

Name: APSREC409V01**Description:****Type:** Space station, Receiving and Transmitting

Recommendation ITU-R S.1528-0 space station antenna pattern for non-GSO satellites operating in FSS below 30 GHz. Recommends 1.2.

Region(s): 123**Required Input Parameters:**

gain

Validation Warnings/Errors: None**Pattern Information:**

Ln = -15 dB

z = 1

Co-Polar Component:

$$G_1 = G_{\max} - 3 \left(\frac{\varphi}{\psi b} \right)^{1.5} \quad \text{for } 0^\circ \leq \varphi \leq a \psi b$$

$$G_2 = G_{\max} - 15 \quad \text{for } a \psi b < \varphi \leq b \psi b$$

$$G_3 = G_{\max} - 15 - 25 \log \left(\frac{\varphi}{b \psi b} \right) \quad \text{for } b \psi b < \varphi \leq Y$$

$$G_4 = 0 \quad \text{for } Y < \varphi \leq 90^\circ$$

$$G_5 = 0.25 G_{\max} \quad \text{for } 90^\circ < \varphi \leq 180^\circ$$

$$G = \text{MAX}(G_1, G_2, G_3, G_4, G_5)$$

where:

$$\psi b = \sqrt{1200} / (D/\lambda)$$

$$D/\lambda = 10^{\left(\frac{G_{\max} - 7.7}{20} \right)}$$

$$a = 2.58$$

$$b = 6.32$$

$$Y = b \psi b 10^{0.04 (G_{\max} - 15)}$$

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Recommendation ITU-R S.1528-0 space station antenna pattern for non-GSO satellites operating in FSS below 30 GHz. Recommends 1.3 for MEO.

Region(s): 123**Required Input Parameters:**

gain

Validation Warnings/Errors: None**Pattern Information:** $L_S = -12$ dB**Co-Polar Component:**

$$G_1 = G_{\max} - 3 (\varphi/\psi_b)^{1.5} \quad \text{for } 0^\circ \leq \varphi \leq \psi_b$$

$$G_2 = G_{\max} - 3 (\varphi/\psi_b)^2 \quad \text{for } \psi_b < \varphi \leq Y$$

$$G_3 = G_{\max} + L_S - 25 \log (\varphi/Y) \quad \text{for } Y < \varphi \leq Z$$

$$G_4 = 0 \quad \text{for } Z < \varphi \leq 180^\circ$$

$$G = \text{MAX}(G_1, G_2, G_3, G_4)$$

where:

$$\psi_b = \sqrt{1200} / (D/\lambda)$$

$$D/\lambda = 10^{\left(\frac{G_{\max} - 7.7}{20}\right)}$$

$$L_S = -12$$

$$Y = 2 \psi_b$$

$$Z = Y 10^{0.04 (G_{\max} + L_S)}$$

Name: APSREC411V01**Description:****Type:** Space station, Receiving and Transmitting

Recommendation ITU-R S.1528-0 space station antenna pattern for non-GSO satellites operating in FSS below 30 GHz. Recommends 1.3 for LEO.

Region(s): 123**Required Input Parameters:**

gain

Validation Warnings/Errors: None**Pattern Information:**L_S = -6.75 dB**Co-Polar Component:**

$$G_1 = G_{\max} - 3 (\varphi/\psi_b)^{1.5} \quad \text{for } 0^\circ \leq \varphi \leq \psi_b$$

$$G_2 = G_{\max} - 3 (\varphi/\psi_b)^2 \quad \text{for } \psi_b < \varphi \leq Y$$

$$G_3 = G_{\max} + L_S - 25 \log (\varphi/Y) \quad \text{for } Y < \varphi \leq Z$$

$$G_4 = 0 \quad \text{for } Z < \varphi \leq 180^\circ$$

$$G = \text{MAX}(G_1, G_2, G_3, G_4)$$

where:

$$\psi_b = \sqrt{1200} / (D/\lambda)$$

$$D/\lambda = 10^{\left(\frac{G_{\max} - 7.7}{20}\right)}$$

$$L_S = -6.75$$

$$Y = 1.5 \psi_b$$

$$Z = Y 10^{0.04 (G_{\max} + L_S)}$$

Name: APSREC414V01**Description:****Type:** Space station, Receiving and Transmitting

Recommendation ITU-R S.1528-0 space station antenna pattern for non-GSO satellites operating in FSS below 30 GHz. Recommends 1.3 adapted for HEO.

Region(s): 123**Required Input Parameters:**

gain

Validation Warnings/Errors: None**Pattern Information:** $L_S = -20$ dB**Co-Polar Component:**

$$G_1 = G_{\max} - 3 (\varphi/\psi_b)^{1.5} \quad \text{for } 0^\circ \leq \varphi \leq \psi_b$$

$$G_2 = G_{\max} - 3 (\varphi/\psi_b)^2 \quad \text{for } \psi_b < \varphi \leq Y$$

$$G_3 = G_{\max} + L_S - 25 \log (\varphi/Y) \quad \text{for } Y < \varphi \leq Z$$

$$G_4 = 0 \quad \text{for } Z < \varphi \leq 180^\circ$$

$$G = \text{MAX}(G_1, G_2, G_3, G_4)$$

where:

$$\psi_b = \sqrt{1200} / (D/\lambda)$$

$$D/\lambda = 10^{\left(\frac{G_{\max} - 7.7}{20}\right)}$$

$$L_S = -20$$

$$Y = \psi_b (-L_S/3)^{1/2}$$

$$Z = Y 10^{0.04 (G_{\max} + L_S)}$$

Notes on the implementation of Recommendation ITU-R S.1528

The Bureau has implemented four specific antenna patterns using Recommendation ITU-R [S.1528](#) as shown in Table 1 below.

TABLE 1
APL implementations of Recommendation ITU-R S.1528

| APL Name | Description | Comment |
|--------------|--|---|
| APSREC409V01 | Implements <i>recommends 1.2</i> | For $D/\lambda \geq 35$, does not require orbit categorization |
| APSREC410V01 | Implements <i>recommends 1.3</i> for MEO | For $D/\lambda < 35$ |
| APSREC411V01 | Implements <i>recommends 1.3</i> for LEO | For $D/\lambda < 35$ |
| APSREC4XXV01 | Implements <i>recommends 1.3</i> for HEO | For $D/\lambda < 35$ |

For the implementation of Recommendation ITU-R S.1528, the following classification of satellite orbits is used as shown in Table 2 below.

TABLE 2
Orbit altitudes for LEO, MEO and other
for implementation of Recommendation ITU-R S.1528

| Abbreviation | Description | Criterion |
|------------------|--|---|
| LEO | Low-Earth orbit | Orbit altitude < 2 000 km |
| MEO | Medium-Earth orbit | Orbit altitude between 2 000 km and 27 000 km |
| Other (GEO, HEO) | Quasi-geostationary, highly elliptical orbit | Orbit altitude above 27 000 km |

The selection of corresponding APL is done in the Bureau's GIBC PFD NGSO software when calculating pfd values for non-GSO satellite systems.

There is no need to capture specific APL number in satellite network submission. The general reference to REC-1528 should be used in antenna pattern type.