

CIRCUIT DESCRIPTION

Model: FF2100

1 Base

a. RF Transmitter Section – RF Board

Compressed audio signal is frequency modulated through the varactor diode D3. Diode D3, choke coil L5 and the external components formed the voltage controlled oscillator circuit for the transmitter part. This circuit generates the TX VCO frequency. A portion of this signal is fed back to the PLL IC's pin1 (FIN1) for phase comparison. Once the phase of oscillation stabilized, the PLL circuit generates the error voltage necessary for the VCO to oscillate at the desired transmitter's RF frequency. The VCO circuit impedance is matched with the succeeding circuit through the transistor Q5 that also acts as the buffer amplifier. RF amplifier Q11 boosts the signal for transmission. This amplified RF signal is trimmed to the desired frequency band by BPF927 so as not to interfere with the receiver circuit. The transmitter RF signal is then propagated through the antenna.

b. RF Receiver Section - RF Board

The Base Unit antenna receives RF signal. Band Pass Filter BPF903 trims the signal to the desirable frequency band. Transistor Q2 & Q3 is a low noise amplifier that boosts the RF signal to a specific level for mixing. PLL IC1 (KB8825) is used as a Universal Phase Lock Loop circuit. The frequency from the Voltage Controlled Oscillator (VCO) D1, and Q4, is fed back to the PLL IC through pin 16 (FIN2) for phase comparison. During channel scanning or turning the unit on, once the phase of oscillation stabilized (locked), the PLL circuit generates the first local oscillator frequency for down-converting the received RF signal into the first IF frequency 10.7MHz. This process is accomplished through the IF mixer circuit Q3. Q1 is used for matching the impedance of the mixer circuit with the succeeding circuits. The resulting IF signal is kept constant by the IF Filter FL1 to 10.7MHz which is then mixed with the second local oscillator frequency 11.150MHz (derived from X1 & C47) to produce a much lower IF frequency. This lower IF frequency is further filtered by IF Filter FL4 to produce a more stable signal of 450KHz. Quadrature signal detection is accomplished internally by the Narrow-band Detector IC2 (KA3361) with the IF coil L7. The recovered audio frequency can be taken from IC2 audio output pin9. Double conversion of received signal is utilized to improve the image frequency rejection of the unit.

c. Transmitter Audio Section – Main Board

Audio Frequency signal from the telephone line is compressed through the compressor part of IC4 to minimize the transmission noise. The degree of compression depends on the external RC combinations. AGC is also utilized by IC4 to avoid shock noise caused by abrupt change of audio levels. The compressed audio is filtered and amplified for better acoustical performance.

d. Receiver Audio Section – Main Board

The compressed Audio Frequency signal is passed through passive RC filters for acoustic compliance. The filtered audio is then fed to the Compander IC4 for expansion thus retrieving the original Audio signal with noise filtered out. Q1 are used as buffer circuit. Transistor Q2 (A94) isolates the high-voltage telephone line to the rest of the circuit. Q2 (A94) is also used as a hybrid transformer to create a two-way path for audio transmission to and reception from the telephone line.

2 Handset

a. RF Transmitter Section – RF Board

Refer to portion 1.a for this section. All circuit performance is the same except that Band Pass Filter BPF927 be changed to BPF903 for the handset transmission.

b. RF Receiver Section – RF Board

Refer to portion 1.b for this section. All circuit performance is the same except that Band Pass Filter BPF903 be changed to BPF927 for the handset reception.

c. Transmitter Audio Section – Main Board

Audio Frequency signal from the handset or from the headset microphone is compressed through the compressor part of IC2 to minimize the transmission noise. The degree of compression depends on the external RC combinations. AGC is also utilized by IC2 to avoid shock noise caused by abrupt change of audio levels. The compressed audio is filtered and amplified for better acoustical performance. Q5 is a switching transistor that controls the power supply for the TX RF part.

d. Receiver Audio Section – Main Board

The compressed Audio Frequency signal is passed through passive RC filters for acoustic compliance. The filtered audio is then fed to the Compander IC2 for expansion thus retrieving the original Audio signal with noise filtered out. Q3 act as audio amplifier to sufficiently drive the handset speaker. Q1, Q6 and Q8 are switching transistors that control the power supply for the RF part, the Compander part and the AF amplifier respectively. An earphone jack is provided for an optional headset unit for handsfree conversation on the handset.

3 OTHERS (Handset)

a. Charging and Reset Controls

Recharging the handset battery is accomplished by putting the handset on the cradle. Q200 detects this action and sends a command to the CPU for proper exchange of security code. Switching SW4 to the RING OFF mode can extend Battery life.

b. Ring Detection

When the handset receives the ring command from the base unit, the CPU will send buzzer signal to the ringer amplifier Q201 that drives the Buzzer.

4 OTHERS (Base):

a. Hook Switching and Dialing

Hook switching and pulse dialing is accomplished by the Transistor Q3 (A44) which is controlled by the CPU. DTMF signal from the ladder circuit R65-R70 to the CPU is filtered and amplified by U1-D.

b. Over-voltage Protection

Fuse F1 and varistor Z1 act as high current and high voltage protectors for the telephone line interface. In case of presence of voltage surge across the telephone line, Z1 decreases its resistance and dumps the line voltage to a safe level. Fuse F1 opens when excessive current is present on the line thus protecting both the user and the line interface.

c. Battery Charging & Code Setting

Battery charging commences when IC2 PIN14 detects the presence of the handset on cradle. D25 & C29 form the reset circuit in conjunction with the charge detect circuit to command the CPU to change the security code. When the reset circuit is activated, the CPU will send a new security code to the handset selecting among 65536 combinations.

d. Ring Detection

Incoming ring signal is detected by the U1-A. Diode D3-D6 and R8 set the level of signal detection. The CPU checks the frequency of the ring signal, and when valid, sends the ringing command to the speaker or to the Handset.

e. Power Supplies

Diode D11 ensures uniform polarity for the entire circuit. IC1 regulates the voltage to +5Vdc for the rest of the circuit. Transistor Q8 controls the power supplied to the TX part of the RF circuits.

f. Squelch Detection

In conjunction with the 3361 IC (IC2 of the Base RF), fixed resistor sets the level of signal detection and U1-B acts as the comparator circuit whose composite output is the RSSI signal for the CPU.

g. RX Data

Commands from the Handset is filtered and re-constructed by the Schmitt trigger circuit U1B. The composite output is the RX Data that is input to the CPU for validation and processing.

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B A S E			H A N D S E T		B A S E			H A N D S E T	
CH	TX	RX	TX	RX	CH	TX	RX	TX	RX
1	902.12199	926.11750	926.11750	902.12199	21	902.72226	926.71776	926.71776	902.72226
2	902.15200	926.14751	926.14751	902.15200	22	902.75228	926.74778	926.74778	902.75228
3	902.18202	926.17753	926.17753	902.18202	23	902.78229	926.77779	926.77779	902.78229
4	902.21203	926.20754	926.20754	902.21203	24	902.81230	926.80780	926.80780	902.81230
5	902.24204	926.23755	926.23755	902.24204	25	902.84232	926.83782	926.83782	902.84232
6	902.27205	926.26757	926.26757	902.27205	26	902.87233	926.86783	926.86783	902.87233
7	902.30207	926.29758	926.29758	902.30207	27	902.90235	926.89784	926.89784	902.90235
8	902.33209	926.32759	926.32759	902.33209	28	902.93236	926.92785	926.92785	902.93236
9	902.36210	926.35760	926.35760	902.36210	29	902.96237	926.95787	926.95787	902.96237
10	902.39211	926.38762	926.38762	902.39211	30	902.99239	926.98788	926.98788	902.99239
11	902.42213	926.41763	926.41763	902.42213	31	903.02240	927.01790	927.01790	903.02240
12	902.45214	926.44764	926.44764	902.45214	32	903.05241	927.04791	927.04791	903.05241
13	902.48215	926.47765	926.47765	902.48215	33	903.08243	927.07792	927.07792	903.08243
14	902.51217	926.50767	926.50767	902.51217	34	903.11244	927.10794	927.10794	903.11244
15	902.54218	926.53768	926.53768	902.54218	35	903.14245	927.13795	927.13795	903.14245
16	902.57220	926.56770	926.56770	902.57220	36	903.17247	927.16796	927.16796	903.17247
17	902.60221	926.59771	926.59771	902.60221	37	903.20248	927.19798	927.19798	903.20248
18	902.63222	926.62772	926.62772	902.63222	38	903.23250	927.22799	927.22799	903.23250
19	902.66224	926.65774	926.65774	902.66224	39	903.26251	927.25800	927.25800	903.26251
20	902.69225	926.68775	926.68775	902.69225	40	903.29252	927.28801	927.28801	903.29252