

Mic Cable Adapters for Newer Model Mobile Devices



Many **smartphones** and **computers** sold after 2016 use a newer audio connector, such as a **Lightning or USB-C audio connector**, instead of the older **3.5-mm audio jack**. Because of the modifications, these devices require special audio adapters to function with standard audio cables and connectors for older model smartphones that use a **3.5-mm (TRS or TRRS) audio jack**. Please read tutorials **Lavalier Mic Cables for Older Model Mobile Devices** and **Mini Condenser Mic Cables for Older Model Mobile Devices** to learn more about the **3.5-mm (TRRS or TRS) audio jack**.



Mini condenser microphone



Lavalier microphone



These microphones (**mini condenser** and **lavalier**) usually have a **3.5-mm (TRS or TRRS) audio jack** on the cable end that connects to the **smartphone, tablet or computer**.



3.5-mm TRS audio jacks

3.5-mm TRRS audio jacks



3.5-mm audio port

Lightning connector

Use this adapter, to connect a mic or headphone cable with a **3.5-mm audio jack** to a device with a **Lightning port**. The **Lightning port** is also used to charge the **smartphone**, and also operates as the audio port. This audio adapter has a **3.5-mm audio port** and a **Lightning audio connector**.



Use this adapter, to connect a mic or headphone cable with a **3.5-mm audio jack** to a device with a **USB-C port**. The **USB-C port** is also used to charge the **smartphone**, and also operates as the audio port. This audio adapter has a **3.5-mm port** and a **USB-C connector**.



Here is an example of a newer model **smartphone** with a **Lightning port**. They are utilizing a **mini condenser mic** with a **TRS audio jack** connected to the mic and a **TRRS audio jack** connected to an adapter. The adapter cable has a **3.5-mm TRRS audio port** that converts to a **Lightning audio connector**.

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