

SPECIFICATIONS

The following specifications are in accordance with or exceed the AES Recommended Practice for Specification of Loudspeaker Components Used in Professional Audio and Sound Reinforcement (AES2-1984; ANSI S4.26-1984). See AES Recommended Practice section.

Power Frequency Response:

500-20,000 Hz (essentially flat 500-5,000 Hz with 6-dB-per-octave rolloff to 20,000 Hz, rapid rolloff beyond)

Nominal Impedance,

N/DYM® 1mt:

8 ohms

N/DYM® 1mt-16:

16 ohms

Minimum Impedance, on HP Series Horns Above 500 Hz,

N/DYM® 1mt:

7 ohms at 6,000 Hz

N/DYM® 1mt-16:

14 ohms at 6,000 Hz

Nominal dc Resistance,

N/DYM® 1mt:

4.5 ohms

N/DYM® 1mt-16:

10.5 ohms

Long-Term Average Power Capacity on HP Horns, Indicated Bands of Pink Noise, 8-Ohm Impedance Assumed,

24 Hours, 6-dB Crest Factor: 50 watts (500-20,000 Hz)

2 Hours, 6-dB Crest Factor: 75 watts (1000-10,000 Hz)

Nominal Efficiency, 1,000-5,000-Hz Pink Noise, 8-Ohm Impedance Assumed:

Maximum Long-Term Acoustic Power Output (24 hours):

14 watts

Recommended Minimum Crossover Frequency:

500 Hz

Sound Pressure Level at 1 Meter, 1 Watt Input Averaged from 500 Hz to 5,000 Hz:1

115 dB, HP4020 horn

113 dB, HP6040 horn

111 dB, HP9040 horn

114 dB, HP420 horn

112 dB, HP640 horn 110 dB, HP940 horn

108 dB, HP1240 horn

Throat Diameter:

3.30 cm (1.30 in.)

Voice Coil Diameter:

7.62 cm (3.00 in.)

Voice Coil Construction:

Rectangular edge-wound pure aluminum wire on a high-temperature

polyimide form.

Diaphragm Construction:

Integral all-titanium construction consisting of spherical diaphragm dome and geometrically optimized suspension; a low-fatigue, high temperature, long-duration-cure engineering polymer bonds the coil form to the diaphragm.

Electrical Connection:

Screw terminals, each of which will accept a pair of 12-gauge wires and any smaller size.

Polarity:

A positive voltage applied to the positive (+) terminal produces a positive acoustic pressure in the throat.

Mechanical Connection:

Bolt on,

4 equally spaced holes on a 8.89 cm (3.50 in.) diameter circle, ¼"-20 threads, bolts supplied with HP series horns

Dimensions (see Figure 2),

Overall Diameter:

14.5 cm (5.7 in.) Overall Depth:

5.8 cm (2.3 in.)

Net Weight:

3.1 kg (7.0 lb)

Shipping Weight:

3.7 kg (8.2 lb)

 Measured on axis in the far field with 1 watt input of band-limited pink noise from 500-5,000 Hz and calculated to 1 meter equivalent by inverse square law.

DESCRIPTION

The Electro-Voice N/DYM* 1mt is a worldclass, high-frequency compression driver configured to be used in pairs with the MTA-22 high-frequency summation device:

This performance results from careful engineering and design, involving expert choices of material and advanced driver architecture which are ideally suited for efficient presentation of high-quality musical and communication program material. Features of the N/DYM[®] 1mt include:

- A unique, geometrically-optimized diaphragm consisting of a one-piece dome and suspension fabricated from titanium. Advanced metal forming and processing technology developed by EV engineers allows this high-elongation diaphragm design to be formed from .0015-inch thick material. The combination of diaphragm geometry and material choice gives the N/DYM* 1mt diaphragm an ideal combination of superb high-frequency response and resistance to fatigue from stress.
- A unique neodymium alloy (NdFeB) magnetic system which provides unsurpassed amplifier-to-diaphragm coupling. This gives the N/DYM* 1mt unusual bandwidth extension, high efficiency and a musical depth and transient clarity not normally associated with compression drivers. The drive system consists of the following advanced features.
 - a) An optimized and balanced magnetic circuit which provides a flux density of 2 25 Tesla (22 5 kilogaliss). This represents the highest flux density currently available.

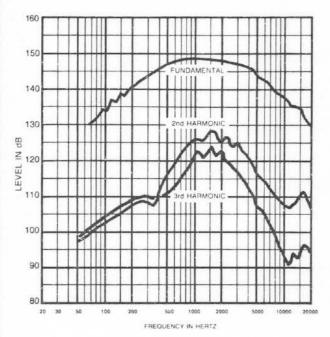


FIGURE 4 Distortion Response, 2-Inch Plane-Wave Tube, 5 Watts

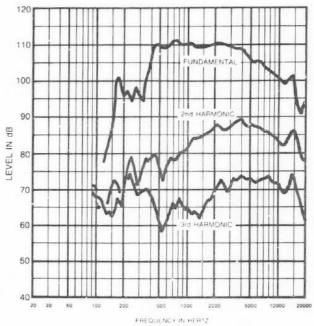


FIGURE 5 Distortion Response, HP9040 Horn, 1 Watt/1 Meter

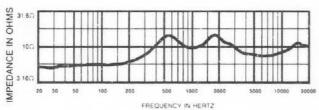


FIGURE 6
Impedance Response — 2-Inch Plane-Wave Tube 8-Ohm Driver

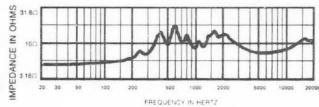


FIGURE 7 Impedance Response — HP9040 Horn 8-Ohm Driver

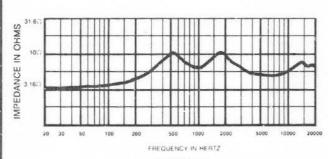


FIGURE 8
Impedance Response — 2-Inch Plane-Wave Tube
16-Ohm Driver

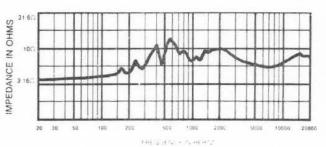
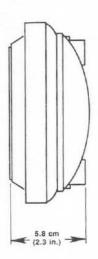


FIGURE 9 Impedance Response — HP9040 Horn 16-Ohm Driver



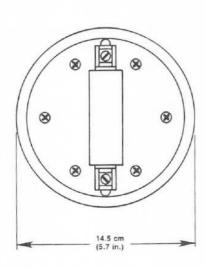


FIGURE 2 Dimensions

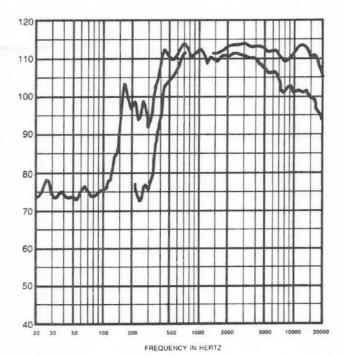


FIGURE 3
Axial Frequency Response with and without Equalization, 1 Watt/1 Meter, HP9040 Horn

- b) A precision, lightweight voice-coil made from pure aluminum rectangular wire, which gives the N/DYM* 1mt high motor strength and maximum efficiency.
 - Proprietary high-temperature winding and electrical bonding technologies assure excellent coil reliability and performance.
- c) EV-exclusive PROTEF™ (Patent no. 4547632) voice-coil protection, a Teflon³ -based coating, applied to the top plate. Occasionally, violent power peaks of several seconds in duration may expand a normal driver's voice coil into contact with the top plate, causing deterioration. With the PROTEF coating, added protection is provided; the coating lubricates any rubbing contact and provides direct electrical insulation between the coil and the steel top plate. This feature is unique for compression drivers and is a result of Electro-Voice's exclusive "Total Thermal Engineering" approach to loudspeaker design.
- A phase-plug design giving optimum upper-octave response.
- 4. Screw-type input terminals, which are an EV exclusive. They provide an unusually positive electrical connection. Each terminal will easily accept a pair of 12-gauge wires, and any smaller size. These special terminals were designed using the results of an extensive field survey of consultants and sound-system installers.
- An integral diaphragm assembly and protective cap which is an EV-exclusive design. This allows for a single operation for diaphragm removal and acts as an effective out-of-driver diaphragm protection.

RECOMMENDED HORNS

The following Electro-Voice horns are recommended for use with the N/DYM® 1mt; HP64, HP94, HP420, HP640, HP940, HP1240, HP4020, HP6040, and HP9040.

CROSSOVER AND EQUALIZATION

As with all horn/driver combinations that combine high overall efficiency with constant directivity, the N/DYM® 1mt and HP series horns provide "raw" or unequalized frequency response that rolls off above 3,000 Hz or so at about 6 dB per octave. Figure 3 shows the N/DYM® 1mt on an HP9040 horn, with and without equalization. The equalization has been provided by Electro-Voice XEQ-2 or XEQ-3 crossover/equalizers equipped with the EQU equalization module. While the equalization of constant-directivity horn/driver combination can be achieved with a conventional one-third-octave equalizer, the use of