

# BCDCMB-012

Mounting Bracket for Selected REDARC BCDC Battery Chargers

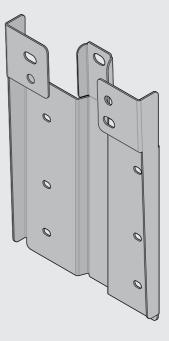
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The REDARC **BCDCMB-012** Mounting Bracket is designed to install your BCDC Classic\* close to an auxiliary battery mounted in the engine bay. Do not use if the battery is located elsewhere.

For maximum performance, mount your BCDC Classic in the cool airflow at the front of your vehicle, away from high temperature areas.

The BCDC Mounting Bracket is constructed from durable stainless steel and has been designed to fit existing mounting points in your vehicle for ease of installation.

\*NOTE: The BCDC Mounting Brackets are only for engine bay designed Battery Chargers. DO NOT use the Mounting Bracket to install a BCDC Core Battery Charger (BCDCN1225, BCDCN1240).

# WARNINGS AND SAFETY INFORMATION

**SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS** — this manual contains important safety instructions. Do not install the BCDC Mounting Bracket unless you have read and understood this manual.

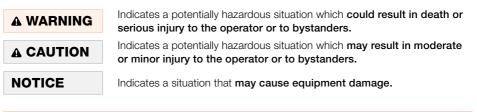
REDARC recommends to review your vehicle to ensure this kit suits your vehicle's make and specifications.

REDARC recommends that the BCDC Mounting Brackets be installed by a suitably qualified person. It is the installers responsibility to ensure their installation complies with any applicable legal and regulatory requirements.

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#### SAFETY MESSAGE CONVENTIONS

Safety messages in this manual include a signal word to indicate the level of the hazard as follows:



#### A WARNING

 Do not operate around the engine bay with the engine operating. Ensure the vehicle is OFF before mounting Battery Charger assembly.

### A CAUTION

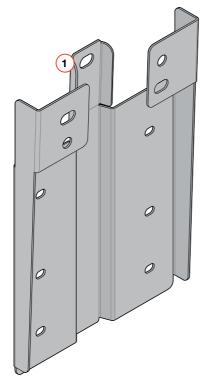
- Use Personal Protective Equipment (PPE). Wear appropriate clothing as well as eye protection when operating power tools.
- Take care when working in and around engine bay to avoid punch points, sharp edges and hot surfaces.

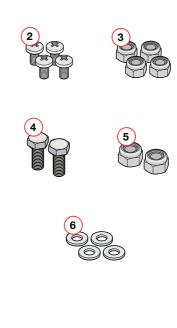


#### NOTICE

- Removing existing vehicle fixings may expose bare metal, resulting in rust. Retouch any exposed
  metal with rust inhibitor if it is not an earth connection.
- Damage to cabling can cause failure of the Battery Charger and vehicle electrical systems. Ensure wiring is clear of sharp edges and moving parts.

## **BCDC MOUNTING BRACKET PARTS**





#### 1. Mounting Bracket

Supplied with 1 bracket.

#### 2. M6 × 12mm Pan Head Screw Supplied with 4 screws.

#### 3. M6 Nyloc Locking Nut

Supplied with 4 nuts.

4. M8 × 20 mm Hex Head Bolt Supplied with 2 bolt.

5. M8 Nyloc Locking Nut Supplied with 2 nuts.

6. M8 × 20 mm Washer Supplied with 4 washers.

#### **RECOMMENDED TOOLS**

The tools listed below are typically sufficient to complete the installation, however, some specific models may require more specialised tools.

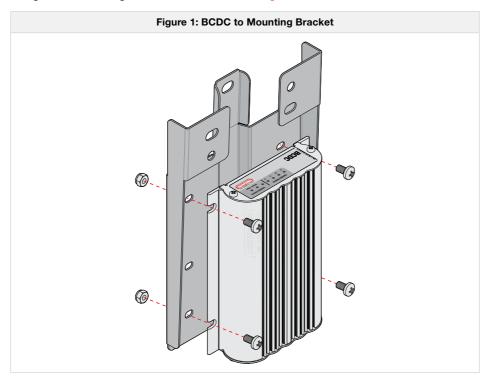
- Metric Socket set (at least 10 mm and 12 mm socket) with extension bars.
- Metric Spanner 10 mm, 12 mm and 13 mm.
- Medium (#3) Phillips-Head Screwdriver.

# ASSEMBLY

### **ASSEMBLING BATTERY CHARGER TO BRACKET**

The BCDC Mounting Bracket must be fitted to the Battery Charger before mounting to the vehicle. Do not install the BCDC Mounting Bracket to the vehicle first.

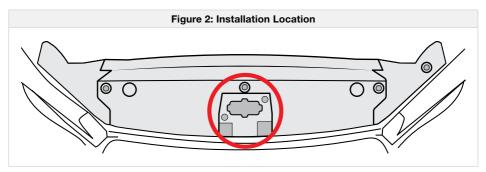
Use the supplied M6 × 12 mm Pan Head Bolts and M6 Nyloc Locking Nuts to secure the Battery Charger to the Mounting Bracket as demonstrated in Figure 1.



# **PRIOR TO INSTALLATION**

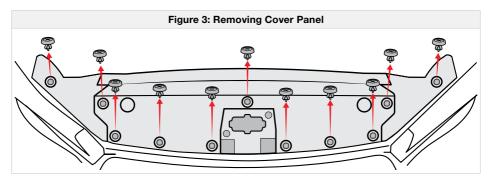
### **INSTALLATION LOCATION**

The assembled Mounting Bracket and Battery Charger will be mounted in the centre of the grille infront of the radiator.



### **REMOVING COVER PANEL**

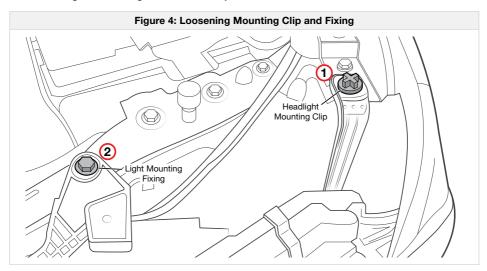
Remove the cover panel by removing all screw clips (see Figure 3). To remove these, unscrew the centre of each clip and they will lift out. Remove the cover panel away from the vehicle and retain the screw clips for re-fittment.



#### **REMOVE MOUNTING CLIP AND FIXING**

**NOTICE:** Removing factory fixings may expose to sharp surfaces and bare metal, resulting in rust. Retouch any exposed metal with rust inhibitor if it is not an earth connection.

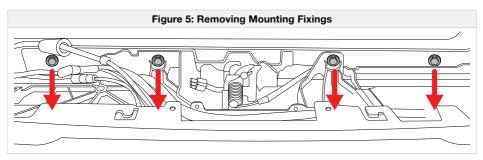
On the left side of the vehicle, loosen the centre pin of the headlight mounting clip (1), then loosen the light mounting fixing (2) (refer to Figure 4). Loosening these fixings will allow for easier access when installing the Mounting Bracket assembly to the vehicle.



#### **REMOVING MOUNTING FIXINGS**

Remove the four mounting fixings as shown below. Removing the mounting fixings will loosen the plastic grill support frame to provide easier access when installing the Mounting Bracket assembly.

NOTE: Be extremely careful to not damage the cooler when completing this step.

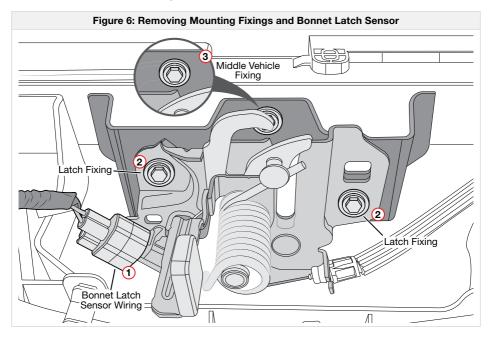


#### **REMOVING VEHICLE FIXINGS AND BONNET LATCH SENSOR**

Before fitting the Mounting Bracket assembly to the vehicle, refer to Figure 6 and adhere to the following:

- 1. Unplug the bonnet latch sensor wiring (1).
- 2. Remove the two latch mounting fixings and carefully lift the bonnet latch sensor out of the way\* (2).
- **3.** Remove the middle vehicle fixing **(3)**, this will be used to secure the Mounting Bracket assembly to the vehicle.

\*NOTE: Take note of the mounting position of the bonnet latch sensor to help for re-fittment.



#### **COMPLETE BATTERY CHARGER WIRING**

**NOTICE:** Damage to cabling can cause failure to the Battery Charger and the vehicle's electrical system. Ensure wiring is clear of sharp edges, moving parts and has enough slack to allow for flexing.

Fit the Battery Charger with the wiring connected to the bracket before mounting in the vehicle. It is difficult to access the Battery Charger once the bracket is installed.

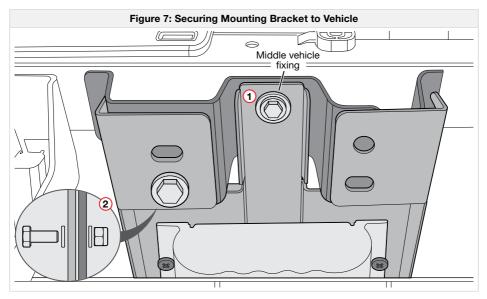
Complete the required wiring in accordance with your Battery Charger's Instruction Manual.

# INSTALLATION

### FITTING THE MOUNTING BRACKET TO THE VEHICLE

To fit the Mounting Bracket assembly to the vehicle, refer to Figure 7 and adhere to the following:

- 1. Insert the Mounting Bracket assembly into the vehicle and align the top middle mounting point with the middle vehicle fixing hole, then re-fit the middle vehicle fixing (1).
- Use one of the supplied M8 Bolts, two M8 Washers and one M8 Nut to secure the lower left mounting point (2). Fit a washer either side of the Mounting Bracket.
- **3.** Tighten vehicle fixing to the vehicle manufacturers torque specifications and the M8 Bolt to 15 Nm (11.0 lbf-ft).



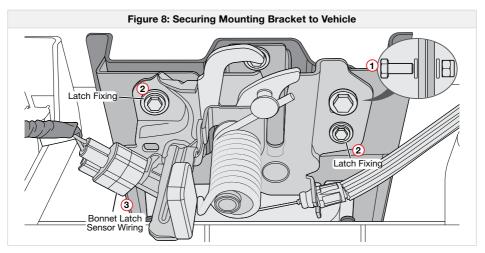
# **FINALISING INSTALLATION**

### **RE-FITTING BONNET LATCH SENSOR**

To secure the bonnet latch sensor back into place, fit the supplied M8 Bolt, M8 Washers and M8 Nut to the top right mounting point (1), fitting a washer either side of the Mounting Bracket. Then re-install the two latch mounting fixings (2).

Tighten the M8 Bolt to 15 Nm (11.0 lbf-ft) and the vehicle fixings to vehicles manufacturers torque specifications.

Re-plug the bonnet latch sensor wiring (3) and test bonnet latch to ensure adjustment is not needed.



#### **COMPLETED INSTALLATION**

To complete the installation, adhere to the following:

- 1. Re-align the plastic grille and re-fit the four mounting fixings that were removed in Figure 5. Then, tighten the headlight clip and light fixing that were loosened in Figure 4.
- 2. Tighten all vehicle fixings to the vehicle manufacturers torque specifications.
- **3.** Refit the cover panel using the screw clips removed during panel removal. These clips are secured when the centres are flush with the outer edge of the clip.

Once the cover panel is fitted back to the vehicle, the installation is complete.

### MAINTENANCE

**A** CAUTION: Ensure the area around the Battery Charger is clean and clear of debris. Any debris not removed will impair the performance of the unit and may cause a fire hazard.

**NOTE:** Regularly check your vehicle to avoid potential damage to the Battery Charger, your vehicle and batteries (both auxiliary and starter).

# WARRANTY

#### LIMITED WARRANTY

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