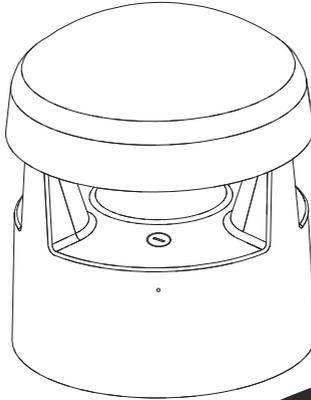


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**INSTALLATION MANUAL**  
**OUTDOOR 360° SPEAKERS**  
**ES-AW-360-6-BRN**



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## INTRODUCTION

Thank you for purchasing Episode® speakers. To complete installation, follow these instructions. Visit our website for design recommendations and speaker calculators.

## PACKAGE CONTENTS

- ES-AW-360-6-BRN
- Weatherproof Wire Nuts

## TOOLS REQUIRED

- Coin to adjust tap switch
- Wire Stripper

## SETUP

### Determining Speaker Locations

- Plan locations with no more than 25'-30' spacing between speakers. Using more speakers in an area allows for more even sound coverage. The final volume of the speakers can be set using the 70 volt systems wattage tap setting. See the *FINE TUNE* section on page 4.
- If using a stereo sound system, place left and right speakers evenly to avoid uneven sound.

### Mounting Considerations

The speakers will not be damaged by normal rainfall, however sprinkler systems may cause damage to the internal audio components. Avoid placing the speakers within direct sprinkler stream areas.

## CONNECT

 **CAUTION:** Do not supply power to the amplifier or connect the speaker line until all other connections have been made.

**NOTE:** The silicone-filled weatherized wire nuts included with this kit are specially designed to be used for direct burial installations. An equivalent connector must be used for any wiring in the system that could be exposed to water or weather.

1. Attach the mount to the speaker.
2. Carefully route the speaker cable into the speaker mount, to avoid damage to the wire insulation.



## Connecting the Amplifier and Testing

1. After wiring each speaker into the run and setting the taps, attach the speaker wires to the amplifier, making sure to mirror the wiring pattern used in the speakers, + to + and - to -. Connect the amplifier to a source and to power, then test the system.
2. Listen to the system from several locations in the audible area. If an area is too loud or quiet, adjust speaker taps or the amplifier volume accordingly until the volume and sound quality is optimized.
3. After optimizing the settings, check the total wattage again to be sure the amp isn't being overworked. It is a good idea to let the system play for about a half hour after setup is done to ensure that the system is reliable.
4. Once the system has been set and tested, the wiring or conduit can be buried or hidden.

## TROUBLESHOOTING

Episode® speakers are designed to function trouble-free. Most problems that occur are due to simple issues. Refer to the list of fixes below, or contact Customer Service at 1.866.838.5052 if problems persist.

### No Sound

- Verify that there is audio coming from the selected source. Select another source if necessary.
- Ensure the audio source is turned on and properly connected.

## WARRANTY

### Lifetime Warranty

Episode® speakers have a Lifetime Warranty. This warranty includes parts and labor repairs on all components found to be defective in material or workmanship under normal conditions of use. This warranty shall not apply to products which have been abused, modified or disassembled. Products to be repaired under this warranty must be returned to a designated service and an assigned Return Authorization (RA) number. Contact technical support for an RA number.

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