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Revision History

Revision History:	Date	Document Revision Description
V01.0	2019 04 26	Initial Release
V01.1	2019 07 10	Updated with satellite parameters
V01.2	2019 07 29	Tx frequency changed to 30-31 GHz Link budgets added



2 INTRODUCTION

We are seeking an FCC experimental license for testing, evaluation, and certification of fixed earth stations.

As a commercial entity we are seeking a license to transmit within 30.0 to 31 GHz. Transmissions will be coordinated and approved in advance with the commercial and government satellite operators.

Since the 30-31 GHz band is assigned for federal use, we anticipate that FCC will need to coordinate with the NTIA via the IRAC Interdepartmental Radio Advisory Committee. The earth stations will be owned and tested and certified by a commercial entity. Future ARSTRAT certified earth stations will be manufactured and sold to the US Government for their use. We are including a statement of US government interest and a government point of contact supporting this activity.

The earth stations are compliant with **47CFR §25.209**.

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3 SYSTEM DESCRIPTION

This section provides a description of the SATCOM system.

3.1 Satellites (Points of Communication)

We are requesting a license for U.S. licensed space stations.

Satellites include:

- Only with authorization from ARSTRAT
 - WGS3 at 12W, 1000 MHz
 - WGS5 at 52.5W, 1000 MHz
 - WGS6 at 135W, 1000 MHz
- Only with authorization from Inmarsat
 - Inmarsat I-5 F2 (55W), 1000 MHz

Link Budget Estimates		ka Band	
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		60 cm	134 cm
HPA Power Output (dBW)		12.8	4.3
Coupling + Mispoining Losses (dB)		0.87	0.87
Earth Station Gain (dBi) (30.5 GHz)		44.4	50.9
Uplink EIRPu (dBW)		56.4	54.3
Path Loss Uplink (dB)		215	215
Satellite Input (dBW)		-159	-161
Satellite Parameters (Estimated)			
Rx Antenna Beamwidth (Degrees)			
Narrow Coverage Beam (~400 mi diameter)	1		
Sat Grx (dBi) (30.5 GHz) (60% efficient)	45		
LNA Gain (dB)	50		
Receiver Transfer Gain (dB)	15		
HPA Gain (dB)	52		
Tx Antenna Beamwidth (Degrees)			
Narrow Coverage Beam (~400 mi diameter)	1		
Sat Gtx (dBi) (20.7 GHz) (60% efficient)	45		
Satellite Transfer Gain (dB)		207	207



3.2 Earth Stations

Location	AvL Technologies 15 North Merrimon Ave Asheville, NC 288804
Coordinates	35°38'24.5"N 82°34'30.9"W
Elevation Range	7 to 40 degrees
Azimuth Range	101 to 246 degrees
Transmit Frequency	30.0 to 31.0 GHz
Receive Frequency	20.2 to 21.2 GHz

Earth Station Attributes																
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ID	Band	Terminal	Model	Antenna	HPA psat (dBm)	HPA sat (watts)	WG Loss (dB)	Power Into Feed (dBm)	Power Into Feed (watts)	Gtx (dBi)	EIRP (dBW)	ERP (dBW) =EIRP-2.15 dB	ERP kW	Grx (dBi)	G/T (dB/K)	Description
1	ka	AVL/Viasat	BAT-600 MMT	60cm	42.9	19.4	0.67	42.2	16.6	44.4	56.6	54.5	279	40.2	17	First Article
2	ka	AVL	Model 1315	130cm	41.3	13.5	0	41.3	13.5	50.9	62.2	60.1	1012	46.2	22	First Article

Earth Station Pointing Angles									
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AVL, Asheville									
35.640139N									
82.575251W									
Earth Station Pointing				Satellite					
Satellites	Location (degrees)	Elevation (degrees)	True Azimuth (degrees)	Downlink Frequency (GHz)	Output Power per carrier (dBW)	EIRP (dBW)	ERP (dBW) =EIRP-2.15	ERP (kW)	Emission Designator
WGS3 at 12W	12W	7.2	101.6	20.2-21.2	3.8	48.8	46.6	46.0	10M0G7D
WGS5 at 52.5W	52.5W	37.8	135.2	20.2-21.2	3.8	48.8	46.6	46.0	10M0G7D
Inmarsat I-5 F2 (55W)	55W	39.4	138.1	20.2-21.2	3.8	48.8	46.6	46.0	10M0G7D
WGS6 at 135W	135W	21.7	245.9	20.2-21.2	3.8	48.8	46.6	46.0	10M0G7D
	Min	7	101						
	Max	40	246						



3.3 Link Budget Estimates

Downlink carrier PSD meets requirements.

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Tx Antenna Beamwidth (Degrees)			
Narrow Coverage Beam (~400 mi diameter)	1		
Sat Gtx (dBi) (20.7 GHz) (60% efficient)	45		
Satellite Transfer Gain (dB)		207	207
Power into downlink antenna (dBW)			
	3.8	1.7	
Downlink EIRPd (dBW)	48.8	46.7	
Downlink ERPd (dBW) = EIRP-2.15	46.6	44.6	
Path Loss downlink (dB)	211.8	211.8	
Earth Station Input (dBW)	-163.1	-165	
Grx (dBi)	40.2	41.3	
Carrier power into LNB	-122.9	-124	
LNB gain	50	50	
Es Receiver input (dBm)	-43	-44	
Es G/T (dB/K)	17	22	
Link C/No			
Uplink C/No (dB/Hz)	98.94	102.46	
Downlink C/No (dB/Hz)	97.34	103.84	
Total C/No (dB/Hz)	95.1	100.1	
Total Es/No (dB)	10	10	
Downlink Density			
EIRPd (dBW)	48.78	46.71	
Path Loss d (dB)	211.8	211.8	
G(1m, 20.7) dBi	47.78	47.78	
DL Density (dBW/m^2)	-115	-117	
Occupied Bandwidth (MHz)			
(10 Msymbols/s QPSK)	10	10	
DL Density (dBW/m^2/MHz)	-125	-127	
Mil-Std-188-164C, 4.3.2			
Max PFD (dBW/m^2/MHz)	-112	-112	
FCC 25.208c3, 17.7-19.7, 22.55-23.55 GHz, 25-90 degrees above horizontal plane	-105	-105	
FCC 25.208c3, 17.7-19.7, 22.55-23.55 GHz, 0-5 degrees above horizontal plane	-115	-115	
Minimum Es Elevation Angle (degrees)	7	7	
Worst case Satellite to earth beam grazing angle (above horizontal) (degrees)			
~ Es -satellite beamwidth	6	6	
downlink density meets requirements			



3.4 Points of Contact

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4 Antenna Patterns - AVL Model 1315

4.1 Summary

The antenna is compliant with:

- CFR-2010-title47-vol2-sec25-209
- Mil-Std-188-164c

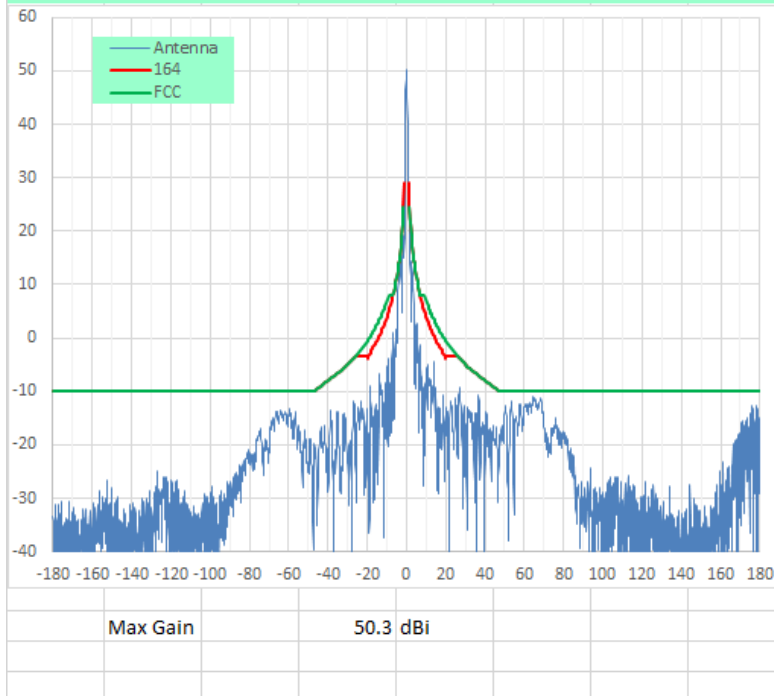
Transmit Gain and Axial Ratio			
	30.000 GHz	30.500 GHz	31.000 GHz
Gain, dBi LHCP	50.6	50.7	50.9
Gain, dBi RHCP	50.6	50.7	50.9
Axial Ratio, (dB) LHCP	0.8	0.9	0.7
Axial Ratio, (dB) RHCP	0.8	0.9	0.7

3 dB beamwidth in Azimuth is +/-0.3 or 0.6 degrees

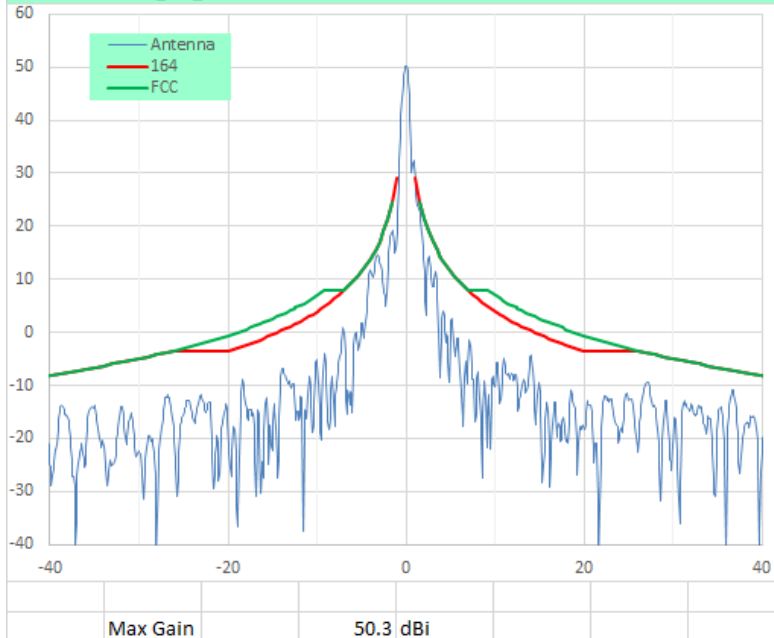


4.2 Tx LHCP Azimuth

Antenna Gain Pattern: Uplink Azimuth LHCP Low
Gain (dBi) vs Azimuth Angle (degrees)
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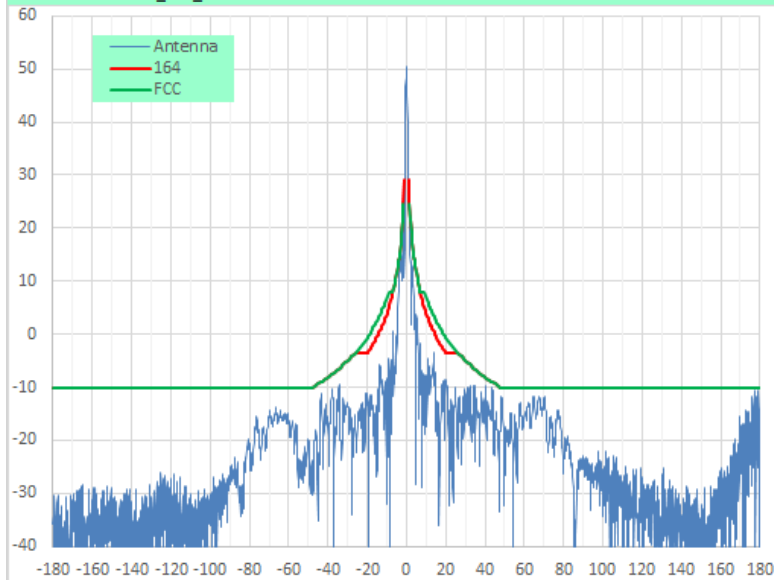


Antenna Gain Pattern: Uplink Azimuth LHCP Mid

Gain (dBi) vs Azimuth Angle (degrees)

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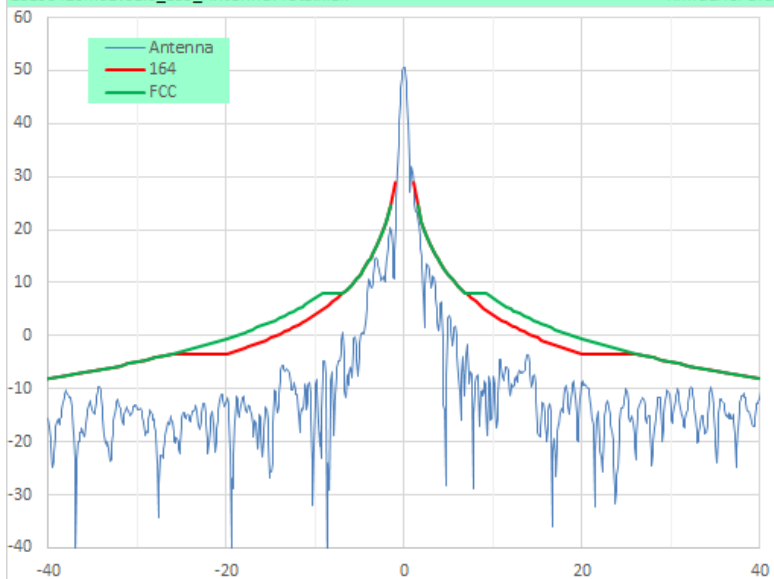
Max Gain	50.5 dBi
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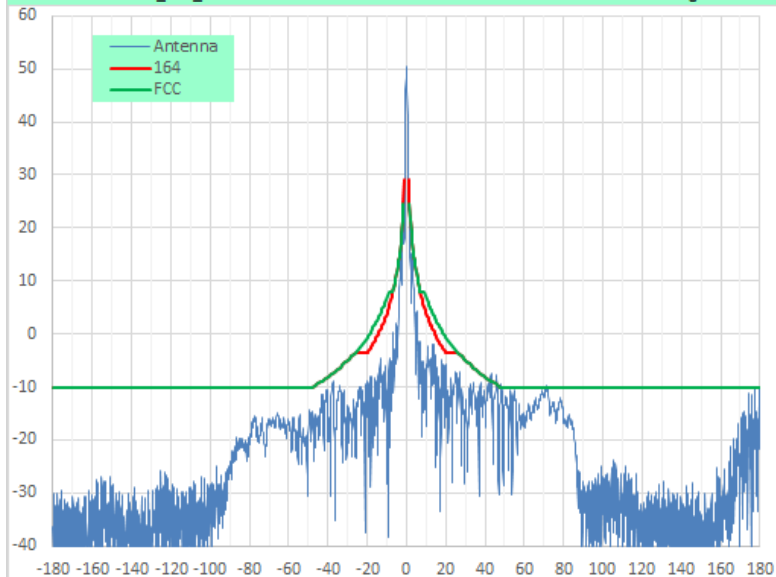
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**Antenna Gain Pattern: Uplink Azimuth LHCP High**

Gain (dBi) vs Azimuth Angle (degrees)

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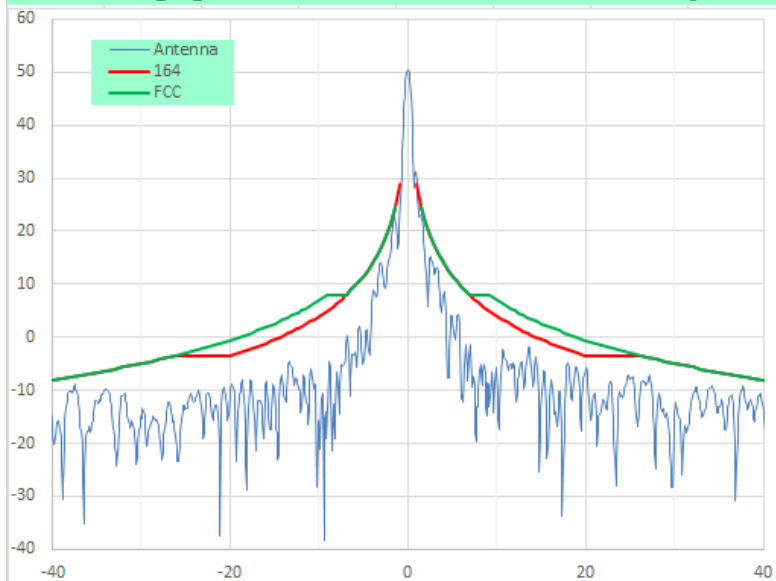
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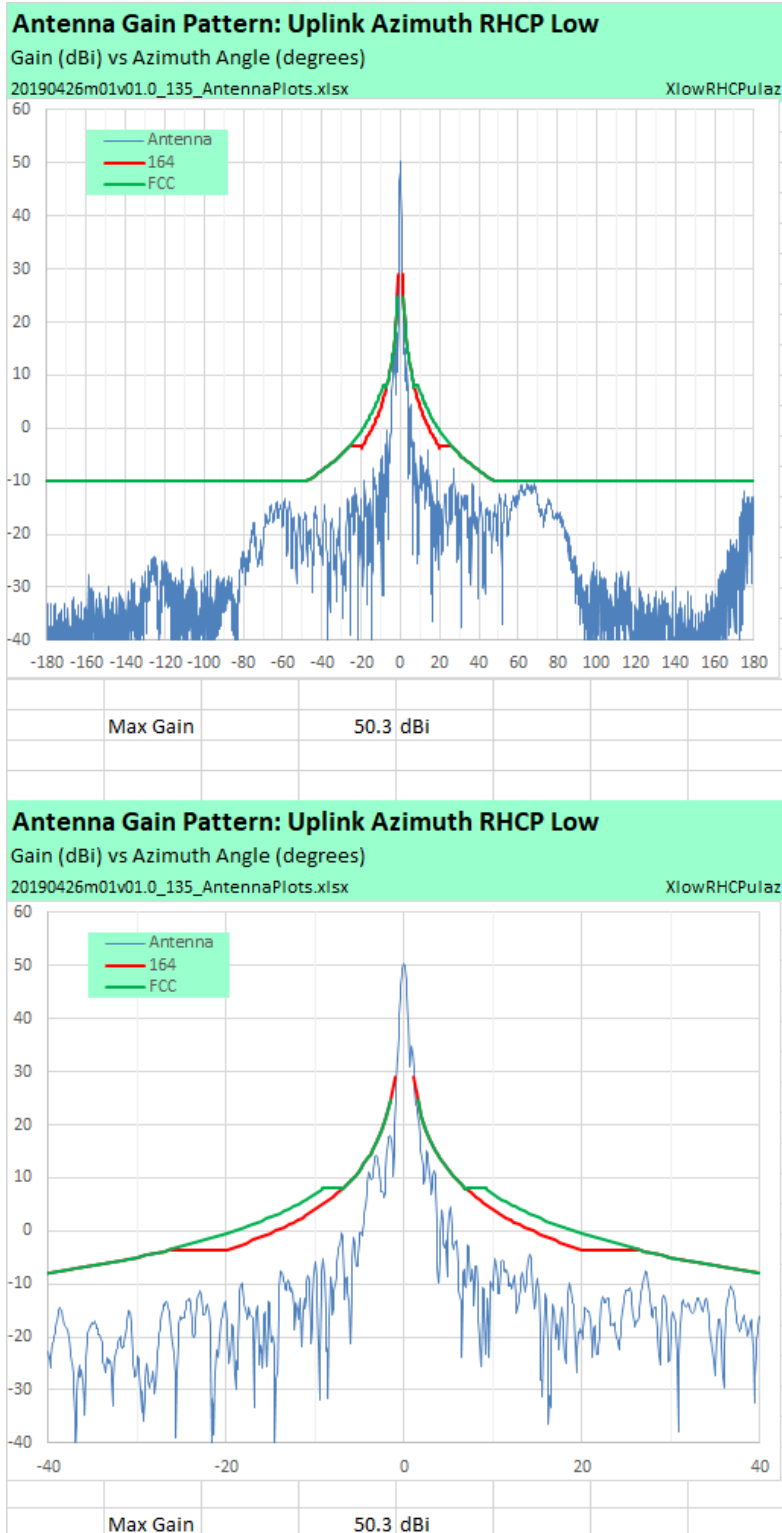
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4.3 Tx RHCP Azimuth

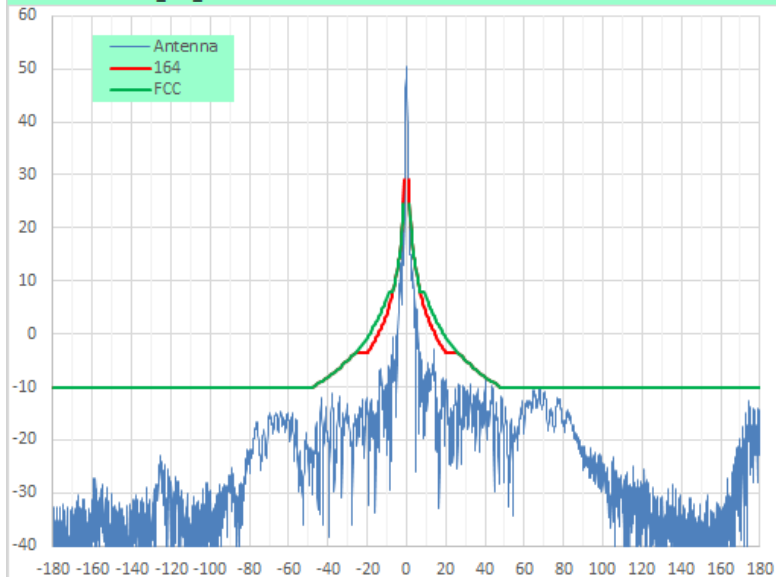


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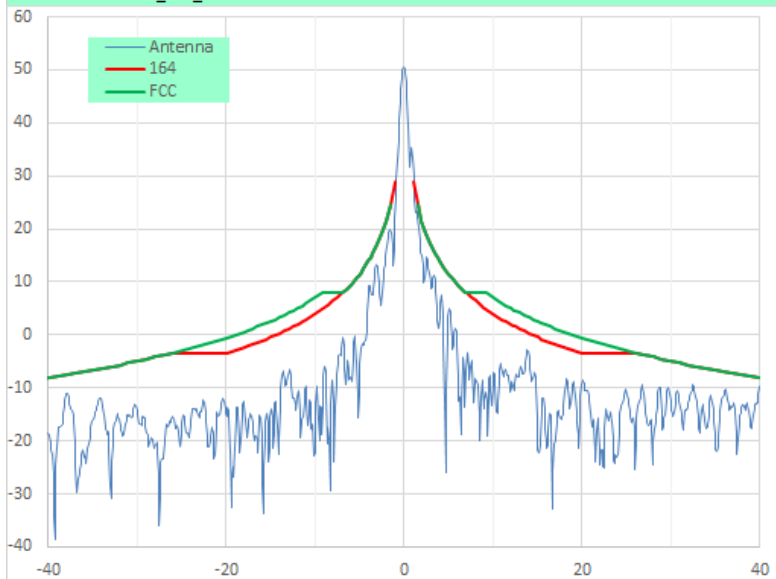
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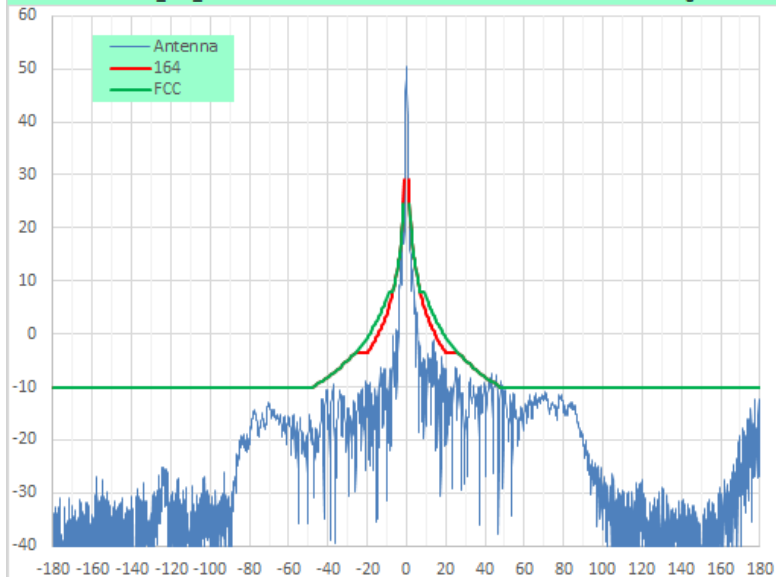
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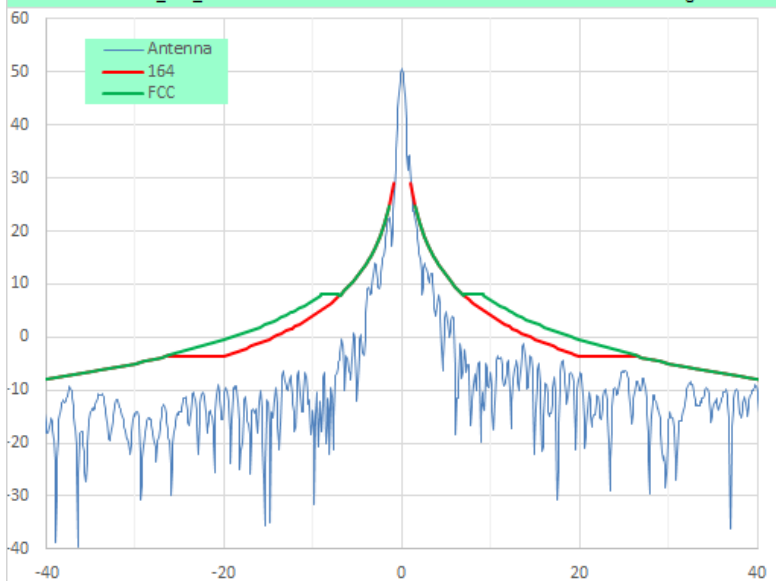
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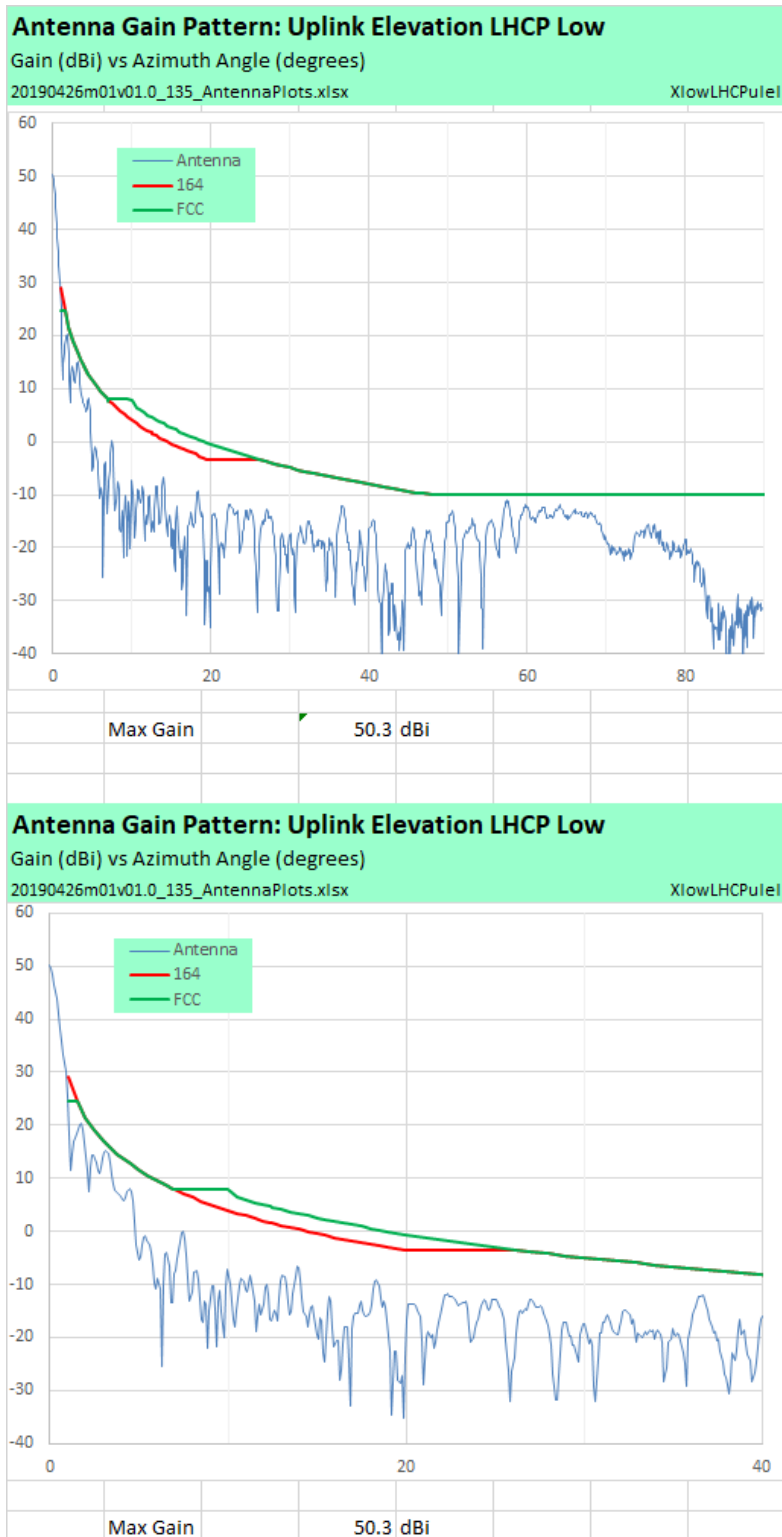
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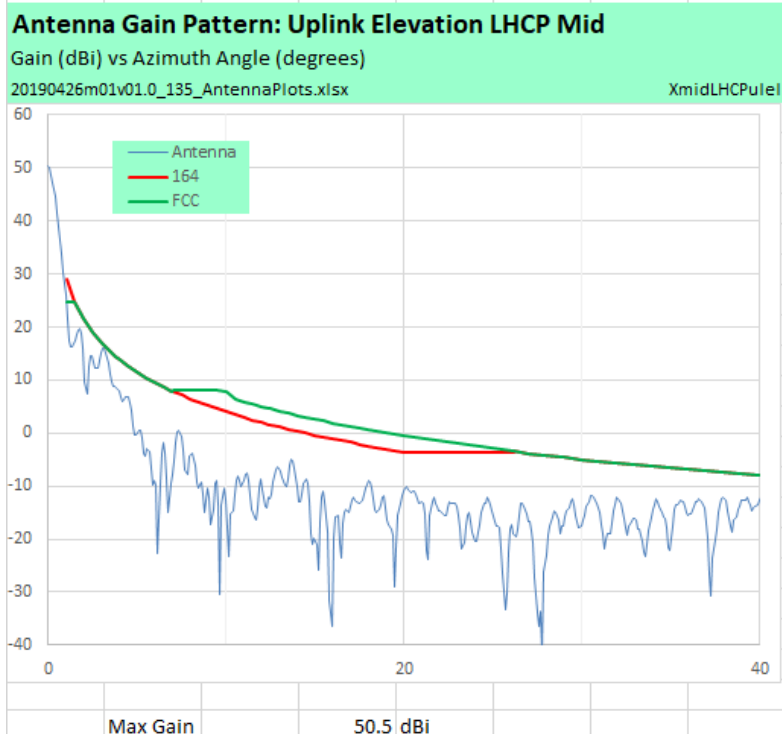
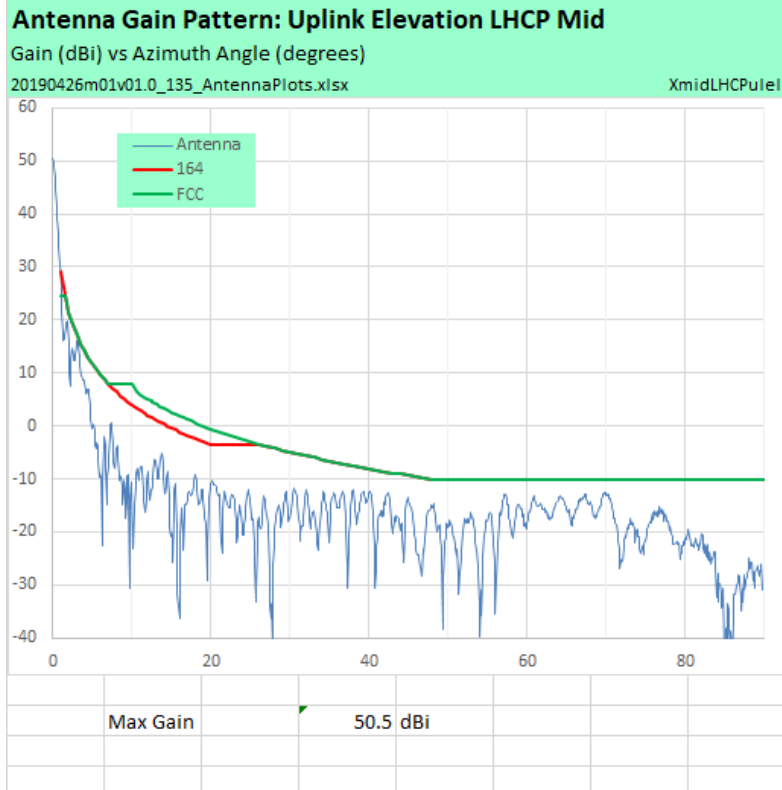


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4.4 Tx LHCP Elevation



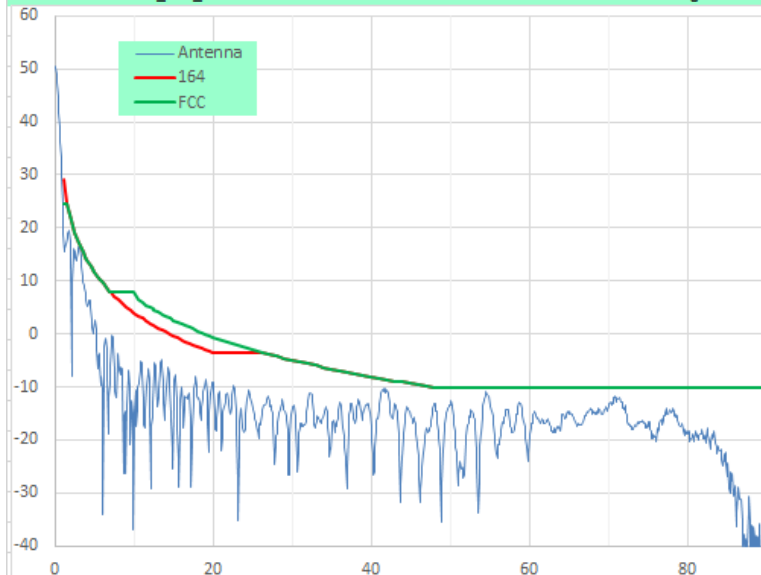


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Gain (dBi) vs Azimuth Angle (degrees)

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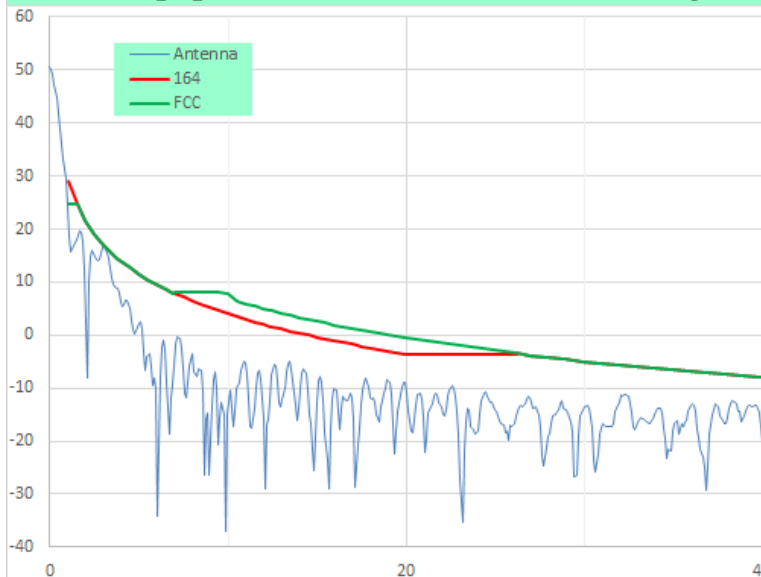
Max Gain 50.6 dBi

Antenna Gain Pattern: Uplink Elevation LHCP High

Gain (dBi) vs Azimuth Angle (degrees)

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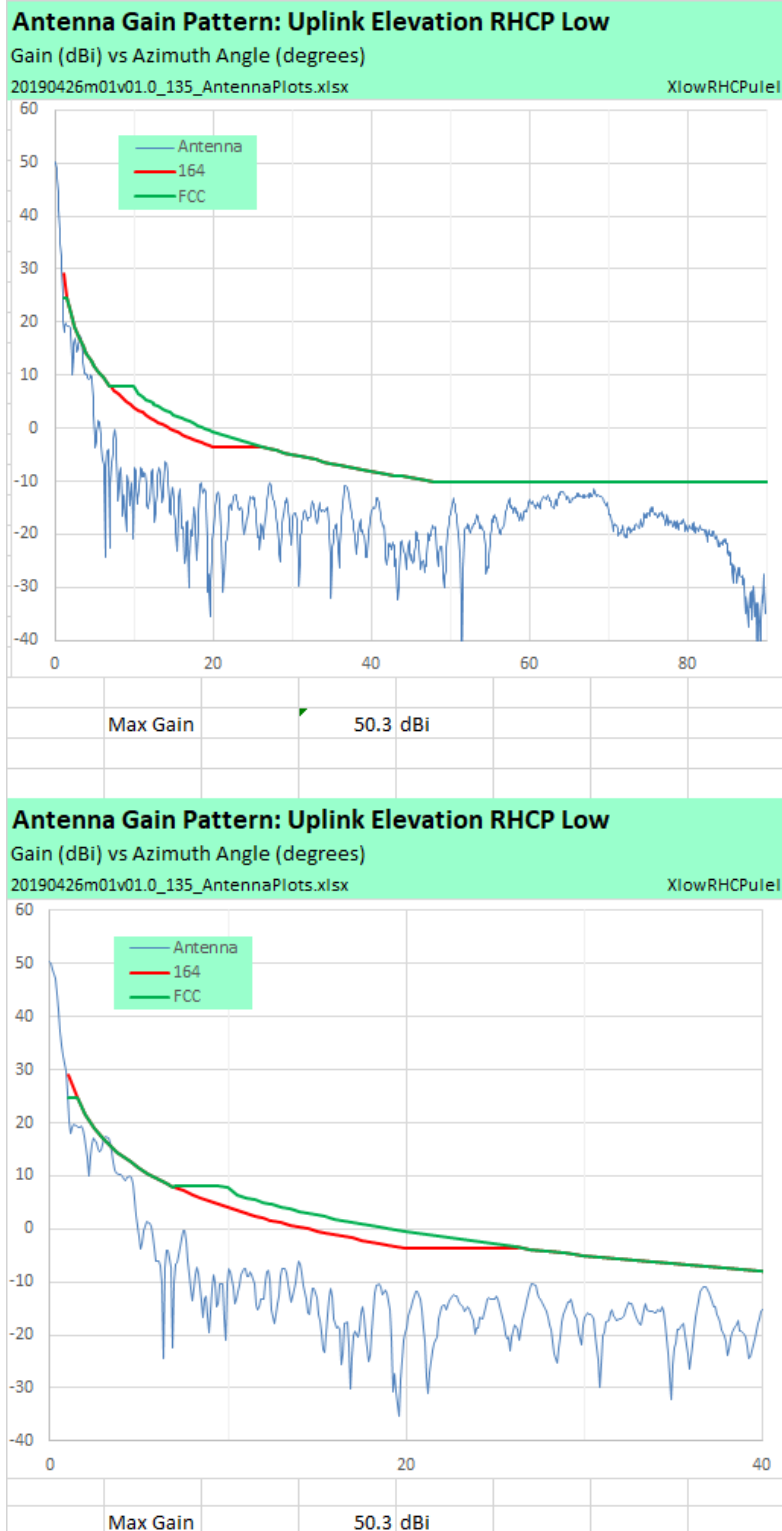
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Max Gain 50.6 dBi



4.5 Tx RHCP Elevation

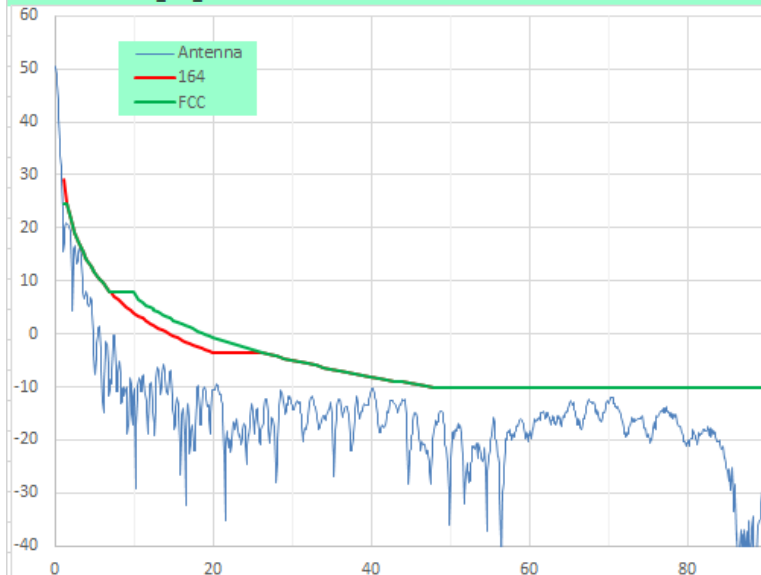


**Antenna Gain Pattern: Uplink Elevation RHCP Mid**

Gain (dBi) vs Azimuth Angle (degrees)

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Max Gain 50.5 dBi

Antenna Gain Pattern: Uplink Elevation RHCP Mid

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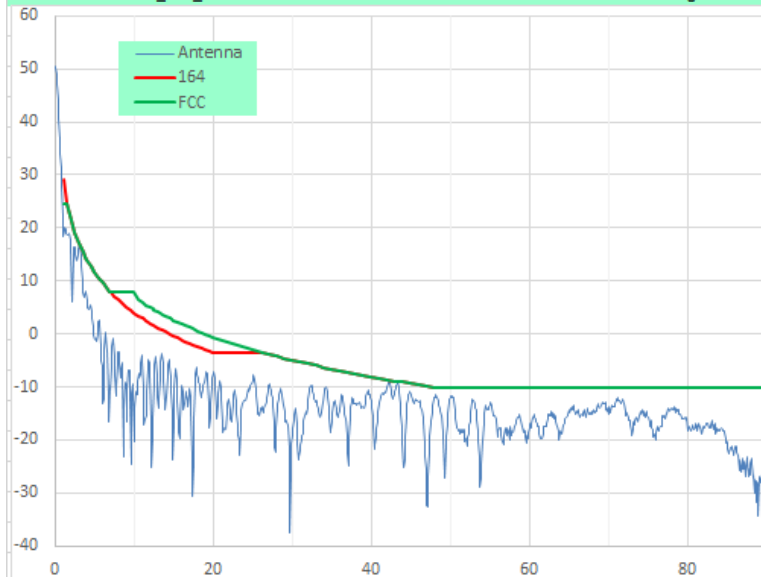
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Gain (dBi) vs Azimuth Angle (degrees)

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Max Gain 50.6 dBi

Antenna Gain Pattern: Uplink Elevation RHCP High

Gain (dBi) vs Azimuth Angle (degrees)

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Max Gain 50.6 dBi



5 Antenna Patterns - AVL/Viasat BAT-600

5.1 Summary

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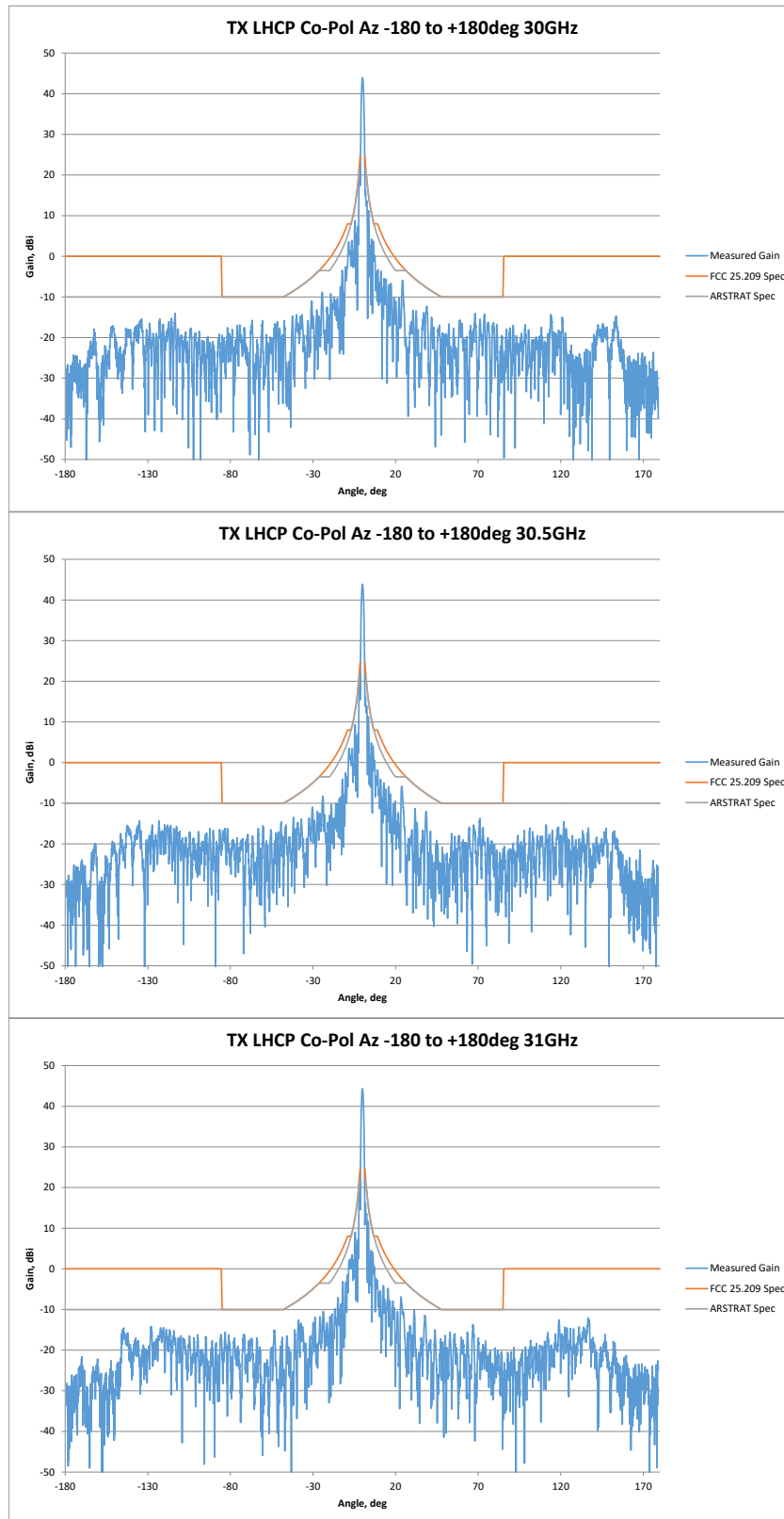
- CFR-2010-title47-vol2-sec25-209
- Mil-Std-188-164c

Transmit Gain and Axial Ratio			
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Gain,dBi RHCP	44.1	43.9	44.2
Axial Ratio,dB LHCP	0.51	0.45	0.69
Axial Ratio, dB RHCP	0.42	0.49	0.77

3 dB beamwidth in Azimuth is 0.9 degrees

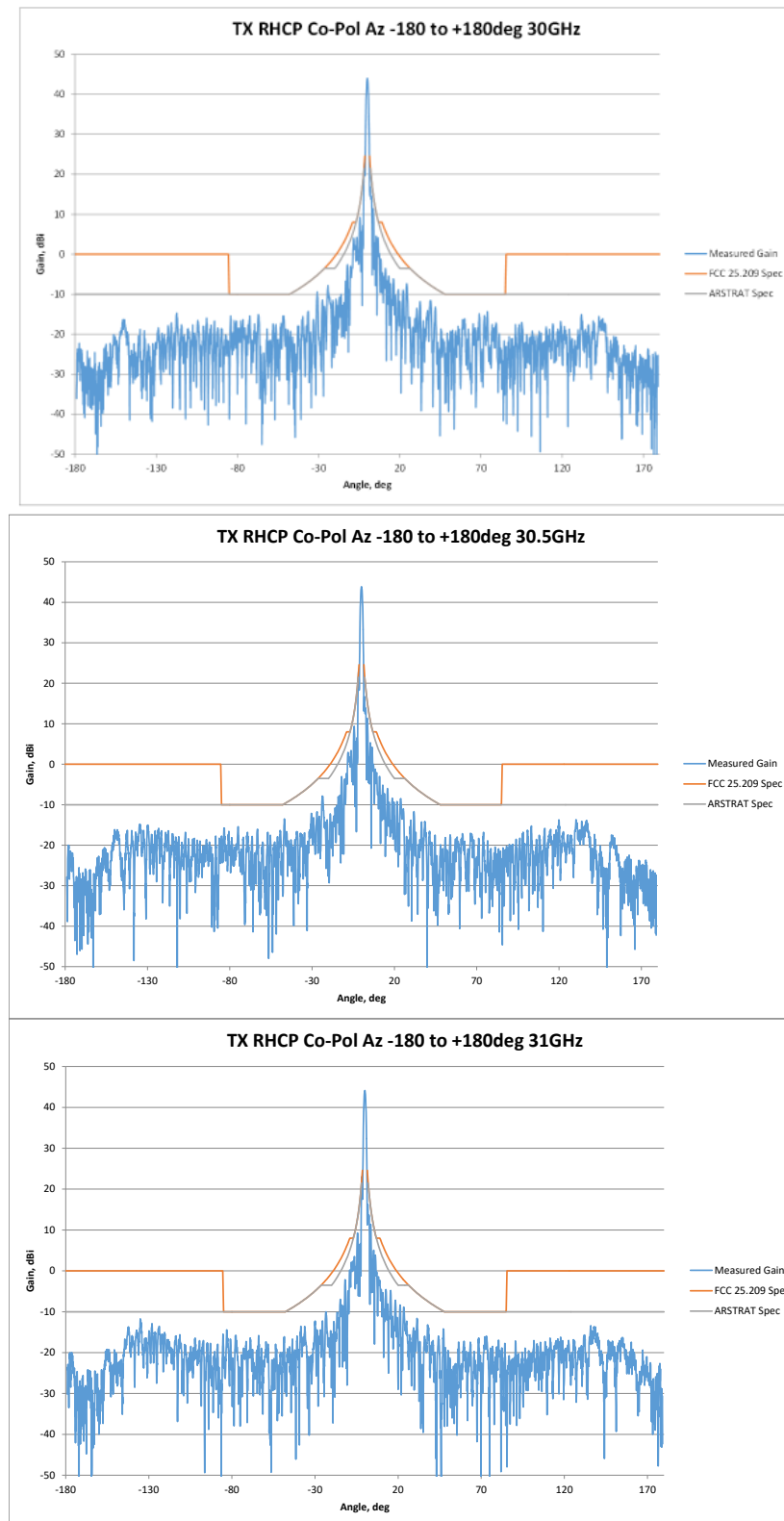


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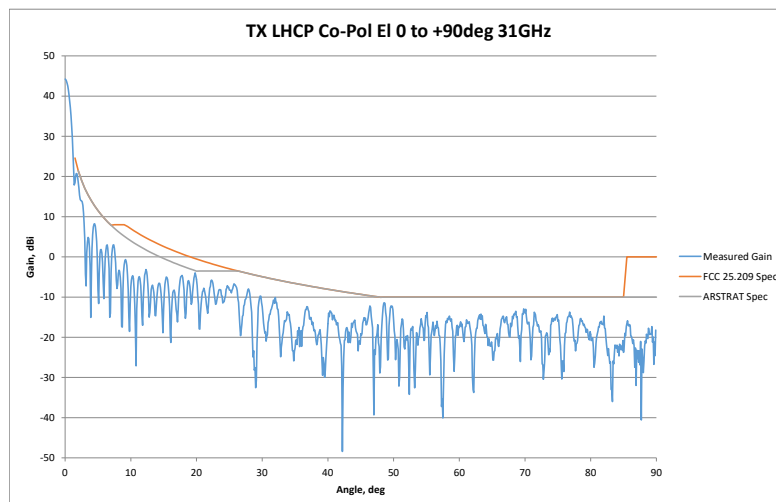
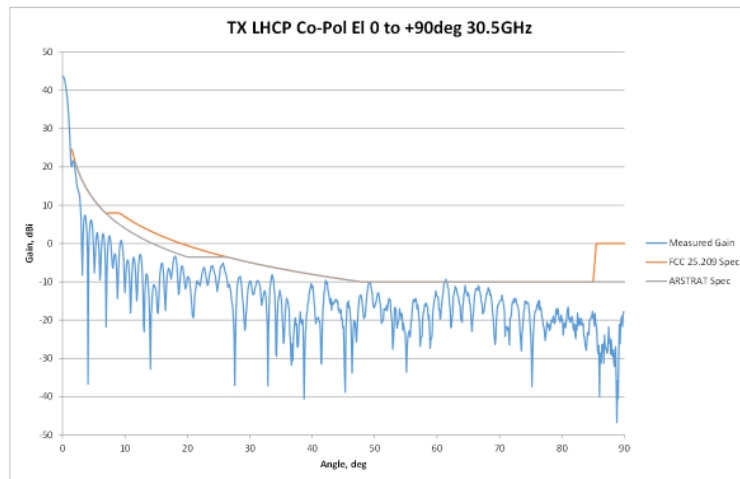
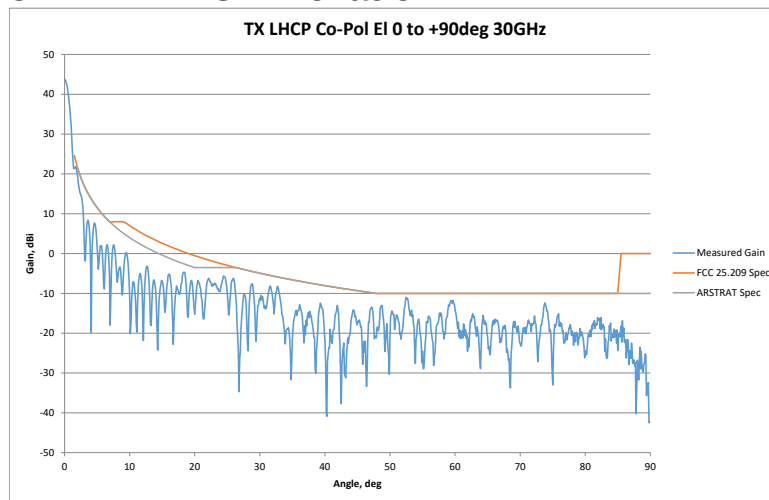


5.3 Tx RHCP Azimuth





5.4 Tx LHCP Elevation





5.5 Tx RHCP Elevation

