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USER MANUAL

1. Product Overview

The KLH Faraday Series M-8600-W In-Wall Speaker System is designed to deliver high-fidelity audio seamlessly integrated into your living space. This bundle includes four (4) M-8600-W speakers, each featuring a 2-way sealed and tuned design with robust construction for in-wall installation. Each speaker is equipped with dual 6.5-inch Kevlar/Fiberglass laminate woofers and a 1-inch silk dome tweeter, engineered to provide clear, detailed, and balanced sound reproduction across a wide frequency range.



Figure 1: Four KLH Faraday Series M-8600-W In-Wall Speakers with grilles.

2. Key Features

- **High-Performance Audio:** Equipped with dual 6.5-inch Kevlar/Fiberglass laminate woofers and a 1-inch silk dome tweeter for rich, detailed sound.
- **Robust Construction:** Features a sturdy 3/4-inch MDF back box and steel reinforcement for durable in-wall installation.
- Optimized Design: Sealed and tuned MDF enclosures ensure outstanding acoustic performance.
- Easy Installation: Designed with six dog-leg installation points for convenient and secure mounting.
- Versatile Connectivity: Input connection facilitated by 5-way binding posts for reliable wiring.

• Compact Integration: A mounting depth of 3.9 inches allows for seamless integration into standard wall structures.



Figure 2: Close-up view of a single KLH Faraday Series M-8600-W speaker, highlighting the dual woofers and tweeter.

3. Setup and Installation

Proper installation is crucial for optimal performance and safety. It is recommended that installation be performed by a qualified professional.

3.1 Unpacking

- 1. Carefully open the packaging and remove the speakers.
- 2. Inspect each speaker for any signs of damage during transit. If damage is found, contact your retailer immediately.
- 3. Retain the packaging materials for future transport or storage.

3.2 Mounting Location and Preparation

Select a suitable location in your wall that is free from obstructions such as electrical wiring, plumbing, or structural elements. The speakers are designed for in-wall installation and require a mounting depth of 3.9 inches.

- Use a stud finder to locate wall studs and avoid them.
- Trace the cutout template (not provided, typically included with physical product or available from manufacturer) onto the wall surface.
- Carefully cut the opening using a drywall saw or similar tool.





Figure 3: Side view illustrating the mounting depth and 5-way binding posts for wiring.

3.3 Wiring

Before connecting, ensure all power to your audio system is turned off.

- 1. Run appropriate gauge speaker wire from your amplifier/receiver to the wall opening.
- 2. Strip approximately 1/2 inch of insulation from the ends of the speaker wires.
- 3. Connect the positive (+) terminal of the speaker (red) to the positive (+) output of your amplifier.
- 4. Connect the negative (-) terminal of the speaker (black) to the negative (-) output of your amplifier.
- 5. Ensure all connections are secure and free from stray wire strands that could cause short circuits.

3.4 Speaker Installation

- 1. Carefully insert the speaker into the prepared wall opening.
- 2. Tighten the six dog-leg installation points (usually screws on the front baffle) until the speaker is firmly secured to the wall. Do not overtighten.
- 3. Attach the magnetic grille to the speaker baffle.

4. Operation

Once installed and wired, your KLH Faraday Series M-8600-W speakers are ready for use.

- Ensure your amplifier/receiver is powered on and set to the correct input source.
- Start with the volume at a low level and gradually increase it to your desired listening level.
- The recommended amplifier power for these speakers ranges from 50W to 275W. Operating within this range will ensure optimal performance and longevity.

5. Maintenance

The KLH Faraday Series M-8600-W speakers require minimal maintenance.

- Cleaning: Dust the grilles and speaker frames periodically with a soft, dry cloth. For stubborn marks, a slightly damp cloth can be used, but avoid excessive moisture. Do not use harsh chemicals or abrasive cleaners.
- **Grilles:** The grilles are magnetic and can be easily removed for cleaning or inspection. Handle them carefully to avoid bending.
- **Environment:** Ensure the speakers are not exposed to extreme temperatures, direct sunlight, or high humidity, which can affect performance and lifespan.

6. Troubleshooting

If you experience issues with your speakers, refer to the following common troubleshooting steps:

· No Sound:

- Check all speaker wire connections at both the speaker and the amplifier/receiver. Ensure they are secure and correctly polarized (+ to +, - to -).
- Verify that the amplifier/receiver is powered on and set to the correct input source.
- Test with another audio source or speaker if possible to isolate the problem.

· Distorted Sound:

- Reduce the volume level on your amplifier/receiver. Overdriving the speakers can cause distortion.
- Check speaker wire connections for loose strands or short circuits.
- Ensure the amplifier's power output is within the recommended range (50W-275W) for the speakers.
- Inspect the speaker cones and tweeters for any visible damage.

Uneven Sound or One Speaker Not Working:

- Check the balance settings on your amplifier/receiver.
- Verify the wiring for the affected speaker.
- Swap the speaker wires at the amplifier for the left and right channels to determine if the issue follows the speaker or the amplifier channel.

7. Technical Specifications

Feature	Specification
Model Name	KLH Faraday Series M-8600-W
Speaker Type	2-Way In-Wall Speaker
Woofer Configuration	Dual 6.5" Fiberglass/Kevlar® Laminate Cone Woofers
Tweeter Configuration	1" Silk Dome Tweeter
Frequency Response	45Hz - 20KHz
Sensitivity	91dB
Nominal Impedance	8 Ohms

Feature	Specification
Crossover Frequency	2500Hz
Recommended Amplifier Power	50W - 275W
Enclosure Type	Sealed and Tuned MDF with Steel Reinforcement
Dimensions (W x H)	11.3" W x 19.7" H (per speaker)
Mounting Depth	3.9"
Weight	16 lbs (per speaker), 64 lbs (total bundle)
Installation Points	Six (6) Dog-Leg Clamps
Input Connection	5-Way Binding Posts
UPC	840425820209
ASIN	B0DMFSWNV3

8. Warranty and Support

For detailed warranty information, please refer to the warranty card included with your purchase or visit the official KLH website.

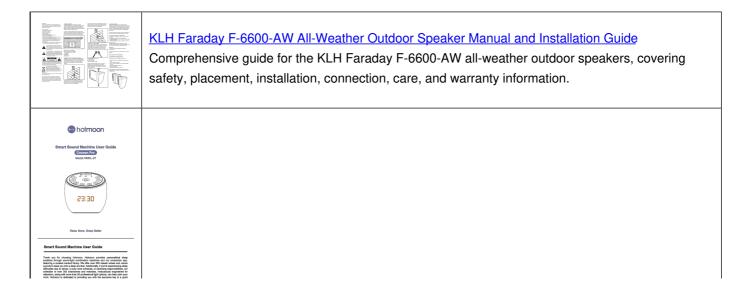
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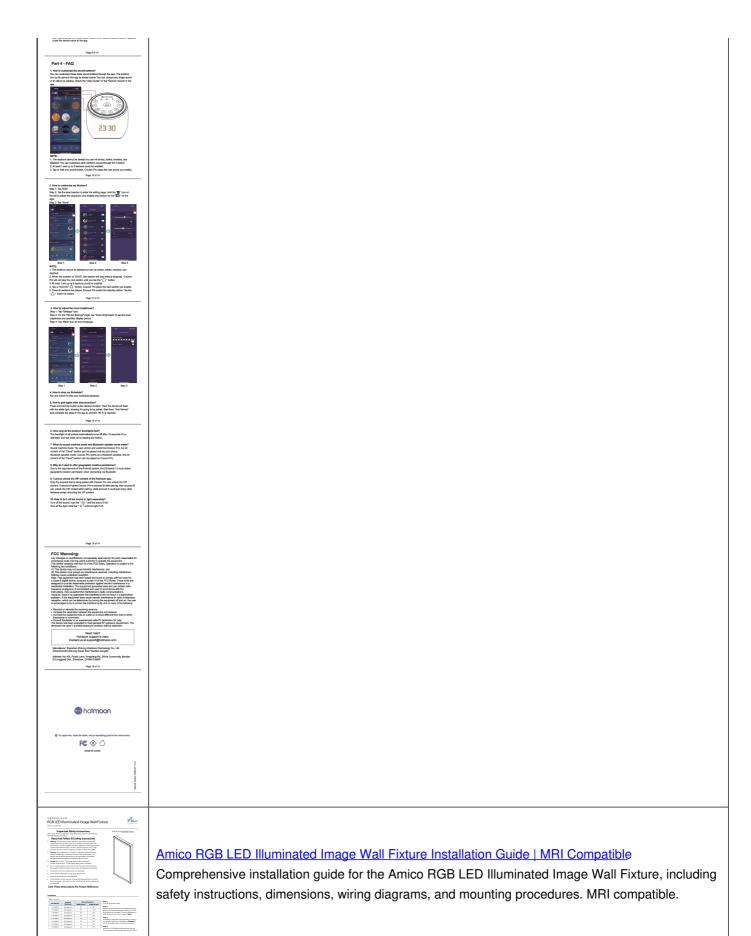
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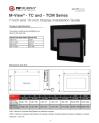






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