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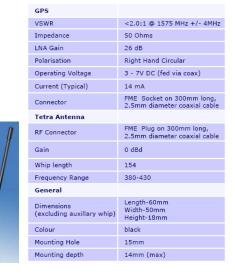
Introdu	action	

Maintaining Terminal performance and ensuring operational life of a communication system go hand in hand. Motorola have a full range of Antenna solutions that meet the needs of a wide range of user groups. The information in this bulletin is intended to supplement the information contained in the Operating Guides and Individual Data Sheets. The Antennas detailed are for the 380 -430MHz Frequency Bands. Refer to the associated General Information Bulletins for the 450MHz, 800MHz and 350MHz Bands.

Motorola Antenna Solutions.

1.0 GPS and Tetra Combined Antenna

The GPS and Tetra combined Antenna provide ease of installation, excellent Receiver Sensitivity and Transmission coverage, as can be seen from below Polar diagrams. Small aperture mounting Hole ensures trouble free installation. The GPS Antenna includes a 26dB Low Noise Amplifier (LNA) which is supplied via Coaxial feed with DC supply in the range 3.0 - 7.0V. For additional specifications refer to the individual Data Sheets.



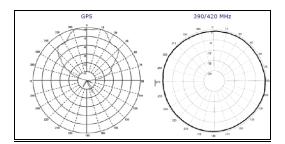


Fig 1. GPS and Tetra Combined Antenna

Fig. 2 Antenna Radiation Patterns

Motorola Terminal CLASS Options (order with radio):

G893AA	ADD: Antenna Combined Tetra / GPS 380 - 430MHz
G894AA	ADD: Antenna Combined Tetra / GPS 380 - 400MHz
G895AA	ADD: Antenna Combined Tetra / GPS 410 - 430MHz

Motorola Aftermarket Kit Numbers :

GMAE4248A	Antenna Combined Tetra and GPS 380 -430Mhz
GMAE4249A	Antenna Combined Tetra and GPS 380 -400MHz
GMAE4250A	Antenna Combined Tetra and GPS 400 - 430MHz



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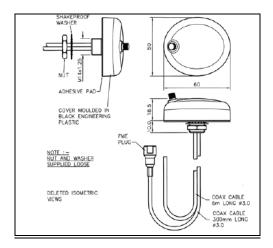


Fig. 3 Antenna Mechanical Drawings

2.0 GPS only Antenna

The GPS only Antenna is available in two versions direct Mount and Magnetic Mount. Direct Mount version can be Pole Mounted using suitable Right Angled bracket such as Motorola Part MNT62312B1. Note reducing Washers are required for the MNT62312B1.

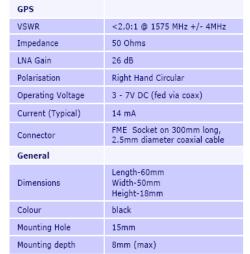




FIG. 4 GPS Only Antenna

Fig. 5 Antenna Receive Polar Diagram



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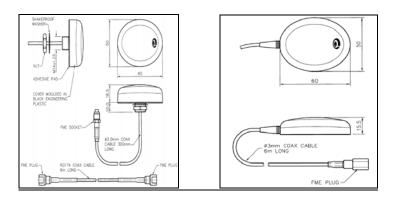


Fig. 6 Mechanical Drawing GPS Panel and Magnetic Mount

Motorola Terminal CLASS Options (order with Radio):

G896AA ADD: Antenna GPS Only Panel/Roof Mount
G897AA ADD: Antenna GPS Only Mag Mount

Motorola Aftermarket Kit Numbers :

GMAG4251A Antenna GPS Panel / Roof Mount
GMAG4252A Antenna GPS Magnetic Mount

3.0 Tetra Antennas – Alternative Styles

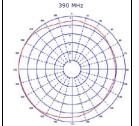
The following range of Antennas are available to suit the diverse requirements of Users and of course specialist Vehicles. The range covers traditional Glass Mount, Low Profile and also Antennas suited to discreet or Covert operations. These Antennas can be used in conjunction with the Stand Alone GPS Antennas described in Section 2.0 above.

3.1 Glass Mount

Glass Mount provides ease of installation coupled with solid performance. Whips are easily detached for General vehicle maintenance such as cleaning. Glass Mount provides a lower cost solution compared to other Antenna styles.



Gain	0dBd
Polarisation	Vertical
Freq Range	380-400MHz & 410-430MHz
Height	259mm
Mounting	External glassmount
Impedance	50 Ohm
Cable	5m URM76



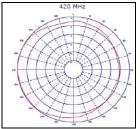


Fig. 7 Glass Mount Antenna

Fig. 8 Glass Mount Polar Diagrams.



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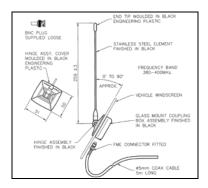


Fig. 9 Mechanical Drawing for Glass Mount

Motorola Terminal CLASS Options (order with Radio):

G898AA ADD: Antenna Tetra Glass Mount 380 -400MHz
G899AA ADD: Antenna Tetra Glass Mount 410 -430MHz

Motorola Aftermarket Kit Numbers :

GMAE4253A Antenna Glass Mount 380 -400MHz
GMAE4254A Antenna Glass Mount 410 -430MHz

3.2 Panel Mount Antenna

Panel Mount Antenna solutions are the preferred choice for robust installation and solid RF performance. A well sited Antenna correctly installed will give reliable and cost effective performance for many years. The choice of flexible Whip gives added protection against harsh environments and will withstand general maintenance such as cleaning.



Frequency Range (MHz)	380-430
Bandwidth @ 2:1 VSWR	10%
Gain: Isotropic	2dBi
Compared with 1/4 wave	0dB
Height Mounted (mm)	176
Hole Size (fitted from inside) (mm)	16
Hole Size (fitted from outside) (mm)	12
Panel Thickness (mm)	0-4
Cable Length (m)	5
Detachable Cable	✓
Flexible Whip	✓

Fig. 10 Panel Mount Antenna

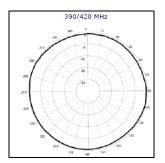


Fig. 11 Panel Mount Antenna Polar Diag.



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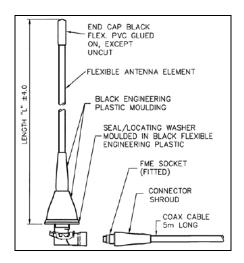


Fig. 12 Mechanical Drawings for Panel Mount.

Motorola Terminal CLASS Options (order with Radio):

G900AA ADD: Antenna Tetra Panel/Roof Mount 380 - 430MHz

Motorola Aftermarket Kit Numbers :

GMAE4255A Antenna Panel Mount 380 -430MHz

3. 3 Magnetic Mount Antenna

Magnetic Mount Antennas are by design suited to temporary installations and provide good RF performance. The adherence strength makes them suitable for a wide range of vehicle styles.



Frequency Range (MHz)	380-400
Pre-tuned Bands	S1
Bandwidth @ 2:1 VSWR	10%
Gain: Isotropic	2dBi
Compared with ¼ Wave	OdB
Height Mounted (mm)	165

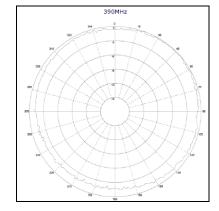


Fig. 13 Magnetic Mount (Band S1 Shown)

Fig. 14 Mag Mount Polar Diag.



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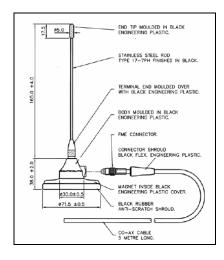


Fig. 15 Mechanical Drawing Mag Mount.

Motorola Terminal CLASS Options (order with Radio):

G901AA ADD: Antenna Tetra Magnetic Mount 380 -400MHz
G902AA ADD: Antenna Tetra Magnetic Mount 410 -430MHz

Motorola Aftermarket Kit Numbers :

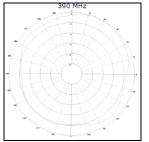
GMAE4256A Antenna Magnetic Mount 380 -400MHz
GMAE4257A Antenna Magnetic Mount 410 -430MHz

3.4 Covert Antenna

Simple Low Cost Covert or discreet Antenna solution based on a Glass Mountable strip (dipole). Provides ease of installation and fair RF Coverage



Gain	0 dBd/ 2 dBi
Polarisation	Vertical
Freq Range	S1: 380-400MHz S2: 410-430
Cable	3m 3.5mm coax, FME fitted
Configuration	Printed 1/2 wave dipole element
Orientation	Vertical, cable entry left or right
Mounting	Internal Glassmount Front
Dimensions	Length: 217mm Width: 19mm Height: 2.5mm (6.5mm at cable entry)



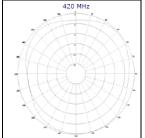


Fig. 16 Covert Antenna

Fig. 17 Covert Antenna Polar Diagram



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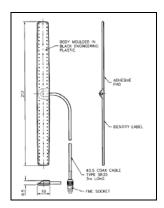


Fig. 18 Mechanical Drawing Covert Antenna

Motorola Terminal CLASS Options (order with Radio):

G903AA ADD: Antenna Tetra Covert 380 -400MHz
G904AA ADD: Antenna Tetra Covert 410 -430MHz

Motorola Aftermarket Kit Numbers :

GMAE4258A Antenna Covert 380 -400MHz
GMAE4259A Antenna Covert 410 -430MHz

3.5 Low Profile Antenna

Low Profile Antenna solutions are ideally suited to a wide number of Vehicles including Trains, Buses and where Antenna Height is required to be kept to a minimum. Robust solution in harsh conditions, RF performance is fair and provides a more directional profile which favor Track or Urban area Bus Route solutions.



0dBi
Vertical
380-400MHz
0.5m 3.5mm coax with FME Plug
Height: 45mm Width 160mm
M14 Centre bolt with adhesive pad
Integrated baseplate groundplane

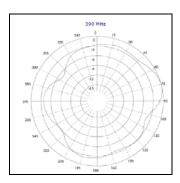


Fig. 19 Low Profile Antenna

Fig. 20 Low Profile Polar Diag.



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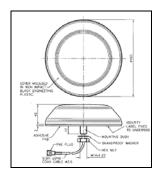


Fig. 21 Low Profile Mechanical Drawing

Motorola Terminal CLASS Options (order with Radio):

G905AA ADD: Antenna Tetra Low Profile 380 -400MHz
G906AA ADD: Antenna Tetra Low Profile 410 -430MHz

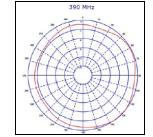
Motorola Aftermarket Kit Numbers :

GMAE4260A Antenna Low Profile 380 - 400MHz
GMAE4261A Antenna Low Profile 410 - 430MHz

3.6 Motorcycle Antenna

Motorcycle Antenna solution provides specific solution including inbuilt Ground plane and capability for Stand Off mount. The Antenna also provides excellent RF Performance. Whip is Flexible and plastic coated for safety.





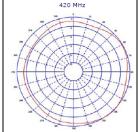


Fig. 22 Motorcycle Antenna

Fig. 23 Motorcycle Ant. Polar Diag.



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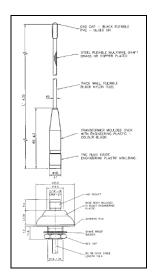


Fig. 24 Mechanical Drawings

Motorola Terminal CLASS Options (order with Radio):

G909AA ADD: Antenna Tetra Motorcycle 380 -400MHz
G910AA ADD: Antenna Tetra Motorcycle 410 -430MHz

Motorola Aftermarket Kit Numbers :

GMAE4266A Antenna Motorcycle 380 -400MHz
GMAE4267A Antenna Motorcycle 410 -430MHz

3.7 Wall Mount Antenna

The Wall Mount Antennas are simple low Duty Antennas suited to applications such as Sports Stadia, Shopping Malls, Rail or Bus Stations. The Installation is uncomplicated and the Antenna Kit includes integral Bracket. These Antennas are not intended to replace Fixed style Antennas.



Gain	OdBd
Polarisation	Vertical
Freq Range	410-430MHz
Dimensions	Height: 252mm Width: 32.7mm
Configuration	1/2 wave dipole
Fixing	4 screws to wall or other surface
Cable	8m Grey RG58 with TNC plug

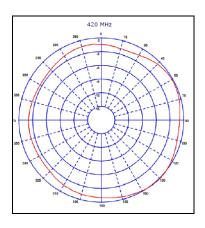


Fig. 25 Wall Mount Antennas

Fig. 26 Wall Mount Polar Diag.



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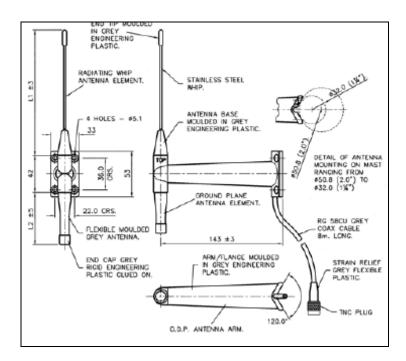


Fig. 27 Mechanical Drawing

Motorola Terminal CLASS Options (order with Radio):

G907AA ADD: Antenna Wall Mount 380 -400MHz
G908AA ADD: Antenna Wall Mount 410 -430MHz

Motorola Aftermarket Kit Numbers :

GMAE4262A Antenna Wall Mount 380 -400MHz
GMAE4263A Antenna Wall Mount 410 -430MHz

Individual Data Sheets are available on each of the above Antennas. These can be downloaded from Motorola On Line at:-

https://emeaonline.motorola.com/default.asp

Please also refer to the relevant installation guides supplied with your Tetra Terminal Equipment which contain general Antenna installation tips and important Safety information.

For additional information contact your Motorola Sales representative.