

# ARTist Series. The Universal Genius



No longer is music restricted to a single room in the home. Over the last years, portable units like MP3 players, smart phones, desk and laptop computers and streaming clients offer music virtually anywhere you go. Often these sources can be connected into multi-room systems and distributed throughout the house, but having a pre-amplifier and amplifier or a receiver at every location is not viable.

The answer to these requirements is a small active speaker that has its own built in amplifier and the ability to connect to virtually any source. ADAM Audio is proud to introduce the ARTist line of active speakers. The ARTist-Series stands up to these requirements and offers world class performance in a compact design for consumer use.

ADAM Audio's excellent heritage as one of the leading high performance recording studio monitor manufacturers can be heard in the new ARTist series. Sound engineers around the world use ADAM studio monitors to create and analyze their work. The new ARTist speaker's design is based on ADAM's professional monitors and use identical driver technology and amplification to the studio monitors. The new high performance X-ART tweeter, a unique ADAM Audio design that accelerates air four times faster than any classic driver, can be found throughout the ARTist-Series. Combine this tweeter with a sophisticated woofer, an electronic crossover and built-in dedicated amplifiers for each driver and you can enjoy the high performance of the studio sound in your own home or office.

The ARTists combine ADAM's unique sound quality with the advantages of the active technology. Due to their vast array of inputs these speakers can truly be called universal geniuses, since they can be used in almost any audio set up.

#### **Finishes**





black glossy

white glossy

# **ARTist 3 / ARTist 5 Connection**

#### Universal: a wealth of connections

of inputs.

The brand new ARTist series does not only fascinate due to their compact dimensions and beautiful design but also – as you would expect from ADAM Audio – their superior sound quality. On top of that, both smaller models offer a multitude

Both the ARTist 3 and ARTist 5 have no less than four different inputs: RCA (Cinch), XLR, a 3.5 mm mini stereo jack and an USB port. This multitude of possible inputs allows the ARTist's to connect to just about any analog or digital music source.

#### Convenient: the stereolink

The stereolink that both the ARTist 3 and ARTist 5 offer, enables the control of the overall output level of both speakers through either one of the two volume knobs according to how they are connected.

It redefines the more familiar master-slave-configuration because each speaker can be in control of the overall volume. This allows for an easier set-up and change of the set-up. Just connect the source to one speaker, then this speaker to the second and the system is ready to go.



With the ARTist 3, ADAM Audio present their smallest monitor to date, making it perfectly suited for all environments where space is limited but sound shouldn't be constricted. The ARTist 3 features the X-ART tweeter for the higher frequencies, a guarantee for crystal clear music reproduction. Countless studios around the globe are already using the X-ART technology in their ADAM monitors and treasure the market leading precision and clarity these speakers offer.

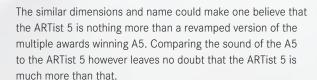
A 4.5" (basket) driver handles the lower registers. A diaphragm made from carbon fiber, a material that is very light but very stiff, delivers colouring-free sound. Two built-in 25 Watt amplifiers power each of the drivers directly.

The back offers two M6 screw threads for attaching a wall holder and furthermore a controller for fine tuning the highfrequency levels.

Basic technical data at a glance

- X-ART tweeter
- 4,5" midwoofer
- 2 x 25W amplification
- tweeter gain on the rear panel
- on/off-switch and gain control on the front panel
- inputs: RCA, XLR, 3,5 mm jack, USB
- 60Hz 50kHz
- 5 years warranty





Just like all other models of the ARTist-Series it features the proprietary X-ART tweeter. The very data of this technology shows that it is at the forefront of what tweeters can accomplish. Numerous listening tests have confirmed this.

A 5.5" Midwoofer reproduces the frequencies below 2.5kHz. The diaphragm is made from Carbon fiber/Rohacell/Glass fiber. This material with minimum weight and maximum rigidity prevents break up resonances, resulting in an outstanding dynamic behaviour and impeccable sound characteristics.

#### Basic technical data at a glance

- X-ART tweeter
- 5.5" midwoofer
- 2 x 50W amplification
- various controls
- on/off-switch and gain control on the front panel
- inputs: RCA, XLR, 3,5 mm jack, USB
- 50Hz 50kHz
- 5 years warranty























## **ARTist Series**

#### **ARTist 6**

The visual elegant floorstanding ARTist 6 with its black glossy or white glossy finish is a feast for the eyes in every living room. Whether as a stereo system or as part of a 5.1 setup, the ARTist 6 is a symbolization of a clear and high-defined sound within your own four walls.

The new X-ART tweeter, a milestone in electroacoustic transducers, developed by ADAM Audio, is probably the most efficient tweeter in the world. While the new X-ART tweeter, driven by a specially designed A/B amplifier, makes even the most subtle details of the high range frequencies audible, the low range shows impressive power accompanied by outstanding accuracy. The sound capacity of the low ranges is far beyond what one would expect from a speaker this size.

The power switch as the adjustment controls for treble level and two shelvefilters for high and low frequencies can be found on the back of the speaker. Unlike the tweeter control, which raises or lowers the entire level, the two shelf filters change the level of the low and mid frequencies progressively. These filters are especially good for fine-tuning the sound to fit the spatial conditions.

The ARTist 6 was designed to function as a stereo speaker or as part of a 5.1 surround sound system. It functions both as a front loud speaker as part of a mulit-channel system or as part of a classical stereo setup. The ARTist 6 will function as either and offers a clear compression free and high definition sound in your own home.

#### Basic technical data at a glance

- X-ART tweeter
- 2 x 4.5" midwoofer
- 3 x 35W amplification
- tweeter & input gains on the rear panel
- 2 shelf filters on the rear panel
- inputs: RCA, XLR
- 48Hz 50kHz
- 5 years warranty









## **ARTist Series**

#### **ARTist Center**

The ARTist Center and Sub have been designed to complement the ARTist main speakers in a multichannel system on a high class sound level.

To achieve sound patterns as homogeneous as possible, the components of the Center are identical with those of the ART-ist 6: the new X-ART tweeter is flanked by two 4.5" woofers.

On the rear side is a panel with several controls: the power switch as well as the tweeter gain and two shelf filters for high and low frequencies.

#### Basic technical data at a glance

- X-ART tweeter
- 2 x 4.5" midwoofer
- 3 x 35W amplification
- · tweeter & input gains on the rear panel
- 2 shelf filters on the rear panel
- inputs: RCA, XLR
- 55Hz 50kHz
- 5 years warranty







#### **ARTist Sub**

The ARTist Sub perfectly complements ADAM Audio's new ARTIST-Series. Its small dimensions allow for an easy placement even in small environments.

The front panel features two motorized potentiometers that let you adapt the input level and crossover frequency settings for the best performance. These pots can also be controlled with an included wireless remote control, allowing you to optimize your sound reproduction from your ideal listening position.

The ARTist Sub is equipped with both balanced (XLR) and unbalanced (RCA or Cinch) in and output connectors and numerous controls. A  $0^{\circ}/180^{\circ}$  phase switch and a switchable 85 Hz highpass filter allows you to find the best settings for an ideal sound and performance.

#### Basic technical data at a glance

- 7" woofer
- 140W amplification
- numerous controls on the rear panel
- volume and crossover settings on the front panel
- inputs: RCA, XLR
- 32Hz 150Hz
- 5 years warranty







