

VERSION 1.0

# MUSWAY

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## MINI4S

DIGITAL CLASS D 4-CHANNEL  
AMPLIFIER WITH BUILT IN BLUETOOTH

## **SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS**

**THE PURCHASED DEVICE IS ONLY SUITABLE FOR AN OPERATION WITH A 12V ON-BOARD ELECTRICAL SYSTEM OF A VEHICLE.** Otherwise fire hazard, risk of injury and electric shock consists.

**PLEASE DO NOT MAKE ANY OPERATION OF THE SOUND SYSTEM, WHICH DISTRACT YOU FROM A SAFE DRIVING.** Do not make any procedures, which demand a longer attention. Perform these operations not until you have stopped the vehicle on a safe place. Otherwise the risk of accident consists.

**ADJUST THE SOUND VOLUME TO AN APPROPRIATE LEVEL, THAT YOU ARE STILL ABLE TO HEAR EXTERIOR NOISES WHILE DRIVING.** High performance sound systems in vehicles may generate the acoustic pressure of a live concert. The permanent listening to extreme loud music may cause the loss of your hearing abilities. The hearing of extreme loud music while driving may derogate your cognition of warning signals in the traffic. In the interests of the common safeness, we suggest to drive with a lower sound volume. Otherwise the risk of accident consists.

**DO NOT COVER COOLING VENTS AND HEAT SINKS.** Otherwise this may cause heat accumulation in the device and fire hazard consists.

**DO NOT OPEN THE DEVICE.** Otherwise fire hazard, risk of injury and electric shock consists. Also this may cause a loss of the warranty.

**REPLACE FUSES ONLY WITH FUSE WITH THE SAME RATING.** Otherwise fire hazard and risk of electric shock consists.

**DO NOT USE THE DEVICE ANY LONGER, IF A MALFUNCTION OCCURS, WHICH REMAINS NOT REMEDIED.** Refer in this case to the chapter TROUBLE SHOOTING. Otherwise risk of injury and the damage of the device consists. Commit the device to an authorized retailer.

**INTERCONNECTION AND INSTALLATION SHOULD BE ACCOMPLISHED BY SKILLED STAFF ONLY.** The interconnection and installation of this device demands technical aptitude and experience. For your own safeness, commit the interconnection and installation to your car audio retailer, where you have purchased the device.

**DISCONNECT THE GROUND CONNECTION FROM THE Vehicle battery BEFORE INSTALLATION.** Before you start with the installation of the sound system, disconnect by any means the ground supply wire from the battery, to avoid any risk of electric shock and short circuits.

**CHOOSE AN APPROPRIATE LOCATION FOR THE INSTALLATION OF THE DEVICE.** Look for an appropriate location for the device, which ensures a sufficient air circulation. The best places are spare wheel cavities, and open spaces in the trunk area. Less suitable are storage spaces behind the side coverings or under the car seats.

**DO NOT INSTALL THE DEVICE AT LOCATIONS, WHERE IT WILL BE EXPOSED TO HIGH HUMIDITY AND DUST.** Install the device at a location, where it will be protected from high humidity and dust. If humidity and dust attain inside the device, malfunctions may be caused.

**MOUNT THE DEVICE AND OTHER COMPONENTS OF THE SOUND SYSTEM SUFFICIENTLY.** Otherwise the device and components may get loose and act as dangerous objects, which could cause serious harm and damages in the passenger room.

**ENSURE CORRECT CONNECTION OF ALL TERMINALS.** Faulty connections may could cause fire hazard and lead to damages of the device.

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**ENSURE NOT TO DAMAGE COMPONENTS, WIRES AND CABLES OF THE VEHICLE WHEN YOU DRILL THE MOUNTING HOLES.** If you drill the mounting holes for the installation into the vehicle's chassis, ensure by any means, not to damage, block or tangent the fuel pipe, the gas tank, other wires or electrical cables.

**DO NOT INSTALL AUDIO CABLES AND POWER SUPPLY WIRES TOGETHER.** Ensure while installation not to lead the audio cables between the head unit and the processor together with the power supply wires on the same side of the vehicle. The best is a areal separated installation in the left and right cable channel of the vehicle. Therewith a overlap of interferences on the audio signal will be avoided. This stands also for the equipped bass-remote wire, which should be installed not together with the power supply wires, but rather with the audio signal cables.

**ENSURE THAT CABLES MAY NOT CAUGHT UP IN CLOSE-BY OBJECTS.** Install all the wires and cables like described on the following pages, therewith these may not hinder the driver. Cables and wires which are installed close-by the steering wheel, gear lever or the brake pedal, may caught up and cause highly dangerous situations.

**DO NOT SPLICE ELECTRICAL WIRES.** The electrical wires should not be bared, to provide power supply to other devices. Otherwise the load capacity of the wire may get overloaded. Use therefor a appropriate distribution block. Otherwise fire hazard and risk of electric shock consists.

**DO NOT USE BOLTS AND SCREW NUTS OF THE BRAKE SYSTEM AS GROUND POINT.** Never use for the installation or the ground point bolts and screw-nuts of the brake system, steering system or other security-relevant components. Otherwise fire hazard consists or the driving safety will be derogated.

**ENSURE NOT TO BEND OR SQUEEZE CABLES AND WIRES BY SHARP OBJECTS.** Do not install cables and wires not close-by movable objects like the seat rail or may be bent or harmed by sharp and barbed edges. If you lead a wire or cable through the hole in a metal sheet, protect the insulation with a rubber grommet.

**KEEP AWAY SMALL PARTS AND JACKS FROM CHILDREN.** If objects like these will be swallowed, the risk of serious injuries consists. Consult promptly a medical doctor, if a child swallowed a small object.

**QUESTIONS REGARDING PRODUCT SAFETY.** If you have any further questions regarding product safety, please contact us by e-mail at [amplifiers@audiodesign.de](mailto:amplifiers@audiodesign.de)

## **INTENDED USE**

This product is designed to operate in a vehicle with an on-board voltage of +12 V with negative ground. The device functions as an audio amplifier that is used within a vehicle sound system.

## TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

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| <b>Model</b>  | MINI4S  |
| <b>Channels</b>   | 4   |
| <b>Circuit</b>  | Digital Class D                                 |
| <b>Power RMS @ 14.4 V (<math>\leq 1\%</math> THD+N)</b><br>Watts @ 4 Ohms<br>Watts @ 2 Ohms<br>Watts @ 4 Ohms bridged | <b>CH1-CH4</b><br>4 x 130<br>4 x 210<br>2 x 420 |
| <b>Frequency Range</b>  | 18 - 29000 Hz @ -3 dB                           |
| <b>Signal-to-noise Ratio</b>  | > 107 dB  |
| <b>THD+N @ 10 W</b>   | < 0.08 %  |
| <b>Input Sensitivity</b>  | High Level: 1.5V – 20V Low Level: 0.7V – 10V    |
| <b>Filter Section CH1/CH2</b><br>Low Pass Filter or High Pass Filter  | 50 - 4000 Hz                                    |
| <b>Filter Section CH3/CH4</b><br>Low Pass Filter or High Pass Filter  | 50 - 4000 Hz                                    |
| <b>CH3/CH4</b><br>Bass Boost @ 45 Hz  | 0 - 12 dB                                       |
| <b>Operating Voltage</b>  | 8,5 - 17 V (max. 5 sec. down to 7 V)            |
| <b>Start-stop Capability</b>  | ✓   |
| <b>High Level Input with EPS**</b><br>only via included Cable Connector   | ✓<br>Type D                                     |
| <b>Auto Turn-on</b><br>only via High Level Input  | ✓   |
| <b>Bass Level Remote Controller</b>   | ✓   |
| <b>Fuse (external)</b>  | 2 x 35A (Internal)                              |
| <b>Dimensions</b><br>Width<br>Height<br>Length  | 94 mm<br>41 mm<br>165 mm                        |

Technical changes and errors reserved

\*\* Prevents error messages in the vehicle diagnostic system

## SCOPE OF DELIVERY

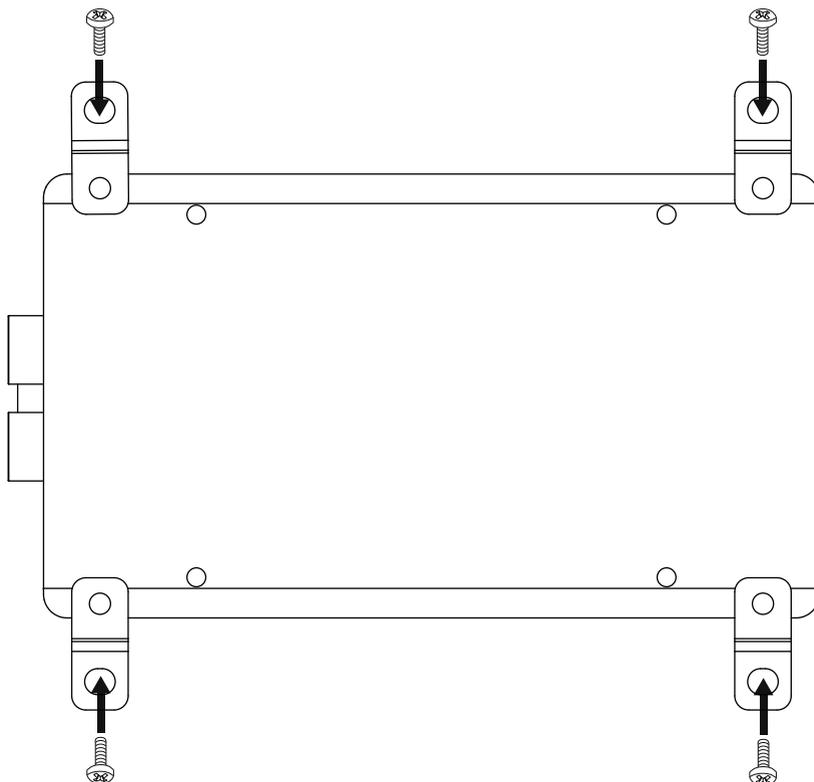
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|---------------------------------|--|
| 1 x MINI4S Amplifier            | 1 x Bass level remote controller with 5 meters cable |
| 1 x 4-pin low level input cable | 1 x 8-pin high level input cable                     |
| 1 x 8-pin speaker outputs cable | 4 x Mounting Plate incl. Screws                      |
| 1 x Owner's Manual              | 2 x 35 A replacement fuse                            |
| 1 x 2 mm hex key                | 1 x 4 mm hex key                                     |



## **MECHANICAL INSTALLATION**

- Avoid any damages on the components of the vehicle like air bags, cables, board computer, seat belts, gas tank or the like.
- Ensure that the chosen location provides a sufficient air circulation for the amplifier. Do not mount the device into small sealed spaces without air circulation or near by heat dispersing parts or electrical parts of the vehicle.
- All cables must be as short as possible to avoid losses and interferences.

### **Mounting Feet Installation**



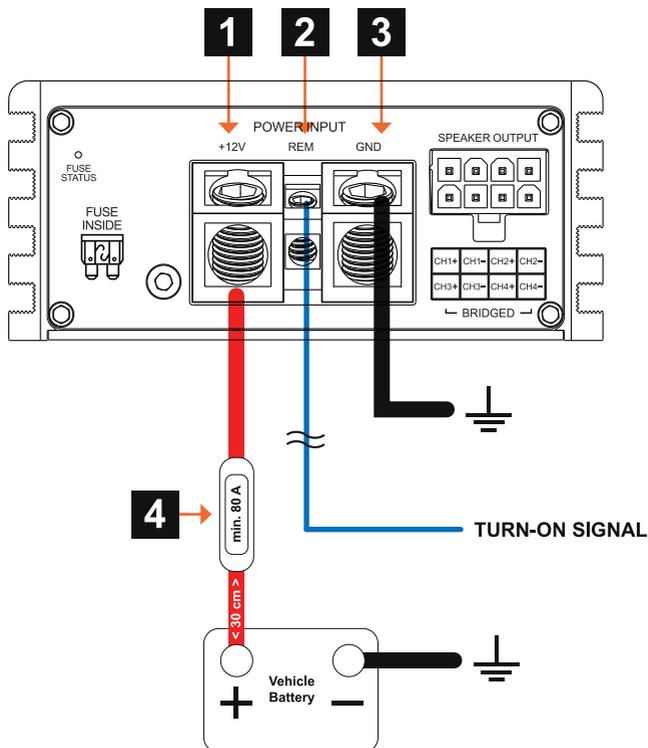
### **CAUTION**

Before you start with the installation, disconnect necessarily the **GROUND** connection wire from the battery to avoid any risk of electric shocks and short circuits.

## ELECTRICAL CONNECTIONS

### BEFORE CONNECTING

For the professional installation of a sound system, car audio retail stores offers appropriate wiring kits. Ensure a sufficient profile section (refer to the table on the next page) and a suitable fuse rating and the conductivity of the cables when you purchase your wiring kit. Clean and remove rust-streaked and oxidized areas on the contact points of the battery and the ground connection. Make sure that all screws are fixed tight after the installation, because loose connections cause malfunctions, insufficient power supply or interferences.



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#### +12V

Connect the +12V terminal with the +12V pole of the vehicle battery. Use a suitable cable with a sufficient cross section (refer to the table on the next page).

2

#### REM

Connect here the turn-on signal from your car radio (REM). Use therefor a suitable cable with a sufficient cross section ( $0,5 \text{ mm}^2$ ). Hereby the amplifier turns on or off with your car radio.

If no turn-on signal from your car radio is available, you must use the AUTO TURN-ON function in conjunction with the High Level Inputs of the amplifier (refer to page 9, section 13).

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### 3 GND

Connect the GND terminal with a suitable contact ground point on the vehicle's chassis. The ground wire must be as short as possible and must be connected to a blank metallic point at the vehicle's chassis. Ensure that this ground point has a stable and safe electric connection to the negative “-” pole of the battery. Check this ground wire from the battery to the ground point if possible and enforce it if required. Use a ground wire with a sufficient cross section (refer to the table and the recommendations on the next page) and the same size like the +12V power supply wire.

### 4 ADDITIONAL CABLE FUSE (NOT INCLUDED)

Install an extra fuse (not included) for the +12V power cable near the battery to secure the power cable. The distance between the fuse and the battery should not exceed 30 cm. The fuse size must be adapted to the cable cross-section of the installed power cable (see table below).

**CAUTION:** The fuse on the battery does not protect the amplifier, but the cable between the battery and the amplifier against short circuits.

|  |           | Cable length in meters |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |
|--|-----------|------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
|  |           | 0 - 1,2                | 1,2 - 2,1 | 2,1 - 3,1 | 3,1 - 4,0 | 4,0 - 4,9 | 4,9 - 5,8 | 5,8 - 6,7 | 6,7 - 8,5 |
| Fuse value   | 20 - 35 A | 4                      | 6         | 10        | 10        | 16        | 16        | 16        | 20        |
|  | 35 - 50 A | 6                      | 10        | 10        | 16        | 16        | 20        | 20        | 20        |
|  | 50 - 65 A | 10                     | 10        | 16        | 20        | 20        | 20        | 20        | 35        |
|  | 65 - 85 A | 16                     | 16        | 20        | 20        | 35        | 35        | 35        | 50        |
|  | 85 - 105  | 16                     | 16        | 20        | 35        | 35        | 35        | 35        | 50        |
|  | 105 - 125 | 20                     | 20        | 20        | 35        | 35        | 50        | 50        | 50        |
| <b>Minimum cable cross-section in mm<sup>2</sup></b> |           |                        |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |

**Recommended minimum cable cross-section to guarantee full amplifier performance:**

**Up to a length of 3 m: < 20 mm<sup>2</sup>**

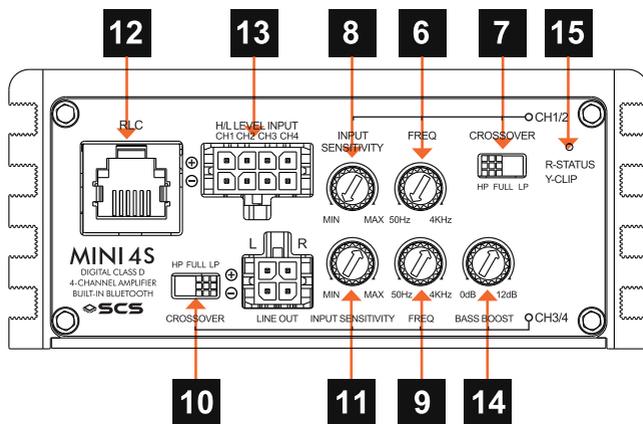
**From a length of 3 m: > 20 mm<sup>2</sup>**



### CAUTION

Replace defective fuses only with a new one of the same type and with the same fuse rating.

## FUNCTIONAL DESCRIPTION



**6** **FREQ. (CH1/CH2)**  
 With this controller you can set the crossover frequency of the high or low pass filter of channel pair CH1/CH2. The crossover frequency is continuously adjustable from 50 Hz to 4000 Hz.

**7** **CROSSOVER (CH1/CH2)**  
 This switch selects the desired operating mode of channel pair CH1/CH2:

**LP:** Low pass mode, the frequency is limited upwards, adjustable by the **FREQ.** controller

**FULL:** Full range mode, the entire frequency range is amplified

**HP:** High pass mode, the frequency is limited downwards, adjustable by the **FREQ.** controller

**8** **INPUT SENS. (CH1/CH2)**  
 This controller determines the input sensitivity of the input signal of channel pair CH1/CH2. Turn up the volume of your car radio to approximately 75% and set the input sensitivity of the amplifier to a level, that no distortion or clipping is audible during music playback.

**9** **FREQ. (CH3/CH4)**  
 With this controller you can set the crossover frequency of the high or low pass filter of channel pair CH3/CH4. The crossover frequency is continuously adjustable from 50 Hz to 4000 Hz.

**10** **CROSSOVER (CH3/CH4)**  
 This switch selects the desired operating mode of channel pair CH3/CH4:

**LP:** Low pass mode, the frequency is limited upwards, adjustable by the **FREQ.** controller

**FULL:** Full range mode, the entire frequency range is amplified

**HP:** High pass mode, the frequency is limited downwards, adjustable by the **FREQ.** controller

**11** **INPUT SENS. (CH3/CH4)**  
 This controller determines the input sensitivity of the input signal of channel pair CH3/CH4. Turn up the volume of your car radio to approximately 75% and set the input sensitivity of the amplifier to a level, that no distortion or clipping is audible during music playback.

## FUNCTIONAL DESCRIPTION

- 12** **RLC**  
The RLC port is for connecting the cable of the included bass level remote controller and myCON. With this, the bass level of channel 3/4 can be e.g. be adjusted from the driver's seat. When connected to the myCON, you can control Bluetooth music playback, Bluetooth volume, and the bass level of channel 3/4 through the myCON.
- 13** **HIGH & LOW LEVEL INPUT (CH1/CH2, CH4/CH4)**  
**Low Level Input:** If your car radio has RCA preamplifier outputs, you can use the low level input of the amplifier by using the included 4-pin low level cable adapter with RCA sockets at the input terminal for each channel pair. Connect the RCA sockets of the cable adapter with the RCA output cables from the car radio accordingly.  
**High Level Input:** If your car radio has no RCA preamplifier outputs, you can use the high level input of the amplifier by using the included 4-pin high level cable adapter with open cable ends at the input terminal for each channel pair. Connect the open cable ends of the cable adapter with speaker output cables from the car radio accordingly.  
**Auto Turn-On:** If your car radio has no turn-on signal output (refer to page 6, section 2), you must use the automatic turn-on function of the amplifier. This function is only available in conjunction with the use of the High Level Input.
- 14** **BASS BOOST(CH3/4)**  
The bass boost controller determines the bass enhancement of the audio signal on channel 3/4. The bass boost level is continuously adjustable from 0 dB to +12 dB.  
**CAUTION:** Use this controller with caution to avoid distortion or clipping during music playback.
- 15** **STATUS/CLIP**  
This LED lights up yellow if one of the four high level inputs (CH1-4) is overdriven. The LED has no function when an input signal is applied to the Bluetooth input. If this LED lights up reduce the input sensitivity by using the regarding controller Input Sensitivity until the LED goes out. If the LED is flashing red, means the amplifier is into a self-protection mode. Because of output overload, over voltage or the amplifier has exceeded 80 °C (±5 °C). Refer in this case to chapter TROUBLE SHOOTING on page 12.

## BLUETOOTH AUDIO STREAMING

Connect your phone to the device "Musway" via Bluetooth to play audio through the MINI4S. To control Bluetooth music playback using a controller, the myCON controller is available as an option.

## OPTIONAL ACCESSORIES

With the myCON remote control, it is possible to control the Bluetooth music playback, Bluetooth volume and the subwoofer level.



**myCON**  
Musway Controller

## **TROUBLE SHOOTING**

**ATTENTION:** All instructions in this troubleshooting refer to the entire sound system and its individual components. The features of your device may not match the functions described in the notes. Then skip this point and move on to the next one.

### **NO FUNCTION / THE POWER LED IS NOT ILLUMINATED**

#### **First check the fuse of the routed power cable on the vehicle battery**

##### **The fuse is defective**

Replace the defective fuse with an equivalent one, never with a higher value.

- The fuse fails again.

In this case there appears to be a short circuit between the fuse and the amplifier. To do this, check the + 12V power cable along its entire length from the battery to the amplifier for damage and whether there is a short circuit to ground, e.g. a contact with the vehicle chassis or the body. If necessary, replace the defective power cable.

##### **The fuse is apparently okay**

Use a standard 12 volt voltmeter to check the voltage between the + 12V connection and the ground connection on the amplifier.

- There is no voltage.

Use the voltmeter to check the fuse, which is located close to the vehicle battery, to see whether there is voltage between the output and ground.

If there is no voltage there, either the fuse holder or the fuse is defective, although it appears to be okay. If necessary, replace the fuse holder or fuse.

- There is voltage.

If you operate the amplifier with a pre-amplifier signal (RCA), you must have laid a remote turn-on wire from the car radio to the REM terminal of the amplifier. If so, there is a problem with the control line.

- A remote turn-on wire is connected to the REM terminal at the amplifier.

Use the voltmeter to check whether there is voltage between the REM terminal of the amplifier and ground. The car radio must be switched on.

##### There is no voltage.

- Check the remote turn-on wire from the amplifier to the car radio for a short circuit or damage. If necessary, replace the control line..

##### There is voltage.

- The amplifier is probably malfunctioning or defective. Contact your retailer.

Check the speaker cables from the car radio to the amplifier for short circuits or damage. If necessary, replace the speaker cables or insulate the damaged area.

## TROUBLE SHOOTING

| <b>THE POWER LED IS ON, BUT NO SOUND COMES FROM THE SPEAKERS</b>   |
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| <b>Check the following steps:</b>  |
| <p><b>Low level mode: Are the RCA cables on the car radio and on the amplifier correctly connected?</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <u>The RCA cables are correctly connected.</u><br/>Then an RCA cables could be defective. Check the function of the RCA cables on another audio device. If necessary, replace the defective RCA cables.</li> </ul>  |
| <p><b>High level mode: Are the loudspeaker cables on the car radio and the high level inputs of the amplifier or on the high level cable plug correctly connected?</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <u>The speaker cables are connected correctly.</u><br/>A speaker cable could be defective. If necessary, replace the speaker cable or insulate the damaged area.</li> </ul>  |
| <p><b>Are the speaker cables correctly connected between the speakers or the subwoofer at the speaker outputs of the amplifier?</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <u>The speaker cables are connected correctly.</u><br/>A speaker cable could be defective. If necessary, replace the speaker cable or insulate the damaged area.</li> </ul>   |
| <p><b>Is the high pass filter or subsonic filter set higher than the low pass filter on the amplifier?</b></p> <p>Then slowly turn down the controller for the high pass filter or subsonic filter until the sound can be heard.</p>   |
| <p><b>Is the input mode switch on the amplifier set correctly?</b></p> <p>Check the setting and change the switch position if necessary.</p>   |
| <p><b>Are the crossover switches on the amplifier set correctly?</b></p> <p>Check the settings and change the respective switch position if necessary.</p>   |
| <p><b>Are the speakers or the subwoofer working?</b></p> <p>Hold a standard 9 volt block battery to the terminals of each loudspeaker or the subwoofer.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <u>A faint cracking sound can be heard.</u><br/>The speaker or subwoofer is fine.</li> <li>• <u>There is nothing to be heard.</u><br/>The loudspeaker or subwoofer could be defective. If necessary, replace the defective speaker or subwoofer.</li> </ul> |
| <p><b>Are the settings on the car radio set correctly?</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Check the fader and balance settings</li> <li>• Check whether the mute function is activated</li> <li>• Check whether a high pass or low pass filter is activated</li> <li>• Check whether playback has been paused</li> <li>• Check the source settings</li> <li>• Check whether any existing subwoofer output is activated</li> </ul>                  |

## **TROUBLE SHOOTING**

| <b>DISTORTION OR HISSING NOISE CAN BE HEARD FROM THE SPEAKERS</b>  |
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| <b>Check the following steps:</b>  |
| <b>Is a input level controller on the amplifier set too high?</b><br>Slowly turn the controller back until you hear a clean audio signal.  |
| <b>Is the Bass Boost controller on the amplifier set too high?</b><br>Slowly turn the controller back until you hear a clean audio signal.   |
| <b>Is the loudness function on the car radio set too high?</b><br>Deactivate loudness or turn the loudness setting back until you can hear a clean audio signal.                               |
| <b>Are the EQ and sound settings on the car radio set too high?</b><br>Turn down the settings for Treble, Middle and Bass or deactivate the equalizer until you can hear a clean audio signal. |

| <b>ENGINE SPEED DEPENDENT NOISE CAN BE HEARD FROM THE SPEAKERS</b>  |
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| <b>Check the following steps:</b>   |
| <b>Have the RCA cables been laid separately from the power cable in the vehicle?</b><br>If necessary, lay the cables again and make sure that the audio cables are laid separately from the power cable on the left and right in the vehicle.   |
| <b>Is the amplifier's ground connection correctly connected?</b><br>Make sure that the ground connection of the amplifier is not connected directly to the negative pole of the vehicle battery. Select a suitable ground point on the vehicle body for connection. If necessary, use contact spray to improve the conductivity of the connections. |
| <b>Is the conductivity of the ground cable from the vehicle battery to the body okay?</b><br>Make sure that the ground connection of the vehicle battery has a stable and conductive connection to the body. If necessary, use contact spray to improve the conductivity of the connections.  |

| <b>AN ACTIVE OPERATED TWEETER IS DISTORTED OR CRACKED</b>   |
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| <b>CAUTION: Tweeters will be damaged if the frequencies are too low. Please note the manufacturer's information on which frequency setting is recommended. To be on the safe side, pause the play-back of the car radio first. Check the following steps:</b>   |
| <b>Is the crossover mode switch of the relevant channel pair on the amplifier set correctly?</b><br>Set the crossover mode switch to the high pass position (HP or HPF).  |
| <b>Is the high pass filter of the relevant channel pair set too low on the amplifier?</b><br>First turn the high pass controller fully clockwise. Now start playback on the car radio. Then turn the high pass controller slowly counter-clockwise until you can hear a clean sound from the tweeters and produce a balanced sound together with the woofers/mid-range speakers. Make sure that the woofers/ mid-range speakers are set correctly with the respective high pass and low pass controllers. |

## **TROUBLE SHOOTING**

| <b>AMPLIFIER ACTIVATES THE PROTECTIVE CIRCUIT / THE PROTECT LED ILLUMINATES</b>   |
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| <b>Check the following steps:</b>   |
| <p><b>Short circuit on the speaker cables</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• First disconnect all speaker cables from the amplifier. Use a multimeter to check the ohmic impedance of each loudspeaker by measuring between its plus and minus lines. With standard loudspeakers the value fluctuates between 3 and 5 ohms. The values for low-resistance subwoofers can be lower.</li> <li>• <u>The measurement shows a resistance value of less than 0,5 Ohms</u><br/>Then there is a short circuit. Remove the wiring of the affected loudspeaker at its connections. Now use the multimeter to check the ohmic impedance directly at the loudspeaker connections by measuring between the plus and minus connections. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <u>The measurement shows a resistance value of more than 0,5 Ohms</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The speaker is fine, so the speaker wire appears to be defective and causing a short circuit. Replace the defective speaker cable.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <u>The measurement shows a resistance value of less than 0,5 Ohms</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The speaker appears to be defective and is shorting out. Replace the defective speaker.</li> </ul> </li> </ul> </li> </ul> |
| <p><b>The load impedance of the loudspeakers or the subwoofer is too low</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Compare the ohmic impedance of the connected loudspeaker or subwoofer with the technical specifications of the amplifier. For example, if the amplifier is only designed for 2 or 4 ohm operation, no loudspeaker with less than 2 ohms may be connected.</li> </ul>  |
| <p><b>The cross-section of the power cables is too small</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• If the cable cross-section is too small, this leads to an increased ohmic resistance and thus to a voltage drop (voltage loss). This indicates that the amplifier consumes more power. The increased power consumption results in a significantly higher heat development and the amplifier switches to thermal protection mode. Therefore, observe the recommended cable cross-sections in these instructions and, if necessary, lay power cables with a larger cable cross-section.</li> </ul>  |
| <p><b>The amplifier is overheated</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The heat sink of each amplifier requires sufficient air circulation to be able to dissipate the heat generated during operation. If necessary, change the installation position in favor of better cooling of the amplifier or ensure better air circulation at the installation location.</li> <li>• Turn off the sound system and wait about half an hour for the amplifier to cool down again. With very hot outside temperatures and strong sunlight, enormous heat develops inside the vehicle. The amplifier then activates its thermal protection circuit to prevent damage. After cooling down, the amplifier works properly again.</li> </ul>   |

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