



# ARC10, ARC30, ARC1000, ARC Center simple set-up guide

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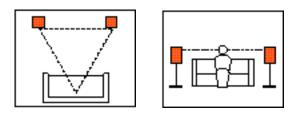
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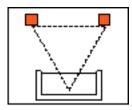
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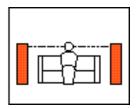
## One. Speaker Placement

ARC10, ARC30

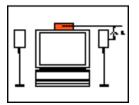


ARC1000





**ARC** Center



#### **Specifications**

Frequency Response (-6dB): Recommended Maximum Power Handling\*: Sensitivity @ 1 watt/1 meter: Nominal Impedance: Crossover Frequency: Woofer: Midrange: Tweeter: Dimensions (HxWxD): Weight (each):

#### **ARC10**

75Hz – 20kHz 50 watts 86dB 8 ohms 2200Hz 5-1/4" N/A 2" paper cone 11 x 6-1/2 x 7-1/4 inches 280 x 165 x 184mm 7 lbs/3.2 kg

#### ARC1000 36Hz – 23kHz

Frequency Response (-6dB): Recommended Maximum Sensitivity @ 1 watt/1 meter:

175 watts 90dB 8 ohms 930Hz, 5600Hz 10" 5" 1" titanium 39 x 12 x 11 inches 991 x 305 x 209mm 44 lbs/20 kg

Power Handling\*: Nominal Impedance: Crossover Frequency: Woofer: Midrange: Tweeter: Dimensions (HxWxD):

Weight (each):

Occasional refinements may be made to existing products without notice, but will always meet or exceed original specifications unless otherwise stated.

\*The maximum recommended amplifier power rating will ensure proper system headroom to allow for occasional peaks. We do not recommend sustained operation at these maximum power levels.

#### **ARC30**

50Hz - 23kHz

125 watts 90dB 8 ohms 3700Hz 6-1/2" N/A 1" pure titanium 17-3/8 x 9-5/8 x 8-1/4 inches 441 x 245 x 210mm 16 lbs/7.3 kg

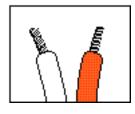
#### **ARC Center**

100Hz – 20kHz

70 watts 89dB 8 ohms 9000Hz 2 x 4-1/2" N/A 2" paper cone 6 x 16 x 6-1/4 inches 152 x 406 x 159mm 9 lbs/4.1 kg

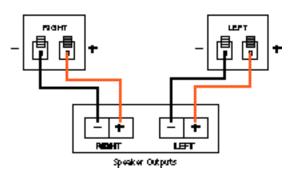
# two. Speaker Connections

#### **Connection Tips**

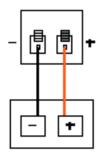


Speakers and electronics terminals have corresponding (+) and (-) terminals. It is important to connect both speakers identically: (+) on the speaker to (+) on the amplifier and (-) on the speaker to (-) on the amplifier. Wiring "out of phase" results in thin sound, weak bass and a poor stereo image.

#### ARC10, ARC30

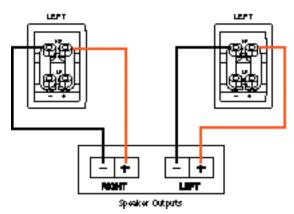


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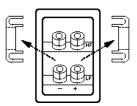
Center Channel Speaker Outputs

#### ARC1000 Standard Connection



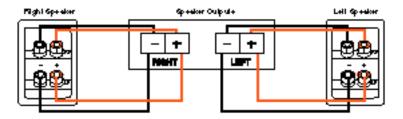
#### **Bi-Wiring**

The ARC1000's outer connection panel and internal dividing network are designed so that separate sets of speaker cable can be attached to the low-frequency transducer and midrange/high-frequency transducer portions of the dividing network. This is called *bi-wiring*. Bi-wiring provides several sonic advantages and considerably more flexibility in power amplifier selection.

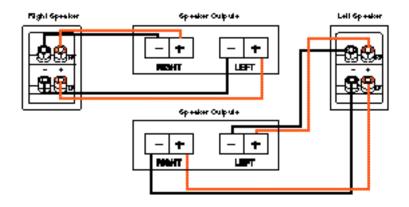


Remove strapping bars.

#### Single-Stereo Amplifier



#### **Dual-Stereo Amplifier**



### Troubleshooting

#### If there is no sound from any of the speakers, check the following:

• Receiver/amplifier is on and a source is playing.

• Review proper operation of your receiver/amplifier.

# If there is no sound coming from one speaker, check the following:

• Check the "Balance" control on your receiver/amplifier.

• Check all wires and connections between receiver/ amplifier and speakers.

• Make sure all wires are connected. Make sure none of the speaker wires is frayed, cut, or punctured.

# If the system plays at low volumes but shuts off as volume is increased, check the following:

• Check all wires and connections between receiver/ amplifier and speakers.

• Make sure all wires are connected. Make sure none of the speaker wires is frayed, cut, or punctured.

• If more than one pair of main speakers is being used, check the minimum impedance requirements of your receiver/amplifier.

### If there is low bass output, check the following:

• Make sure the polarity (+ and -) of the left and right "Speaker Inputs" are connected properly.

#### If there is no sound from the center speaker, check the following:

• Make sure that your receiver's Center Channel Mode is in the "normal" or "wide" position. If it is in the "phantom" position, the center speaker will not play.

• Check all connections between processor/amplifier and the center speaker.





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