# Savi MobileReader 410R Quick Reference Guide

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This device is a Class II laser product (CFR 21, Subpart J) and has a maximum output of 2-5 mw at 670 mm.

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- Class I Groups A, B, C and D
- Class II Groups F and G
- Class III
- Temperature Code: T4A
- Maximum operating Ambient: 50 °C

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# Savi MobileReader 410R Quick

# Reference Guide

The Savi MobileReader 410R (SMR-410R) is a hand-held computer that communicates with Savi RF tags (SealTag II and SaviTag 410) and functions as a Radio Frequency Identification (RFID) Hand Held Interrogator (HHI). This guide includes installation and usage of the SMR-410R, the features of SMR-410R, and the RFID software application.

The SMR-410R is a combination hand-held bar code reader, computer and RFID interrogator. It has a 386 microprocessor, contains Microsoft MS-DOS, and is PC compatible.

# Checking the Contents

Verify that you have the following parts:

- Savi MobileReader 410R
- Nickel-Cadmium (NiCad) battery
- Optical Interface Adapter
- AC adapter

The following items are included only with optional configurations.

• PMCIA card containing RFID software application

• RS232 null modem cable



# Using the SMR-410R

# Using The Keypad

The following figure shows the alphanumeric keypad for the SMR-410R. The keys generate characters and perform functions similar to a standard PC keyboard.



The following paragraphs describe the functions of the Suspend/Resume, Function, Viewport and Backspace keys.

### Suspend/Resume key



This key activates and deactivates the SMR-410R.

### Function key



This key provides access to alternate key codes that are printed in the light blue color above each key. Press  $\exists f$  and then press the key to generate the alternate code.

Viewport key



In conjunction with the Function key, this key moves the cursor up, right, down and left, corresponding with the direction of the arrows.

### Backspace key



This key deletes the character to the left of the cursor.

# Installing the SMR-410R

## Charging the battery

Use either of the following methods to charge the NiCad battery.

- Optical Link Method
  - 1. Place the battery in the reader.
  - 2. Attach the Optical Interface Adapter to the reader as described in the section Installing the Optical Interface Adapter, later on this page.
  - 3. Connect the AC adapter to the Optical Interface Adapter.
  - 4. Wait at least 15 hours for the battery to charge.
- Battery Charger Method
  - 1. Place the battery in battery charger (available separately).
  - 2. Wait at least 2.5 hours for the battery to charge.

### Inserting the Battery

- 1. Hold the reader so that the handle points down.
- 2. Hold the battery under the reader handle.
- 3. Slide battery into the reader handle and push firmly in.

### Installing the Optical Interface Adapter

The following figure shows the Optical Interface Adapter and its connectors. Use the RS-232 connector to connect devices that communicate with the SMR-410R. Attach the AC adapter to the AC adapter connector.



## Installing the Optical Interface Adapter

- 1. Verify that the reader is turned off.
- 2. Insert the two lower tabs of the adapter into the lower slots on the back of the SMR-410R.
- 3. Place the two upper tabs into the upper slots.
- 4. Slide the locking mechanism towards the SMR-410R until the  $\overline{}$

closed lock symbol  $\begin{bmatrix} n \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$  is completely visible.

## Starting the SMR-410R

Before you can use the SMR410R you need to follow these steps:

1. Turn on the SMR-410R by pressing the yellow **(b)** key on the keypad.

The Boot Loader menu appears and highlights the **Reboot** command.



2. Press **enter** to cold boot the SMR-410R. For further information, see the section "Cold Booting the SMR-410R" on page 13.

Note: If after 60 seconds no key is pressed, the SMR-410R enters

Suspend Mode and the display disappears. Press **(b)** to resume booting. The DOS prompt (**C:**) appears when the SMR-410R finishes booting. Type **G:** and press **enter** after the DOS prompt to get to the correct directory.

## Setting the Time and Date

To set the time and date:

- 1. Enter the word **time** at the prompt.
- 2. Press enter.
- Enter the current time (HH:MM:SS) and press enter.
   To type a colon on the keypad, press f F
- 4. Enter the word **date** at the prompt.
- 5. Press enter.

# Using The RFID Software, HHIM.EXE

The SMR-410R communicates with Savi Technology's SaviTag 410 and SealTag II. With the SMR-410R you can move anywhere within range of these tags and communicate with them.

Demonstration software, called HHIM.EXE comes with the SMR-410R and with it you can verify that the reader works properly.

## Starting HHIM.EXE

To start the program:

- 1. Enter **HHIM** at the C: prompt.
- 2. Press enter.

The main menu screen appears which contains the following commands:

- Collect Tags
- Enter Current Tag
- Select Current Tag
- MobileReader Status
- Background Noise
- Exit

To select a command, press command.



to move the cursor to the desired

To activate a command press enter.

## Collecting Tags

The SMR-410R "wakes" all tags within its range and reads the tag ID number. This is a pre-assigned, non-changeable 7-digit number. The SMR-410R collects the tags and status, stores the information and puts the tags back to "sleep".

To collect the tags:

- 1. Select Collect Tags from the main menu.
- 2. Press enter.

During this process, the following message displays: Collecting tags...

When the process is finished, the screen shows the number of tags collected and the IDs of each tag. An asterisk (\*) to the left of a tag indicates a low battery. The symbol **\*** to the right of a tag identifies a SaviTag 410; others are SealTags. Press **Esc** to return to the main menu.

## Entering Current Tag ID

A current tag designation chooses the tag to which tag-specific operations are directed, such as turning the audible beeper on or off, reading or writing data, or setting the tag clock. The current tag is designated either by entering a tag ID or by selecting an ID from a list of tag IDs.

To enter the current tag:

- 1. Select Enter Current Tag from the menu.
- 2. Enter the 7-digit ID number from the label from the front of the tag.
- 3. Press **enter** to make this tag the current tag. The tag menu appears with the current tag at the top of the display.

### Selecting the Current Tag

This command selects the current tag from the tags listed in the previous tag collection.

To select a current tag:

- 1. Move the cursor to Select Current Tag.
- 2. Press **enter.** The screen displays the last collection file name as **Lastcoll.lst**. This list contains tag IDs from the collection from which you choose a new current tag.
- 3. Press **enter** The collection list displays and lists the tags by ID number.
- 4. Place the cursor at the desired tag ID and press **enter** to select the new current tag. The main menu appears with the current tag at the top of the display.

# Locating Tags

To find a specific tag you might need to activate its beeper. The beeper emits a sound that can be used to locate an individual tag. Follow the sound to the tag's location and deactivate the beeper.

### Activating the Beeper

The **Beeper On** command remotely activates a tag's beeper. The beeper remains on for 90 seconds or until deactivated by the **Beeper Off** command.

To activate a beeper:

- 1. Select a current tag.
- 2. Select Beeper On from the Tag menu.
- 3. Press **enter** to activate the beeper and return to the Tag menu.

### Deactivating the Beeper

The Beeper Off command remotely deactivates a tag's beeper.

To deactivate a beeper:

- 1. Select **Beeper Off** from the Tag menu.
- 2. Press enter to deactivate the beeper and return to the Tag menu.

## Checking Status of the SMR-410R

This command shows the current status of the SMR-410R including the model number and version, available memory, tag batteries, and date and time.

To check the status:

- 1. Scroll to **MobileReader Status** in the main menu using the Viewport key.
- 2. Press enter.

# Exiting HHIM.EXE

To exit the program:

- 1. Scroll to Exit in the main menu using the Viewport key.
- 2. Press enter. This ends the current session.

# Checking the Batteries

There are two batteries in the SMR-410R, the NiCad battery and the internal Lithium Bridge Battery.

The NiCad battery is the main power source for the SMR-410R. The lithium battery supplies keep-alive power to the SMR-410R when the main battery is removed. When you remove or replace the NiCad battery the Lithium Bridge Battery backs up the reader's RAM and clock.

Both batteries are rechargeable. The NiCad battery is recharged by attaching the AC adapter to the SMR-410R and plugging it into an external power source, such as a wall socket. The Lithium Bridge battery is recharged by the NiCad battery.

# Maximizing Battery Life

To maximize the life of the SMR-410R's Lithium Bridge Battery and NiCad battery, choose from the following options.

NOTE: The internal Lithium bridge battery is NOT user serviceable. The SMR410R must be returned to Savi Technology for replacement of this battery.

Usage	Action	Explanation
The SMR-410R is used at least once a week.	Place the SMR-410R in Suspend Mode (see "Placing the SMR-410R in Sus- pend Mode" on page 12).	Suspend Mode saves the NiCad battery's
		power. Press to put the SMR-410R in Suspend Mode. Check that the low battery icon is not on.
The SMR-410R is not used for a week or longer.	<ul> <li>Place the SMR-410R in Stor- age Mode (see "Placing the SMR-410R in Stor- age Mode" on page 12) and remove the NiCad battery.</li> <li>Remove any PC cards.</li> </ul>	Storage Mode con- serves the Lithium Bridge Battery's power. You <b>must</b> remove the NiCad battery for Storage Mode to activate.
The SMR-410R has been in use and the NiCad battery has a low charge.	<ul> <li>Remove the battery and insert another charged battery.</li> <li>or</li> </ul>	A charged battery is necessary to con- serve the Lithium Bridge Battery power.
	<ul> <li>Attach an external power supply (AC adapter) to charge the installed battery.</li> </ul>	
	or Disco the	
	<ul> <li>Place the SMR-410R in</li> </ul>	

CAUTION: If you do not use the SMR-410R for more than one week, you **must** put the SMR-410R in Storage Mode.

Storage Mode.

# Placing the SMR-410R in Suspend Mode

To place the SMR-410R in Suspend Mode, press **1** Once in the Suspend Mode the SMR-410R saves all memory and cuts power to the hardware. When you want to use the unit again, press **1** on the unit begins functioning from the point from exactly where it was when placed in Suspend Mode.

# Placing the SMR-410R in Storage Mode

If you do not plan to use the SMR-410R for seven days or longer, place the unit in Storage Mode.

To place the SMR-410R in Storage Mode (these instructions are also printed on the side of the unit below the antenna):

- 1. Press **(b**) to place the unit in Suspend Mode.
- 2. Press and hold *relation of the cursor key, in that order. Then release the keys.*
- 3. Press 2 a second time.
- 4. Press 🕼 and then 👽 to highlight Storage on the Boot Loader menu.
- 5. Press enter.
- 6. Remove the NiCad battery.

## Removing the NiCad battery

- 1. Hold the reader with the handle pointing right or left.
- 2. Push battery inward slightly while at the same time pressing the dot on the base of the battery. Pull the battery out about a half inch.
- 3. Squeeze the two yellow buttons with your thumb and forefinger to release the latches in the handle.
- 4. Slide the battery out of the handle.
- Note: Do not remove the NiCad battery for more than 10 minutes without first placing the SMR-410R in Storage Mode. Otherwise the Lithium Bridge battery discharges.

# Cold Booting the SMR-410R

Before setting up the unit for the first time or after having system problems you should cold boot the SMR-410R.

To cold boot the unit:

- 1. Press (b) to turn off the SMR-410R.
- 2. Press and hold and the in that order. Then release the keys.
- 3. Press 2 a second time.
- 4. Press 🕼 and then 👽. The Boot Loader menu displays.
- 5. Press enter. The Boot Loader menu appears.
- 6. Press **enter** to activate the Reboot command, and the SMR-410R reboots.
- Press enter at the intermediate prompt that appears before the final C:> prompt.

# Transferring Files between the SMR-410R and a PC

File transfers between a PC and a Savi Mobile Reader 410R (SMR) are executed by software operating in a client–server mode in which the PC functions as the server and the SMR-410R functions as the client (all commands are entered from the SMR-410R).

For further information see the PC—Savi MobileReader 410R File Transfer User Guide, Savi part number 805-01867-001.

# A Savi MobileReader410

# **R** Specifications

The following table shows specifications of the 433.92 MHz SMR410R.

Integrated radio module	Frequency: 433.92 MHz Output Power: 4mW Data Speed: 9600 bps/27.7 kbps Radio Type: Frequency Modulating Transceiver Independent channels: 1 Range: up to 300 feet
Environment	Operating: -4° to +122°F Storage: (-40° to 140° F) Humidity: 0 to 95% relative non-condensing
Hardware	386S microprocessor PC-AT compatible Emulates full PC-AT 101 keyboard
Software	Microsoft ROM DOS 6.2 Microsoft Basic User-friendly configuration screen Microsoft Interlink/Interserver communications pack- age Virtual Wedge™
Bar codes supported	Autodiscriminates among Code 39, 2 of 5, Interleaved 2 of 5, Codabar, UPC/EAN, UCC/EAN, Code 128, Code 11, Code 93, Plessay, MSI, Code 16K, Code 49
Display	16 line, 20 column backlit CGA compatible virtual 25x80 display with viewport

Memory size	4 MB battery-backed RAM 512 Flash Drive 2 MB Drive D
Physical Characteristics	Width: 3.3" (8.4 cm) Length: 8.0" (20.3 cm) Depth: 3.25 "(8.25 cm) Weight: 2 lb. 2.7 oz. (excluding battery pack)
Data communications	Infrared serial communications interface RS-232C, RS-422, RS-485 Protocols: PC Standard, Point-to-Point, Polling D mode, Multi-drop, User-defined
Interfaces	Infrared D89 via optical link adapter
Power	Primary: 6.0VDC, 1500 mAhr NiCad battery pack Backup: 3.6 VDC lithium cell Charging: 2 hours to charge NiCad with JZ2010 charger
Regulatory approvals	UL Listed (UL1950), FCC Part 15
Optional Accessories	Hardware: Intelligent four-pack battery charger
	Optical link AC Adapter 1500mAhr NiCad battery pack Holster Power Supply 512 Kb, 1Mb, 2 Mb, 4Mb SRAM PCMCIA memory card
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	Optical link AC Adapter 1500mAhr NiCad battery pack Holster Power Supply 512 Kb, 1Mb, 2 Mb, 4Mb SRAM PCMCIA memory card Software: Programmer's software kit (PSK) Operating Software: Savi Mobile Manager Model SMRS-1001

Optical parameters	Depth of Field:
	7.5 mil code (3 to 7.5")
	10 mil code (2 to 10 ")
	20 mil code (3 to 16")
	40 mil code (4 to 25")

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