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## Scosche 040SA68

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Model: SA68 (040SA68)

This manual provides detailed instructions for the installation and use of your Scosche SA68 Speaker Adapters, designed for select Import and Domestic vehicles.

## 1. INTRODUCTION

The Scosche SA68 Speaker Adapters are engineered to facilitate the upgrade of your vehicle's audio system. These adapters allow for the installation of aftermarket 5.25-inch to 6.5-inch speakers into factory 5x7-inch or 6x8-inch speaker openings in compatible Import and Domestic vehicles. Crafted for durability and precise fit, they ensure a secure installation and optimal sound performance without requiring modifications to your vehicle's existing mounting points.

## 2. PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The Scosche SA68 Speaker Adapters are designed for seamless integration and enhanced speaker compatibility. Key features include:

- **Seamless Integration:** Designed to fit select Import and Domestic vehicles with factory 5x7 or 6x8 speakers, ensuring a secure installation.
- **Enhanced Speaker Compatibility:** Allows installation of aftermarket 5.25-inch to 6.5-inch car door speakers. Supports most aftermarket speakers with a maximum top mount diameter of 5 1/16 inches (129mm).
- **Easy Installation:** Utilizes existing vehicle mounting points, eliminating the need for cutting or drilling in most applications.
- **Durable Construction:** Made from high-quality, automotive-grade ABS plastic for long-lasting performance and reliable support.

### What's in the Box:

- Speaker Adapter Pair



Image: A pair of black Scosche SA68 speaker adapters, designed to convert 5x7/6x8 inch openings to accommodate 5.25-6.5 inch speakers.

### 3. SPECIFICATIONS

Attribute	Detail
Brand	Scosche
Model Number	040SA68
Material	Acrylonitrile Butadiene Styrene (ABS)
Item Dimensions (L x W x H)	6 x 0.5 x 8 inches
Item Weight	3.2 ounces
UPC	033991194687

# SPEAKER ADAPTER DIMENSIONS - SA68

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## Aftermarket Speakers Sizes



**Maximum Speaker Cutout is 5 1/16" (129mm). Some Speakers listed as 6.5" are actually oversized and may require trimming of the Adapters to make them fit. Please check the dimensions of your Speakers to verify they will fit, prior to purchasing.**

Image: Detailed dimensions of the SA68 speaker adapter, showing measurements for both the outer frame and the inner speaker cutout, indicating compatibility with 5 1/4" to 6 1/2" speakers with a maximum top mount diameter of 5 1/16" (129mm).

## 4. VEHICLE COMPATIBILITY

The Scosche SA68 Speaker Adapters are designed for specific Import and Domestic vehicles. It is crucial to verify your vehicle's make, model, and year against the provided fit guide to ensure compatibility before installation.



**All Scosche Speaker Adapters are Vehicle Specific. Use the Fit Guide Image on this listing to verify that your vehicle's Make, Model and Year is supported.**

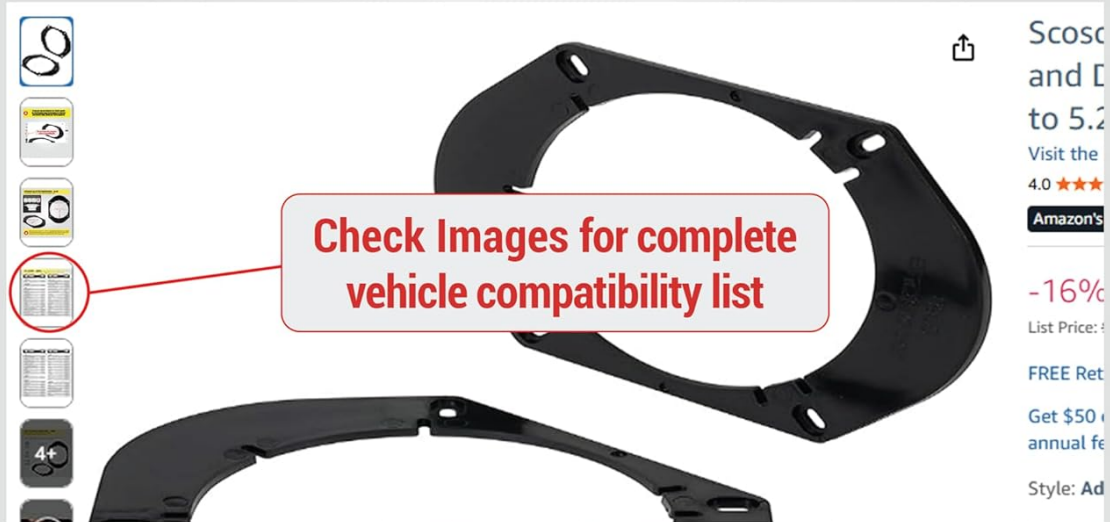


Image: A note indicating that all Scosche Speaker Adapters are vehicle-specific and to use the fit guide image to verify compatibility.

### **Fit Guide (Partial List - Refer to full images for complete details)**

Below is a partial list of compatible vehicles. Please refer to the detailed images for the complete and most up-to-date compatibility information.

# FIT GUIDE - SA68

1974-2019 CHEVROLET • CHRYSLER • FORD • JAGUAR • LINCOLN • MAZDA • MERCURY • NISSAN

MAKE   MODEL	YEAR	MAKE   MODEL	YEAR
<b>CHEVROLET</b>		<b>FORD</b> <i>Continued</i>	
NOVA	1985-1988	EXPLORER Standard Audio	1991-2019
		EXPLORER 2 Door Sport	2001-2003
<b>CHRYSLER</b>		EXPLORER SPORT TRAC	2001-2010
PT CRUISER	2001-2010	F SERIES PICKUP	1980-1996
		F-150 Premium Audio	1997-1998
<b>FORD</b>		F-150 Standard Audio	1997-2014
BRONCO Full Size	1987-1996	F-150 SVT RAPTOR	2013-2014
BRONCO II	1983-1990	F-250/350 Premium Audio	1997
BRONCO II Eddie Bauer	1989-1990	F-250/350 Standard Audio	1997-2016
CLUB WAGON	1992-2001	F-450/550	2009-2016
CROWN VICTORIA	1992-2011	FAIRMONT	1978-1983
ECONOLINE	1992-1996	FIVE HUNDRED	2005-2007
ECONOLINE/E VAN	1997-2015	FLEX	2009-2017
EDGE	2007-2019	FOCUS	2000-2011
ESCAPE with Factory Subwoofer	2001-2001	FOCUS with Blaupunkt Radio	2004-2004
ESCAPE	2001-2012	FREESTAR	2004-2007
ESCORT	1981-2003	FREESTYLE	2005-2007
EXCURSION	2000-2006	FUSION	2006-2010
EXP	1981-1988	FUTURA	1978-1983
EXPEDITION Premium Audio	1997	GRANADA	1981-1982
EXPEDITION Standard Audio	1997-2006	LTD	1983-1985
EXPEDITION Mach Audio	1998-2001	LTD II	1977-1979
EXPEDITION/L	2007-2014	MUSTANG Premium Audio	1979-1993
EXPLORER JBL Audio	1991-1997	MUSTANG Mach Audio	1994-2000
EXPLORER Mach Audio	1998-2000	MUSTANG Premium Audio	1994-2003

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Image: Page 1 of the Scosche SA68 Fit Guide, listing compatible Chevrolet, Chrysler, and Ford models and years.

<b>MAKE   MODEL</b>	<b>YEAR</b>	<b>MAKE   MODEL</b>	<b>YEAR</b>
<b>FORD</b> <i>Continued</i>		<b>MAZDA</b>	
MUSTANG Standard Audio	1979-2014	626	1993-2001
MUSTANG Shaker System	2005-2014	929	1992-1996
RANGER	1983-2011	B SERIES PICKUP	1994-2001
RANGER Premium Audio	1993-1997	CX-7	2007-2013
TAURUS Premium Audio	2008-2009	CX-9	2007-2015
TAURUS Standard Audio	1986-2018	MIATA	1998-2001
TAURUS JBL Audio	1990-1999	MPV	2000-2001
TAURUS Digital Climate Controls	1996-2002	MX6	1993-1997
TAURUS Rotary Climate Controls	1996-2007	Mazda3	2004-2013
TAURUS X	2008-2009	Mazda5	2006-2012
TEMPO	1983-1994	Mazda6	2003-2013
THUNDERBIRD	1974-2005	NAVAJO	1991-1994
WINDSTAR	1995-2003	PROTEGE	1999-2003
		PROTEGE 5	2002-2003
<b>JAGUAR</b>		RX-8	2003-2010
S-TYPE	2000-2007	RX7 Non-Bose	1993-1996
		TRIBUTE	2001-2011
<b>LINCOLN</b>		<b>MERCURY</b>	
AVIATOR	2003-2005	BOBCAT	1975-1980
CONTINENTAL	1977-1979	CAPRI	1979-1995
LS SEDAN	2000-2006	COUGAR	1974-2003
MARK LT	2006-2008	COUGAR JBL Audio	1989-1998
MKT	2010-2015	GRAND MARQUIS Premium Audio	1992-1994
MKX	2007-2013	GRAND MARQUIS Standard Audio	1992-2010
MKZ Factory Nav ONLY	2007-2009	GRAND MARQUIS JBL Audio	1995-1997
MKZ	2010-2015	LN7	1982-1983
NAVIGATOR	1998-2001	LYNX	1981-1987
NAVIGATOR	2007-2014	MARAUDER	2003-2004
TOWN CAR	1990-2010		

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Image: Page 2 of the Scosche SA68 Fit Guide, continuing the list of compatible Ford, Jaguar, Lincoln, and Mazda models and years.

MAKE   MODEL	YEAR
<b>MERCURY</b> <i>Continued</i>	
MARINER	2005-2010
MARQUIS	1983-1988
MILAN	2006-2010
MONTEGO	2005-2007
MONTEREY	2004-2007
MOUNTAINEER	1996-2010
MOUNTAINEER Mach Audio	1998-2001
SABLE	1986-2008
SABLE JBL Audio	1990-1995
TOPAZ	1983-1987
TRACER	1991-1999
VILLAGER JBL Audio	1993-1995
VILLAGER Standard Audio	1993-2001
XR7	1980-1982
ZEPHYR	1978-1983
<b>NISSAN</b>	
QUEST Premium Audio	1993-1998
QUEST Standard Audio	1993-2001

Image: Page 3 of the Scosche SA68 Fit Guide, concluding the list of compatible Mercury and Nissan models and years.

## 5. INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

This section outlines the general steps for installing aftermarket speakers using the Scosche SA68 adapters. Always refer to your vehicle's service manual for specific panel removal and wiring diagrams.

### 5.1. Pre-Installation

1. **Disconnect Battery:** For safety, disconnect the negative terminal of your vehicle's battery before beginning any electrical work.

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Video: A person disconnecting the negative battery terminal in a car engine bay. This is a crucial safety step before any electrical work.

2. **Remove Door Panels:** Carefully remove the interior door panels where the speakers will be installed. Locate and remove any hidden screws or clips. Disconnect any wiring connected to the door panel (e.g., power windows, door locks).

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Video: A person using a pry tool to carefully remove a car door panel, revealing the interior components and wiring.

- 3. Remove Factory Speakers:** Unscrew and remove the existing factory speakers from their mounting locations. Disconnect their wiring.

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Video: A person unscrewing and removing a factory speaker from a car door, exposing the speaker opening.

## 5.2. Adapter and Speaker Installation

- 4. Mount Adapter:** Position the Scosche SA68 speaker adapter into the factory speaker opening. The adapters are designed to use existing vehicle mounting points, so no cutting or drilling should be required for the adapter itself. Secure the adapter using appropriate screws.



Image: A Scosche SA68 speaker adapter installed in a car door panel, with an aftermarket speaker mounted within it. This demonstrates the adapter's function in adapting the factory opening.

- 5. Wire New Speakers:** Connect your new aftermarket speakers to the vehicle's wiring. If your aftermarket speakers do not directly plug into the factory harness, you may need to use splice connectors or a pre-wired speaker harness (sold separately) to make the connections. Match wire colors carefully (typically positive to positive, negative to negative).

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Video: A person crimping speaker wires to connect a new aftermarket speaker to the vehicle's existing wiring. This shows the process of making secure electrical connections.

6. **Mount New Speakers:** Secure your new 5.25-inch or 6.5-inch speakers to the Scosche SA68 adapters using the screws provided with your speakers. Ensure they are firmly seated to reduce vibration.

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Video: A person mounting an aftermarket speaker into the installed adapter plate in a car door, securing it with screws.

### 5.3. Re-assembly and Testing

7. **Re-install Door Panels:** Carefully re-install the door panels, ensuring all wiring connections are re-attached and all screws and clips are secured.

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Video: A person re-installing a car door panel after speaker installation, ensuring proper fit and securing all components.

8. **Reconnect Battery:** Reconnect the negative terminal of your vehicle's battery.

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Video: A person reconnecting the negative battery terminal in a car engine bay after completing the installation.

9. **Test System:** Turn on your vehicle's audio system and test all speakers to ensure they are functioning correctly and producing clear sound.

## 6. OPERATING AND MAINTENANCE

Once installed, the Scosche SA68 speaker adapters require no specific operation. They function passively to hold your speakers securely.

For maintenance, periodically check the speaker mounting screws for tightness to prevent vibrations. Keep the interior of your vehicle clean to avoid dust and debris accumulation around the speakers, which can affect sound quality over time.

## 7. TROUBLESHOOTING

### • No Sound from New Speakers:

- Verify all wiring connections are secure and correctly matched (positive to positive, negative to negative).
- Ensure the vehicle's audio system is powered on and the volume is up.
- Check the vehicle's fuse box for any blown fuses related to the audio system.

### • Poor Sound Quality or Vibrations:

- Ensure the new speakers are securely mounted to the adapters and the adapters are firmly attached to the vehicle's door frame.
- Check that the speaker wires are not pinched or shorting.
- Confirm that the speaker's maximum top mount diameter does not exceed 5 1/16" (129mm) to ensure proper fit within the adapter.

### • Adapter Does Not Fit Vehicle Opening:

- Double-check the vehicle compatibility list in Section 4 to ensure the SA68 is the correct adapter for your specific vehicle make, model, and year.

## 8. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

Scosche SA68 Speaker Adapters are backed by Scosche's Lifetime Tech Support and Limited Warranty. For technical assistance or warranty claims, please contact Scosche customer service directly. For more information, visit the official Scosche website or refer to the product packaging.