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TELEMETRY AND TRACKING TRAJECTORY ON SPACE REENTRY VEHICLES

ArianeGroup designed a new concept of antennas in order to transmit telemetry data (S-band) and to track space vehicle trajectory (C-band). The antenna volume is drastically reduced thanks to a new patented design that consists in replacing the classical excitation of the waveguide, made with a coaxial probe, by a patch located inside the waveguide.

Telemetry Antenna (TM)

- > **Rectangular** shaped patch for linear polarization
- > Microstrip coupling feeding
- The radom is a waveguide with 3DSiSi ArianeGroup thermal protection
- Stub inserted into the radom to tune the frequency





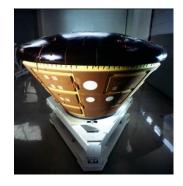
	TM Antenna	TJ Antenna
Frequency	S	С
VSWR	< 1.5	< 2
Polarization	Linear	Circular
Bandwidth	80 MHz tunable	900 MHz
Gain	5 dBi	5 dBi
Dimensions	80 x 75 x 40 mm	77 x 67 x 35 mm

Trajectography (TJ)

- Square patch with truncated corners for circular polarization
- > Microstrip direct feeding
- The radom is a waveguide with 3DSiSi ArianeGroup thermal protection
- > Wideband antenna (no tuning required)







Telemetry antenna with window on ARD (Atmospheric Reentry Demonstrator)

HIGH PERFORMANCE TECHNOLOGIES

- > Hemispherical radiation pattern compliant with space vehicles need.
- > Technology qualified to harsh mechanical and thermal environment: Thermal fluxes and temperatures up to 2000°C impose the radom thickness
- > Reduced volume and low weight

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