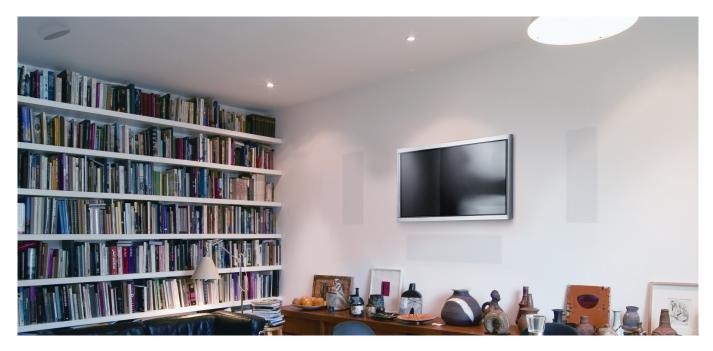
CWM DS8

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See nothing, hear everything

The CWM DS8 provides either dipole or monopole sound at the push of a remote control handset button. The CWM DS8 achieves its versatility by incorporating to midrange and tweeter driver arrays with a shared bass driver. IN conventional mode the system is configured in 2-way format with a 180mm Kevlar bass/midrange driver and 25mm Nautilus tube loaded aluminium dome tweeter.

Technical Specification

| Technical features | 3-way dipole/2-way monopole in-wall system Woven Kevlar® midrange driver Nautilus™ tube-loaded tweeter |
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| Description | 3-way dipole/2-way monopole in-wall system |
| Drive units | 3x ø25mm (1 in) Nautilus™ tube loaded aluminium dome tweeter 2x ø80mm (3 in) woven Kevlar® cone midrange 1x ø180mm (7 in) Kevlar® cone bass/midrange |
| Frequency range | -6dB at 40Hz and 50kHz |
| Frequency response | 45Hz-22kHz ±3dB on reference axis |
| Sensitivity | 88dB spl (2.83V, 1m) |
| Nominal impedance | 8Ω (minimum 5.0Ω) |
| Crossover frequency | 3.5kHz (monopole) 4kHz (dipole) |
| Recommended amplifier power | 150W into 8Ω on unclipped programme |
| Frame size | 524mm (20.6 in) x 294mm (11.6 in) |
| Cut-out size | 485mm (19.1 in) x 255mm (10 in) |
| Min depth req | 92mm (3.6 in) behind mounting surface |
| Net weight | 5.7 kg (12.5lb) |
| Finish | Semi-matt white suitable for customising or pre-painting (paint mask included) |
| Accessories | Pre-mount kit for new construction (PMK DS8/8180) Back Box (BB DS8/8180) |

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Architectual and Engineering Specifications

The loudspeaker system shall be of the mono-amped 3-way selectable monopole/dipole type comprising of a single flush mountable rectangular enclosure with protruding frontage containing one 7in bass driver with Kevlar cone and one 1in tube loaded aluminium dome tweeter for monopole usage and two 3in midrange and two 1in tube loaded aluminium dome tweeters side firing drive units for dipole mode.

Performance specifications of a typical production unit shall meet or exceed the following:

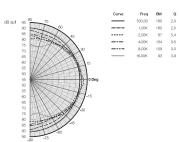
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Frequency response shall be 45 – 22kHz, 45Hz – 15kHz in dipole mode. Nominal impedance shall be 8 Ohm. Total power handling shall be 150W continuous into 8 Ohm on unclipped programme. Sensitivity measured with 2.83V at 1-metre distance on axis, mean averaged between 45 -22kHz shall be 88dB.

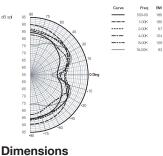
External dimensions shall be 524mm (20.6in) height x 294mm (11.6in) width x 87mm (3.4in) depth with a protrusion of 21mm (0.8in). Total weight shall be 5.7kg (12.5lb).

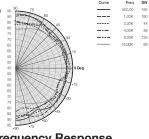
The loudspeaker system shall be the B&W DS8. No other system shall be acceptable unless the above combined performance are equalled or exceeded.

Monopole Polar Response Horizontal



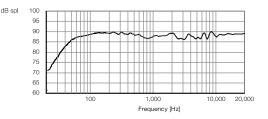
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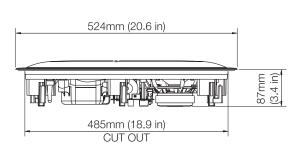


Monopole Polar Response Vertical

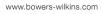
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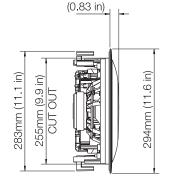
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