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Subject: Whats the diffrents? In these driver units?  
Posted by [djm](#) on Thu, 11 Aug 2005 19:20:44 GMT

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Hi I am looking to use scan speak or usher speakers. They both look the same but, the scan speak looks like it has more extras on it. Does this make it a better driver? Are they going to update the carbon fiber drivers soon. Which is a better driver? Thanks jm

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Posted by [Manualblock](#) on Thu, 11 Aug 2005 21:04:16 GMT

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Can you be more specific? What drivers do you mean and can you post the measured response? How are they used? Two way/three way? What size are they, 8" 12"?

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Posted by [djm](#) on Fri, 12 Aug 2005 11:45:50 GMT

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Yes this is the model number for the scan speak driver it is 18w/8545k a 7 inch carbon fiber/paper woofer. The usher is 8945a also a carbon fiber/paper woofer. The price difference is \$38.85. Is it really a difference in sound and extra bells and things like for the scan speak sd-1 r3, kapton former a grasshopper cast frame does this really make a difference or is it just adding to the driver to make it look like your getting more? The usher not too much going on over there. A lot of people think it is a newer design of the same driver. I am going to use them in a ported box a 2 way. All for music only. I have a home theater set up so it will not be used for that. I am looking at getting the woofer testerr 2 from parts express. It seems to work really well and this is my 3rd speaker I am building and want to get it right. Well if you want to know more just e-mail me and I will try to get you the best answer I can. Thanks jm

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Subject: Re: Whats the diffrents? In these driver units?  
Posted by [GarMan](#) on Tue, 16 Aug 2005 00:37:56 GMT

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I don't have first hand experience with the drivers but you may find this article helpful.  
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