

**Application Note 204** 

# Selection Guide RAM Mounting Hardware

RAM stands for Round-A-Mount. RAM is the revolutionary universal ball and socket mounting SYSTEM that allows you to mount practically anything anywhere. RAM's family consist of more than 900 interchangeable accessories, which provides solutions to your most challenging mounting problems. Its unique design provides easy installation, mobility, strength, versatility, vibration protection and durability, all at a low cost.

RAM is backed by NPIs renowned Lifetime Warranty, making it the mounting SYSTEM of choice. To provide light weight strength and corrosion resistance, RAM is made of marine grade aluminium with a powder coated finish, stainless steel hardware and rubber balls.

Recognized and accepted by the U.S. Patent Office, RAM is the only universal ball-and-socket SYSTEM that holds tremendous amounts of weight in high vibration applications for military, commercial and private use.

RAM mounts come in 5 ball sizes

RAM A Series – 9/16 size ball diameter RAM B Series – 25.4mm (1") size ball diameter RAM C Series – 38.1mm (1.5") size ball diamter RAM D Series – 57.15mm (2.25") size ball diameter RAM E Series – 85.6mm (3.37") size ball diameter



## **RAM B Series - BASES**

| RAM-B-202    | RAM 25mm (1") Ball and<br>Base<br>The RAM-B-202 consists of a 1"<br>diameter ball, connected at right<br>angles to a flat 63.5mm ( 2.5")<br>diameter base.<br>The base has seven holes<br>including the universal AMPS hole<br>pattern.   |
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| RAM-B-238    | RAM 25mm (1") Ball with<br>Diamond Plate<br>The RAM universal plate has a<br>25mm (1") diameter rubber ball<br>connected at right angles to a 1<br>1/4" x 2 1/2" Diamond Plate.<br>The plate has two holes 48.6mm<br>(1.912") from center to center,<br>positioned at either tip of the<br>diamond plate.<br>This base plate will attach to any<br>of the RAM composite HOL<br>holders and the industry standard<br>AMPS hole pattern |
| RAM-B-224-1U | RAM Locking B Suction<br>Metal Plate<br>Designed to have an extra strong<br>hold on any smooth surface.<br>Supplied with diamond plate with<br>1 inch ball (RAM-B-238) and<br>locking suction cup with 1 inch<br>ball metal plate.  |

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| RAM-B-236U |   | RAM 1" Ball with 0.38"<br>Male Thread                 |
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|            |   | An aluminium 0.38" male thread with a 25mm (1") ball. |
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| RAM-B-231U | RAM 25mm (1") Ball with<br>Steel U-bolt                                 |
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|            | 1" Rubber Ball with stainless steel<br>U-bolt for 3/4" to 1" diameters. |

|  | RAM-B-259U | CT TT  | RAM 25mm (1") Ball<br>mounted on a U-Channel<br>with Dual Screw Clamp |
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|  |            | 1" Rubber Ball with U-Channel<br>clamp base, designed to fit to the<br>edge of a surface upto 1 inch<br>thick. Eg, car side window, edge<br>of table surface, etc. |   |

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## **RAM B Series - MOUNTS**

| RAM-B-202U-24 | RAM 25mm (1") Ball<br>Rectangular Plate Corner<br>Holes   |
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|               | 25mm ball mounted on<br>rectangular plate 50 x 100mm (2"<br>X 4" W) with corner holes, suits all<br>Ram Mounting systems. |

| RAM-B-107BU |            | RAM Clover Shaped Base |
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| RAM-B-125BU | RAM Extension Cradle<br>Plate B Ball   |
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|             | Allows a connected device to<br>manouvre into more positions<br>than a standard mount. One<br>common use is to aid positioning<br>of your GPS device when in front<br>of the yoke mount. |
|             | The connection section extends<br>about 5.7cm forward at a 45<br>degree angle to the ball, which<br>sits about 3.8cm above the plate.  |

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| RAM-B-346U |      | RAM Extension Cradle<br>Plate B Ball  |
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|            | STP2 | Offset ball. Uses brake or clutch<br>fluid reservoir housing plate, to<br>mount other RAM components on<br>a motorcycles, etc.<br>Multiple hole mounting with offset<br>ball. |
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| RAM-B-202A |            | RAM Round 63.5mm<br>(2.5") Plate with Camera<br>Thread                |
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|            | Con (1997) | Universal camera plate with one inch ball, and a 1/4"-20 thread stud. |

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#### **RAM B Series - ARMS**

| RAM-B-201   | RAM Standard Double<br>Clamp B Size<br>RAM dual clamp, to replace a lost<br>item, or to use as an additional<br>system.<br>75mm centre to centre (90mm<br>overall length) |
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| RAM-B-201-A | RAM Short Double Clamp<br>B Size<br>Smaller double socket clamp arm for<br>25mm (1") ball size.<br>45mm centre to centre arm (60mm<br>overall length).                    |
| RAM-B-201-C | RAM Long Double Clamp<br>for B Size<br>Longer 135mm (centre to centre) and<br>150mm long overall, clamp to suit<br>Ram Mounting systems.                                  |

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| RAP-BB-230-14-<br>201U | -   | RAM 355.6mm (14") Pole<br>Double Arm Socket   |
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|                        | 14" | The RAP-BB-230-14-201 is a High<br>Strength Composite Plastic<br>component with a dual 25.4mm (1")<br>ball and a 25.4mm (1") open socket,<br>designed to be used with other RAM<br>25.4mm (1") B-Ball parts. The<br>extension pole measures 355.6mm<br>(14") from end to end. |

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#### **RAM C Series - BASES**



# **RAM C Series - MOUNTS**

| RAM-246U  |                           | RAM VESA Mount<br>Aluminum Plate with<br>38mm (1.5") Ball<br>38mm (1.5") ball connected to a 121<br>mm (4.75") square plate with 4 x<br>100mm holes and 4 x 75mm holes at<br>each corner (VESA).                             |
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| RAM-2461U | Contraction of the second | RAM VESA Mount 90mm<br>with 38mm (1.5") Ball<br>1.5" (38mm) ball connected to a<br>92mm (3.63") square base with 4 x<br>25mm holes at each corner.<br>The ball is positioned 22.4mm (0.88")<br>from the center of each edge. |

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## **RAM C Series - ARMS**

| RAM-201 | RAM Standard Double<br>Clamp C Size  |
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|         | Double socket arm, has a socket at<br>either end to allow a 38mm (1.5")<br>diameter ball accessories to be<br>connected. |
|         | Overall Length: 142.9mm (5.625")<br>Socket-To-Socket Length: 114.3mm<br>(4.5")   |

| RAM-201U-D | RAM Long Arm Double<br>Clamp C Size  |
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|            | Long double socket arm (distance<br>between centers 210mm) has a<br>socket at either end to allow a 38mm<br>(1.5") diameter ball accessories to be<br>connected. |

Use with AM-VB-xxxx

## VEHICLE MOUNTING HARDWARE

| RAM-VBD-122   |   | RAM Vehicle Mount<br>Welded Support<br>A universal mount for vehicles with a<br>flat floor.<br>Drilling is required during installation<br>of this mount, and forms a foundation<br>to connect other RAM swing arms<br>Use with AM-VP-xxxx Vehicle Pole  |
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| RAM-VP-TTM12U | Ī | RAM Vehicle Pole (Tele-<br>Scopic Insert) 3.5mm<br>(12")<br>The RAM upper Tele-Pole, 12 inch<br>pole, contains a swing arm<br>connection point that will attach<br>directly to any double swing arm<br>system with 38mm (1.5") Socket. The<br>post is 305mm (12") long and has a<br>diameter of 33.72mm (1.328") |

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| RAM-VB-109-2U | RAM Long Single Socket<br>Swing Arm for Vehicle<br>Pole   |
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|               | The double swing arm for the RAM<br>Vehicle Mounts includes 152.4mm (6<br>") long arms with a tele-pole<br>connection hole at one end and a<br>38mm (1.5") diameter socket at the<br>other.<br>Use with AM-VP-xxx |
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| RAM-B-141B-1290 | <li></li> | RAM 305mm (12")<br>Flexible Arm with 25.4mm<br>(1") Ball   |
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|                 | )         | 305mm flexible arm with rubber ball<br>( <u>RAM-B-218-1U</u> ) and 63.5mm<br>diameter base with 12.7mm (1/2")<br>hole. |
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