Mechanical Q.
- V<sub>as</sub> Volume of air equivalent to driver from the rest position.
- C<sub>ms</sub> Mechanical compliance of a loud speaker piston.
- M<sub>ms</sub> Moving mass of total loud speaker piston assembly.
- X<sub>max</sub> The maximum linear excursion of a loud speaker.
- S<sub>d</sub> Surface area of the cone.
- D<sub>ia</sub> The piston diameter of a loud speaker.
- Q<sub>es</sub> Electrical Q of a system.
- R<sub>e</sub> DC resistance.
- L<sub>e</sub> VC inductance.
- P<sub>e</sub> Maximum input power.
- Q<sub>ts</sub> Total Q of the system.
- Sens Sensitivity. An efficiency measurement in dB's.
- V<sub>c</sub> Volume of a closed or sealed enclosure
- V<sub>b</sub> Volume of a vented enclosure.
- F<sub>c</sub> The resonant frequency of a closed or sealed system
- F<sub>b</sub> The resonant frequency of a vented system
- F<sub>3</sub> The half-power (-3dB) frequency of a loud speaker enclosure
- Q<sub>tc</sub> The Q of a loud speaker at F<sub>c</sub> in a closed box, considering both it's electrical and mechanical resistance.
- Q<sub>L</sub> The Q of a vented box, resulting from all box losses.
- D<sub>V</sub> Diameter of vent.
- L<sub>V</sub> Length of vent.
- H Height.
- W Width.
- D Depth

# ATX1615 DVC 2-Ohms

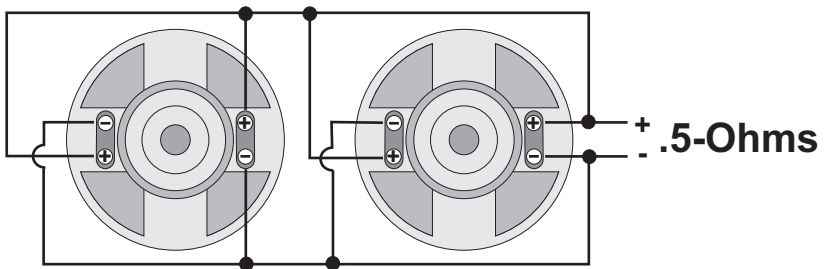
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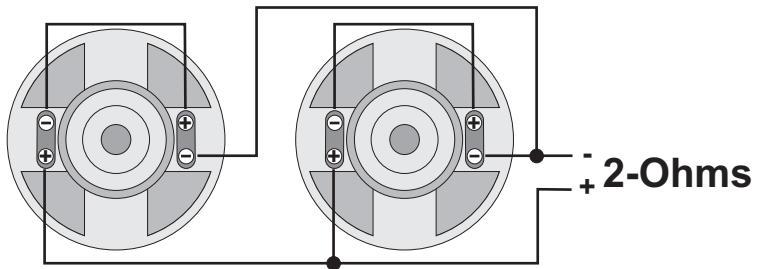
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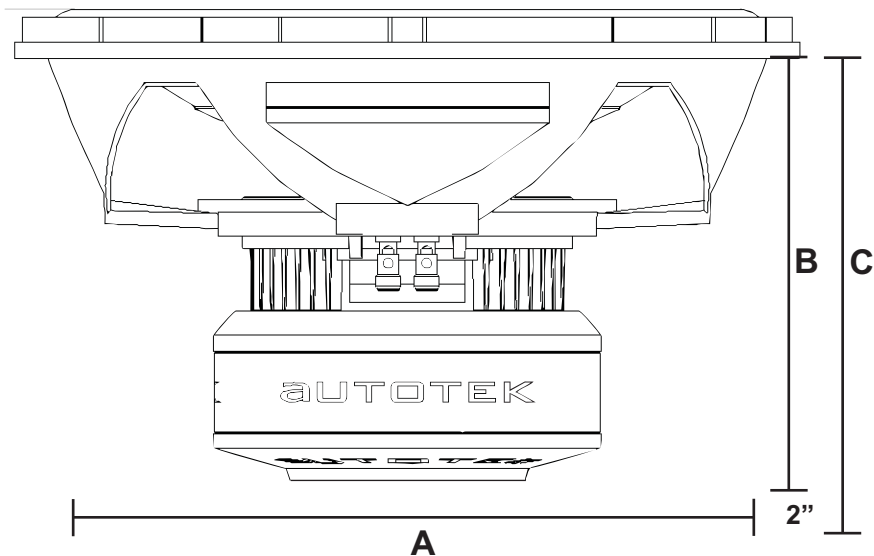
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# ATX1615 Dimensions



MODEL	A-Cut-Out	B-Mounting Depth	C-Clearance
OLM 1615	14"	8.55"	10.55"
<b>NOTE: There must be atleast 2" of clearance from the back of the subwoofer to the enclouse.</b>			

## **Maxxsonics Limited Warranty**

**As the manufacturer of Maxxsonics, MB Quart, Autotek, Crunch and Hifonics car audio products, Maxxsonics USA Inc. Warrants to the original consumer purchaser the amplifier to be free from defects in material and workmanship for one (1) Year from date of purchase.**

**All other parts and accessories of the system are warrantied to be free from defects in material and workmanship for one (1) year from date of purchase. Maxxsonics will repair or replace at it's option and free of charge during the warranty period, any system component that proves defective in materials and workmanship under normal installation, use and service provided that the product is returned to the authorized Maxxsonics dealer from where it was purchased. A photo copy of the original receipt must accompany the product being returned.**

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