
Subject: World's Most Powerful Loudspeaker
Posted by [Wayne Parham](#) on Thu, 10 Jun 2004 14:42:30 GMT
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The worlds most powerful loudspeaker doesn't use an electrodynamic transducer. It's an airstream modulator that uses compressed gas. And it's mighty loud. Check this out:
WAS 3000

Subject: As loud as it gets...!
Posted by [Eldragon](#) on Wed, 28 Jul 2004 16:06:32 GMT
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Read somewhere that sometimes in 1800's Fyji vulcano erupted sending BANG around the globe, tree times. Now, how loud is that?

Subject: Re: As loud as it gets...!
Posted by [Wayne Parham](#) on Wed, 28 Jul 2004 21:07:32 GMT
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That's amazing, isn't it? Have you heard about the Tunguska incident? It was another interesting event I imagine would have pegged the SPL meter just about everywhere.

Subject: Yes, i wsa fascinated as a kid...
Posted by [Eldragon](#) on Wed, 28 Jul 2004 23:37:37 GMT
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...over the Siberian "incident". At first they thought it was UFO. Thanks for the link! Dragan

Subject: Re: Yes, i wsa fascinated as a kid...
Posted by [Wayne Parham](#) on Thu, 29 Jul 2004 00:01:16 GMT
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I remember all the UFO references. I also remember the theory that a black hole passed through

the Earth. There has been lots of weird speculations, and that makes it an interesting investigation.

Subject: Pictures were eerie spectacles...
Posted by [Eldragon](#) on Thu, 29 Jul 2004 00:58:53 GMT
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...looking at those trees, at first they appear like matchsticks! I am wondering if it will happen again?

Subject: Re: World's Most Powerful Loudspeaker
Posted by [DaBase](#) on Sat, 22 May 2010 15:57:46 GMT
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I can't imagine anything being so loud that it travels around the earth three times. That's just crazy but cool at the same time. I don't think I've heard anything that loud lately. That would totally blow your eardrums out for sure.

Subject: Re: World's Most Powerful Loudspeaker
Posted by [Chuckles101](#) on Sun, 13 Jun 2010 09:52:52 GMT
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Yep these loudspeakers are exactly that - loud! But I really do not see the point of creating something like this. And I am also dubious as to a sound travelling around the world 3 times - not sure that is possible!

Subject: Re: World's Most Powerful Loudspeaker
Posted by [Songs4Life](#) on Wed, 11 Aug 2010 15:21:11 GMT
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Don't know how it would travel round the globe three times but I wouldn't want to be at Ground Zero when it goes off. Actually I doubt if sound travels in a straight line like light does. It goes kind of like a cone, expanding outwards.

Subject: Re: World's Most Powerful Loudspeaker
Posted by [BigMacAndCheese](#) on Wed, 22 Sep 2010 15:08:33 GMT
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The first link posted didn't lead to the topic discussed, which maybe because it is a few years old. I looked on the net and found references to the speakers though. I never knew that this experiment could actually help with noise reduction!

Subject: Re: World's Most Powerful Loudspeaker
Posted by [Wayne Parham](#) on Wed, 22 Sep 2010 21:12:46 GMT
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Yeah, that link is several years old. The page there now isn't the same as it was when I posted in 2004. But here's a photo and article about it:
The loudest speaker in the world

File Attachments

1) [WAS3000.jpg](#), downloaded 2522 times

Subject: Re: World's Most Powerful Loudspeaker
Posted by [Bohnam](#) on Tue, 05 Oct 2010 16:22:07 GMT
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I think I could find some uses for that . That thing is HUGE!! The link didn't load for me, what exactly do they use it for, and who owns it?

Subject: Re: World's Most Powerful Loudspeaker
Posted by [Danny](#) on Thu, 21 Oct 2010 12:04:45 GMT
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Wow! I would love to borrow that thing to listen to The White Stripes with! That would suit me just fine! My neighbors might not like it very much, though.

Subject: Re: World's Most Powerful Loudspeaker
Posted by [Wolfgang](#) on Thu, 21 Oct 2010 19:28:35 GMT
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Wow, the sound went around the world three times! Now, that's unbelievable and seems out of this world. And considering the world was so much in basic shape I could imagine how people wondered what that noise was all about.
That loudest speaker, can it outdo the woman in Kung Fu Hustle? LOL!

Subject: Re: World's Most Powerful Loudspeaker
Posted by [MusicDiva](#) on Thu, 21 Oct 2010 19:35:54 GMT
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I can't believe that something can be THAT loud! Oh my gosh, I mean that just seems so unbelievable to me!!
