

A Tallysman *Accutenna*[®] TW4500 Wideband Dual Feed Globalstar[®] Antenna

The TW4500 employs Tallysman's unique *Accutenna* technology in a compact magnetic mount, passive Left Hand Circularly Polarised antenna (LHCP) for the 1610 to 1620 MHz frequency band, specifically designed to maximise the performance of the Globalstar™ STU (Simplex Transmit Unit) modems.

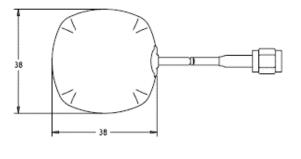
The wideband dual feed patch element in the TW4500 has an excellent axial ratio across the entire Globalstar $^{\text{TM}}$ bandwidth. Unlike single feed antennas, the TW4500 provides excellent multipath rejection and a truly circular transmission response across the Globalstar $^{\text{TM}}$ band.

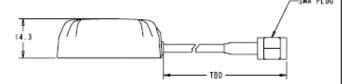
The TW4500 is the smallest dual feed, high performance Globalstar™ antenna available. It is housed in a compact IP67 magnetic mount enclosure. It available with a 50cm coaxial cable that allows for an STU modem to be mounted away from the weather, yet still provide excellent Globalstar™ coverage.

Applications

- Simplex Transmit Unit (STU) Applications
- Sea & Land Container Tracking
- Military & Security
- Fleet Management & Asset Tracking
- Marine & Avionics Systems
- Law Enforcement & Public Safety







Features

- Novel 25mm, wideband dual feed patch
- 4.25 dBic Gain on 100mm Ground plane.
- Great axial ratio, <3 dB over full bandwidth
- Weather proof, IP67 housing
- Low Cost all-plastic housing
- Magnetic mount
- Wide range of connector options

Benefits

- Truly circular polarized signal transmission
- Environment tolerant tuning
- Truly circular with great multipath rejection
- Industrial temperature range
- Rugged Design
- No compromise for cost sensitive applications
- RoHS compliant



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Specifications Over full bandwidth, T=25°C

Antenna

Architecture Dual, quadrature feeds
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Axial Ratio (over full bandwidth) ≤3dB

1.0 dB Bandwidth 1600MHz to 1630MHz

Electrical

Architecture Dual Feed Patch -> Hybrid 90° Combiner

Polarization LHCF

Gain flatness ≤1dB. from 1610MHz to 1620MHz

VSWR (at antenna) <1.5:1 typ. 1.8:1 max.

Return Loss (-10 dB bandwidth) <-20MHz

ESD Circuit protection 15KV air discharge

Mechanicals & Environmental

Mechanical Size 38mm x 38mm dia. x 14.3mm High

Connectors SMA male standard, others available

Cable RG174
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Enclosure Radome and base: EXL9330

Weight Enclosure + SMA connector 34gm, cable 0.31gm/cm)

Attachment Method Magnetic

Environmental IP67 and RoHS compliant Shock Vertical axis: 50G, other axes: 30G

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Vibration 3 axis, sweep = 15 min, 10 to 200Hz sweep: 3G

Warranty One year, parts and labour

Ordering Information

TW4500 – Dual Feed, Wideband, Globalstar™Antenna 33-4500-xx-yyyy

Where xx = connector type and yyyy = length of cable in mm

Please refer to the Ordering Guide (http://www.tallysman.com/orderingguide.php) for the current and complete list of available radomes and connectors.

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