


**INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS FOR BELTRONICS AND ESCORT RADAR DETECTORS**


**1 -** Install your radar detector (RD) onto the mount before attaching to the rear view mirror. To release tension from the spring clip, simply squeeze the tab and the back side of the mount together. This will lower the bottom portion of the spring clip allowing you to slide the RD on and off the mount.



**2 -** Push the RD Release button and slide the RD onto the Spring Clip until the RD hits the bottom of the Tab. Then release both the Tab and the Button. Now slide the RD toward you until you hear it lock into position. Remove the RD a few times so you can observe how the spring clip functions. When used properly, the spring clip avoids putting excessive pressure on the mirror stem when installing and removing the RD.



**3 -** Install this mount from the passenger side of the vehicle. Remove the right half of the mount by removing the two socket head cap screws. Be aware that there is a small lock washer on the lower screw. With the left half of the mount still attached, position the mount around the mirror stem as shown above.



**4 -** Reattach the right side of the mount. Make sure the small lock washer is still on the lower screw and tighten until the screw is fairly snug. Leave the top screw loose so the mount can slide towards the windshield around the large diameter of the mirror stem.



**5 -** Install the radar detector and slide the mount upwards leaving approximately 1/8" of clearance between the mount and the windshield. Rotate the mount until the radar detector is level from side to side and tighten the top screw.



**6 -** Make the necessary adjustments as shown in fig. 8. We recommend you adjust the radar detector so it is as close to the bottom of the mirror as possible. By doing so, you utilize the dead space behind the rear view mirror resulting in a very clean looking install. Using the vertical adjustment, adjust upward as far as possible while making sure the RD can still be removed without hitting the bottom of the mirror. After all adjustments are made, be sure to check that the hinge pivot and vertical adjustment screws are tight. Grab the long arm of the allen wrench to assure that these screws are securely tightened (fig. 6A). The screw on the very top of the mount should be tightened last and does not need to be quite as tight as the other screws. Grab the short arm of the allen wrench when tightening the top screw (fig. 6B) to prevent overtightening.



**7 -** This mount can get extremely hot when setting in the direct sunlight, especially with the windows rolled up. If you intend to remove your RD frequently, we strongly recommend that you install the 3/32" thick touch strips which will not get as hot as the metal of the mount. Place these strips where your two fingers make contact with the mount. They may be trimmed with a blade or knife.

**BLENDMOUNT ADJUSTMENTS**


**8 -** With multiple adjustments available, you should be able to position your RD right where you want it. If you are unable to achieve this, be sure to contact us at 1-707-664-8234

**CAUTION**

**DO NOT** use this mount if it interferes with the adjustability or the operation of your rear view mirror in any way.

**DO NOT** use this mount if the radar detector creates an unsafe viewing obstruction.

**DO NOT** ATTEMPT TO MODIFY THIS PRODUCT. Consult the manufacturer for assistance.

All BlendMount products are accompanied with detailed installation instructions and adjustment tips. You are encouraged to contact customerservice@blendmount.com or call J28 Design at 1-707-664-8234 for further assistance.

Check the BlendMount Forum for installation tips and some vehicle specific installs.

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