

---

Subject: Make Your Own IF Transformers

Posted by [Wayne Parham](#) on Thu, 15 Apr 2010 03:33:04 GMT

[View Forum Message](#) <> [Reply to Message](#)

---

I've also had those symptoms once from a bad IF transformer. In that case, the capacitor in the can was fine but the insulation had evidently broken down in a weird way. I'm not sure what caused it, because it was magnet wire, but if you measured it hot it measured very different than it did cold. I expect some slight shift, but what it had was way too much.

If it turns out this has happened to your radio too and if you can't find a replacement, check this page:

Make Your Own IF Transformers

---