



iMac Intel Speaker Displacement for HDD Guides

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INTRODUCTION

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This guide includes instructions to loosen the left speaker. This shortens the existing iMac HDD guides, which instructs fixers to remove the left speaker and lower support bracket.



TOOLS:

- [T8 Torx Screwdriver](#) (1)
 - [T10 Torx Screwdriver](#) (1)
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Step 1 — iMac Intel Speaker Displacement for HDD Guides



- Use a T10 driver to remove the two 10 mm screws securing the left speaker.

Step 2



- Shift the loosened left speaker to the left—enough to uncover the hard drive bracket screws.

Step 3



- Pull straight up on the SATA combo cable to disconnect it from the drive.

Step 4



- Use a T8 driver to remove the two 7.3 mm screws securing the left hard drive bracket to the rear case.

Step 5



- Grab the hard drive and left hard drive bracket together.
- Tilt the left side away from the rear case, and slide the assembly to the left.
- Remove the hard drive and left hard drive bracket from the iMac.

Step 6



- Remove the left hard drive bracket.

To reassemble your device, follow these instructions in reverse order.