

# QUICK INSTALLATION GUIDE RT8110 & RT8120

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Advanced Remote Telematics Unit

Product: ORBCOMM RT8110 / RT8120

IP Rating: IP20, IP65 and IP67
Operating Temp: -40°C to +70°C

Voltage: 10-32 VDC

Internal Battery: 2600 mAh lithium (internal backup)

Data Interface: GPS, Cellular, BLE, RS232, CAN, Wireless Sensors



## **QUICK INSTALLATION OVERVIEW**

## 1. Before Installation

- Switch off the refrigeration unit and disconnect the battery.
- Determine appropriate mounting surface—flat, metal or composite panel with minimal vibration.
- Select variant-specific installation parts (external antennas for RT8120).

## 2. Mounting the Unit

- Mount to the front wall or ceiling of the trailer using sealant or screws.
- Keep device upright and unobstructed for optimal signal and cooling.
- RT8120: Route and mount GPS + Cellular antennas using standard guidance—clear of metal and away from other radio equipment.

## 3. Harness and Power

- Connect:
  - Red Wire +VDC
  - Black Wire Ground
- Use a 5 A fuse on power input.
- Route cable securely with loom or conduit, avoiding sharp bends and heat sources.

## 4. Connecting External Components

- Door Switches connect via digital input pins
- Temp Sensors up to 6 wired probes or compatible wireless sensors
- Fridge Interface connect via RS232 or CAN (Carrier, Thermo King, Mitsubishi)

Use  $Orbcomm's\ communication\ harness\ for\ proper\ integration.$ 

## 5. Wireless Sensor Pairing

- Pair BLE sensors (e.g. TS300, DS300) using the Orbcomm Field Support Tool App.
- Ensure internal antenna has unobstructed signal path inside trailer.

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## 6. SIM & Network Configuration

- Embedded SIM is factory-installed. Optional external SIM can be inserted.
- Configure via DeviceManager:
  - Choose SIM slot
  - Enter APN and PIN (if needed)
  - Save & reboot to activate

## 7. Setup & Commissioning

- Use DeviceManager or Bluetooth app to configure:
  - Temperature sensor logic
  - Door detection inputs
  - Logging interval and alarm thresholds
  - GPS tracking behaviour
- Confirm:
  - LED indicators show active GPS and cellular signals
  - Device reports to Orbcomm server
  - Temp data and door status are accurate

## **Final Checks**

- Ensure firmware is updated
- Validate signal strength and mounting security
- Print a test report if connected to a recorder (e.g. Euroscan or DataCold)

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