

Raymarine

## Safety notices



# Warning: Product installation and operation

This product must be installed and operated in accordance with the instructions provided. Failure to do so could result in personal injury, damage to your boat and/or poor product performance.

## **Caution: Power supply protection**

When installing this product ensure the power source is adequately protected by means of a suitably-rated fuse or automatic circuit breaker.

## **Caution: Use correct lifting point**

When lifting the antenna unit, always lift from the base plate. Do NOT use the antenna cover or damage to the cover could occur.

## **Caution: Do not damage connectors**

Take care to avoid damage to the connectors underneath the antenna base plate when moving the unit. Do NOT use these connectors to lift the unit.

## **Caution: Remove transit packing**

Before installing or operating the product, open the antenna unit cover and remove the foam transit packing inserts from the unit base.

## **Caution: Antenna coating**

Do NOT paint or apply any other finish to the antenna This could degrade performance beyond acceptable limits. Please carefully read and follow the installation, operating and maintenance procedures, to ensure optimum performance.

## **Geographic location**

Your STV system will operate in various geographic regions, dependant upon the type of satellite signal available.

Broadly speaking different regions around the globe use either circular or linear polarization for DVB satellite broadcasts. Each STV unit is configured to receive either Linear or Circular polarized signals.

Some examples of regions using circular and linear polarization are below.

#### **Circular polarization:**

North America

#### **Linear polarization:**

- Europe
- Australia
- New Zealand
- China
- Middle East

For further assistance please refer to your regional satellite service providers or Raymarine technical support.

#### **Changing location**

If you change your area of operation, you may need to arrange for modification to your STV system.

- Adjust the antenna low noise block (LNB) as appropriate for the area in which you are operating.
- Update the region information using your control unit (ACU) or a PC running the GUI software.
- Ensure that your satellite receivers (IRDs) will operate and receive DVB broadcasts at your new location.

**Important:** Please refer all servicing / component replacement to authorized Raymarine agents.

#### Satellite coverage

Up to date coverage maps and satellite information may be found on the appropriate website of your satellite service provider.

#### **Television reception**

For full functionality of your STV System, you must subscribe to the relevant service(s) from the appropriate service provider(s). Full details of service providers are given.

## **EMC** installation guidelines

Raymarine equipment and accessories conform to the appropriate Electromagnetic Compatibility (EMC) regulations, to minimize electromagnetic interference between equipment and minimize the effect such interference could have on the performance of your system

Correct installation is required to ensure that EMC performance is not compromised.

For **optimum** EMC performance we recommend that wherever possible:

- Raymarine equipment and cables connected to it are:
  - At least 1 m (3 ft) from any equipment transmitting or cables carrying radio signals e.g. VHF radios, cables and antennas.

In the case of SSB radios, the distance should be increased to 7 ft (2 m).

- More than 2 m (7 ft) from the path of a radar beam. A radar beam can normally be assumed to spread 20 degrees above and below the radiating element.
- The product is supplied from a separate battery from that used for engine start. This is important to prevent erratic behavior and data loss which can occur if the engine start does not have a separate battery.
- · Raymarine specified cables are used.
- Cables are not cut or extended, unless doing so is detailed in the installation manual.

Note: Where constraints on the installation prevent any of the above recommendations, always ensure the maximum possible separation between different items of electrical equipment, to provide the best conditions for EMC performance throughout the installation

#### **Suppression ferrites**

Raymarine cables may be fitted with suppression ferrites. These are important for correct EMC performance. If a ferrite has to be removed for any purpose (e.g. installation or maintenance), it must be replaced in the original position before the product is used.

Use only ferrites of the correct type, supplied by Raymarine authorized dealers.

#### Connections to other equipment

Requirement for ferrites on non-Raymarine cables

If your Raymarine equipment is to be connected to other equipment using a cable not supplied by Raymarine, a suppression ferrite MUST always be attached to the cable near the Raymarine unit.

## **Product disposal**

Dispose of this product in accordance with the WEEE Directive.



The Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment (WEEE)
Directive requires the recycling of waste electrical and electronic equipment. Whilst the WEEE Directive does not apply to some Raymarine products, we support its policy and ask you to be aware ofhow to dispose of this product.

## **Technical accuracy**

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# Introduction

## **Introduction to Raymarine STV**

Raymarine STV37 / STV45 is a digital satellite antenna system designed specifically for all types of vessels (anchored or transit) to automatically identify, track and capture satellite signals from the Digital Video Broadcasting (DVB: the international standard for digital TV transmissions) compatible satellites.

In details, Raymarine STV37 / STV45 has Wide Range Search (WRS) algorithm, which minimizes the search time during initialization, and Dynamic Beam Tilting (DBT) technology, which dynamically shapes the antenna beam to utilize stabilization. While tracking the target satellite, DBT technology uses a high-performance, constantly adjusting sub-reflector which allows the antenna to remain relatively still, eliminating the constant whine of stepper motors while staying locked on to the satellites.

The STV37 / STV45 has a built-in GPS system which enhances the speed of satellite signals acquisitions. In addition, the "Auto Skew" variant of the STV45 provides the embedded auto skew angle control system to maintain the optimal signal strength and increase the quality of satellite receptions in weak satellite single coverage area.



## Features of Raymarine STV37 / STV45

#### Enjoy satellite broadcasts at sea

Raymarine STV37 / STV45 is the most modern antenna system that enables you to receive a high quality broadcasting signal at sea, where the atmospheric and environmental condition are very harsh. This fully automatic control system allows you to simply turn the power switch on, and have crystal clear, high quality satellite television in motion or at anchor.

#### High quality antenna

High tech parabolic antenna technology has been adopted for this antenna system, which is optimal for marine conditions. This enables you to receive the optimal signal level even when it is raining or snowing.

#### Fast and efficient search for the satellite

The WRS (Wide Range Search) algorithm allows for the antenna system to search the satellite within the shortest amount of time and to detect the satellite signal under any position and with any directional movement of the vessel.

#### Easy installation and outstanding reliability

Raymarine STV37 / STV45 uses only one RF cable for installation. This makes installation easy. Power, RF and data signals transfer from the antenna to the ACU through this single cable. In addition, Raymarine STV37 / STV45 provides highly reliable system through the implementation of a modularized design, and the usage of strictly proven components.

#### **Built-in GPS**

The built-in GPS system enhances the speed of acquisition of the satellite signal and provides Raymarine STV37 / STV45 even higher performance.

#### **Ethernet Port for management**

The Ethernet Port on the rear panel of the ACU enables direct and simple network connection between a PC and the ACU. By connecting to ISP or the modem linked with VSAT systems, Raymarine STV37 / STV45 can be monitored, controlled, and diagnosed remotely from anywhere, anytime through the TCP/IP protocol. This not only can save tremendous time but also save the cost generated from the hundreds of routine maintenance activities such as operating firmware upgrades, tracking parameters resets, and system diagnostic.

#### Wireless Connectivity and Aptus mobile

The built-in WiFi enables the ACU to be wirelessly connected. Any kind of wireless devices such as PCs, laptops and smartphones can be used to connect to the ACU and monitor, control and change the settings of the system wirelessly. The Aptus mobile app is available for download to access the ACU via Wi-Fi and operate the antenna from iPhone, iPad or other network devices. iPhone and iPad are registered trademarks of Apple Inc.

Built-in automatic skew angle control system (STV45 Only) The automatic skew control system allows Raymarine STV45 to maintain the optimal skew angle at all times and ensure maximum level of satellite signal level receptions.

#### Raymarine's environmental test standards certified

These standards are much severer than a typical experienced marine equipment condition. All testes performed with one unit through all continued sequences. Raymarine standards meet LR and DNV standards as well as EN60945.

## **Basic System Configuration**

For your satellite TV system to function properly, the system will have to be connected with all of the provided components as shown on the right (Refer to the next chapter 'Installation' in this manual for more detailed connection instructions). Separate purchase of a satellite receiver and a TV is required.

Note: STV37 can only be connected to one receiver.

**Note 2:** Dish and Bell TV users please refer to the separate Dish MIM Installation and User Manual.

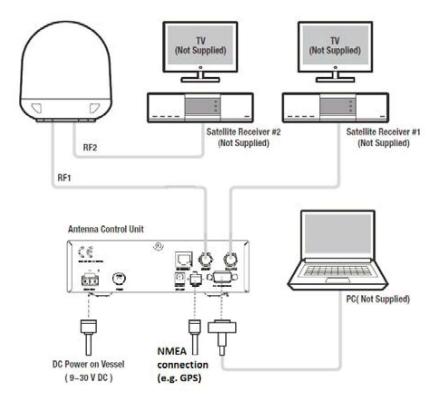


Figure 01: Basic Configuration with 2 Receivers

## Installation

The components of the Raymarine STV37 / STV45 are designed as a modular system so that it is suitable for simple installation on all types of vessels.

## **System Components**

#### **Antenna Unit**

The antenna of Raymarine STV37 / STV45 is comprised of the following components for optimum search and satellite signal reception.

- Mechanical Unit manipulates the antenna to receive the optimal satellite signal, regardless of the movement of the vessel.
- Control Unit controls mechanical operation of the antenna.
- ullet RF Unit transmits the optimum satellite signal to the receiver.
- **Radome** protects the antenna from the severe marine environment.

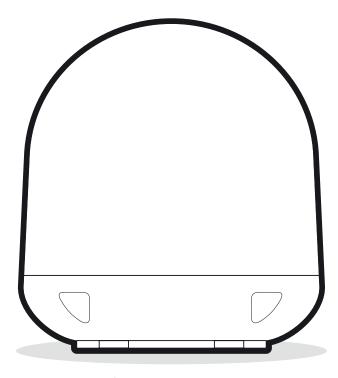


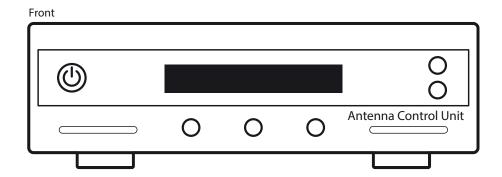
Figure 02 : Radome

#### **Antenna Control Unit (ACU)**

The Antenna Control Unit (ACU) provides the power to the antenna and controls the various settings of the antenna. The digital VFD (Vacuum Fluorescent Display) allows for easy operation of the ACU, even in the dark.

The functions of the ACU are as follows:

- Controls the antenna system
- Provides power to the antenna unit
- Monitors the antenna status
- Changes the target satellite
- Set up the user environment
- Set the current GPS information
- Set satellite information
- Move antenna manually
- Perform self-diagnosis of the antenna
- Set up the interface with a PC



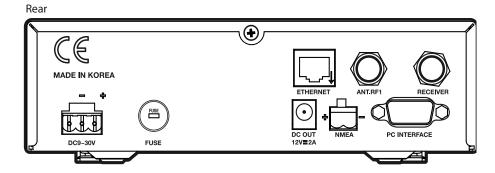


Figure 03 : Front & Rear of ACU

#### **Installation Kit**

Contains the items required for securing the antenna unit and ACU to the vessel.

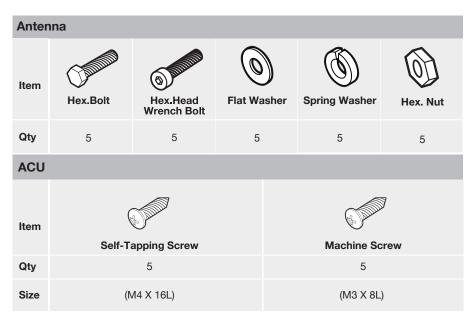


Figure 04 : Installation Bolt Kit

## **Other Components**

No	Components	Size	Qty
1	ACU Table Mounting Bracket	-	2EA
2	RF Cable (ACU to Antenna)	49ft (15m)	1EA
3	RF Cable (ACU to Receiver)	10ft (3m)	1EA
4	DC Power Cable	33ft (10m)	1EA
5	PC Serial Cable	6ft (1.8m)	1EA
6	NMEA Connector	AK950-2	1EA
7	Power Connector	AK950-3	1EA
8	Hex Bolt	M8x35L	5EA
9	Tapping Screw	ø4x16L	5EA
		ø3x8L	5EA
10	Flat Washer	M8	5EA
11	Spring Washer	M8	5EA
12	Aptus CD	-	1EA
13	User Manual	-	1EA
14	Mounting Template	STV37	- 1EA
		STV45	
15	Quick Installation Guide	-	1EA

Figure 05 : List of the Supplied Parts

## **Tools Required for Installation**

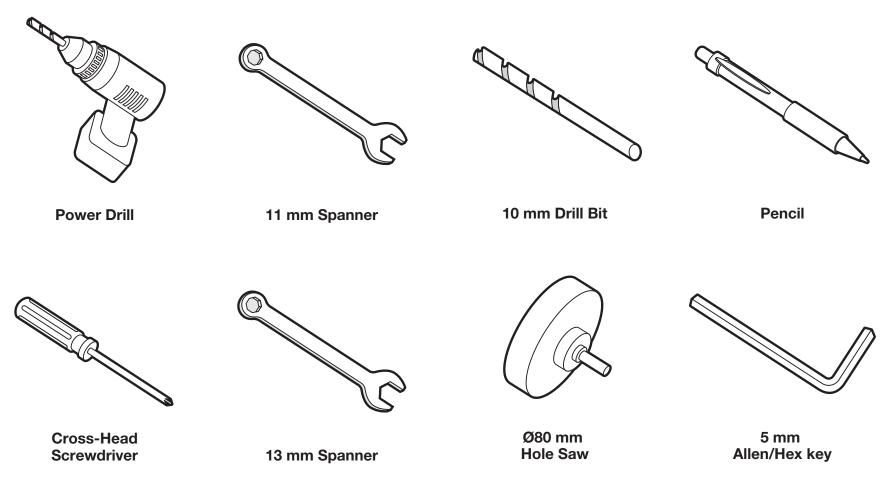


Figure 06: Required Tools for Installation

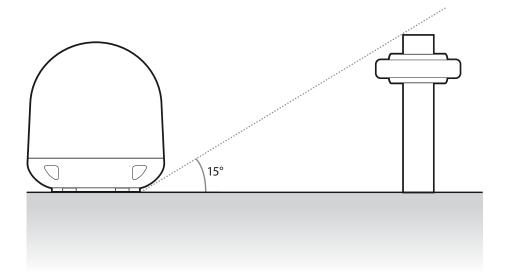
## **Planning the Installation**

#### **Antenna Unit**

Install the antenna in accordance with the following procedures to ensure maximum performance of the antenna. The antenna should be installed in a place where it has an all-around clear view of the horizon. Please be sure there are no obstacles within 15 degrees above the antenna. Any obstacles can prevent the antenna from tracking the satellite signal (Refer to the drawing on the right).

Do not install the antenna near the radar especially on the same plane, as their energy levels may overload the antenna front-end circuits. It is recommended to position the antenna at least 4 feet (1.2m) above or below the level of the radar and a minimum of 15 feet (6m) away from the high power short-wave radars.

The mounting platform should be suitably rigid and not subjected to excessive vibration. The movement of the antenna can be minimized by installing at the center of the vessel. For optimal performance of the antenna, it is not recommended to install at any corner of the vessel, where the movement of the vessel is the greatest. Install the bottom of the antenna parallel to the surface of the sea and fix tightly to the structure of the vessel. When setting the antenna down, be careful not to damage the RF connector. Striking the connectors on the bottom directly will damage the connector.



**Figure 07: Elevation Limit of Obstacles** 

#### **Cables**

Before installing the system cables, consider the following points.

- All cables need to be well clamped and protected from physical damage and exposure to heat and humidity.
- Cables with severe bends are not allowed.
- Where a cable passes through an exposed bulkhead or deckhead, a watertight grommet or swan neck tube should be used.

#### **Power Requirements**

Follow the power requirements to avoid damage to the system. The Raymarine STV37 / STV45 has been designed to work on a boat's power supply rated from 9  $^{\sim}$  30 V DC.

If your receiver(s) and television(s) require a 110V/240V AC power supply, you will need to install a suitable DC to AC converter to operate the unit(s) from your boat's DC power supply.

#### **RF Cable**

This cable is supplied at a length of 49ft (15m). If a longer length is required you should replace this cable with an extended RF cable, available separately.

#### **Extending the Cables**

The cables that have been supplied with your Raymarine system should be of adequate length to complete the installation on most vessels.

**Note:** Exceeding the indicated cable lengths will result in reduced performance of your system.

## **Installation and Mounting of Antenna**

The method of installation and mounting of the antenna may vary due to vessel design but the following procedures are applicable in most situations, and will result in a secure and effective installation.

#### Confirmation of Size Prior to Installation

- Check the height and diameter of the bottom surface of the antenna before installing.
- The space must be sufficient for installing the antenna unit considering the height and diameter of the antenna.
- The height and the diameter of the bottom surface of the antenna are as shown in the following drawings. If possible, install the antenna using a "power tower".

**Note:** Before installing the antenna, open the radome and remove the shipping constraints from the antenna interior. Reinstall the radome before operating the system. The system will not perform properly if the radome is open.

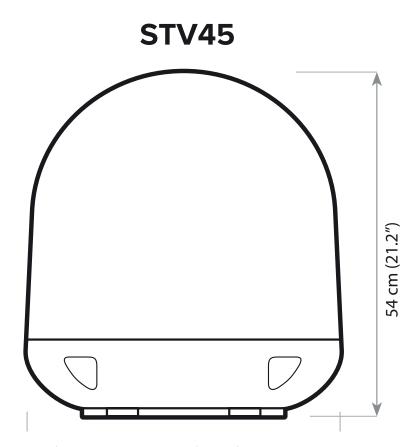


Figure 08 : Radome Dimension of STV45

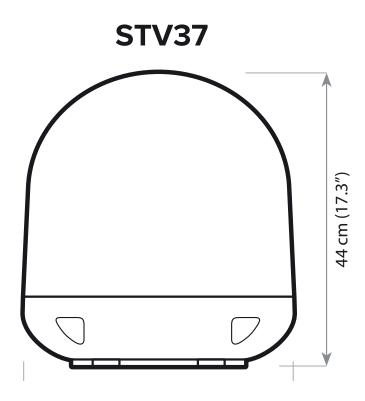


Figure 09 : Radome Dimension of STV37

## **Raymarine Satellite TV Antenna Systems**

#### **Marking the Antenna Mounting Position**

Referring to the mounting template, mark where the antenna will be mounted on board (it must be a flat surface) or on a separate "power tower".

**Note:** If a "power tower" is not suitable to mount the antenna, separate cable shock and waterproofing measures must be taken to protect the RF connector from being exposed to the sea water and external shocks. An exposed cable may cause electric shock and cause serious damage to the equipment.

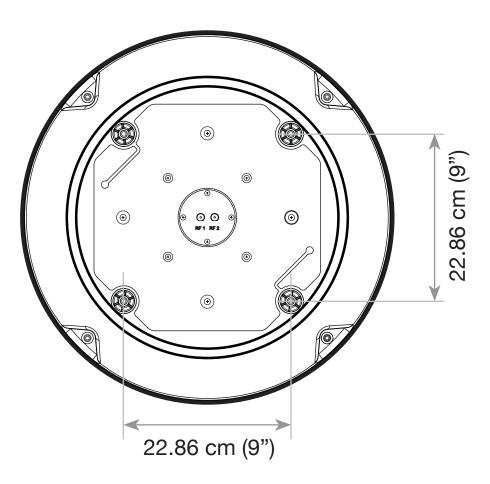


Figure 10 : Mounting Hole Position of STV45

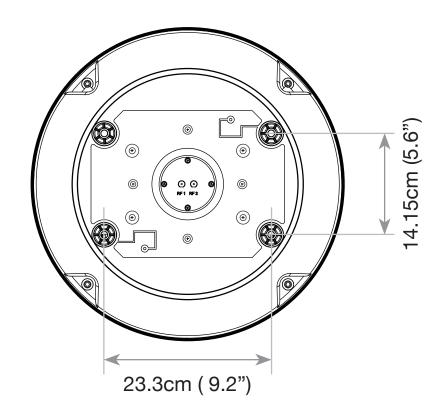


Figure 11: Mounting Hole Position of STV37

#### **Securing Holes for Bolts and Cable Ways**

Make 4 bolt holes of 10mm diameter, one at each corner of a rectangle drawn as below, and make a circular hole of 80mm diameter at the center of the rectangle through which the cable will run.

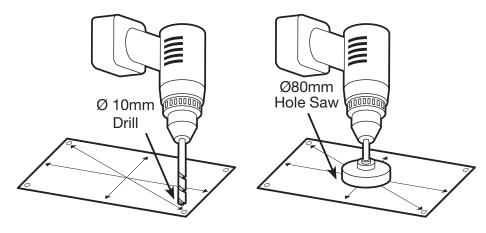


Figure 12: Drilling Instruction

#### **Connection of the Cable**

Remove the rubber cap from RF connector. Connect the RF cable to the RF connector under the base plate through the access hole using an 11mm spanner. Be careful not to over tighten, as you may damage the connector.

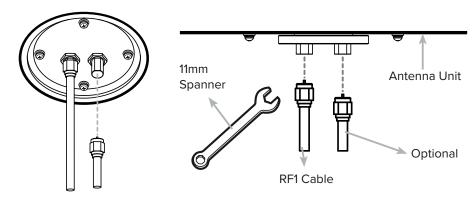


Figure 13 : Connectors on Bottom of Antenna

**Note:** Do not use excessive force or overtighten when using the spanner, as this will damage the threads. Be careful that the connectors do not touch the mounting surface of the antenna, this might cause a critical malfunction and serious damage to the equipment.

## **Mounting the Antenna**

Attach the antenna by using the hex head bolts (M8X35L), M8 spring washers, and M8 flat washers supplied.

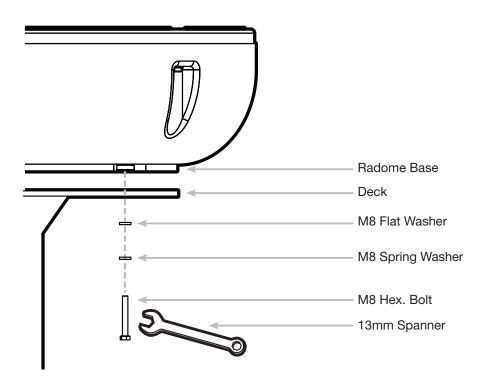


Figure 14: Mounting the Antenna

# Installing the ACU

## **ACU Dimensions**

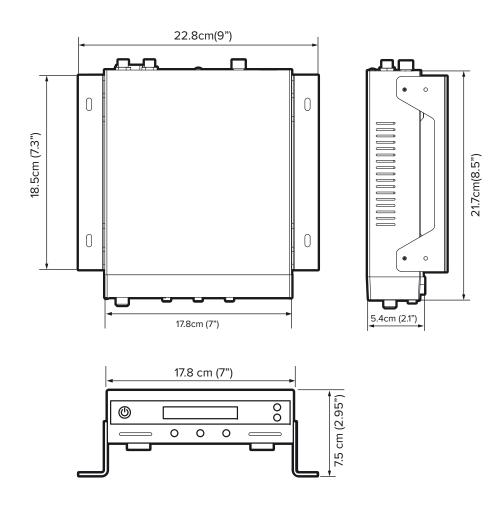


Figure 15: Dimension of ACU

## **Selecting the ACU Installation Site**

The ACU should be installed below deck, in a location that is:

- Dry, cool, and ventilated.
- Easy access from your main TV viewing area.

#### To Install the ACU

- 1. The ACU should be installed using the two supplied mounting brackets which allow for a top or bottom mounting configuration.
- 2. Using the self tapping screws supplied, attach the mounting brackets to the sides of the ACU.
- 3. Place the ACU in the location where it is going to be installed.
- 4. Connect the cables to the rear of the ACU.
- 5. Use a pencil to mark the 4 hole positions (two on each side), and use the appropriate drill bit to drill.

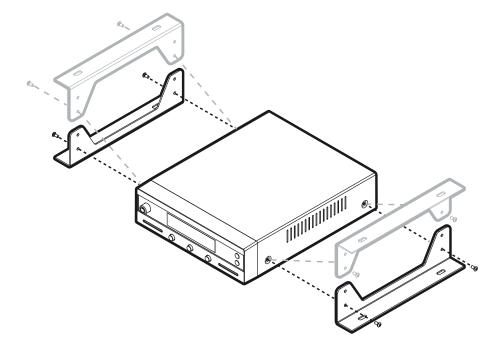


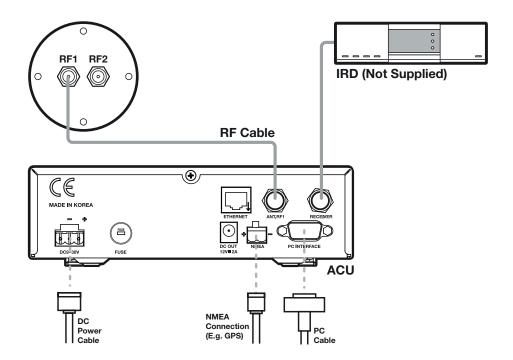
Figure 16: Installation of ACU

## Connecting the System Cables of STV37 / STV45

After installing and mounting the antenna, connect the ACU to the antenna. Refer to the drawing on the right to connect the cables.

#### **Single Receiver Connection**

- 1. Connect the RF cable 49ft (15m) from the RF 1 connector on the antenna base plate to the ANT. RF1 connector on the ACU.
- 2. Connect the RF cable 10ft (3m) from the receiver connector on the ACU to RF connector on the receiver.
- 3. Connect the DC power cable 33ft (10m) from DC power connector on the ACU to a power source from  $9^{\sim}30 \text{ V DC}$ .
- 4. Press the POWER ON switch on the ACU to start the operation of the antenna system.



**Figure 17 : Single Receiver Configuration** 

#### **Dual-Receivers Connection**

You can connect two receivers from your antenna as shown in the above diagram. The receiver connected to ACU determines which satellite is tracked, while the other receiver can watch any channel which is available from the tracked satellite.

As in the single receiver option the RF cables from the antenna base plate should be connected to 'LNB', 'ANT', or 'Satellite In' connector on the receiver.

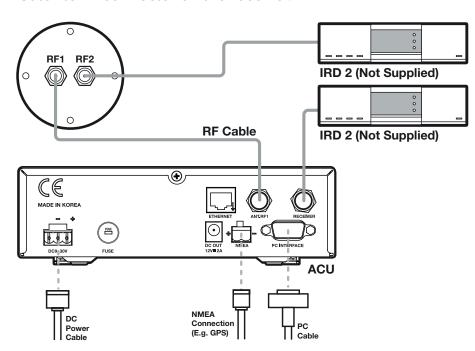


Figure 18 : Dual-Receivers Configuration

#### **Multi-Receivers Connection**

In order to connect a multi-receiver to the antenna, you will need to purchase a suitable multiswitch. The multiswitch has to be installed between the antenna unit and the receivers as shown in the following diagram.

\* Receiver 1~4: Not supplied

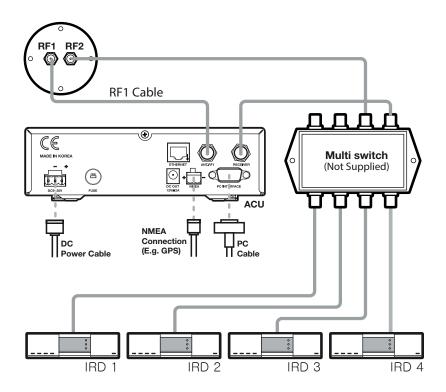


Figure 19 : Multi-Receivers Configuration

#### **Connecting the System Cables of STV37**

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#### **Single Receiver Connection**

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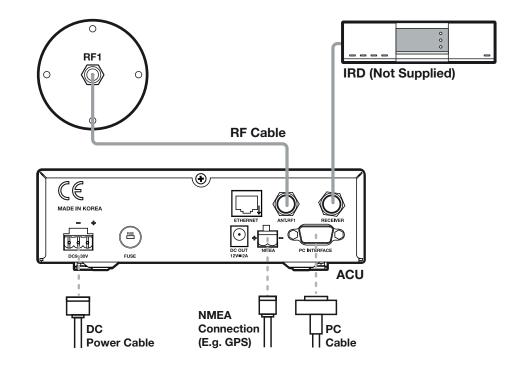


Figure 20 : Single Receiver Configuration

## Connecting the System to a GPS

Your satellite TV system has a built-in GPS. If the internal GPS doesn't operate properly, you can directly connect your boat's NMEA 0183 GPS to the system through the ACU's external GPS connector. To do this you will need a suitable cable to connect your GPS system and the green 2-way ACU GPS connector supplied with your Raymarine STV37 / STV45 Satellite TV System.

#### To Connect the System to a GPS

- 1. Strip back the insulation of each cable and connect a cable to each terminal of the 2-way connector.
- 2. Tighten the locking screws.
- 3. Connect the cable from the + (positive) terminal of the ACU GPS connector to the NMEA OUT wire of the vessel's GPS system.
- 4. Connect the cable from the (negative) terminal of the ACU GPS connector to the Ground Wire of the vessel's GPS system.
- 5. Refit the ACU GPS connector to the rear of the ACU.

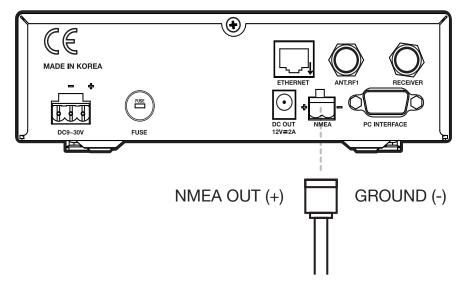


Figure 21: NMEA 0183 GPS Connection

## **DC OUT port**

The ACU provides DC OUT port for direct connection of an MIM (Multi-satellite Interface Multi-switch), or SDM (Shaw Decoder Module) which requires DC power input. The MIM can be connected to the ACU without AC-DC Adaptor.

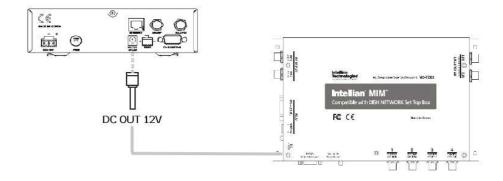


Figure 22 : DC out MIM

**Note:** The DC power cable is included in the component list of MIM.

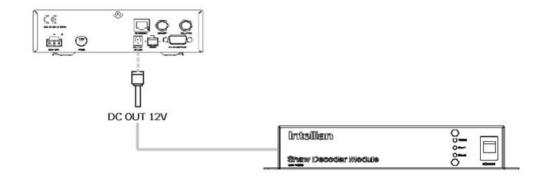


Figure 23 : DC out SDM

**Note:** The STV37 antenna system is not compatible with SDM devices.

## **Adjusting the LNB Skew Angle**

(Linear Polarization Only)

#### **LNB Skew Angle**

The LNB skew angle only needs to be adjusted when the target satellite is linear polarized. In order to receive the maximum satellite signal level, the LNB skew angle must be adjusted according to the calculation of current GPS location and target satellite.

It only needs to be adjusted when changing from one satellite to another, or when the vessel has traveled a significant geographic distance. It should NOT need to be readjusted if the vessel stays in the same location and is operating on the same satellite.

#### **Skew Angle Adjustment of STV37/STV45**

Polarization of your Raymarine STV antenna must be accomplished manually by the following steps.

- 1. Open the radome after switching power OFF.
- 2. Loosen 4 bolts of the connection of LNB and feed horn.
- 3. Turn LNB to place it to the angle indication of the back of the feed horn.
- 4. Tighten the 4 bolts.
- 5. Re-install the radome.

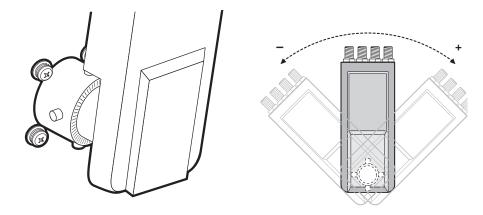


Figure 24 : Manual LNB Skew Angle Adjustment

#### **Auto LNB Skew Angle Adjustment for STV45**

Raymarine STV45 has an embedded auto skew angle control system. Therefore, manual adjustment of LNB skew angle is not required. The LNB skew angle is continuously adjusted automatically through of the calculation of current GPS location and target satellite. The skew angle of LNB is shown from the ACU and GUI Program.

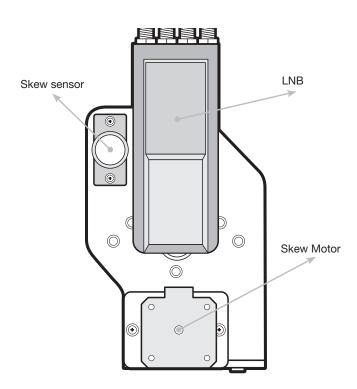


Figure 25 : Auto LNB Skew Angle Adjustment System

## **PC to ACU Communication Setup**

You can establish data communication between a PC and the ACU using one of the following methods.

# Serial Connection Connection through Serial Port

- 1. Connect a 9-pin Serial cable from the PC INTERFACE connector on the ACU to the 9-pin serial port on your PC.
- 2. If there is not a 9-pin serial port on the PC, use a USB-Serial adapter.

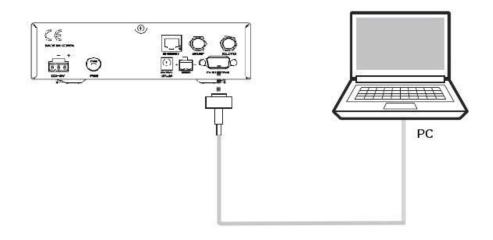


Figure 26: Serial Connection

## Wi-Fi Connection Setup Wi-Fi Connection

- Setting up the PC in order to access Wi-Fi
  - 1. Connect Wi-Fi.

After clicking on the Windows Wireless

Connection icon, click on i-AP(default).

- 2. By default, the connection security is opened.
- 3. Use the ACU's IP address to access Aptus®
  - Default: 192.168.1.223

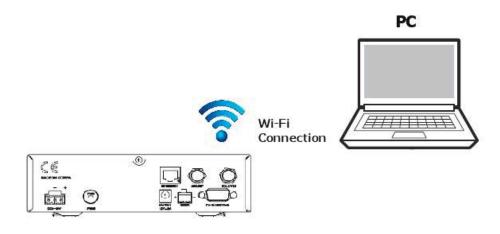


Figure 27: ACU to PC Wifi Connection

# TCP/IP Connection Connection through Rear Panel Ethernet Port

This method requires separate IP configuration on a PC.

- 1. Connect an Ethernet cable from a PC Ethernet port to the Ethernet port on the back of the ACU.
- 2. Go to Control Panel > Network and Sharing Center > Change Adapter Settings and right-click on the Local Area Connection, then click Properties.
- 3. Select TCP/IPv4, then click Properties.
- 4. Change the network settings on a PC;

• IP Address: 192.168. 0.222

• Subnet Mask: 255.255.255.0

• Gateway: 192.168.0.223

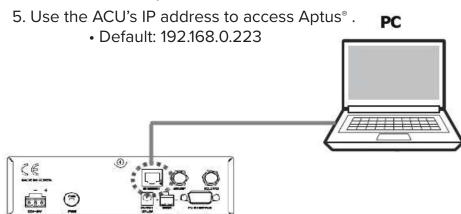


Figure 28 : ACU to PC TCP/IP Connection

# **Operation Instruction**

#### Introduction

This section of the handbook describes how to setup your Satellite TV System after installing the ACU. It includes the following functions:

- Start up.
- Changing target satellite.
- Monitoring the current status of the antenna.
- Sleep mode.

#### **Setup Mode**

- Begin setup mode.
- Setting the satellite pair.
- Setting GPS.
- Edit satellite information.
- Setting the antenna parameters.
- Setting the LNB local frequency.
- Setting the DiSEqC method.
- Display versions.
- Display power.
- Setting remote control.
- Setting antenna go position.
- Setting antenna move step.
- Executing antenna diagnosis.
- Setting region.
- Setting the factory default parameters.

**Note:** Many of the above functions will only be required after initial installation of your system. Refer to the Quick Installation Guide before operating the system.

# Operating the ACU

## **ACU Soft Keys**

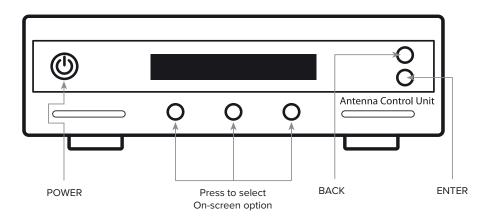


Figure 29: ACU Soft Keys

#### **Normal Mode**

#### Start Up

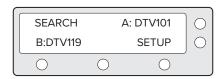
With the system installed and power applied, the ACU screen will show the following sequence:



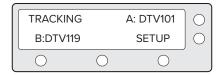
 Data communication is being established between the antenna and the ACU. The ACU is initialized.



2. The antenna is initialized.



3. The antenna is searching for Satellite A.



4. The antenna has located the satellite and is now tracking.

**Note:** The operation method is exactly the same for STV37 and STV45. However, the following instruction will be described using the STV37 as an example.

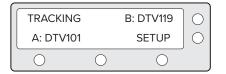
#### **Changing Target Satellite**

Your antenna is programmed with either two (Dual-Sat mode) or three (Tri- Sat mode) candidates of target satellites as default mode. To change the target satellite, press the LEFT soft key. The target satellite is changed and is automatically tracked by the antenna.

#### **Dual-Sat Mode**

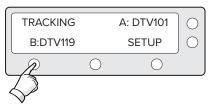


1. Press LEFT soft key for tracking Satellite B.

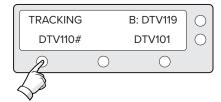


2. The antenna is tracking Satellite B.

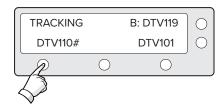
#### Tri-Sat Mode



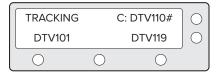
1. Press LEFT soft key for tracking Satellite B.



2. The antenna is tracking Satellite B.



3. Press LEFT soft key for tracking Satellite C.

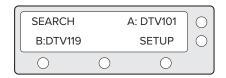


4. The antenna is tracking Satellite C.

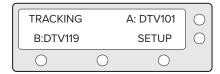
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#### **Monitoring the Current Status of the Antenna**

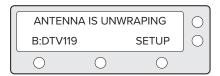
When the ACU power is on, it displays the status of the antenna. The current status of the antenna is displayed as shown below.



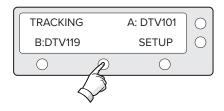
1. The antenna is searching Satellite A.



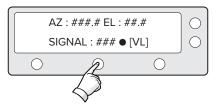
2. The antenna is tracking Satellite A.



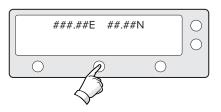
3. The antenna is winding/unwinding the cables in the antenna.



4. The antenna is again tracking Satellite A. Press center soft key to display position detail.



5. Antenna position detail and signal strength are displayed.



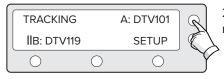
6. Press center soft key to display current GPS information. Press center soft key to return to main tracking mode.

#### Sleep Mode

If the antenna loses the tracking satellite while in sleep mode, sleep mode will be cancelled.



1. Press BACK to enter sleep mode.

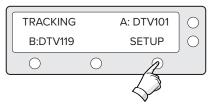


2. Press BACK again for exiting sleep mode.

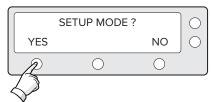
## **Setup Mode**

#### **Begin Setup Mode**

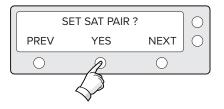
To enter the Setup Mode simply follow the instructions below.



1. While the antenna is tracking press SETUP



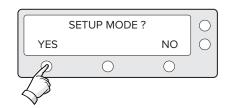
2. Press YES to enter setup mode.



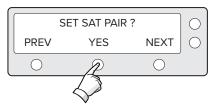
3. Press YES to set the satellite pair.

#### **Setting the Satellite Pair**

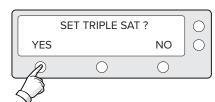
You can change the satellite pair if you decide to receive satellite television service from a different service provider.



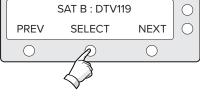
1. Press YES to enter setup mode.



2. Press YES to set satellite pair.

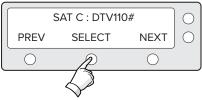


3. Press YES to set triple satellites.



5. Set satellite B

Press PREV to show previous satellite name. Press SELECT to set chosen satellite to SAT B. Press NEXT to show next satellite name.

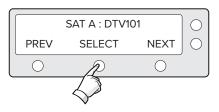


6. Set satellite C

Press PREV to show previous satellite name. Press SELECT to set chosen satellite to SAT C. Press NEXT to show next satellite name.



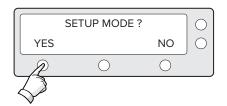
 Press YES to save selections.
 Press NO to cancel and return to main setup mode.



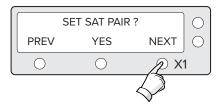
Set satellite A
 Press PREV to show previous satellite name.
 Press SELECT to set chosen satellite to SAT A.
 Press NEXT to show next satellite name.

## **Setting GPS**

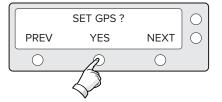
It is possible to set up and modify the GPS information, which enhances the antenna functionality.



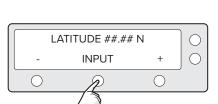
1. Press YES to enter setup mode.



2. Press NEXT to enter GPS setup mode.



3. Press YES to set GPS.



LONGITUDE ###.## E

**INPUT** 

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6. Input the latitude data.

+ increases the value. - decreases the value. Change the underscored digit using the +/- buttons.

Press INPUT to accept the value and move to next digit.

Press BACK to move to previous digit.

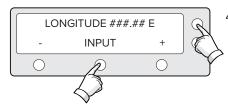
5. Press ENTER to move to next screen.

Press BACK to move to previous screen.



7. Press YES to accept data.

Press NO to cancel and return to main setup mode.



4. Input the longitude data.

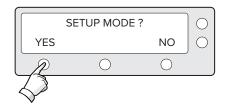
+ increases the value. - decreases the value. Change the underscored digit using the +/-

Change the underscored digit using the +/ buttons.

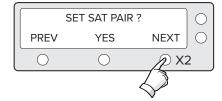
Press INPUT to accept the value and move to next digit. Press BACK to move to previous digit.

#### **Edit Satellite Information**

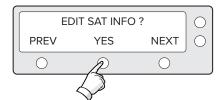
It is possible to modify the existing satellite information and input new satellite information into the ACU as well. However, this mode is not recommended for novice satellite service users.



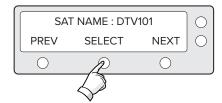
1. Press YES to enter setup mode.



2. Press NEXT twice to enter edit satellite info mode.



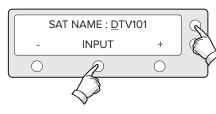
3. Press YES to edit satellite info.



4. Set the satellite name.

PREV - Shows previous satellite name. SELECT - Select the displayed satellite for editing.

NEXT - Shows next satellite name. Press ENTER to move to next screen.



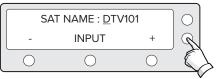
5. Input the satellite name.

+ increases the value. - decreases the value. Change the underscored digit using the

+/- buttons.

Press INPUT to accept the value and move to next digit.

Press BACK to move to previous digit.



Press ENTER to move to next screen.Press BACK to return to previous screen.

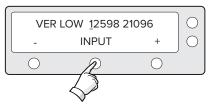


7. Input the satellite position.

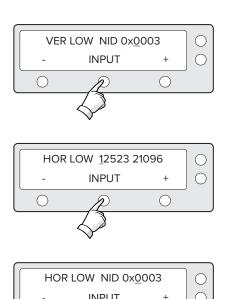
+ increases the value. - decreases the value. Change the underscored digit using the +/- buttons.

Press INPUT to accept the value and move to next digit.

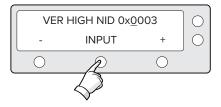
Press BACK to move to previous digit.



8. Input the tracking frequency (MHz) and symbol rate (KHz) for vertical low band.

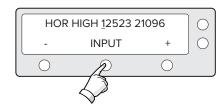


9. Input the network ID (NID) for vertical low band.

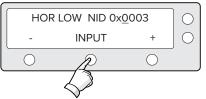


13. Input the network ID (NID) for vertical high band.

10. Input the tracking frequency (MHz) and symbol rate (KHz) for horizontal low band.



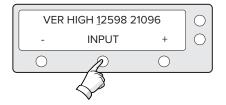
14. Input the tracking frequency (MHz) and symbol rate (KHz) for horizontal high band.



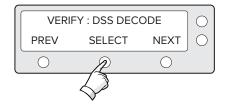
11. Input the network ID (NID) for horizontal low band.



15. Input the network ID (NID) for horizontal high band.

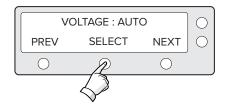


12. Input the tracking frequency (MHz) and symbol rate (KHz) for vertical high band.



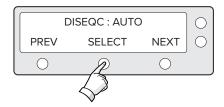
16. Select the **Verification Method\*** of tracking satellite.

PREV - Shows previous method.
SELECT - Set the displayed method.
NEXT - Shows next method.



17. Select the **Voltage Supply Method\*** to LNB.

(AUTO is recommended)



18. Select the **DISEQC Method\***. (AUTO is recommended)



19. Press YES to save the input information. Press NO to cancel and return to main setup mode.

#### **Verification Method\***

SIGNAL - use only signal level for tracking
DVB LOCK - use only DVB Lock signal for tracking
DVB DECODE - verify satellite using DVB decoding method for tracking
DSS DECODE - decode only DSS Lock signal for tracking

#### Voltage Supply Method\*

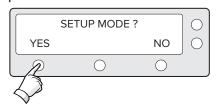
AUTO – Supply 13V or 18V to LNB ONLY 13 V - always supply 13 V to LNB ONLY 18 V - always supply 18 V to LNB

#### **DISEQC Method\***

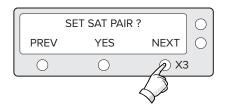
AUTO – Supply 0KHz tone or 22KHz tone to LNB ONLY 0 KHz – always supply 0KHz tone to LNB ONLY 22 KHz – always supply 22KHz tone to LNB

#### **Setting the Antenna Parameters**

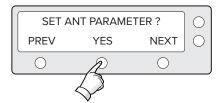
This mode is not recommended for novice satellite service users. Consult Technical Support for changing antenna parameters.



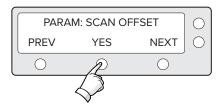
1. Press YES to enter setup mode.



2. Press NEXT three times to enter set antenna parameter mode.



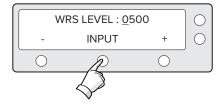
3. Press YES to set antenna parameter.



4. Select the **PARAM**\*.

PREV - Shows previous parameter. SELECT - Set the displayed parameter. NEXT - Shows next parameter.

Press ENTER to move to next screen.



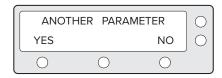
5. Input the WRS LEVEL.

+ increases the value. - decreases the value. Change the underscored digit using the +/-buttons.

Press INPUT to accept the value and move to next digit.

Press BACK to move to previous digit.

Press ENTER to move to next screen.



6. Press YES to set up another parameter.
Press NO to cancel and return to main setup mode.



7. Press YES to save the input information.
Press NO to cancel and return to main setup mode.

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**Power Level** 

V and 18 V.

The power level is to distinguish the voltage between 13

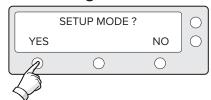
PARAM*			
Scan Offset	The scan offset is to offset the angle difference between the black marker on the sub-reflector and the optical sensor.	DiSEqC Level	The DiSEqC level is to distinguish OKHz tone and 22KHz tone.
Track Scale	The track scale is to control the tracking speed while antenna is tracking the satellite.	Offset RH-LH	The offset RH-LH is to offset the signal difference between RHCP and LHCP.
Detect Level	The detect level is to set the satellite signal detection level.	EL Offset	The EL offset is to offset the angle difference between the mechanical elevation angle and actual elevation angle.
WRS Level	The WRS level is to set the WRS detection level.	Use WRS	Use WRS is to determine whether the system uses WRS level or not. "Use WRS" and "WRS Level" are pair functions.
Track Offset	The tracking offset is to offset the satellite signal tracking level.	Offset Difference	Offset difference is to determine whether the system to uses "Offset RH-LH" or not. "Offset Difference" and "Offset RH-LH" are pair functions.

system

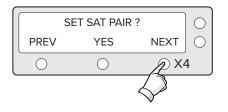
#### **Setting the LNB Local Frequency**

It is possible to select a local frequency from ACU. However, this mode is not recommended for novice satellite service users.

#### Case1. Single band LNB is used.



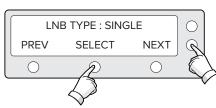
1. Press YES to enter setup mode.



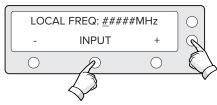
2. Press NEXT four times to enter set local frequency mode.



3. Press YES to set local frequency.



4. Select the **LNB Type\*** - SINGLE.
PREV - Shows previous LNB type.
SELECT - Set the displayed LNB type.
NEXT - Shows next LNB type.
Press ENTER to move to next screen.



5. Input the local frequency of LNB.

+ increases the value. - decreases the value.

Change the underscored digit using the

+/-buttons.

Press INPUT to accept the value and move to next digit.

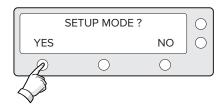
Press BACK to move to previous digit.

Press ENTER to move to next screen.



Press YES to accept the data.Press NO to cancel and return to main setup mode.

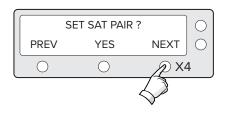
## Case 2. Universal LNB is used (Low band local frequency-9750 MHz/ High band local frequency 10600 MHz).



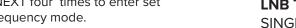
1. Press YES to enter setup mode.

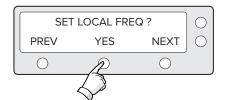


5. Press YES to accept the data. Press NO to cancel and return to main setup mode.



2. Press NEXT four times to enter set local frequency mode.



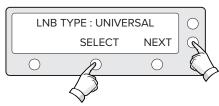


3. Press YES to set local frequency.

# **LNB Type\***

SINGLE: Single Band LNB Asia 11300 MHz, Japan 10678 MHz, Korea 10750 MHz, America 11250 MHz

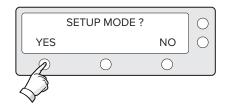
**UNIVERSAL**: Universal LNB Low band local frequency - 9750 MHz High band local frequency - 10600 MHz



4. Select the **LNB Type\*** - UNIVERSAL. PREV - Shows previous LNB type. SELECT - Set the displayed LNB type. NEXT - Shows next LNB type. Press ENTER to move to next screen.

#### **Setting the DiSEqC Method**

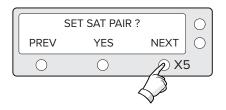
DiSEqC selection can be made from ACU. This mode is not recommended for a novice satellite service user.



1. Press YES to enter setup mode.



5. Press YES to accept the selection.
Press NO to cancel and return to main setup mode.



2. Press NEXT five times to enter DIS-EQC mode.



DO NOT USE DISEQC - DiSEqC is not being used.

USE TO CHANGE BAND - DiSEqC is being used to change to low and high band.

USE TO CHANGE SAT - DiSEqC is being used to change tracking satellite.



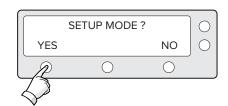
3. Press YES to use DISEQC.



4. Select the **DiSEqC Method\*** PREV - Shows previous DiSEqC Method. SELECT/ENTER - Set the displayed DiSEqC method. NEXT - Shows next DiSEqC Method. Press ENTER to move to next screen.

#### **Setting the Use of DiSEqC 1.2**

If DiSEqC 1.2 protocol is in use on your receiver, enable the DiSEqC 1.2 setting on the ACU to process the DiSEqC 1.2 command.

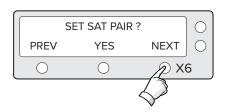


1. Press YES to enter setup mode.



4. Set the USE DiSEqC 1.2 to a desired option\*. PREV - Shows previous option (YES/NO) SELECT/ENTER - Set the displayed option for DiSEqC 1.2.

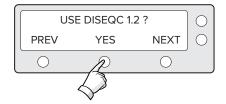
NEXT - Shows next option (YES/NO)
Press ENTER to move to next screen.



2. Press NEXT six times to enter the Use DiSEqC 1.2 menu.



Press YES to accept the data.Press NO to cancel and return to main setup mode.



3. Press YES to set the use of DiSEqC 1.2.

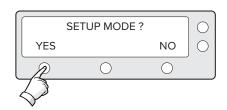
#### Options for 'USE DiSEqC 1.2'

YES - Select this option if the DiSEqC 1.2 is used.

NO - Select this option if the DiSEqC 1.2 is not used.

#### **Setting the LNB Skew**

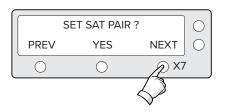
(This menu is available only for STV45)



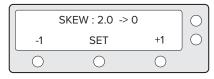
1. Press YES to enter setup mode.



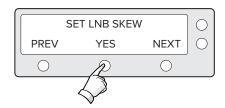
5. Press SELECT to set the LNB skew angle manually.



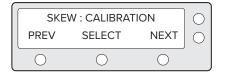
2. Press NEXT seven times to enter the Set LNB Skew menu.



6. Press SET to save the changed LNB skew angle.



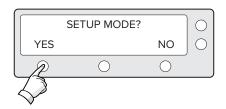
3. Press YES to set the LNB Skew menu.



4. Press SELECT to calibrate LNB skew angle or press NEXT to enter 'Skew: Manual' option.

#### **Display Versions**

This sequence enables you to see what version of antenna and ACU software are installed on your system.

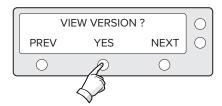


1. Press YES to enter setup mode.

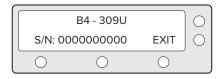


2. Press NEXT seven times to enter view version mode .

(\*STV45 : Press NEXT eight times)

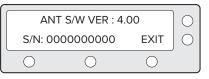


3. Press YES to view version.



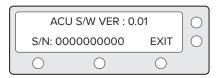
4. Antenna product name and S/N are shown.

Press EXIT to return to main setup mode.



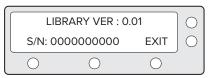
5. Antenna software version and S/N are shown.

Press EXIT to return to main setup mode.



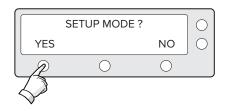
6. ACU software version and S/N are shown.

Press EXIT to return to main setup mode.

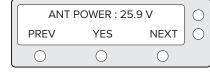


7. Library version and S/N are shown. Press EXIT to return to main setup mode.

## **Display Power**



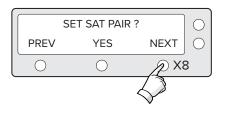
1. Press YES to enter setup mode.



5. Antenna voltage is shown.

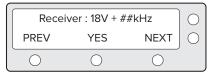
Press center soft key to view receiver Voltage and frequency.

Press EXIT to return to main setup mode.



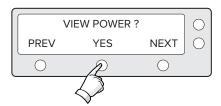
2. Press NEXT eight times to enter view power mode.

(\*STV45 : Press NEXT nine times)

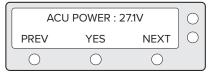


6. Receiver voltage and frequency are shown.

Press EXIT to return to main setup mode.



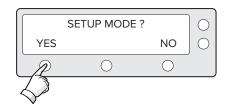
3. Press YES to view power.



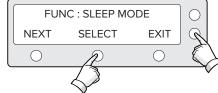
4. ACU voltage is shown.

Press any key to return to main setup mode.

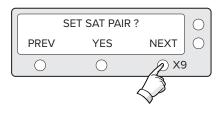
## **Setting Remote Control**



1. Press YES to enter setup mode.



5. SELECT/ENTER - Registers a key on remote control.



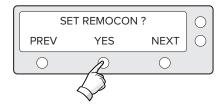
2. Press NEXT nine times to enter remote control setting mode .

(\*STV45 : Press NEXT ten times)



Point remote control to ACU.
 Press any key on remote control for selected
 function and press the same key again for confirmation. Press BACK to move to previous
 screen.

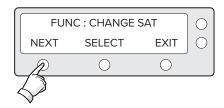
Press EXIT to return to main setup mode.



3. Press YES to set remote control.



7. If failed to press the same key twice, TRY AGAIN will be displayed.



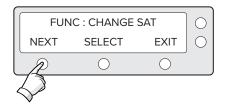
4. Select the **Function**\*
NEXT - Shows next function.



8. If failed to register a free key, KEY IS USING will be displayed.



9. REMOTE KEY REGISTED will be displayed if key has been properly registered.



10. Press NEXT to shows next function.

Press EXIT to return to main setup mode.

#### Function\*

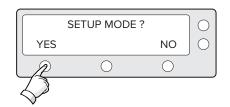
CHANGE SAT - Change the target satellite.

SLEEP MODE - Enter sleep mode.

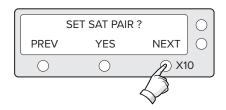
CLEAR REGISTERED KEY - Clear registered key.

#### **Setting Antenna Go Position**

The antenna can be controlled manually by using the ACU.

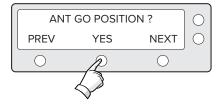


1. Press YES to enter setup mode.

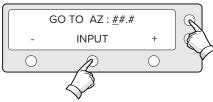


2. Press NEXT ten times to enter antenna go position mode.

(\*STV45 : Press NEXT eleven times)



3. Press YES to go position.

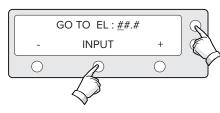


4. Input position value for azimuth (AZ) axis.
 +increases the value. - decreases the value.
 Change the underscored digit using the +/- buttons.

Press INPUT to accept the value and move to next digit.

Press BACK to move to previous digit.

Press ENTER to move to next screen.



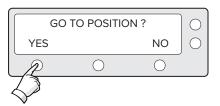
5. Input position value for elevation (EL) axis. + increases the value. - decreases the

value.

Change the underscored digit using the +/- buttons.

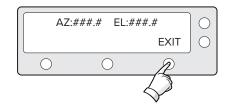
Press INPUT to accept the value and move to next digit.

Press BACK to move to previous digit. Press ENTER to move to next screen.



6. Press YES to move the antenna to input position.

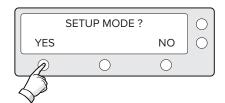
Press NO to return to the Antenna Go Position mode.



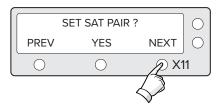
7. Press EXIT to return to main setup mode.

#### **Setting Antenna Move Step**

The antenna can be moved by 1° step manually by using ACU.

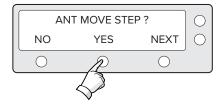


1. Press YES to enter setup mode.

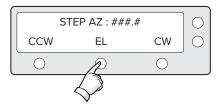


2. Press NEXT eleven times to enter antenna move step mode.

(\*STV45 : Press NEXT twelve times)

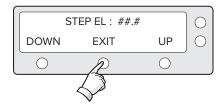


3. Press YES to move step.



Move the antenna in the AZ axis.
 CW - Move the antenna clockwise.
 CCW - Move the antenna counter clockwise.

EL - Go to elevation control screen.

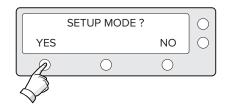


Move the antenna in the EL axis.
 UP - Move the antenna up.
 DOWN - Move the antenna down.
 EXIT - Return to antenna move step mode.

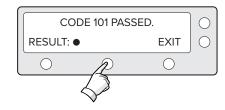
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#### **Executing Antenna Diagnosis**

The antenna status can be checked by reviewing the results of the diagnostic self-test of the antenna. Refer to the following codes to understand the test results.



1. Press YES to enter setup mode.



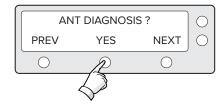
5. **CODE**\* 101 has passed.

Press EXIT to return to main setup mode.

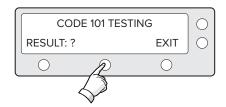


2. Press NEXT twelve times to enter antenna diagnosis mode.

(\*STV45 : Press NEXT thirteen times)



3. Press YES to diagnose antenna.



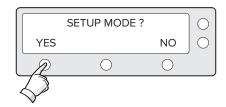
4. CODE 101 is being tested.

Press EXIT to return to main setup mode.

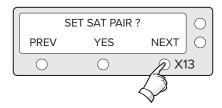
#### CODE\*

**CODE 101** Data communication between antenna and antenna control **CODE 107** Skew System is tested. If failed, check the control board, skew motor, and skew unit is tested. If failed, check the RF cable. sensor. **CODE 102** AZ CW limit is tested. If failed, check the limit sensors, motor and belt for AZ axis. **CODE 108** Antenna Input Power is tested. If failed, check the RF cable. **CODE 103** AZ CCW limit is tested. If failed, check the limit sensors, motor and belt for AZ axis. **CODE 109** ACU Power is tested. If failed, check the ACU power cable and Input DC power. **CODE 104** EL axis is tested. If failed, check the limit sensors, motor and belt for EL axis. **CODE 110** Receiver Power is tested to receiver cable and receiver power. If failed, check the ACU to receiver cable and receiver **CODE 105** Sub reflector is tested. If failed, check the sub reflector. power. CODE 106 LNB is tested. **RESULT** Test is passed. If failed, check the LNB and control board. **STATUS** Test is skipped. Test is under process. Number refers to an error code (••3••• -•••) 3 means error code 103.

#### **Setting Region**



1. Press YES to enter setup mode.

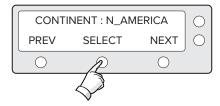


2. Press NEXT thirteen times to enter load region information mode.

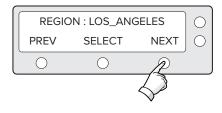
(\*STV45 : Press NEXT fourteen times)



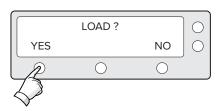
3. Press YES to load region information.



Select the Continent\*.
 PREV - Shows previous continent.
 SELECT - Set the displayed continent.
 NEXT - Shows next continent.



Select the **Region\***.
 PREV - Shows previous region.
 SELECT - Set the displayed region.
 NEXT - Shows next region.



Press YES to load region information. Press NO to cancel and return to main setup mode.



7. Loading selected region information.

#### Continent\*

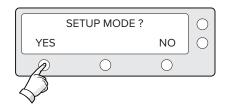
N. AMERICA, S.AMERICA, EUROPE, ASIA.

#### Region\*

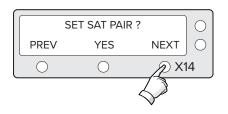
NEW YORK, MIAMI, UK, JAPAN, and etc.

# **Resetting to Factory Default Parameters**

This will restore the antenna back to factory default setting.

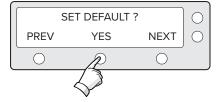


1. Press YES to enter setup mode.



2. Press NEXT fourteen times to enter Default setting mode.

(\*STV45: Press NEXT fifteen times.)



3. Press YES to set default parameters.

# ANTENNA CONTROL SOFTWARE

# Introduction to Aptus®

Aptus® is a next-generation graphical PC-based antenna remote control software. The Aptus® allows users to easily and conveniently set up the antenna by using a personal computer.

The minimum PC hardware and software requirements to install and run Aptus® are as below.

#### Hardware

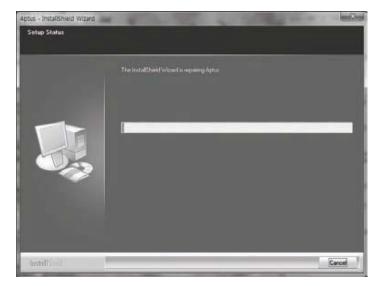
Hardware	Requirements	
CPU	Intel® Pentium® 4 or higher	
Memory	512MB or higher	
	DirectX9.0 or higher supported	
Video Card	H/W acceleration supported	
	Video Memory 128MB or higher	
HDD	1GB or higher	

#### **Operating System and Software**

Software	Requirements		
Operating System	Windows XP (SP 2) or higher		
Framework	Microsoft.Net Framework 3.5 Service Pack 1 or		
	higher		

#### **Software Installation**

Double click the 'Aptus Setup.exe' icon to install Aptus directly onto your computer/ laptop. The InstallShield Wizard will guide you through the program setup process. The installation routine provides an icon on the desktop.



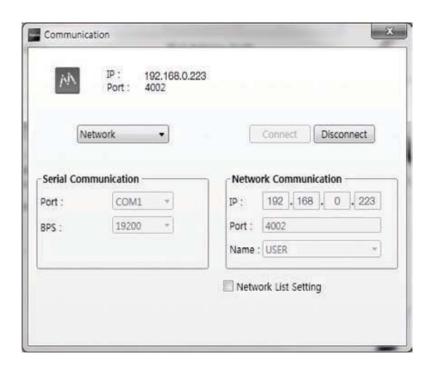


Click the icon to start the software. In addition, Raymarine also provides patch files for software upgrade.

# **PC to ACU Communication Setup**

## Starting Aptus®

Double-click the Aptus® desktop icon, then Communication Window appears to establish the data communication between your PC and the ACU. Select options of connection method to access your ACU either through the Serial Port Communication or the Network Communication (TCP/IP).



#### **Establish a data communication**

#### **Access ACU through Serial Communication**

- 1. Connect a 9 pin Serial cable between the PC INTERFACE connector on the ACU and the 9 pin Serial port on the PC.
- 2. Select Serial at communication type combo-box.
- 3. The baud rate of the ACU is 19200 for STV series.
- 4. Select a COM port which is not occupied by other devices.
- 5. Click the Connect button.

#### Access ACU through Network Communication (TCP/IP)

- 1. Connect your PC to the Ethernet Port or via Wi-Fi.(Turn off the wireless connection while using the Ethernet port.)
- 2. Select Network at communication type combo-box.
- 3. Enter in the ACU's IP address (Factory default Ethernet connection: 192.168.0.223 / Wi-Fi connection: 192.168.1.223)
- 4. Enter in the ACU's port number (Factory default : 4002)

**Note:** If the remote access PC is located in the same network group with the ACU, the ACU can be accessed through the internal IP address. But, if the remote access PC is located outside of the network group, the ACU's IP address should be changed to the IP address assigned by the network service provider.

# **Auto Update**

Aptus® checks and notifies the latest version when it is started to maintain up to date software version by AutoUpdate function.



- 1. When Aptus® is started, it automatically checks the latest software version from the server and runs AutoUpdate if new version is available.
- 2. Current software version information is displayed.
- 3. It notifies new software version information.
- 4. When you click the "start" button, "File downloading..." message is displayed while downloading files from the server.



- 5. When file downloading is finished, "installing..." message is displayed and Aptus patch runs and the installation starts by InstallShield.
- 6. Click the "Finish" button when InstallShield installation is finished, then the "Run the Aptus" message is displayed and Aptus runs and AutoUpdate is automatically finished.

#### **Toolbar Menus**

The toolbar menus at the top of the screen display command buttons of the most commonly used functions of Aptus<sup>®</sup>. The toolbar menus consists of 6 main menus; Quick (for quick launch of functions), File (not used on STV series), View (for user layout and work view), Connection (for communication), Utill (not used on STV series) and Help (for reporting problems and information check).



1 Quick

Restart

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Get Ant. Info

B

Save Satellite

Setup: enters Setup mode.

**Restart:** exits Setup mode and restarts the antenna.

Reboot: reboots the antenna.

Get Ant. Info: obtains the information stored in the antenna

**Save Satellite:** Not used on STV series.

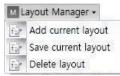
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(2) File: Not used on STV series.

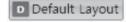




• **User Layout:** displays the layout list that the user has previously stored by using Layout Manager. If you select a layout in this list, the selected layout will be constructed in Work View screen. The 'Basic layout' is provided by default.



- Layout Manager: provides the user with add, delete, and save functionalities in order to manage the user's layouts.
- Selecting 'Add current layout' opens a pop up window. Type in a desired name of current layout and click Add, then the new name of the current layout will be saved to the list under User Layout menu.
- When changes are made to the current layout, select 'Save current layout' option. The current layout will be saved with changes.
- To remove a layout, select 'Delete layout' option. Select a desired layout to remove on the pop up window, then click 'Delete'. Close the window by clicking on 'Close'. The selected layout is removed from the User Layout list.



• **Default Layout:** returns the current layout to the default layout.



• Work View: displays a list of seven pre-constructed Work View Tabs (Satellite View, Antenna Basic View, Antenna Advanced View, Monitor View, Graph View, ACU System View, and Antenna UI View) and also provides the Activate / Close functionalities for each view tab. Activate the work view tab by ticking the checkbox next to it.

## 4 Connection



At any time, data communication channel can be re-established between Serial and Network connection. Selecting Comm. Button will display Communication Window to connect to the ACU via Serial or Network communication.

- 5 Utill: Not used on STV series.
- 6 Help



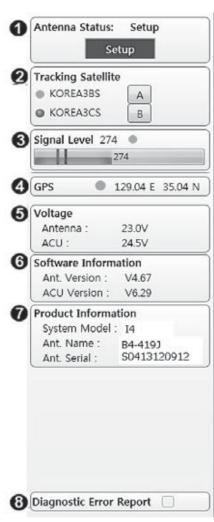
• **Report:** provides e-mail contact to the technical support team.



• Information: displays the information of current Aptus® software version.

# **System Property Status Dashboard**

The property status dashboard on the left pane of the screen provides the antenna status, the availability of TX transmission, signal level, GPS status, software information, product information and error status to be monitored quickly.



- $\bigcirc$  Antenna Status: Displays the status of the current mode of the antenna.
  - Search: Antenna is searching the selected satellite.
  - Tracking: Antenna is tracking the target satellite.
  - Initialize: Antenna or ACU is initializing.
  - Setup: Antenna is in SETUP mode.
  - Sleep: Antenna is in Sleep mode.
  - Unwrap: Antenna is unwinding / winding the cable in the antenna.

# (2) Tracking Satellite

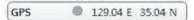
Display or set current tracking satellite & tracking information. Up to 3 satellites can be selected.

# **3** Signal Level

The "Red" line indicates the signal "Detect Level Threshold" and the "Orange" line indicates the signal "Tracking Level Threshold". If the signal level is higher than the tracking level threshold, the signal level bar will display "Blue" color. If the signal level is lower than the tracking level threshold, the signal level bar will display "Orange" color and the antenna will stay in searching mode.

Note: If the signal level is not higher than the tracking threshold, decrease the detect and tracking level.

4 GPS: Displays the current GPS location from the Antenna information. The status light flashes green if the system receives a correct input of the GPS.



5 Voltage: Displays the antenna and the ACU voltage information.

Voltage		
Antenna:	23.0V	
ACU:	24.5V	

6 Software Information: Displays the antenna and the ACU firmware versions

# Software Information Ant. Version: V4.67 ACU Version: V6.29

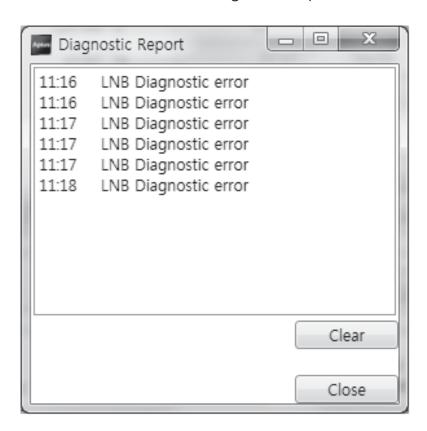
7 **Product Information:** Displays the antenna and ACU serial numbers, antenna model and ACU model.

# Product Information System Model: 14 Ant. Name: 84-4191 Ant. Serial: 50413120912

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# **8** Diagnostic Error Report

The square button next to the Diagnostic Error Report turns red when the system receives an error. Click the button to see a Diagnostic Report.



#### **Work View Tabs**

Aptus® provides seven Work View Tabs (Antenna Basic View, Antenna Advanced View, Satellite ViewMonitor View, Graph View, Diagnostic /Network View, and GUI View) to manage the Antenna and the Satellite configuration.

How to modify the settings on Work View;



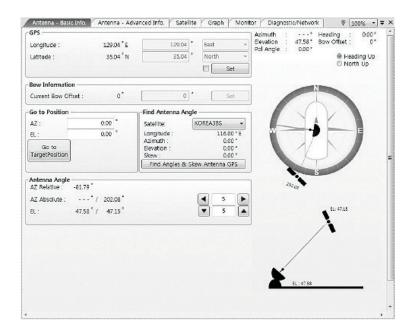
1. Enter the Setup mode by clicking Setup icon.



- 2. Tick the checkbox next to the "Set" button to modify the settings.
- 3. Enter the desired value then press the Set button to save the settings.

#### 1. Antenna - Basic Info.

This view tab provides information on the Antenna's Current GPS location, Skew Information, and the Antenna's Angle. This view tab uses the Antenna's AZ and EL information in order to provide a dynamic graphic user interface (UI).



- GPS: displays and sets current antenna's GPS.
- Bow Information: not used on STV series.
- **Go to Position**: The current position (angle) of the antenna is displayed.

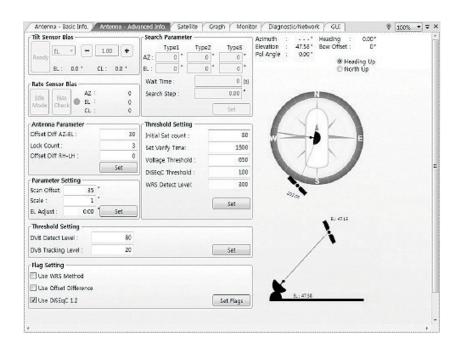
Push the "Go to Target Position" button after keying in the desired angle to move the antenna to target position.

- **Find Antenna Angle**: displays and sets the current antenna angle. Select a desired satellite from the drop-down menu, then longitude, azimuth, elevation and skew information are displayed.
- Find Angles & Skew Antenna GPS: finds the current antenna angles and skew angle in relation to the longitude (orbit position) of the antenna's current GPS.

- **Antenna Angle**: displays and sets current antenna's absolute and relative AZ (azimuth) position, EL (elevation) position and polarization (between Linear and Circular). You can move antenna azimuth and elevation position and LNB Pol angle by using the arrows or inputting a value to find the desired satellite manually.

#### 2. Antenna – Advanced Info.

This view provides information on Parameter Setting, Threshold Setting, and Flag Setting.

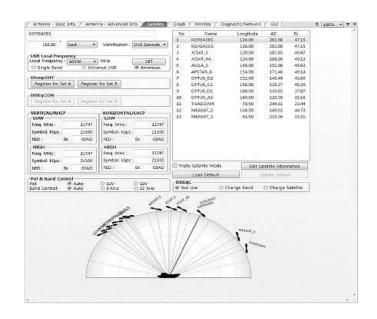


- Tilt Sensor Bias: not used on STV series.
- Rate Sensor: not used on STV series
- **Antenna Parameter**: used to set the antenna parameter settings.
- Offset Diff AZ-EL: The offset AZ-EL is to offset the angle difference between Azimuth and Elevation.
- Lock Count: The Lock Count is to set the number of checking signal lock.
- Offset Diff RH-LH: The offset RH-LH is to offset the signal difference between RHCP and LHCP.
- **Parameter Setting**: used to set the control parameter settings.
- **Scan Offset**: The scan offset is to offset the angle difference between the black marker on the sub-reflector and the optical sensor.
- **Scale**: The scale is to control the tracking speed while antenna is tracking the satellite.
- **EL Adjust**: The elevation adjustment is to offset the angle difference between the mechanical elevation angle and actual elevation angle.
- **Threshold Setting**: set the threshold level for detecting and tracking the satellite signal.
- **DVB Detect Level**: displays and sets signal detection threshold level when DVB tracking mode is in use.
- DVB Tracking Level: displays and sets signal

- Threshold Setting
- Initial Sat Count: Set the threshold count for maintaining tracking.
- **Set Verify Time**: Set the time of verifying whether the signal detected is the signal of target satellite.
- **Voltage Threshold**: Set the voltage threshold. The voltage threshold is to distinguish the voltage between 13V and 18V.
- **DisEqC Threshold**: Set the DisEqC threshold. The DisEqC threshold is to distinguish the OKHz tone and 22KHz tone.
- WRS Detect Level: Set the WRS detection level.
- Flag Setting
- **Use WRS Method**: Use WRS method is to determine whether the system uses "WRS Detect Level" or not. Use WRS method and "WRS Detect Level" are pair functions.
- **Use Offset Difference**: Use offset difference is to determine whether the system uses "Offset Difference" or not. Use Offset Difference and "Offset Difference" are pair functions.
- **Use DiSEqC 1.2**: Use DiSEqC 1.2 is to determine whether the system uses the "DiSEqC 1.2" protocol or not.

#### 3. Satellite (Satellite View)

The name, longitude, verification method of the satellite and LNB local frequency are displayed.



- **LNB Local Frequency**: Displays or sets LNB local frequency and its corresponding LNB voltage supplied. You may select pre-programmed LNB LO settings from the drop down list.

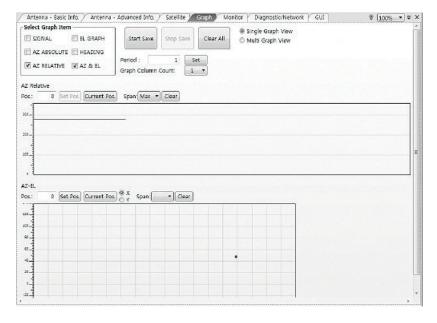
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- **Dual Satellite Mode/ Triple Satellite Mode**: Registers the target satellite.
- Pushing 'Register for Sat A' or 'Register for Sat B' button after selecting the satellite in the list box makes it possible to register A or B in Dual Satellite Mode.
- Pushing 'Register for Sat A' or 'Register for Sat B' or 'Register for Sat C' button after selecting the satellite in the list box makes it possible to register A or B or C in the Triple Satellite Mode.
- Transponder information consists of frequency, symbol and NID (Network ID) of a transponder in tracking the satellite. There are four groups of transponder information. 'Vertical/RHCP' is applied when the receiver supplies 13V, and 'Horizontal/LHCP' is applied when the receiver supplies 18V. 'LOW' is applied when DiSEqC signal is not detected from receiver. 'HIGH' is applied when the DiSEqC signal is detected from the receiver. After modifying information, press the 'Edit Satellite Information' button, then new information is updated in the antenna.
- **Pol & Band Control**: The "Pol" controls 13V (Vertical/RHCP band) or 18V (Horizontal/ LHCP band). The "Band" controls DiSEqC 0KHz tone (Low band) and 22KHz tone (High band). After modifying information, press 'Edit Satellite Information' button, then new information is updated in the antenna.

- **Triple Satellite Mode**: To select between Dual-Sat mode and Triple-Sat mode, tick the 'Triple Satellite Mode' box at the bottom of the screen.
- **Edit Satellite Information**: push the "Edit Satellite Information" button to update the information after modifying values.
- **Load Default**: Push the "Load Default" button to select a regional library file \*.rif according to your region.
- **Update Default**: After loading a regional library file \*.rif, push the "Update Default" button to update the system.
- **Diseqc**: When the operation method of DiSEqC is selected to "Change Band", DiSEqC may be used for updating the local frequency and to "Change Satellite", for updating the target satellite.

#### 4. Graph

This view provides information on Signal, Elevation (EL), Absolute AZ (Azimuth), Relative AZ, Heading, AZ and EL in Single or Multi graph formats.



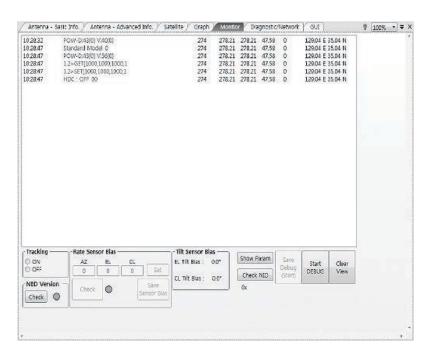
- **Select Graph Item**: shows the graphs of only the checked item(s) in a Single or Multi Graph View.
- **Single Graph View**: shows Graph Views per each single Graph Item selected in 'Select Graph Item'.
- **Multi Graph View**: shows one large integrated Graph View of multiple Graph Items selected in 'Select Graph Item'.

- **Start/Stop Save**: the chosen item is saved within the data log. The data log which stores the information displayed in the graphs can be later used for a service technician to find out a cause of any possible problem to the antenna.
- Clear All: clears everything drawn on the Graph View window.
- **Set Pos.**: sets the current position as center value of each Graph Item.
- **Current Pos.**: moves to the location according to values of each Graph Item.
- **Span**: sets the Display Range(s) of each corresponding Graph Item.
- **Period**: displays and sets the signal sampling rate.
- **Graph Column Count**: makes all Graph Views show in either one or two-column format.

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#### 5. Monitor

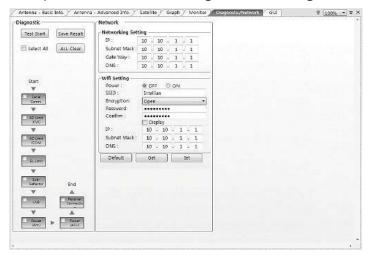
This view provides a UI which can monitor all data that has been received from the ACU.



- **Tracking**: not used on STV series.
- Rate Sensor Bias: not used on STV series.
- Tilt Sensor Bias: not used on STV series.
- **Show Param**: shows the current antenna parameters.
- **Check NID**: verifies the NID (network ID) of the current tracking transponder. Press the NID button to obtain the NID only if the antenna is locked onto the desired satellite.
- **Start Debug**: starts the debug log of the antenna. The debug message will be displayed once the debug button is pressed.
- **Stop Debug**: stops debug logging of the antenna.
- **Save Debug (Start/Stop)**: starts or stops saving the debug log. This button is enabled once the Start Debug button is pressed.
- **Clear View**: clears the debug message or log data in monitoring window.

#### 6. Diagnostic / Network

This view provides Antenna Diagnostic Testing and Network Settings.



- **Diagnostic**: select to run a full diagnostic test or single diagnostic test. "**Green**" indicator is displayed for the test under progress. "**Blue**" indicates the test result as Pass while "Red" indicates the result as Fail. "**Yellow**" indicates the test has been skipped.
- **Serial Comm.**: tests the data communication between the antenna and the ACU.
- AZ Limit (CW): tests the azimuth limit (CW)
- AZ Limit(CCW): tests the azimuth limit(CCW)
- EL Limit: tests the elevation limit.
- Sub-Reflector: tests the Sub-Reflector.
- LNB: tests the LNB.

- **Power (Ant.)**: tests the antenna power to see whether or not it is within the nominal operating range.
- **Power (ACU)**: tests the ACU power to see whether or not it is within the nominal operating range.
- **Receiver Connection**: tests the data communication between the antenna and the receiver.

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## Network Setting:

IP	the network IP address.
Subnet Mask	the network subnet mask.
Gate Way	the gateway for network.
DNS	the DNS address.

## • Wifi Setting:

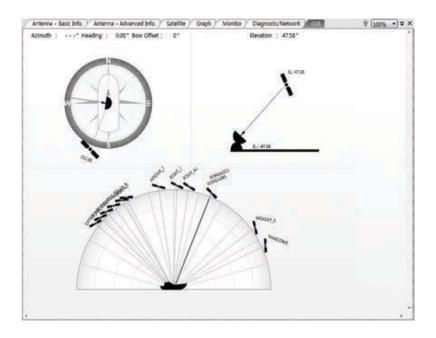
Power	select to turn on or off Wifi network function.	
SSID	the SSID is the network name shared among all devices in a wireless network. The SSID must be identical for all devices in the wireless network. It is case-sensitive and must not exceed 8 alphanumeric characters, which may be any keyboard character. Make sure this setting is the same for all devices in your wireless network.	
Encryption	STV series supports different types of encryption settings for your network.  Open Open Shared-WEP WPAPSK-TKIP WPAPSK-AES WPA2PSK-TKIP WPA2PSK-AES	
Password	the password should be 8 alphanumeric characters.	
Confirm	enter the password again to confirm it.	
IP	the current wireless IP address.	
Subnet	the current wireless subnet mask.	
DNS	the current default wireless DNS address.	

• Default: initializes the network and Wi-Fi settings.

**Note:** When the setting is changed, it needs to be re-connected with the modified IP address.

#### 7. GUI

This view shows a graphical representation of the current antenna position which allows you to easily identify whether or not the antenna is aligned properly to the target satellite or is in a block zone. In addition, this view shows the current satellite that the antenna is pointed towards and the satellites that are located at a 180°arc on the horizon, according to the current position.



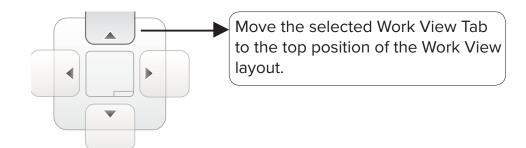
**Note:** Based on the satellite EIRP footprint and the size of the antenna, you may not be able to track all the satellites visible in 180° arc.

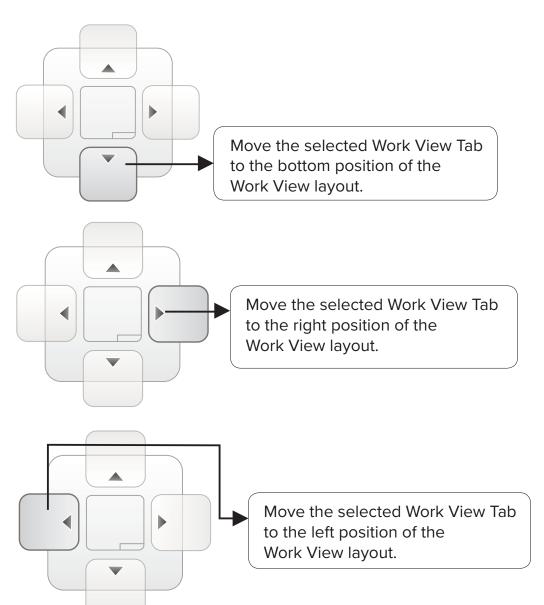
#### 8. Work View Functions

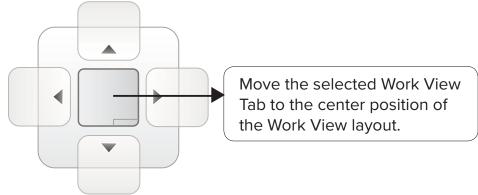
The 7 Work View Tabs displayed in the Work View can be arranged in customized layouts.

#### - Layout Formatting

• Each of the Work View Tabs can be separated from the rest Tabs. Click and hold the left mouse button on the Work View Tab's header and then drag a desired Tab out. When a Work View Tab is separated from the rest of your Work View Tabs, again click and hold the left mouse button on the Work View Tab's header to display a cross-shaped Navigator icon. While holding the mouse button, bring the selected Work View Tab closer to the Navigator icon and release the mouse button at your desired position (top, left, right or bottom arrow). This time, the selected Tab will be moved to the desired position.







#### - Horizontal or Vertical Tab Group

The Work View Tabs can be also aligned horizontally or vertically. Without dragging them out, right-click the mouse button on a desired Tab header and select 'New Horizontal Tab Group' or 'New Vertical Tab Group' option. Selecting 'New Horizontal Tab Group' will separate a selected Tab from the rest of other Tabs then arrange it in a horizontal format. Likewise, selecting 'New Vertical Tab Group' will separate a selected Tab from the rest of other Tabs then arrange it in a vertical format.

#### - Closing the Work View Tab

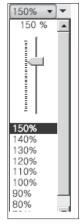
To close the Work View Tab, right-click the mouse button on a desired Tab header and select 'Close' option in the drop down list. To close all Work View Tabs except the selected Tab, select 'Close All But This' option in the drop down list.

#### - Zoom Tool

Using the Zoom tool, you can easily select the magnification you want by using Zoom In and Zoom Out bar, and Fit in Work View button.



Fit Work View Button: fits the current view to the Work View window size. The button toggles between the fit view and the previous view.



Zoom In and Zoom Out Bar: zooms in and out to expand and reduce the View to the desired size. (The zoom changes in 10% increments.)



View Switch Button: displays a list of the current views in a list. Choosing one of these views will display the selected view in the Work View window.



View Name Button: displays the current Work View name.



Close View Button: closes the current view.

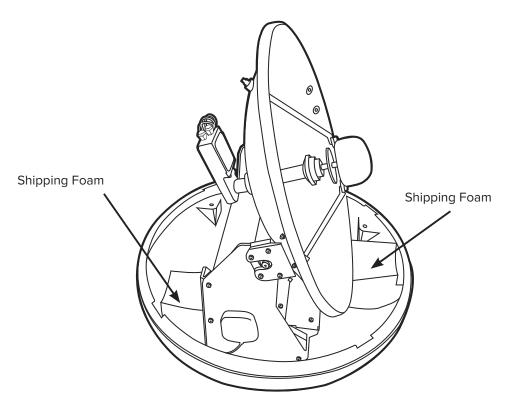
# Preparation for Transportation

This is to describe how to prepare the antenna internally for transportation.

To protect the product from potential damage during transportation, follow this procedure to secure the antenna.

- 1. Refer to the drawing on the right.
- 2. Rotate antenna left and right slowly until the limit switch is pressed.
- 3. Turn the antenna by 360° to the reverse direction.
- 4. Insert the shipping foams in front of the dish and back side of the pedestal to secure the pedestal in position with the bottom radome.
- 5. Cover upper part of radome. Be careful not to touch the reflector when assembling upper part of radome.
- 6. Pack Raymarine STV37 / STV45 into the original package box.

**Note:** Don't rotate it quickly, or you may damage the antenna limit system.



**Figure 30 : Preparation for Transportation** 

# Appendix: STV37 Technical Specification

EU Directive 89/336/EEC
CFR47:Part 15
43cm (17") x 44cm(17.3")
37cm(14.6")
17.8cm(7")x21.7cm(8.5")x5.4cm(2.1")
9kg (19.8 lbs)
1.2kg (2.6 lbs)
-25°C to +55°C (-13°F to +131°F)
-40°C to + 80°C (-40°F to + 176°F)
95% R.H
9~30 V DC
Typ. 30W, Max. 50W

Antenna system performance		
Frequency	Ku-band (10.7 to 12.75 GHz)	
Minimum EIRP	50dBW	
Azimuth range	680°	
Elevation range	+10° ~ +80°	
Ship's motion	Roll ±25° Pitch ±15°	
Roll and pitch response rate	60° per second	
Turn rate	60° per second	

# Appendix: STV45 Technical Specification

General		
Approvals		
CE – conforms to	EU Directive 89/336/EEC	
FCC – verified to	CFR47:Part 15	
Dimensions		
Satellite antenna unit	50cm (19.7") x 54cm(21.2")	
Antenna dish diameter	45cm(17.7")	
Antenna control unit	17.8cm(7")x21.7cm(8.5")x5.4cm(2.1")	
Weight		
Satellite antenna unit	11.6kg (25.6 lbs)	
Antenna control unit	1.2kg (2.6 lbs)	
Environmental		
Operating temperature range	-25°C to +55°C (-13°F to +131°F)	
Storage temperature range	-40°C to + 80°C (-40°F to + 176°F)	
Humidity limit	95% R.H	
Power requirements	9~30 V DC	
Power consumption	Typ. 30W, Max. 50W	

Antenna system performance		
Frequency	Ku-band (10.7 to 12.75 GHz)	
Minimum EIRP	48dBW	
Azimuth range	680°	
Elevation range	0° ~ +90°	
Ship's motion	Roll ±25° Pitch ±15°	
Roll and pitch response rate	50° per second	
Turn rate	50° per second	