

SAILOR® 900 VSAT

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A new standard - now with more features and flexibility

2013 Product Sheet

The most important thing we build is trust

The SAILOR 900 VSAT is an advanced maritime stabilized Ku-band antenna system built with the same high quality and high performance that has made SAILOR the leading name in professional maritime communication equipment over decades. With hundreds of units shipped worldwide in a very short time truly set a new standard.

A Top Performer

SAILOR 900 VSAT is an easy and quick to deploy three axis stabilized VSAT antenna with the highest RF performance in the 1m antenna class. Verified by extensive Eutelsat tests, you can trust that SAILOR 900 VSAT works with any leading VSAT platforms in the market.

Reduce Cost

Every SAILOR 900 VSAT antenna system comes factory-tested, equipped ready-to-go with standardized top quality RF components (8W BUC, LNBS, OMT/diplexer) - and only one cable between antenna and below-deck. The antenna is shipped fully balanced, configured and does not need work prior to installation. This time and cost saving, plus the top RF performance make SAILOR 900 VSAT the most cost effective Ku-band antenna on the market to deploy.

Increase up Time

The decision to install VSAT on a ship stems from the desire to have always-on broadband connectivity at a simple flat rate fee. These networks are readily available from many providers (list upon request). Regardless of how and where you operate the SAILOR 900 VSAT, you can be confident of maximum availability because the system has several simple features to make sure your broadband connection is up, and stays up.

Two Antennas - One Modem

SAILOR 900 VSAT can operate two antenna systems on a single modem without the need for an extra box to manage that feature. This requirement arises when the vessel needs a satellite connection even when there are obstructions in the way. The two SAILOR antenna controllers manage the connection between satellite and modem.

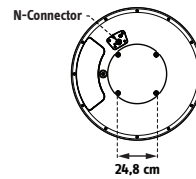
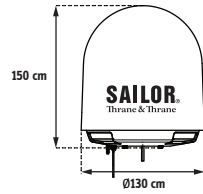
More Flexibility

During the coming years, new high throughput satellites (HTS) will come online. Most of the new HTS will operate on Ka-bands. The SAILOR 900 VSAT is now prepared for a possible conversion from Ku to Ka band operation. The result is a thoroughly updated electronics, and both a reflector dish and radome which are both tuned to both Ku- and Ka band frequencies already.



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SPECIFICATIONS

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| Frequency band | Ku / Ka-Band (VSAT) |
| Reflector size | 103 cm / 40.6" |
| Certification | Compliant with CE (Maritime), ETSI |
| System power supply range | 20 - 32 VDC (Start up voltage: 22 VDC guaranteed) |
| Total system power consumption | 370 W peak, 175 W typical |

FREQUENCY BAND

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| Rx | 10.70 to 12.75 GHz |
| Tx | 13.75 to 14.50 GHz (extended) |

ANTENNA CABLE

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| ACU to ADU cable | Single 50 Ω coax for Rx, Tx, ACU-ADU modem and power |
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ANTENNA CONNECTORS

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| ADU | Female N-Connector (50 Ω) |
| ACU | Female N-Connector (50 Ω) |

ABOVE DECK UNIT (ADU)

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| Antenna type, pedestal | 3-axis (plus auto skew) stabilised tracking antenna with integrated GPS |
| Antenna type, reflector system | Reflector/sub-reflector, ring focus |
| Transmit Gain | 41.6 dBi typ. @ 14.25 GHz (excl. radome) |
| Receive Gain | 40.6 dBi typ. @ 11.70 GHz (excl. radome) |
| System G/T | 19.9 dB/K typ. @ 12.75 GHz, at ≥30° elevation and clear sky (incl. radome) |
| BUC output power | 8 W |
| EIRP | ≥50.1 dBW (incl. radome) |
| LNB | 2 units multi-band LNB's (band selection by ACU) |
| Tracking Receiver | Internal "all band/modulation type" and VSAT modem RSSI |
| Polarisation | Linear Cross or Co-Pol (selected by ACU) |
| Elevation Range | -25° to +125° |
| Azimuth Range | Unlimited (Rotary Joint) |
| Ship motion, angular | Roll +/-30°, Pitch +/-15°, Yaw +/-10° |
| Ship, turning rate and acceleration | 15°/S ² and 15°/S ² |
| ADU motion, linear | Linear accelerations +/-2.5 g max any direction |
| Satellite acquisition | Automatic - w. Gyro/GPS Compass input |
| Vibration, operational | Sine: IEC 945 (8.7.2), DNV A, MIL-STD-167-1 (5.1.3.3.5). Random: Maritime |
| Vibration, survival | Sine: IEC 945 (8.7.2) dwell, MIL-STD-167-1 (5.1.3.3.5) dwell. Random: Maritime survival. IEC EN 60721-4-6 |
| Shock | MIL-STD-810F 516.5 (Proc. II), IEC EN 60721-4-6 |
| Temperature (ambient) | Operational: -25° C to 55° C Storage: -40° C to 85° C |
| Humidity | 100%, condensing |
| Rain / IP class | IEC 945 Exposed / IPX6 |
| Wind | 80 kt. operational 110 kt. survival |
| Ice, survival | 25 mm / 1" |
| Solar radiation | 1120 W/m ² to MIL-STD-810F 505.4 |
| Compass safe distance | 1.7 m / 67" to IEC 945 |
| Maintenance, scheduled | None (Tamb > 10° C) |
| Maintenance, unscheduled | All electronic, electromechanical modules and belts are replaceable through service hatch |
| Built In Test | Power On Self Test, Person Activated Self Test and Continuous Monitoring w. error log |
| Power OFF | Automatic safe mode |

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| Dimensions (over all) | Height: H 150 cm / 58.9" Diameter: Ø 130 cm / 51.3" |
| Weight | 126.5 Kgs. / 279 lbs. |

ANTENNA CONTROL UNIT (ACU)

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| Dimensions, Rack Mount | 1U 19" ACU HxWxD: 4.4 x 48 x 33 cm HxWxD: 1.75" x 19" x 13" |
| Dimensions, Bulkhead Mount | Stand-alone ACU HxWxD: 4.3 x 25.5 x 27.8 cm HxWxD: 1.67" x 10.0" x 10.9" |
| Weight, Rack Mount | 4.5 kgs. / 10 lbs. |
| Weight, Bulkhead Mount | 2.7 kgs. / 6 lbs. |
| Temperature (ambient) | Operational: -25° C to +55° C / -13° F to +131° F Storage: -40° C to +85° C / -40° F to +185° F |
| Humidity | IEC 945 Protected, 95% (non-condensing) |
| IP class | IP20 |
| Compass safe distance | 0.1 m / 4" to IEC 945 |
| Interfaces | 1 x N-Connector for antenna RF Cable (50 Ohm) w. automatic cable loss compensation 2 x F-Connectors (75 Ω) for Rx / Tx to VSAT Modem 1 x Ethernet Data (VSAT Modem Control) 1 x RS-422 Data (VSAT Modem Control) 1 x RS-232 Data (VSAT Modem Control) 1 x NMEA 0183 (RS-422) and prepared for NMEA 2000 for Gyro/GPS Compass input 2 x Ethernet (User) 1 x Ethernet (ThraneLink, service, set-up etc.) 1 x DC Power Input 1 x Grounding bolt |
| Input power | 20 - 32 VDC, 370 W peak, 175 W typical |
| Modem protocols (ABS) | iDirect OpenAMIP and custom protocol Comtech ROSS Open Antenna Management (ROAM) ESS Satroaming STM SatLink |
| Display | OLED (red) display, 5 pushbuttons, 3 discrete indicator LEDs and ON/OFF switch |
| No transmit zones | Programmable, 8 zones with azimuth and elevation |

VSAT MODEM

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| Modem types supported | iDirect iINFINITI 5000 series iDirect Evolution X5 Comtech CDM-570L/625L Comtech CDM-570L with ROSS (ROAM) Generic VSAT Modem Gilat SkyEdge II STM SatLink 2900 |
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