GTO-LOW

DESCRIPTION

The GTO-LOW is bass extension cabinet which features the same dual 15" drive units, physical dimensions and rigging hardware as the GTO cabinet. The reflex ports are also in the same configuration as GTO which preserves the low-frequency continuity of the array when cabinets are combined. This allows combinations of GTO and GTO-LOW to be deployed in a wide variety of ways depending on the application, venue and available space.

The GTO-LOW is designed to fulfil two main roles:

1. As a bass-extension cabinet for GTO. GTO-LOW elements are normally driven via dedicated controller and amplifier channels, and a factory option is provided to extend low frequency response by selection of a user preset. In standard mode the frequency response of the GTO-LOW mirrors that of the low-frequency section of the GTO cabinet (50Hz to 100Hz), but the user may also choose to extend the range of the GTO-LOW cabinets down to 40Hz if the application requires it.

2. As a multi-purpose low frequency array element which can be used with other Outline systems including Mantas and Butterfly by selection of the correct user programs within the DSP controller. The frequency response of GTO-LOW is sufficiently flexible that it can be adjusted significantly through a range of values to suit various mid/high elements, and can easily handle up to 200Hz.

GTO-LOW modules have the same footprint and rigging hardware as GTO, so can be easily incorporated within a GTO array to extend its overall height. Depending on the exact configuration of cabinets, inclusion of GTO-LOW cabinets within a GTO array provides enhanced low frequency directivity and extends the low frequency response of the array. GTO-LOW cabinets may also be configured to create a low-frequency cardioid coverage pattern, which can be extremely beneficial in many applications. Benefits include the removal of unwanted low frequencies on stage, much greater control over low frequencies in reverberant spaces, and more precise overall system control in acoustically challenging venues.
Whilst the GTO-LOW has the same external shape as GTO to facilitate easy storage, transport and inclusion within GTO / GTO-LOW combination systems, there are some significant internal differences.
Because of its very high power handling and frequency response the whole structure features extensive internal bracing and a single-piece front baffle to maintain structural integrity. Despite all this extra internal engineering, GTO-LOW still weighs only 72 kg (159 lb) including the rigging hardware.

ON THE ROAD

One of the factors that contributes to their low overall weight and easy handling is the fact that GTO and GTO-LOW are extremely compact, especially when compared to their output power. Both cabinets measure just 112 cm wide, 46 cm high and 65 cm deep (44.3 x 18.1 x 25.8 inches), including flying hardware.
This of course provides advantages in crew requirements, deployment, transportation and storage, enhancing the efficient use of the system in touring applications and providing real-world operational advantages to the user. A dedicated dolly fitted with super-heavy-duty wheels provides ideal storage and transportation for blocks of three GTO or GTO-LOW cabinets, while a protection cover is provided to protect the system during transportation.

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS:

FREQUENCY RESPONSE

(-10 dB)	28 Hz ÷ 300 Hz
(±3 dB)	40 Hz ÷ 225 Hz

AVERAGE DISPERSION

	Horizontal	Quasi-omnidirectional
	Vertical	Depending on array configuration

IMPEDANCE (Ω)

Low	2 x 8 Ω (min 6.5 Ω)

POWER - WATT AES

	Cont.	Peak
Low	1200 W	4800 W

MAX SPL @ 1 m (calculated)
(Single Unit, full space)

	Cont.	Peak (+ 6 dB)
Low	131 dB SPL	137 dB SPL

MAX SPL - 4 BOXES (calculated)
(Simulated at 20 m - referred at 1 m)

	Cont.	Peak (+ 6 dB)
Low	143 dB SPL	149 dB SPL

LOUDSPEAKERS AND LOADING

Low	2 x 15" hybrid band-pass loaded woofers

WEIGHT - Single Unit   72 kg (159 lb)

DIMENSION

	Net	With Pins inserted
Height	460 mm (18.1'')	460 mm (18.1'')
Width	1126 mm (44.3'')	1181 mm (46.5'')
Depth	655 mm (25.8'')	655 mm (25.8'')

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