VHF Ground Independent Mopole™

133-175 MHz CD28 Series



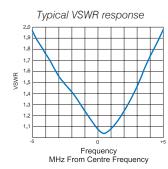
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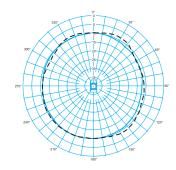
Utilising a patented matching circuit, the CD28 series antennas are end fed dipole antennas combining a durable thermoplastic housing with a flexible tapered stainless whip section resistant to knocks and bends.

Features:

- Performance Exhibits 3 dB improvement in performance over a 3 wave whip
- Versatile Ground independent design allows use in alternative mounting locations
- Rugged The transformer circuit is housed within a high impact thermoplastic moulding which is virtually indestructible
- Unique termination method simplifies installation and re-cabling in the field
- Designed, manufactured and patented in Australia [Australian Patent # 596830 and 656793]







The CD28 Series Mopole™ antenna is shown here mounted on the driver's side gutter. The pattern demonstrates that the antenna is providing excellent omnidirectional performance.

TEST FREQUENCY: 160 MHz
REFERENCE ANTENNA
MODEL: SW2
MOUNT: MB9 Roof Centre
TEST ANTENNA
MODEL: CD28
MOUNT: Gutter Mount
Drivers Side

Electrical

| Model Number | CD28-37-50 | CD28-41-50 | CD28-37-70 | CD28-41-70 |
|-----------------|---|--|--|---|
| Gain | 3dB over a 1/4 wave. See note (1) | | | |
| Frequency MHz | 133 - 163 | 148 - 175 | 133 - 163 | 148 - 175 |
| Power W | 50 | | | |
| Tuned Bandwidth | 4 MHz @ 1.5:1 VSWR 8 MHz @ 2.0:1 VSWR | 4 MHz @ 1.5:1 VSWR 8 MHz @ 2.0:1 VSWR | 4 MHz @ 1.5:1 VSWR 8 MHz @ 2.0:1 VSWR | 5 MHz @ 1.5:1 VSWR 10 MHz @ 2.0:1 VSWR |
| Tuning | Field tune to minimum VSWR using supplied chart | | | |

Mechanical

| Model Number | CD28-xx-50 | CD28-xx-70 | |
|---------------------|--|---------------|--|
| Whip Material | 17-7 PH tapered stainless steel whip with moulded base coil assembly | | |
| Whip Length mm | 1340 | | |
| Mounting | MBC base (included) | Threaded stud | |
| Cable and Connector | Not included, order separately. See note (2) | | |

(1) Mopole™ antennas such as the CD28 have been shown to exhibit a 3dB improvement in received signal level in the field when compared to a ¼ wave whip however in pattern tests exhibit only 1.5 to 2dB over a ¼ wave (equivalent to 1.5-2dBi). This improvement in performance can be attributed to a lower radiation angle level of these ground independent antennas.

(2) Available preterminated with 5m 8058 RG58C/U. Use -73 or -53 suffix to replace -70 or -50 suffix.

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