FREE APP

Hider Decoder (app) — a quick guide

Standalone — decode only



This is the version for people who don't have a DAW open, or don't have a DAW at all. Hooray!

What does Hider Decoder (the app) do?

Same job as the plugin version, minus the DAW. Open a file, decode it, listen. This is built for someone who just got handed a Hider-encoded track and wants to check what's inside it without installing anything heavier.

Same sample-rate rule as everywhere else in this family: the hidden signal lives above 20kHz, so it only survives in high-sample-rate, uncompressed files. If the file you were handed came off a streaming service or got compressed anywhere along the way, there may be nothing left for this app to find.

Using it

1. Open the app.
2. Open (or drop in) the audio file you want to check — same file support as any standard player.
3. Pick the carrier it was encoded with. Same idea as the plugin: **presets** for the common defaults, or a manual **TUNE** if whoever sent you the file gave you an exact number.
4. Hit play. You're hearing the recovered hidden signal, not the original mix.

If something sounds off

Silence or noise instead of something recognizable. Carrier mismatch — try the presets, or confirm the exact number with whoever sent you the file.

Still nothing, right carrier and all. Check the file's sample rate and history. If it's 44.1kHz or has been through anything lossy (a streaming upload, a lossy export), the hidden signal likely didn't survive. Ask for the original, uncompressed, high-sample-rate file.

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