

MPS-DSPX-RC1 INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS



Polaris Ride Command DSP harness for AMP1, AMP2, and AMP3 RZR XP/XP4 2014–Up / General 2017–Up Ranger 2018–Up

INTERFACE COMPONENTS

- MPS-DSPX-RC1 circuit board
- MPS-DSPX-RC1 harness (with gaskets)
- MPS-DSPX-RC1 enclosure (w/ case, cap, and 0-ring)

TABLE OF CONTENTS

Preface	2
Pinout	3
Installation	4
Ride command connection diagram	5
Quick setup guide	6-11
Advanced DSP features & control options	12-15
Specifications	16

TOOLS & INSTALLATION ACCESSORIES REQUIRED

- Crimping tool and connectors, or solder gun, solder, and heat shrink • Tape • Wire cutter
- Zip ties Multimeter

INTERFACE FEATURES

- · Water resistant enclosure with zip tie mounts included
- 31 Band graphic EQ
- Prewired input harness, 10 individually assignable outputs
- Independent equalization on each of the 10 outputs
- Independent high pass, low pass, and bandpass filters
- Each channel can be delayed independently up to 10ms
- Easy behind the Ride Command installation
- Designed for Polaris Ride Command Systems

- Clipping detection and limiting circuits
- Bass knob included
- Settings adjusted via Bluetooth® in a smart device application (tablet or mobile phone), compatible with both Android and Apple devices
- Read, write, and store configurations for future recall
- Password protect feature available in the mobile app
- Micro-B USB updatable

PREFACE

The MPS-DSPX-RC1 is designed specially for the Polaris Ride Command system. The input of the DSPX harness is prewired to plug directly into the Amp 1, Amp 2, and Amp 3 harnesses behind the RC screen. The MPS-DSPX-RC1 offers a Differential Balanced input as well as independent level control on the outputs of each channel. Independent volume control is important for the AMP 3 factory plug. AMP 3's output is not adjustable through the ride command screen. The AX-DSP-XL app offers the ability to control the output level of your subwoofer. The kit also includes a remote mounted bassknob that offers additional output control for your aftermarket subs. Another common problem with adding aftermarket amps to the RC system is "turn on pops". Through the APP you can delay the remote output turn on up to 10 seconds eliminating the turn on/off pops you can get with the other products.

To complete your new system we recommend our MPS-RZKIT. The MPS-RZKIT is a 10" Subwoofer and Speaker Pod combo kit with amplifier mount brackets included.

The MPS-RZKIT fits 2014-Up Polaris RZR models.





PINOUT



AMP 3 - Inputs CH 5 / 6 AMP 2 - Inputs CH 3 / 4 AMP 1 - Inputs CH 1 / 2 Black & Orange - Bass Knob Black - Ground Red - Accessory Yellow - Constant



Blue/White - Amp Turn-On Red/White - Future Use Channel 6-10 - User Assignable Outputs Sub RCA Jacks - Use Assignable Outputs Purple RCA Jack - User Assignable Output Green RCA Jack - User Assignable Output Gray RCA Jack - User Assignable Output White RCA Jack - User Assignable Output

INSTALLATION

- With the arrow stamped onto the cap facing upwards, push the 16-pin connector from the MPS-DSPX-RC1 harness into the left side of the cap. The locking clip on the connector should face upward. Make sure the gasket is seating properly in the cap. (Figure A)
- 2. With the arrow stamped onto the cap still facing upwards, push the 20-pin connector from the MPS-DSPX-RC1 harness into the right side of the cap. The locking clip on the connector should face upward. Make sure the gasket is seating properly in the cap. (Figure A)
- Plug the 16-pin and 20-pin connectors from the MPS-DSPX-RC1 harness into the MPS-DSPX-RC1 circuit board. (Figure A)
- **4.** Slide the assembly into the case, then click it shut. Zip-tie the enclosure to a secure location to secure it. Make sure the logo is facing up to further ensure that no outside elements can enter the enclosure.
- Gain access to the rear of your Ride Command Screen. Refer to your Service manual for instructions. Each Audio Amp connector is located in the upper dash compartment. Match up Amp1, Amp2, and Amp3 connectors to each other and plug in.
- 6. Download and install the AX-DSP-XL app from the Google Play Store or Apple App Store.
- Open the app and follow the instructions on the **Bluetooth Connection** tab to pair the mobile device to the MPS-DSPX-RC1.
- Scroll to the Configuration tab then select Polaris as the vehicle type. Then select your model. Keep without OE amplifier selected regardless of the OE system type.
- 9. Connect the amp turn-on wire from the MPS-DSPX-RC1 to your aftermarket amplifiers.
- **10.** Adjust the DSP settings in the app as desired. Refer to the instructions starting on (page 6) for an explanation of each tab in the app. (refer to page 6)



(Figure A)



RIDE COMMAND CONNECTION DIAGRAM



QUICK SETUP GUIDE

DSP Setup & Controls

The MPS-DSPX-RC1 uses the Axxess DSP XL application to control and setup your DSP. Only items pertaining to the MPS-DSPX-RC1 will be shown.

Download and install the AXDSP-XL app from the Google Play Store or Apple App Store.

Below are the quick steps to get your MPS-DSPX-RC1 system configured and playing. The AXDSP-XL app is powerful and offers many features. To find out more about these advanced feature review the Advanced features page.

Open the app then select the Bluetooth Connection tab.

With your MPS-DSPX-RCI powered on, select the SCAN button. The app will start searching for available DSP's. Once found select your device. In the top left corner of the app you will see it change from Not Connected to Connected.

Not Connected					
SETUP INSTRUCTIONS		BLUETOOTH CONNECTION		CONFIGURATION	OUTPUTS
CROSSOVER ADJUST		EQUALIZER ADJU			INPUTS/LEVELS
SCAN	Avai	Available Devices			
DISCONNECT	ONNECT AX-DSP-X Metra 39115816		To connect the AX-DSP	to the AX-DSP make sure the igni ' is powered up.	ition is in the on position and
			Hit the SCA	N Button and select the AX-DSP f	rom the available devices.
			Confirmatic corner of th	on that you are connected to the D e screen.	SP will show in the top left
			To disconne	ect from the AX-DSP hit the Disco	nnect button.



From the configurations page you should first test your system to make sure everything is connected properly after the DSP. To test your setup select the IDENTIFY button. This will play a chime thought your setup to confirm your system is ready to pass audio. (Figure 1)

Next select your VEHICLE TYPE (Figure 1)

The MPS-DSPX-RC1 will be set to **Polaris** for the Make. Next, select your Model, **RZR** or **General**. If you have a **Ranger** select **General** as your model, keep "Without OE Amp" selected, then select Apply. (Figure 2)

Connected to AX-DSP-L Metra 38115948 (-81)					
SETUP INSTRUCTIONS BLUETOOTH CONNECTION		CONFIGURATION	OUTPUTS		
CROSSOVER ADJUST EQUALIZER ADJUST		DELAY ADJUST	INPUT/LEVELS		
IDENTIFY	Click this button to identify the AX-DSP; the chimes will play				
RESET TO DEFAULTS	Resets the DSP customization settings, will not reset vehicle type. During the reset process, the amplifiers will shut off for 5–10 seconds, and then turn back on once completed.				
VEHICLE TYPE	Select the type of vehicle the AX-DSP is installed in				

(Figure 1)

Connected to AX-DSP	-X Metra 39115816 (-63)				
SETUP IN	STRUCTIONS	BLUETOOTH CONNECTION	CONFIGUI	RATION	OUTPUTS
CROSSO	VER ADJUST	EQUALIZER ADJUST	DELAY AI	DJUST	INPUTS/LEVELS
IDENTIFY		Select Ve	nicle Type	poet process :	
RESET TO DEFAULTS		and OE Ar	np Option	eset process,	
VEHICLE TYPE		Model:	-		
		Without OE Amp	O With OE Amp		
LOCK DOWN		CANCEL	APPLY		
SAVE CONFIG		Ion to your device			
RECALL CONFIG	Recalls a configuration from	your device and applies t	he recalled configuration	n to the AX-DSF	
(Figure 2)					

Continued on the next page

7

Next Select the OUTPUTS tab – This screen is where you setup your speaker's output channels. Under the GROUP menu, select the first drop down arrow to the right of the word NONE. Select the name from the dropdown menu that matches the location listed on the far left of the screen.

Example: #1 – Location - Left Front, under the Groups dropdown menu select Left Front. (Figure 3)

- Location Location of speaker.
- **Group** Used to join channels together for simple equalization. Example: left front woofer/midrange and left front tweeter will be considered simply left front. The letter M denotes the speaker assigned as the master speaker.
- **Invert** Will invert the phase of the speaker.
- Mute Will mute desired channel(s) for tuning individual channels.

Cor	nected to AX-DSP-X Metra 6B5	82939 (-	48)	WARN	ING: Settings have changed - Make su	re to 'Lock Down' before Exiting App
	SETUP INSTRUCTIONS		BLUETOOTH CONNECTIO	N	CONFIGURATION	OUTPUTS
	CROSSOVER ADJUST		EQUALIZER ADJUST		DELAY ADJUST	INPUTS/LEVELS
			<u>Output</u>	Chan	nels	
#	Location		Group			
1	Left Front	-	None	÷	Invert Mute	
2	Right Front	-	None	-	Invert Mute	
3	Left Rear	-	None	+	Invert Mute	
4	Right Rear	-	None	-	Invert Mute	
5	Sub Woofer	-	None	-	Invert Mute	
6	Not Used	-	None		Invert Mute	Contractory of the local division of the
7	Not Used	-	None		Invert Mute	
8	Not Used	-	None		Invert Mute	
9	Not Used	-	None		Invert Mute	
10	Not Used	-	None		Invert Mute	

(Figure 3)



Next Screen will allow you to set your crossover points, filter type, and slope. If you would like to pass full frequency range to your amps set all filters to High Pass and drag the slider all the way to the left making sure the entire frequency bar is green. (Figure 4)

- Selecting High Pass and Low Pass will provide one crossover frequency adjustment. Band Pass should only be chosen if installing just front speakers, with one dedicated amp for the woofers/mids, a second dedicated amp for the tweeters, along with a subwoofer.
- If you have a specific frequency you would like, select the number above the slider and enter in your exact frequency.
- Select the desired crossover slope, 24db, 36db, or 48 db.

Continued on the next page

Connected to AX-D	SP-L Metra 381	6594F (-88)	WARNING: Settings have changed - Make sure	to 'Lock Down' before Exiting App
SETUP INST	RUCTIONS	BLUETOOTH CONNECTION	ON CONFIGURATION	OUTPUTS
CROSSOVE	RADJUST	EQUALIZER ADJUST	DELAY ADJUST	INPUT/LEVELS
Left Front O Low Pass O Band Pass High Pass	 12dB 24dB 36dB 48dB 		Lower Freq:	100 Hz
Right Front C Low Pass Band Pass High Pass	 12dB 24dB 36dB 48dB 	I	Lower Freq:	100 Hz
Left Rear C Low Pass Band Pass High Pass	 12dB 24dB 36dB 48dB 		Lower Freq:	100 Hz
Right Rear			Lower Freq:	100 Hz

(Figure 4)

The Equalizer Adjustment tab will allow you to independently set your preferred audio curve for each channel. It is recommended that a Real Time Analyzer (RTA) be used to adjust these settings. If you choose to leave your EQ settings flat is will not affect the output signal. The purpose of the EQ setting is to offer the user the ability to tune the system to their listening style. (Figure 5)

- The front, rear, and sub channels can be adjusted independently within this tab with 31 bands of equalization available.
- The Gain slider on the far left is for the channel selected.



Continued on the next page

(Figure 5)



The final step to getting your MPS-DSPX-RCI setup is to save all your settings to the DSP. To do this select your CONFIGURATIONS tab and select LOCK DOWN. This will write all your setting to the DSP and save them.

Note: If you turn the ignition off or close the app before LOCKING DOWN all your information will be lost and you will need to go through the setup steps again. (Figure 6)

SETUP INSTRUCTIONS BLUETOOTH CONNECTION CONFIGURATION INPUTS CROSSOVER ADJUST EQUALIZER ADJUST DELAY ADJUST LEVELS DENTIFY Click this button to identify the AX-DSP; the chimes wil play Resets the DSP customization settings, will not reset vehicle type. During the reset process, your amplifiers will shut off for 5-10 seconds, and then turn back on once completed. VEHICLE TYPE Select the type of vehicle type. Journal the turn back on once completed. VEHICLE TYPE SAVE CONFIG Saves the current on Saves the current configuration to your device X-DSP SAVE CONFIG Recalls a configuration from your device Applies the recalled configuration to the AX-DSP	Connected to AX-DSP Metra	EQ-DD-TEST		
CROSSOVER ADJUST EQUALIZER ADJUST DELAY ADJUST LEVELS IDENTIFY Click this button to identify the AX-DSP; the chimes wil play RESET TO DEFAULTS Resets the DSP customization settings, will not reset vehicle type. During the reset process, your amplifiers will shut off for 5-10 seconds, and then turn back on once completed. VEHICLE TYPE Select the type of vertice of the type of the type. During the configuration to your device RECALL CONFIG Recalls a configuration from your device Applies the recalled configuration to the AX-DSP		IS BLUETOOTH CONNECTION	CONFIGURATION	
DENTIFY Click this button to identify the AX-DSP; the chimes wil play Resets the DSP customization settings, will not reset vehicle type. During the reset process, your amplifiers will shut off for 5-10 seconds, and then turn back on once completed. VEHICLE TYPE Select the type of vehicle type. During the Locking Down Data LOCK DOWN Stores the current of X-DSP SAVE CONFIG Saves the current configuration to your device Recalls a configuration from your device Applies the recalled configuration to the AX-DSP		T EQUALIZER ADJUST	DELAY ADJUST	LEVELS
RESET TO DEFAULTS Resets the DSP customization settings, will not reset vehicle type. During the reset process, your amplifiers will shut off for 5-10 seconds, and then turn back on once completed. VEHICLE TYPE Select the type of vehicle type. During the Locking Down Data LOCK DOWN Stores the current configuration to your device SAVE CONFIG Recalls a configuration from your device APPLY CONFIG Applies the recalled configuration to the AX-DSP	IDENTIFY			
VEHICLE TYPE Select the type of velicity to the XX DOD is a stalled in LOCK DOWN Stores the current c SAVE CONFIG Saves the current configuration to your device RECALL CONFIG Recalls a configuration from your device APPLY CONFIG Applies the recalled configuration to the AX-DSP	RESET TO DEFAULTS	Resets the DSP customization settings reset process, your amplifiers will shut on once completed.		
LOCK DOWN Stores the current configuration to your device SAVE CONFIG Saves the current configuration to your device RECALL CONFIG Recalls a configuration from your device AFFECT CONFIG Applies the recalled configuration to the AX-DSP	VEHICLE TYPE	Select the type of velocking Down Da	ta installed in	
SAVE CONFIG Saves the current configuration to your device RECALL CONFIG Recalls a configuration from your device APPLY CONFIG Applies the recalled configuration to the AX-DSP	LOCK DOWN	Stores the current co	X-DSP	
RECALL CONFIG Recalls a configuration from your device APPLY CONFIG Applies the recalled configuration to the AX-DSP	SAVE CONFIG			
	RECALL CONFIG			
Displays information about this App and the AX-DSP	ABOUT	Displays Information about this App a	nd the AX-DSP	

(Figure 6)

Configuration (Figure 7)

- **Identify** Click this button to confirm that the interface is connected properly. If so, a chime will be heard from the front left speaker*.
 - * Only installations where the interface is connected to a front left speaker.
- **Reset to Defaults** Resets the interface to factory settings. During the reset process the amplifiers will shut off for 5-10 seconds.
- Vehicle Type Select the vehicle type from the drop down box, select either Without OE Amplifier or With OE Amplifier, then click the apply button.
- Lock Down Click this button to save the selected settings. Attention! This button must be selected before closing the app or cycling the key otherwise all settings will be lost.
- Save Configuration Saves the current configuration to the mobile device.
- Recall Configuration Recalls a configuration from the mobile device.
- **About** Displays information about the app, vehicle, interface, and mobile device.
- Set Password Assign a 4-digit password to lock the interface. If no
 password is desired, use "0000". This will clear out any currently set
 password. It is not necessary to lock down the interface when setting a
 password. Note: A 4-digit only password must be chosen otherwise the
 interface will show "password not valid for this device".
- Clear Phones Clears phones paired from memory.



(Figure 7)



Delay Adjust (Figure 8)

• Allows a delay of each channel. If a delay is desired, first measure the distance (in inches) from each speaker to the listening position, then enter those values to the corresponding speaker. Add (in inches) to the desired speaker to delay it.

Connected to AX/0SPL Metra 3811948 (-84) WARNENC Settings have changed - Make sure to Lock Down before			e to Lock Down before Exiting App
SETUP INSTRUCTIONS	BLUETOOTH CONNECTION	CONFIGURATION	OUTPUTS
CROSSOVER ADJUST	EQUALIZER ADJUST	DELAY ADJUST	INPUT/LEVELS
Distan	ice from each speaker to 'H	ead position (in inche	<u>(s)</u>
Left Front	0		
Right Front	0		
Left Rear	0		
Right Rear	0		
Sub Woofer	0		
Measure the distance	from each speaker to the desired	Head' position and enter th	ose values in the
	corresponding boxes. Maximu	m distance is 99°.	

(Figure 8)

ADVANCED DSP FEATURES & CONTROL OPTIONS (CONT.)

Inputs/Levels



- Clipping Level Use this feature to protect sensitive speakers like tweeters from being driven past their capabilities. If the output signal of the DSP clips the audio will be reduced by 20dB. Turning down the stereo will allow the audio to come back at a normal level. The sensitivity of this feature can be adjusted to the listening preference of the user.
- Chime Volume Not applicable in this application.
- Amp Turn On
 - **Signal Sense** Will turn the amplifier on when an audio signal is detected, and keep on for 10 seconds past the last signal. This ensures the amplifier doesn't shut off between tracks.
 - Always On Will keep the amplifiers on as long as they is cycled on.
 - **Turn on Delay** Can be used to delay amp turn-on to avoid turn-on pops.
- **Subwoofer Input** For selecting either a dedicated subwoofer input or summed from the front and rear inputs.



DON'T FORGET TO LOCK DOWN!!! (Figure 9)

Conr	ected to AX-DSP Metra	EQ-DD-TEST		
SETUP INSTRUCTIONS		BLUETOOTH CONNECTION	CONFIGURATION	INPUTS
	CROSSOVER ADJUST	EQUALIZER ADJUST	DELAY ADJUST	LEVELS
	IDENTIFY	Click this button to identify the AX-DSF		
	RESET TO DEFAULTS	Resets the DSP customization settings reset process, your amplifiers will shut on once completed.		pe. During the d then turn back
	VEHICLE TYPE	Select the type of vehicle the two populations in the type of vehicle the type of type of type of the type of the type of	ta stalled in	
	LOCK DOWN	Stores the current of	X-DSP	
	SAVE CONFIG	Saves the current configuration to your		
	RECALL CONFIG			
		Applies the recalled configuration to th	e AX-DSP	
	ABOUT	Displays Information about this App ar	nd the AX-DSP	

(Figure 9)



MPS-DSPX-RC1 INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

Specifications

Input Impedance Input Channels Input Options Input Type Input Voltage High Level Range Input Voltage Low Level Range **Ouput Channels Output Voltage** Output Impedance Equalizer Type THD Frequency Response Crossover Crossover Type Sampling S/N Ratio

1M Ohm 6 High/Low level Selectable High Level or Low Level Differential-Balanced 0 - 28v Peak to Peak 0 - 4.9v Peak to Peak 10 Up to 5v RMS 50 Ohms 31 Band Graphic EQ, +/- 10dB < 0.03% 20Hz - 20kHz 3-Way LPF, BPF, HPF THP per channel Linkwitz-Riley 24db, 36db, or 48 db 48kH7

105dB @ 5V RMS

SPECIFICATIONS

General

Operating Voltage Standby Current Draw Operation Current Draw Adjustments/Controls Remote Output 10 - 16VDC ~7mA ~150mA Application via Bluetooth 12VDC, Signal Sense or with Ignition



KNOWLEDGE IS POWER

Enhance your installation and fabrication skills by enrolling in the most recognized and respected mobile electronics school in our industry.



Metra recommends MECP certified technicians

Learn more about powersports sound systems we have.