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Model: 710F-D4

INTRODUCTION

This manual provides essential information for the proper installation, operation, and maintenance of your DD Audio 710F-D4 10" Dual 4-Ohm 4500W Subwoofer. Please read this manual thoroughly before installation and use to ensure optimal performance and longevity of your product.

The DD Audio 710F-D4 subwoofer is engineered for high-performance audio systems, featuring advanced thermal cooling enhancements and robust construction to deliver powerful and clean bass reproduction. Its design prioritizes efficiency and heat management for extended periods of high-output operation.

SAFETY INFORMATION

WARNING:

- Always disconnect the vehicle's battery before installing or servicing any audio components.
- Ensure all wiring connections are secure and properly insulated to prevent short circuits.
- Do not expose the subwoofer to moisture or extreme temperatures.
- High sound pressure levels can cause permanent hearing damage. Use caution when operating at high volumes.
- Consult a professional installer if you are unsure about any aspect of the installation process.

WHAT'S IN THE BOX

Upon opening the package, verify that all components are present and undamaged:

- 1 x DD Audio 710F-D4 10" Dual 4-Ohm 4500W Subwoofer

If any items are missing or damaged, please contact your authorized DD Audio dealer immediately.

SETUP AND INSTALLATION

Enclosure Requirements

The 710F-D4 subwoofer is designed for optimal performance in a properly constructed enclosure. Refer to the specifications section for recommended enclosure volumes.

- **Ported Enclosure Volume:** 1.5 CuFt (Cubic Feet)
- Ensure the enclosure is rigid and sealed to prevent air leaks.
- Proper port tuning is crucial for ported enclosures.

Mounting

The subwoofer requires a mounting diameter of 9.312 inches and a mounting depth of 7.625 inches. Ensure adequate clearance behind the mounting surface.



Front view of the DD Audio 710F-D4 subwoofer, showing the cone and surround. This view highlights the speaker's face, which should be flush-mounted.



Top-down angled view of the DD Audio 710F-D4 subwoofer, showcasing the robust surround and the DD Audio logo on the cone. This perspective helps visualize the overall form factor.

Wiring Connections

The 710F-D4 features a Dual 4-Ohm voice coil configuration. Proper wiring is critical for optimal performance and to match your amplifier's impedance requirements.

- **Parallel Wiring (1 Ohm Load):** Connect positive of coil 1 to positive of coil 2, and negative of coil 1 to negative of coil 2. Then connect to amplifier.

- **Series Wiring (8 Ohm Load):** Connect positive of coil 1 to amplifier positive, negative of coil 1 to positive of coil 2, and negative of coil 2 to amplifier negative.
- Use appropriate gauge speaker wire for the power levels.



Bottom view of the DD Audio 710F-D4 subwoofer, revealing the dual voice coil wiring terminals and the robust motor structure. This image is crucial for understanding wiring connections.



Side view of the DD Audio 710F-D4 subwoofer, emphasizing the vented, finned aluminum heatsink and the red wiring. This view illustrates the thermal cooling enhancements.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Once installed, the subwoofer will operate as part of your car audio system. Proper gain setting and crossover configuration are essential for optimal sound quality and to prevent damage.

- **Amplifier Gain:** Set the amplifier gain using a multimeter or oscilloscope to match the output voltage of your head unit, ensuring no clipping occurs.
- **Low-Pass Filter (LPF):** Set your amplifier's or head unit's LPF to a frequency typically between 60Hz and 80Hz to ensure only bass frequencies are sent to the subwoofer.
- **Subsonic Filter (HPF):** If your amplifier has a subsonic filter, set it slightly below your enclosure's tuning frequency to protect the subwoofer from over-excursion at very low frequencies.
- **Break-in Period:** Allow a break-in period of approximately 20-30 hours of moderate listening before operating the subwoofer at full power. This allows the suspension components to loosen up.

MAINTENANCE

The DD Audio 710F-D4 subwoofer requires minimal maintenance. Follow these guidelines to ensure its longevity:

- Keep the subwoofer clean and free of dust and debris. Use a soft, dry cloth for cleaning.
- Avoid exposing the subwoofer to direct sunlight for extended periods, as this can degrade the surround and cone materials.
- Regularly check all wiring connections for tightness and corrosion.
- Ensure proper ventilation around the subwoofer and amplifier to prevent overheating.

TROUBLESHOOTING

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
No Sound from Subwoofer	No power to amplifier; Amplifier in protect mode; Loose wiring; Incorrect wiring; Blown fuse.	Check amplifier power and ground connections; Verify remote turn-on wire; Check all speaker wires for shorts or disconnections; Replace blown fuses.
Distorted Sound	Amplifier gain set too high (clipping); Incorrect crossover settings; Damaged subwoofer.	Reduce amplifier gain; Adjust LPF and subsonic filter settings; Inspect subwoofer for physical damage.
Subwoofer Overheating	Under-powered amplifier (clipping); Improper enclosure; Lack of ventilation.	Ensure amplifier is adequately powered for the subwoofer; Verify enclosure specifications; Improve ventilation around the subwoofer and amplifier.

If troubleshooting steps do not resolve the issue, contact DD Audio customer support or an authorized service center.

SPECIFICATIONS

Parameter	Value
Model Name	710F-D4
Speaker Size	10 Inches
Watts RMS	1500
Watts Peak	4500
Impedance	Dual 4-Ohm
VCD (Voice Coil Diameter)	3 Inches
Piston Diameter	8.5 Inches
Fs (Resonance Frequency)	33.11 Hz
Qms (Mechanical Q)	4.414
Qes (Electrical Q)	0.4056
Qts (Total Q)	0.3714
Vas (Equivalent Volume)	16.15 Liters

Parameter	Value
Xmech (Mechanical Excursion)	84 MM
Xmax (Linear Excursion)	22 MM
Frame OD (Outer Diameter)	10.625 Inches
Frame OD w/Gasket	10.75 Inches
Mounting Diameter	9.312 Inches
Mounting Depth	7.625 Inches
Motor Diameter	7.562 Inches
Motor Depth	4 Inches
Woofer Displacement	0.15 CuFt
Recommended Ported Enclosure	1.5 CuFt
Item Weight	39 Pounds
Warranty Type	Limited

WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

Warranty Information

The DD Audio 710F-D4 subwoofer comes with a Limited Warranty. Please refer to the warranty card included with your product or visit the official DD Audio website for detailed terms and conditions regarding coverage, duration, and claims procedures.

This warranty typically covers manufacturing defects and workmanship under normal use. It does not cover damage caused by improper installation, abuse, accidents, modifications, or unauthorized repairs.

Customer Support

For technical assistance, troubleshooting beyond this manual, or warranty claims, please contact DD Audio customer support:

- **Website:** ddaudio.com (Please check the official website for the most current contact information.)
- When contacting support, please have your product model number (710F-D4) and purchase information readily available.