



HIGH POWER AUTO POWER ADAPTER



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INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

This model of Lind Power Adapter is intended to be permanently mounted. Therefore, only qualified service personnel familiar with the wiring, mounting and operation of electrical accessories in the vehicle should attempt to install the adapter. Proper installation will ensure safe, reliable operation of the Lind power adapter.

The adapter comes with an input cable with two conductors. The white or red (positive) lead of the input cable must be connected to the battery with a cable of sufficient gauge to prevent excessive voltage drop. Wire gauge needed for reliable operation is dependent on the length of the wire from the power adapter's white or red input cable to the battery and the length of wire from the power adapter's black input cable to the chassis. The connection to the chassis must be clean and free from oxide, paint, or any other nonconductive coating. Use the table below to determine the minimum wire gauge by adding the chassis wire and positive wire for the total cable length.

Total Cable Length (ft)	5	10	15	20	25	30	35	40
Wire Gauge (AWG)	16	12	10	10	8	8	6	6

The black lead of the input cable should be fastened to the chassis with a reliable and clean electrical connection. The adapter's positive cable must have an UL-listed fuse and fuse block installed inline within 18 inches of the battery. A fuse rated at a minimum of 15 amps and a maximum of 20 amps is recommended.

Install the power adapter in a location that allows for air flow around the adapter. Covering the power adapter and restricting airflow may cause the adapter to overheat and shut down. Secure the adapter using tie wraps, large screw clamps, brackets, etc. Mounting brackets for the high power adapters can be purchased from Lind Electronics. The adapter is not intended to be installed in the engine compartment or any other place where it can be exposed to moisture or excessive heat.

TECHNICAL INFORMATION

Power Input:	Noted on label
Power Output:	Noted on label
Input Fuse:	Auto Mini - Noted on label (Replace with same fuse as in adapter)
Indicators:	LED on adapter (Output power present)
Features:	Output Short Circuit Protected Output Current Limit Input and Output Noise Filter Internal Overtemperature Shutdown Low Input Voltage Shutdown High Input Voltage Shutdown Automatic Reset of Safety Shutdown

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Connect the adapter's input cable to a battery source as indicated in the installation instructions. The output cable plugs directly to the jack on the laptop or mobile device where the AC power supply's output is normally connected. The LED in the adapter housing indicates that power to the output cable is present. If the LED does not light, check the battery source or the Auto mini fuse located on the adapter body. Also ensure that the input or output cable is firmly seated into the adapter body.

COMMON QUESTIONS CONCERNING DC/DC POWER ADAPTERS

Q: If the output LED on the adapter does not light when plugged in, what is wrong?

A: Check the fuse on the adapter to see if it is blown. It is also possible that one of the safety circuits in the adapter has been activated. Check the battery or fuse panel fuse to see if it is blown.

Q: Is it normal for the adapter to get warm in use?

A: Yes. Restricted air flow around the adapter may even cause the adapter to overheat and shut down. This is a safety feature and does no harm to the adapter or your computer. Do not place the adapter in the automobile glove compartment or cover it with anything in such a way that heat can not dissipate.

Q: Does it matter which cable gets plugged in first? A: No

Q: Can I plug the computer in when it is running? A: Yes.

Q: Is it OK to start or stop the automobile engine with the adapter plugged in?

A: Yes, but do not jump start the automobile with the adapter in place. Many jump start systems use high voltages that will normally shut down the adapter output but extreme voltage spikes may damage the adapter circuitry. Starting the automobile may turn the adapter off. After a ten second delay, the adapter will start back up.

Replacement cables are available from Lind. Call us with your needs. Replacement fuses can be obtained from Lind or from auto parts stores.

LIMITED WARRANTY

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