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Subject: Re: Any advice on long wire antenna

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Long wire antennas are pretty simple critters, really. The longer the better, the higher the better, the further away from objects (particularly metal) the better. You can also use a tuned antenna (of specific length) but if you're tuning shortwave, sometimes you really want a broadband general purpose longwire.

There are a lot of good links on the internet, some some searches are in order. Here are a few good ones:

Installing an Outside Wire Antenna

Tune your antenna for better DX

Homebrew Antenna Links Including Antenna Theory

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