

ALIGNMENT PROCEDURE

RADIO TUNING PROCEDURE

1.0 SCOPE

This document outlines the procedure for transmitter turn-on and frequency set.

2.0 TEST EQUIPMENT

Audio Oscillator	HP201C
RF Power Meter	HP436A
Frequency Counter	HP5386A
Modulation Meter	HP8901A
Power Meter	Bird 6154
RS-232 Computer Terminal	IBM Compatible with "MDIA" software

3.0 TURN-ON PROCEDURE

The system board loads the transmit and receive frequency code to the Tx and Rx synthesizer boards of the UHF station.

Upon power up or reset, the microcontroller loads the receive synthesizer with 32 bits of serial data that sets the local oscillator to the desired frequency. A fault indication is provided by the receive synthesizer and sampled by the microcontroller. If the synthesizer is not locked onto frequency (fault flag true) the microcontroller will initiate another load sequence until lock occurs.

Upon a PTT, the microcontroller loads the transmit synthesizer with 32 bits of serial data that sets the transmit carrier to the proper frequency. A fault indication is provided by the transmit synthesizer and sampled by the microcontroller. If the synthesizer is not locked onto frequency, the microcontroller will not key the RF power amplifier, and will initiate another load sequence until lock occurs. It should be noted that the power amplifier will not be keyed as long as the synthesizer is unlocked.

CIRCUIT & DEVICE DESCRIPTIONS

2.983 (d) (10-11)

(10) Oscillator and Other Frequency Stabilizing Circuit Descriptions:

Reference Oscillator

The reference oscillator is a self-contained high stability reference generator which supplies 12.8 MHz to transmitter and receiver synthesizers in the UHF system.

The oscillator module is located in the receive synthesizer. The module is a quartz crystal controlled oscillator with temperature compensation providing ± 1.0 ppm over a wide temperature range. Measured performance for temperature and supply voltage is shown in Exhibit 12. Reference for the transmitter is coupled from the receive synthesizer module by an external coax cable. The oscillator is supplied by an outside vendor (TOYCOM). The vendor catalogue and our purchase part drawing are shown in Exhibit 4.

The oscillator frequency is adjusted by a multi-turn piston trimmer capacitor for frequency setability of less than ± 0.3 ppm.

(11) Circuits or Devices Employed for Suppression of Spurious Radiation:

The transmit synthesizer board uses a casting on top and bottom side of the board. A lowpass filter is used to reject out-of-band spurious frequencies of the exciter output stage at J2. Tuned circuits are utilized in the input and output of the final amplifier along with a lowpass filter following the final amplifier output to suppress harmonics of the carrier frequency.

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The PA is totally encased in a casted housing with fingerstock shields. Power and control leads exit and enter through bulkhead feedthrough capacitors. RF enters and exits through bulkhead RF connectors.

Circuits or Devices Employed for Limiting Modulation:

The audio processing circuitry has three high gain integrated circuit audio amplifiers with appropriate feedback. The first stage (U1A) of the limiter and post limiter filters provides preemphasized gain and limiting. Amplitude limiting of the audio occurs when diodes conduct and produce 100% feedback, thereby amplitude limiting the input signal.

Active filters provide 18 dB per octave attenuation beginning at 2.8 kHz for post limiter filtering. Measured characteristics are shown in Exhibit 9.

2.983 (d) (12) GETC Filters:

The filters on the GETC used to perform wave shaping on the digital and audio signals include the low speed data encode filter, the low speed data decode filter and high speed data filter.

The low speed data encode filter is used to smooth out the subaudible signalling generated by the GETC.

The low speed data decode filter is used to low pass the subaudible signalling and eliminate voice audio in order that the low speed data can be detected by the microcomputer. The characteristics of this filter are identical to the low speed data encode filter.

The high speed data filter is a GMSK filter used to filter the 9600 baud NRZ signalling used by the GETC.

FUNCTION OF ACTIVE CIRCUIT DEVICES

<u>SCHEMATIC DESIGNATION</u>	<u>DEVICE</u>	<u>FUNCTION</u>	<u>GE DRAWING NO.</u>
<u>Power Amp 19D902797G9</u>			
Q2	Transistor	RF Final Amp	344A4134P1
Q3	Transistor	RF Final Amp	344A4134P1
Q1	Transistor	RF Driver	344A3948P1
U1	RF IC	RF Preamp	19A705457P2
U7	RF Module	RF Gain Block	344A3907P1
U100	IC	Voltage Regulator	19A705532P2
U3	IC	Linear Op-Amp	19A701789P4
Q4	Transistor	DC Switch	19A700076P2
Q5	Transistor	DC Amp	19A700076P2
Q203	Transistor	DC Amp	19A700055P1
Q7	Transistor	RF Pre-Amp	19A701940P1
<u>Tx Synthesizer Module 19D02780G9</u>			
U201	RF IC	RF Buffer	19A705927P1
U202	RF IC	RF Buffer	344A3907P1
U203	RF IC	RF Buffer	19A705927P1
Q1	FET	RF Oscillator	19A702524P2
Q101	Transistor	DC Switch	19A700076P2
Q102	Transistor	DC Switch	19A700076P2
Q301	Transistor	Linear Amp	19A134577P2
Q302	Transistor	Linear Amp	19A700059P2
Q401	Transistor	RF Amp	19A704708P2
Q501	Transistor	DC Switch	19A700076P2
Q701	Transistor	DC Switch	19A700076P2
Q702	Transistor	DC Switch	19A700076P2
Q703	Transistor	DC Switch	19A700076PD2
Q704	Transistor	DC Switch	19A700076PD2
U501	IC	Linear Amp	344A307QP1
U502	IC	Analog Gate	19A702705P4
U601	IC	Linear Amp	19A116297P7
U701	IC	Logic	19A703483P302
U702	IC	Logic	19A703471P120
U705	IC	Logic	19A703483P302
U301	IC	+ Voltage Regulator	19A704971P9
U302	IC	Linear Amp	19A116297P7
U303	IC	- Voltage Regulator	19A704491P7
U401	IC	PreScaler	19A149944P201
U402	IC	Synthesizer	19B800902P5
Q801	Transistor	RF Amp	19A704708P2
Q802	Transistor	RF Amp	19A704708P2
Q803	Transistor	Multiplier	19A704708P2
Q705	Transistor	DC Switch	19A700076P2
Q706	Transistor	DC Switch	19A700076P2

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<u>DESIGNATION</u>	<u>DEVICE</u>	<u>FUNCTION</u>	<u>GE DRAWING NO.</u>
<u>Rx Synthesizer Module 19D902781G7</u>			
Q1	FET	Oscillator	19A702524P2
Q2	Transistor	DC Switch	19A700076P2
Q3-6	Transistor	DC Switch	19A700076P2
Q7	Transistor	DC Switch	19A700076P2
Q8	Transistor	DC Switch	19A700059P2
Q9	Transistor	DC Switch	19A700076P2
Q10	Transistor	DC Switch	19A700076P2
Q11	Transistor	DC Switch	19A700076P2
Q12	Transistor	Linear Amp	19A700076P2
Q13	Transistor	Linear Amp	19A700076P2
Q14	Transistor	RF Amp	19A704708P2
Q15	Transistor	RF Amp	19A704708P2
Q16	Transistor	Multiplier	19A704708P2
U2	IC	RF Amp	19A705927P1
U3	IC	RF Amp	19A705927P1
U4	IC	RF Amp	19A705927P1
U5	IC	Prescaler	19A149944P201
U6	IC	Synthesizer	19B800902P5
U8	IC	Linear Amp	19A702293P3
U9	IC	Linear Amp	19A702293P3
U10	IC	Logic	19A703471P120
U12	IC	Logic	19A703483P302
U13	IC	Logic	19A703483P302
U14	IC	Analog Gate	19A702705P4
U15	IC	+ Voltage Regulator	19A704971P8
U16	IC	+ Voltage Regulator	19A704971P10
Y1	IC	TCXO Module	19B801351P12
<u>Rx Front End Module 19D902782G9</u>			
Q1	Transistor	RF Amp	344A3058P1
Q2	Transistor	Linear Amp	19A700059P2
Q3	Transistor	RF Amp	19A704708P3
Q4	Transistor	Linear Amp	19A700059P2
Q5	Transistor	DC Switch	19A700076P2
Q6	Transistor	DC Switch	19A700076P2
Q7	Transistor	Linear Amp	19A700059P2
Q8	Transistor	RF Amp	344A3058P1
U1	IC	Linear Amp	19A704125P1
<u>Rx IF Module 19D902783G7</u>			
U1	IC	RF Amp	19A705927P1
U2	IC	RF Amp	19A705927P1
U3	IC	IF Amp/DET	19A149980P2
U4	IC	Linear Amp	19A704125P1
U5	IC	Linear Amp	19A704125P1

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<u>SCHEMATIC DESIGNATION</u>	<u>DEVICE</u>	<u>FUNCTION</u>	<u>GE DRAWING NO.</u>
<u>Rx IF Module 19D902783G7 (Continued)</u>			
Q1	Transistor	RF Buffer	19A704708P2
Q2	Transistor	RF Buffer	19A704708P2
Q3	Transistor	DC Switch	19A700076P2
Q4-5	Transistor	DC Switch	19A700076P2
U6	IC	Linear Amp	19A701789P4
U7	IC	Linear Amp	19A701789P4
U8	IC	+ Voltage Regulator	19A704971P11
<u>System Control Module 19D902590G3</u>			
Q2	Transistor	Switch	19A700076P2
Q3	FET	Gate	19A703795P1
Q5	Transistor	Switch	19A700059P2
Q7	Transistor	Switch	19A700059P2
Q8	Transistor	Switch	19A700059P2
Q9	Transistor	Switch	19A700076P2
Q10	Transistor	Switch	19A700076P2
Q11	Transistor	RF Amp	19A700059P2
Q12	Transistor	RF Amp	19A700059P2
U1	Microprocessor	System Control	10A705982P101
U2	Digital IC	Address Latch	19A703471P302
U3	Digital IC	Address Decoder	19A703471P120
U4	Digital IC	Read Only Memory	344A3307G1
U5	Digital IC	RAM	19A705603P5
U6	Digital IC	Address Latch	19A703952P102
U7	Digital IC	8 Bit Latch	19A704380P319
U8	Digital IC	Selector	19A702705P5
U9	Linear Amp	Buffer	19A704883P2
U10	Linear Amp	Filter	19A704883P2
U11	Linear Amp	Gain	19A116297P7
U12	Digital IC	Selector	19A702705P5
U13	Linear Amp	Gain	19A704883P2
U14	Digital IC	Multiplexer	19A702705P3
U15	Digital IC	Multiplexer	19A702705P3
U16	Linear Amp	Filter	19A704883P2
U17-A	Line Amp	DIF Amp	19A704883P2
U17-B	Line Amp	Buffer	19A704883P2
U17-C	Line Amp	Filter	19A704883P2
U17-D	Line Amp	Gain	19A704883P2
U18	Digital IC	D-F/F	19A704380P302

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System Control Module 19D902590G3 (Continued)

U19	Digital IC	Watch Dog	19A149895P1
U20	Digital IC	Inverter	19A716180P575
U21	Digital IC	Inverter	19A703483P104
U22	Digital IC	Inverter	344A3039P201
U24	Digital IC	D-F/F	19A705980P101
U25	Digital IC	8 Bit Latch	19A703471P116
U26	Digital IC	Inverter	19A116180P575
U27	A-D	A-D	19A705979P101
U28	Digital IC	D-F/F	19A704380P302
U29	Counter	Clock Generator	19A149466P301
U30	Linear Amp	Filter	19A704883P2
U31	Linear Amp	Gain	19A704384P4
U32	Digital IC	Multiplexer	19A702705P3
U33	Multiplexer	Selector	19A702705P3
U34	Digital IC	I/O Expansion	19A705991P101
U35	Digital IC	Level Control	344A3041P201
U36	Digital IC	Level Control	344A3041P201
U37	Linear Amp	Gain	19A704883P2
U37-C	Linear Amp	Filter	19A704883P2
U40	Digital Amp	Inverter	19A116180PP575
U41	Digital IC	Inverter	19A700176P101

Interface Board 19D902975G1

Q102	Transistor	Switch	19A705953P1
Q103, Q104	Transistor	Switch	19A700023P2
Q108	Transistor	Current Gain	19A700023P2
Q109	Transistor	Switch	19A700054P1
U101	Linear IC	Opto-Coupler	19A705952P1
U102	Linear IC	Opto-Coupler	19A705952P1
U103	Transistor	Switch	19A705953P1
U104	Linear IC	Audio PA	19A701630P1
U105	Digital IC	Shift Register	19A703987P21
U106	Digital IC	Shift Register	19A703987P24
U107	Digital IC	Decoder	19A704445P1
U108	Digital IC	Pot	19S705180P2
U109	Digital IC	Logic	19A703483P11
U110-1	Linear IC	Buffer	19A701789P1
U110-2	Linear IC	Gain	19A701789P1
Q110-3	Linear IC	Driver	19A701789P1
Q110-4	Linear IC	Comparator	19A701789P1

CIRCUIT DIAGRAMS

DRAWING NUMBER

DESCRIPTION

19D903635 (sh1-3)	Interconnection	Block Diagram
19D903622 (sh1-2)	Power Amplifier	Schematic Diagram
19D903363 (sh1-3)	Tx Synthesizer, Exciter	Schematic Diagram
19D902907 (sh1-6)	System Board	Schematic Diagram
19D904091 (sh1-3)	Rx Synthesizer, Ref Osc	Schematic Diagram
188D5789	Receiver Front End	Schematic Diagram
19D902504 (sh1,2)	Receiver IF	Schematic Diagram
19D902977 (sh1,2)	Interface Board	Schematic Diagram
Figure 2	Crystal Oscillator	Outline Drawing
19B801351 (sh1-5)	Crystal Oscillator	Purchase Part Drawing