

# Ci SERIES







#### INNOVATORS IN SOUND

Of all high-end UK loudspeaker manufacturers, only KEF has a 50-year record of groundbreaking innovation. KEF 'firsts' include pioneering the use of advanced materials, computer analysis for design and testing and our Uni-Q® 'point source' driver array. Today, our range extends from the ultra-slim T-Series and Home Theatre systems to the legendary Reference Series and the flagship Blade so revered by audiophiles.

This technology leadership is what sets our installed systems apart. With the Ci Series, you get the impeccable sound quality and design integrity of our stand-alone systems with the benefit of discreet installation.

All are sonically matched, and the Uni-Q models create an expansive soundstage that gives you total freedom of positioning. Inside or out, large or small, motorised or static, there's a KEF Ci Series system that perfectly suits your needs.

## HIDE YOUR SPEAKERS, NOT YOUR SOUND

If you're serious about sound, the Ci range allows you to select exactly the right size, shape, technology and performance for every listening area, inside and out.



**KEF's passion for acoustic excellence** is evident in every model. Our 'sit anywhere' Uni-Q technology creates a natural-sounding and spatially accurate soundstage so expansive that you can position your speakers where they look best without compromising listening pleasure.

Blending seamlessly with your design aesthetic, there's a model for every application, from tiny ceiling speakers no larger than low voltage downlights to motorised audiophile quality home theatre speakers that glide into place at the touch of a button. All are ruggedised for harsh environments such as bathrooms or boats.

All KEF speakers are sonically-matched, so anywhere you want music in your home, you can select any combination of KEF models from any of our ranges whether you are looking for Ci Series products, floorstanding speakers, bookshelf speakers, home theatre, outdoor speakers or even multimedia speakers, you will get the same tonal colour for a perfectly consistent sound everywhere.

Fast, easy installation is a hallmark of the Ci Series. With only a few simple steps to follow and a host of ingenious design features, KEF's Ci Series speakers are child's play to install. Once the hole is cut and the cable run, you'll be enjoying great sound in minutes.



### Ci FEATURES AND TECHNOLOGIES

Whatever your budget, you'll find that the clarity, depth and sheer realism of the sound you experience with Ci Series speakers is enhanced by technologies found nowhere else.



**Ultra Thin Bezel** - Offers the slimmest visible rim around the speaker for the ultimate in discreet installation.



**Classic Bezel** - Ci Series combines the smart snap-in grille of KEF's original Ci speakers with the ruggedness of our new range.



**Uni-Q driver array** - KEF's patented Uni-Q technology places the tweeter in the acoustic centre of the bass/midrange cone so that both act as a single source that disperses the sound widely and evenly over a large area. By eliminating the 'sweet spot' restrictions of conventional speakers, this gives you complete freedom of positioning.



**Asymmetrical tweeter island** - In non-Uni-Q models, this aligns the off-axis response of the tweeter and woofer to make the speaker almost as placement-friendly as Uni-Q.



Special grille treatments - With grilles powder-coated by a proprietary process, moisture-resistant fixings and other special materials, KEF Ci Series speakers withstand humid and salt spray conditions such as bathrooms, near pools, beside the ocean or on your yacht.



**Tangerine waveguide** - As well as protecting the driver, this enhances Uni-Q's exceptionally wide dispersion characteristics.



**Forward mounting** - Eliminates distortion from diffraction effects and further maximises off-axis performance.



**Computer-optimised trim ring** - The exceptionally flat, narrow trim ring enhances midrange clarity for a natural sound over a wider area.



**Bayonet PCB cover** - Adds rigidity so that the grille always fits even when the mounting surface is not perfectly smooth.



**Magnetic assembly** - Grilles are retained by a powerful magnetic circuit for installation in seconds.



**New mounting leg** - A mounting leg design that installs quickly and distributes force evenly so that the speaker can be fitted without damage to the ceiling or wall.



 $\mbox{\bf Spring mounting clip}$  - A spring mounting clip that installs with a click.







Rough-in Frame

Rear Enclosure

Accessories

RIF200R

RNC200R

RIF160L

RNC160R

See above for product Code

EU Only\*

See above for product Code

RIF130R

RNC130R

RIF200S

RNC200S

RIF160S

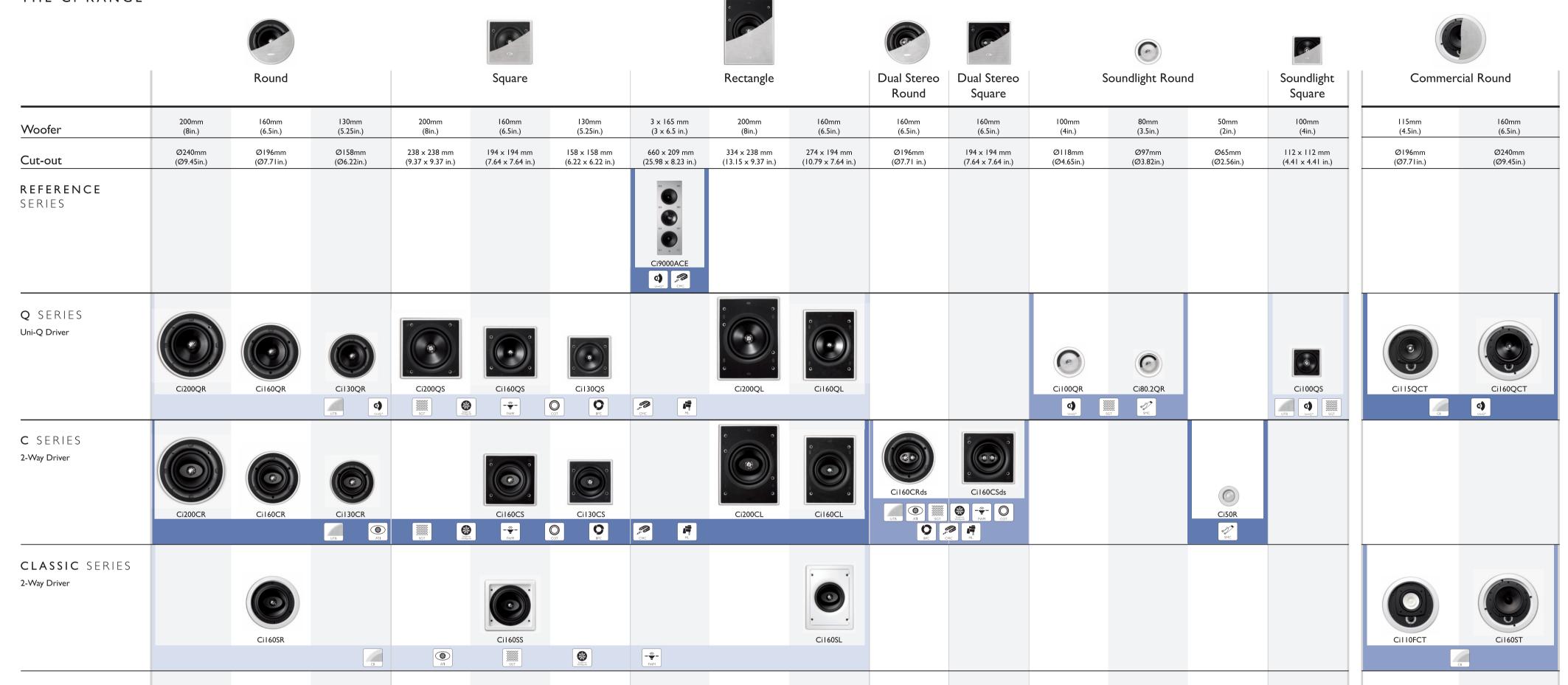
RNC160S

RIF130S

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RIF200L

RNC200L

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RNC160R

RIF160S

RNC160S

RIF100R

RNC100R

RIF80R

RNC80R

N/A

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RIF100S

RNC100S

	Motorised			Outdoor			KEY			
Woofer	200mm (8in.)	3 × 75 mm (3.0in.)	Woofer	160mm (6.5in.)	130mm (5.25in.)	115mm (4.5in.)	ULTRA THIN BEZEL		CLASSIC BEZEL	
Cut-out	363 × 260 mm (14.29 × 10.24 in.)	112 × 354 mm (4.41 × 13.94 in.)	Dimensions (H × W × D) with bracket and knobs	300 × 226 × 263.5 mm (11.8 × 9 × 10.375 in.)	262 × 197 × 235 mm (10.3 × 7.75 × 9.25 in.)	235 × 172 × 203.2 mm (9.25 × 6.75 × 8 in.)	SOUNDLIGHTS	As discreet as halogen downlights, KEF's tiny Soundlights give you big speaker performance with outstanding sound coverage, thanks to Uni-Q's exceptionally wide dispersion.	DUAL STEREO	For areas with space for only one speaker, KEF's Ci Series Dual Stereo model plays left and right channels from a single unit containing twin tweeters and a dual
Q SERIES			VENTURA		0		MOTORISED	Lowering smoothly and quietly into place on demand, the Ci Series motorised range offers the ultimate in discreet audiophile quality home entertainment speaker systems.	ROUGH-IN FRAME MODULES	voice coil woofer.  These allow you to position each speaker perfectly level and simplify final installation with precision apertures and easy access to the speaker wire run
	Ci200.3QT	Ci3-80QT		Ventura 6 Ventura 5*		Ventura 4	REAR ENCLOSURE	URE For use in new build installations when a metal rear enclosure is required.		in the pre-wire.  Weatherproof, IP65 certified and salt spray tested,
								Ci Series Commercial in-ceiling speakers assure clarity, reliably consistent tonality and superlative build quality for music, paging and announcements in business or retail premises.		marine quality Ventura Series outdoor models can flood your pool, garden or yacht with high quality sound, even in the most extreme atmospheric conditions.
	Steel Rough in Frames S	Steel Rear Enclosures	Ci9000 Alt-Wall Box Masoni	ry Box Ci3-80QT Masonry	/ Box KMPS-7 Motorized	TR-SM Stereo to Mono	COMMERCIAL	<ul> <li>Integral fire-rated metal rear enclosure</li> <li>UL2043-approved for use in air handling spaces</li> <li>UL1480-5-approved for use in fire protection signalling systems</li> <li>Front-mounted switch for selecting 8 ohm or 70/100 volt operation</li> <li>Includes the hardware for mounting above a suspended</li> </ul>	OUTDOOR	<ul> <li>Weatherproof sealed enclosure</li> <li>Salt spray tested for over 1200 hours</li> <li>Operating temperature range: -40 to + 70 C (-40 to + 158 F)</li> <li>Independent test lab certified IP65</li> <li>Aluminium grille and mounting bracket, 1/4"-20 threaded inserts for mounting options</li> </ul>

Speaker Power Supply\*

Transformer

N/A

N/A

ceiling or in a hard ceiling

RIF200R

N/A

RIF160R

N/A

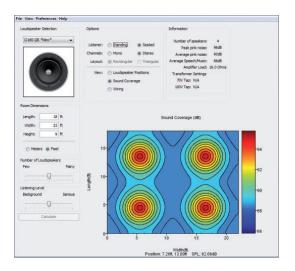
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- Independent test lab certified IP65
- · Aluminium grille and mounting bracket, 1/4"-20 threaded inserts for mounting options
- Stainless steel / brass hardware Rotatable logo



## Ci SOFTWARE

Simple to use, with pull-down menus and sliders to define the room size, desired volume and coverage pattern, the KEF Ci Series speaker placement software generates optimum speaker locations, wiring diagrams and sound coverage topography to help you determine the right number of speakers for the area concerned.

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