# **J4W12**

**OWNER'S MANUAL** 



# **J4W12** 12-inch SUBWOOFER

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Designed and Engineered in USA



J4W12 Before you get started

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Limited Two Year\* Warranty

**Customer Support** 

(Monday-Friday, 9AM-5PM EST) Visit https://www.jensenmobile.com

I-888-921-4088

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This warranty gives you specific legal rights. You may also have other rights which vary from state to state. 1. Before you call for service, check the

original purchaser to be free from defects in material and workmanship for a period of three year (or five years\*) from the date of the original purchase.

Namsung America Inc agrees, at our option, during the warranty period, to repair any defect in material or workmanship or to furnish an equal new, renewed or comparable product (whichever is deemed necessary) in exchange without charges, subject to verification of the defect or malfunction and proof of the date of purchase. Subsequent replacement products are warranted for the balance of the original

Who is covered? This warranty is extended to the original retail purchaser for products purchased from an authorized JENSEN dealer and used in the U.S.A.

What is covered? This warranty covers all defects in material and workmanship in this product. The following are not covered: software, installation/ removal costs, damage resulting from accident, misuse, abuse, neglect, product modification, improper installation, incorrect line voltage. unauthorized repair or failure to follow instructions supplied with the product, or damage occurring during return shipment of the product. Specific license conditions and copyright notices for the software can be found via www.jensenmobile.com.

Warranty Coverage \*Limited • \*year warranty. (Proof of purchase required) •• Extend your warranty from 2 years to 3 years when you register online at www.jensenmobile.com.

troubleshooting guide in your owner's manual.

2. If you require service during the warranty period, you must carefully pack the product (preferably in the original package) and ship it by prepaid transportation with a copy of the original receipt

from the retailer to an authorized service center. 3. Please describe your problem in writing and include your name, a return UPS shipping address (P.O. Box not acceptable), and a daytime phone

4. For more information and for the location of the nearest authorized service center please contact us by one of the following methods:

number with your shipment.

• Call us toll-free at (888) 921-4088

• E-mail us at cs@jensenmobile.com

(Monday-Friday, 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. EST)

3. Use the highest quality connectors for a reliable installation and to minimize signal or power loss. 4. Use caution before you drill or cut! Be careful not to cut or drill

into gas tanks, fuel lines, brake or hydraulic lines, vacuum lines or electrical wiring when working on any vehicle.

Thank you forpurchasing the J4W12 12" subwoofer. Although

contained within this manual is accurate, please be aware that any

The following instructions should be used a general

any of the procedures listed below, please consult a

guideline only. If you are unsure about performing

professional car audio installation center.

1. Be sure to carefully read and understand the instructions before

2. For safety, disconnect the negative terminal from the battery

JENSEN has attempted to make sure all of the information

part of it is subject to change without notice.

Before installation, please follow these guidelines:

attempting to install this product.

prior to beginning the installation.

5. Never run speaker wires underneath your vehicle. Running speaker wires inside the vehicle provides the best protection from exhaust heat and environmental elements.

6. Avoid running wires over, near, or through sharp edged surfaces. Use rubber grommets to protect any wires routed through metal.

7. When running the speaker cable from the amplifier, avoid running it near sources of high current (i.e. wiring harnesses, battery cables).

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Installation Guidelines

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To achieve the best possible sound from this subwoofer enclosure, Dual recommends acquiring the services of a professional car audio installation center.

If you feel confident in your ability to install this product without the assistance of a professional, please read this section thoroughly. We have provided a number of placement recommendations and installation tips to assist you. Keep in mind these are provided as a guideline and you may find that other placements specific to your vehicle may provide better results.

• Make sure all moving parts and factory electrical wires are out of the way and will no interfere after installation.

 Ensure the wire is of sufficient length to avoid pulling or stretching. This is even more important if the wires will be run under or through the factory interior.

• Use electrical tape and wire ties to ensure all wires are properly

• Avoid installing speakers or electronics where they can be subject to moisture.

• Ensure the speaker wires are connected using correct polarity. The positive polarity is marked by a (+) sign. Incorrectly connected subwoofers will result in limited bass output.

 Speaker wire should be isolated from the vehicle's electrical system to avoid noise being picked up by the amplifiers.

• We recommend using 14 gauge or larger sized speaker wire to ensure your subwoofer receives the full power output of your

• Remember to listen responsibly and respect your ears. Being exposed to sounds over 125dB for even short periods of time can create permanent hearing loss!

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J4W12 Bandpass Enclosure

Good Bass Performance/Mini-Enclosure (Vf) Box Volume .84 Cu. Ft. (Vr) Box Volume .47 Cu. Ft. (P) Port 4" ID x 1.0" Long (Sb) Speaker baffle location/outside front: 9.25" Example Dimensions: 15" W x 16.5" H x 15" D

Better Bass Performance/Small Enclosure (Vf) Box Volume .84 Cu. Ft. (Vr) Box Volume .69 Cu. Ft. (P) Port 4" ID x 2.625" Long (Sb) Speaker baffle location/outside front: 9.25" Example Dimensions: 15" W x 18.5" H x 15" D

Best Bass Performance/Medium Enclosure (Vf) Box Volume .84 Cu. Ft. (Vr) Box Volume .91 Cu. Ft. (P) Port 4" ID x 4.25" Long (Sb) Speaker baffle location/outside front: 9.25" Example Dimensions: 15" W x 20.75" H x 15" D

> Attention/Notice: **Dimensions are external**

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Vented Enclosure

**Good Bass Performance** Mini-Enclosure

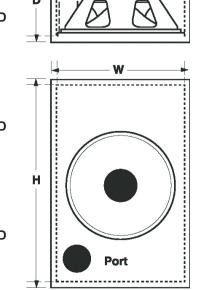
Better Bass Performance

(Vb) Box Volume=1 Cu. Ft. Dimensions: 14.25" W x 17" H x 12" D (P) Port=3" ID x 9.7" Long

Small Enclosure (Vb) Box Volume=1.25 Cu. Ft. Dimensions: 14.50" W x 17" H x 14" D

(P) Port=3" ID x 10.25" Long **Best Bass Performance** 

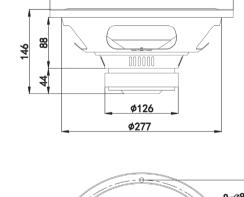
Medium Enclosure (Vb) Box Volume=1.5 Cu. Ft. Dimensions: 14" W x 20.25" H x 14" D (P) Port=3" ID x 11.75" Long

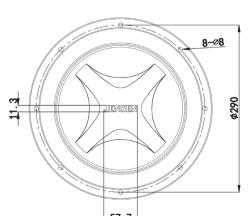


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J4W12 Specifications





**SPECIFICATIONS** 

Sensitivity: 88dB 1W/1M Frequency Response: 30Hz-400Hz Impedance: 4Ω Peak Power: 1200 watts RMS: 300 watts Fo: 33.879Hz Vas: 56.367m cuM Qms: 6.394 Qes: 0.754 Qts: 0.674 **Terminals: 205/205** Cutout Size: 11"

Magnet Weight: 40oz Note: All specifications are subject to change without notice

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Enclosure Guidelines

To work properly, the walls of your enclosure must be free from flexing during high sound pressure generated by your subwoofer(s).

For best performance, always use MDF (Medium Density Fiberboard) or Baltic Birch Plywood to build your enclosure. We highly recommend that your wood be at least 3/4" in thickness. The enclosure should be sealed internally with silicon or glue and secured with screws every 4".

Assemble the box before cutting the subwoofer hole(s). If the box will be mounted in a vehicle, it should be fastened securely using metal "L" shaped brackets.

To build an enclosure, calculations will need to be made using the information found on the following 3 pages.

Remember:

• Use 3/4" MDF or Baltic Birch Plywood Use wood glue in joints

 Seal joints with silicon caulking • Use screws every 2 to 4 inches

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J4W12 Sealed Enclosure

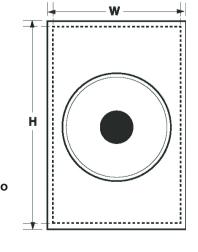
**Good Bass Performance** Mini-Enclosure (Vb) Box Volume=.75 Cu. Ft. Example Dimensions: 14" W x 14" H x 11.5" D

**Better Bass Performance** Small Enclosure (Vb) Box Volume=1.00 Cu. Ft. Example Dimensions: 15" W x 14" H x 13" D

**Best Bass Performance** Medium Enclosure (Vb) Box Volume=1.25 Cu. Ft. Example

Dimensions: 17" W x 15" H x 13" D

Note: All specifications are subject to change without notice



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