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How are speakers rated?

When it comes to waterproofing, not all Bluetooth speakers are the same. Fortunately, there is a rating system to help you categorize speaker models. You may have seen this rating system. It has the following form: **IPXX** (where X is replaced by number).

This rating system was developed by the International Electrotechnical Commission (IEC) and has been adopted by manufacturers around the world. This rating system is used to inform consumers about the environmental factors that a product can tolerate. However, most people don't know what those seemingly random letters and numbers mean.

What does IPXX mean?

Basically, **IP** stands for '**IngressProtection**'. Essentially, this means that it is easy for external objects (such as water) to get into the product's casing. The subsequent numbers show how the product is protected against dust (the first digit) and liquid (the second digit). Dust resistance is rated on a scale from **0** to **6**, with **6** being the highest level of protection. Liquid resistance is rated on a scale of **0** to **9**, with **9** being the highest level of protection.



If you have an IP68 rated device, it is fully protected against dust and withstands long periods of immersion in water. In contrast, an IP04-rated device means it is not protected against dust but can withstand water stains. Obviously, the lower the number, the less protected that device.

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1. Anker Soundcore 2

When you hear the name Anker, you'll probably think of a portable charger. While you're not wrong, Anker has also built high-quality, affordable Bluetooth speakers. Soundcore 2 is one of the best value Bluetooth speakers available on the market today. The simple bar design of Anker Soundcore 2 may not look very special, but don't let that fool you.



Anker Soundcore 2 has a capacity of 12W with enhanced bass feedback, making the speakers loud enough in almost any situation. Moreover, Soundcore 2 boasts an impressive battery life of up to 24 hours, ideal for traveling. On top of that, the Soundcore 2 is rated IPX7, meaning it can withstand short immersion times. Although Soundcore 2 is the perfect choice for many days by the pool, you need to be a bit more careful when taking it to the beach.

2. Sony SRS-XB12

If you're looking for something that can stand up to environmental factors, bring a flood of room sound and can fit inside cup holders, look no further. Measuring only 3.39 x 3.39 x 4.25 inches (8.6 x 8.6 x 10.8cm) and weighing just 0.7 lbs (318g), Sony SRS-XB12 was created for people or have to move. However, do not be fooled by its small stature. SRS-XB12 has a hidden power in it. Sony has brought Extra Bass technology to work in SRS-XB12, helping this small speaker increase volume significantly.



Underpinning a great travel speaker, the SRS-XB12 has an IP67 rating. This means it is completely protected against dust and can be safe in water. Not only that, you can also pair these 2 speakers together to emit stereo sound.

3. UE Boom 3

Ultimate Ears has been making great Bluetooth speakers for years, and UE Boom 3 is no exception. Although it costs a bit more than previous models, it is well worth the money. UE Boom 3 confirms the best sound quality in the group. Moreover, the 360-degree design ensures clear and accurate sound, no matter which direction you are facing.



UE Boom 3 also features really impressive dust and liquid protection. With an IP67 rating, it can completely submerge in water for up to 30 minutes without being damaged. This makes the Boom 3 one of the most durable Bluetooth speakers on the market and perfect for almost any situation.

4. DemerBox

Do you find ordinary Bluetooth speakers that claim to be waterproof and dustproof aren't really as advertised? Are you looking for a speaker that can handle anything impacting it? If so, you should consider DemerBox. So far, DemerBox is the most expensive speaker on this list, so it won't be an option for everyone.



However, if you need something built in a 'workhorse' style, Demerbox is the best option to meet your needs. DemerBox is housed in an anti-deformation cover case made of military grade material. Manufacturers claim it is made to withstand all kinds of environmental conditions, including torrential rain, snow and hail, and is also resistant to dirt.

In addition, DemerBox also has an internal compartment to store valuables and protect them against environmental factors. DemerBox features a battery life of over 40 hours and the ability to charge other USB devices. If you're looking for a solid speaker to make your next big adventure, there's no other option than DemerBox.

What is your favorite waterproof, dustproof Bluetooth speaker? Let everyone know in the comments below!

See also: [7 best cheap Bluetooth speakers](#), if you want a more affordable option.

Wish you find a satisfactory choice!

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