

# Type 3794 Series Wideband Conical Monopole Antennas



- **2-30 MHz Bandwidth Permits Frequency Change without Antenna Tuning**
- **Up to 25 kW Average Power Rating**
- **50-ohm Input Provides 2.0:1 Nominal VSWR without Impedance Transformers**
- **Single tower**
- **Short-,Medium-, Long-Range Communications**

## General Description

The Model 3794 series antenna is a vertically polarized, omnidirectional broadband antenna for transmitting or receiving applications. It is designed for high power area coverage applications.

The 3794 Wideband Conical Monopole antenna is an inverted cone-like structure with its apex pointing downwards. The array is supported by a 17 inch (431mm) face steel guyed tower and consists of a number of evenly spaced radiator wires. The radiators spread out from the tower top to an outer guyed catenary then converge back down at the tower base. The antenna is fed at the apex of the cone through a 50 ohm coaxial connector. A ground screen is laid over the area below the antenna and consists of a radial pattern of wire laid on the ground with its centre at the apex of the antenna.

The radiating elements of the array are prefabricated to facilitate installation. All radiators are manufactured from aluminum clad steel wire for maximum conductivity and corrosion resistance.

The mechanical arrangement provides high strength while keeping both manufacturing and installation costs to a minimum.



## Application

The 3794 Wideband Conical Monopole Antenna Series provides a cost-effective solution for the vertical omnidirectional antenna if the reduced ground area offered by the 1794 Monocone is not required.

The broad frequency range permits use of the optimum frequency for any distance. The radiation patterns are suitable for the following services:

### Ground Wave

- Shore-to-Ship
- Base station-to-mobile, short range

### Sky-wave

- Medium-to long-range ground-to-air
- Base station-to-outstations requiring medium to low angle
- Shore-to-ship HF service
- Omni HF Broadcast including meteorological service.

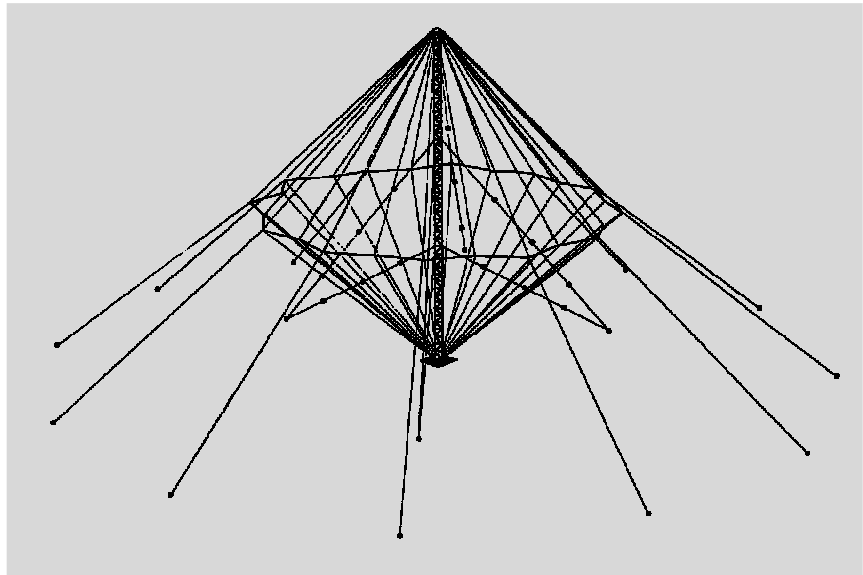
### VSWR

Typical VSWR curve for Model 3794-3 (3-30 MHz) is illustrated on page 3.

## Radiation Patterns

Typical elevation plane radiation patterns are illustrated on page 3. At the higher frequencies, which are generally useful for long range sky-wave transmission, radiation is concentrated at the lower elevation angles. At the lower frequencies, which are useful for shorter ranges, the radiation patterns show greater gain at the higher angles required for sky-wave transmission, while preserving sufficient gain at the low angles to facilitate ground propagation.

The radiation patterns shown are representative of the entire frequency range. There are no frequencies within the specified ranges at which the pattern deteriorates significantly from those shown.



## Accessories

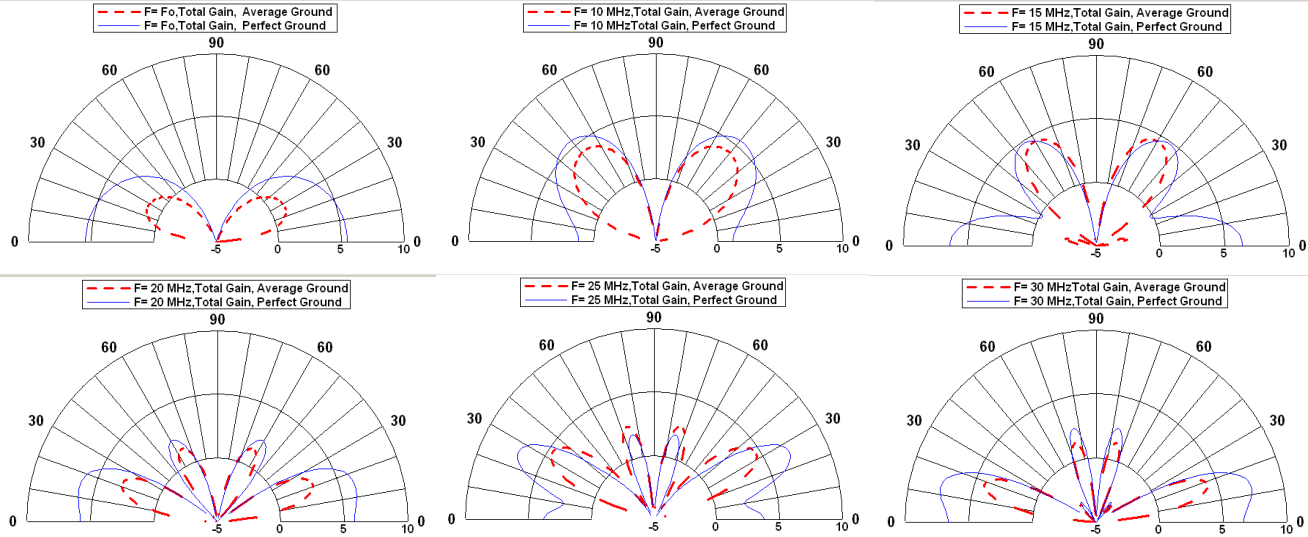
The following accessories are available for ease of installation and maintenance: tower lighting kit, lightning rod kit, erection kit, paint kit, and tool kit.

## Characteristics

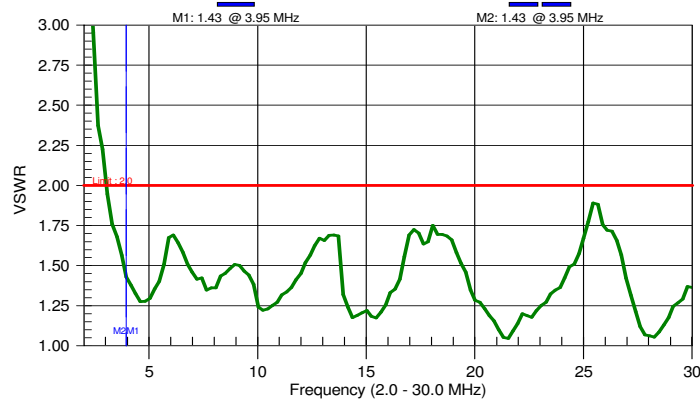
Peak Power Rating, kW	Up to 50	
Polarization	Vertical	
VSWR	2.0 nominal, 2.5 max.	
Input Impedance, ohms	50, coaxial	
Input Connector (end seals available)	Type N Jack (female) (-1K) Receive or 7/8" EIA flange (-2K) 1-5/8" EIA flange (-3K) 3-1/8" EIA flange (-4K)	1kW avg., 2kW PEP 5kW avg., 10 kW PEP 10 kW avg., 20 kW PEP 25 kW avg., 50 kW PEP
Directive Gain dBi	5.0 (over perfect ground)	
Azimuth Plane Radiation Pattern	Omnidirectional $\pm 0.75$ dB	
Wind Survival Rating, mph (km/h)		
Without Ice	125 (200)*	
With 0.5 in (13 mm) radial ice	75 (120)	

\*Higher environmental capability available upon request

## Elevation Plane Radiation Patterns



## Typical Measured VSWR Model 3794-3 (3.0-30 MHz)



## Ordering Information

Type Number	Frequency Range MHz	Height ft (m)	Ground Screen Diameter ft (m)	Outer Guy Radius ft (m)
3794-1-(* )	2.0-30.0	117.4 (35.8)	246 (75)	226.5 (69)
3794-2-(* )	2.5-30.0	95.4 (29.0)	196 (60)	180.0 (55)
3794-3-(* )	3.0-30.0	77.4 (23.6)	164 (50)	151.0 (46)
3794-4-(* )	4.0-30.0	62.4 (19.0)	123 (37.5)	113.2 (34.5)

\* Complete part number requires addition of input connector suffix; 1K, -2K, -3K or -4K (see characteristics table).