

Acoustimass® 15 Series II

HOME ENTERTAINMENT SPEAKER SYSTEM



PRODUCT POSITION:

Your movies, music and sports deserve superior Bose® sound. Our best home entertainment speaker system works with your components to deliver superior, lifelike sound from small speakers that blend easily into your décor. Also features powerful low notes and upgradability to a 6.1-channel speaker system for an even more compelling cinema-like experience.

TARGET CUSTOMER:

Discriminating component-minded consumer who is passionate about home cinema, desires the impact of powerful low notes and movie effects, and values the elegance of small speakers. Also may own or expect to own a 6.1-channel receiver.

KEY CONSUMER BENEFITS:

High-quality sound performance

Superior sound with lifelike spaciousness and low notes that you can feel as well as hear for our most exciting music and movie effects reproduction.

Powered Acoustimass module offers the deepest low notes of any Bose home entertainment speaker system for dramatic intensity and sensational special effects.

Upgradable to work with 6.1-channel receivers for cinema-like spaciousness and realism.

Elegance

Five small, spacious-sounding cube speaker arrays and the hideaway module enable this *Virtually Invisible*® speaker system to blend beautifully into your room.

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FEATURE	FUNCTION	BENEFIT
Upgradable to 6.1 channels	Electronics, connections and cables prepared for optional center surround channel addition kit.	Provides more realistic, enveloping cinema-like sound from six small, spacious-sounding cube speaker arrays and a hideaway Acoustimass module.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Center surround cube speaker array 	Covers a broad soundstage – even as much as two rear mono speakers.	Provides the full, rich spacious performance of two mono rear speakers from a single center surround speaker.
Acoustimass speaker technology	Proprietary technology reproduces low notes clearly down to the very low frequencies, even at very loud levels.	<p>A <i>Virtually Invisible</i>® speaker system:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Acoustimass module – the largest part of the system – can be hidden in the listening area. The deep low notes appear to come from five small, elegant cube speaker arrays that are easy to place in the room.
Acoustimass module	Proprietary acoustic enclosure and technologies provide deep response and high output levels.	<p>Full, rich, loud low notes.</p> <p>Delivers the deepest low frequencies of any Bose® home entertainment speaker system.</p>
<p>Cube speaker arrays</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Direct/Reflecting® speaker technology Matched cube speaker arrays Magnetically shielded cube speaker arrays 	<p>Re-creates a more natural balance of reflected and direct sound energy.</p> <p>Maintains consistent spectral and spatial performance within a three-dimensional sound field.</p> <p>Effectively confines magnetic field of the drivers within the cube speakers.</p>	<p>Delivers more open, spacious stereo and surround sound throughout the listening area.</p> <p>Produces exciting realism and consistent quality of sound.</p> <p>Will not cause video interference when placed near television.</p>
<p>Proprietary system electronics</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bose patented signal processing Multi-channel bass extraction and summation Active electronic equalization 	<p>Automatically adjusts the level of low notes at low volumes to compensate for the human ear's lack of sensitivity to low frequencies at low volumes.</p> <p>Electronically combines multi-channel low-frequency energy in a controlled and predictable manner using a single Acoustimass module.</p> <p>Electronically shapes the response from the Acoustimass module.</p>	<p>Provides the impact of full, deep low notes and special effects at almost any listening level, while maintaining natural-sounding speech and dialog.</p> <p>Eliminates the need for multiple low-frequency sources.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Delivers a consistently higher level of performance in a wider variety of listening rooms than conventional speakers – simplifying setup and placement. <p>Provides more natural tonal balance and clarity.</p>
<p>Powered Acoustimass module</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Energy Star certified 	<p>Delivers very powerful dedicated Bose amplification specifically for the lower frequencies.</p> <p>Module automatically enters standby mode when it detects no signal for a period of time.</p>	<p>Reproduces louder low-frequency sound to deliver the impact of today's high-quality digital audio and home theater sources.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Eliminates the need for a separate subwoofer. <p>Typically draws less than \$1.00 of electricity per year while in standby mode.</p>
Bass room compensation control	Works post-LFE to enable the listener to adjust (+ and -) the volume of the Acoustimass module relative to the cube speakers without changing the frequency response of the module.	Listeners can adjust the level of low frequencies to adapt to more challenging listening environments.
LFE (Low Frequency Effects) control	Enables the user to adjust (+ and -) the level of low-frequency effects from the LFE channel. NOTE: If no LFE connection is made, set receiver's "LFE/subwoofer" setting to OFF	Listeners can decide for themselves just how much low-frequency impact they want from movie special effects, such as explosions, etc.
Automatic protection circuitry	Continually protects the drivers from being overdriven.	Provides increased reliability and product longevity.

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SPECIFICATIONS

Warranty: The speakers are covered by a limited five-year transferable warranty. The amplifier and electronic components are covered by a limited one-year warranty. Details of the warranty are provided on the warranty card.

Dimensions/Weight: **Cube speakers:** 6¼"H x 3"W x 4"D (15.9 x 7.6 x 10.2 cm) 2.4 lbs. (1.1 kg.)
Acoustimass module: 16½"H x 8½"W x 29½"D (41.5 x 20.7 x 74 cm) 45 lbs. (20.5 kg.)
System in carton: 72.5 lbs. (33 kg.)

Driver complement: Two 2½" wide-range drivers in each cube speaker array; three 5¼" high-excursion woofers in Acoustimass module.

Power rating: Compatible with surround sound receivers rated from 10 to 200 watts per channel and rated 4 to 8 ohms. 100 watts IEC per channel.

Color: Black, Silver/Black or Arctic White.

Optional accessories: **Floor stands:** UFS-20 (Black, White or Silver color)
Table stands: UTS-20 (Black, White or Silver color)
Wall/ceiling brackets: UB-20 (Black, White or Silver color)
6.1 upgrade speaker kit: (Black, White or Silver color)

Adapters and cables: **Module 20-ft. input extension cable** (black or white)
Module-to-cube speaker cable adapter for use with existing wiring (black or white)
Module input cable adapter for use with existing wiring (black or white)

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