

Holding pattern determination aid				
Left Turns	Non Standard	Holding On RADIAL ↙ ↘	Standard	Right turns
	◀ outbound	Radial Outbound O	outbound ▶	
	- 180 ◀ inbound	Inbound heading To Fix I	+ 180 inbound ▶	
	- 90 ◀ abeam	Abeam Start point for timing outbound X	+ 90 abeam ▶	
	- 60 ◀ Teardrop	Teardrop End of Outbound Leg T	+ 60 Teardrop ▶	
Holding Entry Determination				

Holding Entry Determination	Parallel entry	Teardrop Entry	Direct Entry
Find the radial to hold on your H.I.	First 2 turns are opposite to turn direction.	Determinate teardrop radial outbound	After fix direct outbound
Mark Holding Entry	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Parallel

Teardrop

Direct

Standard Holding Pattern Entry

Visualize your directional gyro this way when contemplating a STANDARD (right turn) pattern. On the face of the instrument, find the radial on which you have been cleared to hold, then note which sector that radial lies in to determine the type of entry.

Teardrop

Parallel

Direct

Non-Standard Holding Pattern Entry

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