
Subject: SPDIF - How far can it run?

Posted by [Kim](#) on Thu, 24 May 2007 09:18:57 GMT

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Kim.

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Posted by [gene lennon](#) on Thu, 24 May 2007 14:30:04 GMT

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Posted by [rick](#) on Thu, 24 May 2007 14:59:53 GMT

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i yelled 1 2 3 GO at mine and it just sat there...i'm really quite disappointed...sigh...

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Posted by [Kim](#) on Thu, 24 May 2007 20:19:21 GMT
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Fair enough.

The gear in question won't be here until next week, so it will have to wait.
It's probably not 10m in any case, so I imagine it should be ok...

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Posted by [EK Sound](#) on Thu, 24 May 2007 21:40:48 GMT
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Doing surround in Digital??? ;-)

David.
10M is pushing it REALLY far for coax, on the edge for optical.

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