

S.O. 32630

Report of Test Scala CL-FM/VRM/50N-DA

for

Church Planters of America

WGHW 88.1 MHz Lockwoods Folly town, NC

OBJECTIVE:

The objective of this test was to demonstrate the directional characteristics of a Scala CL-FM/VRM/50N-DA to meet the needs of WGHW and to comply with the requirements of the FCC construction permit, file number BMPED-20150402AAT. This test characterizes only the radiation characteristics of the antenna when mounted on the tower as described. It does not represent or imply any guarantee of specific coverage which can be influenced by factors beyond the scope of this test.

RESULTS:

The following Figures are the results of the measurements from our pattern range:

- Figure 1A - Measured Azimuth Pattern with the FCC Composite
- Figure 1B - Measured Composite Azimuth Pattern with the FCC Composite
- Figure 1C - N/A
- Figure 1D - Tabulation of the Vertical Polarization for the Measured Azimuth Pattern
- Figure 1E - Tabulation of the Measured Composite Azimuth Pattern
- Figure 1F - Tabulation of the FCC Composite

The calculated elevation pattern of the antenna is shown in Figure 3.

Construction permit file number BMPED-20150402AAT indicates that the Vertical radiation component shall not exceed 52 kW at any azimuth and is restricted to the following values at the azimuths specified:

116 - 186 Degrees True: 1.65 kilowatts

From Figure 1A, the maximum radiation of the Vertical component occurs at 36 Degrees True. At the restricted azimuth of 116 - 186 Degrees True the Vertical component is 16.082 dB down from the maximum of 52 kW, or 1.282 kW.

The R.M.S. of the Vertical component is 0.554. The total Vertical power gain is 7.480. See Figure 4 for calculations. The R.M.S. of the FCC composite pattern is 0.586. The R.M.S. of the measured composite pattern is 0.554. Eighty-five percent (85%) of the original authorized FCC composite pattern is 0.498. Therefore this pattern complies with the FCC requirement of 73.316(c)(2)(ix)(A).

METHOD OF DIRECTIONALIZATION:

One bay of the Scala CL-FM/VRM/50N-DA was mounted on a tower of precise scale to the Saber 44" tower at the WGHW site. The spacing of the antenna to the tower was varied to achieve the horizontal and vertical patterns shown in Figure 1A. See Figure 2 for mechanical details.

METHOD OF MEASUREMENT:

As allowed by the construction permit, file number BMPED-20150402AAT, a single level of the Scala CL-FM/VRM/50N-DA was set up on the Shively Labs scale model antenna pattern measuring range. A scale of 4.5:1 was used.

SUPERVISION:

Mr. Surette was graduated from Lowell Technological Institute, Lowell, Massachusetts in 1973 with the degree of Bachelor of Science in Electrical Engineering. He has been directly involved with design and development of broadcast antennas, filter systems and RF transmission components since 1974. As an RF Engineer for six years with the original Shively Labs in Raymond, ME and for a short period of time with Dielectric Communications. He is currently a Life Senior Member of IEEE.

He has authored a chapter on filters and combining systems for the latest edition of the CRC Electronics Handbook and for the 9th and 10th Editions of the NAB Handbook.

EQUIPMENT:

The 4.5:1 scale model pattern range consists of a wooden rotating pedestal equipped with a position indicator. The scale model bay is placed on the top of this pedestal and is used in the transmission mode at approximately 20 feet above ground level. The receiving corner reflector is spaced 50 feet away from the rotating pedestal at the same level above ground as the transmitting model. The transmitting and receiving signals are carried to a control building by means of RG-9/U double shielded coax cable.

The control building is equipped with:

Hewlett Packard Model 4395A Network Analyzer

PC Based Controller

Output Standard Printer or 'pdf'

All testing is carried out in strict accordance with approved procedures under our ISO9001:2008.

TEST PROCEDURES:

The receiving antenna system is mounted so that the horizontal and vertical azimuth patterns are measured independently. The network analyzer was set to 396.45 MHz Calibrated pads are used to check the linearity of the measuring system. For example, 6 dB padding yields a scale reading of 50 from an unpadding reading of 100 in voltage. From the recorded patterns, the R.M.S. values are calculated and recorded as shown in Figure 1A.

Respectfully submitted by:

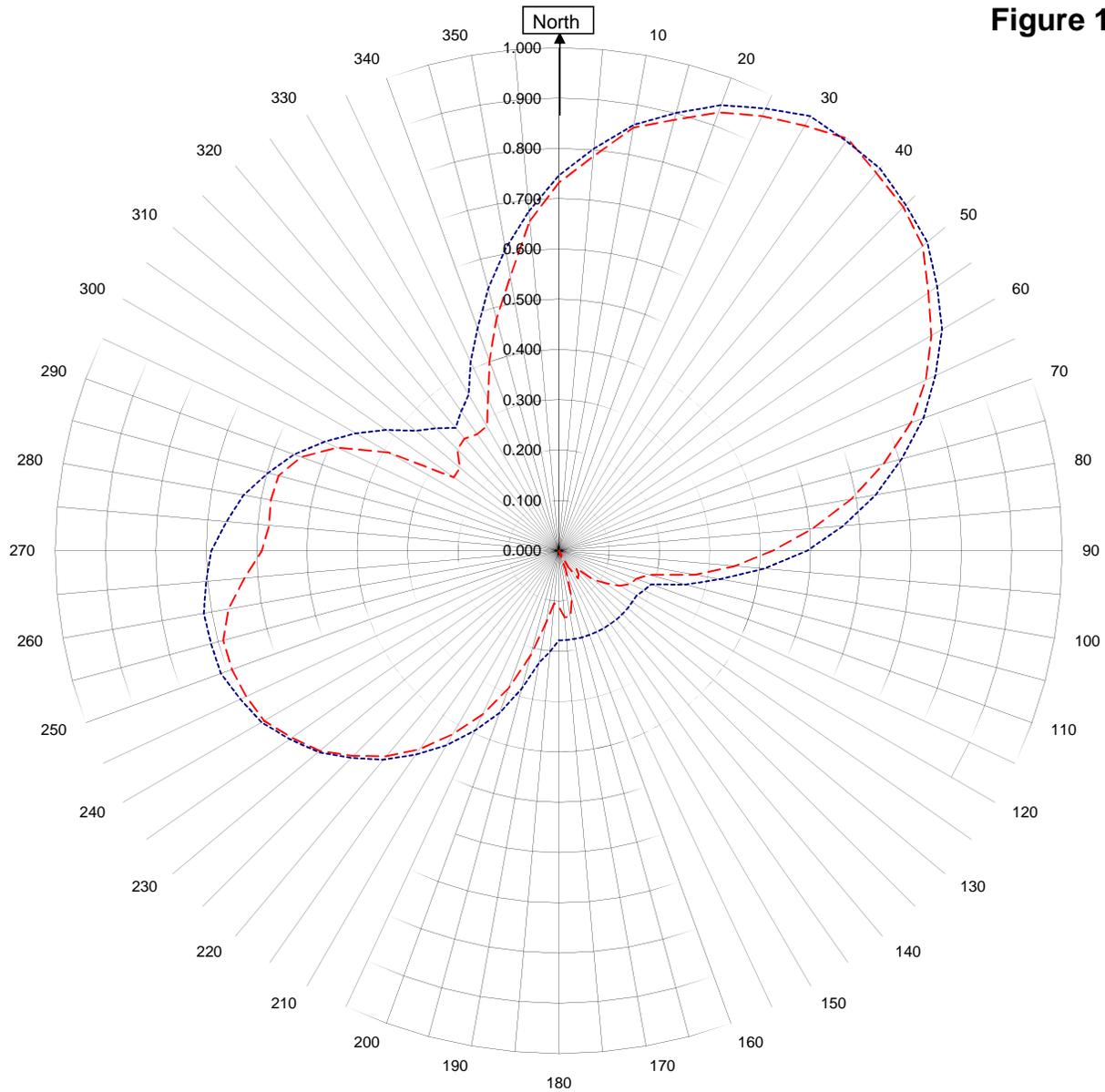


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Figure 1A



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Horizontal RMS	0.000
Vertical RMS	0.554
H/V Composite RMS	0.554
FCC Composite RMS	0.586

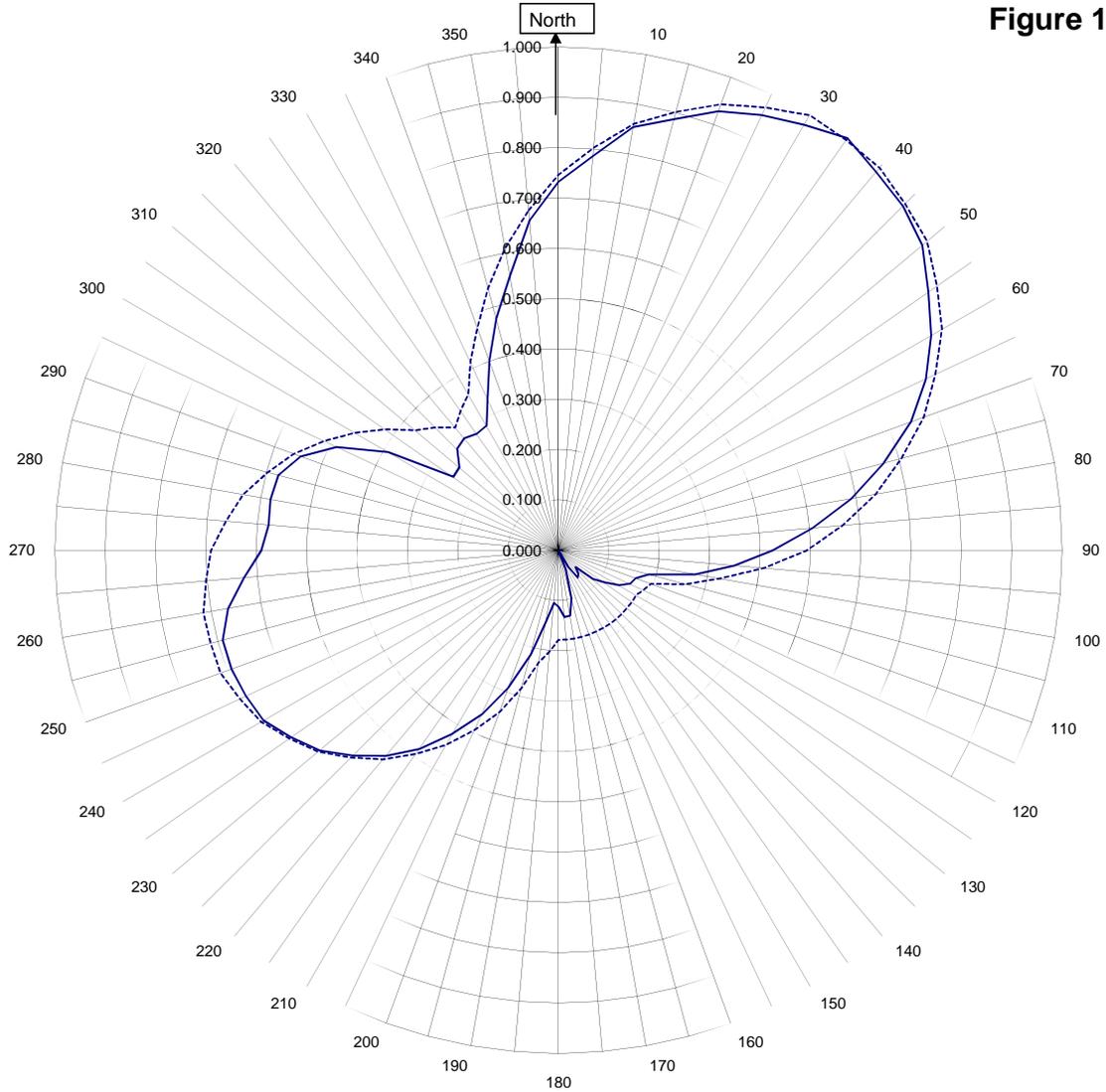
Frequency	88.1 / 396.45 MHz
Plot	Relative Field
Scale	4.5 : 1
	See Figure 2 for Mechanical Details

Antenna Model	Scala CL-FM/VRM/50N
Pattern Type	Directional Azimuth

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Figure 1B



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—————H/V Composite RMS	0.554
.....FCC Composite RMS	0.586

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Pattern Type	Directional H/V Composite

Figure 1D

Tabulation of Vertical Azimuth Pattern
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Azimuth	Rel Field	Azimuth	Rel Field
0	0.732	180	0.112
10	0.854	190	0.145
20	0.928	200	0.290
30	0.976	210	0.421
40	0.981	220	0.533
45	0.967	225	0.577
50	0.943	230	0.619
60	0.854	240	0.676
70	0.744	250	0.691
80	0.590	260	0.666
90	0.425	270	0.590
100	0.275	280	0.581
110	0.163	290	0.545
120	0.139	300	0.391
130	0.088	310	0.257
135	0.048	315	0.285
140	0.061	320	0.291
150	0.037	330	0.286
160	0.041	340	0.402
170	0.132	350	0.554
36	1.000		

Figure 1E

Tabulation of Composite Azimuth Pattern
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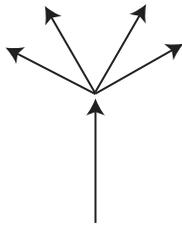
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Figure 1F

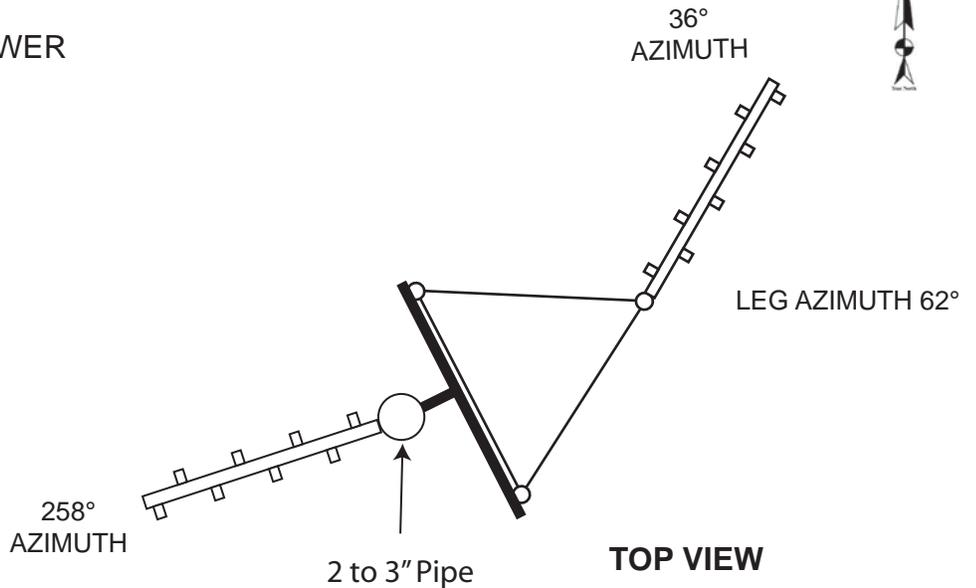
Tabulation of FCC Directional Composite
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Azimuth	Rel Field	Azimuth	Rel Field
0	0.746	180	0.178
10	0.860	190	0.226
20	0.943	200	0.342
30	0.998	210	0.446
40	0.992	220	0.542
50	0.955	230	0.623
60	0.879	240	0.682
70	0.771	250	0.714
80	0.639	260	0.716
90	0.493	270	0.690
100	0.325	280	0.636
110	0.195	290	0.560
120	0.178	300	0.467
130	0.178	310	0.371
140	0.178	320	0.319
150	0.178	330	0.358
160	0.178	340	0.471
170	0.178	350	0.610
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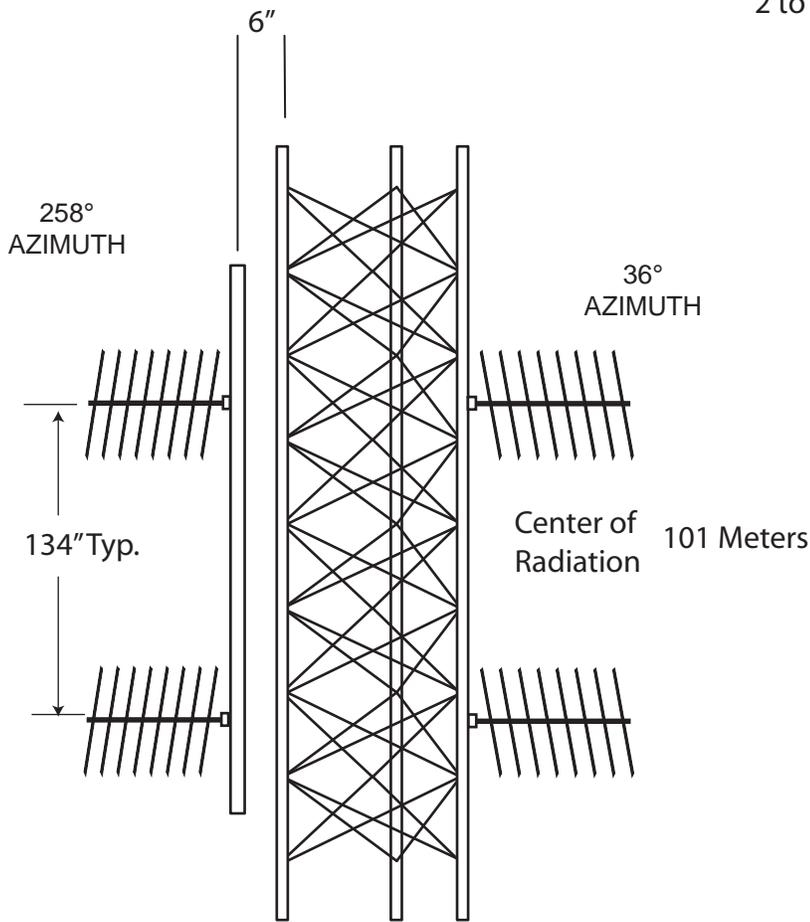
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 30° ANTENNAS FULL POWER
 252° Antennas -3 dB
 all EQUAL PHASE



SCHEMATIC VIEW



TOP VIEW



**TOWER
 Saber 44"
 ELEVATION VIEW**

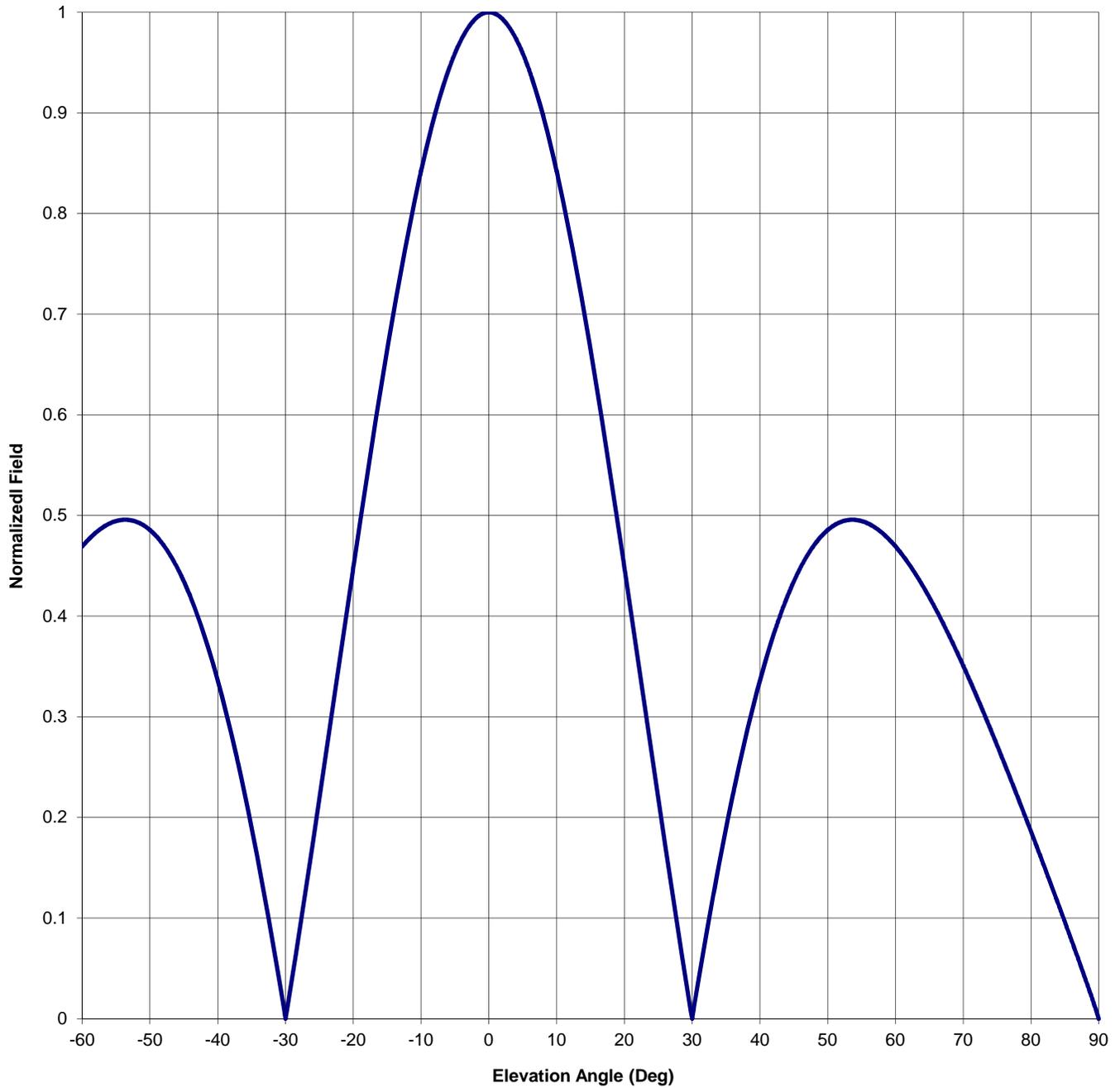
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FIGURE 2, 88.1 MHz WGHW Lockwoods Folly Town, NC Scala CL-FM/VRM/50N-2/2-DA			
SIZE A	CODE IDENT. NO. 26750	DRAWING NO. RAS5122015	REV A
SCALE NONE	S/O 32630	SHEET 1 OF 1	

Antenna Mfg.: Shively Labs
Antenna Type: Scala CL-FM/VRM/50N
Station: WGHW
Frequency: 88.1
Channel #: 201
Figure: Figure 3

Date: 5/12/2015

Beam Tilt	0	
Gain (Max)	7.480	8.739 dB
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Angle of Depression (Deg)	Relative Field						
-90	0.000	-44	0.419	0	1.000	46	0.448
-89	0.021	-43	0.401	1	0.998	47	0.460
-88	0.040	-42	0.381	2	0.993	48	0.471
-87	0.059	-41	0.360	3	0.985	49	0.479
-86	0.078	-40	0.336	4	0.974	50	0.486
-85	0.096	-39	0.311	5	0.959	51	0.490
-84	0.114	-38	0.283	6	0.942	52	0.494
-83	0.133	-37	0.254	7	0.921	53	0.496
-82	0.151	-36	0.222	8	0.897	54	0.496
-81	0.168	-35	0.189	9	0.871	55	0.495
-80	0.186	-34	0.155	10	0.842	56	0.492
-79	0.204	-33	0.118	11	0.811	57	0.488
-78	0.221	-32	0.080	12	0.777	58	0.483
-77	0.238	-31	0.041	13	0.742	59	0.477
-76	0.255	-30	0.000	14	0.704	60	0.469
-75	0.272	-29	0.042	15	0.665	61	0.461
-74	0.288	-28	0.085	16	0.624	62	0.452
-73	0.304	-27	0.129	17	0.581	63	0.441
-72	0.320	-26	0.173	18	0.538	64	0.430
-71	0.336	-25	0.219	19	0.494	65	0.419
-70	0.351	-24	0.265	20	0.448	66	0.406
-69	0.365	-23	0.311	21	0.403	67	0.393
-68	0.380	-22	0.357	22	0.357	68	0.380
-67	0.393	-21	0.403	23	0.311	69	0.365
-66	0.406	-20	0.448	24	0.265	70	0.351
-65	0.419	-19	0.494	25	0.219	71	0.336
-64	0.430	-18	0.538	26	0.173	72	0.320
-63	0.441	-17	0.581	27	0.129	73	0.304
-62	0.452	-16	0.624	28	0.085	74	0.288
-61	0.461	-15	0.665	29	0.042	75	0.272
-60	0.469	-14	0.704	30	0.000	76	0.255
-59	0.477	-13	0.742	31	0.041	77	0.238
-58	0.483	-12	0.777	32	0.080	78	0.221
-57	0.488	-11	0.811	33	0.118	79	0.204
-56	0.492	-10	0.842	34	0.155	80	0.186
-55	0.495	-9	0.871	35	0.189	81	0.168
-54	0.496	-8	0.897	36	0.222	82	0.151
-53	0.496	-7	0.921	37	0.254	83	0.133
-52	0.494	-6	0.942	38	0.283	84	0.114
-51	0.490	-5	0.959	39	0.311	85	0.096
-50	0.486	-4	0.974	40	0.336	86	0.078
-49	0.479	-3	0.985	41	0.360	87	0.059
-48	0.471	-2	0.993	42	0.381	88	0.040
-47	0.460	-1	0.998	43	0.401	89	0.021
-46	0.448	0	1.000	44	0.419	90	0.000
-45	0.435			45	0.435		

VALIDATION OF TOTAL POWER GAIN CALCULATION

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MODEL Scala CL-FM/VRM/50N

Elevation Gain of Antenna 2.3

V RMS 0.55452

Vertical Azimuth Gain equals $1/(RMS)^2$ 3.252

***Total Vertical Power Gain is the Elevation Gain Times the Azimuth Gain**

Total Vertical Power Gain 7.480

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ERP divided by Vertical Power Gain equals Antenna Input Power

52 kW ERP Divided by V Gain 7.480 Equals 6.952 kW Antenna Input Power