# **AVL TECHNOLOGIES**

### Model 1678 Ku-Band Mobile VSAT 1.6m Motorized Transportable Vehicle-Mount Antenna

Unique Features • 1.6m AvL Engineered Composite Reflector

Zero Backlash AvL Cable Drive
Avance of Park Coop Prive

• Compact/Rugged Pol Gear Drive

• Optional Rotary Joint on Pol Axis with Flex W/G to BUC

• "One-Button" Auto-Acquisition

**Standard Rx/Tx Feed** • Fixed Feed: 2-Port Ku-Band Precision (standard

Cross-Pol comp.)

Polarization Adjustment • Rotation of Feed with Motorized Worm Gear Drive

**Standard Colorization** • AvL Metallic Gray (optional colors available)



Mechanical Mechanical				
Az/El Drive	Motorized AvL Zero Backlash Cable Drive (Patent Pending)			
Polarization Drive System	Motorized Worm Gear Drive			
Reflector Construction	1.6m Single Piece AvL Engineered Composite			
Axis Travel				
Azimuth	400° (±200°)			
Elevation Mechanical	0-90° antenna bore sight			
Electrical	Standard limits at 5° to 65° (CE Approval) or 0° to 90°			
Polarization	±95°			
Az/El Speed				
Slewing/Deploying (typical)	2°/second			
Peaking (typical)	0.2°/second			
Motors	24 VDC Variable Speed, Constant Torque			
RF Interface				
BUC Mounting	Feed boom 50 lbs. max. weight; BUC envelope 25 L x 22 W x 9 H inches (64 L x 56 W x 23 H cm)*			
Feed Tx	WR75 Flat Flange; Optional Polarization Rotary Joint w/flex waveguide from feed, WR75			
Coax	RG59 Rx from feed to base plus 25 ft. (8m); Tx coax as required per customer specification			
Electrical Interface	One 25 ft. (7.6 m) cable with connectors to controller			
Manual/Emergency Drive	Hand crank on Az, El and Pol axes			
Weight	Approximately 280 lbs. (127 kg) depending on options			
Stowed Dimensions	91 L x 62 W x 22.2 H inches (231 L x 157.5 W x 56.4 H cm)**			
Time to Acquisition	Less than 15 minutes, 8 minutes typical			
Mounting	Pallet for vehicle roof mounting			
Environmental				
Wind – Survival	Deployed: 80 mph (128 kph); Stowed: 125 mph (201 kph)			
Wind - Operational	30 mph (48 kph) gusting to 45 mph (72 kph)			
Pointing Loss in Wind (Ku RX):				
20 mph (32 kph)	0.1 dB typical			
30 mph gusting to 45 mph (48 kph gusting to 72 kph)	0.3 dB typical			
Temperature:				
Operational	-22° to 125° F (-30° to 52° C)			
Survival	-40° to 140° F (-40° to 60° C)			

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RF/Electrical				
Feed Type ▶		Std. 2-Port Ku-Band Precision		
RF Parameter ▼		Receive	Transmit	
Frequency Range (GHz)		10.95 - 12.75	13.75 - 14.50	
Polarization Configuration		Linear orthogonal standard		
Gain (mid-band) (dBi)		43.7	46.0 Typical, 45.5 minimum	
Beam width	-3dB (Degrees)	1.0	1.0	
	-10 dB (Degrees)	1.8	1.6	
Radiation Pattern Compliance		FCC §25.209, ITU-R S.580-6		
Antenna Noise Temperature		40° K @ 30° elevation, midband		
Allowable Power			FCC: -14 dBw/4 kHz ITU: -0 dBw/4 kHz	
VSWR		1.30:1	1.30:1	
Cross-Polarization	n Isolation (dB)			
On Axis		35	35	
Off Axis (within pointing cone)		28	30	
Feed Port Isolation		35	80	
Output Flange Interface		WR75 Flat flange		

Controller			
Controller ►	Avl AAQ		
Features	AvL one button auto-acquisition of selected satellites, including peaking and optimization of cross pol. Internal movement detector and automatic stow. Optional hand-held control and separate power supply. Certified for auto-commissioning on most satellite services.		
Size	Embedded ACU with separate 1 Rack Unit Controller Interface Panel (CIP) power supply with LCD and keypad. 250 W and 500 W (1.6m and larger antennas) versions available.		
CIP Input Power	120/240 VAC 60/50 Hz, 6/3 A Max. Power consumption is antenna size dependent: During acquisition 150 W or 300 W is typical, ~ 50 W Idle		

Controllor

### **Available Options, Upgrades & Services**

- Thule Bar roof mounting kit
- Without Mounting Pallet: stow height = 17.5 H inches (44.5 H cm)
- Add BUC/HPA Mounting (NOTE: minimum elevation may be restricted by these options)
- Rotary Joint on Pol Axis with Flex W/G to BUC
- Upgrade to Custom RF/IF I/O cabling configurations available
- Custom Colorization (contact factory for available colors)
- Add Custom Logo on Reflector Face (1- or 2-Color; per AvL Logo Policy)
- Spare Parts Kit

<sup>\*</sup>Minimum elevation may be restricted by these options

<sup>\*\*</sup>With standard controller. Stow height with optional controller: 24.0 H inches (61.0 H cm)