

Am I missing an amp?

Posted by Mrtwo - 2014/06/09 08:27

My sub is missing from the compartment behind the passenger seat, but I noticed a few extra wires in there! Should it have an amp as well?
Anyone got one? Dont mind not having a radio, but when your stuck in traffic!!! Thanks

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Re: Am I missing an amp?

Posted by Rex Banner - 2014/06/09 10:15

I think it depends on whether or not the car came with a 'Premium' sound system from Toyota.

I may be corrected on this, but I believe that the rear subs were not standard on all MR2's.

If the wiring is already there though it will be a plug and play job.

You'll pick up a rear sub box on here cheaply.

I recommend you upgrade the speakers to more modern ones once you get the sub box.

I used this one from Maplins as a plug and play replacement and the quality of sound is better than OEM. :)

<http://www.maplin.co.uk/p/25w-35in-shielded-bass-mid-range-speaker-l67aw>

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Re: Am I missing an amp?

Posted by Marty J - 2014/06/09 14:42

You are indeed correct Rex.

The Toyota sub also had its own built in amp.

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Re: Am I missing an amp?

Posted by Mister2 - 2014/06/09 19:30

I've only seen the factory fitted rear subs on the Rev1 and Rev2 versions

They took all of the nice stuff out of the rev3+ version ... steering fogs, premium sounds, cruise control ... and one of the nicest thing about the older cars ... black headlining ... tight ass Toyota!!

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Re: Am I missing an amp?

Posted by Mrtwo - 2014/06/09 20:16

Ah ha! So now I need a powered sub and two speakers, the two tweeters are still present, and I just noticed another two behind both seats,! Alot of sound system for a small cabin, defo have to sort it now!! Thank you all for the info!!!!

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Re: Am I missing an amp?

Posted by julio - 2014/06/12 21:56

As far as I know they came standard in the glimited. And the gt for turbo ones ;) I can take a pic of it with wiring in my g-limited if it's any good to you and the amp is built in the rectangle box

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Re: Am I missing an amp?

Posted by Rex Banner - 2014/06/13 08:43

I've repaired most of the speakers in my Rev 1 MR2. I have a thread in the 'Photography' section that shows what I did if you are interested.

If I recall correctly the sub is basically just a plastic box with a speaker.
The amplifier is located in the rear doorcard beside it.
I have a spare Rev1 MR2 ampifier here if you want it.

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Re: Am I missing an amp?

Posted by Mrtwo - 2014/06/13 19:07

Hiya, if I dont here back from another lad, I'll take the sub off you, heres a pic of what mine currently looks like
<http://i795.photobucket.com/albums/yy233/cheezday/4D6C0F18-CA53-4AEE-BB2F-5659EF879844.jpg>

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