

**BECKER**



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## **QUICK START INSTALLATION GUIDE FOR BECKER RADIOS WITH CD CHANGER**

(Must have functioning analog CD changer).

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## PRODUCT SAFETY & DISCLAIMER

READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY BEFORE INSTALLING, FAILURE TO DO SO MAY CAUSE PERSONAL INJURY OR DAMAGE TO PRODUCT AND/OR PROPERTY

- This installation guide is provided as a GENERAL installation guide, some vehicles vary and may require additional steps. We do not accept responsibility for third party labor charges or modifications. Exercise due-diligence when installing this product.
- We do not accept any responsibility for vehicle damage or personal injury resulting from the installation of this product.
- Careless installation and operation can result in equipment damage.

## Requirements:

OE RADIO AND FUNCTIONING REMOTE CD CHANGER

## Introduction

Just because you drive an older car does not mean you have to settle for old technology. iPods, Smartphones, iPads etc. let you enjoy music at the beach, picnic, back yard and also in your car. The following Becker radios do not have a dedicated AUX port: **PCMI (BE2580), CR210, CDR210, CR31, CR22, CDR22, CDR21, and CR11 Radios therefore the optional CD Changer is required for this adapter to work. (CD Changer remains connected but will no longer play).** The iL-BKRCD will play and charge Apple's new Lightning devices. With the storage capacity of most portable devices sacrificing the CD Changer should be an easy decision.

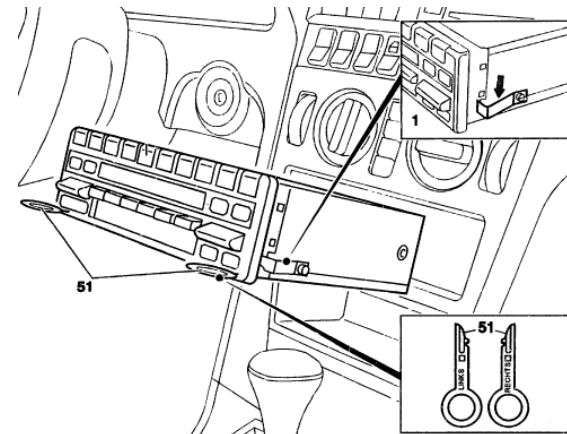
## Installation

**WARNING:** We recommend disconnecting the car battery. But before anything locate and record the radio safe code. Don't disconnect battery if radio code is not available, otherwise radio will cease to operate

1. Remove radio from dash to gain access to the connectors. A set of Radio removal tools (See **Fig. 1**) is required.

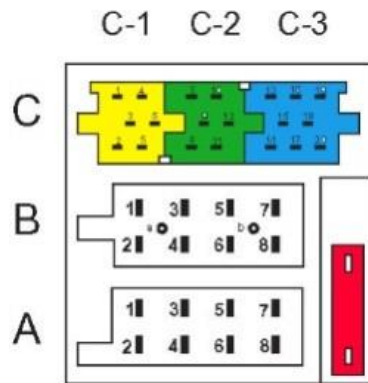


**Fig. 1**  
Radio removal Tools



**Fig. 2**

2. Slide tools into slots **(51)** on radio. (Straight edge facing away). Withdraw radio by pulling outwards. To release keys simply press retaining springs. See **Fig. 2**. Click [here](#) for detailed use of removal tools.
3. Disconnect blue (C-3) green (C-2) plugs and yellow (C-1) plugs from radio cavity (See **Fig. 3**)



**Fig. 3**  
radio connectors



**Fig. 4**

4. Connect vehicle radio harness yellow, blue and green iso plugs to harness 20-pin connector (See **Fig. 4**)
5. Connect harness yellow, blue and green plugs to radio chambers vacated on step 3 (See **Fig. 3**)
6. Route lightning cable (See **Fig. 5**) to desired mounting location on dashboard, glove box, console etc. Use caution to not cut, pinch or crimp cable during this step.
7. Securely install cable in location away from heat, humidity, moving parts, or sharp metal objects. **Damage to lightning plug may occur if subject to abuse.**



**Fig.5**  
Lightning plug

Reinstall radio. Enter radio code (if required) and proceed to test operation.

## Optional remote control

Optional remote control lets you pause, play, adjust volume, or otherwise control your media from farther away than arm's reach. Use at home to control Bluetooth device from up to 30 ft.

1. Keep audio device in pocket, glovebox, purse or elsewhere
2. To track up/down within playlist etc.
3. To adjust audio device volume (up/down)

### Pairing:

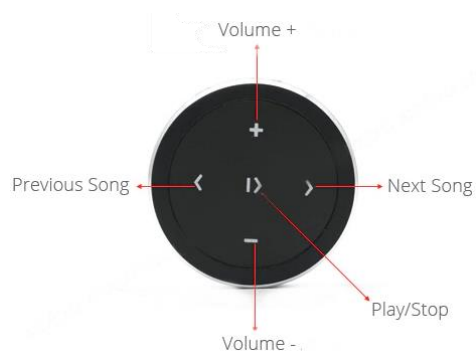




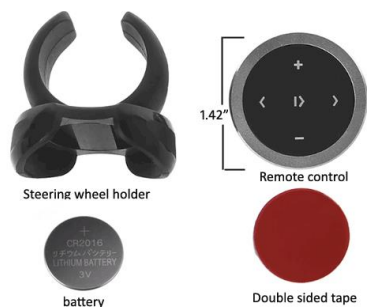
Select smart remote to pair

## Operation:

Use smart remote to perform the following functions on any iOS7.0 and higher or Android 4.4 and higher.



## Package Contents:



## Operation

1. Connect Apple device (iPod, iPhone, iPad) to Lightning plug
2. Apple device will begin charging
3. Turn radio "ON", press CD button to enter changer mode  
**Note: If radio does not enter changer mode, check that there is at least one disc (CD) in the magazine.** (Disc must remain in magazine)
4. Select favorite track using device built-in controls.
5. Set playback level using radio volume control button

**WARNING: A working CD changer REQUIRED for this adapter to function on Porsche PCMI (BE2580), CR-210, CDR-210, CR-22 and CDR-22 and any other Becker without AUX menu setting. Please do not purchase this part if vehicle does not have a functioning analog CD changer.**

## Frequently asked questions & troubleshooting

1. **Why is your cable better than those offered elsewhere?**  
Our cable is better because it **uses Apple Authentic digital to analog converter chip**. The knock off cables requires two wires; one for charging (8-pin Lightning) and one for audio (3.5mm). **Our cable has a single 8-pin Lightning plug that works as intended** and will not damage your device.
2. **My vehicle does not have a CD changer. Will the iL-BKRCD work?**  
**NO; CD Changer is required** for the aforementioned radios to work with this adapter and must contain at least one disc for operation.
3. **Does the iL-BKRCD work on all Becker Radios?**  
**NO;** the iL-BKRCD works on any Becker radio with a working CD changer connection.
4. **Do you offer an adapter that works on Becker radio that has "AUX" menu option and no CD changer?**  
**YES;** Purchase our [iL-BKR](#) adapter.
5. **Can I control Apple devices from my radio buttons?**  
**NO;** you **must continue to use Apple built-in controls and display to operate the device**. Radio volume button is used to set playback level.

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