

Product Announcement

Klipsch RF-7 III

Klipsch bring powerful upgrades to a popular reference-level design.

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Henley Audio are delighted to announce the UK introduction of the Klipsch® RF-7 III loudspeakers. First unveiled by Klipsch in the USA during early-2018, the popular high-end speakers expand on the Reference II version with a host of new upgrades and sound enhancements.

The RF-7 III and matching RC-64 Centre Channel are the only Reference Line speakers still designed and assembled in the USA, inside the iconic factory in Hope, Arkansas. In that way, they have been created and voiced to deliver many happy hours of true high-performance listening pleasure. The new generation RF-7 III has been infused with the latest technological audio advancements for ultra-sensitive, hard-hitting, accurate sound.

“These speakers have earned the nickname ‘fire-breathing monsters’ for a reason,” said Kerry Geist, product manager at Klipsch Group. *“They are the best sounding audiophile speaker at this price point.”*



The Klipsch design team was meticulous in selecting an ideal tweeter for the RF-7 III before landing on the new 1¾” titanium compression driver, with an enhanced phase plug geometry design that improves sound pressure linearity at high frequencies. By coupling this tweeter to a new Tractrix® horn with a circular throat and square mouth, the high-frequency response and extension is further improved, enhancing the soundstage imaging and overall dynamics. The compressed moulded rubber construction of the horn adds high frequency damping in order to reduce harshness and improve detail, creating the cleanest, most natural sound possible

For the woofers, Klipsch have employed proprietary 10” Cerametallic™ woofers. Cerametallic woofers represent the pinnacle of Klipsch driver design, maintaining exceptional rigidity with a lightweight construction for minimal cone breakup and distortion. When paired with the Tractrix horn-loaded compression driver, it provides speaker efficiency of the highest in its class.

Each 10” woofer then features a heavy-duty cast aluminium frame for resonance-free operation. In addition, each woofer incorporates a dual shorting-ring magnet structure designed to eliminate modulation of the magnetic flux, resulting in improved linearity of cone movement. For further

improved, clean, powerful low-end delivery, the rear-firing Tractrix port allows for the most efficient air transfer from the chassis.

The RF-7 III's elegant cabinet is not just stylish and living room friendly, it's also internally bifurcated, allowing each 10" driver and port to work independently from the other. This improves the linearity of both drive systems and delivers a very articulate soundstage, minimising standing wave problems inside the cabinet which could cause frequency anomalies. The cabinet itself is finished with furniture-grade wood veneers and is available in Black Ash, Natural Cherry or Walnut finish. The speaker's slanted riser base enhances the appearance but also aims to direct the sound to a typical listening position. Magnetic grilles complement the premium design experience.

With their advanced acoustic design, meticulous finish and fine attention detail, the RF-7 III are the finest example of a product pertaining to one of Klipsch's most popular mantras:

Happiness is copper and black

SRP £3,750.00 (pair)

The Klipsch RF-7 III is available in the UK now.

Available in Black Ash, Natural Cherry or Walnut finish.

Technical Information

Frequency Response:	32Hz - 25kHz (\pm 3dB)
Sensitivity:	100dB at 2.83V / 1m
Power Handling:	250W / 1000W (peak)
Nominal Impedance:	8 ohms Compatible
High Frequency Driver:	1 x 1.75" (4.45cm) Titanium Diaphragm Compression Driver
High Frequency Horn:	8.5" square 90° x 90° Tractrix® Horn
Crossover Frequency:	1,300Hz
Low Frequency Drivers:	2 x 10" (25.4cm) Cerametallic™ Cone Woofers
Enclosure Type:	Dual-chamber Bass-Reflex Type 2 x Rear-Firing Tractrix Ports
Inputs:	Dual Binding Post (Bi-Wire / Bi-Amp)
Dimensions (H x W x D):	1245 x 352 x 454mm (including riser plate)
Weight:	44.1kg (each)



Klipsch RC-64 III

The ultimate home cinema solution.

Despite their prominence as a two-channel audio company, Klipsch are also recognised around the world for their ability to deliver unrivalled cinema sound. So, for the ultimate home cinema solution with the new RF-7 III floorstanders, Klipsch have also announced the immediate availability of the RC-64 III centre channel speaker.



With four 6.5" Cerametallic™ woofers, made with the same features and benefits of the RF-7 III, the RC-64 III also features the same 1 $\frac{3}{4}$ " titanium compression driver tweeter and special Tractrix® horn as the floorstanders for impeccable reproduction of the key mid-high frequency bands. The purpose-designed 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ -way network crossover maintains a wide and even sound distribution.

Finished to the same high standard as the RF-7 III, the RC-64 III is the ultimate centre channel speaker for people who want to experience the very best in home cinema performance.

SRP £1,450.00

**The Klipsch RC-64 III is available in the UK from Summer 2018.
Available in Black Ash, Natural Cherry or Walnut finish.**

Technical Information

Frequency Response:	57Hz - 24kHz (\pm 3dB)
Sensitivity:	99dB at 2.83V / 1m
Power Handling:	200W / 800W (peak)
Nominal Impedance:	8 ohms Compatible
High Frequency Driver:	1 x 1.75" (4.45cm) Titanium Diaphragm Compression Driver
High Frequency Horn:	6.25" square 90° x 90° Tractrix® Horn
Crossover Frequency:	1,000Hz & 1,400Hz
Low Frequency Drivers:	4 x 6.5" (16.5cm) Cerametallic™ Cone Woofers
Enclosure Type:	Closed Box
Inputs:	Dual Binding Post (Bi-Wire / Bi-Amp)
Dimensions (H x W x D):	203 x 910 x 381mm
Weight:	25kg

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About Klipsch

In 1946 Paul W. Klipsch, inventor, acoustics pioneer and maverick, founded Klipsch Audio with the sole purpose of bringing the power, detail and emotion of the live music experience into his living room. Through the use of highly efficient speaker designs, handcrafted cabinetry and a thirst for real engineering breakthroughs – Klipsch, the great American loudspeaker company, was born in Hope, AR.

Today, Klipsch's diverse range of quality audio products includes speakers and headphones for almost any consumer and professional application – including cinema, whole-house, wireless, home theatre and portable offerings. Honouring their founder's legacy, Klipsch continues to be the legendary high-performance brand of choice for audiophiles and aficionados around the world. Klipsch are the Keepers of the Sound®. Klipsch Group, Inc. is a VOXX International Company (NASDAQ: VOXX).



About Henley Audio

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Formed in 1997 as the result of a management buy-out of Ortofon UK, Henley Designs Ltd. (trading as Henley Audio) is one of the UK's premier distributors of quality hi-fi equipment. The brands we distribute are not only highly-regarded in their own right, but they also share a symbiotic relationship with other brands in our portfolio.

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