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RED WOLF RW-XC01-2095

RED WOLF Car Radio Wiring Harness with Antenna Adapter

Model: RW-XC01-2095

1. Product Overview

The RED WOLF Car Radio Wiring Harness with Antenna Adapter (Model RW-XC01-2095) is designed to facilitate the installation of an aftermarket stereo in various 1988-2002 GM, Chevrolet, GMC, Buick, and Cadillac vehicles. This harness provides a direct connection without requiring the cutting of factory wiring, ensuring a clean and efficient installation process. It includes both the main wiring harness and a compatible antenna adapter.



Image 1.1: The RED WOLF Car Radio Wiring Harness and Antenna Adapter.

2. Key Features

- **Easy Installation:** Pre-terminated with wire connectors to save installation time.
- **No OEM Wire Cutting:** Designed to connect directly to the factory harness without modifications.
- **Perfect Match:** Engineered for a precise fit with compatible vehicle models.
- **Excellent Conductivity:** Constructed with quality materials for reliable signal transfer.



Image 2.1: Visual representation of key features including no OEM wire cutting and time-saving design.

3. Compatibility

This wiring harness and antenna adapter kit is compatible with non-amplified factory systems in the following vehicle models:

- **Chevrolet:** Astro 1992-2005, Avalanche 2001-2002, Beretta 1991-1996, Blazer Fullsize 1989-1994, Blazer S10 1999-2001, C/K pickup fullsize 1988-1995, Camaro 1990-2002 (without Bose system).
- **GMC:** Envoy 1998-2001, Jimmy 1989-1991, Jimmy S-15 1992-2001, Pickup Fullsize 1988-1998, Pickup S-15 1992-1993.
- **Oldsmobile:** 88 Royale 1987-1991, Achieva 1991-2001, Cutlass Calais 1988-1996, Cutlass Supreme 1989-1994.
- **Buick:** Century 1988-1996, Electra 1988-1990, Le Sabre 1992-1994, Park Avenue 1998-1994, Reatta 1989-1991.
- **Cadillac:** Brougham 1987-1992, Deville 1988-1995, Eldorado 1999-2002, Escalade 1992-2002.
- **Saturn:** SC 1991-1999, SL 1991-1999, SW 1991-1999, SC2 1991-1999, SL2 1991-1999, SW2 1991-1999.
- **Pontiac:** Bonneville 1992-1999, Firebird 1990-2003, Grand AM 1998-2000, Grand Prix 1988-2003, Montana 1997-1999, Sunbird 1989-1994.



Image 3.1: The fitment list detailing compatible GM vehicle models and years.

4. Installation Guide

Safety Precautions

Before beginning any installation, ensure the vehicle's battery is disconnected to prevent electrical shorts or damage. Always refer to your vehicle's service manual for specific instructions on removing factory components.

Step-by-Step Installation

1. **Prepare the Vehicle:** Disconnect the negative terminal of the vehicle's battery. Carefully remove the factory radio from the dashboard, following your vehicle's specific removal procedures.

2. **Connect Harness to Aftermarket Radio:** The RED WOLF wiring harness features pre-terminated wires. Match each wire from the RED WOLF harness to the corresponding wire on your aftermarket stereo's wiring harness. Solder or crimp these connections securely and insulate them with electrical tape or heat shrink tubing. Refer to the color coding diagram provided with your aftermarket radio.

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Video 4.1: This video demonstrates the standard color coding and pre-stripped design of the RED WOLF wiring harness, showing how to connect it to an aftermarket radio connector.

3. **Connect Antenna Adapter:** Plug the RED WOLF antenna adapter into the vehicle's factory antenna cable. Then, connect the other end of the adapter to the antenna input on your new aftermarket stereo.



Image 4.2: Close-up view of the DIN antenna adapter for connecting to the aftermarket radio.

4. **Connect to Vehicle:** Plug the RED WOLF wiring harness connector into the vehicle's factory wiring harness. Ensure a firm and secure connection.

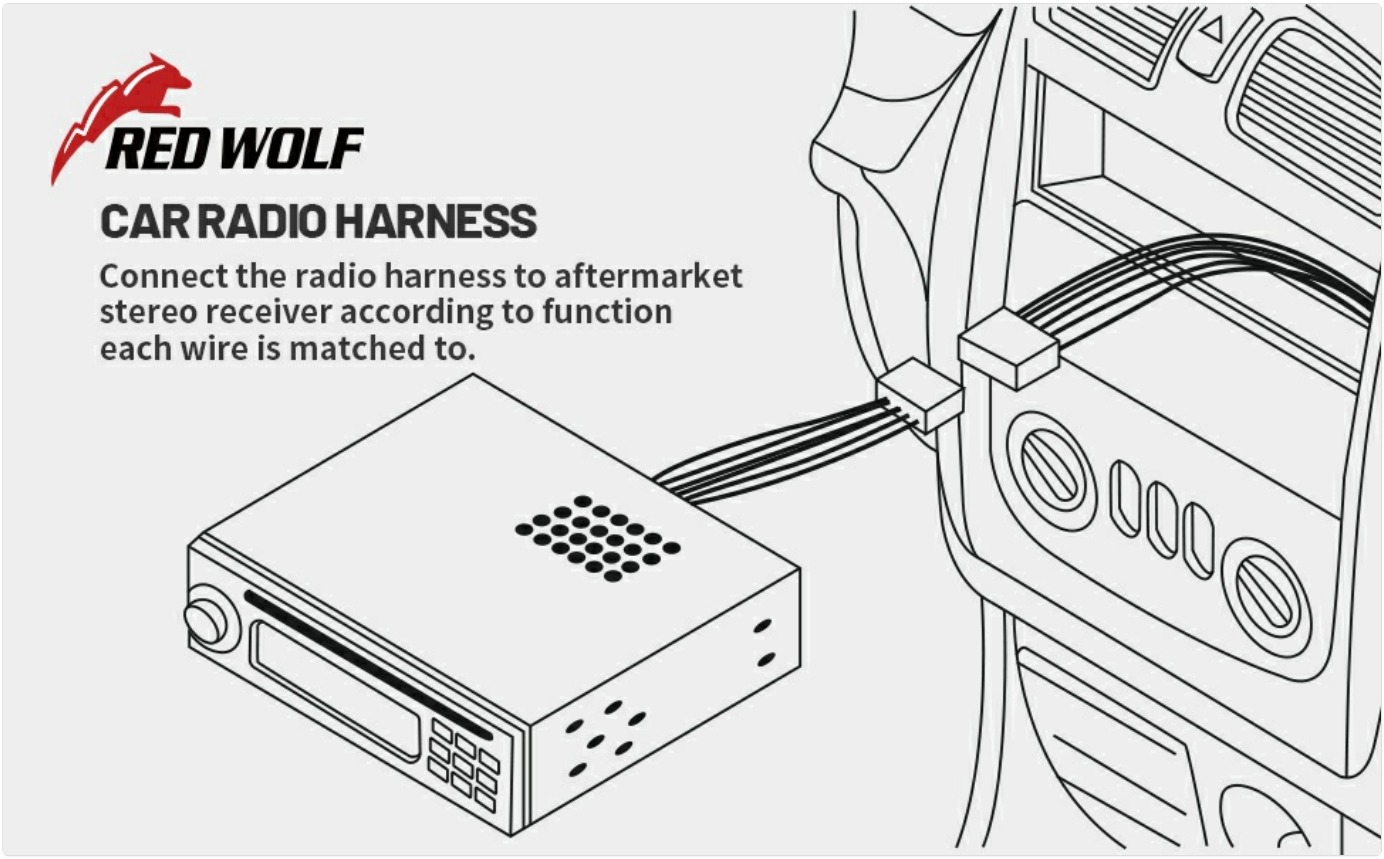


Image 4.3: Diagram illustrating the connection of the radio harness to an aftermarket stereo receiver.

5. **Test and Reassemble:** Reconnect the vehicle's battery. Turn on the ignition and test the aftermarket stereo's functionality (power, audio, balance, fade, radio reception). If everything works correctly, carefully reassemble the dashboard components.

5. Operation

Once the RED WOLF Car Radio Wiring Harness and Antenna Adapter are correctly installed, your aftermarket stereo will operate as intended, receiving power and audio signals through the new connections. No specific operational steps are required for the harness itself, as it is a passive component facilitating the stereo's function.

6. Maintenance

The RED WOLF wiring harness requires minimal maintenance. Periodically, if you access the area behind the radio, ensure all connections remain secure and free from corrosion or damage. Avoid pulling on the wires excessively during any future work on the vehicle's audio system.

7. Troubleshooting

- **No Power to Stereo:**
  - Check the vehicle's fuse box for blown fuses related to the radio or accessory power.
  - Verify all power and ground connections on the wiring harness are secure and correctly matched.
  - Ensure the vehicle's battery is fully charged and properly connected.

- **No Sound:**
  - Confirm all speaker wires are correctly connected and insulated.
  - Check the aftermarket stereo's settings (volume, mute, fader, balance).
  - Ensure the vehicle does not have an amplified factory system, as this harness is for non-amplified systems only.
- **Poor Radio Reception:**
  - Verify the antenna adapter is securely connected to both the vehicle's antenna cable and the aftermarket stereo.
  - Ensure the antenna itself is in good condition and properly installed on the vehicle.

8. Product Specifications

Specification	Detail
Brand	RED WOLF
Model Number	RW-XC01-2095
Material	Acrylonitrile Butadiene Styrene
Item Weight	0.06 Kilograms
Connector Type	Butt Connectors
Number of Items	1 (Harness with Antenna Adapter)
Included Components	Wire Harness w/Wire Connector, Antenna Adapter
Cable Type	Automotive Wiring Harness

9. Warranty and Support

For information regarding product warranty, returns, or technical support, please refer to the official RED WOLF website or contact RED WOLF customer service directly. Keep your purchase receipt as proof of purchase.

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