

## HEAR OUR DIFFERENCE

Combines Italian flare with British and Asian engineering.



# CEST

Markaudio-Sota loudspekers aren't conventional. The music is natural, detailed and voices sound real.

You can truly Hear Our Difference.



#### > Key features include:

- CNC high density fibreboard construction for maximum acoustic stability
- Custom-designed state of the art all-range drive units
- High-end finishes and 3 colour choices
- Proprietary shallow waveguide for maximum positioning flexibility

#### > Styling

The Cesti MB was developed by Mark Fenlon and styled by Ball Chan, a young designer recognised for his growing creativity. They incorporate the Italian influences from our flagship Viotti One loudspeaker with clean, minimalist industrial design. Our highquality lacquered finishes are produced to a standard rarely seen at this price point. Our proprietary shallow waveguide helps to guide the sound-energy into the room and provides a unique, elegant visual feature. The protective grills are mounted using small rareearth magnets fitted under the finish, eliminating unsightly fixings and preserving the clean, elegant lines of Cesti systems should the user prefer to use them without the grills.

#### > Cabinet Engineering

All Cesti enclosures are constructed from high-density fibreboard giving maximum acoustic stability. The rigidity and mass of the panels are carefully balanced to avoid audible resonances and provide our custom drive-units with a solid platform. Our shallow waveguides are CNC machined into the front panel. The size and profile of these are designed specifically for the Sota drivers to maximise positioning flexibility. Cesti speakers are produced in mirrored pairs. They can be positioned with the waveguide gently dispersing sound either toward, or away from each other, allowing the owner to adjust the sound as desired without excessive angling of the cabinets.







#### > The Drive Units

Cesti MB uses a single custom high-performance drive unit, the unique custom made Sota 11 allrange driver. Designed by Mark Fenlon, the British engineer who created the internationally acclaimed Alpair product range, it is a true all-range design, capable of exceptional output from the lowest notes of a double-bass to beyond the upper limit of human hearing. The hyperlow-mass cone is one of the most mechanically efficient ever produced, capable of reacting to extremely low-level signals that are often swamped by heavier cone designs. The very low profile of this remarkable cone provides excellent dispersion of sound into the room, ensuring a wide useful listening angle, which is further helped by our proprietary shallow waveguide. The long-throw suspension allows effective reproduction of musical peaks.





### Available in 3 colours





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## **Specifications**

- Range 40Hz 25KHz anechoic
- 87dB lw @ lm
- 1 x Sota 11 all-range driver
- Dimensions (each): 226 x 194 x 336 mm

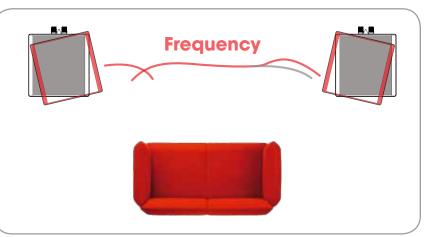
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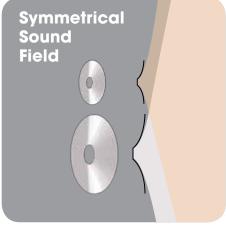
• Weight (each): 6.14 KG



#### > Frequency Response and Room Positioning

Like all Markaudio-Sota loudspeakers, Cesti MB is designed to provide high quality sound across a wide arc, making it a very practical 'real world' loudspeaker. Since modern living often needs speakers to fire directly forward into the room, we have designed a lift into the high frequencies when the Cesti MB speaker is aimed directly at the listener. This flattens out as the listening position moves away (or 'off-axis') resulting in extended, neutral and airy treble response over a broad range of sitting positions. The balance can be easily adjusted to taste with very small changes in the angle of the speakers. Cesti MB, like all models in the Cesti range, also use our proprietary shallow waveguide. Machined into the front baffle, it is designed to give the user maximum flexibility in positioning. Cesti loudspeakers are produced in mirrored pairs, and can be used with the waveguides gently dispersing sound toward, or away from each other, as room placement and the owner prefers.







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