Barkan BM343XL2

Barkan Full Motion TV Wall Mount

Model: BM343XL2

INTRODUCTION

This manual provides detailed instructions for the safe and proper installation, operation, and maintenance of your Barkan Full Motion Articulating TV Wall Mount. Please read this manual thoroughly before beginning installation and retain it for future reference. This mount is designed for flat and curved screens ranging from 13 to 65 inches and supporting weights up to 79 lbs (36 kg).

SAFETY INFORMATION

WARNING: Improper installation or use of this product may result in serious injury or damage. If you do not understand these instructions, or have doubts about the safety of the installation, please contact Barkan customer support or a qualified installer.

- Do not exceed the maximum weight capacity of 79 lbs (36 kg).
- Ensure the mounting surface can safely support the combined weight of the mount and the TV.
- Always use a stud finder to locate wood studs for secure mounting.
- Wear safety glasses during installation.
- All Barkan TV mounts include a Fall Proof system to prevent accidental disengagement of the screen. Ensure this system is correctly engaged after installation.
- Keep children away from the installation area.

For detailed safety information, refer to the official Safety Information PDF document available on the Barkan website or via the link provided with your product.

PACKAGE CONTENTS

Verify that all components are present before beginning installation:

- TV Mount Assembly
- Hardware Kit (includes various screws, anchors, washers, and spacers)
- · Assembly Instructions (this manual)

If any parts are missing or damaged, do not proceed with installation. Contact Barkan customer support

Tools Required for Installation

The following tools are recommended for a successful installation:

- Drill (1/4" 6mm for wood studs, 3/8" 10mm for concrete/brick)
- Level
- Safety Glasses
- Stud Finder (essential for drywall with wood studs)
- · Pencil for marking
- Phillips head screwdriver or wrench (for tightening screws)

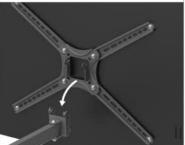
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Determine your screen's maximum swivel angle

The secret for the ultimate viewing experience: "line of sight" is perpendicular (90°) to the screen



Wide range of viewing angles for various sitting positions





Figure 1: Essential tools for mounting.

SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Model Number	BM343XL2

Screen Size Compatibility	13 - 65 inches	
Maximum Weight Capacity	79 lbs (36 kg)	
VESA Compatibility	75x75, 100x100, 100x200, 200x100, 200x200, 300x300, 300x400, 400x200, 400x300, 400x400 mm (and non-VESA up to 400x400 mm)	
Distance from Wall (Min-Max)	2.8 inches (7 cm) - 30 inches (76 cm)	
Tilt Range	-5° to +15°	
Swivel Range	180° (near screen connection plate)	
Rotation/Fold	180° (near wall), 360° (fold)	
Leveling Adjustment	±5°	
Material	Metal	



Figure 2: Detailed product specifications and movement ranges.

Installation Guide

Follow these steps carefully for a secure and stable installation. It is highly recommended to have a second person assist during certain steps, especially when mounting the TV.

Step 1: Attach Adapters to TV

Connect the VESA adapters to the rear side of your TV using the appropriate screws from the hardware kit. Ensure the adapters are securely fastened and aligned with your TV's VESA pattern. The patented ball and socket mechanism allows the four adapters to move in two dimensions, accommodating various screen types including flat, curved, and those with unique back structures.

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Figure 3: Adapters designed to fit various screen types.

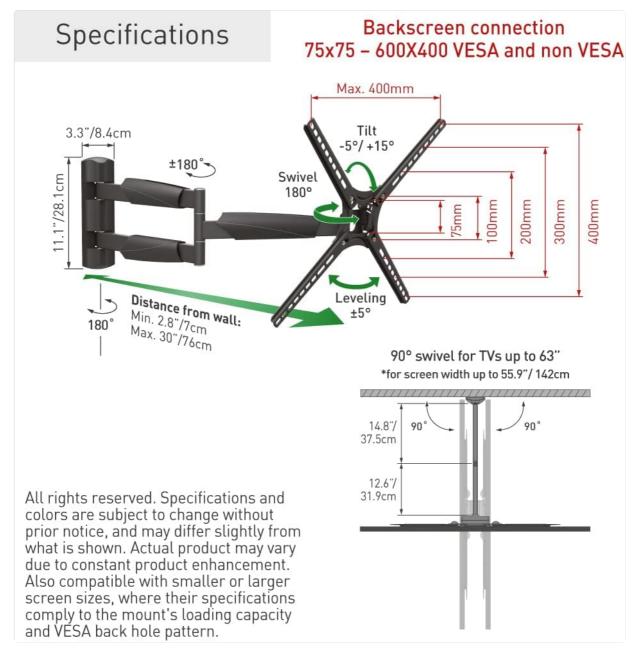


Figure 4: Backscreen connection positioning options.

Step 2: Install the Wall Bracket

Determine the optimal mounting location on your wall. This mount is compatible with drywall with wood studs, concrete blocks, and concrete walls. It is NOT suitable for drywall/gypsum/plaster without wood studs.

- Use a stud finder to locate the center of a wood stud if mounting on drywall.
- Mark the drilling points using the provided template or by holding the wall plate against the wall and marking through the holes.
- Drill pilot holes according to the recommended drill bit size for your wall type (refer to "Tools Required" section).
- Securely attach the wall bracket to the wall using the Barkan wall screws and anchors from the hardware kit. Ensure it is level before fully tightening.



Figure 5: Wall compatibility guidelines.

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Barkan♥s Hardware Kit

Divided and marked hardware kit for easy orientation throughout the assembly process



TV screws compatible with 90% of popular TVs

If your screen requires different screen-connection screws, please purchase them in your local hardware store or contact us at sales.usa@barkanmounts.com

Figure 6: Hardware Kit components.

Step 3: Snap the TV onto the Bracket

With assistance, carefully lift the TV (with adapters attached) and align the adapters with the wall bracket. Gently snap the TV onto the bracket, ensuring it is securely seated. Verify the Fall Proof system is engaged to prevent accidental disengagement.



Figure 7: Easy assembly steps and key features.

OPERATING AND ADJUSTING YOUR MOUNT

Your Barkan Full Motion TV Wall Mount offers extensive adjustability for optimal viewing angles:

- **Tilt:** Adjust the screen from -5° (downward) to +15° (upward) to reduce glare or achieve a comfortable viewing angle. This is a tool-free adjustment.
- **Swivel:** The mount features 3 pivots allowing for significant movement. Swivel the screen connection plate up to 180° to direct the TV towards different areas of the room.
- Extension: The mount can extend from a minimum distance of 2.8 inches (7 cm) from the wall to a maximum of 30 inches (76 cm), providing flexibility for various viewing positions and corner installations.
- **Leveling:** Fine-tune the screen's horizontal alignment with a ±5° leveling adjustment.
- Cable Management: Utilize the integrated cable management features to route and conceal cables for a neat appearance.

To adjust, gently push or pull the TV to the desired angle. The mount is designed for smooth movement. For optimal viewing, ensure your "line of sight" is perpendicular (90°) to the screen.

PREMIUM Full Motion Tilt -5°/ +15° 13"-65 Max. load 80lbs/ 36kg 75-400mm Swivel 180° 30" | 76cm Extension Leveling ±5°

Figure 8: Full motion capabilities of the mount.

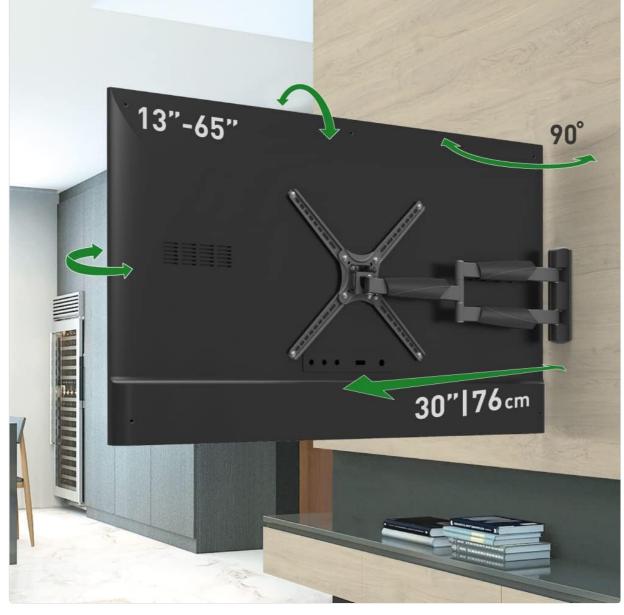


Figure 9: Demonstrating the mount's range of motion.

MAINTENANCE

To ensure the longevity and safe operation of your Barkan TV wall mount, perform the following maintenance checks periodically:

- **Check Connections:** Regularly inspect all screws and bolts to ensure they remain tight. Over time, vibrations or frequent adjustments may cause them to loosen.
- Clean Surfaces: Wipe down the mount with a soft, dry cloth. Avoid using abrasive cleaners or solvents that could damage the finish.
- **Inspect for Damage:** Periodically check the mount for any signs of wear, cracks, or damage. If any damage is observed, discontinue use and contact customer support.
- **Lubrication:** The articulating arms are designed for smooth movement. If you notice stiffness, a small amount of silicone-based lubricant can be applied to the pivot points, avoiding contact with electrical components.

TROUBLESHOOTING

This section addresses common issues you might encounter with your TV wall mount.

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
TV is not level after installation.	Wall bracket not perfectly level, or minor adjustment needed.	Use the ±5° leveling adjustment feature to fine-tune the screen's horizontal position. Re-check the wall bracket's level if necessary.
Mount feels stiff or difficult to move.	New mount stiffness, or lack of lubrication.	The mount may be stiff initially; repeated movement will loosen it. If persistent, apply a small amount of silicone-based lubricant to the pivot points.
TV appears to be tilting downwards unexpectedly.	Tilt mechanism not fully tightened or adjusted.	Ensure the tilt adjustment mechanism is securely tightened after setting the desired angle. Verify the TV weight does not exceed the maximum capacity.
Missing parts from hardware kit.	Packaging error.	Do not proceed with installation. Contact Barkan customer support immediately for replacement parts.

WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

Barkan Mounts has been developing and manufacturing high-quality TV mounts since 1988. All Barkan products come with a long warranty and are tested using 3 to 4 times their declared weight limit, ensuring reliability and safety.

For customer support, technical assistance, or warranty inquiries, please visit the official Barkan website or contact them directly:

• Website: www.barkanmounts.com/support

• Email: sales.usa@barkanmounts.com

The customer service experts are available every day of the week to assist you with any questions, manuals, FAQs, or video demonstrations.

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