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## TW022WA04 22 mm chambered neodymium textile tweeter, 4 ohm

TW022WA04 is a compact 22 mm neodymium tweeter for applications where small size is important, while requiring the highest level of performance

### The best of two worlds?

The design with 22 mm voice coil and wide surround caters for both applications that would normally require traditional ¾" tweeters and those, where 1" tweeters would usually be used.

Featured with a rear chamber these compact tweeters offer very low resonance frequency.



### FEATURES

- 22 mm design for optimal compromise between on- and off-axis frequency response, resonance frequency, and power handling
- Rear chamber for low resonance frequency and reduced distortion
- Outside ring neodymium magnet for lower resonance frequency and distortion
- Precision-coated textile diaphragm for improved consistency and high-frequency extension
- Optimized dome shape for ultra high frequency cutoff
- 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
- Build-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 (TW022WA04 only)

### NOMINAL SPECIFICATIONS

| Notes   | Parameter   | Value  | Unit               |
|---------|---|--------|--------------------|
|         | Nominal size  | 22     | [mm]               |
|         | Nominal impedance   | 4      | [ohm]              |
|         | Recommended frequency range                                   | 2 - 30 | [kHz]              |
| 1, 4    | Sensitivity, 2.83V/1m (average SPL in range 5 - 20 kHz)       | 89.5   | [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.       | 65     | [W]                |
| 2       | Power handling, continuous, IEC 268-5, 2.5 kHz@12dB/oct.      | 20     | [W]                |
|         | Effective radiating area, S <sub>d</sub>                      | 6.1    | [cm <sup>2</sup> ] |
| 3, 4, 6 | Resonance frequency (free air, no baffle), F <sub>s</sub>     | 825    | [Hz]               |
|         | Moving mass, incl. air (free air, no baffle), M <sub>ms</sub> | 0.26   | [g]                |
| 3       | Force factor, B <sub>xl</sub>                                 | 1.60   | [N/A]              |
| 3, 4, 6 | Suspension compliance, C <sub>ms</sub>                        | 0.144  | [mm/N]             |
| 3, 4, 6 | Equivalent air volume, V <sub>as</sub>                        | 7.6    | [mlit.]            |
| 3, 4, 6 | Mechanical resistance, R <sub>ms</sub>                        | 0.92   | [Ns/m]             |
| 3, 4, 6 | Mechanical Q, Q <sub>ms</sub>                                 | 1.4    | [-]                |
| 3, 4, 6 | Electrical Q, Q <sub>es</sub>                                 | 1.9    | [-]                |
| 3, 4, 6 | Total Q, Q <sub>ts</sub>                                      | 0.80   | [-]                |
| 4       | Voice coil resistance, R <sub>DC</sub>                        | 3.6    | [ohm]              |
| 5       | Voice coil inductance, L <sub>e</sub> (measured at 1 kHz)     | 40     | [μH]               |
|         | Voice coil inside diameter                                    | 22     | [mm]               |
|         | Voice coil winding height                                     | 1.6    | [mm]               |
|         | Air gap height  | 2.5    | [mm]               |
|         | Theoretical linear motor stroke, X <sub>max</sub>             | ±0.45  | [mm]               |
|         | Magnet weight   |        | [g]                |
|         | Total unit net weight excl. packaging                         | 0.06   | [kg]               |
| 3, 4, 5 | K <sub>rm</sub>   | 3.2    | [mohm]             |
| 3, 4, 5 | E <sub>rm</sub>   | 1.12   | [-]                |
| 3, 4, 5 | K <sub>xm</sub>   | 3.2    | [mH]               |
| 3, 4, 5 | E <sub>xm</sub>   | 0.56   | [-]                |

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

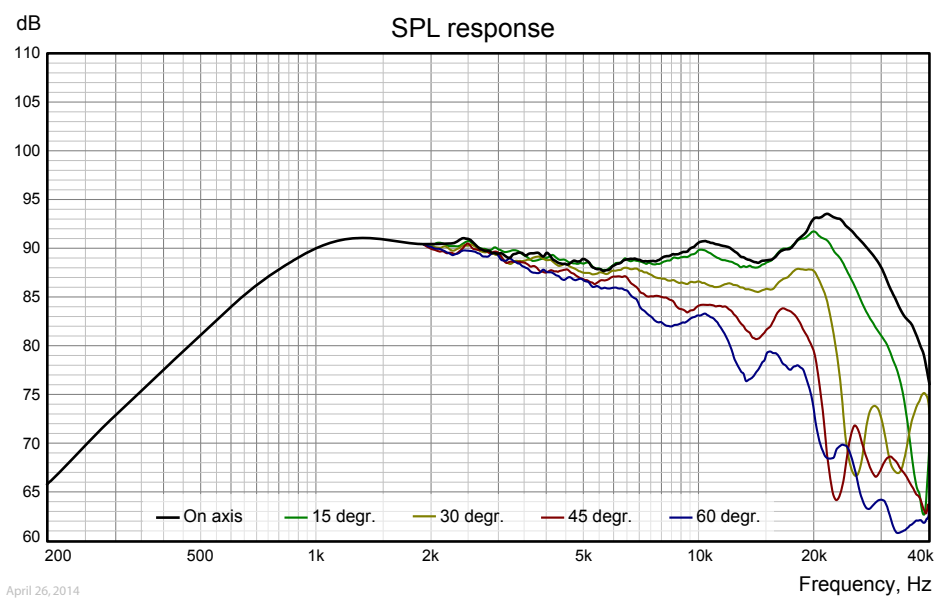
Note 5 It is generally a rough simplification to assume that loudspeaker transducer voice coils exhibit the characteristics of an inductor. Instead it is a far more accurate approach to use the more advanced model often referred to as the "Wright empirical model", also used in LEAP-4 as the TSL model ([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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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.

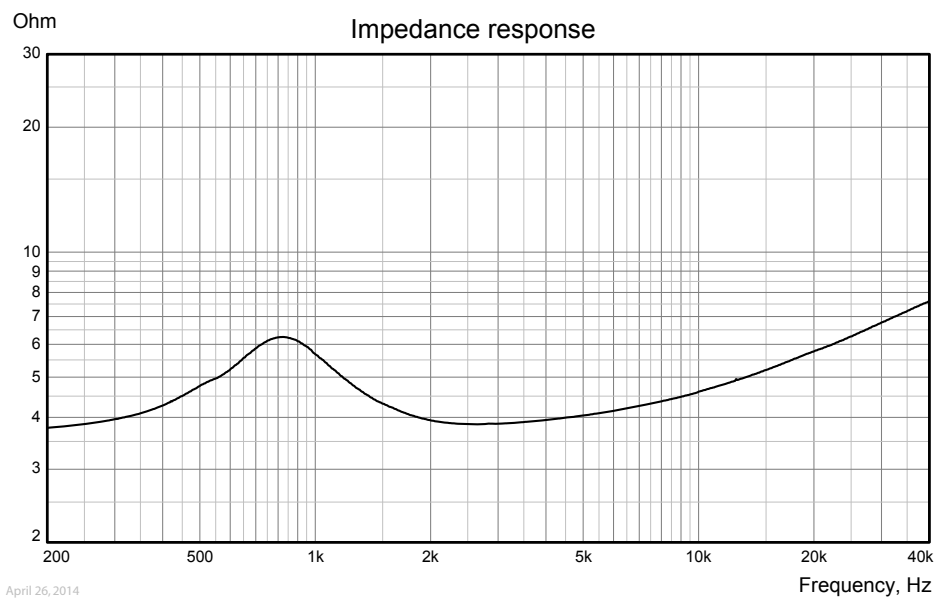


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Measuring conditions, impedance  
Driver mounting: Free air, no baffle, back side open (no cabinet)  
Input signal: Stepped sine wave, semi-current-drive, nominal current 2 mA  
Smoothing: None



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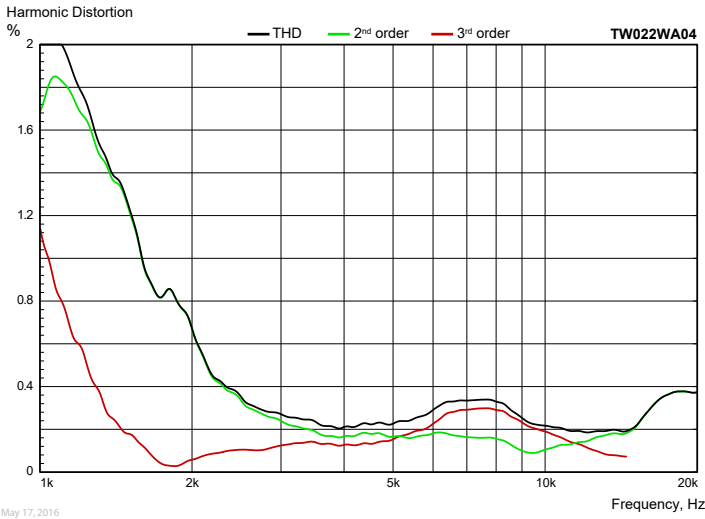
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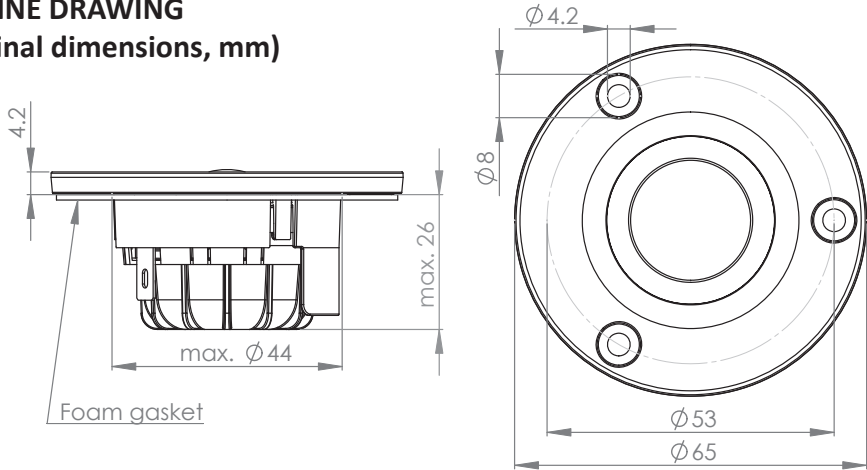
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### HARMONIC DISTORTION

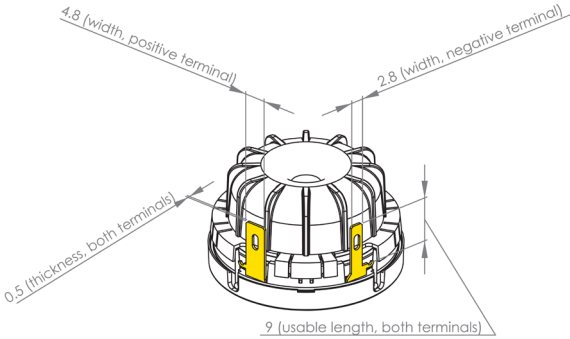


Measuring conditions, harmonic distortion  
 Driver mounting: In "infinite" baffle  
 Microphone distance: 0.5 m  
 Input signal: Stepped sine wave, 2.83 VRMS  
 Smoothing: 1/6 oct.

### OUTLINE DRAWING (nominal dimensions, mm)



### CONNECTIONS



### PACKAGING AND ORDERING INFORMATION

|                       |                                      |
|-----------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Part no. TW022WA04-01 | Packed in pairs (two pieces per box) |
| Part no. TW022WA04-02 | Bulk packaging                       |

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