

The Top Ten Antenna Questions to Answer Before Making a Final Antenna Selection

1.	Frequency Range (MHz): Center Frequency: Bandwidth:
2.	Minimum Gain: Reference (dBd or dBi):
3.	Radiation Pattern (Omni or Directional):
4.	Maximum Allowable VSWR (typical is 1.5:1):
5.	Polarization: Vertical Horizontal Elliptical (RHCP or LHCP)
6.	Connector Type: Male Female Is a Pigtail Feed Beneficial? If so, how long?
7.	Power rating of antenna (in Watts): Average or Peak:
8.	Where will the antenna be mounted:
9.	Maximum Size of the Antenna: Indoors Outdoors Environment: Outdoors Wind Speed: Ice:
	Hardware required: Stainless Steel Hardware: Rear or center mount:
	Mast diameter (if required)
	Is a radome required? Size: Color:
10.	What is the expected lifetime of the antenna:

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