# Audience Adept Response aR2p and aR2p-TO

# **High Resolution Power Conditioner**

# **Owner's Manual**



Congratulations on your purchase of what is considered to be the most affordable high resolution and comprehensive power conditioners available today in the high performance audio industry. Like all other Audience products, the Adept Response was designed from and meets the absolute highest standards in every aspect of musical performance.

Technical features include:

- Partial power factor correction that helps restore dynamics by bringing the voltage and current relation into closer to proper phase for your components' power supplies. On average your amplifiers will seem about 10% more powerful. High resolution video equally benefits from PFC along with the features stated below.
- Proprietary filtering and isolation with hand wound inductors and Audience Auricap (aR2p) and Aura-TO (aR2p-TO) high resolution capacitors.
- Audience PowerChord wire is used for our wire harness and all internal power wiring.
- The entire circuitry is cryogenically treated.
- Full ability to isolate from EMI/RFI inside and outside of the AC line.
- High quality magnetic circuit breakers are used to disconnect the power during fault conditions. These breakers have very low DC resistance.

- Adept Response power conditioners provide state of the art power delivery capabilities in part due to its extremely low DC through line frequency impedance.
- Sonically transparent over voltage protection is provided by a non wearing device that can survive a 20,000 amp discharge as would be seen during lightening strikes. This device is across the line and will not dump excessive current into the safety ground.
- The Adept Response 15AMP is capable of delivering 1800 watts of power continuously and at least twice that for short periods.

## SAFETY CONSIDERATIONS

- Never allow the Adept response to become wet as there is a chance of fatal injury due to shock hazard. <sup>§</sup>
- There are no user serviceable parts inside the unit. The cover should never be removed without factory authorization. Use only factory repair to insure the proper parts are used and safety standards met.
- The Adept Response should never be operated with the cover removed as dangerous line voltage will be present.

### Operation

Operation of the aR2p and aR2p-TO power conditioners is very simple. With the power conditioner breaker switch in off position simply plug the power conditioner into your wall outlet. Then, with your audio components turned off, plug them into the power conditioner. First turn on the power conditioner and then turn on your audio components.

Like all audio components, the Adept Response power conditioners will perform optimally after they have been turned on for 100 hours for the aR2p and 500 hours for the aR2p-TO. Your patience will be rewarded.

### Maintenance

To maintain peak performance it is recommended that all power plug pins be cleaned periodically. Audience recommends Caig Deoxit for cleaning and protecting electrical contacts. This further cleans the outlets with the act of removing and reinserting the plugs, resulting in a wiping action. A small tube of Caig Deoxit is included with each Adept Response. However, Audience has already cleaned the new plug on the Adept Response and treated them with Caig contact enhancement, so you do not need to clean the plug for the first six to 12 months. To keep your Adept Response looking like new, a clean small terry cloth towel will suffice for periodic cleanups. Keep any cleaner usage to a minimum as liquid and line voltage do not mix. The cleaner, Windex or equivalent, should be lightly sprayed on the cloth and not on the Adept Response. It is recommended that the unit be disconnected from the line during cleaning.

### Warranty

The Adept Response is fully warranted for any failure to perform its function for a period of 10 years.

This warranty excludes improper use or abuse, such as but not limited to use in a corrosive environment, exposure to liquids or severe mechanical shocks.

Your Adept Response will provide you with years of trouble-free listening pleasure following our guide lines.

Every system installation is unique and not every situation will be covered by this guide, so if you have any questions please don't hesitate to call us and receive advice from a real person.

Thank you for your patronage to Audience!

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