

**ENGINEERING STATEMENT**  
**IN SUPPORT OF**  
**REQUEST FOR SPECIAL TEMPORARY AUTHORITY**  
**K21MO-D**  
**RIVERSIDE, CA**

**Background**

Major Market Broadcasting of California, Inc. (MMBC), licensee of the LPTV station K21MO-D, has a Construction Permit (LMS File No. 0000178552) specifying a site and antenna that were destroyed by a California wildfire known as the Fairview Fire. K21MO-D has been silent since the loss of the site in October 2022, but after an extensive search, MMBC was able to identify a new site and recently filed for a modification of the Construction Permit to specify the new site. MMBC would like to begin operating K21MO-D as soon as possible from this new site so that the station will not be silent for more than one year; however, the site is located within the Mexican coordination distance and concurrence from Mexico on the proposed changes is necessary before the modification of the Construction Permit can be granted. Therefore, MMBC is seeking Special Temporary Authority to operate from the new site prior to Mexican approval.

**Proposed Parameters**

MMBC is proposing the following parameters for the K12OC-D STA operation:

Coordinates:	33° 43' 31.1" N (NAD83) 116° 45' 01.1" W
ERP:	0.59 kW
RCAMSL:	1630.1m
RCAGL:	8.6m
Antenna:	Kathrein 1x2 750 10210
Mask:	Full-Service

The proposed STA facility has the same parameters as the facility specified in the recent Construction Permit modification application.

**Interference**

An interference study was conducted of the proposed facility parameters using the FCC TVStudy software (Version 2.2.5) with the default parameters. The results of the study (copy attached hereto) show that potential interference from the proposed facility is not predicted to exceed 0.49% to any full-service DTV or Class A stations or 1.99% to any low power stations as required by the Commission’s Rules.

As mentioned above, the proposed site is within the Mexican coordination distance, but the co-channel interference contour generated by the proposed facility will not cross the US/Mexican border, making it very unlikely that it will cause interference to any Mexican stations or allotments (in Mexico). Furthermore, the TVStudy interference study included “non-US stations” and the results show that no interference is predicted between the proposed facility and any Mexican stations or allotments. Figure 1, attached hereto, is a map depicting the F(50,10) 24.46 dBu co-channel interference contour of the proposed facility. As can be seen on the map, the contour is not predicted to cross the Mexican border.

**Environmental/RFR**

This report addresses only the conditions specified in 47CFR1.1307 that deal with Radio Frequency Radiation. Any other non-RFR conditions that might require the preparation of an EA are beyond the scope of this report; since the structure exists, such conditions should not be an issue requiring further consideration.

The location of the proposed facility is a multi-user site and it is assumed to currently be “in compliance” with FCC guidelines for human exposure to RFR (as defined in OET-65). The worst-case ground level RFR contributed to the site by this proposal is calculated to be 0.016657 mW/cm<sup>2</sup> at 2m AGL. The calculated RFR is less than 5% of the maximum permissible exposure (MPE) for public areas (0.339333 mW/cm<sup>2</sup>) at Ch. 21.

MMBC agrees to comply with the Commission’s requirements regarding power adjustments or cessation of operation as may be necessary to ensure a compliant environment for worker access.

**Certification**

I hereby certify that the foregoing report or statement was prepared by me but may include work performed by others under my supervision or direction. The statements of fact contained therein are believed to be true and correct based on personal knowledge, information, and belief unless otherwise stated; with respect to facts not known of my own personal knowledge, I believe them to be true and correct based on their origin from sources known to me to be generally reliable and accurate. I have prepared this document with due care and in accordance with applicable standards of professional practice.



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September 3, 2023

Attached:  
TVStudy Interference Check Report for Proposed K21MO-D Facility  
Figure 1 – Map of the F(50,10) Co-Channel Interference Contour of the Proposed Facility  
Antenna Azimuth and Elevation Pattern Plots and Tabulations

## TVStudy TV Interference Check Report for Proposed K21MO-D STA Facility on Ch. 21

Study created: 2023.09.02 21:39:25

Study build station data: LMS TV 2023-08-31

Proposal: K21MO-D D21 LD CP RIVERSIDE, CA  
 File number: K21MO\_KATY\_KAT10210r7\_059k\_090223\_NUS  
 Facility ID: 181667  
 Station data: User record  
 Record ID: 24  
 Country: U.S.

Build options:  
 Protect pre-transition records not on baseline channel

Search options:  
**Non-U.S. records included**

Stations potentially affected by proposal:

IX	Call	Chan	Svc	Status	City, State	File Number	Distance
No	DK14JT	N14	TX	APP	JOSHUA TREE, ETC., CA	BLTVL19980330JH	83.0 km
No	K17GJ-D	N17-	TX	LIC	TWENTYNINE PALMS, CA	BLTT20080902AED	61.1
No	K20IM-D	D20	LD	LIC	BARSTOW, CA	BLDTL20100630BDO	128.7
No	KCWQ-LD	D20	LD	LIC	PALM SPRINGS, CA	BLANK0000076696	33.1
No	KZSD-LD	D20+	LD	LIC	SAN DIEGO, CA	BLANK0000067691	115.7
No	KGRF-LD	D21	LD	CP	GILA RIVER INDIAN CO, AZ	BLANK0000125236	420.8
No	K21EG-D	D21	LD	LIC	GOLDEN VALLEY, AZ	BLDTT20130308ABB	286.0
No	K21NQ-D	D21	LD	LIC	MEADVIEW, AZ	BLANK0000071717	339.3
No	K21PB-D	D21	LD	CP	PARKER, AZ	BNPDTL20100514ADI	234.1
No	KRPO-LD	D21	LD	LIC	QUARTZSITE, AZ	BLDTL20110926AEA	289.5
No	K21FU-D	D21	LD	LIC	TOPOCK, AZ	BLDTT20130308ACK	262.4
No	K21MH-D	D21	LD	LIC	DAGGETT, CA	BLANK0000004555	129.6
No	KFTV-DT	D21	DT	LIC	HANFORD, CA	BLANK0000116939	444.3
Yes	KTAV-LD	D21	LD	LIC	LOS ANGELES, CA	BLANK0000219786	134.2
Yes	K21DO-D	D21	DC	LIC	PALM SPRINGS, CA	BLANK0000191501	33.1
No	K21IN-D	D21	LD	LIC	RIDGECREST, ETC., CA	BLDTT20090622AAK	212.9
Yes	KPMR	D21	DT	LIC	SANTA BARBARA, CA	BLCDDT20110607ABB	308.4
No	KPMR	D21	DT	CP	SANTA BARBARA, CA	BLANK0000190126	308.4
Yes	KPMR	D21	DT	APP	SANTA BARBARA, CA	BPCDDT20120817ABD	309.5
No	K21AC-D	D21	LD	LIC	VICTORVILLE, ETC., CA	BLANK0000144363	110.1
No	K21AC-D	N21	TX	LIC	VICTORVILLE, ETC., CA	BLTT19820105IG	110.1
No	K21PA-D	D21	LD	CP	WINTERHAVEN, CA	BNPDTL20100510AAG	201.0
No	KLSV-LD	D21	LD	LIC	LAS VEGAS, NV	BLANK0000064058	299.5
No	KHSV	D21	DT	APP	LAS VEGAS, NV	BLANK0000127675	299.5
No	KMYU	D21	DT	CP	ST. GEORGE, UT	BLANK0000129216	469.5
No	KMYU	D21	DT	APP	ST. GEORGE, UT	BLANK0000151571	469.5
No	KVYE	D22	DT	LIC	EL CENTRO, CA	BLCDDT20070604ABN	193.5
No	KHTV-CD	D22	DC	LIC	LOS ANGELES, CA	BLANK0000068679	132.5
No	KJHP-LD	D22	LD	LIC	MORONGO VALLEY, CA	BLANK0000125585	33.2
No	DK25GK	N25+	TX	APP	JOSHUA TREE, CA	BLTT20000605AOK	83.1
No	K25AD-D	N25	TX	LIC	VICTORVILLE, ETC., CA	BLTT19820105IE	110.1
No	K29GK-D	N29-	TX	LIC	TWENTYNINE PALMS, ETC, CA	BLTT20060119ADC	83.1
No	CFCC	D21	DT	CP	Halifax, NS	BLANK0000024584	359.6
No	XHENT	D20	DT	LIC	ENSENADA, BN	BLANKBPFS20111019ACE	206.1
No	XHILA	D20	DT	LIC	MEXICALI, BN	BLANKBPFS20160302ACO	171.1
No	XHFEC	D21	DT	LIC	SAN FELIPE, BN	BLANKBPFS20111004AAY	351.0
No	XHDTV	D21	DT	LIC	TECATE, BN	BLANKBPFS20160302ACX	157.1
No	XHPPS	D21	DT	LIC	PUERTO PENASCO, SO	BLANKBPFS20111019ACQ	403.0
No	XHUAA	D22	DT	LIC	TIJUANA, BN	BLANKBPFS20100517ADE	138.7

No non-directional AM stations found within 0.8 km

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No directional AM stations found within 3.2 km

Record parameters as studied:

Channel: D21  
Mask: Full Service  
Latitude: 33 43 31.10 N (NAD83)  
Longitude: 116 45 1.10 W  
Height AMSL: 1630.1 m  
HAAT: 0.0 m  
Peak ERP: 0.590 kW  
Antenna: KAT-1x2 75010210 7.0 deg  
Elev Pattn: Generic

49.5 dBu contour:

Azimuth	ERP	HAAT	Distance
0.0 deg	0.003 kW	-184.9 m	4.5 km
45.0	0.011	-611.2	6.1
90.0	0.071	-37.9	9.5
135.0	0.481	227.7	35.3
180.0	0.506	361.7	41.6
225.0	0.446	567.7	46.8
270.0	0.204	953.0	48.2
315.0	0.021	470.1	26.3

Database HAAT does not agree with computed HAAT  
Database HAAT: 0 m Computed HAAT: 218 m

Distance to Canadian border: 1697.8 km

\*\*Proposal is within coordination distance of Mexican border  
Distance to Mexican border: 128.2 km

Conditions at FCC monitoring station: Livermore CA  
Bearing: 316.0 degrees Distance: 633.5 km

Proposal is not within the West Virginia quiet zone area

Conditions at Table Mountain receiving zone:  
Bearing: 51.8 degrees Distance: 1242.7 km

No land mobile station failures found

Study cell size: 1.00 km  
Profile point spacing: 1.00 km

Maximum new IX to full-service and Class A: 0.50%  
Maximum new IX to LPTV: 2.00%

No IX check failures found.

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Protected Service Contour of Proposed K21MO-D Facility at KATY-FM Site (Black)  
and F(50,10) 24.46 dBu Co-Channel Interference Contour (Red)

**K21DO-D (KATY-FM Site)**

Latitude: 33-43-31.10 N  
Longitude: 116-45-01.10 W  
ERP: 0.59 kW  
Channel: 21  
Frequency: 515.0 MHz  
AMSL Height: 1630.1 m

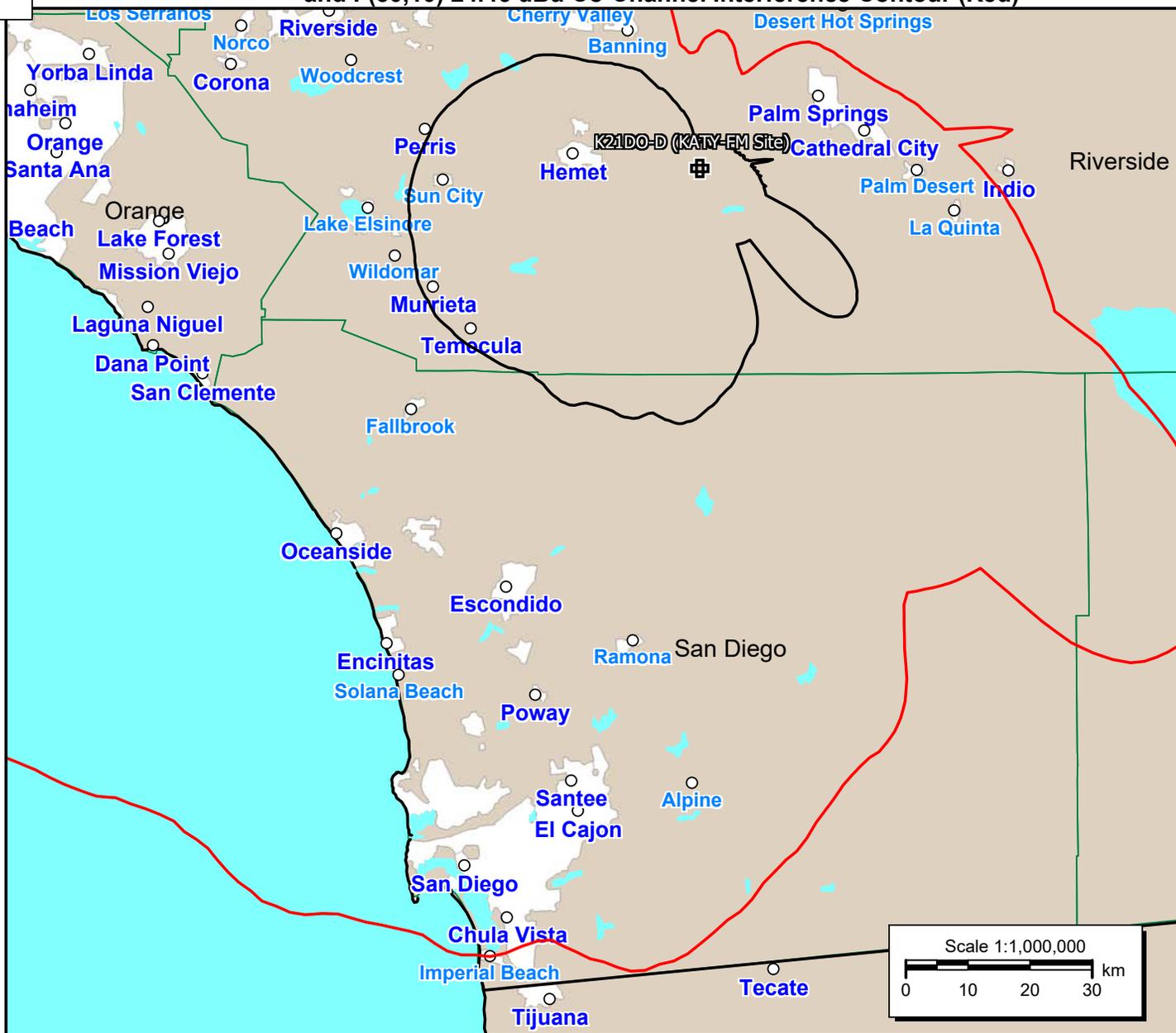
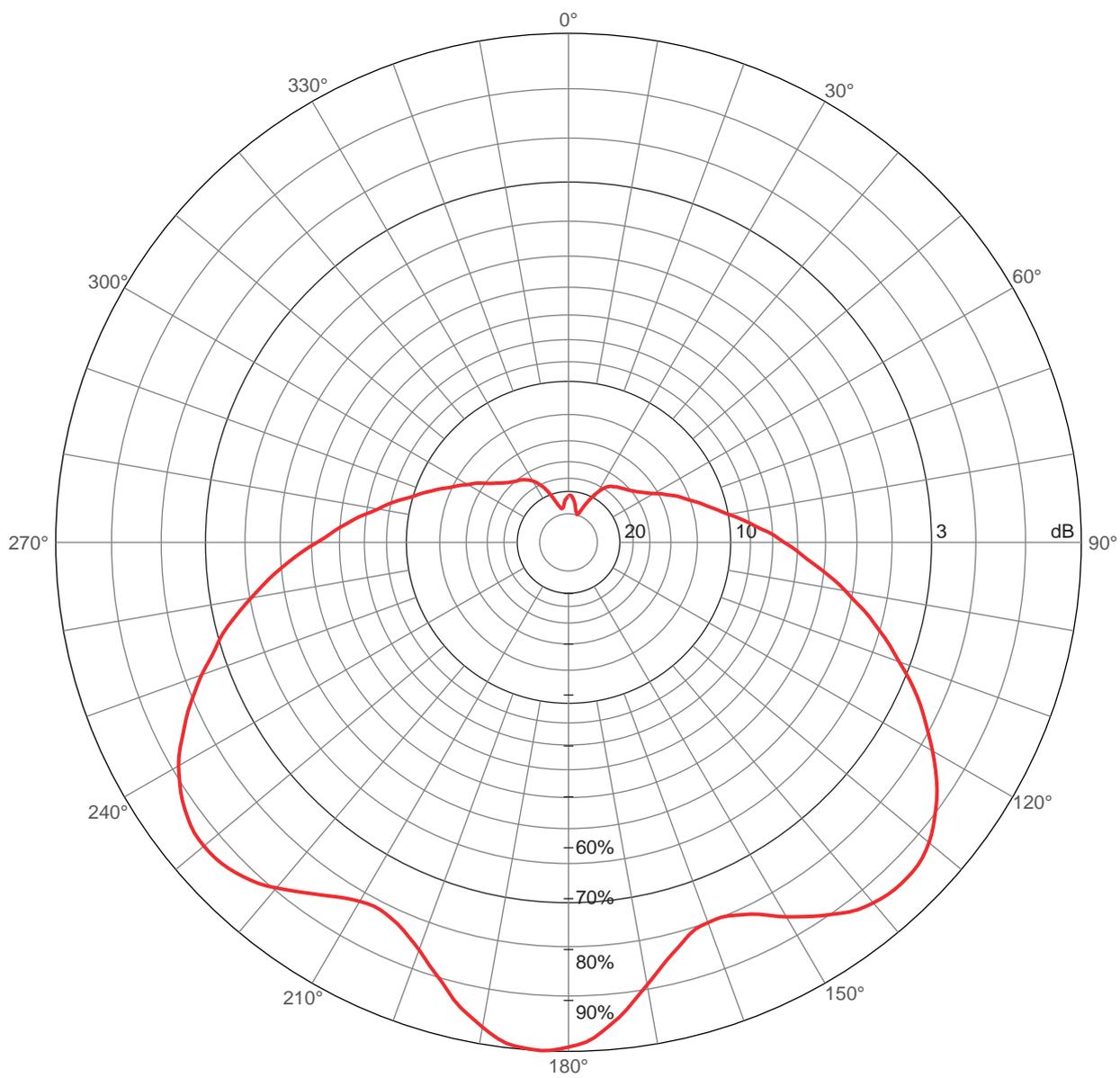


Figure 1

### Azimuthal Pattern (polar-linear)



Subject to alternation

Antenna, Order No. 75010210  
Panels per Bay: 2

Frequency: 515 MHz  
Azimuthal Directivity: 4.41 dB  
Directivity: 7.74 dBd

No.	Azimuth [°]	Radius [mm]	Offset [mm]	Power	Phase [°]
1	138	290	0	1	0
2	228	290	0	1	0

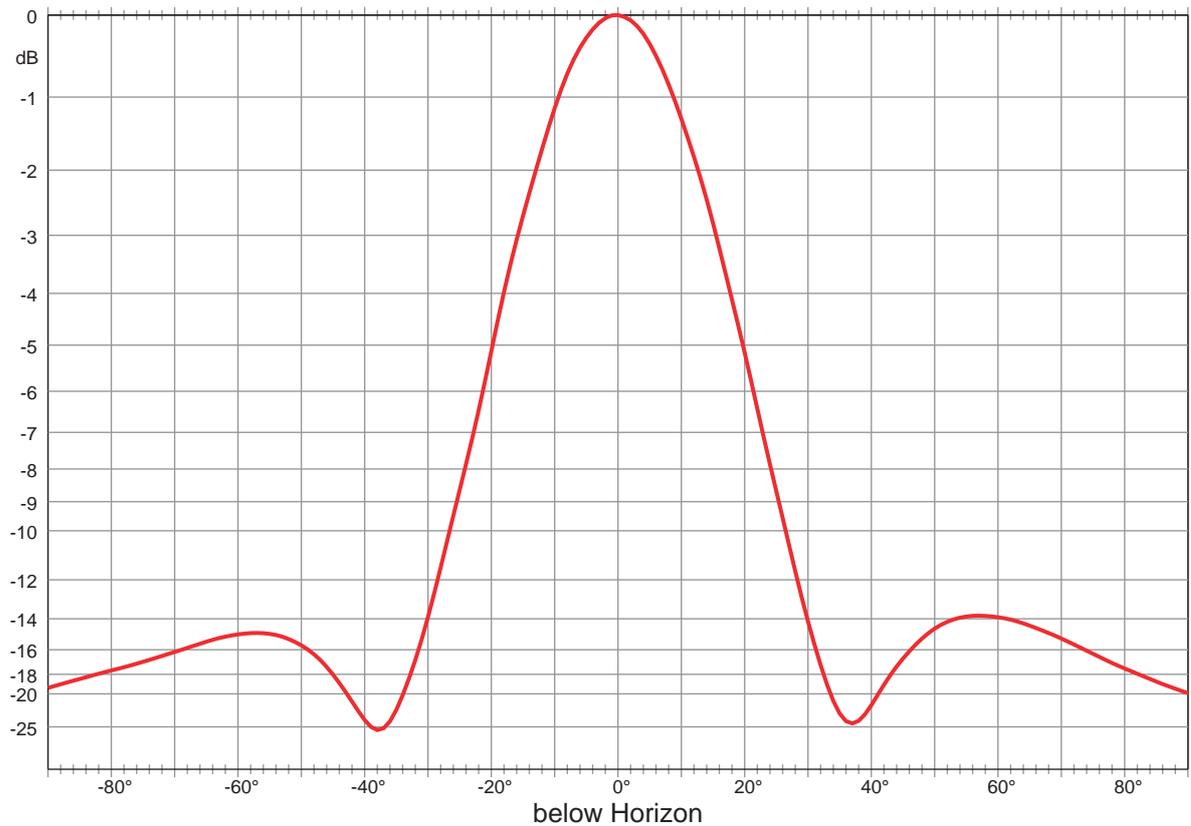
simulation with typical exactness of +/- 8% of max signal

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TABULATED DATA FOR AZIMUTH PATTERN

0	0.092	52	0.163	104	0.605	156	0.802	208	0.809	260	0.629	312	0.174
1	0.093	53	0.166	105	0.618	157	0.797	209	0.811	261	0.615	313	0.172
2	0.092	54	0.169	106	0.631	158	0.795	210	0.814	262	0.601	314	0.169
3	0.092	55	0.172	107	0.646	159	0.794	211	0.819	263	0.588	315	0.166
4	0.091	56	0.175	108	0.660	160	0.795	212	0.824	264	0.575	316	0.164
5	0.089	57	0.179	109	0.672	161	0.796	213	0.830	265	0.560	317	0.163
6	0.086	58	0.183	110	0.686	162	0.799	214	0.838	266	0.547	318	0.161
7	0.084	59	0.187	111	0.701	163	0.806	215	0.845	267	0.533	319	0.159
8	0.081	60	0.192	112	0.716	164	0.815	216	0.853	268	0.519	320	0.157
9	0.078	61	0.197	113	0.731	165	0.825	217	0.861	269	0.505	321	0.156
10	0.074	62	0.204	114	0.744	166	0.834	218	0.869	270	0.490	322	0.155
11	0.070	63	0.209	115	0.757	167	0.844	219	0.878	271	0.477	323	0.154
12	0.067	64	0.213	116	0.770	168	0.857	220	0.886	272	0.466	324	0.152
13	0.064	65	0.219	117	0.782	169	0.870	221	0.895	273	0.455	325	0.150
14	0.062	66	0.226	118	0.794	170	0.883	222	0.902	274	0.444	326	0.148
15	0.060	67	0.232	119	0.807	171	0.896	223	0.908	275	0.433	327	0.146
16	0.059	68	0.236	120	0.820	172	0.911	224	0.913	276	0.422	328	0.144
17	0.057	69	0.241	121	0.832	173	0.926	225	0.918	277	0.412	329	0.142
18	0.058	70	0.247	122	0.844	174	0.939	226	0.922	278	0.399	330	0.139
19	0.060	71	0.253	123	0.856	175	0.951	227	0.925	279	0.387	331	0.136
20	0.063	72	0.259	124	0.867	176	0.962	228	0.927	280	0.377	332	0.133
21	0.067	73	0.266	125	0.877	177	0.974	229	0.928	281	0.369	333	0.129
22	0.072	74	0.272	126	0.886	178	0.982	230	0.928	282	0.360	334	0.125
23	0.077	75	0.278	127	0.894	179	0.988	231	0.928	283	0.351	335	0.122
24	0.082	76	0.285	128	0.903	180	0.992	232	0.926	284	0.341	336	0.118
25	0.087	77	0.293	129	0.911	181	0.996	233	0.923	285	0.331	337	0.113
26	0.093	78	0.300	130	0.918	182	0.999	234	0.918	286	0.321	338	0.108
27	0.098	79	0.308	131	0.923	183	1.000	235	0.914	287	0.313	339	0.103
28	0.104	80	0.317	132	0.928	184	0.999	236	0.908	288	0.306	340	0.098
29	0.109	81	0.327	133	0.931	185	0.997	237	0.902	289	0.299	341	0.092
30	0.114	82	0.337	134	0.932	186	0.995	238	0.894	290	0.291	342	0.087
31	0.118	83	0.347	135	0.933	187	0.992	239	0.886	291	0.284	343	0.083
32	0.123	84	0.356	136	0.933	188	0.985	240	0.878	292	0.277	344	0.078
33	0.127	85	0.366	137	0.933	189	0.977	241	0.869	293	0.270	345	0.075
34	0.131	86	0.377	138	0.931	190	0.967	242	0.858	294	0.262	346	0.073
35	0.133	87	0.390	139	0.928	191	0.957	243	0.846	295	0.255	347	0.070
36	0.136	88	0.401	140	0.925	192	0.947	244	0.834	296	0.249	348	0.068
37	0.138	89	0.410	141	0.921	193	0.938	245	0.823	297	0.244	349	0.068
38	0.139	90	0.420	142	0.916	194	0.926	246	0.812	298	0.239	350	0.068
39	0.140	91	0.433	143	0.909	195	0.912	247	0.799	299	0.233	351	0.069
40	0.142	92	0.444	144	0.901	196	0.898	248	0.786	300	0.227	352	0.070
41	0.144	93	0.455	145	0.892	197	0.886	249	0.774	301	0.222	353	0.074
42	0.146	94	0.466	146	0.885	198	0.875	250	0.762	302	0.218	354	0.078
43	0.147	95	0.479	147	0.876	199	0.863	251	0.747	303	0.214	355	0.082
44	0.148	96	0.493	148	0.867	200	0.852	252	0.733	304	0.208	356	0.084
45	0.150	97	0.507	149	0.858	201	0.843	253	0.721	305	0.203	357	0.086
46	0.151	98	0.521	150	0.850	202	0.834	254	0.710	306	0.197	358	0.088
47	0.153	99	0.535	151	0.840	203	0.827	255	0.699	307	0.192	359	0.090
48	0.155	100	0.548	152	0.830	204	0.820	256	0.686	308	0.188		
49	0.156	101	0.561	153	0.820	205	0.816	257	0.671	309	0.185		
50	0.158	102	0.575	154	0.813	206	0.812	258	0.657	310	0.181		
51	0.161	103	0.591	155	0.807	207	0.810	259	0.643	311	0.177		

## Elevation Pattern (cartesian-linear)



Subject to alternation

Antenna, Order No. 75010210  
Number of Bays: 1

Frequency: 515 MHz  
Elevation Directivity: 3.33 dBd  
Directivity: 7.74 dBd  
Downtilt: 0°  
Compensation: 0 %

No.	Vert. Distance [mm]	Power	Phase [°]
1	0	1	0

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TABULATED DATA FOR ELEVATION PATTERN

ANGLE	FIELD	ANGLE	FIELD	ANGLE	FIELD
-10	0.876	24	0.404	58	0.203
-9	0.901	25	0.369	59	0.203
-8	0.922	26	0.333	60	0.202
-7	0.941	27	0.298	61	0.200
-6	0.957	28	0.262	62	0.198
-5	0.970	29	0.228	63	0.196
-4	0.981	30	0.196	64	0.193
-3	0.990	31	0.166	65	0.190
-2	0.996	32	0.138	66	0.187
-1	1.000	33	0.113	67	0.184
0	1.000	34	0.091	68	0.181
1	0.998	35	0.074	69	0.177
2	0.993	36	0.064	70	0.173
3	0.986	37	0.061	71	0.169
4	0.975	38	0.064	72	0.165
5	0.962	39	0.073	73	0.161
6	0.946	40	0.085	74	0.157
7	0.928	41	0.099	75	0.153
8	0.908	42	0.112	76	0.149
9	0.886	43	0.125	77	0.145
10	0.862	44	0.136	78	0.141
11	0.838	45	0.147	79	0.137
12	0.812	46	0.156	80	0.134
13	0.785	47	0.165	81	0.130
14	0.755	48	0.173	82	0.127
15	0.724	49	0.180	83	0.123
16	0.691	50	0.186	84	0.120
17	0.657	51	0.192	85	0.116
18	0.623	52	0.196	86	0.113
19	0.588	53	0.199	87	0.110
20	0.552	54	0.201	88	0.107
21	0.516	55	0.203	89	0.104
22	0.478	56	0.203	90	0.101
23	0.441	57	0.204		