# 20W RMS x 2CH Amplifier with Bluetooth Receiver

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# **Instruction Manual**



# **MODEL AMP-D20**

Compact powerful amplifier is rugged enough for commercial environments where 100% duty sycle is required, with the finess expected in a compact high end system found in an living room, den or other small listening area. Efficient Class D amplifier occupies little space and requires no ventilation, yet proivdes 20W RMS x 2CH output. It accepts two line level sources, with the internal Bluetooth receiver acting as the third input. Switchable limiter provides protection

against being over driven in permanent installations. Switchable loudness countour greatly improves overall sound quality when played a low levles in office or home enviornments. 9-pin serial interface allows RS-323 control by external devices. For maximum benefit from the features and highest relaiblility of this device, read this document prior to use.

### **Features**

- Bluetooth receiver for wireless high fidelity audio from portable devices
- Bluetooth connectivity with internal microphone for hands free communication with portable devices
- 3.5mm stereo line level input
- Dual (L/R) RCA type line level input
- ON/OFF selectable limiter
- ON/OFF selectable loudness countour
- Electronic control of BASS, TREBLE, VOLUME and BALANCE
- Selectable stereo or bridged mono operation
- 12 button IR remote control for all above functions
- Pushbutton speaker terminals
- Removable Bluetooth antenna with RP-SMA connector

# **Specifications**

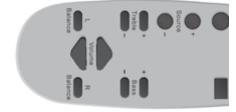
- Output power: 20W RMS X 2CH at  $4\Omega$  with <1% THD
- S/N ratio: <100dB @ 1KKz

- Frequency response: 35Hz ~ 50KHz (-3dB)
  Input sensitivity: 330mV, 10KΩ
  Power requirements: 24VDC, 1.5A AC Adapter included
- Dimensions: 1-7/8" (H) x 5-5/8" (W) x 4-3/4" (D) including knobs and connectors

# IR REMOTE CONTROL

Included IR remote control provides convenient access to most functions found on the front panel of the amplifier.

- Source Selection LINE1, LINE2, Bluetooth
- Mute ON/OFF
- Power ON/OFF
- Treble UP/DOWN
- Bass UP/DOWN
- Balance LEFT/RIGHT



This device is warranted against manufactures defects for a period of 1 year from the original date of purchase. This warranty covers all internal components and the cost of labor to either repair or replace the unit. This warranty covers only the unit, and does not cover connected equipment, or any loss that may occur, regardless of cause. It will be the sole discretion of MCM Electronics to determine the applicability of said warranty, and determination as to whether the unit will be repaired or replaced. Questions regarding application, use, or problems with this unit should be directed to MCM Electronics Tech Support, which can be found at www.mcmelectronics.com.



# **CONTROLS**

STEREO/BRIDGE – Selects stereo or mono bridged operation. In bridged mode, the amplifier provides one 40W RMS output channel, capable of driving an 80hm load.

SOURCE - Pressing this momentary button toggles between LINE1, LINE2 and BLUETOOTH sources, as indicated by the LED indicators directly above. SELECT - Rotary encoder adjusts VOLUME, BASS, TREBLE up and down, as well as left/right adjustment of BALANCE. Momentarily pressing this button toggles between these four functions, as illustrated by the LED's directly above.

**BLEUTOOTH** – Pressing this button links the unit with devices within Bluetooth range.

POWER – Pressing this momentary button toggles the unit between ON and OFF.



### CONNECTIONS

RS232 – for connection of external serial control devices

ANTENNA – for connection of included Bluetooth antenna – NOTE: extreme care should be used with this antenna, as it is very delicate **DIP SWITCHES** 

- LOUDNESS increases high and low frequency audio response at low volume levels. The effect of this diminished as the volume setting is increased. Once the volume reaches 70% of full, this control has no effect.
- LIMITER Automatically reduces input sensitivity as amplifier approaches it maximum output level. This prevents amplifier distortion and clipping when used near full output. As this does tend to reduce overall dynamic range, it is recommended this not be used in high fidelity applications.

  LINE 2 – Left and right inputs can accept audio from CD/DVD players, VCR's, tuners, televisions and similar devices

LINE 1 – Stereo 3.5mm input accepts inputs typically from portable devices. This is compatible with virtually stereo headphone output SPEAKER OUTPUT – for connection of one or two pair of speakers. Since this amplifier is capable of driving speaker loads as low as  $4\Omega$ , it is possible to drive two pairs of speakers from this unit. But in this case, the speakers MUST be at least 8Ω each. To do this, simply insert two wires into each spring terminal. Again, if speakers are less than  $8\Omega$ , only one pair can be connected.

### **BRIDGED MODE**

This amplifier delivers 20 watt output to each of two amplifier channels. It is possible to "bridge" these two channels, creating one amplifier channel with 40 watt output. This is useful in environments where maximum output power is desired, and only one speaker is to be used. NOTE that in this case, the speaker MUST be  $8\Omega$  or higher. With the amplifier power OFF, slide the front panel switch to the BRIDGE position. On the rear, connect the wire from a single speaker to the (-) RIGHT and (+) LEFT output. The remaining two speaker output terminals will not be used.

### **BLUETOOTH**

- Following are the general steps for connection, but note that use of the Bluetooth connection will vary slightly depending upon the device.
- With the amplifier power ON, press the SOURCE button repeatedly until the BT indicator lights.
- When BT is selected, you will notice the red indicator above the BLUETOOTH button blinking.
- Some devices may automatically ask if you would like to pair with this amplifier, others may first require you to press the BLUETOOTH button on the front of the device.
- Once you confirm, on your device, that you would like to pair with the unit, they will connect and audio from the portable device will be available to the Stellar Labs amplifier.

## **RS232 INTERFACE**

Following are control commands for the RS-232 interface

1: 9600.n.8.1

<CR>: Enter Kev <Esc>: Escape Key <Space>: Space Key 2: Host respond prompt:

3: Show All PA Status: Type: Now<CR>

4: Power On/Off control: Type: Power<Space>On<CR>-----Power On Power<Space>Off<CR>-----Power Off

Power<Space>Toggle<CR>-----Power toggle control

PA>

5: Mute On/Off control: Type: Mute<Space>On<CR>-----Mute On Mute<Space>Off<CR>-----Mute Off

Mute<Space>Toggle<CR>-----Mute toggle control

6: Volume control: Type: Volume<Space>xx<CR>----

Volume xx (xx range 0-79)

7: Source control: Type: Source<Space>x<CR> x=1/2/3 8: Treble control: Type: Treble<Space>xx<CR>-

xx:Treble control (+7 0 -7) 9: Bass control:

Type: Bass<Space>xx<CR>----xx:Bass control (+7 0 -7)

10: Balance control: Balance<Space>xx<CR>----Type:

xx:Balance control (L9 0 R9)

Type: Save<CR> 11: Save memory now:

store all current setting without power on/off status