

North Georgia Crappie Anglers Tip

Power Supply for Fish Finder When Away from Boat

Often it is desirable to remove your electronic fish finder from your boat and take the unit inside your house to experiment or learn more about its capabilities.

I have found a very useful device that will allow operating your unit away from your boat. First, you will need an extra power cable for your unit and these can be purchased from your electronics manufacturer at a reasonable price.

Then go to Walmart and in the electronics department (where you find the TV's etc.) and look for a device called "Powerline" which is an AC to DC adapter. The cost is around \$18. You will then need to cut the wire on the "Powerline" device and attach your electronics power cable to it. On the "Powerline" adapter wire, one wire will have a white stripe on it; this is the positive wire and make sure you connect it to the positive wire (red) on your electronics power cable. Then connect the other wire to your power cable (black) wire. Then move the switch on the "Powerline" adapter to 12V (12 Volts)

Plug in the "Powerline" adapter into a regular wall plug and the other end into your electronics unit and your electronics should power up. Everything on the menu should be available except Sonar which requires a connection to your boat's transducer.

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