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ANTENNES TONNA S.A. 132 Boulevard Dauphino1 51100 REIMS FRANCE

DIAGRAMME DE RAYONNEMENT CALCULE: 21 ELEMENTS LONG YAGI FREQUENCE: 432.0 MHz PLAN: H

GAIN CALCULE : 18.15 dB iso RAPPORT AV. / ARR. : 29.49 dB

ANGLE D'OUVERTURE A -3dB : 2 × 11.21 deg.







### ASSEMBLY INSTRUCTIONS

### 432 / 438 MHz 21 element F9FT ANTENNA

# IMPORTANT

When opening the package, check and compare all parts and hardware with enclosed part list. Then, thoroughly and carefully read the instructions.

#### ELEMENT ASSEMBLY

Each element is mounted on the boom with a special holder (#8 on pictorial sketch), made of glass fiber loaded polycarbonate. This holder is provided with a shaped hole in which an M5 nut (#22) is located. Each holder is held against boom with the M5x25 screw #9. DO NOT OVERTIGHTEN THIS SCREW !!. Note: an M5x25 hexagonal screw is used for directors D1 and D2 (#10).

On each element is provided a centering bump which must fit inside the centering cavity of the holder (See arrow on close-up D). First snap the holder on the element, taking care for proper centering, and mount the holder on the boom, with screw #9. The holder should be mounted as shown on the diagram (the hole is located BEHIND the element, when antenna is seen from rear). If not, spacings between directors, driven element and reflectors may not be correct any longer.

## CAUTION

The antenna still being on the ground, make sure that all element lengths decrease, from reflector R (longer element) through director D19 (shorter element); each successive element is either the same or shorter than the prior element, and must be properly centered on the boom. If not, performance of the antenna may be drastically reduced.

#### FEED-LINE AND DRIVEN ELEMENT

The feed-line is connected to the driven element (D(P) with a watertight type N connector set. The driven element is fitted with a built-in standard UG58A/U female receptacle. A standard UG218/U male connector is delivered as accessory with the antenna. Use RG213/U, or better coaxial cable whenever available.

A quarter wave filter, called "bazooka" (#11), is used to cancel the outer currents on the outer conductor of the coaxial line. A plastic hood (#14) is also provided, to avoid condensation around the connector, on the driven element.

Slide the hood on the bazooka, the broad end of the hood facing one end of the bazooka, and snap the mounting clamp (#12) on the other end; slide the bazooka on the coax, with the clamp #12 opposite to the coax end; mount the connector on the coax cable (See connector sketch for proper mounting on cable). Put the driven element case above mounting hole, and tighten with the Wing screw #9. Screw in the UG218/U connector on the UG58A/U receptacle, and finally tighten to boom the bazooka clamp. With M5 wing screw #9 and M5 nut #22. DO NOT OVERTIGHTEN THE SCREWS! Slide the hood around the ring provided around the coaxial receptacle, on the driven element (See close-up El and E2), and drill a "breathing" hole (1.5 mm or 1/16 ") on the lower part of the hood. Coaxial cable must run UNDER the boom and rear supporting leg, taping

occuring two or three times along the rear boom section and rear section of supporting leg.

# BOOM ASSEMBLY

Attach together the three boom sections with the clamp set #20 and M5x15 wing screws #13 (see close-up A). Then mount on boom the supporting legs with the clamp set #21; make sure the protruding stud inside the clamp fits into the provided holes on the proper boom section. The purpose of the stud is to prevent unwanted slipping of the clamp, when mounting and tightening (see close-up B). Tighten with M5x25 wing screw #9.



### MOUNTING OF ANTENNA TO MAST

The maximum useful mast outer diameter is 54 millimeters (2" 1/8). Mount on boom and supporting lege U-bolt #15, clamps #16 and #17, and first set of M6 nuts #19; tighten the assembly. Then slide on U-bolts clamps #18, and screw in second set of nuts #19. Finally run mast through both clamp set, and tighten boom to mast with nuts #19 (see close-up C).

### OPERATING HINTS

It is recommended to keep the antenna in local dominant wind direction, when not in use.

#### PART AND HARDWARE LIST

Diagram	# Description	Quantity
1	Rear boom section	1
2	Central boom section	1
З	Front boom section	1
4	Rear supporting leg	1
5	Front supporting leg	1
б	Black cap (rear)	2
7	Red cap (front)	2
8	<ul> <li>Polycarbonate element attaching jumper</li> </ul>	20
9	M5x25 stainless steel wing screw	24
10	M5x25 stainless steel hex screw	2
11	Quarter wave filter ("bazooka")	1
12	Bazooka mounting clamp	1
-13	M5x15 stainless steel wing screw	4
14	Protective hood	1
15	U-bolt, M6x80	1
16	Smooth-hole attaching clamp	8
17	Mast to boom attaching "alligator" clam	p 2
18	Mast tightening "alligator" clamp	2
19	Stainless steel M6 tightening nut	8
20	Boom attaching clamp set	2
21	Boom to supporting leg attaching clamp	set 2
22	M5 stainless steel nut	21

## ACCESSORY

TYPE "N" MALE CONNECTOR UG21B/U

### ELEMENT LENGTHS

"DX" Version (432 MHz) "ATV" Version (438 MHz) Elements Millimeters Inches Millimeters Inches Reflector 360 14 3/16 350 13 25/32 · 330 .\* Driven element \* 330 ¥ 13 12 25/32 330 Director 1 325 12 25/32 13 1 Director 2 12 13/32 320 12 19/32 315 2 Directors 3 - 4 305 12 3 305 12 Directors 5 ~ 7 300 11 13/16 4 - 5 300 11 13/16 Directors 8 - 12 290 11 13/32 6 - 7 295 11 5/8 Directors 13 - 15 285 11 7/32 8 - 15 285 11 7/32 Directors 16 - 17 280 11 1/32 16 - 19 280 11 1/32 Directors 18 - 19 275 10 13/16

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\* Overall length.

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