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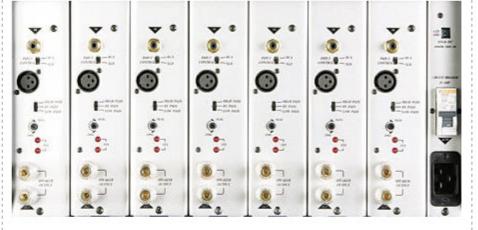
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## Power Amplifiers

Earthquake Cinénova Grande Seven-Channel Amplifier:

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#### At A Glance: Earthquake Cinénova Grande Seven-Channel Amplifier



#### Connections

Inputs: XLR (7), RCA (7) Outputs: Five-way binding posts (7) Additional: 25-pin parallel input connector

### Features

Number of Channels: 7

Power Rating (watts per channel): 300, into 8 ohms Frequency Response: +/-0.1dB: 20 Hz to 20 kHz Dimensions (H x W x D, inches): 9.25 x 18 x 21 Weight (pounds): 122 Price: \$5,899

These listings are based on the manufacturer's stated specs; the HT Labs box below indicates the gear's performance on our test bench.

#### Ratings: Earthquake Ciné Nova Grande Seven-Channel Amplifier

#### **Build Quality: 95**

- Top-quality internal components all around
- Built like a tank

#### Value: 91

- Big power is never cheap—if it's good
- The modular design allows for easy channel isolation and replacement

### Features: 94

- Big, clean wattage and current are the best amp features of all Balanced inputs
- Performance: 93

#### Massive power and dynamics Strong with two-channel or multichannel music or movies

- Ergonomics: 90
- How ergonomic can a big amp be? · Handles to carry the amp are an option—a good option

# Overall Rating: 93

The Cinénova Grande brings a lot of power, a lot of current, and a lot of excitement to the table. Its musical performance is strong, and it can easily power a large-scale seven-channel theater system—not to mention anything smaller-without breaking much of a sweat. It sounds as big as it looks.

## **General Information**

Cinénova Grande Seven-Channel Amplifier \$5,899

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