

# USER MANUAL



## FRONT FIRING SUBWOOWER

CI-SW10D / CI-SW12D  
CI-SW10C / CI-SW12C

# SAFETY PRECAUTIONS

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**CAUTION!** To reduce the risk of electric shock and fire, do not remove the inner cover below the top plate or the back plate of this device. There are no user serviceable parts inside. Please refer all servicing to licensed service technicians. **CAUTION!** The international symbol of a lightning bolt inside a triangle is intended to alert the user to uninsulated “dangerous voltage” within the device’s enclosure. The international symbol of an exclamation point inside a triangle is intended to alert the user to the presence of important operating, maintenance and servicing information in the manual accompanying the device. **CAUTION!** To prevent electrical shock, match wide blade of plug to wide slot, fully insert. **CAUTION!** To reduce the risk of electrical shock, do not expose this equipment to rain, water or moisture.

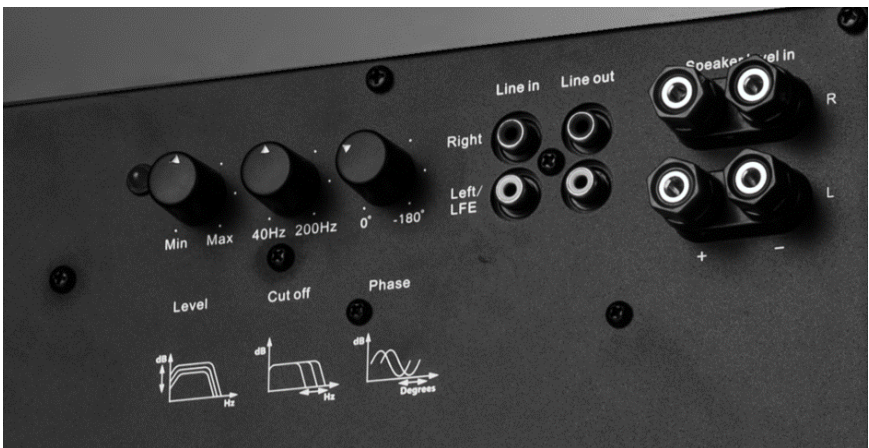
- 1) Read Instructions—All safety and operating instructions should be read before operating the device.
- 2) Retain Instructions—The safety and operating instructions should be retained for future reference.
- 3) Heed Warnings—All warnings on the device and in the operating instructions should be adhered to.
- 4) Follow Instructions—All operating and safety instructions should be followed.
- 5) Water & Moisture—The device should never be used in, on or near water for risk of fatal shock.
- 6) Stands—The device is not intended to be used on a stand.
- 7) Ventilation—The device should always be located in such a way that it maintains proper ventilation. It should never be placed in a built-in installation or anywhere that may impede the flow of air around the product.
- 8) Heat—Never locate the device near heat sources such as radiators, floor registers, stoves or other heat-generating devices.
- 9) Power Supply—The device should only be connected to a power supply of the type described in the operating instructions or as marked on the device.
- 10) Power Cord Protection— Power cables should be routed so they are not likely to be stepped on or crushed by items placed on them or against them. Special attention should be paid to areas where the plug enters a socket or fused strip and where the cord exits the device.
- 11) Cleaning—The device should be cleaned in accordance with manufacturer’s instructions.
- 12) Periods Of Non-Use—The device should be unplugged when not being used for extended periods.
- 13) Dangerous Entry—Care should be taken that no foreign objects or liquids fall or are spilled inside the device.
- 14) Damage Requiring Service—The device should be serviced by licensed technicians when:
  - The plug or power supply cord has been damaged.
  - Objects have fallen, or liquid spilled inside of the device.
  - The device has been exposed to moisture.
  - The device does not appear to be operating properly or exhibits a marked change in performance.
  - The device has been dropped or the cabinet becomes damaged.
- 15) Service—The device should always be serviced by licensed technicians. Only replacement parts specified by the manufacturer should be used. The use of unauthorized substitutions may result in fire, shock, or other hazards.

Please follow the guidelines below to ensure best performance:

## AMPLIFIER SETTINGS

Please follow the 300 W (depicted below) amplifier settings below:

- Level Control: Generally 10 – 11 o'clock not higher
- Frequency or Low Pass Control: 9 – 10 o'clock
- Low Pass – 9 – 10 o'clock
- Phase: 0 -180 deg – adjust for max output



- A: Volume – Controls subwoofer level. **This amplifier has a very high gain. Set the level @ 10 - 11 o'clock or lower. Using at settings greater than 12 o'clock could cause failure.**
- B: Low Pass – Controls the amount of mid-bass. Normal setting is about half-way up
- C: Phase – Variable from "0" to "180". Slowly turn until you hear optimal bass response
- D: Phono Inputs ("Line-in") – Feed signal to the subwoofer from the receiver connected directly to the "Sub Out" on the receiver
- E: Speaker Level Inputs

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## 700 W AMPLIFIED VERSIONS



### POWER SWITCH

- OFF/TRIG – Manually turns the amplifier off.
- AUTO – Senses an input signal to turn on the amplifier. Amplifier will turn off automatically approximately 20 minutes after the input signal is no longer sensed
- ON – Manually turns the amplifier on continuously
- STANDBY – Indicates AUTO sense is on
- ENABLE – Indicates the amplifier is on. Power Switch in ON or in AUTO with input signal sensed
- GAIN – Volume control
- LF ADJUST – +/- 12dB Peaking filter at 25Hz w/ Q = 2 Adjust to compensate for listening room acoustics and speaker placement
- Crossover – 60-500Hz Low Pass Filter
- Delay – 0-20ms time delay. Select to adjust for listening room placement of the subwoofer relative to main speakers
- RCA Inputs – left and right inputs
- 12v Trigger Inputs/Outputs – Accepts 12V trigger input to control amplifier power
- XLR Input and Looping Output –Balanced input with looping output to connect multiple subwoofers. When XLR input is detected, and no RCA is connected, RCA inputs are muted

**This is a very high output amplifier. Proceed with caution when applying the gain to ensure you are not maxing out the signal**

## ROOM PLACEMENT

One of these placements may be best for your room/seating position. This can only be done empirically and takes quite a bit of time, trial and error. Listening, over a period of months, generally yields best sub position.

- Option 1 - Midway between front left and right mains speakers. This position is generally preferred for its transitional coherence but is not “carved in stone”
- Option 2 - Midway along sidewall relative to the listening position
- Option 3 - Behind the listening position near a back wall corner. Note: Placing the sub in a corner will increase output between 3 - 6 db. Ironically this corner option is generally least desirable due to loss of bass detail

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- Wall Outlet: In the US 110V – 20-amp service preferred as 12-gauge wire, used for 20-amp service, provides a better draw supply to the amplifier. There is a slight improvement in tightness and bass speed going from 16 amp to 20 amp
- Rubber feet are included to provide isolation between bottom of sub and floor. This isolation is necessary for clean bass
- Subwoofer response is complex and room interactive. In addition, there is a break in period of about 2 weeks to attain best performance. We suggest moving the sub to a variety of different positions within the listening area

## CONTENTS:

- High Velocity Subwoofer
- Power Cord
- (4) Rubber Feet
- User Manual

# LIMITED WARRANTY



**5-Years for Drivers, Cabinets, and Brackets, 2-years on amplifiers for any defects or performance issues realized during the product’s normal use, and 90 days for defects in manufacture or workmanship covering the exterior fit and finish for peeling and cracks.**

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