

1929 – Philips 2016

The Loudspeaker

Categoria/category: Altifalante de cone com lâmina vibrante / Vibrating blade and cone loudspeaker

Fabricante / *Maker: Philips Radios – Germany.*

Construção / *Construction: Baquelite heptagonal / Heptagonal Bakelite.*

Motor: Lâmina vibrante e cone / *Electromagnet vibrating blade and cone.*

Cone: Papel encerado pintado / *Painted waxed paper.*

Produzido / *Produced: 1929.*

Dimensões: 330 x 330 x 200 mm.

Peso / *Weight : 0.9 kg.*

Nº série /*Serial number: 622160.*

Impedância / *Impedance:1900 Ω.*



Historia/History:

- In 1891, *Fédéric Philips (1830-1900, banker) founded the Société Philips & Co. in Holland with his son, Gérard Philips (1858-1942). The purpose was to produce and sell light bulbs.*
- *In 1924, Louis Kalff reported himself to Philips by letter. He claimed that the company's advertising was not modern enough and did not have enough allure. He was put in charge of the commercial and artistic propaganda departments in 1925. Kalff creates fantastic designs of Phillips products.*
- *Philips, a major tube manufacturer, only began producing radios in 1927, some designs benefit from the Kalff creativity.*

[See more about Louis Kalff here.](#)