

# Southeast Aerospace FAQ

## What is the difference between Garmin part numbers beginning with 010 and 011?

Garmin uses two different part number prefixes — 010-xxxx-xx and 011-xxxx-xx. Understanding the distinction is important when ordering, quoting, installing, or documenting avionics equipment.

Here is the simple answer:

**010:**  
What you **order**



**011:**  
What gets **installed**

### What is a Garmin 010 part number?

Garmin part numbers beginning with 010 are generally considered one of the following:

- Shipping Level Part Numbers
- Catalog Part Numbers
- System or Kit Part Numbers

In most cases, a 010 part number does **NOT** appear on the dataplate of the primary avionics unit and is **NOT** the individual serialized hardware number. It **IS** used for ordering a complete system or kit.

For example, when purchasing a Garmin display, navigator, or transponder, the 010 number may represent the entire boxed system — including the main unit, connector kits, backshells, install materials, or included accessories.

#### Examples:

- A complete system package**
- A standard configuration**
- A kit that includes multiple components**
- A retail/catalog listing number**

### What is a Garmin 011 part number?

Garmin part numbers beginning with 011 are:

- The actual hardware unit part numbers
- The numbers found on the dataplate
- The numbers tied to serial numbers and service records
- The numbers listed on certification paperwork

**A 011 part number identifies the specific physical unit installed in the aircraft.**

The 011 part number is what matters for **logbook entries, STC paperwork, warranty, and service history.**

### How Does This Affect Installation & Documentation?

For installers, operators, and maintenance providers:

Use the **010** part number typically for:

- Ordering new equipment
- Quoting system packages
- Identifying bundled configurations

Use the **011** part number typically for:

- Logbook entries
- Repair station paperwork
- Warranty and RMA requests

### Quick Summary

A Garmin **010** part number is typically used for ordering and not found on a dataplate. It is a shipping or catalog number and may represent a full kit.

A Garmin **011** part number is an actual hardware unit number found on the dataplate. It identifies a serialized unit and is used for certification and logs.

If you are unsure which number you need for ordering, documentation, or replacement purposes, Southeast Aerospace can help verify the correct configuration for your aircraft and installation.