
Subject: 7 Pi woofers

Posted by [jimbop](#) on Sun, 14 Sep 2008 03:44:41 GMT

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Wayne, do you know if the Altec 515G would be a suitable woofer for the 7-Pi? Jim Dombrowski

Subject: Re: 7 Pi woofers

Posted by [Wayne Parham](#) on Sun, 14 Sep 2008 07:12:38 GMT

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you want for home hifi, slightly overdamped, much like the curve that results from a JBL 2226. The 515G is suitable for use in vented cabinets from 2.0ft³ to 5.0ft³ tuned to 40Hz to 50Hz. The lower tuning makes the cabinet slightly overdamped. A slightly higher tuning is best if the cabinet is used outdoors or in large spaces. Note that not all 515 drivers have similar electro-mechanical specs. The 515B and 515C, for example, work best in larger boxes up to 15ft³.

Subject: Re: 7 Pi woofers

Posted by [jimbop](#) on Sun, 14 Sep 2008 18:45:59 GMT

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Most of what I read states that the 515G needs a horn cabinet, so I would be reluctant to try it in a bass reflex type cab (such as the 4Pi). That's why I was asking about the 7Pi suitability. Jim
