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Posted by [j.luis cruz](#) . on Sat, 13 Jan 2007 00:11:52 GMT

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Hy Wayne . what could change in the Alpha MR-A 8 inch from eminence if the closed basket were open , this driver have a resonant frequency of 514 Hz .I said this Wayne because found a lot of Alpha 8 MRA drivers and I think that when its closed back were open (drilled) this could work as a woofer .But Wayne let me know your valuable oppinon .Thanks

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Posted by [Wayne Parham](#) on Sun, 14 Jan 2007 00:14:42 GMT

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I've never worked with that driver, but I suspect that if the sealed back were removed or drilled open, it would probably be similar to an Alpha 8. If you're planning to drill, make several holes.

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Posted by [j.luis cruz](#) . on Sun, 14 Jan 2007 01:21:04 GMT

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What do you think Wayne of using a Alpha 8 MR-A in a mid-horn approach . This driver have a passband from 500 Hz up to 4Khz with over 100 dbSPL .I foresigh the most simple mid-horn enclosure no backwave to worry atop of the mid-horn a Eminence CD tweeter and below a two tower bass bin .the question = Does this make sense to you ?

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Posted by [Wayne Parham](#) on Sun, 14 Jan 2007 17:20:39 GMT

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I think that would probably make a very fine midhorn for 500Hz to 3kHz or so. Might go as low as 400Hz or maybe as high as 4kHz in certain horns. And you're right - it would be easy to build since you don't need to make a rear chamber. The size is probably just about right, certainly in the right range and easy enough to work with.
