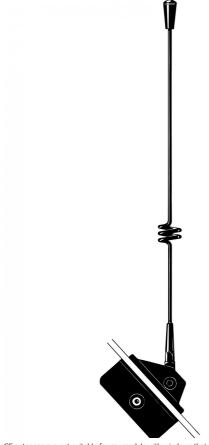
GF 23-3

3 dB Mobile GlassFix® Antenna for the 23 cm Amateur Band: 1240 - 1300 MHz

DESCRIPTION

- Collinear, 3 dB mobile antenna for the 23 cm band using the GlassFix® mounting principle.
- Mounting on car window glass no holes required.
- Instant-adhesion procedure ensures fast and reliable fixing.
- Internal matching unit feeds external antenna through window glass.
- Half-wave design no ground plane required.
- High positioning gives performance equal to conventionally mounted car roof antenna.
- FME FastCabling system (cable to be ordered separately).
- Simple tuning procedure by means of tuning screw on matching unit.
- Easy removable whip for car wash.
- Swivel joint for 180° angle adjustment.
- If removal of antenna installation is necessary, a quick dismantling procedure leaves no trace of the installation.



NOTE: GF antennas are not suitable for car models with windows that have heat reflective coating.

ORDERING DESIGNATIONS

TYPE	PRODUCT NO.	
GF 23-3	130001256	

SPECIFICATIONS

ELECTRICAL	
MODEL	GF 23-3
ANTENNA TYPE	Collinear mobile GlassFix® antenna
FREQUENCY	23 cm amateur band: 12401300 MHz
IMPEDANCE	Nom. 50 Ω
POLARIZATION	Vertical
GAIN	3 dB (acc. to EIA RS-329-1)
BANDWIDTH	100 MHz @ SWR ≤ 1.5
SWR	≤ 1.3 @ f.res.
MAX. POWER	25 W
MECHANICAL	
MATERIALS	Whip: Stainless steel and black-chromed brass Mount and indoor unit: Weather- and shockproof plastics Corrosion-safe and corrosion-protected metals
CABLE	FME-cable to be ordered separately
COLOUD	
COLOUR	Black
HEIGHT	Black Approx. 23 cm
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FME-SYSTEM ACCESSORIES

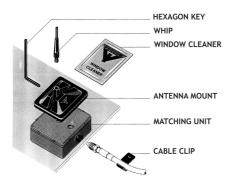
FME-CABLES	
TYPE	LENGTH
1 m FME	1 m
2 m FME	2 m
3 m FME	3 m
4 m FME	4 m
5 m FME	5 m
6 m FME	6 m
4 m FME-white	4 m white
6 m FME-white	6 m white
12 m FME-white	12 m white
18 m FME-white	18 m white

For further information about other types of FME-cables and FME-connectors, please compare the cable and connector data sheets under accessories in our catalogue.

FME-CONNECTORS		
TYPE	CONNECTOR	
FME-FME	FME-FME	
FME-P	Prolongation	
FME-N	N	
FME-FSMA	FSMA	
FME-BNC	BNC	
FME-TNC	TNC	
FME-UHF	UHF	
FME-MUHF	Mini-UHF	
FME-EMUHF	Elbow-MUHF	
FME-EBNC	Elbow-BNC	
FME-ETNC	Elbow-TNC	
FME-SMA	SMA	



ASSEMBLY DETAILS



INSTALLATION

1. BEFORE INSTALLATION

- When selecting mounting location take into consideration: positions of back view mirror, wiper blade paths and defogger wires (when mounting on rear window). The driver's view should not be obstructed.
- Max. allowed curvature of the glass surface on the mounting spot is 2 mm deflection per 100 mm length.
- Environmental- and car temperature must be above 15° C at installation, and installation surfaces must be dry and clean.

2. INSTALLATION



 Clean both sides of the windscreen, where the antenna mount and the matching unit are to be fitted, and then remove the protective foil from the antenna mount.



 Fit mount to screen and press firmly with twisting movements.
 Apply pressure on both plastic cover and antenna holder. Repeat 2-3 times Fit the antenna whip.



Remove the protective foil from the matching unit.



Fit matching unit by pressing it firmly into position.
 Secure cable using clips provided.

3. TUNING INSTRUCTIONS

- Insert a forward/reflection-type wattmeter between the transmitter and the antenna.
- Key the transmitter and observe the forward and the reflected power.
- Adjust the tuning screw on the matching unit until minimum returned power is obtained.

4 ADHESION ADVICE

- It is essential for a good adhesion result that the surfaces are properly cleaned and dry.
- A high application pressure improves the binding power.
- Ideal application temperature range is +20° C to +38° C but may be extended down to +15° C. When applied, binding strength is maintained between -30° C and +70° C.
- Binding power increases considerably with time. To ensure full strength
 of the assembly it is recommended to keep the whip off the mount for
 24 hours.
- To accelerate attainment of full binding power, the joined parts may be heat-treated with a warm-air gun.
 PLEASE NOTE: Do not heat parts to more than 65° C and take care not to spoil other nearby car parts.

REINSTALLATION KIT

A reinstallation kit including all necessary parts for transfer of the antenna to another vehicle is available under order No. »GF-RK 900«.

WARNING

SAFETY PRECAUTIONS

Antennas mounted on the windscreen may cause relatively high field strengths in the passenger cabin and near the dashboard.

- To prevent health hazard due to RF radiation, persons must not be closer than 30 cm to the antenna whip (transmitter output power to the matching unit: 20 watts).
 (DIN 57 848).
- 2. The RF signals at the dashboard may cause interference in the car's electronic equipment such as broadcast radio, computer automatics, braking systems, electronic ignition, relays etc. Some cars are more susceptible to disturbances than others.

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