

***Directional Antenna System
for
WSUM, Madison, Wisconsin***

Electronics Research Inc. is providing a custom fabricated antenna system that is specially designed to meet the FCC requirements and the general needs of radio station WSUM.

The antenna is the ERI model 1091-1CP-DA configuration. The circular polarized system consists of one bay using one driven circular polarized radiating element. The antenna was tested on a 36" Central tower, which is the structure the station plans to use to support the array. The antenna will be mount on tower at a bearing of North 102 degrees East. All tests were performed on a frequency of 91.7 megahertz, which is the center of the FM broadcast channel assigned to WSUM.

Pattern measurements were made on a sixty-acre antenna pattern range that is owned and operated by Electronics Research, Inc. The tests were performed under the direction of Thomas B. Silliman, president of Electronics Research, Inc. Mr. Silliman has the Bachelor of Electrical Engineering and the Master of Electrical Engineering degrees from Cornell University and is a registered professional engineer in the states of Indiana, Maryland and Minnesota.

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DESCRIPTION OF THE TEST PROCEDURE

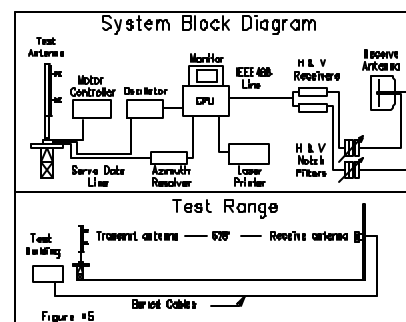
The test antenna consisted of a full scale model of the complete circular polarized system. The elements and brackets that were used in this test are electrically equivalent to those that will be supplied with the antenna. The lines were properly grounded during all tests.

The power distribution and phase relationship to the antenna elements was adjusted in order to achieve the directional radiation patterns for both horizontal and vertical polarization components.

The proof-of-performance was accomplished using a 36" Central tower with identical dimension and configuration including all braces, ladders, conduits, coaxial lines and other appurtenances that are included in the actual aperture at which the antenna will be installed. The structure was erected vertically on a turntable mounted on a non-metallic building with the antenna centered vertically on the structure, making the center of radiation of the test approximately 30 feet above ground. The turntable is equipped with a motor drive and azimuth indicating mechanism, resolution of this azimuth measuring device is one-tenth of a degree.

The antenna under test was operated in the transmitting mode and fed from a Wavetek Model 3000 signal generator. The frequency of the signal source was set at 91.7 MHz and was constantly monitored by an Anritsu Model ML521B measuring receiver.

A broad-band horizontal and vertical dipole system, located approximately 628 feet from the test antenna, was used to receive the emitted test signals. The dipole system was mounted at the same height above terrain as the center of the antenna under test. The signals received by the dipole system were fed to the test building by way of two buried Heliax cables to an Anritsu Model ML521B measuring receiver. This data was interfaced to a Hewlett-Packard Laser Jet 4P printer by means of a Pentium computer system. Relative field strength was plotted as a function of azimuth.



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The measurements were performed by rotating the test antenna in a counter-clockwise direction and plotting the received signal on polar co-ordinated graph paper in a clockwise direction. Both horizontal and vertical components were recorded separately.

CONCLUSIONS

The circular polarized system consists of one bay using one driven circular polarized radiating element. The power distribution and phase relationship will be fixed when antenna is manufactured. Proper maintenance of the elements should be all that is required to maintain the pattern in adjustment.

The 1091-1CP-DA array is to be mounted on the 36" Central tower at a bearing of North 102 degrees East. Blue prints provided with the antenna will show the proper antenna orientation alignment. The antenna alignment procedure should be directed by a licensed surveyor as prescribed by the FCC.

Figure #1 represents the maximum value of either the horizontal or vertical component at any azimuth. The measured horizontal plane relative field pattern, for both the horizontal and vertical polarization components, is shown on Figure #2 attached. The actual measured pattern does not exceed the authorized FCC composite pattern at any azimuth. A calculated vertical plane relative field pattern is shown on Figure #3 attached. The power in the maximum will reach 5.6 kilowatts (7.482 dBk).

The RMS of the vertically polarized horizontal plane component does not exceed the RMS of the horizontally polarized horizontal plane component.

The composite horizontal and vertical maximum relative field pattern obtained from the measured data as shown on Figure #1 has an RMS that is greater than 85% of the filed composite pattern.

The clear vertical length of the structure required to support the antenna is 20 feet if the antenna is to be top mounted.

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The directional antenna should not be mounted on the top of an antenna tower that includes a top-mounted platform larger than the cross-sectional area of the tower in the horizontal plane. No obstructions other than those that are specified by the blue prints supplied with the antenna are to be mounted within 75 ft. horizontally of the system. The vertical distance to the nearest obstruction should be a minimum of 10 ft. from the directional antenna. Metallic guy wires should be a minimum distance of forty feet horizontally from the antenna.

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ERI® *Horizontal Plane Relative Field Pattern*

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FIGURE: 1

STATION: WSUM

LOCATION: MADISON, WI

ANTENNA TYPE: 1091-1CP-DA

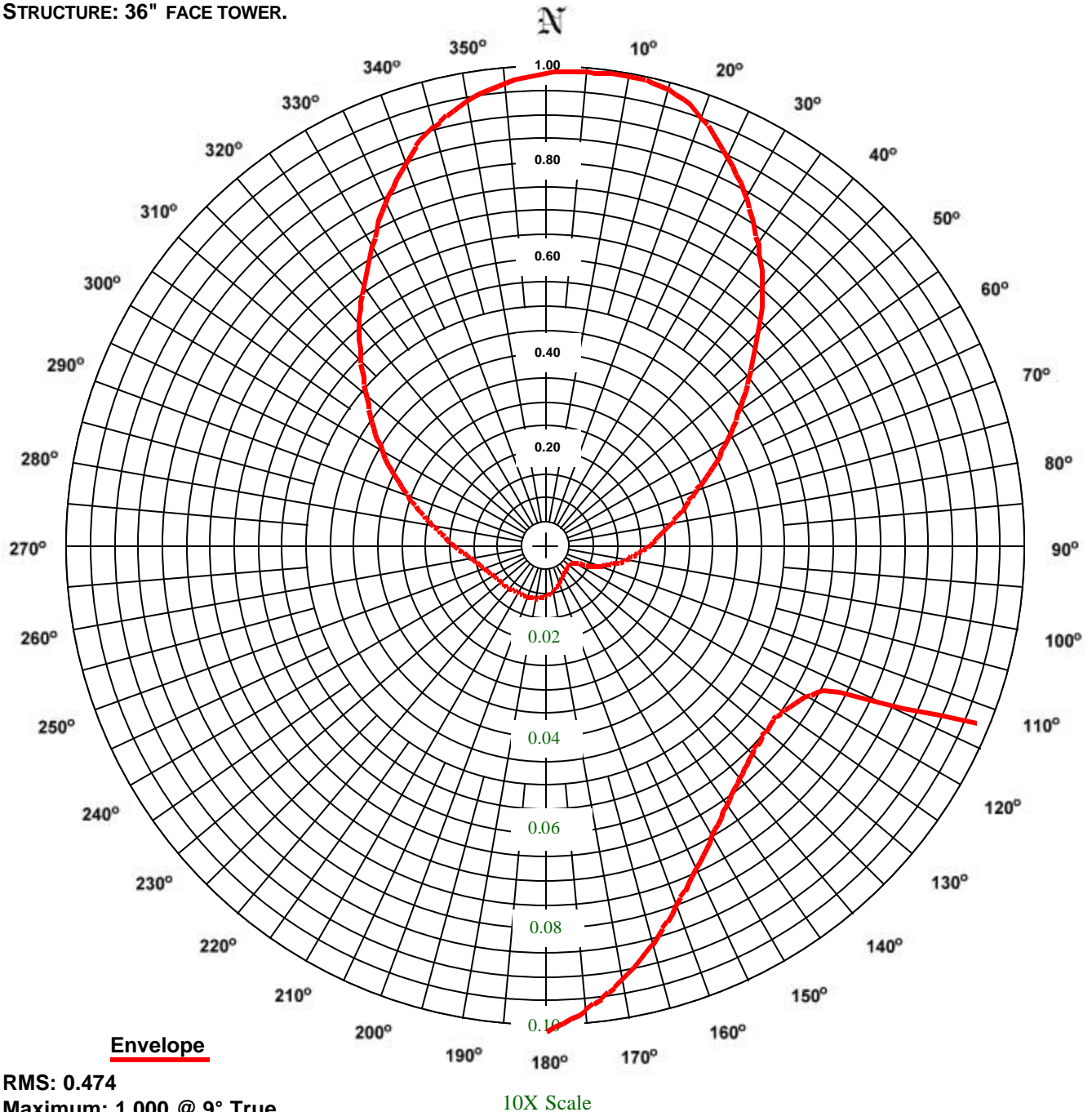
STRUCTURE: 36" FACE TOWER.

DATE: 8/30/02

FREQUENCY: 91.7 MHz

ORIENTATION: 102° TRUE

MOUNTING: CUSTOM PANEL.



COMMENTS: COMPOSITE PATTERN: THIS PATTERN SHOWS THE MAXIMUM OF EITHER THE H OR V AZIMUTH VALUES. THIS PATTERN DOES NOT EXCEED THE FCC FILED COMPOSITE PATTERN AT ANY AZIMUTH. THE RMS OF THIS PATTERN IS GREATER THAN 85% OF THE FILED FCC COMPOSITE PATTERN.

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Station: WSUM
Location: Madison, WI
Frequency: 91.7 MHz

Antenna: 1091-1CP-DA
Orientation: 102° True
Tower: 36" face tower.

Figure: 1
Date: 8/30/02
Reference: wsum1m.fig

Angle	Envelope			Polarization	Angle	Envelope			Polarization
	Field	kW	dBk			Field	kW	dBk	
0°	0.992	5.51	7.41	Vertical	180°	0.101	0.06	-12.45	Horizontal
5°	0.998	5.58	7.46	Vertical	185°	0.104	0.06	-12.18	Horizontal
10°	1.000	5.60	7.48	Horizontal	190°	0.106	0.06	-11.98	Horizontal
15°	0.991	5.50	7.40	Horizontal	195°	0.108	0.07	-11.87	Horizontal
20°	0.954	5.09	7.07	Horizontal	200°	0.108	0.07	-11.83	Horizontal
25°	0.900	4.54	6.57	Vertical	205°	0.109	0.07	-11.80	Horizontal
30°	0.838	3.93	5.95	Vertical	210°	0.109	0.07	-11.74	Horizontal
35°	0.772	3.34	5.23	Horizontal	215°	0.111	0.07	-11.64	Horizontal
40°	0.702	2.76	4.41	Horizontal	220°	0.112	0.07	-11.50	Horizontal
45°	0.624	2.18	3.38	Horizontal	225°	0.115	0.07	-11.33	Horizontal
50°	0.555	1.72	2.36	Vertical	230°	0.117	0.08	-11.12	Horizontal
55°	0.490	1.34	1.28	Vertical	235°	0.119	0.08	-11.04	Horizontal
60°	0.431	1.04	0.17	Vertical	240°	0.122	0.08	-10.82	Horizontal
65°	0.377	0.79	-1.00	Vertical	245°	0.126	0.09	-10.48	Horizontal
70°	0.329	0.61	-2.17	Vertical	250°	0.133	0.10	-10.03	Horizontal
75°	0.292	0.48	-3.20	Vertical	255°	0.142	0.11	-9.49	Horizontal
80°	0.262	0.38	-4.15	Vertical	260°	0.152	0.13	-8.87	Horizontal
85°	0.234	0.31	-5.14	Vertical	265°	0.166	0.15	-8.14	Vertical
90°	0.208	0.24	-6.14	Vertical	270°	0.186	0.19	-7.14	Vertical
95°	0.184	0.19	-7.22	Vertical	275°	0.208	0.24	-6.18	Vertical
100°	0.162	0.15	-8.32	Vertical	280°	0.232	0.30	-5.21	Horizontal
105°	0.135	0.10	-9.94	Vertical	285°	0.265	0.39	-4.06	Horizontal
110°	0.110	0.07	-11.69	Vertical	290°	0.302	0.51	-2.92	Horizontal
115°	0.075	0.03	-15.02	Vertical	295°	0.345	0.66	-1.77	Horizontal
120°	0.062	0.02	-16.61	Horizontal	300°	0.393	0.86	-0.63	Horizontal
125°	0.060	0.02	-16.97	Horizontal	305°	0.438	1.08	0.32	Horizontal
130°	0.060	0.02	-16.99	Horizontal	310°	0.489	1.34	1.27	Horizontal
135°	0.061	0.02	-16.83	Horizontal	315°	0.546	1.67	2.22	Horizontal
140°	0.063	0.02	-16.56	Horizontal	320°	0.608	2.07	3.16	Horizontal
145°	0.066	0.02	-16.17	Horizontal	325°	0.665	2.48	3.94	Horizontal
150°	0.069	0.03	-15.69	Horizontal	330°	0.727	2.96	4.71	Horizontal
155°	0.074	0.03	-15.13	Horizontal	335°	0.794	3.53	5.48	Vertical
160°	0.080	0.04	-14.51	Horizontal	340°	0.856	4.10	6.13	Vertical
165°	0.086	0.04	-13.84	Horizontal	345°	0.909	4.62	6.65	Vertical
170°	0.092	0.05	-13.27	Horizontal	350°	0.948	5.04	7.02	Vertical
175°	0.097	0.05	-12.81	Horizontal	355°	0.975	5.33	7.26	Vertical

Polarization:
Maximum Field:
Minimum Field:
RMS:
Maximum ERP:
Maximum Power Gain:

Envelope
1.000 @ 9° True
0.060 @ 127° True
0.474
5.600 kW
1.999 (3.008 dB)

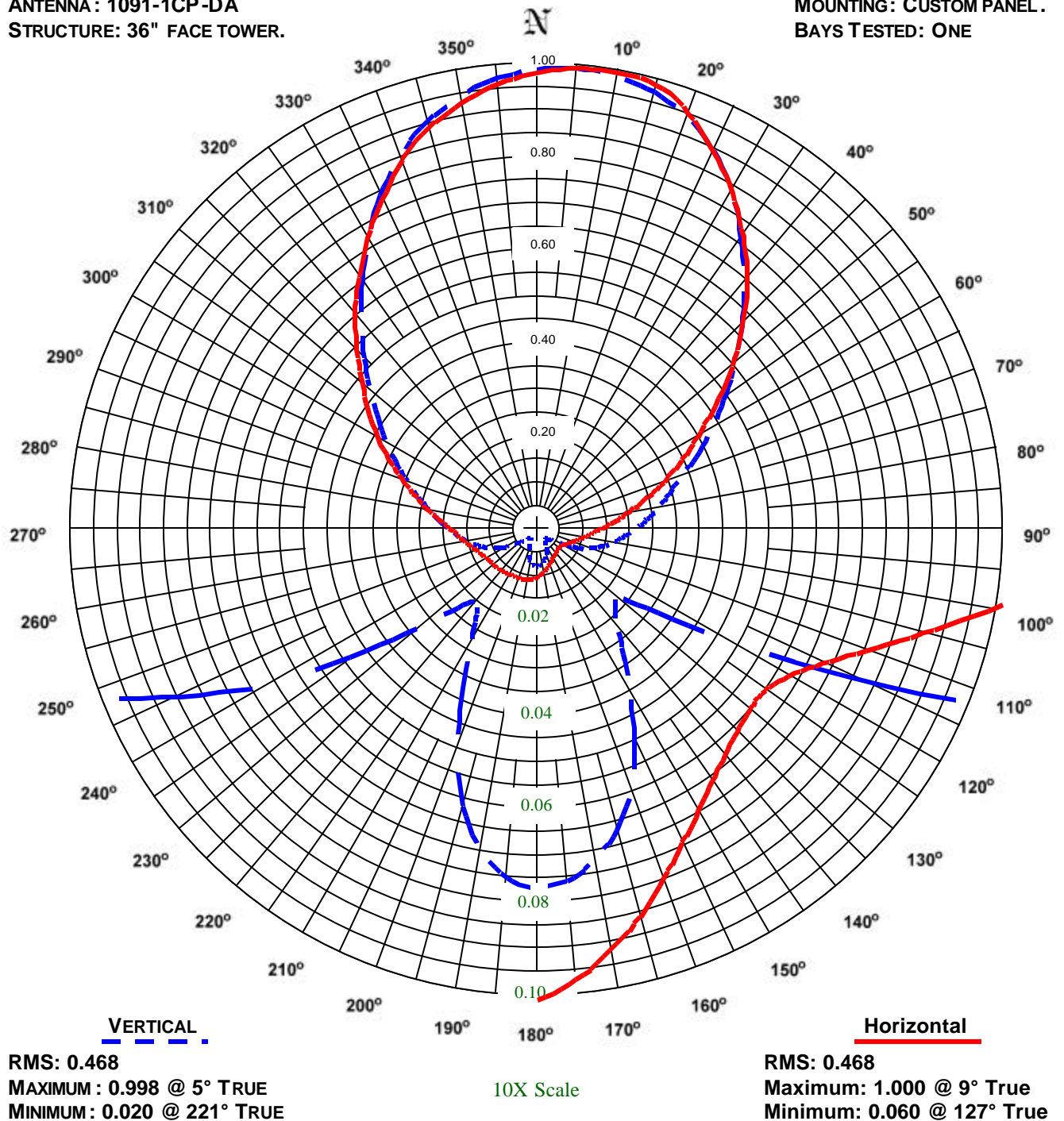
Total Input Power: 2.802 kW

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FIGURE NO: 2
STATION: WSUM
LOCATION: MADISON, WI
ANTENNA: 1091-1CP-DA
STRUCTURE: 36" FACE TOWER.

DATE: 8/30/02
FREQUENCY: 91.7 MHz
ORIENTATION: 102° TRUE
MOUNTING: CUSTOM PANEL.
BAYS TESTED: ONE



COMMENTS: MEASURED PATTERN OF THE HORIZONTAL AND VERTICAL COMPONENTS.

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Frequency: 91.7 MHz

Antenna: 1091-1CP-DA
Orientation: 102° True
Tower: 36" face tower.

Figure: 2
Date: 8/30/02
Reference: wsum1m.fig

Angle	Horizontal			Vertical			Angle	Horizontal			Vertical		
	Field	kW	dBk	Field	kW	dBk		Field	kW	dBk	Field	kW	dBk
0°	0.984	5.42	7.34	0.992	5.51	7.41	180°	0.101	0.06	-12.45	0.077	0.03	-14.84
5°	0.996	5.56	7.45	0.998	5.58	7.46	185°	0.104	0.06	-12.18	0.075	0.03	-15.06
10°	1.000	5.60	7.48	0.992	5.51	7.41	190°	0.106	0.06	-11.98	0.070	0.03	-15.67
15°	0.991	5.50	7.40	0.975	5.32	7.26	195°	0.108	0.07	-11.87	0.061	0.02	-16.78
20°	0.954	5.09	7.07	0.946	5.01	7.00	200°	0.108	0.07	-11.83	0.050	0.01	-18.59
25°	0.898	4.51	6.55	0.900	4.54	6.57	205°	0.109	0.07	-11.80	0.038	0.01	-21.03
30°	0.838	3.93	5.95	0.838	3.93	5.95	210°	0.109	0.07	-11.74	0.029	0.00	-23.39
35°	0.772	3.34	5.23	0.764	3.27	5.15	215°	0.111	0.07	-11.64	0.023	0.00	-25.35
40°	0.702	2.76	4.41	0.693	2.69	4.30	220°	0.112	0.07	-11.50	0.020	0.00	-26.38
45°	0.624	2.18	3.38	0.622	2.16	3.35	225°	0.115	0.07	-11.33	0.023	0.00	-25.47
50°	0.550	1.69	2.28	0.555	1.72	2.36	230°	0.117	0.08	-11.12	0.031	0.01	-22.75
55°	0.468	1.23	0.88	0.490	1.34	1.28	235°	0.119	0.08	-11.04	0.045	0.01	-19.46
60°	0.398	0.89	-0.52	0.431	1.04	0.17	240°	0.122	0.08	-10.82	0.065	0.02	-16.25
65°	0.336	0.63	-2.00	0.377	0.79	-1.00	245°	0.126	0.09	-10.48	0.084	0.04	-14.04
70°	0.282	0.44	-3.52	0.329	0.61	-2.17	250°	0.133	0.10	-10.03	0.106	0.06	-12.04
75°	0.233	0.30	-5.17	0.292	0.48	-3.20	255°	0.142	0.11	-9.49	0.125	0.09	-10.56
80°	0.193	0.21	-6.82	0.262	0.38	-4.15	260°	0.152	0.13	-8.87	0.146	0.12	-9.21
85°	0.159	0.14	-8.47	0.234	0.31	-5.14	265°	0.165	0.15	-8.15	0.166	0.15	-8.14
90°	0.132	0.10	-10.12	0.208	0.24	-6.14	270°	0.180	0.18	-7.42	0.186	0.19	-7.14
95°	0.114	0.07	-11.39	0.184	0.19	-7.22	275°	0.204	0.23	-6.32	0.208	0.24	-6.18
100°	0.098	0.05	-12.66	0.162	0.15	-8.32	280°	0.232	0.30	-5.21	0.232	0.30	-5.23
105°	0.086	0.04	-13.87	0.135	0.10	-9.94	285°	0.265	0.39	-4.06	0.259	0.38	-4.24
110°	0.075	0.03	-14.98	0.110	0.07	-11.69	290°	0.302	0.51	-2.92	0.291	0.47	-3.24
115°	0.068	0.03	-15.92	0.075	0.03	-15.02	295°	0.345	0.66	-1.77	0.328	0.60	-2.20
120°	0.062	0.02	-16.61	0.046	0.01	-19.17	300°	0.393	0.86	-0.63	0.370	0.77	-1.15
125°	0.060	0.02	-16.97	0.029	0.00	-23.29	305°	0.438	1.08	0.32	0.416	0.97	-0.14
130°	0.060	0.02	-16.99	0.022	0.00	-25.54	310°	0.489	1.34	1.27	0.467	1.22	0.86
135°	0.061	0.02	-16.83	0.024	0.00	-25.06	315°	0.546	1.67	2.22	0.524	1.54	1.86
140°	0.063	0.02	-16.56	0.027	0.00	-23.91	320°	0.608	2.07	3.16	0.588	1.93	2.86
145°	0.066	0.02	-16.17	0.032	0.01	-22.32	325°	0.665	2.48	3.94	0.654	2.40	3.80
150°	0.069	0.03	-15.69	0.040	0.01	-20.51	330°	0.727	2.96	4.71	0.724	2.94	4.68
155°	0.074	0.03	-15.13	0.049	0.01	-18.63	335°	0.785	3.45	5.38	0.794	3.53	5.48
160°	0.080	0.04	-14.51	0.059	0.02	-17.09	340°	0.846	4.00	6.03	0.856	4.10	6.13
165°	0.086	0.04	-13.84	0.067	0.02	-16.05	345°	0.894	4.48	6.51	0.909	4.62	6.65
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175°	0.097	0.05	-12.81	0.075	0.03	-14.98	355°	0.963	5.19	7.16	0.975	5.33	7.26

Polarization:	Horizontal	Vertical
Maximum Field:	1.000 @ 9° True	0.998 @ 5° True
Minimum Field:	0.060 @ 127° True	0.020 @ 221° True
RMS:	0.468	0.468
Maximum ERP:	5.600 kW	5.575 kW
Maximum Power Gain:	1.999 (3.008 dB)	1.990 (2.989 dB)

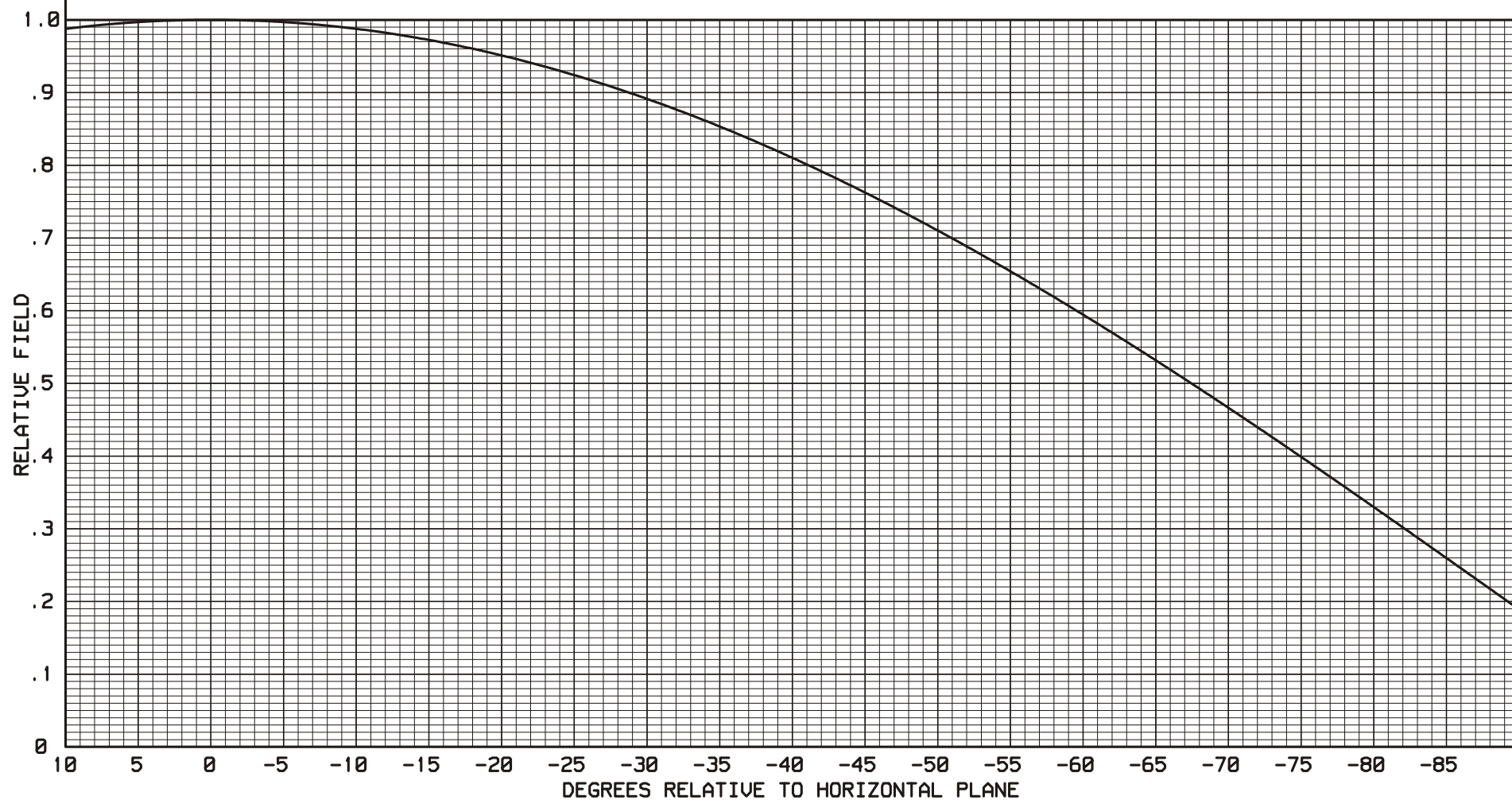
Total Input Power: 2.802 kW

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FIGURE 3

----THEORETICAL----
VERTICAL PLANE RELATIVE FIELD

ERI TYPE 1091-1CP-DA ANTENNA
0 DEGREE BEAM TILT
0 PERCENT NULL FILL



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ANTENNA SPECIFICATIONS

Antenna Type:	1091-1CP-DA
Frequency:	91.7 MHz
Number of Bays:	1

MECHANICAL SPECIFICATIONS

Mounting:	Custom
System length:	7 ft 2 in
Aperture length required:	20 ft.
Orientation:	102° true
Input flange to the antenna	1 5/8 inch female

ELECTRICAL SPECIFICATIONS

(For directional use)

Maximum horizontal ERP:	5.6 kW (7.482 dBk)
Horizontal maximum power gain:	1.999 (3.008 dB)
Maximum vertical ERP:	5.575 kW (7.462 dBk)
Vertical maximum power gain:	1.990 (2.989dB)
Total input power:	2.802 kW (4.474 dBk)