

USER'S GUIDE



GTXTM

Privacy Plus[®]

TRUNKED MOBILE RADIO

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GENERAL INFORMATION

Thank you for purchasing the Motorola GTX Privacy Plus® mobile radio. GTX mobile radios has ten (10) trunked modes with eight (8) talkgroups in each trunked mode, and ten (10) conventional channels and are available in the 800 MHz and 900 MHz frequency ranges. Intelligent and flexible software increased the radio's capability and permits many of the radios features to be customized for you.



WARNING: When installing or removing the mobile radio from the vehicle, the radio must be turned off.

This user guide describes the way a **standard** radio works. Since standard operation may be changed by programming - both concerning the **Functions** which the radio includes and the **Buttons** used to activate them - the way your radio operates may differ from what is described here.

If in doubt, contact the person in charge of your radio system or your local service representative.

WARNINGS, CAUTIONS, AND NOTES

Throughout the text in this publication, you will notice the use of **Warnings**, **Cautions**, and **Notes**. These notations are used to emphasize that safety hazards exist, and care must be taken or observed.



WARNING: An operational procedure, practice, or condition, etc., which may result in injury or death if not carefully observed.



CAUTION: An operational procedure, practice, or condition, etc., which may result in damage to the equipment if not carefully observed.



NOTE: An operational procedure, practice, or condition, etc., which is essential to emphasize.

MULTIPLE SELECTION

Each trunked mode may have its own unique set of talkgroups, Call Alert paging, and Private Conversation calls. After a trunked mode has been selected, there is a delay of approximately one second before the radio can receive or transmit calls.

TALKGROUP SELECTION

A trunked system can be divided into different talkgroups. This enables the system owner to organize the talkgroups into communication groups according to function. Members of a specific talkgroup hear only messages intended for their talkgroup. For example, if talkgroup B is selected, you will not receive messages for talkgroup E.

FEATURES AND ADVANTAGES OF TRUNKING

The GTX mobile radio can operate on both trunked and conventional radio systems. Conventional typically refers to radio-to-radio communication, sometimes through a repeater.

A trunked radio system allows a large number of users to share a relatively small number of frequencies without interfering with each other.

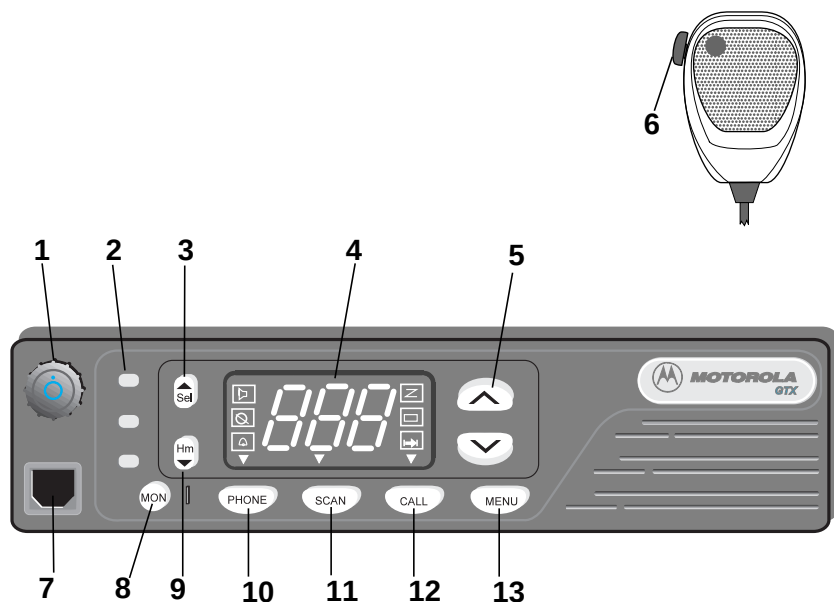
The air time of all the repeaters in the trunked system is pooled, which maximizes the amount of air time available to any one radio, and minimizes channel congestion.

Some of the overall key benefits of a Motorola Trunked Radio System are:

- No channel monitoring required prior to transmission.
- Improved system access.
- Automatic channel selection.
- Increased privacy among members of the same group.
- Only one attempt is required to access the system. If all channels are busy, the call request enters a queue and the central controller automatically assigns the next available channel. Two (2) medium-pitched tones followed by one (1) high-pitched tone sounds when the call can be made.

CONTROLS, BUTTONS, INDICATORS, AND CONNECTORS

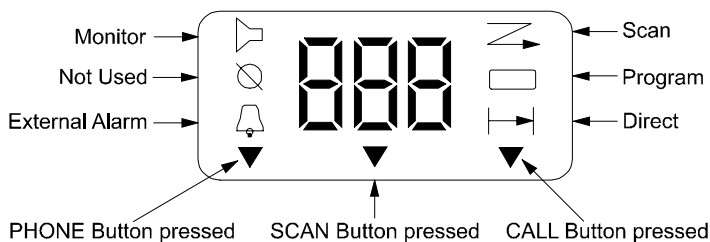
1. Radio ON/OFF Volume Control Knob
2. LED (Light Emitting Diode) Indicators
 - RED: lights continuously when the radio is transmitting.
 - YELLOW: lights continuously when the radio is receiving.
 - Not used
3. Select Button  : Press to:
 - select a displayed feature
 - select a system
4. 3-Character Display
5. Talkgroup Select Buttons   : Press to select a talkgroup
6. Push-to-Talk (PTT) Button
7. Microphone Jack
8. Monitor Button  : Press to monitor a channel
9. Home Button  : Press to:
 - exit a feature
 - exit a system or menu
 - select a system
10. Phone Button  : Press to answer or make a telephone call
11. Scan Button  : Press to turn scan on or off
12. Call Button  : Press once to make a Private Call, press twice to make a Call Alert Call
13. Menu Button  : Press to display the menu features



DISPLAY ICONS

The display icons which appear on the display are:

-  External Alarm Selected
-  Scanning
-  Not in Use
-  Programming
-  Monitor
-  Direct



DISPLAY CHARACTER SUMMARY

The GTX Privacy Plus radio has a 3-character display.

- Trunked modes appear on the left side of the display. This can be any digit between 0 and 9 (0=mode 10).
- Talkgroups appear on the right side of the display. This can be any letter between A and P.
- Conventional Channels sequentially follow the last trunked mode and appear as 2-digit numbers on the right side of the display. The indication that the radio is on a conventional channel is seen when the display shows no letter or special character.

Self test

When the radio is turned on, this display appears while the self test is in process.



Telephone Interconnect

This display indicates you have received an in-coming phone call.



Private Conversation Call

This display indicates you have received an incoming private conversation phone call.



Call Alert

This display indicates that you have received a Call Alert.



Failsoft

This display indicates that the radio is in failsoft per talkgroup in a trunked mode and will convert to a conventional channel until the system is properly operating.



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ALERT TONE INDICATORS

The GTX radio generates a number of audible tones to indicate radio operating conditions:

Tone	Indication	Description
Very short, high-pitch tone when radio is first turned on	Successful Power-Up	Indicates that the radio passed its power-up self test and is ready for use.
Continuous, low-pitched tone when radio is first turned on	Unsuccessful Power-Up	Indicates that the radio failed its power-up self test and is not ready for use. Contact your nearest Motorola Service Representative.
Two, medium-pitched tones and one, high-pitched tone	Talk Permit or Call Back	Indicates you have access to transmit. The radio holds access for about three seconds. Press the PTT and begin your transmission.
Continuous, low-pitched tone when PTT is pressed.	Talk Prohibit	An unsuccessful attempt to access the system. Try again later when in a better location.
Short, high-pitch tone	Valid (Good) Key Press	Indicates that the key instruction was accepted.
Short, low-pitch tone	Invalid (Bad) Key Press	Indicates that the key instruction was rejected.
Continuous, low-pitch tone when PTT is pressed	Time-Out Timer Warning	Your radio's time-out timer limits the duration of your transmission time. When you first hear this tone, you have four seconds before the allotted time will expire.
15-20 second high-pitched tone	Telephone Time-Out Timer Warning	Indicates that you have 15 to 20 seconds to complete your conversation before the telephone call is disconnected.
Continuous, low-pitch tone	Invalid Mode	Indicates that an invalid or unprogrammed operation was performed on the radio.
Faint "beeping" tone every ten seconds	Failsoft (Trunked Systems Only)	Indicates that the radio is operating in the failsoft mode. You can still transmit and receive on conventional channels until the system is repaired.

Tone	Indication	Description
Continuous, medium-pitch tone when PTT is pressed	Out of Range Tone	Indicates that the radio is out of range from the selected Trunking site.
Group of four medium-pitch tones every five seconds	Call Alert™	Indicates that your radio received a Call Alert page.
Two, medium-pitched tones	Private Conversation™ Call Received	Indicates that your radio received a Private Conversation call.
Continuous, low-pitched tone	Disconnect Mode Warning	Reminder to exit Phone or Call Alert modes. You may be missing other types of calls. Press the Phone or Call buttons to exit the mode.
Repeated, short, low-pitch tones when PTT is pressed.	Trunked System Busy (Trunked Systems only)	Indicates that all available trunked modes are busy. Release the PTT button and listen for the call back tone to transmit.
Repeated, short, high-pitched tones.	Call-Back Tone	Indicates that you have 3 seconds to press the PTT button to make your call without getting another busy signal.

TURNING THE RADIO ON / OFF

1. Turn on the radio by turning the ON/OFF volume control knob clockwise.
 - The radio will go through a power-up self test. A good power-up, high-pitched tone will sound to indicate that the radio has passed the self-test.
 - The last trunked mode and talkgroup or conventional channel will appear on the display.
2. Adjust the volume to a comfortable listening level by turning the knob clockwise or counter clockwise as required.
3. Turn off the radio by turning the ON/OFF volume control knob counter clockwise.

TRUNKED MODES

Up to ten (10) trunked modes with eight (8) talkgroups in each trunked mode can be programmed into the radio.

Selecting a Trunked Mode

1. Press the  **Select** button or  **Home** button until the desired trunked mode is displayed.
2. Press the Talkgroup Select  or  buttons until the desired talkgroup is displayed.
 - A trunked mode/talkgroup is indicated by a digit and a letter.

Your radio is now set to receive and transmit calls on the selected trunked mode.

Receiving a Call (Trunked Modes)

1. Turn on the radio and select the desired trunked mode and talk-group.
2. Listen until you hear activity, then then adjust the volume control for a comfortable listening level. Your radio is now set to receive calls on the selected trunked mode.
 - The YELLOW receive LED will light continuously while the radio is receiving.

Transmitting on a Trunked Mode

1. Turn on the radio and select the desired trunked mode and talk-group.
2. Hold the microphone in a verticle position at a distance of about 1 to 2 inches (2.5 to 5 cm) from your mouth.
3. Press and hold the PTT button and speak slowly and clearly into the microphone.
 - If access to the trunked system was successful, you will hear a short, high-pitched beep (the “talk permit” tone).
 - The RED transmit LED will light continuously while the radio is transmitting.
4. When your transmission is complete, release the PTT to listen.

NOTE: If you hear a busy tone (a series of short, low-pitch tones), release the PTT button and wait for a call-back tone (a series of short, high-pitch tones of equal length). When you hear the call-back tone, you will have three seconds to press the PTT button, allowing you to make your call without getting another busy signal.

If a continuous talk-prohibit tone is heard when the PTT button is pressed, it means that the radio is out of range and you will not be able to transmit.

Failsoft Operation (Trunked Modes)

The failsoft system ensures that you will continue to have radio communications capability in case of a trunked system failure. During trunked operation, if the central trunking controller fails, the radio will automatically switch to failsoft operation according to pre-defined programming. In failsoft operation, your radio can transmit and receive on a conventional, predetermined frequency. When you are in failsoft operation, you will hear a faint beeping sound every ten seconds. This feature is RSS programmable.

CONVENTIONAL CHANNELS

Up to ten (10) conventional channels can be programmed into the radio.

Selecting a Conventional Channel

1. Press the  **Select** button or  **Home** button until the desired conventional channel is displayed.
 - A conventional channel is indicated by digits only.

Your radio is now set to receive and transmit calls on the selected trunked mode.

Receiving a Call (Conventional Channels)

1. Turn on the radio and select the desired conventional channel.
2. Listen until you hear activity, then adjust the volume control for a comfortable listening level.

NOTE: The squelch opening level setting may be reprogrammed at an authorized service facility.

- The YELLOW transmit LED will light continuously while the radio is transmitting.

Your radio is now set to receive calls on the selected conventional channel.

Transmitting on a Conventional Channel

1. Turn on the radio and select the desired conventional channel.
2. If the conventional channel on which you are transmitting is programmed to receive PL (Private Line) or DPL (Digital Private Line), ensure that the channel is not in use by listening for activity. You can do this by monitoring a channel. Refer to the Monitor instructions on page 14.
 - The YELLOW indicator LED will light if the channel is in use. Do not transmit if someone else is using the channel.
3. If Smart PTT is enabled, you do not need to listen for channel activity before transmitting. Any attempt to transmit on a busy channel will cause an invalid-mode tone to sound until the PTT button is released.
4. When the channel is available, hold the microphone in a vertical position at a distance of about 1 to 2 inches (2.5 to 5 cm) from your mouth.
5. Press and hold the PTT button and speak slowly and clearly into the microphone.
 - The RED Transmit LED will light continuously while the radio is transmitting.
6. When your transmission is complete, release the PTT to listen.

Monitoring

Monitor allows you to monitor the conventional channel for activity when PL or DPL is activated (same as taking the microphone off hook)

1. To turn Monitor ON, press the  **Monitor** button or take the microphone off hook.
 - The  monitor icon will display.
2. To turn Monitor OFF, press the  **Monitor** button again or place the microphone on-hook.

NOTE: The monitoring feature is available only when the radio is in conventional mode and Coded Squelch PL or DPL is preprogrammed for the receiver frequency.

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The Call Alert page feature enables your radio to function like a pager (beeper). Your radio (as programmed by the Radio Service Software [RSS]) can receive and respond to pages from other radios. Up to eight (8) mobile IDs (identified as CA1 through CA8) can be programmed into the radio.

SENDING A CALL ALERT

The Call Alert feature allows the dispatcher or supervisory unit to alert or page up to eight mobile units.

1. To send a Call Alert page, press the  **Call** button twice. The display will indicate:
2. Select a mobile ID from the ID list by pressing the Talkgroup Select  or  buttons.
3. Press the PTT button to select and send the Call Alert.



- The radio will beep once to indicate that the Call Alert has been sent. When the Call Alert has been acknowledged the display will indicate:



- The radio will sound four beeps and the display will automatically return to the last selected trunked mode/talkgroup.

NOTE: If the radio is not in service or out of range, a low-pitch alert tone will sound and the display will indicate **"noS"**. You may try this sequence again when in range.

- An illegal function tone will sound after six (6) seconds of inactivity. This is to alert you that important channel activity may be missed if you remain in Call Alert. Press the  **Call** button to stop the tone.

4. To exit Call Alert, press the  **Home** button.

RECEIVING A CALL ALERT

When the mobile unit receives a Call Alert the display will indicate:



- The radio will beep continuously every four seconds until you respond.

1. Press the PTT button to speak and release to listen.

NOTE: Call Alert pages cannot be received when the radio is engaged in voice conversation, has been turned off, or is out of the system range.

If your radio is equipped with optional horn/lights alert, see the description of *Horn/Lights* given on page 26.

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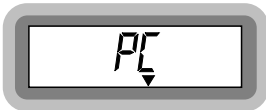
The Private Conversation Call feature allows you to have a conversation that is heard only by two parties. Up to eight (8) mobile IDs (identified as PC1 through PC8) can be programmed into the radio.

SENDING A PRIVATE CONVERSATION CALL

1. Press the  **Call** button once to activate Private Conversation Call. The display will indicate: 
2. Select a mobile ID from the ID list by pressing the Talkgroup Select  or  buttons.
3. Press the PTT button to select and send the Private Conversation Call. Release to listen.
4. To return to the last selected trunked mode/talkgroup, press the  **Home** button.

RECEIVING A PRIVATE CONVERSATION CALL

- When a Private Conversation Call is received, two beeps are heard and the display will indicate: 

1. Press the  **Call** button. The display will indicate: 
2. Press the PTT button to speak and release to listen.

NOTE: If you press the PTT button before you press the **Call** button, the response will be transmitted to everyone in the talkgroup.

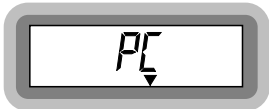
3. To return to the last selected trunked mode/talkgroup, press the  **Home** button.

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As with regular telephone calls, a conversation in an Enhanced Private Conversation Call is heard only by the caller and called party. With this feature, you are able to determine whether the radio you are calling is in service. If the called party does not answer your call, then you can choose to leave your radio's ID (via call alert) so that you can be called back.

SENDING AN ENHANCED PRIVATE CONVERSATION CALL

Calling the Last ID Number Transmitted or Received

- When calling the last ID number received, press the  **Call** button once. The display will indicate:
 - When enhanced calling the last ID number received, the display will indicate:
 
- When calling the last ID number transmitted, press the PTT button. Release to listen.
 - The last ID number will be transmitted. If the radio you are calling is "on-the-air", you will hear a telephone-type ring for 20 seconds.
- If the party you are calling does not answer in 20 seconds, the display will indicate:
 
 - The telephone ring will stop and a continuous low-pitched alert tone will sound. You can send a call alert page or hang up.
 - If the radio you are calling is not in service or out of range, the display will indicate:
 
- To return to the last selected trunked mode/talkgroup, press the  **Home** button.

Scrolling to an ID Number in the List

1. Press the  **Call** button. The display will indicate:

2. Use the Talkgroup Select  or  buttons to scroll to a particular ID number in the list.
3. Press the PTT button to select and send the Private Conversation Call. Release to listen.
 - If the radio you are calling is on the air, you will hear a telephone-type ring.
4. If the party does not answer the call within 20 seconds, the display will indicate:

5. To return to the last selected trunked mode/talkgroup, press the  **Home** button.

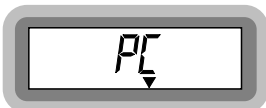
RECEIVING AN ENHANCED PRIVATE CONVERSATION CALL

- When you receive a Private Conversation Call, you will hear two alert tones which are repeated every five seconds for a duration of 20 seconds. The display will indicate:



NOTE: You have 20 seconds to answer the call before the radio automatically returns to the **Home** display

1. Press the  **Call** button. The display will indicate:



NOTE: If you press the PTT button before pressing the **Call** button, the response will be transmitted to everyone in the talkgroup.

2. Press the PTT button to speak and release to listen.
3. To return to the last selected trunked mode/talkgroup, press the  **Home** button.

INTRODUCTION

Your radio is equipped with a telephone interconnect option that allows you to call land line telephones through the trunked system. Calls made through the central controller are half-duplex operation (speak or listen).

MAKING A TELEPHONE CALL (FULL INTERCONNECT CAPABILITY)

1. Press the  **Phone** button. The display will momentarily indicate:

ALL

 - If a free channel is available, the display will indicate:

▼ PHn
2. Select a phone number from the list by using the Talkgroup Select $\wedge$ or $\vee$ buttons. **Or**, if you have a DTMF microphone, you can enter the phone number manually using the keypad.
3. Press the PTT button to send the phone number.
 - If phone access is successful, you will a dial tone, followed by the phone number tones as they are being sent to the repeater.
4. If you get a busy tone, hang-up by pressing the  **Phone** button and try again.
 - If an illegal medium-pitched tone sounds when the  **Phone** button is pressed, it indicates that the telephone interconnect option has not been enabled and the telephone call cannot be made.

5. After the called party answers, inform him or her that you are using a radio and that he or she must wait for you to finish speaking (indicated by a soft beep) before replying. Proceed in a normal push-to-talk manner by pushing the PTT button to talk and release to listen.
 - The maximum time period allowed for a telephone phone call is RSS programmable. If a high-pitch tone sounds, it alerts you that you have 15-20 seconds to complete your conversation before the call is disconnected.
6. To disconnect the call, press the  **Phone** button.
 - If the call is not disconnected, a continuous low-pitched tone will sound. Until the call is disconnected, you will not be able to receive calls of any type.

ANSWERING A TELEPHONE CALL

Standard telephone interconnect receive features are as follows:

- When a telephone call is received, a ringing tone will sound, alerting your to answer the call. The display will indicate:
1. To answer the call, take the microphone off the hook and press the  **Phone** button. The radio will be removed from dispatch operation and the display will indicate:
 2. Press the PTT button to speak and release to listen.
 3. To terminate the call, press the  **Phone** button.



NOTE: If a mobile unit is equipped with the Horn/Lights feature, engage it before you leave the vehicle. When a call is received, the vehicle's horn will sound or the lights will flash for six seconds.

INTRODUCTION

Limited SmartZone operation is available on your GTX mobile radio. The two features that are offered are Site Lock/Unlock and Forced Site Search. You may check with your local systems manager to see if these features are relevant to your system.

SITE LOCK / UNLOCK

The Site Lock feature is useful for certain large, multi-site systems.

If you wish to use ONE physical site (tower) only on Automatic Multiple Site Selection (AMSS) systems, you can “lock” your radio onto that site using the Site Lock feature.

This feature is especially useful if you will be operating in the extreme boundary of your radio's range. Enabling Site Lock will cause your radio to always “look for” the desired site (tower) instead of searching for other sites that are not close to your location.

Enabling Site Lock

To keep the radio from searching for other sites (towers) when you go out of range of your desired site, you can lock the radio onto a specific site.

When you are within the range of the desired site (tower):

1. Press the  **Menu** button until the display will indicate:



2. Press the  **Select** button to enable Site Lock. The display will indicate:



Enabling Site Unlock

1. Press the  **Menu** button until the display indicates:



2. Press the  **Select** button to enable Site Unlocked. The display will indicate:



FORCED SITE SEARCH

When you are in a poor coverage area and are not satisfied with the automatic site selection of the radio, you can activate the Forced Site Search function to manually scan for a new site.

The Forced Site Search feature can be activated in Site Lock Mode or Site Unlock Mode and is enabled as follows:

1. Press the  **Menu** button until the display indicates:
2. Press the  **Select** button to manually select a different site.
3. Repeat steps 1 and 2 to manually select another site.



A Forced Site Search can be activated during normal operation as well as during a Call Alert Call, a Private Conversation Call, or a Telephone Call.

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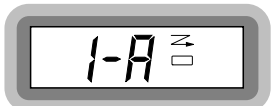
The scan feature allows you to monitor activity on different trunked modes and conventional channels by scanning a list of up to eight (8) members. Trunked modes and conventional channels can be included in a scan list by your dealer using the Radio Service Software (RSS).

TURNING SCAN ON/OFF

- To turn Scan ON, press the  **Scan** button.
 - The () scan icon will be displayed, indicating scan is active and the radio will scan for activity in the trunked modes/talkgroups or conventional channels that are defined in the scan list.
- To turn Scan OFF, press the  **Scan** button again.

NOTE: To initiate a call properly during scan mode, press the PTT button for a few seconds.

PROGRAMMING / VIEWING A SCAN LIST

- Press the  **Menu** button until the display indicates:
 
- Press the  **Select** button to select "Scan Programming/Viewing mode".
 - The radio will sound four quick tones and the display will indicate:
 
- When in scan programming, use the Talkgroup Select  or  buttons to scroll through all trunked modes/talkgroups and conventional channels.
 - Trunked modes/talkgroups and conventional channels currently in the scan list will be indicated by the () scan icon.

- To add a trunked mode/talkgroup or conventional channel into the scan list, press the  **Select** button when the desired trunked mode/talkgroup or conventional channel is displayed. The display will indicate:



- The () scan icon will appear.

- To remove from the scan list, press the  **Select** button again. The display will indicate:



- The () scan icon will disappear.

- To exit the scan programming feature, press the  **Home** button. The display will indicate the home display.

NOTE: A scan list is limited to eight members. An alert tone sounds if you attempt to add more than eight members.

NUISANCE DELETE

- When in scan mode, If you wish to **temporarily** delete an annoying trunked mode/talkgroup or conventional channel from the scan list, press the  **Menu** button until the display indicates:



- Press the  **Select** button to enable Nuisance Delete.
- To resume scanning of the temporarily deleted trunked mode/talkgroup or conventional channel, you must exit and re-enter scan mode.

TALKBACK DELAY

You may talkback during a detected activity for a pre-programmed (RSS programmable) time period after the activity ends. After this time period, the radio will resume scan.

OFF-HOOK SUSPEND SCAN

If this feature is enabled (RSS programmable), the radio will stop scanning when the radio is off-hook. Scan will be resumed when the microphone is replaced on-hook.

HORN / LIGHTS

When you are outside the vehicle, the radio's horn/lights feature will activate the vehicle's horn/lights (if enabled) upon receiving an incoming Call Alert or land to mobile telephone calls.

1. To activate "horn and lights" press the  **Menu** button until the display indicates:



2. Press the  **Select** button.

- The radio shows the **Home** display with the horn/lights (bell) icon:



3. To disable - press any button.

ANNOUNCEMENT CALL

The Announcement Call feature allows a user to send an announcement to a list of multiple talkgroups simultaneously. This feature is RSS programable.

1. Select the dealer assigned talkgroup to send an Announcement Call.

DATA COMPATABILITY (30 W / 35 W models only)

Your GTX mobile two-way radio supports standard data capability using an external modem. Please contact your authorized Motorola dealer for more information.

Motorola offers a number of accessories to enhance the productivity of your GTX mobile two-way radio. Many of the available accessories are listed below. For a complete list, please contact your authorized Motorola dealer.

Audio:

HMN3413	Compact Microphone
HMN1035	Heavy Duty Palm Microphone
HMN3013	DTMF Keypad Microphone
HMN3141	Handset with Hang-up Clip (30 W / 35 W only)
HLN9073	Hang-up Clip

Antennas:

HAF4002	806-900 MHz, 1/4 Wave Roof Mount
RRA4983	800 MHz, 3 dB Gain Roof Mount w/Teflon Cable
RRA4914	800 MHz, 3 dB Gain Roof Mount
RRA4935	900 MHz, 3 dB Gain w/14 ft. Cable

Control Station: (30 W / 35 W models only)

RLN4834	Control Station Package
HMN3000	Desk Microphone
GLN7318	Base Station Tray
HPN4001	Power Supply and Cable (25-60 W)
HKN9088	Mobile Mini-U Antenna Adapter

Public Address: (30 W / 35 W models only)

HLN3145	Public Address Kit
HKN9324	Speaker Cable, 15 ft.
HKN9323	Amplified Speaker Cable
HSN9326	External Speaker for Receiver Audio, 5 W
HSN1000	Amplified External Speaker, 6 W

RESTRICTIONS

Because this radio contains a transmitter, federal law prohibits unauthorized, non-licensed personnel from adjusting or maintaining it. If any operational difficulties should arise while using this product, report them to authorized service personnel as soon as possible.



WARNING: Do not attempt any unauthorized modification to the radio or accessories.

Read This Information Before Using Your Radio

OPERATIONAL WARNINGS

For Vehicles with an Air Bag



WARNING: Do not place install a mobile radio in the area over an air bag or in the air bag deployment area. Air bags inflate with great force. If a mobile radio is installed in the air bag deployment area and the air bag inflates, the radio may be propelled with great force and cause serious injury to occupants of the vehicle.

Installation of vehicle communication equipment should be performed by a professional installer/technician qualified in the requirements for such installations. An air bag's size, shape and deployment area can vary by vehicle make, model and front compartment configuration (e.g., bench seat vs. bucket seats).

Contact the vehicle manufacturer's corporate headquarters, if necessary, for specific air bag information for the vehicle make, model and front compartment configuration involved in your communication equipment installation.

Potentially Explosive Atmospheres



WARNING: Turn off your two-way radio when you are in any area with a potentially explosive atmosphere. Sparks in a potentially explosive atmosphere can cause an explosion or fire resulting in bodily injury or even death.

Blasting Caps and Areas



WARNING: To avoid possible interference with blasting operations, turn off your radio when you are near electrical blasting caps, in a blasting area, or in areas posted: "Turn off two-way radio". Obey all signs and instructions.

NOTE: The areas with potentially explosive atmospheres referred to above include fueling areas such as: below decks on boats; fuel or chemical transfer or storage facilities; areas where the air contains chemicals or particles, such as grain, dust or metal powders; and any other area where you would normally be advised to turn off your vehicle engine. Areas with potentially explosive atmospheres are often but not always posted.

EXPOSURE TO RADIO FREQUENCY ENERGY

Your Motorola two-way radio, which generates and radiates radio frequency (RF) electromagnetic energy (EME), is designed to comply with the following National and International Standards and Guidelines regarding exposure of human beings to radio frequency electromagnetic energy:

- Federal Communications Commission Report and Order No. FCC 96-326 (August 1996)
- American National Standards Institute (C95.1 - 1992)
- National Council on Radiation Protection and Measurements (NCRP-1986)
- International Commission on Non-Ionizing Radiation Protection (ICNRP- 1986)
- European Committee for Electrotechnical Standardization (CEN-ELEC):
 - ENV 50166-1 1995 E – Human Exposure to Electromagnetic Fields Low Frequency (0 Hz to 10 kHz)
 - ENV 50166-2 1995 E – Human Exposure to Electromagnetic Fields High Frequency (10 kHz to 300 GHz)
 - Proceedings of SC211/B 1996 "Safety Considerations for Human Exposure to EMFs from Mobile Telecommunication

Equipment (MTE) in the Frequency Range 30 MHz - 6 GHz.”
(EMF - Electro-Magnetic Fields)

To assure optimal radio performance and to ensure that your exposure to radio frequency electromagnetic energy is within the guidelines in the above standards, always adhere to the following procedures:

Mobile Radio Operation and EME Exposure

To assure optimal radio performance and that human exposure to radio frequency electromagnetic energy is within the guidelines referenced earlier in this document, transmit **only** when people inside and outside the vehicle are at least the minimum distance away from a properly installed, externally-mounting antenna.

Table 1 lists the minimum distance for several different ranges of rated radio power.

Table 1. Rated Power and Distance

Rated Power of Vehicle-installed Mobile Two-Way Radios	Minimum Distance from Transmitting Antenna
7 to 15 Watts	1 Foot (30.5cm)
16 to 50 Watts	2 Feet (61cm)
More than 50 Watts	3 Feet (91.5cm)

Mobile Antenna Installation

Install the vehicle antenna **external** to the vehicle and in accordance with:

- The requirements of the antenna manufacturer/supplier
- Instructions in the Radio Installation Manual.

ELECTROMAGNETIC INTERFERENCE/COMPATIBILITY

NOTE: Nearly every electronic device is susceptible to electromagnetic interference (EMI) if inadequately shielded, designed or otherwise configured for electromagnetic compatibility.

- To avoid electromagnetic interference and/or compatibility conflicts, turn off your radio in any facility where posted notices instruct you to do so. Hospitals or health care facilities may be using equipment that is sensitive to external RF energy.

GENERAL SAFETY INFORMATION

Driving

Check the laws and regulations on the use of communication devices in the areas where you drive. Always obey them. Also, when using your radio while driving, please:

- Give full attention to driving
- Use hands-free operation of the communication device, if available
- Pull off the road and park before making or answering a call if driving conditions so require.

Children

Do not allow children to play with your radio. It is not a toy. Children could hurt themselves or others (by poking themselves or others in the eye with the antenna, for example). Children also could damage the radio.

TROUBLESHOOTING

If you cannot communicate with your two-way radio, try the following steps:

1. Checking the radio
 - Be sure the radio is turned on and the mode selector is in the proper position.
2. Check the accessories
 - Check that the radio problem is not caused by accessories improperly connected.
3. Review the user guide
 - Review your user guide to ensure proper radio use.
4. Additional troubleshooting
 - After following the above steps, if your radio still exhibits a problem, review your service agreement and call the applicable Motorola service representative. Be prepared to provide the product model number and the unit's serial number.

Self Test Failure

- In case of self test failure, the invalid continuous tone is sounded. If the radio still does not pass the self check, a problem may exist in the radio. Contact the nearest Motorola service representative.

NOTE: The power-up self check verifies that the radio's microprocessor-based systems are working, but it does not check all the RF components, nor does it check the operation of all customer-specific features. Motorola recommends that the functioning of the radio be checked periodically by an authorized Motorola service representative.

PARTS INFORMATION

7:00 A.M. - 7:00 P.M. (Central Standard Time)
Monday through Friday (Chicago, U.S.A.)

To order parts:
1-800-422-4210

Accessories and Aftermarket Division
Attention: Order Processing
1313 E. Algonquin Road
Schaumburg, IL 60196

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