

# Increasing the range of the Wireless Water Monitoring System

Gallagher offer a number of antenna systems for farmers needing to increase the read range of their Wireless Water Monitoring System. Use this brochure to find the answers to common challenges like longer distances between monitoring location and tanks, multiple tank monitoring and lack of line of sight between monitor and tanks.



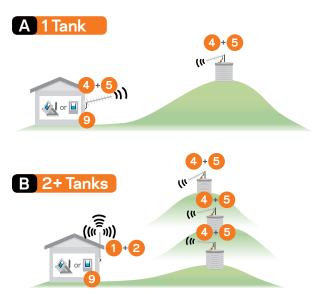
# Antenna Options to increase the range

Use the diagrams to find the setup that most closely resembles the challenge - A-F

# Line of sight

Maximum range is 4km, if there is genuine line of sight. Anything in the way (e.g. hills/trees/buildings/vehicles/walls) will reduce distance. To extend range up to 10km

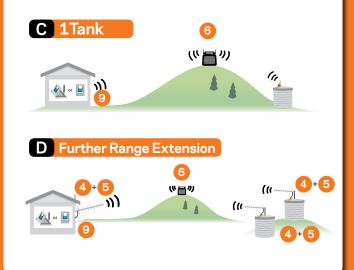
- Point to point use a Directional Long Range Antenna at both ends
- Must be directly pointing to far location

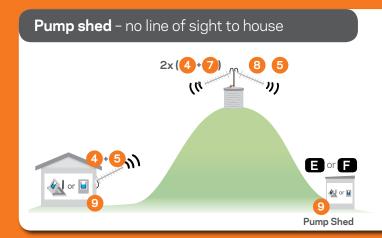


# No line of sight

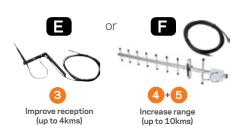
If there is no line of sight, to provide a stronger radio signal it is often beneficial to install an Active Repeater on a hill top. Choose a location that has clear line of sight to the source and the destination (tank and the farm house).

- Only one repeater can be used in a system (not designed to be daisy chained)
- Needs to face north so that the solar panel can keep the battery charged.





Two base unit systems are needed. One automatically maintains tank level (pump shed to tank) and the other monitors tank level to confirm system is working correctly (tank to house).





# Antenna options to increase the range Step 1

# Multi Direction Antenna Systems

BE

Multi directional antennae send/receive signals to/from multiple monitored locations and base display unit.

Up to **10km** 

High Power External Multi
Directional Antenna
G98506



Cable

G98604 (4m) G98605 (10m)

Up to 4km

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External Multi Directional Antenna



A long life weatherproof antenna designed to be mounted externally to maximise the range and reception. Comes complete with brackets and hardware.



For use with 1 Multi directional with SMA male to N female, 3u" gold plated connectors.



External mounted option for standard distance installations that require improved reception to the base unit, especially useful for corrugated iron pump sheds.

# Single Direction Antenna Systems

ABDF

Single direction antennae send/receive signals to/from a single monitored location.

Up to **10km** 



Directional Ultra Long Range Antenna



Cable

G98602 (4m) G98603 (10m)

**Active Repeater** 



Made from the highest quality weather resistant materials, this high performance antenna maximises range to a single location



For use with
Directional Ultra Long Range High
Performance low loss RG58U cable
with SMA to SMA, 3u" gold plated
connectors.

# **Active Repeater**



CD



Can be utilised to carry the signal over an obstacle preventing line of sight. Only 1 Active Repeater can be used per Water Monitoring System. Tank unit and display only.

## Other



0.5m Cable

G98601



Cable splitter

G98701



**Wall Mount Adaptor** 

G98017



For use with 4
Shorter length to en

Shorter length to ensure minimal signal loss between antenna



For use in systems that require two Directional Antenna - splits the transmission signal in half



For use with Wall Mount Display Units to connect to Antenna cable



# Parts list

# Starter Pack Desk Mount



Display
Desk Mount LCD
Display
G98114



Tank Unit Tank Unit only G98236



Sensor Stainless Steel Sensor 4m or 10m G98800 or G98801



Power Supply
Desk mount power supply
G98116



Standard Antenna Antenna Standard Multi Directional G98508



Display Antenna Desk Mount Antenna G98510

# **Starter Pack Wall Mount**

### Included



Display Wall Mount LCD Display G98014



Power Supply Wall Mount Power Supply G98016



Tank Unit Tank Unit only G98236



Sensor Stainless Steel Sensor 4m or 10m G98800 or G98801





Standard Antenna Antenna Standard Multi Directional G98508

# Tank Unit with 4m sensor

Included



Tank Unit Tank Unit only G98236



Sensor Stainless Steel Sensor 4m or 10m G98800 or G98801

# Spare parts



Standard Antenna Antenna Standard Multi Directional G98508

# Wireless Pump Controller





Wireless Pump Controller G98310 Single Phase

#### Spare parts



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