



Radio Set Installation

(IMPORTANT: DO NOT CONNECT POWER TO THE RADIO UNTIL THE ANTENNA IS CONNECTED TO THE RADIO SET).

- Place the antenna base on the roof of your vehicle
- (**Note:** As the antenna base is magnetic it could cause damage to the paint work, placing glad wrap or plastic shopping bag under the base will prevent scratching).
- The antenna cable is connected by way of twist & push joint to the back of the radio set
- Place the radio set on front seat/floor area of your car
- Wind window down & feed
 - a. The antenna lead into the car and connect to the back of the radio set
 - b. Feed the power cable of the radio set out the window as this will be connected to the battery of your car.
- The radio set power cable has 2 wires with each containing round connectors
- Connect the power lead of the radio set to the battery of your car,
- The wire with red is connected to the + (positive) terminal (red on pole)
- The wire with black is connected to the – (negative) terminal (black on pole)
- Close the bonnet gently as not to damage the power cable
- Wind up the window leaving enough space as to not squash the cables.

Radio Set Operation

- Turn power on turning the large nob (ON/OFF Button) on the left hand side of the radio set to the right
- To adjust the volume turn the ON/OFF Button to the right to increase volume or left to decrease volume
- Check with your Stage Commander what channel is being used for your stage
Before leaving Rally HQ to take up your post it essential you do a Radio Check.
- Radio Check procedure; If you hear RALLY CHAT than proceed with Radio Check
- On hand set press button & count to 3,
- Say “Rally HQ, this is (Road closure #, SOS point # etc) on Section (Manumbar, etc), can I have a radio check please”
- Rally HQ will respond etc.
- If the radio set not working or there are other radio related concerns please quickly advise the person who distributed the kit for assistance, any delay could adversely impact the running of the event.

Radio Usage

The radio set if used over a number of hours, could **drain your vehicle’s battery power**, this can be identified by loss of radio efficiency (e.g. Radio signal dropping out)

It is strongly recommended that you frequently turn your vehicles motor on (say every 2 hours for a small vehicle). This will ensure there is efficient 12v power for the radio set & to start your vehicle at the end of the day.



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