

FCC OET-65 RF Exposure Study - Satellite Uplink Facility

**NBC TOWBOY**

Old FCC License, E890799

**Antenna Vendor:**

Vertex RSI Model 240KV

**Antenna Size:**

2.3 m

**Amplifier Make/Model:**

ETM 450 KU

**Amplifier Max Power:**

450 w

FCC Maximum Permissible Exposure Levels	Source	Units	Notes
Public/uncontrolled area exposure limit	47CFR §1.1310	1 mW/cm <sup>2</sup>	
Occupational/controlled area exposure limit	47CFR §1.1310	5 mW/cm <sup>2</sup>	

**Input Data**

Antenna Diameter	datasheet	230.0 cm
Antenna surface area	calculated	41548 cm <sup>2</sup>
Feed flange diameter	measured	6.350 cm
Feed flange area	calculated	32 cm <sup>2</sup>
Frequency	(entry)	14125 MHz
Wavelength (speed of light = 299,792,458 m/s)	calculated	2.122 cm
Transmit power at flange	datasheet	350000 milliwatts
Antenna gain	datasheet	49.3 dBi
Antenna gain factor	calculated	85114
Height of base of antenna above ground	measured	3.5 m
Height of center of antenna above ground	measured	4.54 m
Minimum Elevation Angle	(entry)	5 degrees
Minimum Elevation Angle	calculated	0.08727 radians

**FCC Maximum Permissible Exposure (MPE)**

Results calculated using FCC Bulletin OET-65 (Edition 97-01 August 1997)			FCC Maximum Permissible Exposure (MPE)	
			Uncontrolled	Controlled
Maximum power density at antenna surface	Eq. 11 Pg 27	33.69632065 mW/cm <sup>2</sup>	Potential Hazard	Potential Hazard
Power density at feed flange	Eq. 11 Pg 27	44206.96541 mW/cm <sup>2</sup>	Potential Hazard	Potential Hazard
Extent of near-field	Eq. 12 Pg 27	6231 cm		
Maximum new-field power density	Eq. 13 Pg 28	24.74523358 mW/cm <sup>2</sup>	Potential Hazard	Potential Hazard
Aperture efficiency	Eq. 14 Pg 28	0.734360105		
Distance to beginning of far-field	Eq. 16 Pg 29	14954.59569 cm		
Power density at end of the transition region	Eq. 17 Pg 29	10.31051399 mW/cm <sup>2</sup>	Potential Hazard	Potential Hazard
Maximum far-field power density	Eq. 18 Pg 29	10.600 mW/cm <sup>2</sup>	Potential Hazard	Potential Hazard

**Main Beam Far-field region safe exposure distances**

Minimum distance for public/uncontrolled exposure	Eq. 18 Pg 29	486.8880216 meters
Height at minimum antenna elevation angle	calculated	46.97508716 meters
Horizontal distance	calculated	485.0352657 meters
Minimum distance for occupational/controlled exposure	Eq. 18 Pg 29	217.7429427 meters
Height at minimum antenna elevation angle	calculated	23.5175479 meters
Horizontal distance	calculated	216.9143651 meters

**Off-Axis Near Field/Transition Region safe exposure distances from antenna**

(20 dB reduction in power density at distances greater than one antenna diameter from the main beam center.)	OET-65 Pg 30			
Maximum off-axis near field power density	Eq. 13 Pg 28	0.2475 mW/cm <sup>2</sup>	Below FCC MPE	Below FCC MPE
Public/uncontrolled exposure off-axis distance	Diam/or Eq 17	2.3 meters		
Occupational/controlled exposure off-axis distance	Diam/or Eq 17	2.3 meters		

**Off-Axis Far Field safe exposure distances from the antenna**

(Based on side lobe attenuation required by FCC 25.209(a)(2))			
Angle off main beam axis (1 to 48 degrees)	(entry)	5 degree(s)	
Off-axis antenna gain factor	OET-65 Pg 30*	28	
Minimum distance for public/uncontrolled exposure	Eq. 18 Pg 29**	149.5459569 meters	

\* Gain converted from dBi to linear multiple

\*\* If calculated distance is less than the start of the far field region, the distance to the start of the far field region is shown.