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Model 1578 MVSAT 1.5m Motorized Transportable Vehicle-Mount Antenna

Unique Features • 1.6 x 1.2m AvL Engineered Composite Single Piece

Reflector (Upgradable to Carbon Fiber)

• AvL Cable Drive Positioner

• Optional Rotary Joint on Pol Axis with Flex W/G to BUC

• "One-Button" Auto-Acquisition

Optics • Offset, Prime Focus, 0.8 f/D

Standard RX/TX Feed
• 2-Port Ku-Band Precision (standard Cross-Pol comp.)

Polarization Adjustment • Rotation of Feed with Motorized Worm Gear Drive

Standard Colorization • Metallic Gray (optional colors available)



Mechanical Mechanical				
AZ/EL Drive	Motorized AvL Zero Backlash Cable Drive (Patent Pending)			
Polarization Drive System	Motorized Worm Gear Drive			
Reflector Construction	1.6 x 1.2m AvL Engineered Composite Single Piece Reflector (Upgradable to Carbon Fiber)			
Axis Travel				
Azimuth	400° (±200°)			
Elevation				
Mechanical	0° to 90° of Reflector Boresight			
Electrical	Standard Limits at 5° to 65° (CE approval) or 0° to 90°			
Polarization	±95°			
AZ/EL Speed				
Slewing/Deploying (typical)	2°/second			
Peaking (typical)	0.2°/second			
Motors	24 VDC Variable Speed, Constant Torque			
RF Interface				
BUC/HPA Mounting	Feed Boom (maximum weight 25 lbs (11.3 kg))			
Max dimensions for BUC mounting on Feed Boom	22 L x 13.8 W x 8.5 H inches (56 L x 35 W x 22 H cm)			
Feed Tx	WR75 Flat Flange; Optional Polarization Rotary Joint w/flex waveguide from feed, WR75			
Coax	Two Type F connectors at antenna base			
Electrical Interface	One 25 ft. (8 m) Cable with Connectors for Controller			
Manual/Emergency Drive	Handcrank for AZ and EL and Pol Axes			
Weight (approximate)	165 to 195 lbs. (75 to 87 kg) depending on options			
Stowed Dimensions	68.5 L x 65.1 W x 19.9 H inches (174 L x 165.4 W x 50.5 H cm)			
Time to Acquisition	Less than 15 minutes, 8 minutes typical			
Mounting	Pallet for vehicle roof mounting			
Environmental				
Wind – Survival	Deployed: 65 mph (105 kph); Stowed: 80 mph (129 kph)			
Wind - Operational	45 mph (72 kph)			
Pointing Loss in Wind (Ku RX):				
20 mph (32 kph)	0.9 dB typical			
30 mph gusting to 45 mph (48 kph gusting to 72 kph)	1.8 dB typical			
Temperature:				
Operational	-22° to 125° F (-30° to 52° C)			
Survival	-40° to 140° F (-40° to 60° C)			

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RF/Electrical				
	Feed Type ►	Std. 2-Port Precision Ku		
RF Parameter ▼		Receive	Transmit	
Frequency Range (GHz)		10.95 - 12.75	13.75 - 14.50	
Polarization Configuration		Linear Orthogonal Standard, Optional Co-Pol		
Gain (mid-band)		42.9	44.5	
Beam width (Degrees)	-3 dB	1.3	1.1	
	-10 dB	2.3	1.9	
Radiation Pattern Compliance	•	FCC §25.209, ITU-R S.580-6		
Antenna Noise Temperature		54° K @ 20° elevation		
Allowable Input Power Density			FCC: -14 dBw/4 kHz, ITU: -0 dBw/4 kHz	
VSWR		1.30:1	1.30:1	
Cross-Polarization Isolation (dB)				
On Axis		35	35	
Off-Axis (within Pointing Cone)		27	28	
Feed Port Isolation – TX to RX (dB)		35	80	
Controller				
Standard Controller				
Standard Features		One button auto-acquisition of selected satellites, including peaking and optimization of cross pol. Internal movement detector and automatic stow. Includes a hand-held control and separate power supply. Certified for auto-commissioning on most satellite services.		
Size		10 x 9 x 2.5 inch power supply		
Input Power	ver 100 - 240 VAC 50/60 Hz 4 A peak, 190 W Antenna running with max load			

Available Options, Upgrades & Services

- Upgrade to embedded controller with optional Ethernet remote interface and GUI. Consult Sales for details and optional features.
- Add BUC/HPA Mounting (NOTE: minimum elevation may be restricted by these options)
- Rotary Joint on Pol Axis with Flex W/G to BUC
- Upgrade to Custom RF/IF I/O cabling configurations available
- Custom Colorization (contact factory for available colors)
- Add Custom Logo on Reflector Face (1- or 2-Color; per AvL Logo Policy)
- Spare Parts Kit