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The OSJ155/460 does **NOT** require a ground plane.

Ideal for mounting:

- In an attic
- On a roof vent pipe
- On a wooden (or Metal) pole
- On Fiberglass or Plastic Vehicles  
(Motorhomes, Trucks, **Boats**)

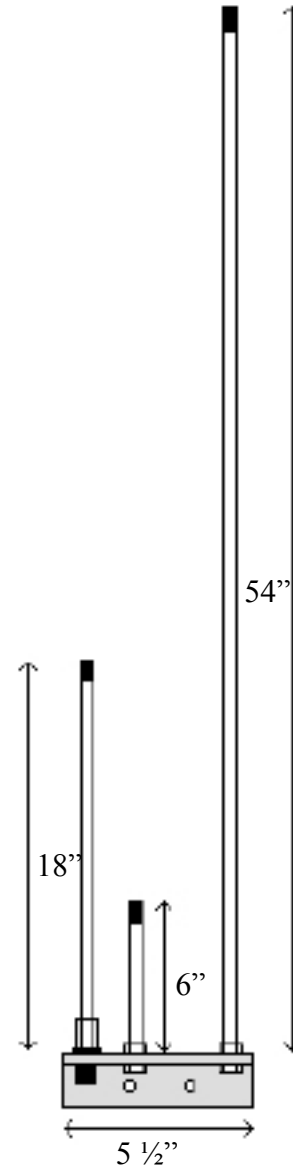
Mount it just about anywhere.

Single feed for both bands (SO239)

Covers 150-160 MHz & 450-470 MHz with a VSWR of less than 2:1.

Omni-Directional

The OSJ150/460 is a Heavy Duty Antenna. The elements are made from 3/8" solid aluminum with a heavy duty angle mounting bracket.



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**No hassle refund**  
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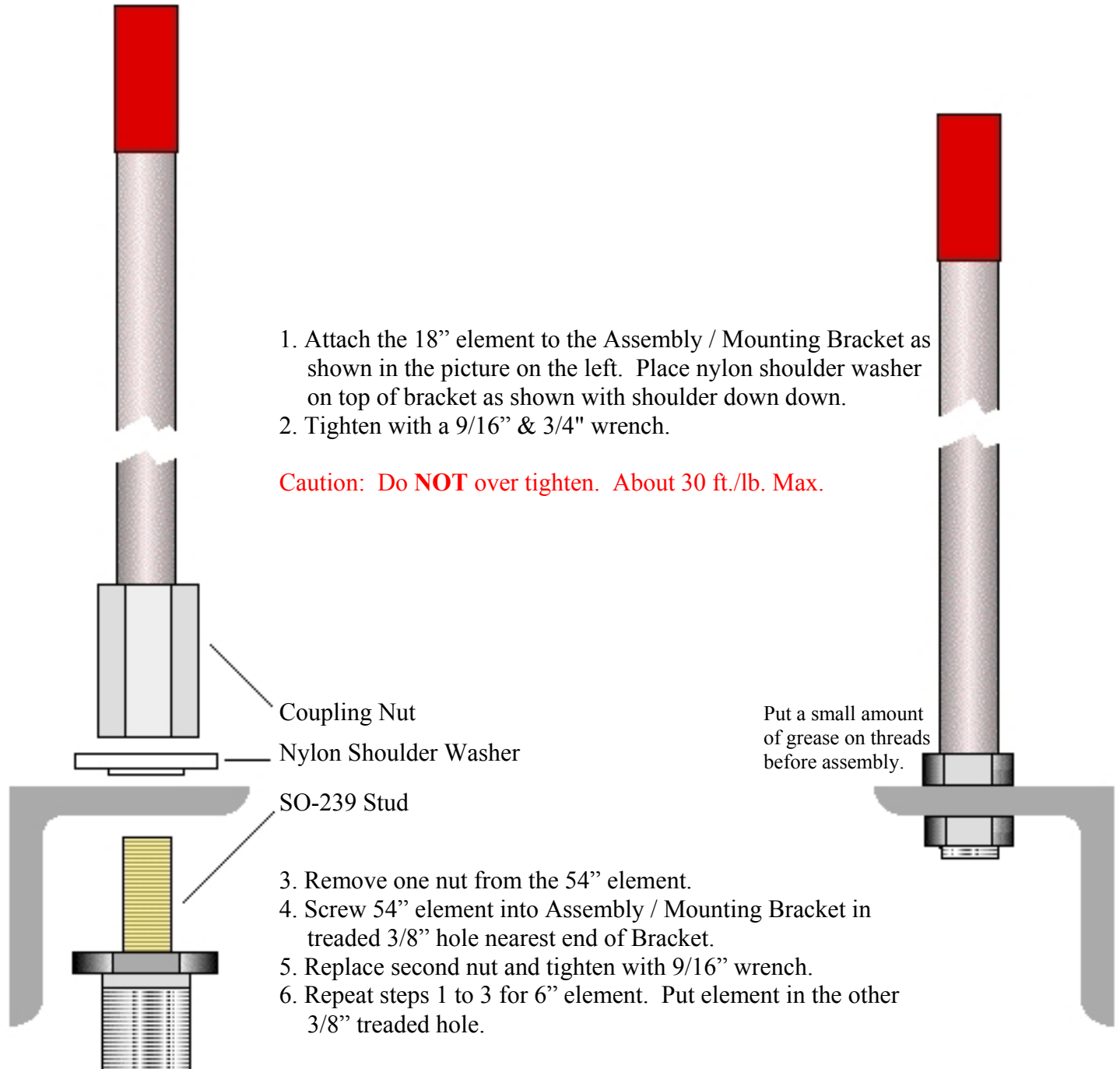
**Model**  
**OSJ 155/460**  
**Search & Rescue**  
**Open Stub J-Pole**

We don't invent antennas.  
We simply build them better.

Part #	Price	Model OSJ 155/460 Packing List
J15511	\$10	3/8" X 18" Driven Element with Coupling Nut
J46012	\$6	3/8" X 6" Element with 2 Stainless Jam Nuts.
J15513	\$15	3/8" X 54" Element with 2 Stainless Jam Nuts.
J14614	\$20	3/16" X 1 1/2" X 1 1/2" X 5 1/2" Assembly Bracket
52S206	\$4	Saddle Clamp for mounting to Mast up to 1 1/2" - (2 for \$4.)
J14605	\$4	SO-239 - 3/8-24 Antenna Mount
J14606	\$1	Nylon Shoulder Washer for Antenna Mount above - (2 for \$1.)
25C275	\$1	2 1/2" Bolt, Nut & Lock Washer (all Stainless)

(Please add \$8.00 S & H per order. Thank you.)

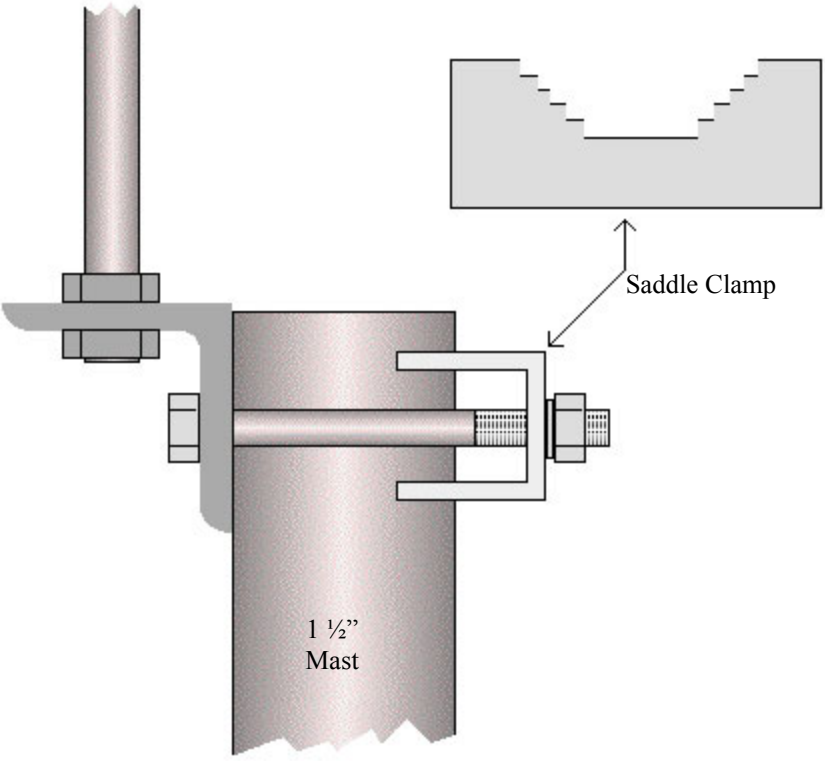
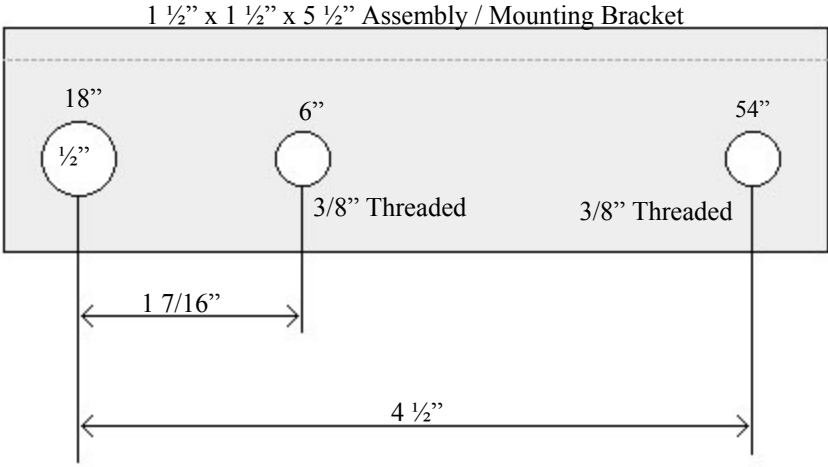
## Assembly Instructions



1. Attach the 18" element to the Assembly / Mounting Bracket as shown in the picture on the left. Place nylon shoulder washer on top of bracket as shown with shoulder down down.
2. Tighten with a 9/16" & 3/4" wrench.

**Caution: Do NOT over tighten. About 30 ft./lb. Max.**

3. Remove one nut from the 54" element.
4. Screw 54" element into Assembly / Mounting Bracket in treaded 3/8" hole nearest end of Bracket.
5. Replace second nut and tighten with 9/16" wrench.
6. Repeat steps 1 to 3 for 6" element. Put element in the other 3/8" treaded hole.



## SWR

SWR is basically a way of testing the impedance of your Antenna System. The Antenna System has two parts.

1. Coax and connectors.
2. Antenna.

Before you can test or tune the Antenna, you have to test the other half of the system **first**, the Coax & Connectors.

**Brand New Coax can be Defective or Damaged.**

To test the Coax you will need a 50 ohm Dummy Load and an SWR Meter or Antenna Analyzer.

Note: Some of the MFJ 269 Analyzers don't work right. - - ([eHam reviews on the MFJ269](#)) - - The MJF 259B works Great.

Connect the Dummy Load to the end of the coax instead of the Antenna. Connect SWR Meter or Antenna Analyzer to the other end of the coax.

Check the SWR on all frequencies. SWR should be 1.0:1 on all frequencies. If the SWR is not 1.0:1 or if the SWR varies with frequency, then the Coax is **Not** up to the task.

**Important:** Some Coax can test fine on VHF but not at UHF.

Also a known problem with some remote Antenna Switches.

### Example from eHam Reviews

I have had my MFJ269 for about 5 years. It works ok. On VHF and HF it is dead on. But on UHF I do not trust it. I also have a Bird and I compared several antennas tuned with the MFJ269 and the Bird and the MFJ269 was wrong everytime on the UHF side. I killed one UHF final when I relied on the MFJ269 for tuning. This antenna was checked with the Bird after the finals died and was found to have an SWR of 5:1+. Yet when checked with the MFJ269 it showed fine. I now use the Bird for everything but HF tuning. The MFJ269 still seems to work ok in this range and is nice for tuning my Buddy Pole for portable ops. It will never see VHF or UHF antennas again.

CHECKLIST FOR OUR SHIPPING DEPARTMENT  
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- Saddle Clamp
- SO-239 Stud & Nylon Shoulder Washer
- 2 @ 2 3/4" Bolts, Nuts & Lock Washers for saddle