

# **GMRS7015RC ALIGNMENT PROCEDURE**

## **1. REFERENCE TEST EQUIPMENT**

- A. HP8921A Cell site test set or HP8920A, B Communication Test Set with Spectrum Analyzer option.
- B. Fluke 187 Digital Voltmeter
- C. HP E3615A Power supply

## **2. TEST POINT**

|  |   |
|--|---|
| A. ANTENNA   | : Test point is not prepared. Use antenna contact with ANTGND1(antenna ground).   |
| B. GMRS VCO reference voltage: Test point 1 is prepared. |   |
| C. RX audio output                                       | : Speaker terminals & ear jack are prepared.  |
| D. TX Mic. Input   | : Use ear-jack(3.5mm) with 10uF coupling capacitor.   |
| E. Battery Vcc   | : Test point is not prepared. Please use mechanical contact. Plus terminal is posited on upper right corner of PCB (Battery cover side view). |
| F. Up Key  | : Test point UP is prepared.  |
| G. Down Key  | : Test point DOWN is prepared.  |
| H. Function Key  | : Test point MENU is prepared.  |
| I. Monitor Key   | : Test point MONITOR is prepared.   |
| J. PTT Key   | : Test point PTT is prepared.   |
| K. Power Key   | : Test point PWR is prepared.   |
| L. Scan key  | : Test point SCAN is prepared.  |

**Note. : All key can be activated when connect with ground.**

## **3. VCO ALIGNMENT**

- A. Set unit to Channel 1 and connect a voltmeter to TP1 (VCO PD).
- B. Press & hold PTT.
- C. Extend L303 until the voltmeter reads 4.0V.
- D. ***Put shield-can on VCO area and monitor the voltage on TP1.*** The voltage should be 2.0Vdc +/-0.2Vdc. If the voltage is not 2.0Vdc +/-0.2Vdc, realign L303 until meet to requirement.
- E. Release PTT button so units is in receiving mode and monitor the voltage on TP1. The voltage should be in the range 2.0Vds +/-0.5V
- F. Set unit to channel 14.
- 6. Press & hold the PTT switch and observe the voltage on TP1. The voltage should be 2 – 3,5 Vdc.
- 7. Release PTT and observe the voltage on TP1. The voltage should read between 2.0 - 3.5 Vdc.

**Note : VCO shield-can should be soldered after VCO alignment is finished.**

## **4. TRANSMITTER FREQUENCY ALIGNMENT**

- A. Press & hold the PTT button.
- B. Align CT201 trimmer capacitor such that the output frequency is equal to the channel frequency with a maximum error of +/- 200 Hz. CT201 is located on the right side of 20.95MHz X-tal.

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## **5. TRANSMITTER OUTPUT POWER CONFIRMATION**

- A. Set unit to channel 1.
- B. Press & hold the PTT button.
- C. Transmit power should normally be between 2.0 W
- D. Set unit to channel 14.

## **6. TRANSMITTER DEVIATION ALIGNMENT**

- A. Connect an audio generator (600 ohms) to the ear jack. The audio frequency should be set at 1KHz with a level of 200mV RMS.
- B. Connect an FM deviation meter (communications test set) to Antenna contact. Set the monitor to read peak to peak divided by two [(pk-pk)/2] deviation. Set filter of equipment from 25Hz to 15KHz.
- C. Press & hold the PTT button.
- D. Align RV2 for +/- 2.1 kHz deviation (+/-0.1KHz). RV2 is located on the below of CT201.
- E. Decrease audio generator level until deviation reads +/- 1.5 kHz (approximately 12mV) and record generator level. Level should be between 6 mV and 10 mV.
- F. Confirm that transmit audio distortion is less than 5%.

## **7. RECEIVER ALIGNMENT**

- A. Set the output level of the RF signal generator for -47dBm. The generator should be set for 1.5 kHz deviation at 1 kHz audio.
- B. Set volume level 4 (It is initial.).
- C. Connect Audio analyzer to TP10.
- D. Set equipment filter 25Hz to 15KHz.
- E. Align CF2 to get a maximum output level & a minimum distortion and confirm that Rx audio distortion is less than 5%.
- F. Confirm that Rx Sensitivity is less than -118dBm (nominally -120dBm) by reducing the output level of the RF signal generator until a 12 dB SINAD reading is achieved.
- H. Set SSG output level until 9dB sinad sensitivity and align RV1 until the unit is un-squelched.
- I. Set signal generator level to -47dBm.
- J. With 1.5KHz deviation at 1KHz modulation, set volume for maximum audio. Audio level should be on over than 1.7Vrms.

## **8. LOW BATTERY INDICATOR CONFIRMATION**

- A. Set unit to receiving mode. Don't set transmitter mode..
- B. Set power supply voltage to 7.5V.
- C. Decrease power supply voltage until low battery icon blinks.

## **9. POWER OFF CURRENT CONSUMPTION**

- A. Set power supply voltage to 6V and connect to unit.
- B. Confirm current. It must be less than 100uA.

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**10. FREQUENCIES TABLE**

| <b>Channel</b> | <b>Freq. MHz</b> | <b>Channel</b> | <b>Freq. MHz</b> |
|----------------|------------------|----------------|------------------|
| 1              | 462.5625         | 12             | 467.6625         |
| 2              | 462.5875         | 13             | 467.6875         |
| 3              | 462.6125         | 14             | 467.7125         |
| 4              | 462.6375         | 15             | 462.5500         |
| 5              | 462.6625         | 16             | 462.5750         |
| 6              | 462.6875         | 17             | 462.6000         |
| 7              | 462.7125         | 18             | 462.6250         |
| 8              | 467.5625         | 19             | 462.6500         |
| 9              | 467.5875         | 20             | 462.6750         |
| 10             | 467.6125         | 21             | 462.7000         |
| 11             | 467.6375         | 22             | 462.7250         |

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## **LABORATORY TESTING PROCEDURES**

### **UNIT TEST - (UNIT ASSEMBLED)**

#### **TEST PREPARATION**

- 1) Install 5 "AAA" alkaline batteries (observe polarity markings).
  - Right upper terminal is the system plus polarity
  - Left bottom terminal is the system minus polarity.
- 2) Turn on unit by pressing the power button.

#### **SYSTEM TEST**

- 1) Radiated Transmit and Receive performance may be observed.
- 2) Audio out & Audio in are available at the Headset jack.

### **LABORATORY TEST - (UNIT UN-ASSEMBLED)**

#### **TEST PREPARATION**

- 1) Disassemble unit (7 screws – 5 behind battery cover). Remove the PCB from the cabinet.
- 2) Remove the antenna and install a 50 ohm coax cable in its place.
- 3) Either clip alligator leads or solder test leads to the power supply connections. The positive terminal is the lower right PCB mounting hole. The negative terminal is the lower left PCB mounting hole below the VCO shield can. (battery side view)
- 4) Connect 6VDC power source to the terminals, observing correct polarity.
- 5) Connect an 16-ohm load through the Headset jack (3.5mm stereo-phone right plug).
- 6) Connect a audio generator with 10uF coupling capacitor through the Headset jack (3.5mm stereo-phone left plug).
- 7) Select desired channel 1-22 using CH up/down keypad switch. The rubber keypad may be removed from the front cabinet and used directly on the PCB.

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### **SPECIFIC TEST METHODS AND GUIDANCE**

#### **Modulation Characteristics – (*paragraph 2.1047(a) of the Rules*)**

##### **FOR TX AUDIO FILTER RESPONSE**

1. Connect audio generator with 10uF coupling capacitor to microphone input jack. Press PTT button.
2. Connect RF output with modulation meter. (Filters of modulation meter should be set to a 50Hz to 15KHz.)
3. Adjust audio generator about 4mVrms for 0.75KHz modulation.
4. While transmitting, sweep generator and note measurement.
5. Please compensate the back-ground noise level.

#### **Modulation Characteristics – (*paragraph 2.1047(b) of the Rules*)**

##### **FOR TX AUDIO LOW PASS FILTER RESPONSE.**

1. Connect audio generator with 10uF coupling capacitor to microphone input jack. Press PTT button.
2. Connect AC voltmeter or other test equipment via jumper wire to junction. (between C117 and R92)
3. Adjust audio generator for 200mV.
4. While transmitting, sweep generator and note measurement.

#### **Occupied Bandwidth – (*paragraph 2.1049(c) of the Rules*)**

1. Connect an audio frequency sweep generator with 10uF coupling capacitor to microphone input jack.
2. Adjust audio generator to a frequency of 2500Hz and a level of 100mV rms (+16dB above 12mV per FCC).
3. With a spectrum analyzer, transmit the radio and monitor the transmitter though an antenna.
4. Note required measurements per FCC.

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## Audio Test Result

### 1. Frequency Response of Audio Low Pass Filter(150mV input)

|           | 2K   | 3K    | 3.5K  | 4K    | 5K    | 6K    | 7K    | 8K    | 9K    | 10K   | 15K   | 20K |
|-----------|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-----|
| <b>#1</b> | 0.25 | -0.80 | -4.65 | -8.35 | -14.6 | -18.7 | -23.0 | -27.4 | -31.3 | -34.2 | -44.8 | -55 |
| <b>#2</b> | 0.17 | -0.95 | -4.70 | -8.57 | -15.0 | -19.4 | -23.8 | -28.0 | -31.8 | -34.5 | -45.4 | -55 |

# Frequency Response of the Audio Low Pass Filter

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GMRS7015 #2

