

## Section 1

# BASE STATION ANTENNAS

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## HFS30 HF Broadband 3 Wire

**Frequency**  
3.6 – 30 MHz

**Bandwidth**  
FULL BAND



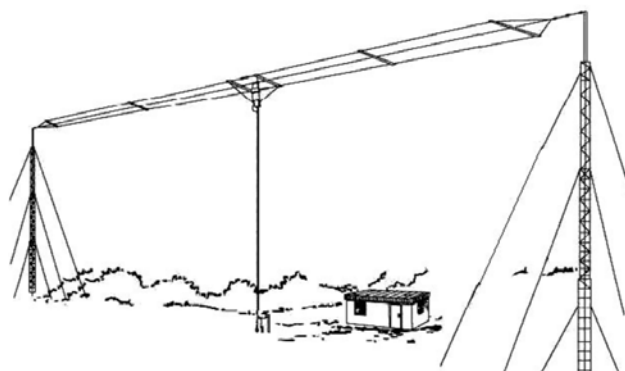
HFS30 is a 3 Wire Broadband Antenna which covers the entire HF frequency range 3.6 to 30 MHz. The light but sturdy design is highly efficient and offers excellent performance with minimal wind loading. No tuner is necessary.

Mounting can be adapted to a wide variety of situations. The usual mounting method is horizontal between two towers 29 metres apart. Otherwise the antenna can be erected simply between a tall tree and the back yard shed. An inverted "V" configuration across a single tower is another mounting option which occupies less space.

In all cases the antenna needs to be erected at least 10 metres above ground level.

The wire and all fittings are stainless steel to eliminate corrosion. Spacing rods are UV resistant fibreglass. These high quality components will survive outdoors for many years in the harshest weather conditions.

Satisfied users of the HFS30 include amateur radio operators, the military, Royal Flying Doctor Service outposts Australia wide, police, government and long distance education correspondence schools.



SPECIFICATIONS	HFS30
<b>Construction</b>	3 x 2 mm stainless steel wire, stainless steel fittings and UV resistant fibreglass rods
<b>Frequency</b>	HF 3.6 to 30 MHz
<b>Bandwidth</b>	Full Band
<b>Tuning</b>	Factory, no tuner required
<b>Typical VSWR</b>	Better than 2:1
<b>Typical Gain</b>	5 dBi -6 dBi at 3.6 MHz
<b>Maximum Power</b>	100 Watts continuous 150 Watts PEP
<b>Impedance (Nom.)</b>	50 Ohms
<b>Connector</b>	UHF Female
<b>Shipping Weight</b>	4.5 kg
<b>Wind Rating</b>	210 kph
<b>Antenna Length</b>	27 metres
<b>Horizontal Tower Spacing</b>	29 metres Mast to Mast
<b>Inverted "V" Spacing</b>	20 metres Footprint
<b>Recommended Mast Height</b>	10 metres above ground level minimum

