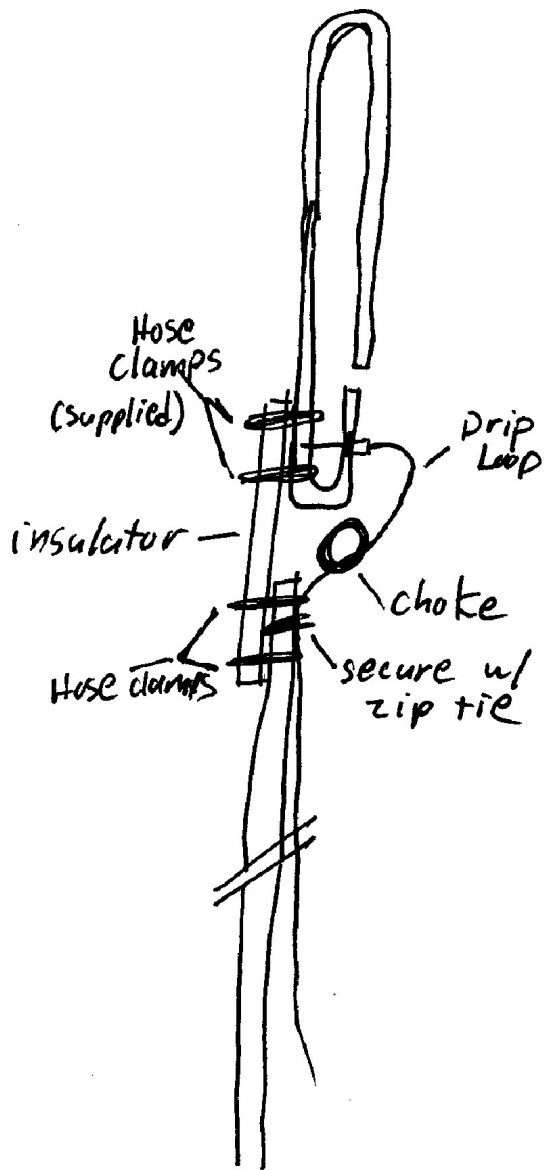


# Mounting the Slim Jim Antenna

Instructions for properly mounting a KB9VBR Slim Jim Antenna to a mast



The Slim Jim Antenna works best when you are able to isolate the antenna from the mast. Included with your KB9VBR Slim Jim Antenna is a piece of PVC tubing and two hose clamps. These are to be used when you are mounting the antenna to a metal mast or structure. If you are planning to mount the antenna to a non metal, non conductive mast; then the antenna can be attached directly to the mast.

1. Use the two hose clamps to attach the PVC tube to the base of the antenna.
2. Use two more hose clamps or U-Bolts (not included) to attach the lower end of the PVC to your mast. The gap between the antenna and the mast can be minimal, just enough so that the antenna is isolated from the mast.
3. Attach the feedline, create a drip loop, choke balun and then zip tie to to the mast for strain relief.

That's all there is to it. Once your Slim Jim is mounted, it should give you years of reliable service.