

### **Additional Antenna Information**

The Astro Digital US, Inc. (“Astro Digital”) earth station is comprised of one UHF antenna array comprised of two phased individual Yagi antennas. The system operates in half-duplex mode such that the antennas, working with a T/R switch, alternate between transmit mode and receive mode. The antennas are held in position relative to one another by a single cross-mast. The antenna system is oriented by an Az-El rotator positioned at the center of the cross-mast. The characteristics of each Yagi antenna are given in Table A-1, and the characteristics of the overall antenna array are given in Table A-2. The antenna patterns of the array are provided in Figures A-1 and A-2. Astro Digital notes that the 1x2 arrangement of the antenna array produces an elliptical beam pattern as described below with the narrower cut in the azimuth direction.

**Table A-1: Single UHF Yagi Characteristics**

Parameter	Value
Manufacturer:	M <sup>2</sup> Antenna Systems, Inc.
Model:	402CP42
Frequency Range:	399.5 – 408.0 MHz <sup>1</sup>
Gain:	18.7 dBi
Beamwidth:	23.0°
Front-to-Back Ratio:	16.2 dB
Axial Ratio:	1.5 dB
Polarization:	RHCP
Feed Type:	Folded Dipole
Feed Impedance:	50 Ohms (Unbalanced)
Maximum VSWR:	1.5:1
Boom Length:	245” (6.22 m)
Max. Element Length:	14.5” (0.368 m)
Turning Radius:	148” (3.76 m)

**Table A-2: Four UHF Yagi Array Characteristics**

Parameter	Value
Frequency Range:	399.5 – 408.0 MHz <sup>2</sup>
Transmit Gain:	20.0 dBi
Receive Gain:	20.5 dBi
TX & RX Half Power Beamwidth:	12° (Azimuth) X 23° (Elevation)
Polarization:	RHCP

<sup>1</sup> This value only reflects the antenna capability. Astro Digital’s specifically-authorized channels are listed in its space station license grant. *See* Stamp Grant, Astro Digital, IBFS File No. SAT-LOA-20170508-00071 ¶¶ 8-9 (granted in part and deferred in part Aug. 1, 2018); *see also* Exhibit A, Narrative at nn.4-5.

<sup>2</sup> *See supra* note 1.

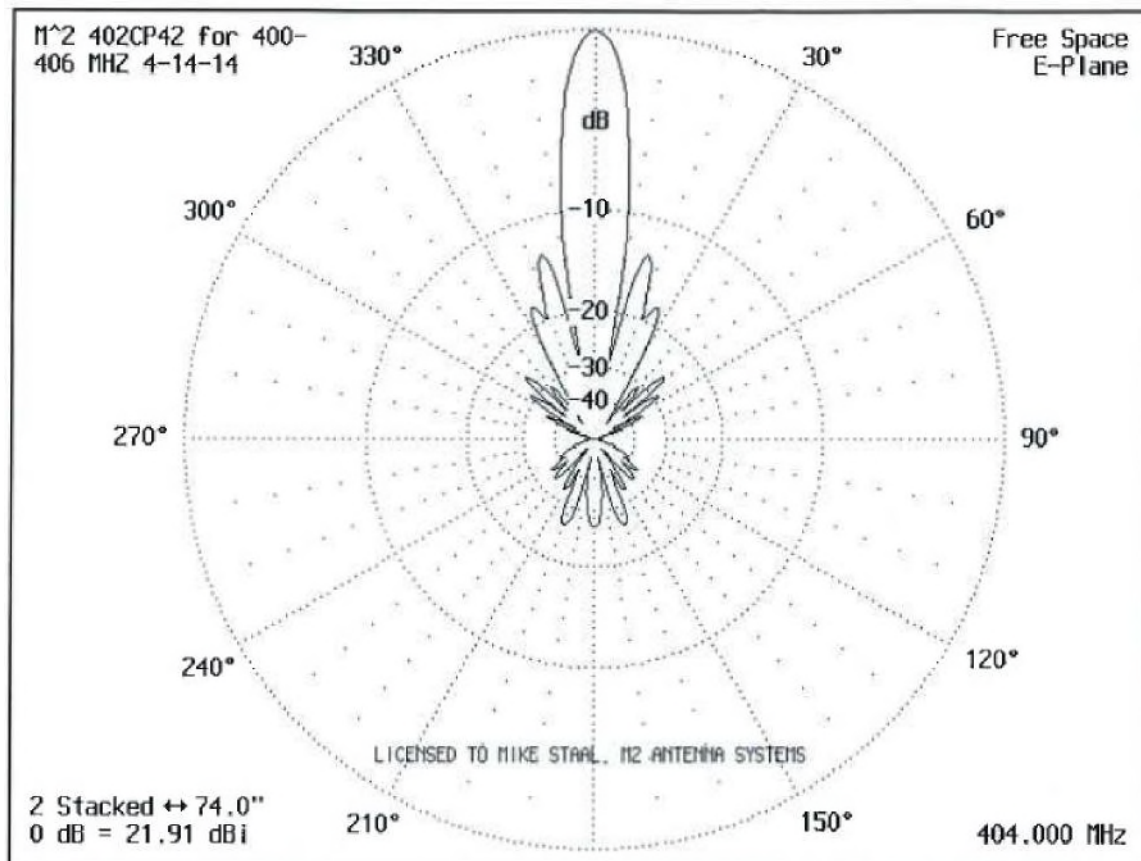


Figure A-1: Astro Digital 2 Yagi UHF Antenna Array – Azimuth Pattern

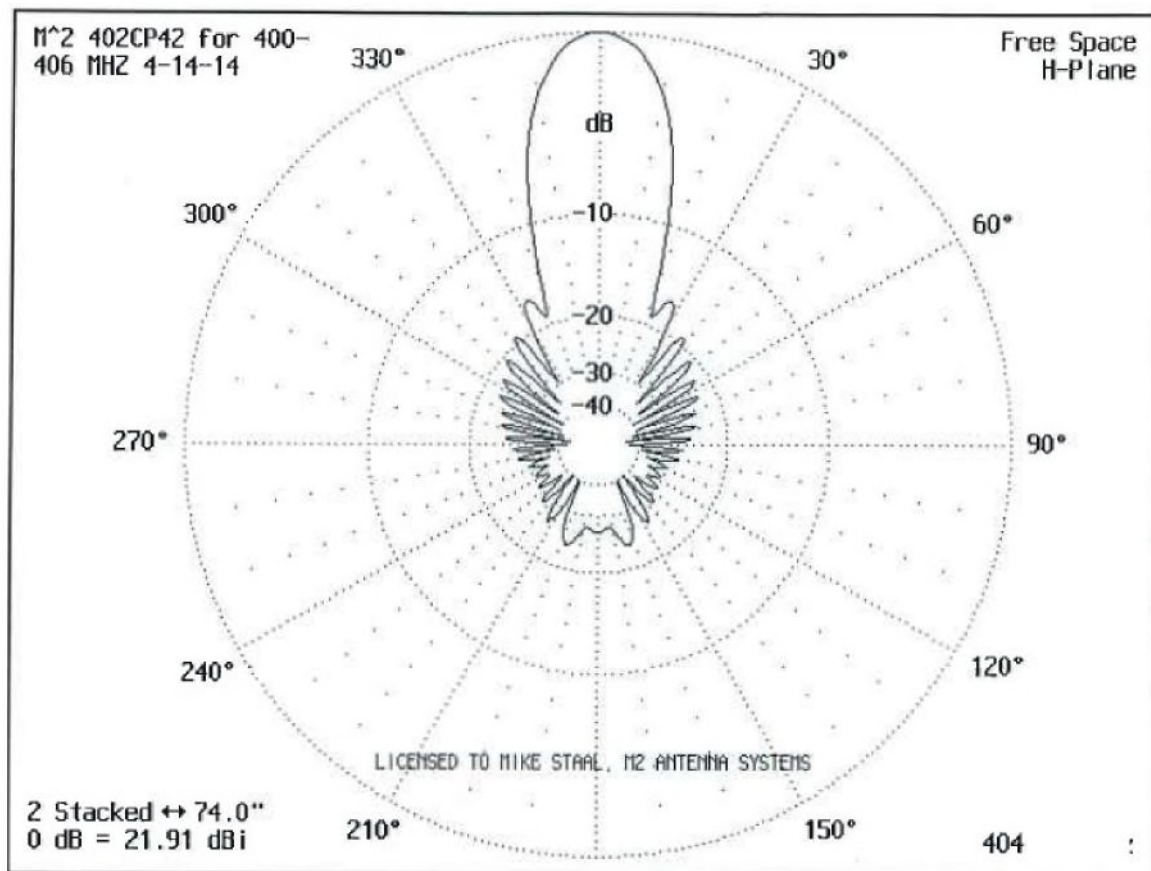


Figure A-2 Astro Digital 2 Yagi UHF Antenna Array – Elevation Pattern