

Re: How can I improve TV reception?

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The monster might help if it has a lower signal loss than your current splitter (which it does). I'm concerned however that you might pay alot of money for something that will deliver marginal improvement to your signal. If you get it, make sure it's from somewhere that you can return it with no restocking fee or shipping charges.

A distribution amp allows you to split the signal with no signal loss, which is in my opinion preferable.

Pete

Nathan wrote:

>>- *Your splitters should be 2-way 1GHz or above*

>>- *And finally, to answer your question on the monster cable... no it's not*

>>>*worth it. Radio Shack or Home Depot has stuff that will do the job much*

>>>*cheaper. I'd personally get a signal amplifier/distributer as well as a*

>>>*good splitter. Try the splitter first and see if the signal is okay -*

>>>*if yes then return the distribution amp. If it's still not that hot,*

>>>*use the dirstribution amp and return the splitter.*

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<http://www.radioshack.com/product.asp?catalog%5Fname=CTLG&category%5Fname=CTLG%5F003%5F010%5F0>

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> *Well, both of my splitters are 5-900MHz. The monster would not help? Do*

> *the ones at Radio Shack have better specifications? If those don't work,*

> *then try the amp "before" the first splitter.*

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>>- *If your analog cable has a bad signal, switching to digital will mean*

>>>*that you'll have signal problems as well (they'll just look different).*

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> *I'm receiving CableOne in Oklahoma. I called them up, and they say ANALOG*

> *signal, and 900MHz is standard and suggested a "C-1" splitter.*

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> *Any ideas?*