

# Class-A Integrated Stereo Amplifier E-600



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E-600 is a succession model of E-560 and flag ship integrated amplifier of Accuphase.  
We name it E-600 instead of E-five hundred something because the progress is more than 'change of model'.

# Evolution from E-560 to E-600

- Up-to-date LED bar graph meter



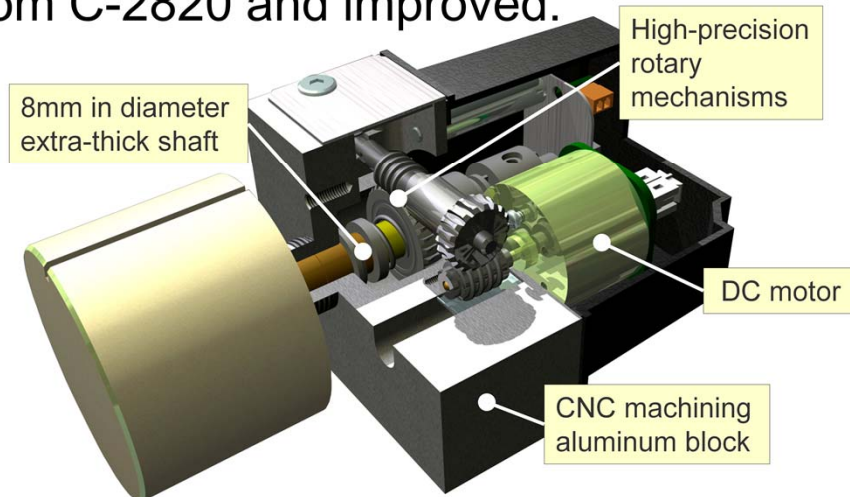
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The big difference in appearance is LED bar graph meters instead of needle meters.

## Evolution from E-560 to E-600

- Volume sensor mechanism is taken over from C-2820 and improved.



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Precise and well-designed volume sensor mechanism is installed.

The volume mechanism is modified from C-2820's.

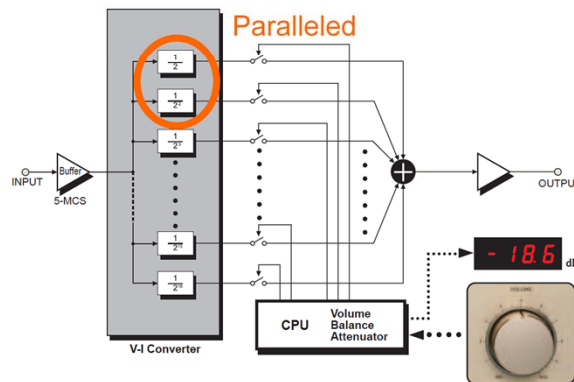
It is consisted of CNC machining aluminum block, extra-thick shaft and so on.

The volume knob provides very smooth touch and feel.

The drive sound by a remote commander becomes more silent than before.

# Evolution from E-560 to E-600

- AAVA re-designed for low noise
  - Paralleled V-I converter in larger two units
  - 5dB lower noise than E-560



AAVA: Accuphase Analog Vari-gain Amplifier

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AAVA is re-designed to achieve low noise.

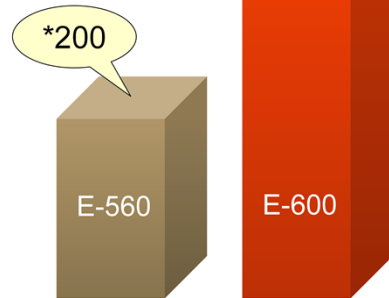
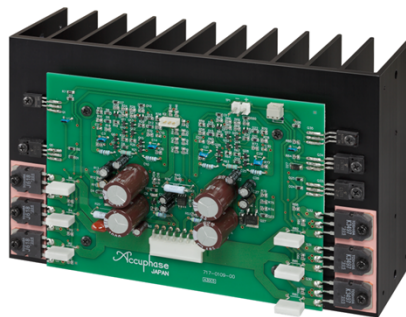
AAVA in E-600 achieves low noise by the paralleled buffer amplifier and paralleled V-I converter in larger two units.

Then the input stage of power amplifier is low-noised.

As a result, the overall noise of E-600 is 56%(-5dB) of E-560.

## Evolution from E-560 to E-600

- Higher Damping-factor
  - Balanced Remote-sensing
  - MOS-FET switch
  - Low impedance components



\*Guaranteed spec.

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The Damping-factor is an index of speaker driving ability. By using Balanced Remote-sensing, MOS-FET switch and Low impedance components, E-600 achieves higher Damping-factor than E-560. E-560 is 200 and E-600 is 500. It is 2.5 times higher.

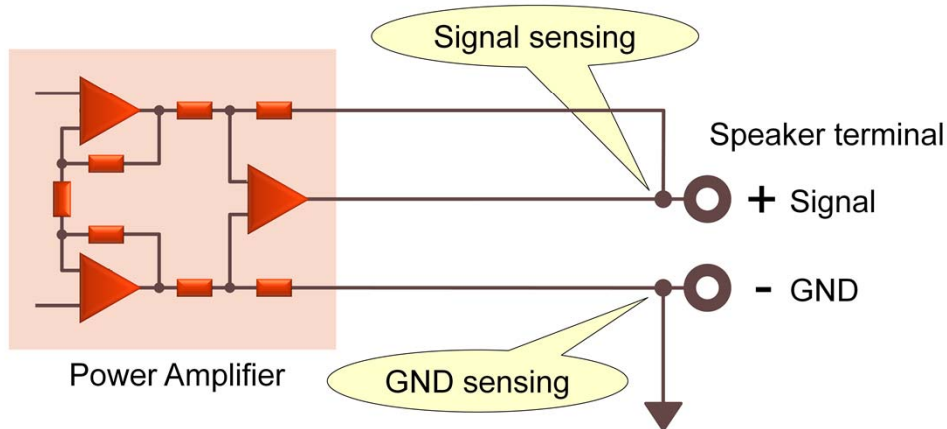
\*Damping-factor =  $8 \text{ ohm} / Z_o$

$Z_o$  : Output impedance of amplifier

By CEA-490-A R-2008 standard

# Balanced Remote-sensing

- Feedback from speaker terminal proximity
- Signal-line and GND-line sensing



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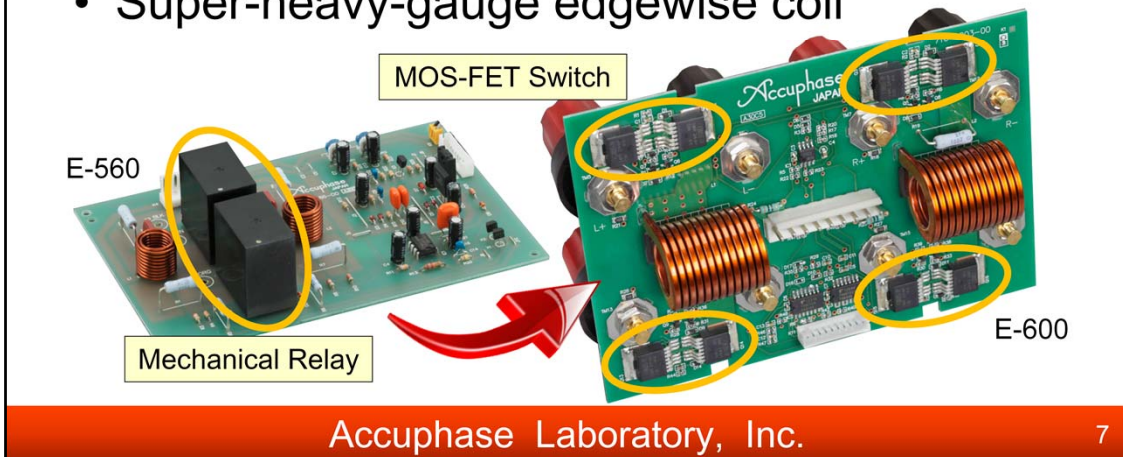
Remote-sensing is the technique to lower the output impedance of amplifier by the negative feedback with signal sensing from close up the speaker terminals.

Balanced Remote-sensing is the technique to make impedance even lower by GND sensing and the negative feedback of GND level with adding the signal sensing.

Not only Damping-factor is improved but also Total Harmonic Distortion and Intermodulation Distortion get better by Balanced Remote-sensing.

# MOS-FET switch and Coil

- Speaker protection using MOS-FET switch
  - Assures long-term reliability, Higher Damping-factor and Improved sound quality
- Super-heavy-gauge edgewise coil



MOS-FET switch is mounted on the speaker protection. Generally, a mechanical relay is used for the power-amp output for speaker protection. E-600 replaces a mechanical relay with MOS-FET switch. As a result, the reliability, Damping-factor and sound quality is improved. Super-heavy-gauge edgewise coil is chosen because the DC-resistance is extremely low. Output coil is essential for stable power amplifier movement.

\*On-resistance of MOS-FET used for E-600: 2.6mOHM

## Further more ...

- Ready for new option board DAC-40
  - Sampling frequency on the front display



- Balanced Pre-Output and Power-Input



- High-quality remote controller



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E-600 accepts the new digital input board, DAC-40. You can see the figure of music signal sampling frequency input into DAC-40 on the front panel display. Balanced-type input and output are additionally equipped as Pre-Output and Power-Input. The remote commander is elegant and high-quality.