



SUBWOOFER OF THE YEAR REL S/510

Although many take a simplistic ‘there’s no replacement for displacement’ line of reasoning with subwoofers, when it comes to integrating good bass reinforcement to a quality audio system, a different maxim applies; ‘less is more’. It just has to be the right kind of ‘less’.

REL’s S/510 is that right kind of less, as it delivers a powerful and precise bass to underpin even the best systems, yet it does so from a small, unobtrusive cabinet featuring a front-firing 10” long-throw continuous cast alloy cone woofer,

a floor-firing passive radiator, and a NextGen 3 version of REL’s 500W amplifier.

The result is impressive, says Alan Sircom. “What makes the sound so well-focussed and precise with voice and bass,” he argues, “extends to a complete band or a whole orchestra”. He adds that the REL S5/10 is capable of “controlling the sound of the rest of the system with a benign, yet, iron authority.” +

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