SCHEDULE 1- TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS FOR INSTALLATION OF TOWERS AND MASTS



Figure 1 .1 Tower Types



Windflow Map for Nigeria (Metres/Sec)



Figure 1.2

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Notes on Figure 1.2

- map shows the average wind speeds
- ii. Wind loading for a structure is to be considered over the full length of the structure and is to be measured in Newton's per square metre (N/m^2) .
- *iii.* The basic wind speeds depicted in this map are measured at 10 metres above the ground.
- *iv.* These values increase with height and need to be so corrected when making computations.

The wind speeds shown in figure 1.2 above were measured from the stations listed in Table 1.1. Engineers who desire greater accuracy in their wind speed calculations are encouraged to use figure 1.2 in conjunction with Table 1.1.

| | STATION NAME | LAT. | LONG. | STATE | ELEV. |
|-----|-----------------|---------|---------|---------|--------|
| S/N | | | | | |
| 1 | YELWA | 10.53'N | 04.45'E | | 244.0 |
| | | | | REDDI | |
| 2 | BIRNI KEBBI | 12.28'N | 04.13'E | KEBBI | 220.0 |
| 3 | SOKOTO | 13.01'N | 05.15'E | SOKOTO | 350.8 |
| 4 | GUSAU | 12.10'N | 06.42'E | ZAMFARA | 463.9 |
| 5 | KADUNA | 10.36'N | 07.27'E | KADUNA | 645.4 |
| 6 | KATSINA | 13.01'N | 07.41'E | KATSINA | 517.6 |
| 7 | ZARIA | 11.06'N | 07.41'E | KADUNA | 110.9 |
| 8 | KANO | 12.03'N | 08.12'E | KANO | 472.5 |
| 9 | BAUCHI | 10.17'N | 09.49'E | BAUCHI | 609.7 |
| 10 | NGURU | 12.53'N | 10.28'E | YOBE | 343.1 |
| 11 | POTISKUM | 11.42'N | 11.02'E | BORNO | 414.8 |
| 12 | MAIDUGURI | 11.51'N | 13.05'E | BORNO | 353.8 |
| 13 | ILORIN | 08.29'N | 04.35'E | KWARA | 307.4 |
| 14 | SHAKI | 08.40'N | 03.23'E | OYO | |
| 15 | BIDA | 09.06'N | 06.01'E | NIGER | 144.3 |
| 16 | MINNA | 09.37'N | 06.32'E | NIGER | 256.4 |
| 17 | ABUJA | 09.15'N | 07.00'E | FCT | 343.1 |
| 18 | JOS | 09.52'N | 08.54'E | PLATEAU | 1780.0 |
| 19 | IBI | 08.11'N | 09.45'E | TARABA | 110.7 |
| 20 | YOLA | 09.14'N | 12.28'E | ADAMAWA | 186.1 |
| 21 | ISEYIN | 07.58'N | 03.36'E | ΟΥΟ | 330.0 |
| 22 | IKEJA | 06.35'N | 03.20'E | LAGOS | 39.4 |
| 23 | OSHODI | 06.30'N | 03.23'E | LAGOS | 19.0 |
| | MET.AGRO | | | | |
| 24 | LAGOS (HQ) ROOF | 06.27'N | 03.24'E | LAGOS | 14.0 |

| Table 1.1 |
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| 25 | LAGOS (MARINE) | 06.26'N | 03.25'E | LAGOS | 2.0 |
|----|----------------|---------|---------|-------------|-------|
| 26 | IBADAN | 07.26'N | 03.54'E | OYO | 227.2 |
| 27 | IJEBU-ODE | 06.50'N | 03.56'E | OGUN | 77.0 |
| 28 | ABEOKUTA | 07.10'N | 03.20'E | OGUN | 104.0 |
| 29 | OSHOGBO | 07.47'N | 04.29'E | OSUN | 302.0 |
| 30 | ONDO | 07.06'N | 04.50'E | ONDO | 287.3 |
| 31 | BENIN | 06.19'N | 05.06'E | EDO | 77.8 |
| 32 | AKURE | 07.17'N | 05.18'E | ONDO | 375.0 |
| 33 | WARRI | 05.31'N | 05.44'E | DELTA | 6.1 |
| 34 | LOKOJA | 07.47'N | 06.44'E | KOGI | 62.5 |
| 35 | ONITSHA | 06.09'N | 06.47'E | ANAMBRA | 67.0 |
| 36 | PORT-HARCOURT | 04.51'N | 07.01'E | RIVERS | 19.5 |
| 37 | OWERRI | 05.29'N | 07.00'E | IMO | 91.0 |
| 38 | ENUGU | 06.28'N | 07.33'E | ENUGU | 141.8 |
| 39 | UYO | 05.30'N | 07.55'E | AKWA IBOM | 38.0 |
| 40 | CALABAR | 04.58'N | 08.21'E | CROSS RIVER | 61.9 |
| 41 | MAKURDI | 07.44'N | 08.32'E | BENUE | 112.9 |
| 42 | IKOM | 05.58'N | 08.42'E | CROSS RIVER | 119.0 |
| 43 | OGOJA | 06.40'N | 08.48'E | CROSS RIVER | 117.0 |

 Table 1.2 – Meteorological Stations in Nigeria

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The above data obtained from the National Meteorological Services indicate that the highest recorded wind speed over a period of 20 years is 7 ms⁻¹, which translates to a mere 420 mhr⁻¹. However, wind gusts of the order of 55 km hr⁻¹ have been recorded infrequently. Since these data form our worst-case scenario, masts and towers in Nigeria shall be designed to withstand a minimum ground wind speed of 70 km hr⁻¹.

Structural types for self-supporting lattice



Figure 2.1 – Bracing Types

Members shall be made from solid rod, pipe or angles. Engineer must specify wall thickness if design is of pipes and sizes and thickness of legs if of angles.



Diagonal Spacing



Double K 1 Down

Double K2 Down Double K3, K3A, K4



K - Brace Down



K - Brace up

Figure 2.2

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Double K











Members shall be made from solid rod, pipe or angles. Engineer must specify wall thickness if design is of pipes and sizes and thickness of legs if

of angles.



Face A

Double Slope-Bracing





Diagonal Up Z-Brace

Diagonal Down Z-Brace

Figure 2.4 *Members shall be made from solid rod, pipe or angles. Engineer must specify wall thickness if design is of pipes and sizes and thickness of* legs if of angles.





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Redundant Sub Horizontal



K 3 Down K 3 Up (opposite)

K 3A Down K 4 Up (Opposite)



Figure 2.6

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Figure 2.7

Members shall be made from solid rod, pipe or angles. Engineer must specify wall thickness if design is of pipes and sizes and thickness of legs if of angles.





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X-braced, self-supporting, lattice design showing face width, slope change and tower height



This represents a generalized design of a 15 section, 6m length per section tower.

Loading considerations to be taken into account in the specification of bracing sizes, bracing configuration (double or single), bracing bolt sizes, leg size and type, face widths at top and base, etc are:-

- Wind speed to include gust factor if applicable
- Total anticipated antenna load
- Maximum Shearper leg
- Maximum uplift
 reaction
- Maximum compression

Figure 2.10

Superstructure of a 15 section X - Braced Steel Tower, showing antenna mounts. Tower can be designed and fabricated as a three or four legged self-support structure. New sections that are intended to result in higher towers shall be added below section 1 with the design philosophy as to face widths being maintained.



Figure 2.11 Superstructure of a 13 section X - Braced Steel Tower

Tower can be designed and fabricated as a three or four legged self-support structure. New sections that are intended to result in higher towers shall be added below section 1 and the design philosophy as to face widths maintained. 78 metre Tower



Figure 2.12 - Self Support Lattice Towers of different heights

Two towers of different heights illustrating the general relationships between lattice tower height, number of sections and the face widths at the top and bottom. Both towers are of identical design but have different heights Structural Design of a 12-section self-support tower in single or Z bracing. Face width decreases from base to top of the tower



Figure 2.13

A 12-section, single braced, lattice tower. Each section is tapered to produce an overall tapered structure. Additional sections, if the tower has to be higher shall be of greater face width than section 12 until the tower reaches required height.





Figure 2.14

Sections fit into each other with an overlap (d). Base diameter, section height, depth of overlap between sections and total mast height are all structural stability issues determined by the structural design engineer. For higher towers, additional sections are added below section 5 until the required height is reached but there must be corresponding increases in base width as the number of sections and consequently the height increases.

| TOWER SCHEDULE | | | | | | | | |
|----------------|--------|-----------|----------------------|------------------------|-------------|--|--|--|
| Section | Spread | Dimension | Tower Legs** | Tower Braces | Bolts | | | |
| Number | Upper | Lower | 36 KSI Yield STR | 36 KSI YIELD STR | A 325 GRADE | | | |
| 1 (Top) | 30 cm | 30 cm | 5.0 cm ² | 2.5cm x 2.5cm x 0.32cm | 8mm | | | |
| 2 | 30 cm | 30 cm | 5.0 cm ² | 2.5cm x 2.5cm x 0.32cm | 8mm | | | |
| 3 | 30 cm | 50 cm | 5.0 cm ² | 2.5cm x 2.5cm x 0.32cm | 8mm | | | |
| 4 | 50 cm | 72 cm | 5.0 cm ² | 3.2cm x 3.2cm x 0.5cm | 10mm | | | |
| 5 | 72 cm | 94 cm | 5.0 cm ² | 3.2cm x 3.2cm x 0.5cm | 10mm | | | |
| 6 | 94 cm | 114 cm | 5.0 cm ² | 3.2cm x 3.2cm x 0.5cm | 10mm | | | |
| 7 | 114 cm | 135 cm | 5.75 cm ² | 3.2cm x 3.2cm x 0.5cm | 10mm | | | |
| 8 | 135 cm | 156 cm | 5.75 cm ² | 3.2cm x 3.2cm x 0.5cm | 10mm | | | |
| 9 | 156 cm | 176 cm | 5.75 cm ² | 3.2cm x 3.2cm x 0.5cm | 10mm | | | |
| 10(Grnd) | 176 cm | 198 cm | 5.75 cm ² | 3.2cm x 3.2cm x 0.5cm | 10mm | | | |

**Cross-sectional area

Design Data of a Ten Section Light Duty Self-Supporting Tower

Table 2.1

| | SECTION HEIGHTS AND WEIGHTS | | | | | | | |
|-------------------|-----------------------------|-------|---------|-----------|--------|--|--|--|
| Section Number | Height | Legs | Braces | Lap Links | Total | | | |
| 1 | 3.0 m | 36 Kg | 8.5 Kg | 4.5 Kg | 65 Kg | | | |
| 2 | 3.0 m | 36 Kg | 8.5 Kg | 4.5 Kg | 65 Kg | | | |
| 3 | 3.0 m | 36 Kg | 10 Kg | 4.5 Kg | 70 Kg | | | |
| 4 | 3.0 m | 36 Kg | 17.7 Kg | 4.5 Kg | 101 Kg | | | |
| 5 | 3.0 m | 36 Kg | 27.5 Kg | 4.5 Kg | 111 Kg | | | |
| 6 | 3.0 m | 36 Kg | 29 Kg | 4.5 Kg | 127 Kg | | | |
| 7 | 3.0 m | 40 Kg | 30 Kg | 4.5 Kg | 153 Kg | | | |
| 8 | 3.0 m | 40 Kg | 33 Kg | 4.5 Kg | 162 Kg | | | |
| 9 | 3.0 m | 40 Kg | 34 Kg | 4.5 Kg | 171 Kg | | | |
| 10 | 3.0 m | 40 Kg | 37 Kg | N/A | 216 Kg | | | |

| SUPERSTRUCTURE DESIGN AND LOADING | | | | | | | | |
|-----------------------------------|------------|---|----------------------|----------------------------------|--------|------------------------------|------------------|------------------|
| HEIGHT ABOVE GROUND | WIND SPEED | ALLOWABLE DEAD WEIGHT PER SECTION | MAX COAX QTY/SIZE | MAX COAX 9m BELOW QTY/SIZE | WIND L | OAD TOP (M ²) | WIND LOAD TOP | 9m BELOW (M²) |
| | Km/ hr | Kg. | | | FLAT | ROUND | FLAT | ROUND |
| 30 m | 110 | 90 | 3 / 25mm | 3 / 25mm | 0.9 | 1.4 | 1.1 | 1.7 |
| | 125 | 90 | 3 / 25mm | | 0.46 | 0.7 | | |
| | | | | | | | | |
| 24 m | 110 | 135 | 3 / 25mm | 6 / 25m | 1.67 | 2.51 | 1.86 | 2.79 |
| | 125 | 135 | 3 / 25mm | 6 / 25mm | 0.70 | 1.05 | 0.88 | 1.32 |
| | 145 | 135 | 3 / 25mm | ? | 0.74 | 1.11 | ? | ? |
| | | | | | | | | |
| 18 m | 110 | 180 | 6 / 25mm | 6 / 25mm | 2.14 | 3.21 | 2.32 | 3.48 |
| | 125 | 180 | 6 / 25mm | 6 / 25mm | 1.11 | 1.67 | 1.25 | 1.88 |
| | 145 | 180 | 3 / 25mm | 6 / 25mm | 0.64 | 0.95 | 0.85 | 1.13 |
| | | | | | | | | |
| 12 m | 110 | 360 | 12 / 25mm | ? | 4.83 | 7.25 | ? | ? |
| | 125 | 360 | 12 / 25mm | ? | 3.35 | 5.30 | ? | ? |
| | 145 | 360 | 9 / 25mm | ? | 2.69 | 4.04 | ? | ? |

Table 2.3

FOUNDATION DESIGN AND LOADING

| HEIGHT ABOVE GROUND | WIND SPEED Km / hr | MAX VERTICAL (KIPS) | MAX UPLIFT (KIPS) | MAX SHEAR/LEG (KIPS) | TOTAL SHEAR (KIPS) | AXIAL (KIPS) |
|---------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------|
| 30 m | 145 | 23.0 | 19.0 | 2.12 | 3.50 | 2.34 |
| 24 m | 145 | 22.0 | 18.2 | 1.92 | 3.42 | 2.09 |
| 18 m | 145 | 17.0 | 14.7 | 1.40 | 2.50 | 1.82 |
| 12 m | 145 | 24.1 | 22.4 | 1.73 | 3.30 | 1.52 |
| | | T -1-1 | | | | |

Table 2.4

Below 145 ms⁻¹ wind speed; shear, vertical and uplift forces are negligible. All foundation designs shall be in accordance with maximum reaction loads indicated above. Modification of loading locations and equipment can be made provided reaction loads do not exceed indicated values.

Design Data of a Fifteen Section Medium Duty Self-Supporting Tower

| Section | Spread | Dimension | Tower Legs** | Tower Braces | Bolts |
|---------|--------|-----------|----------------------|-----------------------|-------------|
| Number | Upper | Lower | 36 KSI Yield STR | 36 KSI YIELD STR | A 325 GRADE |
| 1 | 46 cm | 46 cm | 5.0 cm ² | 3.2cm x 3.2cm x 0.5cm | 10 mm |
| 2 | 46 cm | 46 cm | 5.0 cm ² | 3.2cm x 3.2cm x 0.5cm | 10 mm |
| 3 | 46 cm | 76 cm | 5.0 cm ² | 3.2cm x 3.2cm x 0.5cm | 10 mm |
| 4 | 76 cm | 1.04 m | 5.75 cm ² | 3.8cm x 3.8cm x 0.5cm | 10 mm |
| 5 | 1.04 m | 1.32 m | 5.75 cm ² | 3.8cm x 3.8cm x 0.5cm | 10 mm |
| 6 | 1.32 m | 1.6 m | 5.75 cm ² | 3.8cm x 3.8cm x 0.5cm | 10 mm |
| 7 | 1.6 m | 1.88 m | 9.30 cm ² | 4.4cm x 4.4cm x 0.5cm | 12 mm |
| 8 | 1.88 m | 2.16 m | 9.30 cm ² | 4.4cm x 4.4cm x 0.5cm | 12 mm |
| 9 | 2.16 m | 2.43 m | 9.30 cm ² | 4.4cm x 4.4cm x 0.5cm | 12 mm |
| 10 | 2.43 m | 2.72 m | 10.8 cm ² | 5cm x 5cm x 0.5cm | 12 mm |
| 11 | 2.72 m | 3.0 m | 10.8 cm ² | 5cm x 5cm x 0.5cm | 12 mm |
| 12 | 3.0 m | 3.27 m | 10.8 cm ² | 5cm x 5cm x 0.5cm | 12 mm |
| 13 | 3.27 m | 3.56 m | 16 cm ² | 6.4cm x 6.4cm x 0.5cm | 16 mm |
| 14 | 3.56 m | 3.84 m | 16 cm ² | 6.4cm x 6.4cm x 0.5cm | 16 mm |
| 15 | 3.84 m | 4.11 m | 16 cm ² | 6.4cm x 6.4cm x 0.5cm | 16 mm |

SELF-SUPPORTING TOWER SCHEDULE

Table 2.5

| | | SECTION HEIGI | HTS AND WEIGHT | S | |
|-------------------|--------|---------------|----------------|--------------|--------|
| Section Number | Height | Legs | Braces | Brace Plates | Total |
| 1 | 3.0 m | 36 Kg | 25 Kg | N/A | 65 Kg |
| 2 | 3.0 m | 36 Kg | 25 Kg | N/A | 65 Kg |
| 3 | 3.0 m | 36 Kg | 29 Kg | N/A | 70 Kg |
| 4 | 3.0 m | 40 Kg | 57 Kg | N/A | 102 Kg |
| 5 | 3.0 m | 40 Kg | 67 Kg | N/A | 112 Kg |
| 6 | 3.0 m | 40 Kg | 78 Kg | N/A | 127 Kg |
| 7 | 3.0 m | 65 Kg | 79 Kg | N/A | 153 Kg |
| 8 | 3.0 m | 65 Kg | 88 Kg | N/A | 162 Kg |
| 9 | 3.0 m | 65 Kg | 98 kg | N/A | 171 Kg |
| 10 | 3.0 m | 76 Kg | 123 Kg | 8.0 Kg | 216 Kg |
| 11 | 3.0 m | 76 Kg | 134 Kg | 8.0 Kg | 227 Kg |
| 12 | 3.0 m | 76 Kg | 145 Kg | 8.0 Kg | 246 Kg |
| 13 | 3.0 m | 111 Kg | 148 Kg | 12.7 Kg | 288 Kg |
| 14 | 3.0 m | 111 Kg | 156 Kg | 12.7 Kg | 296 Kg |
| 15 | 3.0 m | 111 Kg | 166 Kg | 12.7 Kg | 306 Kg |

Table 2.6

| | | SUPERSTR | UCTURE | E DESIGN | N AND I | | G | |
|--------|------------|------------------------------------|----------------------|----------------------------------|------------|------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|
| HEIGHT | WIND SPEED | ALLOWABLE DEAD WEIGHT PER LEVEL | MAX COAX QTY/SIZE | MAX COAX 9m BELOW QTY/SIZE | WINI (S | D LOAD FOP Q. M) | WIND 9m BEL (SC | DLOAD OW TOP (). M) |
| | KPH | KGS. | | | FLAT | ROUND | FLAT | ROUND |
| | 110 | 135 | 3 / 22 mm | 3 / 22 mm | 2.09 | 3.14 | 3.07 | 4.60 |
| 45 m | 125 | 135 | 3 / 22 mm | 3 / 22 mm | 1.40 | 2.09 | 2.42 | 3.62 |
| | 145 | 135 | 3 / 22 mm | 3 / 22 mm | 0.37 | 0.56 | 0.56 | 0.84 |
| | | | | | | | | |
| | 110 | 205 | 3 / 22 mm | 3 / 22 mm | 2.14 | 3.21 | 3.16 | 4.74 |
| 39 m | 125 | 205 | 3 / 22 mm | 3 / 22 mm | 1.58 | 2.37 | 2.60 | 3.90 |
| | 145 | 205 | 3 / 22 mm | 3 / 22 mm | 1.02 | 1.53 | 1.30 | 1.95 |
| | | | | | | | | |
| | 110 | 270 | 6 / 22 mm | 6 / 22 mm | 2.23 | 3.34 | 4.09 | 6.13 |
| 33 m | 125 | 270 | 6 / 22 mm | 6 / 22 mm | 1.58 | 2.37 | 3.25 | 4.88 |
| | 145 | 270 | 6 / 22 mm | 6 / 22 mm | 1.20 | 1.81 | 2.32 | 3.48 |
| | | | | | | | | |
| | 110 | 360 | 6 / 22 mm | 6 / 22 mm | 2.23 | 3.34 | 4.09 | 6.13 |
| 27 m | 125 | 360 | 6 / 22 mm | 6 / 22 mm | 1.53 | 2.30 | 3.25 | 4.88 |
| | 145 | 360 | 6 / 22 mm | 6 / 22 mm | 1.02 | 1.53 | 2.32 | 3.48 |
| | | | | | | | | |
| | 110 | 400 | 9 / 22 mm | ? | 2.14 | 3.21 | ? | ? |
| 21 m | 125 | 400 | 9 / 22 mm | ? | 1.95 | 2.93 | ? | ? |
| | 145 | 400 | 9 / 22 mm | ? | 1.72 | 2.58 | ? | ? |
| | | | | | | | | |
| | 110 | 400 | 9 / 22 mm | ? | 2.14 | 3.21 | ? | ? |
| 15 m | 125 | 400 | 9 / 22 mm | ? | 1.49 | 2.23 | ? | ? |
| | 145 | 400 | 9 / 22 mm | ? | 1.11 | 1.62 | ? | ? |

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Table 2.7

TOWER FOUNDATION DESIGN & LOADING

| TOWER HEIGHT | WIND SPEED | MAX VERTICAL | MAX UPLIFT | MAX SHEAR/LEG | TOTAL SHEAR | AXIAL |
|-----------------|---------------|-----------------|---------------|------------------|----------------|--------|
| | KPH | (KIPS) | (KIPS) | (KIPS) | (KIPS) | (KIPS) |
| 45 m | 145 | 63.13 | 48.14 | 6.9 | 13.54 | 7.5 |
| | | | | | | |
| 40 m | 145 | 51 | 40 | 5.1 | 10 | 5.39 |
| | | | | | | |
| 35 m | 145 | 40 | 33 | 4.45 | 7 | 4.27 |
| | | | | | | |
| 30 m | 145 | 29.21 | 24.21 | 2.92 | 4.68 | 3.97 |
| | | | | | | |
| 25 m | 145 | 17.29 | 14.02 | 1.79 | 2.65 | 2.53 |
| | | | | | | |
| 20 m | 145 | 15.94 | 12.9 | 1.73 | 2.6 | 2.14 |
| | | | | | | |

Table 2.8

Below 145 ms⁻¹ wind speed; shear, vertical and uplift forces are negligible. All foundation designs shall be in accordance with maximum reaction loads indicated above. Modification of loading locations and equipment can be made provided reaction loads do not exceed indicated values.

Footing Assembly Weight Table

| Weight (Kg/m) | Weight x 12 (Kg/m) |
|------------------|-----------------------|
| 43 | 17.16 |
| 1.43 | 17.16 |
| 1.43 | 17.16 |
| 2.23 | 26.76 |
| 2.40 | 28.8 |
| 2.40 | 28.8 |
| 1.61 | 19.32 |
| 3.06 | 36.72 |
| 3.02 | 36.24 |





Lap Link Weight Table

| Weight (Kg/m) | Weight x 3 (Kg/m) |
|------------------|----------------------|
| 55.63 | 166.89 |
| 58.01 | 174.03 |
| 62.63 | 187.89 |
| 65.55 | 196.65 |

Table 2.10

STRUCTURAL DESIGN DATA FOR A TYPICAL LATTICE TOWER

| Section | Height | Leg Size(cm) | Brace | | |
|---------|--------|------------------|---------------|---------------|--|
| | m | Grade A500 steel | Configuration | Size (mm) | |
| 1 | 6 | 20 Schedule 80 | Double AngleA | 90 x 80 | |
| 2 | 12 | 20 Schedule 80 | Double AngleA | 90 x 80 | |
| 3 | 18 | 20 Schedule 80 | Single 2x | 100 x 100 x 4 | |
| 4 | 24 | 20 Schedule 80 | Single 2x | 100 x 100 x 4 | |
| 5 | 30 | 15 Schedule 80 | Single 2x | 100 x 100 x 4 | |
| 6 | 36 | 15 Schedule 80 | Single 2x | 100 x 100 x 4 | |
| 7 | 42 | 13 Schedule 80 | Single 3x | 75 x 75 x 1.5 | |
| 8 | 48 | 13 Schedule 80 | Single 3x | 75 x 75 x 1.5 | |
| 9 | 54 | 13 Schedule 80 | Single 3x | 60 x 60 x 6 | |
| 10 | 60 | 8 Schedule 80 | Single 3x | 60 x 60 x 6 | |
| 11 | 66 | 8 Schedule 80 | Single 4x | 60 x 60 x 6 | |
| 12 | 72 | 6.5 Schedule80 | Single 4x | 50 x 50 x 5 | |
| 13 | 80 | 6.5 Schedule80 | Single 3x | 50 x 50 x 5 | |

Table 2.11

All brace connections shall be bolted and provided with locking pal nuts. Sections are in typical 6-metre lengths Leg strength minimum 46 KSI yield. Max Share/Leg: 40.11 KIPS Max Uplift: 288.26 KIPS Max Compression: 345.76 KIPS Design Wind Speed is 120 Km hr⁻¹

| | | 100 mot | ro Configura | tion Lattica Tr | a wor | |
|---------|---------|---------------|--------------|-----------------|---------------|------------|
| Castian | Llaiobt | | Te Configura | mon Lattice T | Jwei | |
| Section | Height | Leg Inickness | D | ~~~ | Deduc | dont |
| | (m) | (CM) 50 KSI | BI KO | | | |
| - | - | | Bolt Size | Diag. Config. | Size (mm) | Size (cm) |
| 1 | 6 | 16 | (2) 20mm | Double A | 90 x 75 x 6 | 6 x 6 x 60 |
| 2 | 12 | 16 | (2) 20mm | Double A | 90 x 75 x 6 | 6 x 6 x 60 |
| 3 | 18 | 16 | (2) 20mm | Double A | 90 x 75 x 6 | 6 x 6 x 60 |
| 4 | 24 | 16 | (2) 20mm | Double A | 90 x 75 x 6 | 6 x 6 x 60 |
| 5 | 30 | 13 | 22mm | Single 2A | 10 x 10 x 6 | 6 x 6 x 60 |
| 6 | 36 | 13 | 22mm | Single 2A | 10 x 10 x 6 | 6 x 6 x 60 |
| 7 | 42 | 13 | 22mm | Single 2A | 10 x 10 x 6 | 6 x 6 x 60 |
| 8 | 48 | 13 | 22mm | Single 2A | 75 x 75 x 8 | 6 x 6 x 60 |
| 9 | 54 | 10 | 22mm | Single 2A | 75 x 75 x 8 | 6 x 6 x 60 |
| 10 | 60 | 10 | 20mm | Single 2A | 75 x 75 x 8 | 6 x 6 x 60 |
| 11 | 66 | 9 | 20mm | Single 3A | 75 x 75 x 8 | 6 x 6 x 60 |
| 12 | 72 | 7.5 | 20mm | Single 3A | 60 x 60 x 600 | 6 x 6 x 60 |
| 13 | 78 | 7.5 | 20mm | Single 3A | 60 x 60 x 600 | 6 x 6 x 60 |
| 14 | 84 | 5 | 16mm | Single 4X | 50 x 50 x 6 | - |
| 15 | 90 | 5 | 16mm | Single 5X | 25 SOLID | - |
| 16 | 96 | 5 | 16mm | Single 1X | 25 SOLID | - |
| | | | BRAG | CE | | |
| | | | | | Internal | |
| | | | | | Triangle | |
| 1 | 6 | | | | 75 x 75 x 6 | |
| 2 | 12 | | | | 75 x 75 x 6 | |
| 3 | 18 | | | | 75 x 75 x 6 | |
| 4 | 24 | | | | 75 x 75 x 6 | |

STRUCTURAL DESIGN DATA FOR A TYPICAL LATTICE TOWER

Table 2.12

- Sections are in typical 6 metre lengths
- All brace connections shall be bolted and provided with locking pal nuts.
- All X-Braces shall be center bolted.
- Structure is designed for a maximum wind speed of 160 Km hr⁻¹
- Total structure design weight (unloaded) is 38,000 Kgs
- Maximum design shear / Leg is 80 KIPS
- Total shear at the Base is 155 KIPS
- Maximum design uplift is 627 KIPS
- Maximum design Compression is 733 KIPS

| Section | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 |
|----------------------------------|---------|--------|--------|--------|
| Length (m) | 13.7 | 12 | 12 | 11.2 |
| Number of Sides | 18 | 18 | 18 | 18 |
| Thickness (mm) | 10 | 8 | 6.5 | 5.5 |
| Lap splice / section overlap (m) | | 1.7 | 1.45 | 1.14 |
| Top Dia (cm) | 106 | 80 | 75 | 56 |
| Bottom Dia (cm) | 130 | 110 | 93 | 75 |
| Grade of Steel | A572-65 | | | |
| Weight (Kg) | 8.4 | 5.3 | 3.5 | 2.3 |
| Material Strength | 80 ksi | 80 ksi | 65 ksi | 65 ksi |

Design details of a four section, 45 metre Monopole (Typical)

Table 2.13

Tower above is designed for a 100 Km hr⁻¹ basic wind

Section of a Typical Guyed three-legged Mast

(Single or Z bracing)





Figure 2.17

A four section guyed monopole illustrating the relationship between tower height (H) and the horizontal distance from tower base to the guy anchor (1/4 H). Tower can be installed in many sections. This design of masts is ideal for the installation of HF -SSB dipole antennas.



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Figure 2.18 Details of parts of the guyed pole mast in figure 2.17 above

Assembly of Antenna support and Outrigger



Shows in detail, the antenna support outrigger shown in figure 2.17 above.



Figure 2.20

Examples of Non-Penetrating Roof Mounts These can be implemented where possible with mass or reinforced concrete bases.

NAMA / ICAO Lighting Regulation



Figure 2.21 Schematic representation of the ICAO / NAMA obstruction lighting regulations.

SECTION VIEWS – SHOWING SUBSTRUCTURE ARRANGEMENT (Raft Foundation)



Figure 2.22

This foundation type can be used for all types of towers. It is applied for individual legs for a three or four-legged structure. Type of soil and the overall dynamic loading determine the dimensions. These shall be determined for each particular site by the geo-technical engineer.

BASIC RAFT FOUNDATION DESIGN FOR TOWERS



Figure 2.23

All dimensions, reinforcement steel sizes and quantities shall be according to the engineer's design, which will be dependent on the soil characteristics, dead loading of mast, its height and worst case calculated wind loading



Drilled Pier Foundation Design for Towers in Swamps (Three Legged)

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Figure 2.24

Plan of a typical foundation type for unconsolidated soils.

All dimensions are to be specified by a geo-technical engineer and are strictly dependent on the site soil characteristics, expected maximum dynamic loads, shear stress, uplift and compression.



Typical Micro pile in an unconsolidated Formation

Figure 2.25 Section of drilled Pier Foundation



Foundation design for Self- Supporting Post Mast

Dimensions of X and Y are dependent on soil conditions, dead weight of mast and wind loading



.Square and level shuttering .Template laid across shuttering .Studding fitted .Infill of concrete

Figure 2.26

Basic Foundation Design - Four Legged Tower



Projection above concrete base

Mild Steel Base Plate

Figure 2.27 Design for lightweight mast in normal soil

Foundation design for one leg in a three or four legged tower configuration. This is a galvanised steel tower socket base for installation on a concrete foundation. Each corner of the base is provided with a clearance hole for studs that provide a levelling method. Typical values for a lightweight tower in a normal soil are as follows:

| Concrete Depth | 1.2 metre |
|----------------|------------|
| Concrete Width | 1.8 metre |
| Face Width | 0.65 metre |
| Base Width | 1. metre |



TYPICAL ANCHOR ASSEMBLY

Figure 2.28

This is easily deployed in unconsolidated formations for guy anchors, in drilled pier and micro-pile foundations. They exist in a lot of configurations. Lengths can be varied according to the soil characteristics. Lengths are increased by the use of extensions.

Basic Foundation Design for a three-legged slim lattice Mast





All dimensions are to be specified by a geo-technical engineer and are strictly dependent on the site soil characteristics, expected maximum dynamic loads, shear stress, uplift and compression.







All dimensions are to be specified by a geo-technical engineer and are strictly dependent on the site soil characteristics, expected maximum dynamic loads, shear stress, uplift and compression. Typical values in normal soil for a 45-metre lightweight steel tower are:

| Concrete Depth | 1.2 metres |
|----------------|-------------|
| Concrete Width | 1.8 metres |
| Face Width | 0.57 metres |
| Base Width | 1.0 metres |

This design does not give room for leveling after concrete has been poured

Foundation Design for a Self –Support Monopole Tower



Section

Plan



Design basic wind speed is 100 Kmhr⁻¹ Plate thickness is 6 Plate grade is A36. Anchor Bolt Grade is A325 X. Yield Strength is 4 ksi. Bolt Length is a minimum of 1 metre Base Plate outer diam is 1.5 m Base plate inner diam is 1.1 m

Figure 2.31 Dimensions given above vary with the peculiarities of the monopole and the soil





Tapered Base, Guyed Tower - Grounding

Guyed Tower Leg Grounding



Figure 2.32

Earthing and lightning protection methods





Figure 2.33



TOWER EARTHING DESIGN - TYPICAL

Figure 2.34

| Soil | Resistivity, ohm, cm |
|---------------|----------------------|
| | |
| Marshy Ground | 200 – 270 |
| Loam and Clay | 400 – 15,000 |
| Chalk | 6,000 -40,000 |
| Sand | 9,000 - 800,000 |
| Peat | 20,000 |
| Sandy Gravel | 30,000 -50,000 |
| Rock | 100,000 |
| | |

Table 2.14 – Resistivity Values for different Soil Types

Table 2.14 gives typical values, which can be used for computation but shall not serve as a substitute for actual measured values.



Air Terminal- Lighting spike **Figure 2.35**

Earthing Clamps













Typical clamps for installation of earth tapes

<u>U-Bolts</u>

















Figure 3.2 Earth and lightning protection materials

Rod to Tape Coupling

Building in RodHoldfasts





Connector Clamps

Square Tape Clamp









Screw down Clamp







Plate Type Clamp

Installation Materials – Earthing and lightning protection

Figure 3.3





Earth Bars and Disconnecting Links



Insulator

Wooden base disconnecting link



6-way disconnecting link

Disconnecting link channel Iron base



Inspection Housing

Figure 3.4 These materials are used for earthing installation to make testing easy



Figure 3.5

These materials are used for earthing installation to make testing easy

Notes

- *i)* Conductor inspection housing shall be installed at test points to protect the earth rod and earth connections and make them available for testing.
- *ii)* It shall be made from high grade, heavy-duty polypropylene and ultra violet stabilized to prevent degradation by sunlight.
- *iii)* It shall be non-brittle.

Lightning Arrestor Installation Materials









Light Duty Saddle



Figure 3.6 Pointed Air rod and installation saddle

Copper Tapes – Can be Tin or lead covered

Flexible Copper braid





Figure 3.7 Flat Copper Tape and Flexible Copper Braid

Copper Tape

Connectors

Circular cable connector





Cable to Tape Junction Clamp



Cable To Cable Test Clamp





Figure 3.8 Cable connectors

Bi-Metallic Connectors





Metal Tape Clip



Non-Metallic Clips





Figure 3.9 *Cable and Tape clips*

Guy System Materials





Above: Thimble Left: U-Bolt Clip

Earth Screw Anchor





7 x 7 Galvanized Cable 7 x 19 Stainless Steel Cable

Turnbuckle

Guy Wire

Figure 3.10

Guy materials

Guying materials shall conform to the sizes, mechanical strengths and capacities shown below in Tables 3.1 (1-4)

| Size & Grade | Working Load | Break Strength | Wt. / 100 strands |
|---------------------------------------|--------------|----------------|-------------------|
| 3.5mm x 7 x 7 Galvanised Steel | 154 Kg | 771 Kg | 1.27 Kg |
| 10mm x 7 x 19 Galvanised Steel | 1306 Kg | 6532 Kg | 1.10 Kg |
| 8mm x 7 x 19 Stainless Steel(304) | 245 Kg | 1089 Kg | 2.27 Kg |
| 5mm x 7 x 19 304 Stainless Steel(304) | 336 Kg | 1678 Kg | 4.10 Kg |
| 6.5mm x 7 x 19 Stainless Steel(304) | 581 Kg | 2903 Kg | 5.00 Kg |

Table 3.1 Guying Cable

| Working Load (Kg) | Diameter & Take Up | Unit Wt. (Kg) |
|-------------------|--------------------|---------------|
| 750 | 10mm X 15cm | 0.45 |
| 1,000 | 12.5mm X 22cm | 0.9 |
| 1,500 | 15mm X 30cm | 1.8 |

Table 3.2 Turnbuckles

Turnbuckles shall be made from drop forged steel, be of hot dip galvanized Finish and have Eye and eye construction

| Overall Length | Rod Dial. In. | Helix Diameter | Holding Power in Normal Soil | Unit Wt(Kg) |
|---|---------------|-------------------|---------------------------------|-------------|
| 75 cm | 12.5 mm | 10 cm | 1,135 Kg. | 3.2 |
| 120 cm | 16 mm | 15 cm | 1,815 Kg. | 5.5 |
| 173 cm 17.5 mm 20 cm 5,000 Kg. 12 | | | | |
| 12.5mm Link from earth anchor to turnbuckle. Hot dip galvanized finish. | | | | |

Table 3.3 Earth Screw Anchors

| Description | Kgs. Per 100 |
|-------------------------------------|--------------|
| 3mm Galvanized Steel U-Bolt Clip | 4.54 |
| 8mm Galvanized Steel U-Bolt Clip | 8.16 |
| 6.5mm Galvanized Steel U-Bolt Clip | 8.16 |
| 8mm Galvanized Steel U-Bolt Clip | 13.6 |
| 10mm Galvanized Steel U-Bolt Clip | 21.8 |
| 6.5mm Galvanized Heavy Duty Thimble | 4.54 |
| 8mm Galvanized Heavy Duty Thimble | 6.35 |
| 10mm Galvanized Heavy Duty Thimble | 11.34 |

Table 3.4 U-Bolt Clips and Thimbles



Figures 3.11

Side Antenna Mount





Figure 3.12

SADDLE- BRACKET







Antenna Mount on Self-Support Tower



Figure 3.13











Figure 3.14





Antenna Mount on Self-Support Tower



Section View

Figure 3.15









Figure 3.16





Measurement of Tension of Guy

The Pulse Method



Figure 4.2

Relationship between Guy Tension at Anchor and at Mid-Guy

The Tangent Intercept Method



Figure 4.3



International Council on Non-Ionizing Radiation Protection (ICNIRP)

Table 6.2: Radiation level in E, H and S for Occupational Staff on site

| Frequency Range (f) | Electric Field (E) | Magnetic Field (H) | Power Density (S) (E;H Fields) |
|------------------------|-----------------------|------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| | | | |
| | (V/m) | (A/m) | (mW/cm ²) |
| <1 Hz | — | 163 x 10³ | — |
| 1 - 8 Hz | 20,000 | 163 x 10³/f² | — |
| 8 - 25 Hz | 20,000 | 2.0 x 10 ⁴ /f | — |
| 0.025 - 0.82 kHz | 500/f | 20/f | — |
| 0.82 - 65 kHz | 610 | 24.4 | 100; 22,445 |
| 0.065 - 1 MHz | 610 | 1.6/f | 100; 100/f ² |
| 1 - 10 | 610/f | 1.6/f | 100/f ² |
| 10 - 400 MHz | 61 | 0.16 | 1.0 |
| 400 - 2,000 MHz | 3f ^½ | 0.008f ¹ / ₂ | f/400 |
| 2 - 300 GHz | 137 | 0.36 | 5.0 |

| Frequency Range (f) | Electric Field (E) | Magnetic Field (H) | Power Density (S) (E,H Fields) |
|------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| | (V/m) | (A/m) | (mW/cm ²) |
| <1 Hz | _ | 3.2 x 10 ⁴ | — |
| 1 - 8 Hz | 10,000 | 3.2 x 10 ⁴ /f ² | — |
| 8 - 25 Hz | 10,000 | 4000/f | — |
| 0.025 - 0.8 kHz | 250/f | 4/f | — |
| 0.8 - 3 kHz | 250/f | 5 | — |
| 3 -150 kHz | 87 | 5 | 2.0; 995 |
| 0.15 - 1 MHz | 87 | 0.73/f | 2.0; 20/f ² |
| 1 - 10 | 87/f ^½ | 0.73/f | 2.0/f; 20/f ² |
| 10 - 400 MHz | 28 | 0.073 | 0.2 |
| 400 - 2,000 MHz | 1.375f ^½ | 0.0037f ¹ / ₂ | f/2000 |
| 2 - 300 GHz | 61 | 0.16 | 1.0 |

Table 6.3: Radiation level in E, H and S for General Public

| Eroquonov Pango | Maximum Current (ma) | |
|-------------------|----------------------|----------------|
| Frequency Range | Occupational | General Public |
| <2.5 kHz | 1.0 | 0.5 |
| 2.5 - 100 kHz | 0.4f | 0.2/f |
| 100 kHz - 110 MHz | 40 | 20 |

| Fraguanay Panga | Maximum Current (ma) | |
|-----------------|----------------------|----------------|
| Frequency Range | Occupational | General Public |
| 10 - 110 MHz | 100 | 45 |