

# SP222

## Two-Way Full Range Loudspeaker System For Permanent Installation

#### Sound Power Series

## **Key Features:**

- ► VGC (Vented Gap Cooled<sup>™</sup>) LF transducers
- ▶ Optimized Aperture HF horn with 1.5" exit compression driver
- Unique enclosure profile for multiple applications
- DuraFlex finish, tough, weather resistant and paintable
- ► Internal tamper resistant Bi-Amped/Passive selector
- ▶ 12 Suspension points (M10 Thread)
- Advanced Network Topologies for smooth power response and stable amplifier loading

The model SP222 is a true full range system that provides unprecedented bandwidth and maximum SPL in a single system package. The powerful 12" VGC (Vented Gap Cooled™) LF transducers provide powerful transient bass. The proven Optimized Aperture™ HF horn coupled to a 2447J, 1.5" exit compression driver delivers a precise, clear and controlled high frequency response.

The SP222 is equipped with a passive crossover that can be switched to bi-amplified use via an easily accessible internal tamper resistant selector. Bi-amplified mode, utilizing the DSC-260 digital controller for crossover, signal alignment, and equalization functions, provides optimum system performance.

The SP222 is part of the JBL Sound Power Series, a family of modular loudspeaker systems designed for fixed installation applications ranging from speech reinforcement to large scale music productions. All models are fitted with suspension points that accept M10 threads. The enclosures are finished with a hard wearing, weather resistant, textured finish DuraFlex, premium 13 ply wood and an 18 gauge steel foam-backed grille enable Sound Power systems to comply with environment test specifications.

#### Components:

The SP222 utilizes two of JBL's finest cone transclucers, the 2206H. The two 12" 2206H are part of JBL's family of Vented Gap Cooled™ woofers and carries an AES power rating of 1200 watts with minimal power compression. The cone has been treated for weather resistance.

The 38mm (1.5 in) exit 2447J large format compression driver is coupled to an Optimized Aperture Bi-Radial™ horn providing smooth even coverage. The Optimized Aperture horn provides lower throat distortion than its earlier predecessors while extending frequency response to nearly 20 kHz.



## **Preliminary Specifications:**

Freq. Range (-10 dB):	32 Hz - 20 kHz
Freq. Response (-3 dB):	42 Hz - 18 kHz
Horz. Coverage Angle (-6 dB):	100° averaged 500 Hz to 16 kHz
Vert. Coverage Angle (-6 dB):	50° averaged 500 Hz to 16 kHz
	10.0 averaged 500 Hz to 16 kHz
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	98 dB, 1W @ 1 m (3.3ft)
Rated Maximum SPL:	
System Nominal Impedance:	
System Input Power Rating <sup>2</sup> :	1200 W, IEC; 4800 W Peak
Recommended Amplifier <sup>3</sup> :	1600 W
Recommended Controller:	DSC-260
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Low Frequency:	2 x 2206H, 300 mm (12in) dia., 100 mm (4 in)
	edgewound ribbon voice coil
Nominal Impedance:	
Input Power Rating:	1200 W, AES; 4800 W Peak
Sensitivity <sup>1</sup> :	98 dB, 1 W, @ 1 m (3.3ft)
Calculated Maximum SPL:	
Recommended Amplifier <sup>3</sup> :	1600 W
High Frequency:	2447J; 100 mm (4") diaphragm and voice coil dia.,
	76 mm (1.5") throat dia.
Nominal Impednace:	16 Ohms
Input Power Rating:	
Sensitivity <sup>1</sup> :	111 dB, 1 W, @ 1m (3.3ft)
Calculated Maximum SPL:	136 dB, @ 1 m (3.3ft)
Recommended Amplifier <sup>3</sup> :	200 W
Physical:	
Enclosure:	Asymmetrical, 45° side angles, birch plywood
Suspension Attachment:	12 points; accepts M10 threaded hardware
Finish:	Black DuraFlex coating
Grille:	Black powder coated zinc treated 18 gauge
	perforated steel grille with foam backing
Input Connectors:	
Dimensions:	578 mm x 709 mm x 705 mm (22.74 in x 27.92 in
	x 27.77 in)

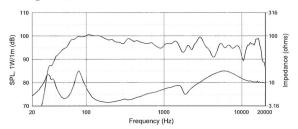
'Measured on axis in the far field with 1 watt (2.83 V RMS, 8 ohms) input and referenced to 1 meter distance using the inverse square law. Listed sound pressure represents an average from 300 Hz to 16 kHz <sup>2</sup>IEC Spectrum for 2 hours with +6 dB crest factor.

Recommended Amplifier is a power capability value that should be taken as a guide.

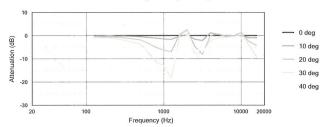
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# SP222 2 way System

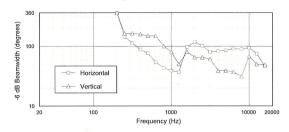
Frequency Response is measured on-axis at a distance referenced to 1 m @ 1 watt (2.0 Vrms) input, Shown as a half-space ( $2\pi$ ) environment.



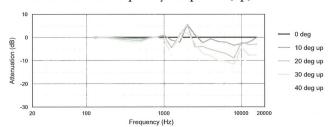
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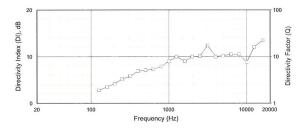
#### Beamwidth vs. Frequency



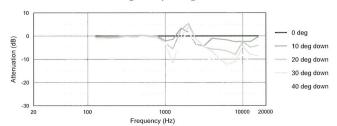
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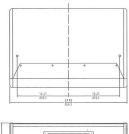


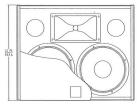
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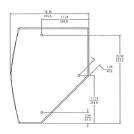


#### Vertical Off Axis Frequency Response (down)

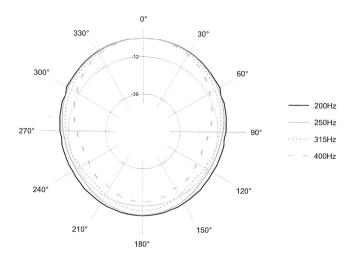


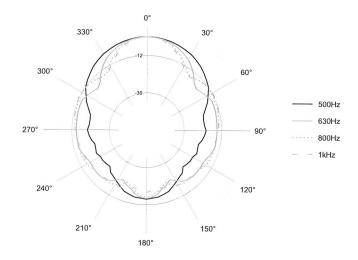


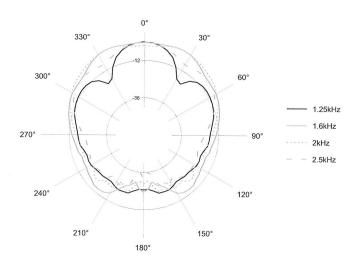


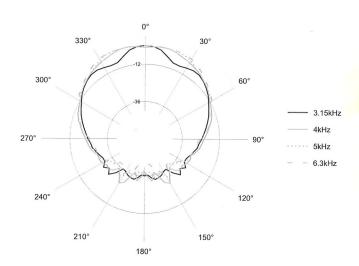


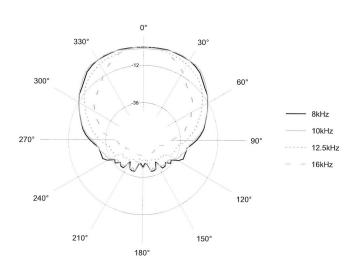
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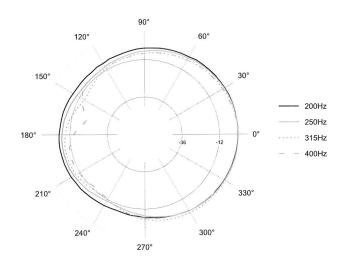


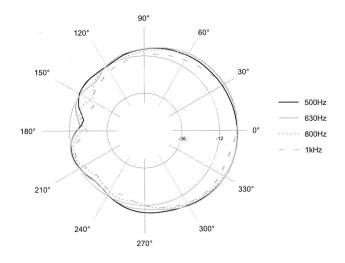


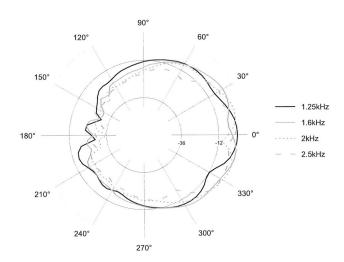


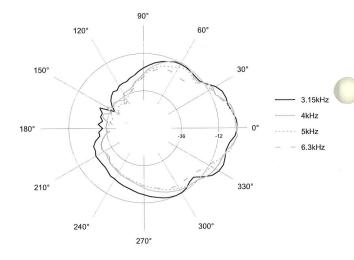


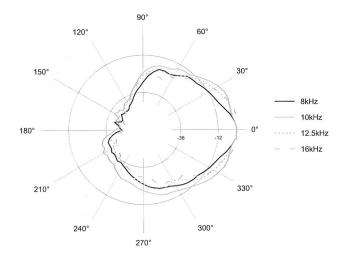
#### Vertical 1/3 Octave Polars













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