# C-, X-, or Ku-Band Capabilities

# 4.5 Meter **Earth Station Antennas**

Now communications system integrators and designers can bring their systems on line faster, more economically, and with superior performance with the Andrew 4.5-meter Earth Station Antenna (ESA). In use around the world in high-density data, voice, communications networks, and broadcast applications, the Andrew 4.5-meter ESA features an exclusively designed 2- or 4-port prime focus, beam-shaping feed and ground plane configuration. This combination provides extremely accurate surface contour, exceptionally high gain, superior efficiency, and closely controlled pattern characteristics. The antenna is versatile, and can be configured for transmit/receive as well as receive-only, and for either linearly- or circularly-polarized C-Band, linearly-polarized Ku-Band, Hybrid C-/Ku-Band, or X-Band operation. Both pedestal and tripod mount types are available (motorization for pedestal only).

Andrew 4.5-meter ESAs feature exceptionally easy and accurate assembly. When using our optional hoisting kit no crane is necessary for installation. Additionally, the main reflector requires no special field alignment.

Andrew ESAs provide maximum durability with minimal maintenance. The hot-dipped galvanized steel ground mount assembly ensures extended product life. Galvanized and stainless steel hardware maximize corrosion resistance. For cost effective system expansion, available modular equipment options include anti-icing equipment and pressurization systems. Microprocessor steptrack control and motorizable mount options are also available.

#### Features:

- High Gain, Excellent Pattern Characteristics Main Reflector—No special Field Alignment
- 3-year Warranty on All Structural Components





# Compliances:

- INTELSAT E-2, E-1, F-1,G
- U.S. FCC regulation 25.209
- ITU-R, S.580-4 and S.465-5
- · Approved for use in the territory of Russia by the Ministry of Communications of the Russian Federation (Reference: Homologation Certificate No OC/I-A -\phi-1)



#### **Electrical**

Operating Frequency Band	
C-Band Receive	3.400-4.2 GHz
C-Band Transmit	5.850-6.725 GHz
X-Band Receive	7.25-7.75 GHz
X-Band Transmit	7.90-8.40 GHz
Ku-Band Receive	10.7-13.25 GHz
Ku-Band Transmit	13.75-14.8 GHz

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Gain, with two port	linear com	biner (dBi, ±0.2 dE	3)	
Rx Frequency	Rx Gain	Tx Frequency	Tx Gain	
3.400 GHz	42.4	5.850 GHz	46.0	
3.625 GHz	42.8	6.175 GHz	46.3	
4.000 GHz	43.9	6.425 GHz	46.6	
4.200 GHz	44.2	6.725 GHz	47.0	
7.250 GHz	48.4	7.90 GHz	49.2	
7.500 GHz	48.7	8.15 GHz	49.5	
7.750 GHz	49.0	8.40 GHz	49.8	
10.700 GHz	51.4	13.75 GHz	53.2	
10.950 GHz	51.6	14.00 GHz	53.4	
11.950 GHz	52.4	14.25 GHz	53.6	
12.750 GHz	52.9	14.50 GHz	53.7	
13.25 GHz	53.2	14.80 GHz	53.8	

#### Polarization

Linearly- or Circularly-Polarized

# Polarization Discrimination, (Linearly-Polarized):

>35 dB on axis

Voltage Axial Ratio, C-Band, circularly-polarized with 2-port combiner C-Band, <1.09:1 on axis,Tx

<1.20:1 on axis, Rx X-Band, <1.20:1 on axis, Tx and Rx

Beamwidth, Mid-band, Degrees	C-Band	X-Band	Ku-Band
3 dB Receive (Transmit)	1.22 (0.85)	0.66 (0.61)	±0.40 (0.85)«
15 dB Receive (Transmit)			0.84 (0.67)

Antenna Noise Temperature - under clear sky conditions, at 68°F (20°C), at the circular waveguide flange of the feed

Elevation	Kelvin (C-Band)	Kelvin (X-Band)	Kelvin (Ku-Band)
10°	44	45	53
30°	32	34	41
50°	28	29	38

# Antenna VSWR, Transmit and Receive <1.3:1

## **Typical Shipping Information**

Shipping weight, typical 4.5m (P, MP, MPJ Types)	6000 lb
4.5m (T Types) Tripod	5600 lb
Shipping Volume (typical)	690 ft <sup>3</sup> (19.5m <sup>3</sup> )
Shipping Container	Colored Colore
4.5m (P, MP, MPJ Types)	
Quantity 2	Standard 20 ft land/sea container
Quantity 4	Standard 40 ft land/sea container
4.5m (T Types)	
Quantity 2	Standard 20 ft land/sea container
Quantity 4	Standard 40 ft land/sea container

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#### G/T Performance (C-Band) LNA/LNB Noise Temperature 65K 45K

Based on a 2-port, linearly-polarized antenna configuration at 4 GHz and at 10° elevation under clear sky conditions.

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24.3

30K

25.0

# **G/T Performance (X-Band)**

ES45 G/T at 10° EL (dB/K)

LNA/LNB Noise Temperature	50K	75K	100K
ES45 G/T at 10° EL (dB/K)	28.1	27.2	26.5

Based on a 2-port, linearly-polarized antenna configuration at 7.50 GHz and at 10° elevation under clear sky conditions.

#### G/T Performance (Ku-Band)

LNA/LNB Noise Temperature	165K	125K	90K
ES45 G/T at 10° EL (dB/K)	29.1	29.9	30.8

Based on a 2-port, linearly-polarized antenna configuration at 12 GHz and at 10° elevation under clear sky conditions.

## **Uplink EIRP Capability (C-Band)**

HPA Output (Watts)	25	125	500
Uplink EIRP (dBW)	60.5	67.5	73.5

Based on a 2-port antenna configuration at 6.175 GHz and 0 dB allowance for waveguide (IFL) loss between the HPA and the antenna.

#### Uplink EIRP Capability (X-Band)

HPA Output (Watts)	25	100	400
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Uplink EIRP (dBW)	63.3	69.3	75.3

Based on a 2-port antenna configuration at 8.15 GHz and 0 dB allowance for waveguide (IFL) loss between the HPA and the antenna.

# **Uplink EIRP Capability (Ku-Band)**

HPA Output (Watts)	25	125	500
Uplink EIRP (dBW)	60.5	67.5	73.5

Based on a 2-port antenna configuration at 14.25 GHz and 0 dB allowance for waveguide (IFL) loss between the HPA and the antenna

#### Mechanical

eed Type	Prime Focus

**Reflector Material** Precision-Formed Aluminum

**Reflector Segments Mount Type** 

El over AZ, Manual Tripod or Pedestal

Antenna Pointing Range, Pedestal Mount Coarse/(Continuous) Elevation 0-90° (90°)

180° (120°) Azimuth

Antenna Pointing Range, Tripod Mount Coarse/(Continuous)

Elevation (Standard) 2-62° (15°)

Elevation (Extended) 33-90° (15°) optional

Azimuth 164° (15°)

#### Wind Loading, Survival

125 mph (200 km/h) in any position of operation

#### Wind Loading, Operational (Pedestal motorized)

45 mph (72 km/h), gusting to 65 mph (105 km/h) (motor drives)

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Temperature, Operational	-40° to 125°F (-40° to 52°C)
Rain	4 in (102 mm) per hour
Solar Radiation	360 BTU/hr/ft2 (1135 Watts/m2)
Relative Humidity	100%
Shock and Vibration	As encountered by commercial air, rail and truck shipment
Atmospheric Conditions	Moderate coastal/industrial areas.

Severe conditions require additional

2000 lb/ft2 (9770 kg/m2)

#### Pedestal/Tripod Slab Foundation Information

Soil Bearing Capacity Reinforcing Steel Concrete Compressive Strength Foundation Size:

284 lb (129 kg) 3000 lb/in2 (211 kg/cm2) 10.0 ft (3.05 m)

Length Width 10.0 ft (3.05 m) Depth 1.5 ft (0.5 m) Concrete Volume 5.56 yd3 (4.25 m3)

Note: Other typical foundation designs are available