

# Install Guide for In-ceiling Speakers

## Installing with an install bracket

1. Determine placement of speakers in the room.
2. Install the speaker bracket by nailing or stapling the wings of the speaker bracket to the studs of the wall or ceiling. The bracket has a 1/2" lip that should face into the room. This lip will provide a guide for the sheetrock installers to cut the hole for the speaker.
3. Run speaker wire from the audio equipment location to the speaker bracket. Make sure you have plenty of wire at the speaker location to connect to the speaker. Destination Audio recommends three feet.
4. If you are running wire through studs, consider using nail guards to protect your wires from sheetrock nails or screws.

## Installing without an install bracket

1. Determine the location of the speakers in the room.
2. Run speaker wire from the audio equipment location to the speaker location. Make sure you have plenty of wire at the speaker location to connect to the speaker. Destination Audio recommends three feet.
3. Secure the speaker wire to a stud or floor joist with a twist tie or staple. If you are using a staple, be careful not to nick or pierce the wire and leave the wire loose enough that you can reach into the hole you will cut into the sheetrock. Make sure the wire is back far enough that the sheet rockers blade or router will not cut it. If you are running your wire through studs, consider using nail guards to protect your wires from sheetrock nails or screws.
4. After the sheetrock or finish material has been installed, use the cutout template that came in the speaker box to cut a hole in the sheetrock. Be mindful of the studs or floor joists as you place the template.

## Installing the speaker

1. Locate the speaker wire previously run to the speaker location and connect the speaker wire to the terminal connections on the rear of the speaker. The positive conductor connects to the red terminal and the negative conductor connects to the black terminal.
2. The speaker is secured by the four dog ears. Tighten the four screws on the front of the speaker, which will rotate the dog ears out, then pull them up to secure the speaker. Tighten the screws until they are snug. **Do not over tighten as this may make it difficult to install the grill.**
3. Place speaker grill on speaker.

## Painting the speaker

When you received you speaker, a paint shield was included. This shield can be used to protect the speaker when you paint the speaker rim. Painting the speaker grill should be done with a sprayer set to fine. Remove the grill from the speaker, and place it on a flat surface. **Do not use a brush or roller on the speaker grill as it will clog the holes.** Be sure to remove the paint shield before reinstalling the grill and using the speakers.

## Speaker adjustment

Depending on the model of Destination Audio speaker you are installing, it may have a pivoting tweeter and/or a +3/-3 dB gain switch. Adjust these to obtain the desired sound.



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