



Installation Instructions

Surface Mount Multiband Antenna

Models Covered: All SMW Series 2, 3 or 4 Cables

Installation Guidelines

The SMW Multiband antennas contain multiple antenna elements within the single antenna housing. Your antenna may have 2, 3, or 4 cables attached. Each cable has a frequency label so that it may be connected to the correct wireless device. Your antenna comes with complete mounting hardware and a sealing gasket.

For optimal performance, it is recommended that the antenna be mounted in the center of a 1 foot (305mm) diameter metal surface. For fiberglass mounting, it is suggested that a ground plane surface be added. For further information about alternative ground plane surfaces, please contact Mobile Mark directly.

The best mounting location for the antenna is on a flat horizontal surface such as the vehicle's roof. Mount it so its view of the horizon is not obstructed. If the antenna is mounted near other antennas, keep it away from the other antennas by at least 9" (229mm).

A location must be chosen with access below the antenna when it is on the mounting surface, so the Hex Nut can be tightened on the Base Bolt.

Installation Steps

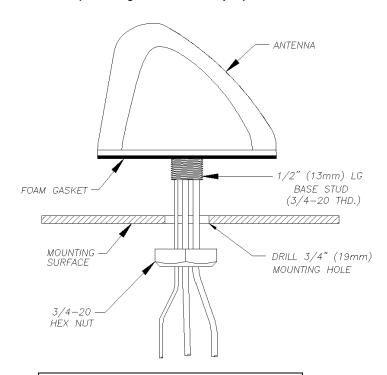
For the standard 1/2" (13mm) Base Bolt length, the mounting surface must not be thicker than 1/4" (6 mm). Longer Base Bolts are available if the antenna is to be mounted to a thicker surface.

Locate the place to mount the antenna and mark or Center Punch the location. Drill or punch a 3/4" (19mm) hole into mounting surface. Clean edges of the hole before mounting the antenna.

Remove the nut from the antennas threaded Base Bolt. Feed the cables through the hole. If the connectors are large, feed them through the hole one at a time. Put the Base Bolt through the hole, and then reattach the Hex Nut from underneath the mounting surface.

The Hex Nut must be tight in order to properly seal the gasket on the bottom of the antenna. Tighten the Hex Nut with a Torque wrench to a torque of 5 ft.-lbs. (6.7Nm). Too little torque may not seal the base and too much torque could distort the surface.

Silicone glue may be added around the base of the antenna in cases of an uneven surface. Feed the cables to the equipment and attach them directly or through additional cable jumpers.



Tools Suggested

- Electronic Drill
- Hole Saw 3/4" or Hole Punch 3/4"
- Torque Wrench to 5ft-lbs (6.7Nm)

Cable jumpers & accessories are available from Mobile Mark Inc.

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