

# SPECIFICATIONS

## TW030WA13/14 30 mm chambered neodymium textile tweeter, 4/8 ohm

TW030WA13 and TW030WA14 are true high-end tweeters designed for the most demanding applications featuring an array of performance improving details that participate in obtaining low resonance frequency, low distortion and very high frequency extension.

### FEATURES

- Precision textile dome ensuring extended response and very good consistency
- 30 mm voice coil design with high power handling, and low resonance frequency
- Copper clad center pole yielding very low voice coil inductance for reduced distortion and increased high frequency output
- Vented through to a damped rear chamber for low resonance frequency and low distortion
- Internal volumes for low resonance frequency and low distortion
- Optimized dome shape for ultra high frequency cut-off
- Rear heat sink for increased long term power handling
- Vented voice coil former for reduced distortion and compression
- Copper-clad aluminium voice coil wire offering lower moving mass for improved efficiency and transient response
- Built-in cavities under dome/edge to equalize pressure - for lower distortion and lower resonance frequency
- Flexible lead wires for higher power handling and larger excursion
- Gold plated terminals to prevent oxidation and ensure long-term reliable connection
- Delivered with foam gasket attached for hassle-free mounting and secure cabinet sealing



### NOMINAL SPECIFICATIONS

| Notes   | Parameter   | Value     |           | Unit               |
|---------|---|-----------|-----------|--------------------|
|         |   | TW030WA13 | TW030WA14 |                    |
|         | Nominal size  | 30        | 30        | [mm]               |
|         | Nominal impedance   | 4         | 8         | [ohm]              |
|         | Recommended frequency range                                   | 2 - 30    | 2 - 30    | [kHz]              |
| 1, 4    | Sensitivity, 2.83V/1m (average SPL in range 5 - 20 kHz)       | 93.5      | 90.5      | [dB]               |
| 2       | Power handling, short term, IEC 268-5, 2.5 kHz@12dB/oct.      |           |           | [W]                |
| 2       | Power handling, long term, IEC 268-5, 2.5 kHz@12dB/oct.       |           |           | [W]                |
| 2       | Power handling, continuous, IEC 268-5, 2.5 kHz@12dB/oct.      | 35        | 35        | [W]                |
|         | Effective radiating area, S <sub>d</sub>                      | 11.5      | 11.5      | [cm <sup>2</sup> ] |
| 3, 4, 6 | Resonance frequency (free air, no baffle), F <sub>s</sub>     | 690       | 715       | [kHz]              |
|         | Moving mass, incl. air (free air, no baffle), M <sub>ms</sub> | 0.43      | 0.40      | [g]                |
| 3       | Force factor, B <sub>xl</sub>                                 | 1.95      | 2.25      | [N/A]              |
| 3, 4, 6 | Suspension compliance, C <sub>ms</sub>                        | 0.124     | 0.124     | [mm/N]             |
| 3, 4, 6 | Equivalent air volume, V <sub>as</sub>                        | 23        | 23        | [mlit.]            |
| 3, 4, 6 | Mechanical resistance, R <sub>ms</sub>                        | 0.76      | 0.76      | [Ns/m]             |
| 3, 4, 6 | Mechanical Q, Q <sub>ms</sub>                                 | 2.45      | 2.37      | [-]                |
| 3, 4, 6 | Electrical Q, Q <sub>es</sub>                                 | 1.72      | 2.31      | [-]                |
| 3, 4, 6 | Total Q, Q <sub>ts</sub>                                      | 1.01      | 1.17      | [-]                |
| 4       | Voice coil resistance, R <sub>DC</sub>                        | 3.5       | 6.5       | [ohm]              |
| 5       | Voice coil inductance, L <sub>e</sub> (measured at 10 kHz)    | 33        | 59        | [μH]               |
|         | Voice coil inside diameter                                    | 30.4      | 30.4      | [mm]               |
|         | Voice coil winding height                                     | 1.7       | 1.7       | [mm]               |
|         | Air gap height  | 3.0       | 3.0       | [mm]               |
|         | Theoretical linear motor stroke, X <sub>max</sub>             | ±0.65     | ±0.65     | [mm]               |
|         | Magnet weight   |           |           | [g]                |
|         | Total unit net weight excl. packaging                         | 0.13      | 0.13      | [kg]               |
| 3, 4, 5 | K <sub>rm</sub>   | 4.1       | 4.4       | [mohm]             |
| 3, 4, 5 | E <sub>rm</sub>   | 0.48      | 0.48      | [-]                |
| 3, 4, 5 | K <sub>xm</sub>   | 197       | 726       | [mH]               |
| 3, 4, 5 | E <sub>xm</sub>   | 0.11      | 0.0       | [-]                |

Note 1 Measured in infinite baffle.

Note 2 Tested in free air (no cabinet, no baffle).

Note 3 Measured using a semi-constant current source, nominal level 2 mA.

Note 4 Measured at 25 deg. C

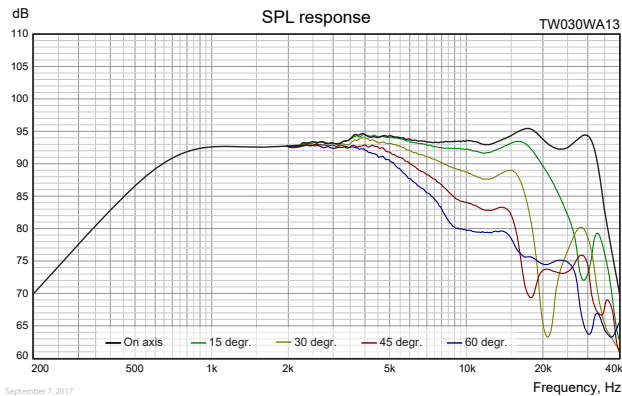
Note 5 It is generally a rough simplification to assume that loudspeaker transducer voice coils exhibit the characteristics of an inductor. Instead it is a far more accurate approach to use the more advanced model often referred to as the "Wright empirical model", also used in LEAP-4 as the TSL model ([www.linearx.com](http://www.linearx.com)), involving parameters K<sub>rm</sub>, E<sub>rm</sub>, K<sub>xm</sub>, and E<sub>xm</sub>. This more accurate transducer model is described in a technical paper [here at our web site](#).

Note 6 Measured before burn in. The unit is not burned in before shipping.

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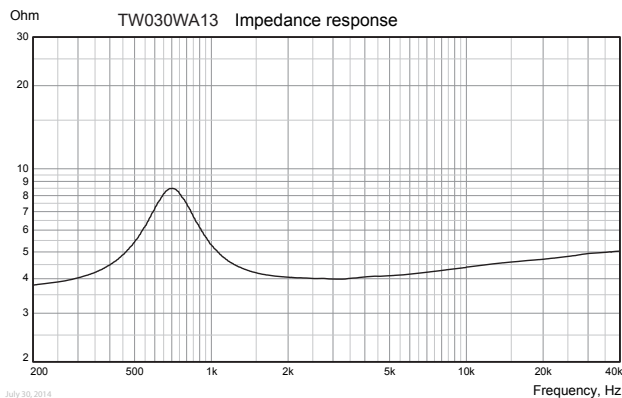


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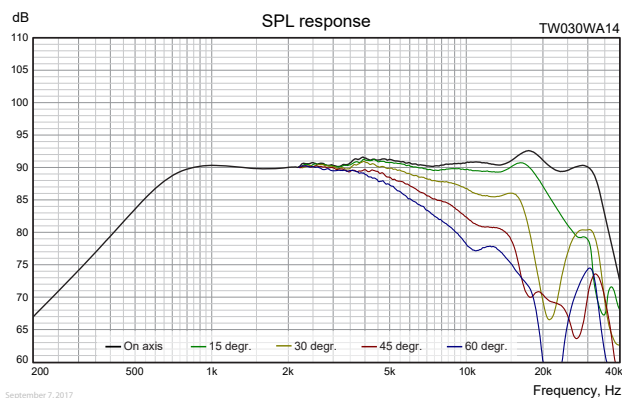
### Measuring conditions, SPL

Driver mounting: Flush in infinite baffle, back side open (no cabinet)  
Microphone distance: 1.0 m  
Input signal: 2.83 VRMS stepped sine wave  
Smoothing: 1/6 oct.



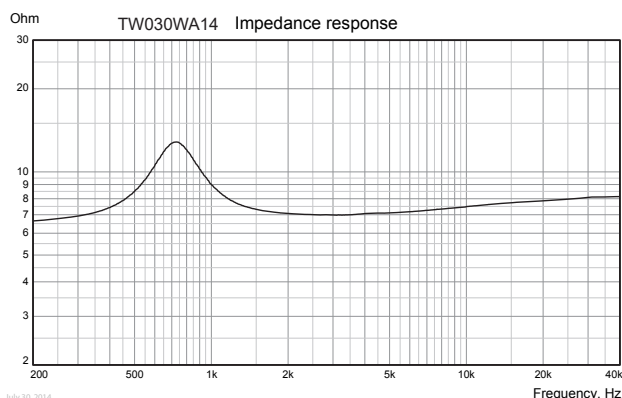
### Measuring conditions, impedance

Driver mounting: Free air, no baffle, back side open (no cabinet)  
Input signal: Stepped sine wave, semi-current-drive, nominal current 2 mA  
Smoothing: None



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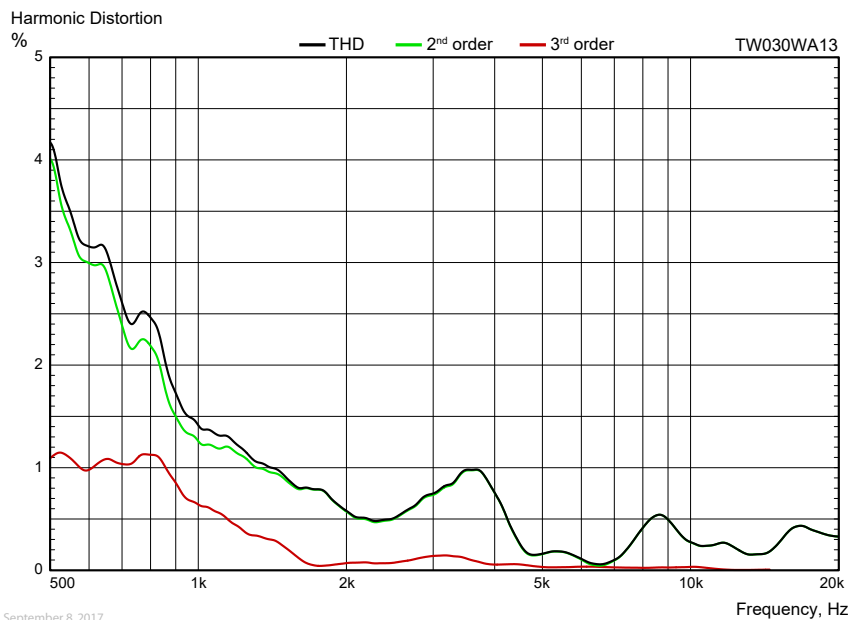
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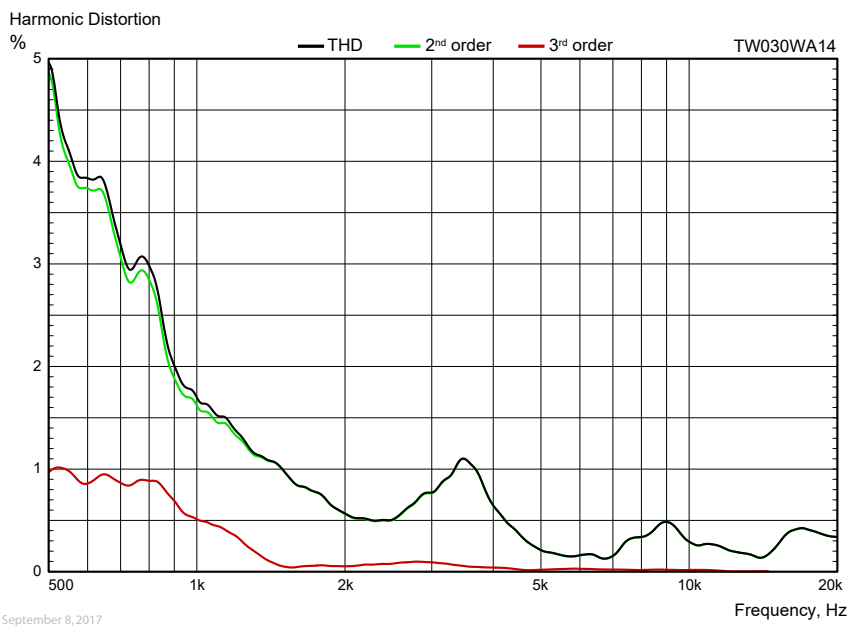
#### Measuring conditions, Harmonic Distortion

Driver mounting: Infinite baffle

Microphone distance: 0.5 m

Input signal: Stepped sine wave, 2.0 VRMS (TW030WA13) / 2.83 VRMS (TW030WA14)

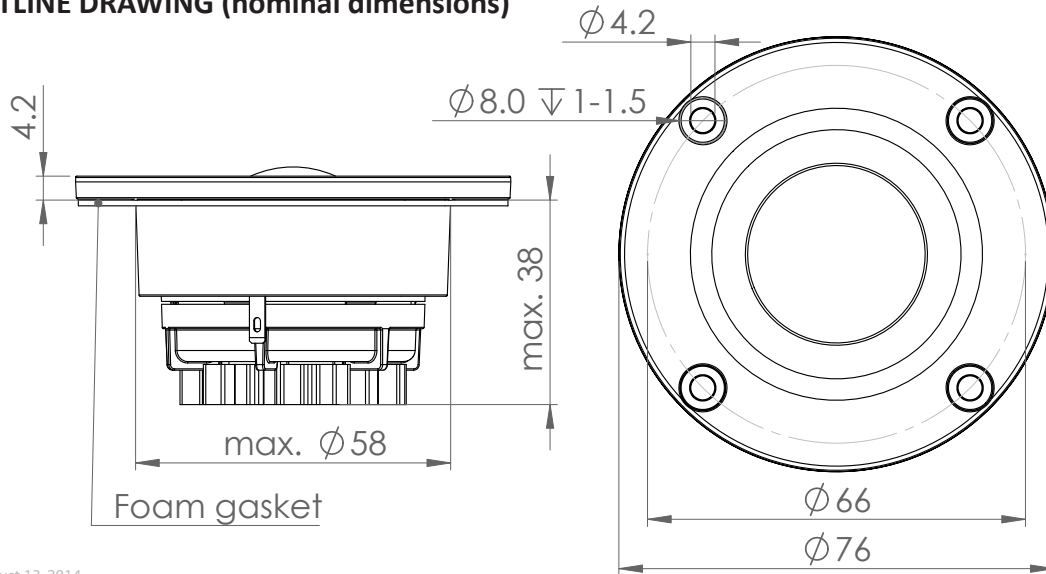
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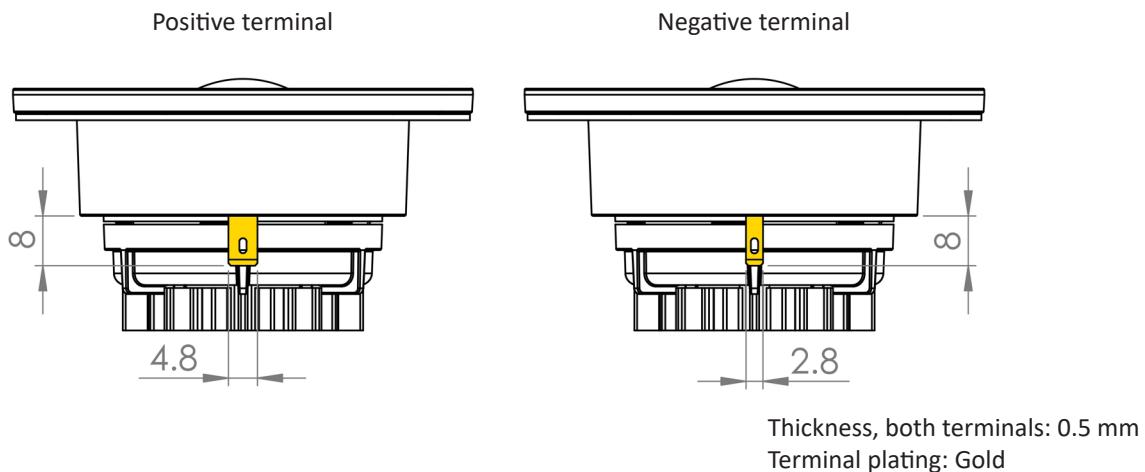
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### OUTLINE DRAWING (nominal dimensions)



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### CONNECTIONS



### PACKAGING AND ORDERING INFORMATION

|                       |  |
|-----------------------|--|
| Part no. TW030WA13-01 | 4 ohm, individual packaging (one pair per box) |
| Part no. TW030WA13-02 | 4 ohm, bulk (industrial) packaging             |
| Part no. TW030WA14-01 | 8 ohm, individual packaging (one pair per box) |
| Part no. TW030WA14-02 | 8 ohm, bulk (industrial) packaging             |

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