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If your Apple Watch gets wet when it rains, after swimming or exercising heavily, its speakers may be muffled. However, you do not need to tuck anything into the holes or shake your watch to remove any water that may be trapped inside.

Apple Watch Series 2, Series 3, Series 4 and Series 5 include the **Water Lock** feature. This feature locks the screen so you can swim without accidentally activating it. You can also use this feature at any time to push water out of the speaker holes and prevent moisture from causing long-term problems.

To manually drain water from the Apple Watch, follow these quick steps.

1. Go to **Control Center** on Apple Watch: Swipe up on the watch face or when in an app, tap the bottom edge of the screen, and then drag **Control Center** up.
2. Click the **Water Lock** icon (looks like a drop of water).



Click on the Water Lock icon

3. When the device returns to a dry environment, turn the **Digital Crown** (the control button next to the Apple Watch) to unlock the screen and clean the water from the speaker.



Rotate the Digital Crown to unlock the screen and clean the water from the speaker

When rotating the Digital Crown, you will hear the sound and see animation on the screen, indicating when the speaker is completely removed from the water and when the process is complete.

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