

Comtech Space & Component Technology Company Overview and Focus on Antennas and Radomes

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Space & Component Technology



EEE Components Group (Cypress, CA)

 EEE component supply chain management, procurement, test, quality assurance and engineering services for spacecraft and launch vehicle applications

Ground Stations Group (Cypress, CA)

 Design, software development, construction, operation & maintenance of ground systems for launch, tracking, command and control



Focus

XY Antenna Products Group (Plano, TX, and Cypress, CA)

 Supply of X/Y antenna systems, reflectors, radomes, hardware and software for LEO/MEO tracking applications

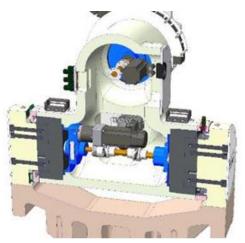


XY Antennas and Radomes



XY Tracking Antennas

- We specialize in <u>full-motion</u> satellite tracking antennas based in XY configurations
 - Fixed, Transportable/Deployable, User Terminals
 - UHF, L, S, C, X, Ku, Ka, Q, V-bands
 - Antenna size ranges from 30cm to 12+ meters
- Most extensive line of antennas based on the X/Y pedestal geometry in the industry; made for 20 years
- X/Y pedestal is ideally suited for tracking Low Earth Orbit (LEO) and Medium Earth Orbit (MEO) satellites







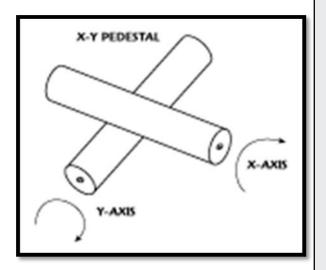
Primary X/Y Antenna Applications

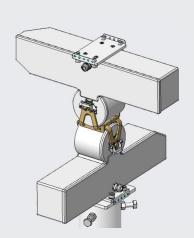
- TT&C, Data Gateways, and Communications for LEO/MEO and GEO constellations
 - Earth Observation/ Remote Sensing/Weather
 - Internet Broadband
 - Internet of Things (IoT)
 - Global Cellular/Mobility
- User Terminals for LEO/MEO constellations
- High Altitude Pseudo-Satellite (HAPS)/Unmanned Aircraft Vehicles (UAV) tracking



Technical Description – X/Y

- Our core range of ground stations are X/Y antenna systems
- Key benefits include:
 - No Zenith Keyhole
 - Full Hemispheric Coverage
 - No Cable Wrap
 - Two Identical Drive Chains
 - Simple and Low Maintenance
 - High Reliability
 - Low Power Consumption
 - Lower Production Costs
 - Flexibility of operation LEO/MEO/HEO/GEO
- We have used proven, existing mechanical ideas and applied them to antenna positioning, allowing us to offer a smaller, low-cost system with the same benefits as our larger antenna stations









Fixed Antennas – Gateways and TT&C



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Transportable and Deployable Antenna Systems



X/Y 1.6m K-band Deployable Split Case Mount



6.3m X/Y Antenna Trailer Mounted



X/Y 3.7 Meter S/X-band with Non-Ground Penetrating Mount



X/Y Antenna Trailer Mounted



New Global Constellation X/Y Antenna

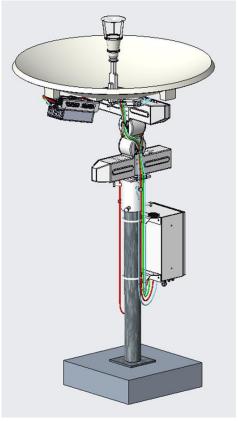
- Deployable and Fixed configurations
- Multiple Applications
- Holds up to 2.4-meter reflectors
- Lightweight 370 lbs (not including RF)
- Modular
 - Collapsible Tripod Frame
 - X/Y Motor Assembly can be disassembled
 - Carbon Fiber Reflector (number of panels depends on requirements)
 - Weatherized Electronics Enclosure
 - Can be transit case packaged, pallet mounted, or fixed
- In production Summer/Fall 2021





User Terminals and Micro Deployable Antennas

1.2m User Terminal



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Micro Deployable X/Y Terminal 30cm – 60cm, weight 20kg to 25kg



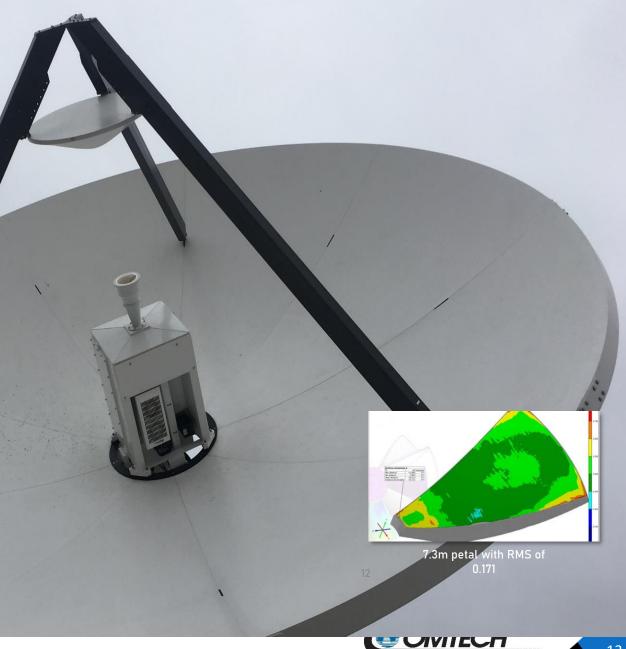


Carbon Fiber Reflectors

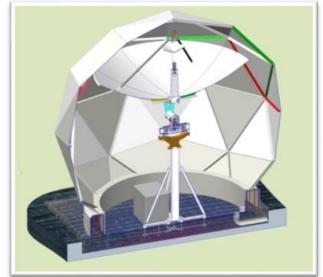
- Stability
- Resistance

Key Features:

- High Fatigue Resistance
- Reduces wear on drive componentry
- Integral electrical heating is possible
- Very low coefficient of thermal expansion
- Overall savings due to lighter, stiffer structures
- Minimal deflection with 100 km/hr wind loadings







Radomes

- Cover any kind of antennas (GEO, LEO, MEO, range, air traffic control, radar, etc.)
- Low loss radomes for UHF, L, S, C, X, Ku, Ka, Q, and V-band antennas
- Protection in difficult environments: wind, snow, dust, salt
- Size range: 2m 20m
- Multiple constructions:
 - Solid Construction -Thin skin framed onto a structural space frame
 - 'A' Sandwich 2 skins Foam Core
 - 'C' Sandwich 2 Skins 2 Foam Cores and Central loaded layer
 - 'S' PTFE (Teflon) Fabric and Space Frame
- High Performance, low RF losses
- Low cost



Radomes



Assembly of 3m S-band Type 1 in Radome



Warranty & Maintenance Support

- Systems designed with maintainability and reliability in mind
 - Low parts count and a modular approach to design
 - Low maintenance & high reliability built-in
- Designed for >15 year life
- Help Desks providing remote assistance
 - Remote operation diagnostics
- Service & Maintenance Contracts include offsite and onsite support
 - Worldwide installation teams able to cover any site in any country, and capable of operating in all environments
 - Preventative Maintenance & call-out visits
 - Service Level Agreements
 - Obsolescence Management
- Spares Packages



SCT Advantages

- Lights-out full remote operation, including Ethernet (TCP/IP)
 M&C, Http XML SNMP
- Low maintenance
- Well developed, mature Monitoring and Control Software and Graphical User Interface
 - Can be integrated with customer software
- Carbon fiber reflectors/dishes used on most of our antennas (lightweight, low coefficient of thermal expansion
 - We make our own carbon fiber reflectors
- Customer focus We can customize our standard products for specific customer needs

Summary

- Comtech -- specialists in LEO and MEO satellite tracking antennas
- Comtech has the most extensive line of X/Y antennas in the industry covering UHF, L through Q and V-band, with sizes ranging from 30cm to over 12-meters, along with radomes
- 20-year heritage of building X/Y pedestals and antenna systems
- The antennas and its operating software are mature systems with strong track records
- Carbon fiber reflectors/dishes used on most of our antennas (lightweight, low coefficient of thermal expansion)
- Comtech also manufactures Radomes
- Business rapidly expanding with growth in the LEO/MEO market
- Supporting commercial and government users worldwide
- Customer focus We can customize our standard products for specific customer needs



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