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## For Those Considering Best Buy "Fair Condition"

### Discussion

I was able to pick up a "Fair Condition" Ally for \$460 at my local Best Buy. I know people here are stressing picking up an Excellent, but wanted to offer up an experience from someone who often buys used Fair during sales to maximize value.

- You can return anything bought at Best Buy during holidays up until Mid January. This includes open box stock.
- Most "Fair" stock means no original box and/or missing part. It does not mean it is broken in anyway.
- My item was PRISTINE. Basically brand new but came with no box, no power supply. I bought an Anker 100W for \$24 which IMO is better than the included and I'm going to use a dock for TV anyway.
- YMMV, but I've bought a ton of items marked Fair from Best Buy and it has never been an issue. They are NOT final sale, so worst case scenario you can return if not up to snuff.



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hyperrainz • 1y ago

Had terrible luck with my local BB. Only has open box excellents but they were all in bad shape, extremely dirty, bad sticks/triggers. After a long day of hassles of going back and forth, I settled with a completely new one which isn't still as bad at the 619 sale.



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defects and not just because "people don't know how to work windows!" as has been eluded to many times in this sub.

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**nahnotnathan** OP • 1y ago

Hmm, I'm in Minneapolis (Best Buy HQ) so maybe that's why my experience has been so consistent

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**staypuft209** • 1y ago

Yeah it's a mixed bag. When buying open box, it could be anything. I got a fair condition and it had the OG box but was unfortunately missing charger. That wasn't a biggie tho cause I already had a 100w outlet and cable at home. Haven't tested the SD reader and probably don't plan to. My only gripe is the unit itself looks great but the back grips show some wear. Though it's not enough for me to return it and try my hand at another ally. I did get a free screen protector already applied too.

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**nahnotnathan** OP • 1y ago

Get a killswitch case problem solved 😊

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**senzubeanzie123** • 1y ago

Used to work at Best Buy handling the open box items. Normally, when we specify that the item is missing the manual, box, charger, or some other accessory, then the computer will mark it down as fair or good even if the main electronic item is in pristine condition. This only applies to some items though.

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**Alert\_Necessary\_6813** • 1y ago

Does this apply to iphones aswell?

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**lcy\_cycle\_5805** • 1y ago

I had the exact same experience with fair - truly looked brand new.

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Yeah, can't go wrong with open box at BB. Just picked up excellent condition for \$520. The charger wasn't even touched, still had the plastic wrap on it. Everything looked brand new. The holiday return window was the biggest reasoning I bought it in the first place. Gives me plenty of time to try everything out.

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### Has anybody bought the fair or good open box deals from Best Buy for the AllyX?

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### Picked This Up For \$358 at BestBuy. How'd I do?

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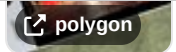


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**Best Buy open box "Excellent" condition not so excellent**

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**It's up at BestBuy**

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**Got Mine Yesterday at BestBuy, love it so far**

343 upvotes · 92 comments



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**Bestbuy open box nabbed me**

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**Just got one and I'm loving it**

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**Got a score for ~350\$, no external wear whatsoever. Rekindled my love for games!**

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**Anyone have experience with Best Buy Open Box ROG Ally X?**

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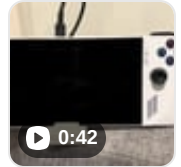
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**Probably should've just built a pc at this point.**

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**After the repair the console lasted 4 days 😭**

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**Bought it yesterday, Windows broke immediately after update. Please help!**

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**Best Buy "Excellent" is a joke**

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QoL Mark items as "Not for Sale"

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r/ROGALLYX • 3 mo. ago

Decided to treat myself to a Christmas gift. Handed my OG Ally down to my girlfriend today and got this right at 7 PM when BestBuy was closing. 😞😂



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I just got one



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