



Installation Instructions

EF-[X] Range

SW3-533

1. Introduction

EF-[X] is a range of adhesive backed band dipole antennas covering a range of frequencies designed for interior mounting. The antennas are ground plane independent and suitable for mounting on non-metallic surfaces including plastic device enclosures and vehicle windshields.

2. Select a Suitable Mounting Location

Select a suitable mounting location for the antenna on the desired surface. The orientation of the antenna should normally be vertical with the cable exiting horizontally for optimal performance although the antenna can be mounted with the cable exiting either upwards or downwards if absolutely necessary. When selecting a mounting location care should be taken to ensure that at least 300mm (12") of separation is maintained between the antenna and nearby metal objects such as fittings, vehicle pillars or panels and the antenna's own coaxial cable. When mounting the antenna to a device enclosure consideration should be given to clearance from internal components under the mounting panel. Ensure that the selected location on will enable the coaxial cable to be easily routed to the equipment. The antenna should not be installed on metalized glass.

3. Fitting the Antenna

Clean the mounting location on with the supplied alcohol swab and leave to dry. Peel away the backing tape from the antenna mounting pad and press firmly to the mounting surface holding. For optimal adhesion the antenna should be only be installed at temperatures above 16°C (60°F).

4. Routing and Terminating Coaxial Cable(s)

Route the coaxial cable to the equipment, taking care to avoid running adjacent to existing wiring or fouling any moving component. The cable(s) must not be routed in front of any airbag device. Care should be taken to observe a cable bend radius of 12mm (1/2") if possible.

It is recommended to carry out a VSWR check on the comms cable, the VSWR should be as specified in the product datasheet.

5. Important Notices



DO NOT -

- *install on conductive surfaces the antenna is not suitable for mounting on metal surfaces. Please note for vehicle installations that metalized glass may also cause significant de-tuning.*
- *operate the transmitter when someone is within 20cm (8") of the antenna.*
- *operate the equipment in an explosive atmosphere.*
- *chew parts or put them in mouth, keep away from unsupervised children.*



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