

Lowrance Product Bulletin:

iWAY™ 350c automotive GPS

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Adhesive Mounting Plate Installation

An adhesive mounting plate was added to the flexible suction cup mounting kit since the instruction sheet *Mounting Instructions for Automotive GPS Receivers* (part 988-0148-992) was written. The following instructions will help you use this plate with your iWAY 350c GPS unit.

Adhesive Mounting Plate

In some automobiles, a typical windshield-dash-board mount may be difficult or undesirable. The flat self-adhesive mounting plate lets you mount the unit somewhere else on the dashboard or center console.



Adhesive mounting plate, top view (left). Bottom view (right) shows adhesive pad with peel-off cover.

The adhesive plate is important in these cases because the suction cup base *will not hold* on the textured materials covering most dashboards and center consoles. The plate's smooth, flat surface provides a secure attachment for the mount's suction cup, while the plate's adhesive pad holds the entire assembly in place.

WARNING:

If you use the adhesive mounting plate, it may be extremely difficult to remove. If you remove the plate, it could leave remnants of the adhesive pad or you could damage the surface it was glued on.

Determine Plate Location

Once attached, the plate's adhesive pad is difficult or impossible to remove. It's important to select the right location before removing the adhesive backing.

To select a mounting location, place the GPS in the cradle (as described in the instruction sheet) and snap the suction cup to the adhesive plate (see photo below). Hold the entire assembly at the desired location to check how it fits. Make sure the flex arm can be positioned for easy viewing.

Next, turn the unit on and make sure the unit can "see" through the windows and lock on to the satellites. If the unit can not lock on and show your position, you must find another mounting location with a better view of the sky.



Flexible suction cup mount locked to the adhesive plate.

Attach Adhesive Plate

When you have found a suitable place, make sure the mounting surface is free of dirt and oil. Release the plate from the suction cup by flipping the locking lever and pulling the vacuum release tab. Peel off the adhesive pad's green paper backing. Position the plate over the spot and press down firmly, maintaining pressure for 20 seconds to ensure the adhesive bonds securely. You can now attach the suction cup mount and GPS to the plate.