



During installation of the 9XX Boxster986/996 speaker adapter kit, the process is normally very straight forward, however its possible you might find that you run into problems.

We have listened to customers and have come up with some hints and tips to help with installation.

1. Speaker is hard to fit into adapter ring



We have heard reports of this, the adapter ring is designed to be a snug fit on some models, and a looser fit on others. Tight models seem to be the SPE-10C2 model from Alpine.

Normally the 10C2 can be a tight fit, but you should be able to install the speaker into the ring with thumb pressure and manipulation only. If you experience problems, its worth using a fine file or even a emery nail board to de-bur and remove a tiny amount of the material around the speaker where it slots into the adapter.



2. Another tip for installation of adapter when tight.

We had one customer who rather than file his speaker around the mounting area, decided to drop the adapter ring into boiling water for about 3 mins and then quickly fit it to the speaker wearing rubber gloves.. the heat seems to expand the ring a little to ease installation, the rubber gloves are just to protect your fingers from the heat and to aid grip.



3. Using the kit to fit speakers to the GT3 or GT2 without speakers.

The GT3 and GT2 has what on first inspection look like speaker grills. However once you remove them you find that they are blanking plates.

Luckily we thought of this when we designed our speaker adapter kit. A degree of DIY skills are needed for installation.

To install in these GT covers, you need to use a Dremel type craft tool too cut out the top of where the speaker sits, leaving the edges still protruding to allow the adapter to locate onto it.

Once this is done, the adapter kit will fit perfectly, you may need to use a couple of screws to locate the kit if the cover does not already have screws fitted. The screws are available from most DIY or hardware stores and the holes for the screws will already be in place in the cover.

The last item is you may need to space out between the fitting adapters and the cover to tightly clamp the speaker and adapter ring in place. We recommend using an offcut of the plastic you removed from the speaker orifice.

4. Will the speaker adapter kit work with other brands of speaker?

We have heard reports of our kit being used with success with the MBQuart, POLK and other brands of 4 inch speaker. However we do not have enough details to guarantee installation.

5. Broken adapter ring through using excessive force.

If you should find that the adapter ring snaps due to the use of excessive force, we are happy to supply just a partial part of the kit, such as the adapter ring, however its down to your retailer to decide on price, usually this is around 50% of the cost of the kit. We recommend you follow the tips on this sheet which should remove the need to use excessive force.

IF YOU EXPERIENCE A PROBLEM WITH THE KIT NOT COVERED BY THIS DOCUMENT, PLEASE CONTACT YOUR SUPPLIER FOR ADVICE.

IF YOU HAVE ANY TIPS YOU WOULD LIKE TO SHARE, PLEASE CONTACT US VIA OUR WEBSITE.