Subject: Crackly Speakers
Posted by Chloe on Wed, 14 May 2025 00:27:08 GMT
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I own two speakers that have both suddenly started to sound crackly and distorted. I've been told that the problem may be the receiver and that replacing it would fix the issue. Is this correct, or could there be a different issue?

Subject: Re: Crackly Speakers
Posted by Wayne Parham on Wed, 14 May 2025 19:36:31 GMT
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Connect the speakers to a different system to know for sure. If the noise goes away, then the problem was in the receiver or the source.

Subject: Re: Crackly Speakers
Posted by Kingfish on Thu, 15 May 2025 19:49:07 GMT
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And then after you fix them, put an old 33 on the turntable to revisit that good, old-fashioned crackly sound.

:lol:

After all these years, I still know what that sounds like.

Subject: Re: Crackly Speakers
Posted by Wayne Parham on Fri, 16 May 2025 19:45:31 GMT
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So true!

Subject: Re: Crackly Speakers
Posted by Helen on Sun, 16 Nov 2025 15:18:20 GMT
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Oh, that sounds frustrating! I’m not an expert, but from what I’ve read, crackling and

distortion can come from a few things. It could be the receiver, especially if both speakers started acting up at the same time. But it might also be the wiring, loose connections, or even the speaker components themselves. I’d probably check all the cables and connections first, and if those are fine, then look into the receiver. Sometimes just cleaning the contacts can help too.