

BA Speaker Plate Speaker Selection Guide

This guide was made to provide some helpful tips to assist in the speaker selection process.

- Find a speaker that calls for a 5 1/16 cutout hole or less.
- Look at the Top Mounting Depth dimension, the shorter the better.
- Don't select a speaker with a huge magnet on it. It may not clear the glass.
- BA Plates mount the speaker in the door at an angle, which is a good thing, but at the same time points the corner of the magnet at the glass. The distance from this corner to the glass is the limiting factor.
- Understand that the mounting depth / magnet diameter varies from one speaker to another so not all speakers with a mounting depth of "X" will fit due to the varying magnet diameters from one model to the next. Also not all speakers with a magnet diameter of "Y" will fit due to different mounting depths.
- There are 6 3/4" speakers too. Sometimes they are listed as 6 1/2" speakers. They will not fit with the BA Plates. Check with the manufacturer and or with various sellers to make sure that they are not 6 3/4"
- Crutchfield.com is a good resource for information on current speakers. Once you make a choice, click the "Details" tab to view the specs.
- Examples of speakers that have been confirmed to fit are: 1 5/8" mounting depth with a 2 7/8" diameter magnet and 1 7/8" mounting depth with a 2 3/4" magnet.