

## Decora® Strauss™ Transformer-Free™ and Transformer-Free Impedance Matching Volume Controls

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### APPLICATION

Leviton's Decora Strauss Transformer-Free and Transformer-Free Impedance Matching Volume Controls, combined with premium installed speakers, can be used to design a no-compromise installed multi-room entertainment system that delivers the best reproduction possible from today's ultra-wide bandwidth digital sources.

In multi-room distributed audio systems, the source of undesirable speaker coloration (usually perceived as a "muffled" sound) is often the volume control itself, because the audio transformers (AKA: autoformers) used in conventional controls can actually filter the bass and treble frequencies. The Decora Strauss Transformer-Free Volume Controls use audio-grade Cermetile resistors to change volume levels while leaving the audio signal unaffected, resulting in ruler-flat frequency response across the entire audible frequency range. Moreover, the Decora Strauss Transformer-Free Volume Controls eliminate the problem of "saturation" associated with conventional volume controls with their ability to instantaneously handle the full peak output power of any consumer-grade amplifier on the market today.

The award-winning Decora Strauss Transformer-Free Matching Controls are available in two versions: regular and Impedance-Matching.

### FEATURES AND BENEFITS

- Decora slide control with precision 12-position switch (including full OFF position)
- Transformer-Free attenuation technology ensures linear frequency response, signal integrity and high power handling ability
- Cermetile resistors replace conventional autoformers to preserve audio signal purity
- Detachable cable connector is compatible with all standard speaker wire sizes (14-18 gauge)
- Decora designer styling adds an elegant touch to any décor
- Can be used outdoors when mounted with any compatible Decora all weather cover



- Provides the ability to adjust the volume of a pair of stereo speakers within a single listening zone.
- Designed to be mounted in a single-gang wall-switch box.
- Connector type: 0.200" eight pin in-line straight Phoenix plug with screw terminals.

### SGVSM-00W Decora Strauss Impedance Matching Volume Control ONLY

- The Impedance Matching Volume Control provides for multi-room distribution without the necessity of using external impedance matching devices.
- Adjustable Impedance settings enable configuring systems from two-six controls.

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SGVSM-00W & SGVST-00W

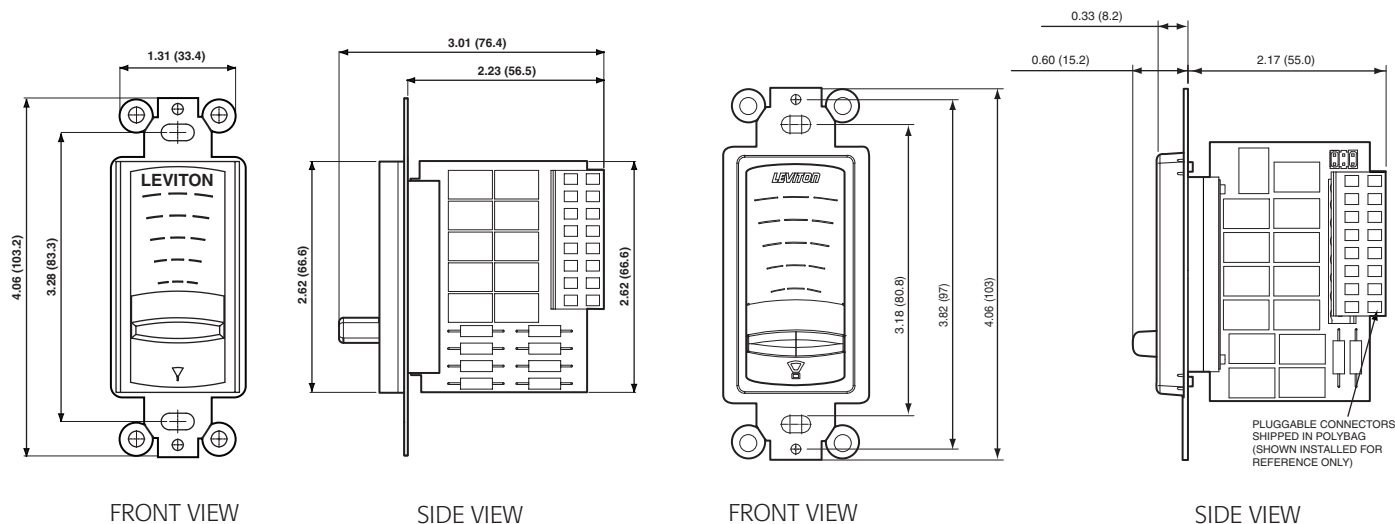
## SPECIFICATIONS

- Frequency Response:** 20Hz-20kHz +/- 1 dB  
**Power Handling:** 200W peak/100W RMS  
**Speaker Impedance:** 4-16 Ohms (nominal 8 Ohms)  
**Mounting:** Standard single-gang design (mounting depth: 2.5 in/64 mm)  
**Materials:** Frame and slider: White Polycarbonate; high impact, fire retardant plastic rated UL94 V-O

## ORDERING INFORMATION

Cat. No.	Description
SGVST-00W	Decora® Strauss™ Transformer-Free™ Volume Control (Standard white)
SGVSM-00W	Decora® Strauss™ Transformer-Free™ Impedance Matching Volume Control (Standard white)
SGVCK-OIA	Color change kit (converts to ivory or almond)
SGVCK-OOE	Color change kit (converts to ebony)
SGVCK-LA	Color change kit (converts to light almond)

## DIMENSIONAL DRAWINGS



**Decora® Strauss™ Transformer-Free™ Volume Control  
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## WARRANTY INFORMATION

Two-year limited product warranty

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