



# TDK Life on Record Trek Max A34 Small Speaker Replacement

The TDK Life on Record Trek Max A34 has three speakers, one large and two small. This guide will instruct you on replacing a small speaker.

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## INTRODUCTION

This is a step by step guide on how to replace the small speaker on the TDK Life on Record Trek Max A34 if needed. The steps include special skills such as soldering which may need to be reviewed before starting the completion of this guide. For this guide you will need a TR7 screwdriver, a J00 screwdriver, and a metal spudger.

## Step 1 — Small Speaker



- Use a TR7 screwdriver to remove the screws from the battery cover located on the underside of the device.
- Remove the battery cover.

## Step 2



- Unplug and remove the battery.
- Use a metal spudger to pry off the rubber padding.

## Step 3



- Use a J00 screwdriver to unscrew the screws that are under the rubber pads.
- Remove the battery holder and be sure to thread the wires through the hole within the part.

## Step 4



- Use a metal spudger to pry off the front and back mesh screens.
- ⓘ You may need to move the metal spudger along the edge of the screen to remove it easier.

## Step 5



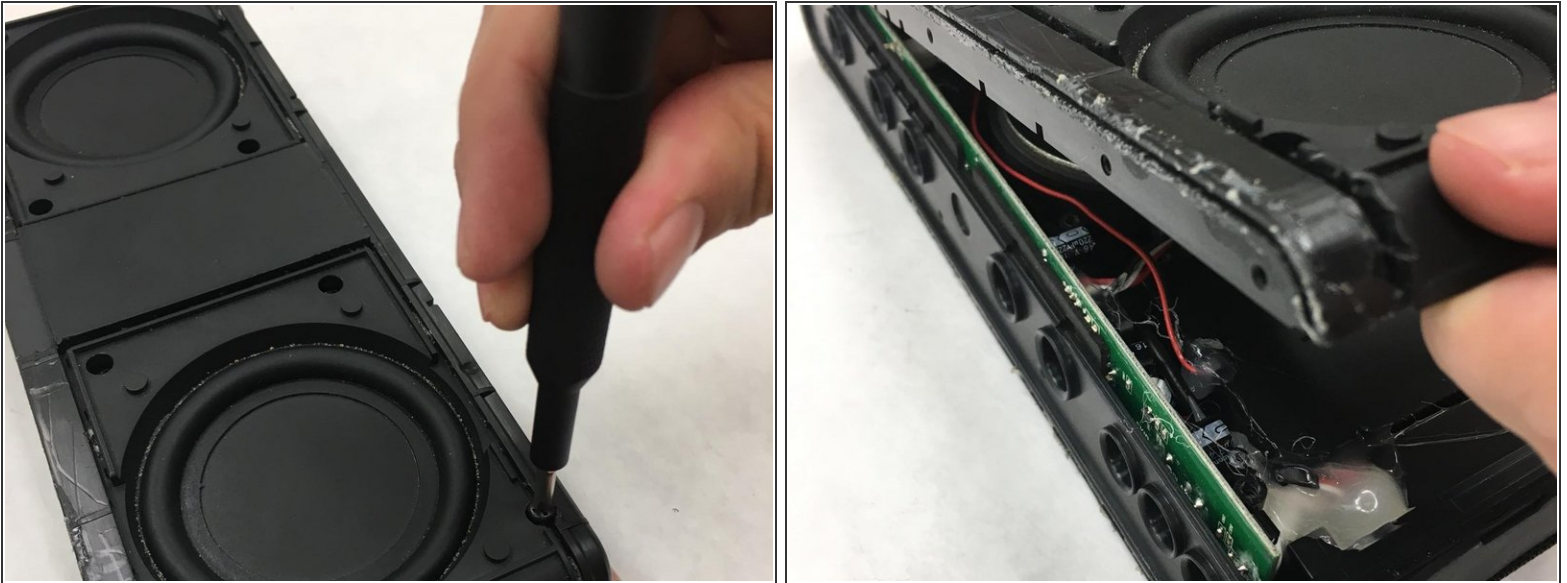
- Use the a metal spudger to pry up the rubber cover on the top surface of the device.
- Peel off the rubber cover and reveal the buttons and screws underneath.

## Step 6



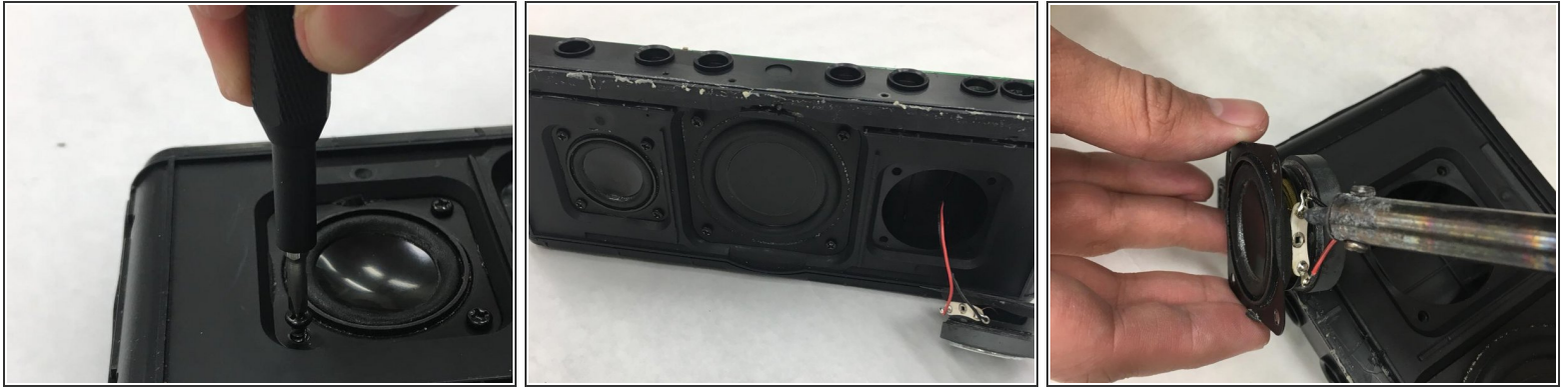
- Use a J00 screwdriver to unscrew the screws that hold the top cover in place.
- Remove the top cover.

## Step 7



- On the backside of the device, unscrew the case screws with a J00 screwdriver.
  - ⓘ Only the screws on the backside are needed to hold the frame together, do not remove screws on the front.
- Once the screws are removed, separate the two frame pieces.

## Step 8



- ⓘ The following steps can be applied to either the left or the right speaker.
  - Use a J00 screwdriver to unscrew the four screws that secure the speaker.
  - ⓘ The speaker should fall out naturally. If the speaker is stuck, use a plastic opening tool or a metal spudger to gently lift it out.
  - Desolder the black and red speaker wires.
- ⓘ Review the [Desolder](#) guide if you are unfamiliar with soldering.

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