

# INSTRUCTION MANUAL



## GAME 5

Model: OPTISOUNDGAME5-V1

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**VIBE**  
*Vented Innovative Bass Enclosures*

**OPTISOUND**

**GAMING**  
**SUBWOOFER**

To ensure maximum performance and safety, please follow this manual. Please retain the manual for future reference after installation

## OWNERS MANUAL

Congratulations on purchasing your VIBE gaming subwoofer, please read this manual in order to fully understand how to get the best results from this product and ensure that all advice on how to look after the product is followed.

Thank you for buying VIBE, we hope you enjoy listening to your product as much as we enjoyed creating it.

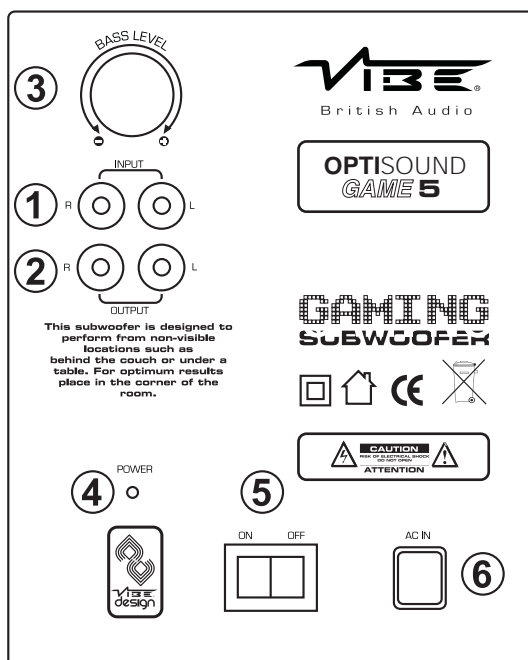
### WARNING

- READ ALL OF THIS MANUAL - save this manual for future use.
- USE ONLY THE POWER CORD SUPPLIED WITH THIS PRODUCT - use of any other cord may cause damage to the product.
- UNPLUG FROM WALL SOCKET - in the event of a lightning storm or when not in use for long periods of time.
- DO NOT ATTEMPT TO SERVICE THE PRODUCT YOURSELF - doing so may expose you to dangerous voltages and invalidate your warranty. refer all servicing to an authorised VIBE dealer.
- DO NOT EXPOSE THIS PRODUCT TO DAMP OR MOISTURE - doing so may result in fire, shock or damage to the product.
- ENSURE GOOD AND CORRECT CONNECTIONS - failure to make correct connections may result in fire or damage to the product.
  
- UNPLUG FROM THE WALL SOCKET BEFORE CLEANING.
- CLEAN ONLY WITH A DAMP, LINT FREE CLOTH.
- DO NOT USE SPIRIT/SOLVENT BASED CLEANER - as this may damage the finish of the product(s).
- AVOID DIRECT EXPOSURE TO SUNLIGHT.
- ENSURE THAT THE PRODUCT IS SECURELY MOUNTED/INSTALLED - failure to do so may cause injury or harm.
- VIBE EQUIPMENT IS CAPABLE OF PRODUCING SOUND PRESSURE LEVELS THAT MAY PERMANENTLY DAMAGE YOUR HEARING AND THAT OF OTHERS AROUND YOU - VIBE recommends caution when listening at high volume levels. For safe and enjoyable listening the sound should be comfortable and clear without distortion.

### INSTALLATION

- Contact your nearest authorised VIBE dealer if you are unsure about the installation of this product.
- Please mount this unit away from any potential hazards.

## TERMINALS AND CONTROLS



### 1. Low Level Input

For connection to a source unit with low level outputs. This is the RCA output from your device.

### 2. Low Level Output

Use to 'daisy chain' multiple subwoofers or another audio device.

### 3. Bass Leve

Use to match the input signal of the source to the amplifier. See setup guide for more details.

### 4. Power LED

The LED will illuminate green when the amplifier is in operation.

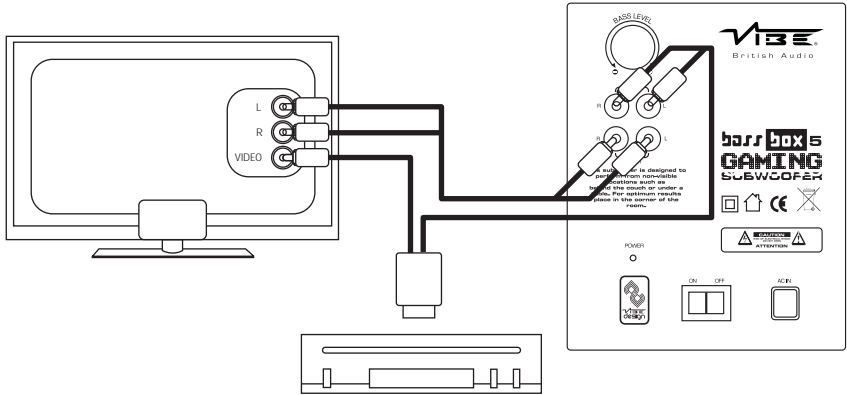
### 5. On / Off Switch

Use to switch the power to the amplifier on and off.

### 6. AC Power Input

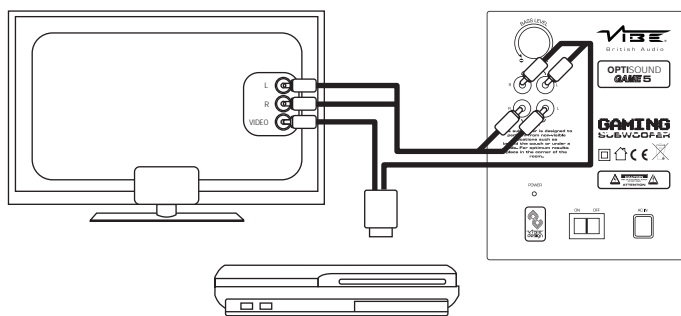
For connection to a mains wall socket.

## CONNECTION TO NINTENDO WII



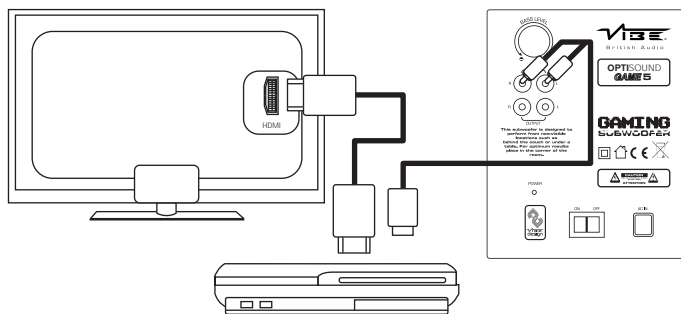
- Connect the video plug (yellow if using composite connection and red, green and blue if using RGB connection) of the Wii AV lead to the video input of the TV set.
- Connect the left and right audio plugs (red and white) of the Wii AV lead to the audio input of subwoofer.
- Connect one end of the supplied RCA lead to the audio output of the subwoofer and connect the other end to the audio input of the TV set.

## CONNECTION TO SONY PS3 (ANALOGUE)



- Connect the video plug (yellow if using composite connection and red, green and blue if using RGB connection) of the PS3 AV lead to the video input of the TV set.
- Connect the left and right audio plugs (red and white) of the PS3 AV lead to the audio input of subwoofer.
- Connect one end of the supplied RCA lead to the audio output of the subwoofer and connect the other end to the audio input of the TV set.

## CONNECTION TO SONY PS3 (HDMI)



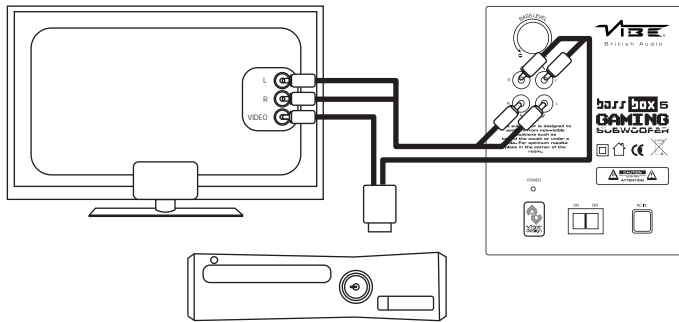
- Connect the left and right audio plugs (red and white) of the PS3 AV lead to the audio input of subwoofer.
- Connect a HDMI lead (not supplied) to the HDMI output of the PS3 and the HDMI input of the TV set.

### IMPORTANT:

- Please ensure that the audio multi-output setting is enabled on the PS3 console or the sound will not be present on both TV and subwoofer.

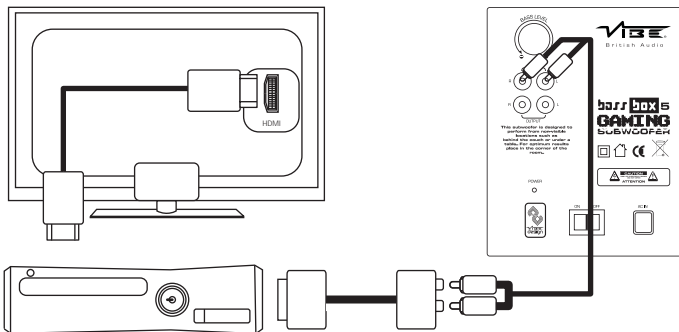
MAIN MENU ⇒ SETTINGS ⇒ SOUND SETTINGS ⇒ AUDIO MULTI-OUTPUT ⇒ ON

## CONNECTION TO MICROSOFT XBOX 360 (ANALOGUE)



- Connect the video plug (yellow if using composite connection and red, green and blue if using RGB connection) of the XBOX 360 AV lead to the video input of the TV set.
- Connect the left and right audio plugs (red and white) of the XBOX 360 AV lead to the audio input of subwoofer.
- Connect one end of the supplied RCA lead to the audio output of the subwoofer and connect the other end to the audio input of the TV set.

## CONNECTION TO MICROSOFT XBOX 360 (HDMI)



- Connect one end of the supplied RCA lead to the audio output of the XBOX 360 and connect the other end to the audio input of the subwoofer.
- Connect a HDMI lead (not supplied) to the HDMI output of the XBOX 360 and the HDMI input of the TV set.

### IMPORTANT:

- In order to use the AV output and HDMI output an XBOX 360 audio adaptor (not supplied) will be required due to the close proximity of the sockets. These are readily available from all console retailers and online auction sites such as Ebay, search for XBOX 360 AUDIO ADAPTOR.

## SET UP GUIDE

The VIBE gaming subwoofer has an independent volume control which allows integration with your TV speakers and a wide range of other audio equipment.

To set the bass level of the gaming subwoofer follow the procedure below.

- Connect the subwoofer to your games console.
- Set the bass level control on the subwoofer to it's minimum setting which is fully anti-clock wise.
- Have a game or music track playing and set the volume of the TV speakers to the desired listening level
- Slowly rotate the bass level control clockwise until the desired sound balance has been achieved.
- Sit back and enjoy a truly immersive gaming experience!

## PLACEMENT

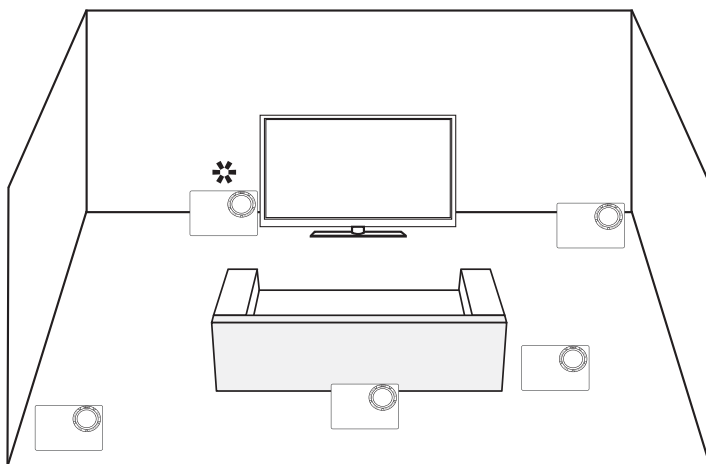
The VIBE gaming subwoofer has been designed to deliver great sound from almost any location.

Some experimentation can yield better results.

Below are some recommended installation positions.

For optimum results it is recommended that the subwoofer is installed as close to the TV as possible which will produce the best phase characteristics.

If the TV and subwoofer are mounted in the corner of the room you will also benefit from a significant reinforcement in the bass produced from the subwoofer and the TV speakers.



✦ Optimum position

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## SPECIFICATIONS

**Model:**  
BASSBOX5-V1

**Dimensions:**  
Width: 270mm (10.6")  
Depth: 156mm (6.1")  
Height: 189mm (7.4")

**Frequency response:**  
35Hz - 500Hz

**Total harmonic distortion (THD):**  
0.3%

**Signal to noise ratio (SNR):**  
>65dB

**Input sensitivity:**  
0.2v - 5v

**Power output:**  
20 watts RMS  
80 watts MAX

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call 09067031420

call cost 50p per minute  
call costs correct at date of publication (01/08/11)  
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MODEL NUMBER:

SERIAL NUMBER:

PURCHASED FROM:

DATE OF PURCHASE:

**KEEP IT SAFE**

Staple your receipt here:

## LIMITED WARRANTY

All VIBE products carry a full 12 months warranty, valid from the date of the original receipt and proof of purchase. In order to validate this warranty, the warranty card should be returned to VIBE within seven days of the original purchase date. The original receipt and packaging are should also be retained for this twelve month period. If at any stage during the warranty period you have a problem with the product then it should be returned to the point of purchase, in its original packaging, complete with no items missing. If the store is unable to fix the product it may have to be returned to VIBE this process takes around 7 working days and no costs will be occurred.

A full description of VIBE's warranty information can be found on our website:

[WWW.VIBEAUDIO.CO.UK/WARRANTY](http://WWW.VIBEAUDIO.CO.UK/WARRANTY)

## WHAT IS NOT COVERED

- Damage to product due to improper installation
- Subsequent damage to other components
- Damage caused by exposure to moisture, excessive heat, chemical cleaners and/or UV radiation
- Damage through negligence, misuse, accident or abuse, repeated returns for the same fault may be considered abuse
- Any cost or expense related to the cost of removal or re-installation of the product
- Damage caused by amplifier clipping or distortion
- Items repaired or modified by any unauthorized repair facility
- Return shipping on non defective items
- Products returned without a returns authorization number
- Damage to product due to the use of sealant

## INTERNATIONAL WARRANTY

Contact your International VIBE audio dealer or distributor concerning specific procedures for your country's warranty policies.

## WARNING

VIBE equipment is capable of sound pressure levels that can cause permanent damage to your hearing and those around you. Please use common sense when listening to your home audio system and practice safe sound.

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*DID YOU KNOW*

The Optisound GAME 5 subwoofer features a bandpass cabinet design that provides higher efficiency than traditional speaker cabinets and also delivers deeper sound. Analogue RCA inputs allow direct connection to a single device such as a games console (Xbox 360, PS3 and Wii), Blu ray player or digital decoder. Additionally if the TV has an analogue RCA output, the Optisound GAME 5 can be connected to this so that all devices connected to the TV can be output through the subwoofer.



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