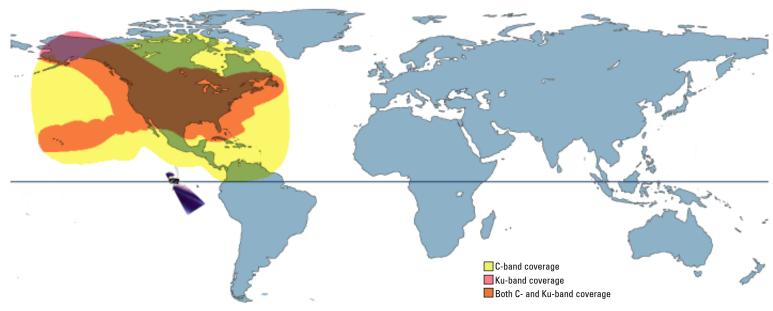


AMC-1 SATELLITE

103° W.L. | Hybrid C/Ku-band | North America



AMERICOM-1 (AMC-1) was SES AMERICOM's first A2100 hybrid C- and Ku-band satellite. Already home for several nationally and regionally delivered C-band cable services, AMC-1, and AMC-4 at 101° W.L., form *Cable 2*®, the nation's newest premiere cable neighborhood. The close proximity of the two spacecraft permits both satellites to be received by a single ground antenna.

AMC-1's Ku-band payload serves a variety of broadcast, mobile, educational, enterprise and government customers.

Also available on AMC-1's C-band payload is DigitalC®, an end-to-end video MCPC solution providing programmers with access to more than 61 million households through thousands of cable headends reached via satellite.

DigitalC® features intra- and inter-satellite restoration protection, a widely-used compression platform (Scientific-Atlanta PowerVu®) and high-performance, 50-state coverage.

Satellite transponder information

Spacecraft design Lockheed Martin A2100

Orbital location103° W.L.Design life15 years

Launch Date/Vehicle September 8, 1996/Atlas IIA

C-band payload 24 x 36 MHz

Transponder type SSPA, 12- to 18-watt (adjustable)

Amp redundancy 16 for 12 Receiver redundancy 4 for 2

Coverage CONUS, Alaska, Hawaii, Mexico, Caribbean,

Canada

Ku-band payload24 x 36 MHzTransponder typeTWTA, 60-wattAmp redundancy18 for 12Receiver redundancy4 for 2

Coverage CONUS, Alaska, Hawaii, Northern Mexico,

Southern Canada

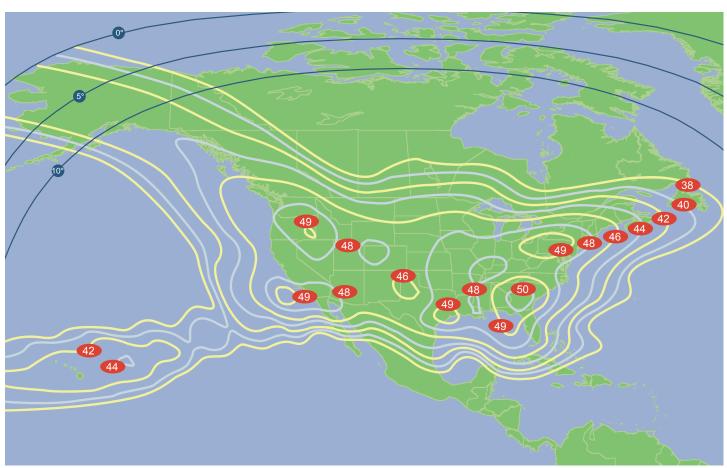
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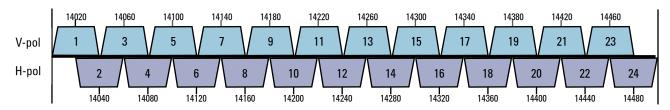
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Typical minimum Ku-band EIRP

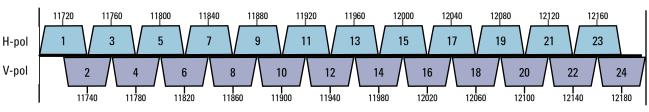


Ku-band Frequency Plan

Uplink (MHz): 14000 - 14500



Downlink (MHz): 11700 - 12200



Beacon: 12198 MHz (H)