# **Amplified Indoor Antenna** ANT1251F User's Guide

#### FCC Statement:

This device complies with part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) This device may not cause harmful interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

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- Reorient or relocate the receiving antenna.
- Increase the separation between the equipment and receiver.
- Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected.
- Consult the dealer or an experienced radio/TV technician for help.

Caution: Any Changes or modifications not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate this equipment. Industry Canada Regulatory Information

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# Welcome!

Thank you for choosing an RCA amplified antenna. RCA amplified antennas are designed to give you the sharpest, clearest picture you can get. All RCA antennas are easy to set up and use. Before you get started, remove all the parts from the box and read this manual.

# Finding the best location for the antenna

Before you connect the antenna, determine the best spot in your home for optimum reception. Visit www.antennaweb.org to see where your local broadcasts are coming from. Then, try as much as possible to avoid obstructions between these transmitters and your antenna.

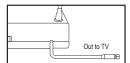
Note: Many times the best location for the antenna is close to a window.

#### Product Information

Keep your sales receipt to obtain warranty parts and service and for proof of purchase. Attach it here and record the model number in case you need it. These numbers are located on the product.
Model No:\_\_\_\_\_ANT1251F\_\_\_\_\_Purchase Date:\_\_\_\_\_\_Dealer/Address/Phone:\_\_\_\_\_\_

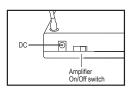
# Connecting the antenna to your TV

Once you've found the best place for your antenna, connect it to your TV.



 Connect the antenna's coaxial cable to your TV's antenna input.

Note: If your TV's antenna input is already connected to a satellite receiver, cable bacs, or digital converter, connect the ANT1251F's coascial cable to the antenna input jack on that device.



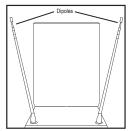
 Insert the power adapter into the antenna's DC jack. Plug the other end into a wall outlet or power strip.

Important: This power unit should be plugged in so that it stays vertical or lies flat.

3. Set the amplifier on/off switch (on the antenna's back panel) to ON.

# Adjusting the antenna for best reception

Different channels may require different antenna adjustments. If you find that you're not receiving channels you normally receive, try the following adjustments in the order listed here:



- Extend the antenna's dipoles (rods) and rotate them until you get the best picture. (Depending on the channel's frequency, this may or may not have any effect.)
- Try the channel without the antenna's amplifier—set the amplifier on/off switch on the antenna's back panel to OFF. (Don't forget to turn the amplifier back on for other channels!)
- Rotate the base of the antenna until you get the best picture. (Don't forget to move it back to its original position for the other channels.)

#### Note about digital channels

All RCA antennas are designed to receive both analog and digital signals. To display digital signals on your TV, you'll need to have the right equipment: either a TV that is capable of decoding digital signals or a digital converter box.

# Troubleshooting

## I have a cable ready TV. Why am I not getting any channels above 13?

The tuners inside of cable ready TVs have two modes. One mode is for cable and the other mode is for antenna. When the TV is in cable mode, and you are using an antenna, you will not be able to receive any channels above 13. To fix this, simply access the menu of your TV and switch the TV from Cable/CATV mode to ANT/AIR mode.

### I have my TV in a metal cabinet. Will the antenna work for me?

Any large metal objects will prevent the antenna signal from reaching the antenna. You must place the antenna outside of or above the metal cabinet.

## My home has aluminum siding/insulation. Where should I place my antenna?

Place the antenna near a window to minimize interference and improve your reception.

#### Can I use my antenna in a basement?

TV signals usually cannot penetrate into basement locations due to their lower elevation.

**Please Note:** Other variables, which are not related to antenna performance, can effect your reception. These include distance from the source transmitting the desired station, and man-made and natural conditions. Example: Obstacles such as buildings between the transmitting source and your antenna.

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