

GRAS RA0045-S5

Externally Polarized Ear Simulator Based on IEC 60318-4 (60711), High Pressure



Standards: IEC 60318-4 (based on), ITU-T P.57

Eff vol: 1260 mm³ @ 500 Hz

Res freq: 13.5 kHz ±1 kHz

The GRAS RA0045-S5 Ear Simulator is an ear simulator with an acoustic input impedance closely resembling that of an average human ear. The RA0045 includes a 40BP pressure microphone and each RA0045-S5 is individually calibrated with this specific microphone.

Introduction

The RA0045-S5 Externally Polarized Ear Simulator is a special type of ear simulator for making high level acoustic measurements on earphones coupled to the human ear by ear inserts such as tubes, ear moulds, or ear tips. It has an input impedance closely resembling that of an average human ear, and, as a result, loads a sound source in very much the same way.

It is based on the following international requirements:

- IEC 60318-4: Occluded-ear simulator for the measurement of earphones coupled to the ear by ear inserts.
- ITU-T Recommendations P.57 (08/96) Series P: Telephone transmission quality, Objective measuring apparatus: Artificial ears.

Design

The RA0045-S5 embodies a number of carefully designed volumes connected via well-defined and precisely tuned resistive grooves. In an equivalent electrical circuit, capacitors would represent the volumes, and inductance and resistance would represent respectively air mass and air flow within the resistive grooves.

It is delivered with a built-in [GRAS 40BP](#) 1/4" Ext. Polarized Pressure Microphone and an individual calibration chart for the ear simulator.

Typical Applications and Use

The RA0045-S5 is for measurements on earphones and hearing aids coupled to the human ear by ear inserts such as tubes, ear moulds, or ear tips.

In accordance with ITU-T Recommendation P.57, it can be used with the following GRAS pinna simulators for testing telephones:

- [GRAS RA0056](#) Low-leak Pinna Simulator
- [GRAS RA0057](#) High-leak Pinna Simulator

A comprehensive range of accessories for making measurements in accordance with IEC 60318-4 are available. See the tab Ordering info.

Compatibility

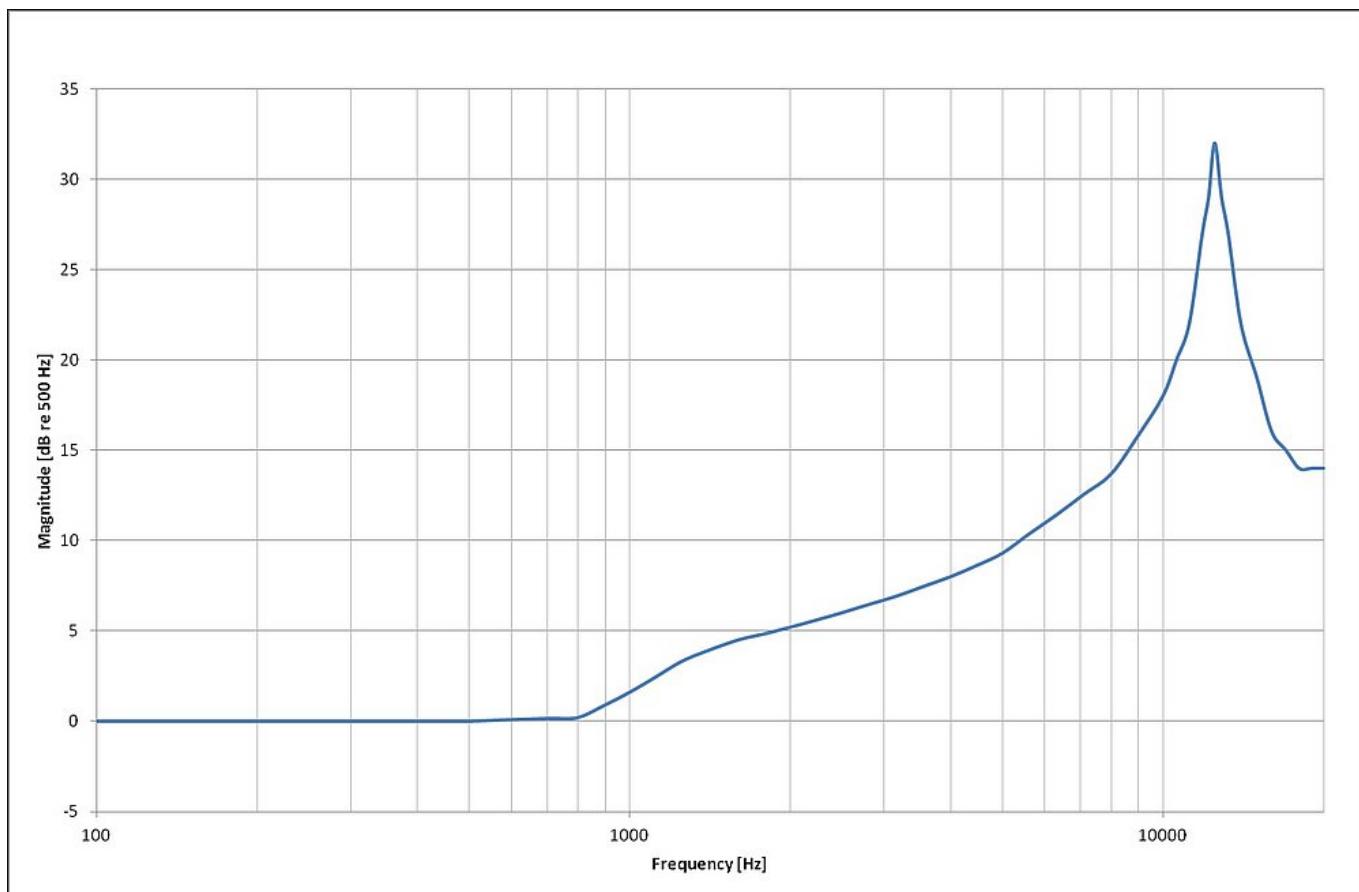
RA0045-S5 can be used with a standard 1/4" preamplifier, e.g. [GRAS 26AC-1](#) 1/4" Standard Preamplifier with 3 m Integrated Cable.

Specifications

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Polarization/Connection		200 V / Traditional
Theoretical dynamic range lower limit with GRAS preamplifier	dB(A)	34
Theoretical dynamic range upper limit with GRAS preamplifier @ +120 V / ±60 V power supply	dB	164
Resonance frequency	kHz	13.5
Coupler volume	mm ³	1260 @ 500 Hz
Temperature range, operation	°C / °F	-30 to 60 / -22 to 140
Humidity range non condensing	% RH	0 to 75
ANSI standard		S3.7
IEC standard		Based on 60318-4
ITU-T recommendations		P.57 Type 2
CE/RoHS compliant/WEEE registered		Yes/Yes, Yes
Weight	g / oz	52 /1.8



Typical frequency response

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Optional items

GRAS RA0088	In Ear Adapter
GRAS GR0433	Calibration Adapter
GRAS GR0434	Stop Washer
GRAS GR0436	Tube Adapter
GRAS GR0437	Ear-mould Simulator
GRAS GR0438	Retention Ring
GRAS GR0440	Tube Adapter
GRAS RA0056	Low-leak Pinna Simulator
GRAS RA0057	High-leak Pinna Simulator
GRAS RA0525	Foam insert for 60318-4 coupler, 10 pcs
GRAS 26AC-1	26AC 1/4" Standard Preamplifier with 3 m Integrated Cable

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