

Helical Antenna Mounting INSTRUCTION



Housed Antenna

- ➤ The brass inserts are designed to be the antennas preferred attachment method. M2.5 screws should be tightened to 5.3 5.8 inch-pounds or 0.60 0.66 Nm maximum.
- ➤ The SMA connector should not be used to attach the antenna.
 The SMA connector should be torqued to no more than 3 inch-pounds or 0.3 Nm.
- > Do **NOT** use the Wrench to secure the Radome, care must be taken when torqueing the SMA connector.
- ➤ Do **NOT** use Thread Locker (such as Loctite) that compromises (deteriorates) plastic.

Care must be taken to ensure that the screws do not bottom out in the antenna's brass inserts.

- > The provided rubber O-Ring should be used.
- > RTV can also be used to waterproof the antenna connector and base.



20 mm ring 2 threaded brass inserts





30 mm ring 3 threaded brass inserts

Embedded Antenna

- ➤ Tallysman provides a mounting ring that traps the antenna circuit board to the hosts surface See: **HCRING**.
 - Embedded helical circuit boards have a notch that matches the attachment rings alignment key that secures the antenna and prevents antenna rotation.
- > Two ring sizes are available:
 - 20 mm HC600E, HC771E and HC871E.
 - 30 mm HC882E, HC976E and HC977E.
 - Each attachment ring provides four M2 molded in threaded brass inserts. M2 screws should be tightened to 2.2-2.5 inch-pounds or 0.25-0.29 Nm maximum.
- ➤ Do **NOT** use Thread Locker (such as Loctite) that compromises (deteriorates) plastic.



HCRING Top view





HCRING Bottom view