

STOCK Stereo only

depends on what music you listen to, but I found.

Turn off speed sensitive volume

Turn off distortion limiting

Turn the EQ to "off"

Treble at +2

Bass at -2

Balance and Fade at 0


put in a cd, turn music up to 46 volume

turn trunk amp up (slowly) until you hear the rear shelf speakers distort, then back off (again slowly) till it stops distorting.(should be just a touch).

now, depending on cd, you may have to adjust the treble and bass + or - 1 or 2 depending on mix, but it should be close.

I played with the settings over a long time and a wide range of cds, those settings are what I leave it at the majority of the time.

Why 46 on the volume, I've found that anything higher will pop the overheat circuit after a few minutes with these settings, and to me 46 is pretty loud even with the windows down (on city streets, always use the a/c on the highway personally) So I consider 46 as max volume(a few cd's I can go higher) anything lower then that will still sound good on these settings also.

Again this is to my ear and opinion, you may find you like it alittle different, but these settings should put you in the ballpark for a decent for stock system, and best of all it's free 

How To Adjust Subwoof Gain

I read various posts here and found that the instructions could be quite confusing without pics. I would like to thank certain members who tried their best to show me the way. Well I finally did and as a payback, I would like to make it easy for anyone else who wants to do this simple mod. It is only simple now that I have done it!

1. Open your trunk. Remove the liner covering your spare tire. Look at the liner to your left held by 4 or 5 plastic tabs. Remove the tabs and lift up the liner. You don't have to remove the liner directly in front of you covering the gas tank (as I did). The 4 red dots and the 2 screwdriver point to the approx location of where the amplifier is behind the metal wall....



2. You will now see 4 screws in 4 holes. Two of the screws may be partially hidden by wires. Loosen but do not completely remove the screws. Once loose, you can use your left hand to grab the black box behind the wall and lift it up to release out of the 4 holes.....





3. Now turn the box upside down. On the other side you will see a black knob with a + sign. I am assuming you will turn it up. I turned mine up about 2 or 3 notches below maximum level.





4. Turn on your CD player and adjust accordingly. Like gotzaGTO, I totally love the **stock** system now. That bass is now pretty serious.