

Title (en)  
Combination loudspeaker unit

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Kombinierte Lautsprechereinheit

Title (fr)  
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Abstract (en)  
[origin: EP1408717A2] A loudspeaker unit comprises, in combination, a pistonically driven diaphragm loudspeaker and a generally planar resonant panel loudspeaker, in which the plane of the resonant panel lies in the same orientation as an axis along which the diaphragm is pistonically driven. The resonant panel loudspeaker may be located behind the diaphragm loudspeaker, with the resonant panel loudspeaker functioning as a diffuse dipole, e.g. to generate surround sound reproduction, and the diaphragm loudspeaker located in the null of the dipole and functioning as an acoustic monopole, e.g. to generate imaged stereophonic sound reproduction. <IMAGE>

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