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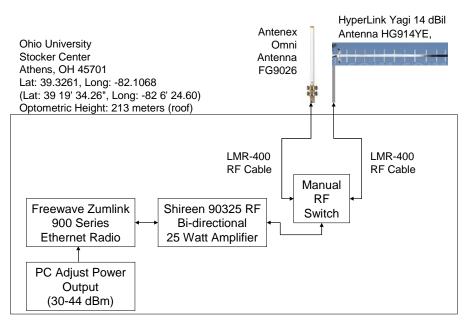
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# Ohio University 902-928 MHz 25 Watt Radio Link

Ohio University, School of Electrical Engineering, Professor Chris G. Bartone, Ph.D., P.E., (FRN 0025370479) wishes to operate a communications link between a fixed grounds station and a mobile airborne S-3 Aircraft in the southeastern Ohio area. The ground station will be located on the campus of Ohio University, Stocker Center, Athens, OH 45701, at a location: Lat: 39.3261, Long: -82.1068 (Lat: 39 19' 34.26", Long: -82 6' 24.60), Optometric Height: 213 meters (roof); transmission antennas will be located on the roof of the Stocker Center building at an Othrometric height of 213 meters.

The radio is planned to transmit in the 902-928 MHz band using a Freewave Ethernet radio with a maximum output power amplifier of 25 Watts (44 dBm), via an omni-directional antenna (gain=6dBd, i.e., 8dBil) or a 14-element Yagi directional antenna (gain-14dBil). The output power is adjustable from 30 to 44 dBm in 1 dB steps. Antenna selection will be via a manual RF switch. Figure 1 below illustrates the ground radio station configuration.

### Antennas on Stocker Center Roof

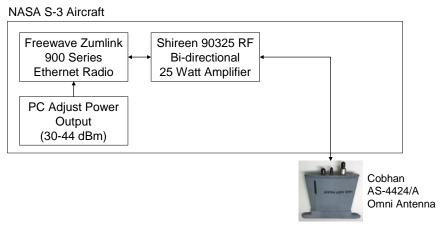


Additional details on the components that make up the radio station are provided below, and the attached pdf pages.

[1] Freewave, Zumlink, 900 Series Ethernet Radio operating in the Frequency Range 902 to 928 MHz, see; <a href="http://www.freewave.com/products/zumlink-900-series/">http://www.freewave.com/products/zumlink-900-series/</a>

- [2] Shireen, Item # 90325 RF Bi-directional amplifier with Operating Range 902 928 MHz Transmit Power 44 dBm, 25 Watt, see; <a href="http://www.shireeninc.com/wp-content/uploads/2011/01/Specs-90325.pdf">http://www.shireeninc.com/wp-content/uploads/2011/01/Specs-90325.pdf</a>
- [3] Antenex, OMNI-DIRECTIONAL ANTENNAS, FG9026 (902 928 MHz), see; <a href="https://www.arcantenna.com/laird-fg9026-65-inch-outdoor-rated-900mhz-fiberglass-omni-antenna-with-fixed-n-female-connector.html?gclid=Cj0KCQjw8MvWBRC8ARIsAOFSVBUNC2F6TasVjsgxeEX6ULLquZC1RzHzzEQe3lzjLmT-VKdHeo-YEOkaAsovEALwwcB
- [4] HyperLink Wireless 900MHz (824-960MHz) 14 dBi High Performance Yagi Antenna for ISM, GSM and Wireless LAN Systems, Model: HG914YE, see; <a href="http://www.l-com.com/wireless-antenna-900-mhz-14-dbi-al-yagi-antenna-n-female-connector">http://www.l-com.com/wireless-antenna-900-mhz-14-dbi-al-yagi-antenna-n-female-connector</a>

The ground radio station will communicate to a mobile airborne S-3 Aircraft that is comparably equipped with the Freewave Ethernet Radio, 25 Watt amplifies, but will transmit via a omnidirectional antenna that is mounted on the bottom of the aircraft. The aircraft will communicate with the radio grounds station while it operates in and around the Athens, OH ground stations within the operational polygon identified. This mobile S-3 Aircraft configuration is illustrated below.



Antennas on Bottom of S-3

Additional details on the omni antenna used on the mobile aircraft is shown below and the attached pdf pages.

[5] Cobham, Chelton, AS-4424/A Type 12-190-6 antenna with a gain estimated to be 0 dBi in the frequency band of 902-928 MHz.

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Manipulate channel settings to assure highest performance.

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355 mA @ 12V in transmit 100 mA @ 12V in receive

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# **OVERVIEW**

FreeWave's new ZumLink™ 900 series platform, part of our Sensor-2-Server™ solution delivers secure collection, transport and control of data. The ZumLink 900 Series currently operates in the unlicensed 900 MHz spectrum supporting link rates up to 4 Mbps and is user configurable.

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# TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

#### **TRANSMITTER**

**Frequency Range** 902 to 928 MHz

**Output Power** Up to 1W; user selectable

**Data Link Range** 60 miles

Modulation GFSK and 8-ary FSK

**Channel Sizes** 230.4, 345.6, 691.2, 1382.4, 3225.6 kHz

**RF Data Rates** 115.2, 250, 500 kbps, 1 & 4 Mbps Up to 112; RF Data Rate Dependent **Hopping Channels Hopping Patterns** Up to 16, RF Data Rate Dependent **Hopping Rates** 400ms, 200ms, 100ms, 50ms, 25ms

**Protocol** Adaptive Spectrum Learning

#### RECEIVER

**IF Selectivity** > 40 dB **System Gain** 136 dB

Sensitivity

**RF Data Rate** Without FEC With FEC -105 dBm 115.2 kbps -108 dBm 250 kbps -102 dBm -105 dBm 500 kbps -99 dBm -102 dBm Mbps -95 dBm -98 dBm Mbps -83 dBm -86 dBm

#### **DATA TRANSMISSION**

**Error Detection** CRC, FEC, and ARQ

**Link Throughput** Up to 1.6 Mbps; 4 Mbps with

Compression

**User Interface Rates Ethernet Rate** 10/100 Mbps

> Serial Rate up to 250 kbps

**Data Encryption** 128-bit and 256-bit AES CCM

**Advanced Features Packet Compression and** 

**Packet Aggregation** 

#### THIRD PARTY APPLICATIONS

Storage 1 GB **RAM** 512 MB

#### **INTERFACES**

**Data Connectors** Three RJ-45 (1 Ethernet, 2 Serial)

**USB Connector** Micro USB RF Connector **Z9-P**: SMA **Z9-PE**: TNC

**Z9-P**: Phoenix (#1776692) **Power Connectors** 

**Z9-PE**: Circular (#CRD-021717-02-A)

# **POWER REQUIREMENTS**

**Operating Voltage** +6 to +30 VDC (± 10%) **Transmit Current** 355 mA @ 12 VDC Receive/Idle Current 100 mA @ 12 VDC

#### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

#### **Operating Temperature**

Z9-P: -40°C to +85°C Z9-PE: -40°C to +75°C

**Dimensions** 

Z9-P: 177.29mm L x 83.06mm W x 40.89mm H Z9-PE: 191.04mm L x 109.47mm W x 41.91mm H

Weight

Z9-P: 172.37g **Z9-PE**: 750g

Humidity 0 to 95%, non-condensing

Reliability 62,000 hour MTBF

Safety Class 1 Div 2 Groups A-D UL Z9-P Z9-PE



#### INFORMATION TO ORDER

**Model Number** Description **Z9-P** Board Level Unit, 902-928 MHz Z9-PE Enclosed Unit, 902-928 MHz

**Z9-PE-AUS** Enclosed Unit - Australia, 915-928 MHz **Z9-PE-DEV** Enclosed Unit for lab/development

Includes 2 Z9-PE-DEV units and accessories **Z9-PE-DEVKIT** 

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# 900 MHz, 25Watt Amplifier **Outdoor unit**

This high power, bi-directional amplifier is designed for 902~928 MHz radio products. Works equally well with all types of radios.

Designed in a completely weatherproof housing for all outdoor applications. The unit is powered over coax with DC injector.



Item # 90325

#### **Salient Features:**

- Transmit Gain: The unit provides 20 dB of gain which can be reduced at factory.
- LNA: The built-in Low Noise Amplifier with signal gain of 19 dB with a ultra low noise figure of only 2. 1.2dB. Improves the receive sensitivity of remote equipment, while keeping noise level very low.
- 3. Receive Filtering: All radio equipment contain filter for receive path. The band pass filter on this amplifier gives added protection against out of band noise.
- 4. Enclosure: The unit is housed in machined, Anodized Aluminum enclosure, designed according to the location of critical components. With appropriate cavities and contacts the PCB performs optimally and NO heat sink is needed.
- DC Injector: With only 0.8dB insertion loss, this DC injector is the lowest loss available anywhere. 5. Enclosed in a specially designed machined aluminum housing.
- 6. **Warranty**: All Shireen's products come with 2-year warranty.

### The complete set includes:

- The Outdoor Amplifier, 1.
- DC injector, and 2.
- Universal power supply (110~240VAC to 28 V DC)

# **Specifications**

Electrical:

Operating Range 902 - 928 MHz

Operating Mode TDD, Time Division duplex,

Transmit Power 44 dBm, 25 Watt Transmit Gain 20 dB max

Transmit input Power 0 dBm min 24 dBm max

Receive Gain 26 dB Noise Figure 1.2 dB

LED indicators Red for Receive (Default mode)

Green for Transmit

**Power Consumption** 260mA Rx, 1300 mA Tx @ 28VDC

Operating Temp -40 °C to + 70 °C

Mechanical:

Enclosure:

**DC** Injector Amplifier

Type N female

Dimension: 6" x 3.5" x 1.2" 1.4" x 3.5" x 1.0"

(152.4mm x 88.9mm x 41.91mm) (35.5mm x 88.9mm x 25.4) Watertight machined aluminum housing with Machined aluminum housing with Anodized finish

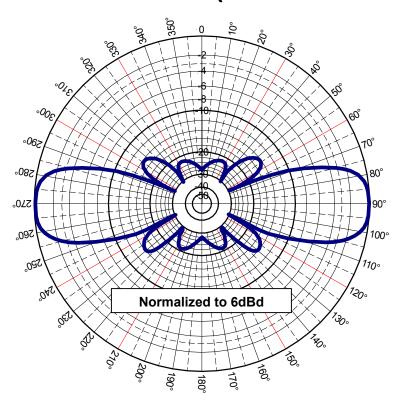
Anodized finish

Connectors: Type N female

Weight: 1.51 lb (685 g) 2 Oz. (134 g)



# OMNI-DIRECTIONAL ANTENNAS FG9026 (902 - 928 MHz)



#### **FEATURES**

- High Performance
- Easy installation /w optional FM2
- Special UV treated radome, resists sun damage
- N Female industry standard connector
- 100% tested on a network analyzer

#### **Elevation Pattern (Y, Z or H-plane)**

# **ELECTRICAL SPECIFICATIONS**

Frequency Range: 902 - 928 MHz

**VSWR:** < 1.5:1 Max

Nominal Gain: 6dBd

Maximum Power: 100 W

Nominal Impedance:  $50\Omega$ 

Polarization: Vertical

Pattern: Omni-Directional

Half-Power Beamwidth:  $30^{\circ} \times 360^{\circ}$ 

(Elevation° x Azimuth°)

Coaxial Cable Length & Type: None

**Termination:** N-Female connector

**Lightning Protection:** Lightning Arrestor

LABH350NN (Sold Separately)



#### **MECHANICAL SPECIFICATIONS**

Height: 61"

**Diameter:** 1.310"

Weight: 0.5 lb

Rated Wind Velocity: 125mph (210kph)

Rated Wind Velocity (with 0.5" radial ice)

85mph (137kph)

Lateral Thrust @ 125mph WIND VELOCITY

57 lbs. (26kg)

Wind Resistance in Sq. Feet: 0.5549

**Mounting Information:** FM2 Mounting Kit

(Sold separately)





# HyperLink Wireless 900MHz (824-960MHz) 14 dBi High Performance Yagi Antenna for ISM, GSM and Wireless LAN Systems

Model: HG914YE

# **Applications and Features**

#### **Applications:**

- 900MHz ISM Band
- Wireless LAN systems
- Point to multipoint applications
- Non Line of Sight (NLOS)
- GSM
- RFID
- SCADA
- Wireless Video Links
- 900MHz Cellular

#### Features:

- Superior performance
- 30° beam-width
- Heavy-duty Anodized Aluminum boom
- Heavy-duty Anodized Aluminum elements
- Solid 1/4" mounting plate
- 15 inch Low Loss Coax lead
- Includes mount kit



#### **Product Description**

#### **Superior Performance**

The HyperGain<sup>®</sup> HG914YE High-Performance Yagi Antenna combines high gain with a wide 30° beam-width. It is ideally suited for directional applications in the 900 GHz ISM and GSM bands as well as Non Line of Sight (NLOS) and Point to Multi-Point installations. Typical applications include 900 MHz Wireless LAN, SCADA, Wireless Video Links, 900 MHz Cellular, Non Line of sight (NLOS) applications and point to multi-point systems. External interference of this antenna is minimized due to the excellent front to back ratio. The antenna comes with a 15" Low Loss coax lead terminated with one of these standard connectors (N-Female, N-Male, RP-SMA Plug, SMA Male), others are available. The antenna can be installed for either vertical or horizontal polarization applications.

# **Rugged and Weatherproof**

This antenna features a heavy-duty Anodized Aluminum boom and elements. Secure mounting is assured by a solid 1/4" mounting plate and two stainless steel U-bolts.

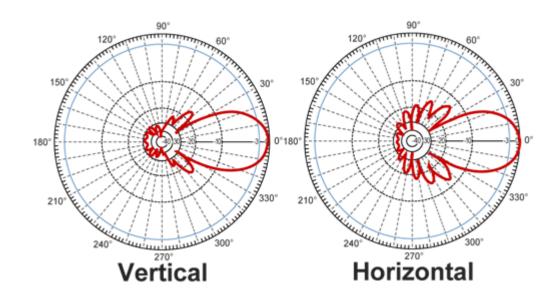
**Specifications** 

Model: HG914YE

# **Electrical Specifications**

Model	HG914YE
Frequency	824-960 MHz
Gain	14 dBi
Polarization	Horizontal or Vertical
Horizontal Beam Width	31°
Vertical Beam Width	26°
Front to Back Ratio	15 dB
Impedance	50 Ohm
Max. Input Power	100 Watts
VSWR	< 1.5:1 avg.
Elements	14
Weight	2.7 lbs. (1.22 kg)
Length	55.1 in. (1.40 m)
Mounting	2 in. (51 mm) diameter mast max.
Operating Temperature	-40° C to 85° C (-40° F to 185° F)
Lightning Protection	DC Short
Connector	N-Female, N-Male, RP-SMA Plug, or SMA Male
Wind Survival	135 MPH
RoHS Compliant	Yes

# **RF Antenna Gain Patterns**



# Type 12-190-6/1

Low Profile Tuned Antenna 30 MHz - 400 MHz / 960 MHz - 1220 MHz

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The **12-190-6/1 Low Profile Tuned Antenna** is a high efficiency PIN diode tuned antenna operating over the frequency ranges 30 MHz to 400 MHz and 960 MHz to 1220 MHz, and intended for general airborne application.

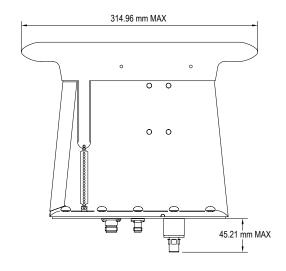
The antenna offers a guard facility whereby performance is maintained at 121.5 MHz and 243 MHz when switched to any frequency within specified operating bands.

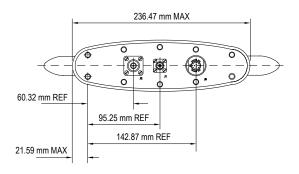
The antenna is configured as an electrically short monopole in which, at VHF and UHF frequencies, the capacitance between the top tube and ground is tuned out by a series of binary related PIN diode switched inductors in accordance with encoded data from the transmitter. Radiation resistance compensation is provided by a capacitive transformer.

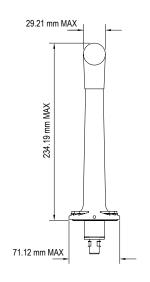
Guard performance is provided by a separate radiating element, internally diplexed via a 243 MHz tuned circuit.

The L-band antenna is configured as a co-phased couplet of folded monopoles. Transmission line techniques are incorporated to provide decoupling from the VHF and UHF circuitry

The 12-190-6/1 comprises a pressure moulded grp shell housing the electronics assembly and enclosed by an aluminium alloy baseplate carrying the connectors. At the top of the shell is fitted a double tube arrangement in a coaxial configuration. The inner is connected to the radiating structure and the outer aluminium alloy sheath is connected to a diverter strip, thereby providing a lightning strike protection system. A polyurethane leading edge strip is fitted as standard.







# Type 12-190-6/1

Low Profile Tuned Antenna



# **Electrical Specification**

Frequency	30 MHz - 88 MHz 108 MHz - 174 MHz 225 MHz - 400 MHz 960 MHz - 1220 MHz	
Gain	Gain (dBi) Frequency (MHz) ≥-14.5 30 rising to 88 ≥-4.5 88 ≥-3* 108 - 174 ≥ 0* 225 - 400 ≥ 0* 960 -1220 * average	
Polarisation	Essentially vertical when mount	ed vertically
Power Rating	Rating  FM 23 W FM 23 W FM 23 W AM 15 W + 100% modulation AM 15 W + 100% modulation 1.5 kW peak, 0.4% duty cycle	Frequency (MHz) 30 - 88 108 - 174 225 - 400 118 - 156 225 - 400 240 - 400
Impedance	50 ohm (nominal)	
VSWR	VSWR Frequency (MHz)  ≤ 2.5:1 30 - 88  ≤ 2.5:1 108 - 174  ≤ 2.3:1 225 - 299.9  ≤ 2.0:1 300 - 400  ≤ 2.0:1 960 - 1000  ≤ 1.8:1 1000 - 1100  ≤ 2.0:1 1100 - 1220	
Connectors	TNC Type Female 30 MHz	- 400 MHz

960 MHz - 1220 MHz

N Type Female

# **Mechanical Specification**

Dimensions (mm)	234.19 x 314.96 x 71.12	
Weight (kg)	1.59	
Mounting	10 holes fixed location	
Environmental Spec	cification	
High Temperature	Operational: +71°C Storage: +95°C	
Low Temperature	Operational: -54°C Storage: -62°C	
Altitude	70,000 feet	
Acceleration	13.5 g all axes	
Shock	15 g, 11 ms, functional	
Vibration	MIL-STD-810D, Method 514.3, Procedure I MIL-STD-810E, Method 514.4, Procedure I, Cat 6 (modified)	
	RTCA DO-160C Section 8 Cat L Fixed Wing Cat Y Helicopter	
Temperature Shock	10°C per minute between operational limits	
Humidity	Normal operation with relative humidity up to 95% at 60°C	
Rain	Normal operation when exposed to driving rain	

48 hours at 5% salinity.

The antenna will not be degraded by salt exposure up to

The compass safe distance will not be more than

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