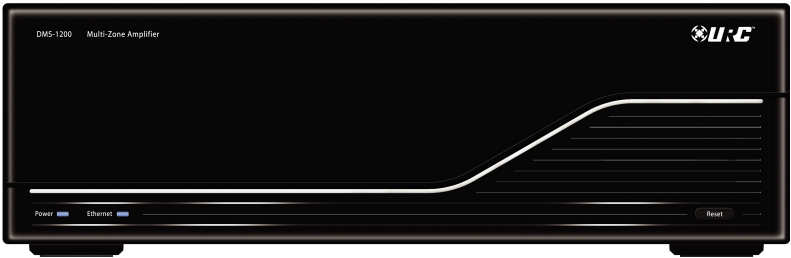


# DMS-1200 Owner's Manual

## Multi-Zone Amplifier



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## Congratulations!

You've purchased the finest music distribution system available today. The DMS-1200 is a native to the network, CD quality digital music distribution system with a range of keypads and remote controls that not only fully control your music but control of all your other audio video components.

The DMS-1200 in many ways is the heart of your system, both distributing music to your speakers and distributing streams of music from your analog sources to other DMS amplifiers in the system. This makes your system scalable, and easy to add additional rooms at any time in the future. All you need is a DMS amplifier connected to the network to make any room a new DMS music room.

Along with the DMS-1200, your system will include a Master System Controller like the MRX-10 (the brain of the system) and as many digital music gateways as you have users via the unique URC SNP-1 Streaming network Player.

Each player provides one user with access to all of their music and all of their preferences and favorites. Each SNP-1 accesses what's stored on the network and what is available through the internet via Pandora, Rhapsody, XM, Sirius and Internet Radio. SNP-1s don't have to be installed in the room where the DMS resides. That way you can take advantage of the TV display of cover art, album name, artist names and song title in rooms with TVs by having your installer connect to one of your TVs in the system.

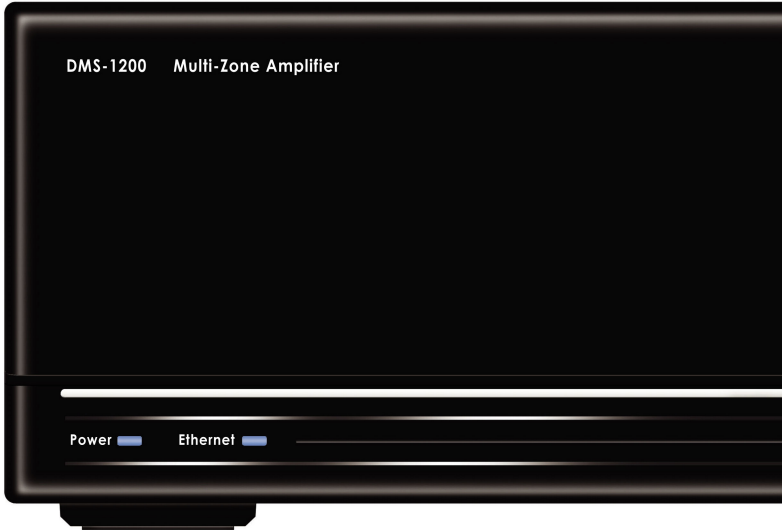
The DMS-1200 is designed for professional installation only. He or she will help you select the right user interface for every room of your installation. You'll have a choice of Total Control in-wall keypads and remote controls. If you have questions, call our customer service center at:

Company: \_\_\_\_\_

Installer Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact #: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_



## System Features

### **Pristine Audio Quality**

Unlike other digital music systems, the DMS system streams all music uncompressed at pure CD quality levels. You enjoy all the detail of your original source.

### **Room Linking**

Any room can be linked with any other room to listen to the same source. This makes it easy for you to entertain by simply linking all the rooms your guests will be in and controlling the music from any remote or keypad.

### **Reliability**

The DMS-1200 is engineered first and foremost for reliability. It offers extensive internal protection against failure and is manufactured in our ISO 9000 certified factory with the utmost attention to quality control at every stage of manufacturing, from parts procurement to final assembly.



## Front Panel Features

### **Power and LAN LEDs**

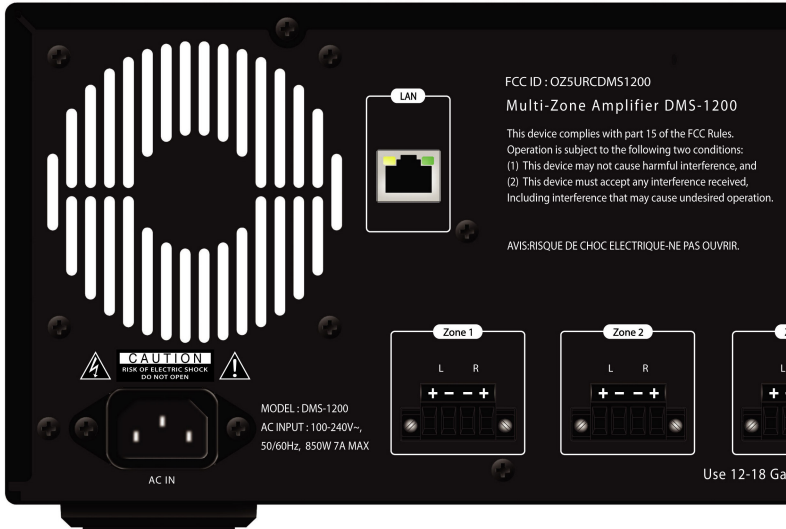
LEDs indicate that the DMS-1200 is connected to power and connected to the local area network.

### **Automatic Power Off**

The DMS-1200 is powered off and in an automatic standby state when no zones are active.

### **Reset Button**

The front panel reset button offers the end user a quick way to reconnect the DMS-1200 to the local area network.



### Rear Panel Features

#### 110V-220V Power Connection

The IEC power socket enables either UL/CSA approved 110V power cords or CE approved 220V power cables to be used with the DMS-1200. The internal power supply automatically switches from 110V to 240V.

#### Automatic Fan for Cooling

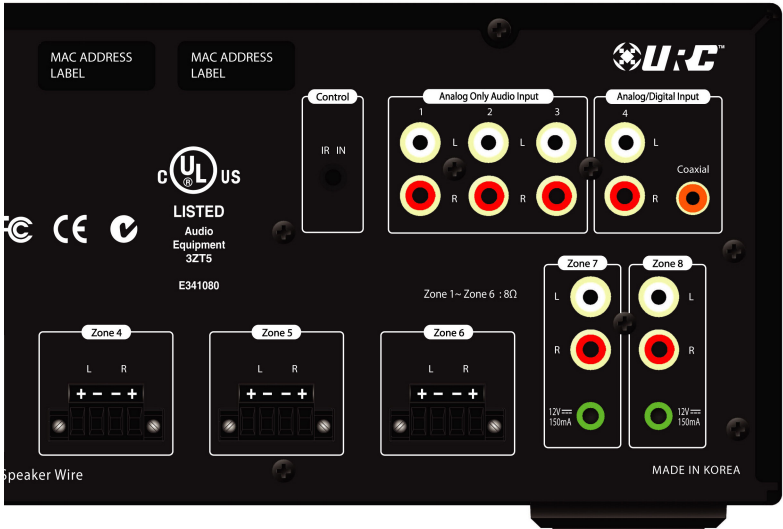
A whisper quiet fan automatically engages to keep the internal temperature optimum for long life and reliable operation.

#### Network Connection

A 10/100 LAN connection ensures that the DMS-1200 will receive all network streams from other DMS or SNP sources.

#### Six Powered Zones

The DMS-1200's internal amplifiers will power six pairs of 8 ohm speakers with 50 watts per speaker. Each pair of speakers can listen to any DMS source.



## Two Preamp Zones

The two preamp zones enable external power amplifiers to be used for rooms with a need for more or less power than 50 watts per channel. External amplifiers equipped with 12V triggers are ideal, since they will automatically be switched on when the zone is in use, and switched off when the zone is off.

## 4 Audio Inputs Create DMS Streams

Up to four analog audio sources can be connected to the DMS-1200. Each is simultaneously available as a DMS stream on the network, not just to the DMS they are connected to, but all other DMS amplifiers on the same network.

## IR In for 1-Way RF Remotes and Base Stations

When connected to a URC RF base station, a one-way URC remote control can be programmed to control any or all zones.



## Important Safety Instructions



**CAUTION**

**RISK OF ELECTRIC SHOCK**

**DO NOT OPEN**



**CAUTION:**  
**TO REDUCE THE RISK OF ELECTRIC SHOCK, DO NOT REMOVE COVER (OR BACK). NO USER-SERVICEABLE PARTS INSIDE. REFER SERVICING TO QUALIFIED SERVICE PERSONNEL.**



The lightning flash with arrowhead symbol, within an equilateral triangle, is intended to alert the user to the presence of uninsulated "dangerous voltage" within the product's enclosure that may be of sufficient magnitude to constitute a risk of electric shock to persons.



The exclamation point within an equilateral triangle is intended to alert the user to the presence of important operating and maintenance (servicing) instructions in the literature accompanying the appliance.

**WARNING:**  
**TO REDUCE THE RISK OF FIRE OR ELECTRIC SHOCK, DO NOT EXPOSE THIS APPLIANCE TO RAIN OR MOISTURE.**

This unit shall be connected to a mains socket outlet with a protective grounded connection.

**CAUTION:**

To completely disconnect this product from the mains, disconnect the plug from the wall socket outlet. The mains plug is used to completely interrupt the power supply to the unit and must be within easy access by the user.

**CAUTION:**

These servicing instructions are for use by qualified service personnel only. To reduce the risk of electric shock, do not perform any servicing other than that contained in the operating instructions unless you are qualified to do so.

## Important Safety Instructions

1. Read these instructions.
2. Keep these instructions.
3. Heed all warnings.
4. Follow all instructions.
5. In the event of malfunction, un plug immediately.
6. Do not use this apparatus near water.
7. Clean only with dry cloth.
8. Do not block any ventilation openings.  
Install in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions.
9. Do not install near any heat sources such as radiators, heat registers, stoves, or other apparatus(including amplifiers) that produce heat.
10. Do not defeat the safety purpose of the polarized or grounding-type plug. A polarized plug has two blades with one wider than the other. A grounding type plug has two blades and a third grounding prong. The wide blade or the third prong are provided for your safety. If the provided plug does not fit into your outlet, consult an electrician for replacement of the obsolete outlet.
11. Protect the power cord from being walked on or pinched particularly at plugs, convenience receptacles, and the point where they exit from the apparatus.
12. Only use attachments/accessories specified by the manufacturer.
13. Use only with the cart, stand, tripod, bracket, or table specified by the manufacturer, or sold with the apparatus. When a cart is used, use caution when moving the cart/apparatus combination to avoid injury from tip-over.
14. Unplug this apparatus during lightning storms or when unused for long periods of time.
15. Refer all servicing to qualified service personnel.  
Servicing is required when the apparatus has been damaged in any way, such as power-supply cord or plug is damaged, liquid has been spilled or objects have fallen into the apparatus, the apparatus has been exposed to rain or moisture, does not operate normally,or has been dropped.



### CAUTION:

- ⌈The ventilation should not be impeded by covering the ventilation openings with items, such as newspapers, tablecloths, curtains, etc.
- ⌈No naked flame sources, such as lighted candles, should be placed on the unit.
- ⌈Minimum distances around the apparatus for sufficient ventilation : 20centimeter
- ⌈This product is use in moderate climates.
- ⌈Do not expose the unit to dripping or splashing fluids, do not place objects filled with liquids, such as vases, on the unit.

## Federal Communication Commission Interference Statement

This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class B digital device, pursuant to part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference in a residential installation. This equipment generates, uses and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instructions, may cause harmful interference to radio communications.

However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation. If this equipment does cause harmful interference to radio or television reception, which can be determined by turning the equipment off and on, the user is encouraged to try to correct the interference by one more of the following measures:

- Reorient or relocate the receiving antenna.
- Increase the separation between the equipment and receiver.
- Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected.
- Consult the dealer or an experienced radio/TV technician for help.

### **Warning!**

Changes or modifications not expressly approved by the manufacturer could void the user's authority to operate the equipment.

Note : The manufacturer is not responsible for any Radio or TV interference caused by unauthorized modifications to this equipment. Such modifications could void the user's authority to operate the equipment.

### **FCC Caution**

This device complies with Part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) this device may not cause harmful interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

Any changes or modifications not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the authority to operate equipment.

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## Specifications

### Audio section

Rated Wattage per Channel	50W+50W (8ohms, 20Hz~20KHz with 0.1% T.H.D) 140W+140W (8ohms, 1KHz with 10% T.H.D)
Frequency Response	20Hz~20KHz +/-1.0dB at 8ohms 20Hz~20KHz +/-3.0dB at 4ohms
Signal to Noise Ratio	85+/- 5dB
Total Harmonic Distortion	<0.06%, 20Hz~20KHz
Output connectors	8ohms, 4ohms stable
Input sensitivity	600~2200mVp-p/10Kohm
Network Connectivity	10/100 BaseT Ethernet
Tone Controls	Bass, Treble, 5-Band parametric EQ. LVLC(low volume level control)
Full Matrix Switching for Audio streaming	Yes
Number of Analog Input sources	4
Number of Digital Input Sources (S/PDIF)	1
Speaker Output Zones	6
Line level Output Zones	2 (2.2Vp-p Variable output, 2.0Vp-p fixed output level)
Independent Gain Control per Zone	Yes
Accessories	AC cord, RCA cable, User`s manual

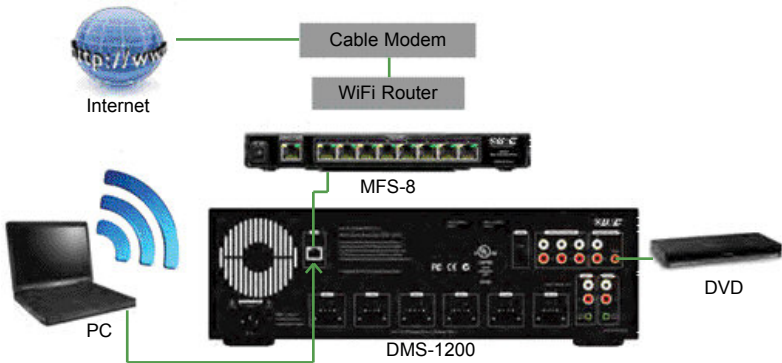
### Environmental

Operational Temperature	32°F ~ 104°F (0° ~ + 40°)
Humidity	5% - 95% (Non Condensing)
Storage Temperature	-4°F ~ 158°F (-20°C + 60°C)

### General

Power supply	AC 100-240V, 50/60Hz
Power consumption	850Watt maximum
Maximum external Dimensions H x W x D	5.25 1/32" x 17 1/18" x 16 1/1.87" 133mm x 432mm x 420mm
Weight	27lbs (12.1kg)

## System Configuration for Internal LAN Network



Follow the steps below to connect a DMS-1200 to a LAN network.

1. Connect the Internet to the coaxial CABLE port in the rear of the cable modem.
2. Plug in a RJ-45 ethernet connector cable via the Ethernet port of the cable modem to the WAN port of the Router.
3. Connect a second RJ-45 cable to a LAN port of the Router and plug the other end to the LAN 10/100 port on the rear of the MFS-8/MFSPOE-8 network Switch.
4. Connect a third RJ-45 cable to connect the DMS-1200 LAN port to one of the eight 10/100 Smart ports.
5. Plug the power supply to the DMS-1200 and then plug it in to an unswitched AC outlet.
6. Connect a digital coax cable from the DVD player to the coaxial digital input on the rear of the DMS-1200.
7. Connect a PC computer to the same LAN as the DMS-1200 or plug an ethernet cable directly to the LAN port of the DMS-1200. Now the computer can control and adjust the manufacturer's audio control program.
  - 1 Select audio INPUT source and OUTPUT zone, MAC address etc. This function selects input source channel and INPUT gain level and data sent to audio equipment.
  - 1 After selecting the output zone, adjust the zone limit power rate and zone power ON/OFF and source signal INPUT channel.
  - 1 Adjust the amplifier volume level per each zone for proper sound output and maximum limitation volume level.
  - 1 Turn on the ramp up volume level and adjust the equalizer repertory and low volume loudness control effectiveness and custom Equalizer align.

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