

#### **ROVERTM** FLEXIBLE, PORTABLE, RELIABLE.

The ROVER™ is an ultra-lightweight fly-away satellite terminal with unsurpassed reliability, advanced assisted-acquire technology, and a flexible deployment platform.

Available in both 1.0 and 1.2m antenna sizes, the ROVER's components can be tightly integrated for rapid deployment or separated into indoor and outdoor units for safe operation in dangerous terrain or situations. With IATA compliant packaging and a tool-free assembly process, the ROVER is easy to transport and operate, with military grade durability you can rely on wherever your mission takes you.











#### WHY CHOOSE THE NORSAT ROVER™?

Advanced assisted acquire technology

Modular Architecture

Easy tool free assembly

Flexible Indoor/Outdoor unit deployment

Multi-band capability

System integration

Built in trouble shooting

Military Grade

Ultra lightweight packaging

LinkControl's intuitive user interface guides users through the satellite acquisition pro cess

Components are field serviceable for easy maintenance

Rapidly assemble & deploy without tools in under 15 min

Safely deploy the ROVER in dangerous terrain, or weather

Ku, X, and Ka band kits available - field swappable in under 10 min

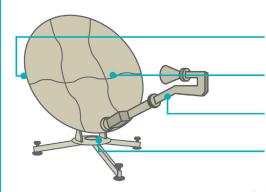
Software integration and control supports widest variety of components

Visible and audible alarms guide user through problem resolution

Platforms have been tested to meet military specifications

IATA compliant hard cases or backpack options available

#### **COMPONENTS**



#### **SSPA**

RF package can be field swapped to quickly change the frequency bands and powers.

#### 6-Segment Carbon

Lightweight, portable and easy to assemble. Available in 1.0 or 1.2m.

#### 2-Seament Boom Arm

Fits into compact packaging. Patented integrated filters are included for X-band

#### IIIC (Interface/Indicator/Inclinometer/Compass)

Functional in multiple frequency bands for easy frequency switching in the field.

#### **INTEGRATION OPTIONS**



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#### **Satellite Acquisition Assistant**

The Satellite Acquisition Assistant (SAA) is a sat-ellite pointing tool kit available with the ROVER as a standalone unit in a rugged enclosure. The SAA includes spectrum analyzer, integrated GPS, in-clinometer, compass, narrow band power meter, DVB/S(2) receiver, and LinkControl Software

- Cost effective solution for experienced satel-lite technicians
- Ideal for redundant terminal solutions
- May be used to align other terminals



#### **Integrated Base Unit**

The SAA, power supply and a rugged satellite modem can be delivered in an outdoor unit, fully integrated into the ROVER outdoor equipment.

- All weather deployment Flectronics stored in outdoor rated enclosures (IP65)
- · Ultra-light weight for easy
- transportation

· Integration ensures the most rapid set up and deployment



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#### **Rack Mount System**

The ROVER can be supplied with an integrated rack mount solution in a variety of rack sizes. Rack mounted systems include a Compact In-door Unit, SAA, laptop, power supply & space for any number of modems or encoders.

- Maximum flexibility- integrate nearly any component, including high power BUCs
- Rugged- rack units are supplied in ruggedized cases for transport and storage

Basic: Already have your own pointing tools? ROVER can be supplied with-out any components for the most cost effective solution.

#### **SPEC**

	X-Band (60W BUC*)		Ku-Band (40W BUC*)		Ka-Band (4W BUC*)		
	1.0m antenna	1.2m antenna	1.0m antenna	1.2m antenna	1.0m antenna	1.2m antenna	
G/T	14.7 dB/K	17.0 dB/K	19.5 dB/K	20.2 dB/K	21.5 dB/K	20.8 dB/K	
EIRP*	51.5 dBW	55.1 dBW	56.1 dBW	57.6 dBW	53.5 dBW	55.2 dBW	
Tx Gain	>36.1 dBi	>38.3 dBi	>41.5 dBi	>43.0 dBi (mid band)	>48 dBi	>49.7 dBi (mid b.)	
Rx Gain	>36.0 dBi	>37.6 dBi	>40.0 dBi	>41.0 dBi (mid band)	>44 dBi	>46.0 dBi (mid b.)	
Polarization	Circular		Linear (	Linear Cross-Pol		Circular / Linear	
	RHCP/LHCP c	r LHCP/RHCP			RHCP/LHCP or LHCP/RHCP		
Cross pol isolation	N/A		35.0 dB within 1 dB contour		N/A		
Axial Ratio	<1.2 dB in Tx Band		N/A		<1.0 dB in Tx band		
Elevation adj	5° to 85°, Manual with fine adjust						
Azimuth adj	±300, Manual with fine adjust						
Transmit frequency	7.9 - 8.4 GHz		13.75 GHz - 14.5 GHz		30 - 31 GHz (military)		
Receive frequency	7.25 - 7.75 GHz		10.95 - 12.75 GHz		18.2 - 21.2 GHz		
Input frequency	950 - 1450 MHz		950 - 1700 MHz		950 - 1950 MHz		
Operating Temp	-30°C to +55°C, meets MIL-STD- 810G						
Rainfall	15 mm/h Operational, 30 mm/h Survival, meets MIL-STD- 810G						
Windspeed	60 km/h Operational, 100 km/h Survival						

### **LinkControl Software**

Included with every  $\mathsf{ROVER}^\mathsf{TM}$  system,  $\mathsf{LinkControl}^\mathsf{TM}$  software is the industry's most intuitive and powerful suite of satellite tools. With an easy-to-use GUI, LinkControl guides the user through the satellite acquisition process and seamlessly integrates the various hardware components.

Users have full control of all integrated components including SSPA, LNB, modem, or encoder modulators. Through user configured profiles and a customizable satellite almanac, LinkControl enables users to plan operations, rapidly deploy systems and conduct remote diagnostics.

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#### Features include :

- Assisted acquire technology with an easy step-by-step interface
- · Component auto-detection for easy modem or bandwidth switching
- Remote access from anywhere in the world via TCP/IP
- Built-in troubleshooting and resolution system
- Closed loop power control to account for environmental variation
- User configured LinkProfiles to store deployment data including location, satellite, Modem/encoder data, hardware configuration, LNB and polarization detail





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#### PORTABLE AND RELIABLE.

Currently deployed around the world for a variety of military and commercial applications, the ROVER™ is field proven and reliable for mission critical operations. The ROVER platform has been tested to meet military specifications and features a rugged design ideal for use in all terrains and climates.

The ROVER's light weight carbon fibre antenna and IATA compliant packaging ensure the terminal is airline transportable, so you can rely on the ROVER to just work, wherever your mission takes you.

#### FLEXIBLE.

The ROVER's flexible platform is easily configured to exactly meet the requirements of your deployment. The various components can be integrated into a compact base unit for easy transportation and deployment, or separated into Indoor and Outdoor units to keep electronics and personnel safe while operating in dangerous terrain or inclement weather.

A compact indoor unit (CIDU) completely integrates laptop controllers and pointing tools, and a Satellite Acquisition Assistant (SAA) provides everything needed to point, peak and acquire a satellite. Available with X, Ku and Ka band kits that can be field swapped in less than 10 minutes, and power options up to 200W, the ROVER provides the most flexible satellite terminal platform available today.



Antenna	X-Band	Ku-Band	Ka-Band	
Antenna Platform	Motorized Elevation over Azimuth	Motorized Elevation over Azimuth	Motorized Elevation over Azimutl	
	Mounted on Base Unit	Mounted on Base Unit	Mounted on Base Unit	
Transmit	X-Band	Ku-Band	Ka-Band	
Reference Signal Frequency	external 10 MHz	external 10 MHz	external 10 MHz	
	-5 to +5 dBm	-5 to +5 dBm	-5 to +5 dBm	
	(supplied by Base Unit)	(supplied by Base Unit)	(supplied by Base Unit)	
Rated Power (1dB C.P.)	60 W (other options available)	40 W (other options available)	4W (other options available)	
Power Control	0.1 dB res, 1 dB accuracy modem	0.1 dB res, 1 dB accuracy modem	0.1 dB res, 0.6 dB accuracy mode	
	dependent	dependent	dependent	
Max. SSG Variation	±1 dB per 54 MHz	±1 dB per 54 MHz	0.3 dB in 36 MHz band	
over any narrow band				
Spectral Regrowth at rated pwr.	-26 dBc	-26 dBc	-26 dBc	
Receive	X-Band	Ku-Band	Ka-Band	
NB Noise Figure (typical)	0.7 dB	0.8 dB	1.3 dB	
O Stability Maximum (over temp)	±10 KHz or ext. ref.	±5 KHz or ext. ref.	±40 KHz or ext. ref.	
Phase noise (SSB maximum)	-75 dBc/Hz at 1 kHz	-75 dBc/Hz at 1 kHz	-75 dBc/Hz at 1 kHz	
	-85 dBc/Hz at 10 kHz	-80 dBc/Hz at 10 kHz	-80 dBc/Hz at 10 kHz	
	-95 dBc/Hz at 100 kHz	-95 dBc/Hz at 100 kHz	- dBc/Hz at 100 kHz	
Output P1dB	10 dBm	7 dBm	7 dBm	





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#### **ENVIRONMENTAL**

Temperature

Operational 30°C to +55°C Survival 40 to +70°C

Rainfall

Weatherproofing

Windspeed

Operational 60 km/h Survival 100 km/h

Humidity 5-95% condensing

Vibration

Loose Cargo Vibration

Transit Drop

Blowing Dust & Sand Blowing wind & rain Random vibration

Shock

Drop & topple

Free fall Salt mist

## Modem & HD Encoder/Modulator Options

The ROVER is compatible with a variety of modems and encorders, including those made by the following manufacturers:

- Comtech
- iDirect
- Hughes
- Radvne
- Norsat MPEG 2/4 HD/SD Encoders Available

## Satellite Acquisition Assistant (SAA) Toolkit Features

**Spectrum analyzer.** Advanced Sat Comm professional tool allowing

for enhanced precision during pointing and diagnostics. **Integrated GPS**, inclinometer, and compass. Provides all the bearing information needed to accurately find and point the terminal

Narrow band power meter. Power level reading for quick check satellite indication

**DVB S/S2 receiver.** Positive lock for exact satellite acquisition confirmation.

LinkControl Software

## Rackmount or Compact Indoor Unit (CIDU) Features

Form Factor 2RU 19" rack chassis

Power Supply up to 100W @ 24V (for IDU) up to 400W @ 48V (for SSPA

power supply)

Power Requirements 600W 110/220V AC 50/60Hz

Size  $41 \times 56 \times 24 \text{ cm}$  Weight 22 kg (est.)

System Controller Panasonic CF-19 Toughbook

Completely integrated SAA Module with all SAA tools Windows XP, Windows 7, Mac OSX, Norsat LinkControl software User selectable Modem integrated with LinkControl Software

#### **INTEGRATED BASE UNIT FEATURES**

The Base Unit is delivered in an outdoor rated enclosure, completely integrated into the ROVER.

The Base Unit is complete with all of the following: Satellite Acquisition Assistant (components listed above)

Power supply

Rugged satellite modem

#### **POWER SUPPLY**

Prime Power
Consumption
Power Supply

110/220 V AC (50 / 60 Hz)
Varies with BUC options
Can be supplied with 400W,
600W & 1000W power supply

#### **PACKAGING**

depending on BUC options

Hard packs, soft pack and backpack options available. Most system configurations are available with IATA Compliant packaging (cases <32 kg each)

Packaging options available in as few as 2 cases.

#### **ACCESSORIES OPTIONS**

- 2 kVa Generator
- Ruggedized Laptop Controller with Integrated Linkcontrol
- Software
- 30 meter IFL cable
- Fibre optics package
- Lightning protection kit
- · De-icing kit
- Vehicle power kit (MIL-STD 1275B)



