

# **ICS REPEATER CONTROLLERS**

## **BASIC CONTROLLER USER MANUAL**

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## **General Description of the ICS Basic Repeater Controller**

Here at ICS we strive to make products that have new and innovative easy to use features at a reasonable cost with excellent quality. We believe the Basic is such a product. The Basic has such innovative features with the ICS operating system such as a full featured control receiver input (has priority), programming with actual values (i.e. Volts, Hertz, Seconds, wpm) and a new very easy to use 2 level command access feature which has over 35 functions available. The Basic also has a Setup mode (programming mode) which gives you direct access to all the 2 digit functions. When designing the Basic we worked hard to provide a product that is easy to use, durable and of excellent quality. We also watched the cost. We believe in providing an innovative high quality product at a reasonable cost.

The Basic has many unique features. One such feature is the control receiver input. This input is unique in that it provides a level of control normally only provided with more expensive controllers. The control receiver gives you is required for automatic control. The control receiver COS can be set to switch between 1 and 9 volts and the polarity can be set as well. When the control COS becomes active all the other COS signals are ignored and the Basic only listens to the control receiver for DTMF codes. This allows for total control with the control receiver input

The ever growing set of easy to use features in the ICS operating system can be accessed by a secure Setup mode (if DTMF access to Setup mode is allowed at all it can setup to take 10 digits to access this level), a Control operator mode and a User mode. If desired the Setup mode can be accessed only by a hardware jumper. This provides the highest level of security. In the Setup mode all the commands are accessible by DTMF using their 2 digit function codes. This makes setup easy. The User and Control operator modes use from 1 to 5 digit DTMF codes to access these same functions if setup to do so. From 0 to 20 DTMF command codes can be setup in the User and Control operator modes allowing easy setup, total flexibility and an extremely secure system for controlling the repeater and its functions.

It can be difficult at times to work on a repeater without knowing what the incoming and outgoing signals are doing. Connecting voltmeters, scopes and other monitoring equipment can sometimes be difficult. We have provided several LEDs to help with the setup of the repeater. The Basic has 5 of them. Most of the input and output signals are indicated. The controller will also indicate when it recognizes a DTMF code. When not being used the LEDs can be disabled with a jumper. We have found these indicators to be a big help when working on repeaters.

The inputs and outputs of the Basic repeater controller are very simple to use. There are 2 COS inputs, 1 CTCSS input and an open collector type output. The inputs include a control receiver COS input, a CTCSS input and a COS input for the repeater's receiver. The COS inputs can be set to switch between 1 and 9 volts and the polarity is easily selectable on the COS inputs. You may select between the repeater's receiver and the CTCSS input for the active receiver status. This allows for the switching back and forth between carrier squelch and CTCSS (need an external 3<sup>rd</sup> party CTCSS board) for the receiver's active signal. The Basic controller can also be setup to require both the COS and the CTCSS inputs to be active for the repeater receiver port for an active receiver status (AND function).

## QUICK CONNECT FOR THE CONTROL RECEIVER

**NOTE: You do not need to use this input, it is optional, it is only for use with a separate control receiver. If you do not plan to use a separate control receiver then please skip this section. The repeater receiver port has access to all the same control functions (the control receiver has priority). Do not connect the repeater receiver to this input or anything else if you are not going to use a separate control receiver.**

1. You should have a control receiver COS and audio signal already wired to the proper connections according to the plug layout in this manual before you start. These signals should be suitable to drive a 100K ohm load. The audio for the repeater's receiver is switched to the DTMF decoder so you may use unswitched audio from the repeater's receiver but not on the Basic controller's control receiver audio input. If unswitched audio is used on the control receiver input the controller will decode them but it could interfere with the DTMF tones from the repeater's receiver.
2. Make sure the repeater's transmitter is disconnected or disabled
3. Check to see what the control receiver's COS on and off voltages are and write them down. The difference between them should be at least 1V and can be somewhat less if the COS voltages and your power supply voltage are very stable.
4. Turn the power off.
5. If the COS goes positive when the receiver is activated make sure the jumpers in JP3 and JP4 have their skinny parts both faced towards potentiometers R29 and R37 (see figure 3). This is the position for a positive going COS polarity. The jumpers are in the positive COS position when they are shipped from the factory. For a negative polarity COS the jumpers go across from JP3 to JP4. (NOTE: The jumpers in positions JP3 and JP4 can always be turned 90 degrees for the opposite COS polarity)
6. Turn the power on
7. Monitor the voltage on U3 pin 3 for a positive COS or U3 pin 2 for a negative COS
8. Adjust R7 (CONTROL RX COS LEVEL POT) until the voltage reading is in the middle of the measured COS voltage from step 3. If a battery is being used the COS voltage changes during battery discharge should also be taken into consideration when setting up this adjustment.
9. Next, if you have a scope available, monitor the signal on R20 on the left side of the resistor, make sure that when you are looking at the Basic board the DB 9 connector is facing left (see figure 1).
10. Send a DTMF digit through the control receiver and hold it.
11. Set R19 (CONTROL RX AUDIO) until you get about a 200mVpp reading. You should now see the VALID DTMF LED lit up without flickering.
12. If you do not have a scope available start by sending a DTMF digit tone through the control receiver.
13. Adjust R19 (CONTROL RX AUDIO) until you see the VALID DTMF LED light up. Try to find a center point so you are not on the edge of operation. There should be no flickering of the VALID DTMF LED.

## QUICK CONNECT FOR THE REPEATER RECEIVER

NOTE: If your receiver's COS reaches 3.5V or more when the receiver is active and your receiver's COS reaches 1.5v or less when the receiver is not active your controller COS voltage does not need to be changed. If so then skip steps 4 and 5.

1. The Basic controller comes with de-emphasis on the repeater's receiver. If you do not want the audio to be de-emphasized you will need to clip out C13 (see figure 2). The Basic controller will then have "straight through audio". Remove C13 for speaker or flat audio, keep C13 for discriminator audio.
2. You should have the repeater receiver COS and audio signal already wired to the proper connections according to the plug layout in this manual before you start. These signals should be suitable to drive a 100K ohm load.
3. Make sure the repeater's transmitter is disconnected or disabled or connected to a dummy load.
4. Check to see what the repeater's receiver COS on and off voltages are and write them down. The difference between them should be 1v or so but can be somewhat less if the COS voltages are very stable. If a battery is being used the COS voltages during battery discharge and its affect on the COS voltages should also be taken into consideration when adjusting these settings.
5. The controller's factory default COS on voltage is 2.5v and it's COS off voltage is 2.4v. With the controller's COS voltages set at these levels the controller will be positive acting and will switch on and off at 2.5v and 2.4v. If your receivers COS off voltage is at least 1v below the controllers factory default COS off voltage setpoint and your receivers COS voltage on voltage is at least 1v above the controllers factory default COS on voltage setpoint you do not need to adjust the controller's COS voltage setpoints. For more information please see the section on the Basic controller's voltage programmable COS input.
6. Next, if you have a scope available, monitor the signal on R20 on the left side of the resistor, make sure that when you are looking at the Basic board the DB 9 connector is facing left (see figure 1).
7. Send a DTMF digit through the repeater receiver and hold it.
8. Set R29 (RX AU LEVEL) until you get about a 200mVpp reading. You should now see the VALID DTMF LED lit up without flickering.
9. If you do not have a scope available send start by sending a DTMF digit tone through the repeater's receiver.
10. Adjust R29 (RX AU LEVEL) until you see the VALID DTMF LED light up. Try to find a center point so you are not on the edge of operation. There should be no flickering of the VALID DTMF LED.
11. Care should be taken when adjusting the repeaters audio in level with R29 (RX AU LEVEL) so the DTMF decoder gets a signal which will allow a reliable decoding of any DTMF digits from the repeaters receiver.



# DB 9 CONNECTOR PINOUTS

1	GROUND
2	+13.8VDC INPUT
3	TRANSMITTER PUSH TO TALK OUTPUT (OPEN COLLECTOR)
4	CONTROL RECEIVER AUDIO INPUT
5	TRANSMITTER AUDIO OUTPUT
6	REPEATER RECEIVER AUDIO INPUT
7	CONTROL RECEIVER COS INPUT
8	REPEATER RECEIVER COS INPUT
9	REPEATER RX 3RD PARTY CTCSS BOARD INPUT

# SPECIFICATIONS

SUPPLY VOLTAGE	13.8V	
IDLE CURRENT	18mA @13.8V	LEDs disabled
MAXIMUM CURRENT TX OUTPUT	1 A	
VOLTAGE IN ON RECEIVER AUDIO INPUT	20mVpp to 10Vpp	
VOLTAGE IN ON THE CONTROL RECEIVER AUDIO INPUT	20mVpp to 10Vpp	
MAX VOLTAGE OUT ON TRANSMITTER AUDIO OUTPUT	9Vpp	
VOLTAGE IN ON THE RECEIVER COS	0 to 30V	1 to 9V readable
VOLTAGE IN ON THE CONTROL RECEIVER COS	0 to 30V	1 to 9V readable
INPUT IMPEDANCE ON REPEATER RECEIVER AUDIO	~100K	
INPUT IMPEDANCE ON CONTROL RECEIVER AUDIO	~100K	
TRANSMIT AUDIO OUTPUT IMPEDANCE	> 300 ohms	

## The IDer

The IDer has two timers and two modes. The timers are the pending ID timer and the polite ID timer. The modes are Normal mode and Beacon mode. Below each of these is described in more detail.

### IDer callsign entry and storage

The callsign is entered in using the ENTER NEW ID function (see function #55) using Morse code (See the Morse code table at the end of the manual). The call sign is entered in Dits, Dahs and Spaces. It is a good idea to write down the Dits, Dahs and Spaces ahead of time when programming a callsign. When programming a callsign, on your keypad, use '0' for spaces, use '1' for dits and use '2' for dahs.

### The pending ID timer

The pending ID timer (see function # 49) times the time from one ID to the next ID. When the IDer stops the pending ID timer restarts. An ID will not occur while the pending ID timer is running. If a receiver becomes active while the pending ID timer is running the IDer's 'need to id' flag will be set. When the pending ID timer times out, if the 'need to id flag' is set the IDer will send the ID.

### The polite ID timer

The polite ID timer (see function #48) is used to keep the IDer from IDing when someone is using the repeater. The polite ID timer is started when both a 'valid RX' signal is present and the polite ID timer times out. If the receiver is active when the polite ID timer times out the IDer will send the ID even though the receiver is still active. If the receiver goes off, the ID will be sent immediately afterward.

### The Beacon mode

The Beacon mode (see function #68) is used to force the IDer to send an ID every time the pending ID timer times out. The time between IDs is the time the pending ID timer is set to. The pending timer also functions when in Beacon mode.

### Example:

Program 'ka9pmm' - again use 1 for the dits, 2 for the dahs and 0 for the spaces.

K – dah + dit + dah + space = 2120

A – dit + dah + space = 120

9 – dah + dah + dah + dah + dit + space = 222210

P – dit + dah + dah + dit + space = 12210

M – dah + dah + space = 220

M – dah + dah = 220 (the last character does not need a space)

Put them together: 212012022221012210220220

From Setup mode do the following;

1. Keyup
2. Enter the function 'ENTER NEW ID' (code #55)
3. Unkey
4. The controller responds with the morse code 'M' – ready for more
5. Keyup
6. Enter the digits "21201202222101221022022"
7. Unkey
8. The controller responds with the morse code 'K' – ok or command accepted

If you do a 'FORCE ID' (function # 34) you will hear the call sign you just entered.

## DTMF command line programming

The DTMF command line feature (see function #57) allows you to select a DTMF code (1 to 5 digits) that will activate any one of the 2 digit functions in the function list. The DTMF command lines are used in the User mode and Control op modes to give access to the functions using the codes you have setup.

The Basic has 20 command line memories. Each memory contains the 1 to 5 DTMF digits, an indication whether this DTMF command line can be used in the User and Control op modes or just in the Control op mode and finally the selected function.

Example:

Setup the controller to activate the function Force ID (Function #34) using the DTMF code 63#4A and the DTMF command line memory '3'.

1. You first need to be in the Setup/program mode.
2. Keyup
3. Enter the function 'Enter DTMF command line' (function #57)
4. Unkey
5. The controller should now send the 'M' in morse code indicating it is ok to enter more information
6. Keyup
7. Enter the DTMF command line memory, in this example it is '3' – Enter 3 (DTMF memory number)
8. Unkey
9. The controller should now send the 'M' in morse code indicating it is ok to enter more information
10. Keyup
11. Enter the DTMF code to be used in this DTMF command line memory - Enter 63#4A (DTMF code)
12. Unkey
13. The controller should now send the 'M' in morse code indicating it is ok to enter more information
14. Keyup
15. Enter the 2 Digit function to be activated in this DTMF command line – Enter 34
16. Unkey
17. The controller responds with the morse code 'K' – ok or command accepted

To verify everything got entered in correctly take off the Setup jumper which will take you back to either User mode or Control op mode (Depending on which one you were in).

Now Keyup and enter the DTMF code we entered in step number 11 (63#4A), unkey and you should hear the controller send the ID.

## Setup mode

Setup mode is used for setting up or programming the controller. All the two digit commands can be accessed directly with their 2 digit function numbers. In Setup mode you can easily setup or program the features as all the functions are available. In Setup mode all the functions are accessed using DTMF by their function codes.

There are two ways to access Setup mode. The first way to access Setup mode is to use the setup jumper on the controller board. When the setup jumper is put into place the controller will go into Setup mode. If the controller is removed the controller will exit Setup mode.

The second way to access Setup mode is to use the Setup function commands. There is a Setup mode function to enter (function #39) and exit Setup mode (function #40). To enter Setup mode from the User or Control op mode you need to have a DTMF command line memory programmed with the Enter Setup mode function code in it. You enter in your previously programmed DTMF code for the DTMF command line and you will be in Setup mode.

To leave Setup mode use the Exit setup mode function (function #40). The exit setup command will cause the controller to leave Setup mode, even if the setup jumper is in place. If the Setup jumper is in place and the Exit setup mode function is used to cause the controller to leave Setup mode and the setup jumper is removed and replaced or the power is turned off and on the controller will return to Setup mode

## User mode

User mode is intended for use by the average user. In User mode the only way to access the functions is to use preprogrammed DTMF codes that have been programmed into DTMF command line memories (see function #57) and only the DTMF command line memories that have not been restricted to Control op mode only. None of the functions are directly accessible in User mode.

## Control op mode

In Control op mode the only way to access the functions is to use preprogrammed DTMF codes that have been programmed into DTMF command line memories (function #57). In Control op mode all of the preprogrammed DTMF codes are operational. There is a feature that will allow you to restrict DTMF codes to only be active in Control op mode (function #41)..

## The Basic controller's voltage Programmable COS input

The controller's COS input is used to tell when the repeater's receiver is active. The COS signal (also known as COR or CAS) is obtained from the receiver. For the Basic controller the levels and polarity can be set. You should have at least 1.5 to 2v of change (or range) in the COS voltage.

The Basic's COS input factory default is positive polarity using a trigger point of 2.5v. If your supplied COS input voltage is below 2V for off and above 3v for on you do not need to make any adjustments to these parameters. The default settings are 2.5v on and 2.4v off.

The Basic has two functions that allow you to tell the Basic how to respond to your COS signal. These two functions are Set rx on voltage (function #59) and Set rx off voltage (function #58). If the Basic controller is set with the on voltage is less than the off voltage the Basic will consider that a negative acting COS. If the Basic controller is programmed with its off voltage less than the on voltage the Basic will look for a positive COS.

The controllers on and off voltage setpoints make up a window (see example). The window can be set for whatever range you wish

### EXAMPLE 1

The receiver's COS signal is on at 4.5v and off at 1.5v.

If the controllers COS voltages have not been changed from the factory settings do not change anything. The COS range is sufficient and the COS on and off voltages are far enough away from the controller's preprogrammed on and off voltages.

You will want to make sure the controllers on and off voltages are set at least 0.5v away from the receivers on and off COS voltages.

### EXAMPLE 2

The receiver's COS signal is on at 3.0v and off at 9.5v (negative polarity COS).

A window needs to be setup. This window will consist of an on and off voltage for the controller's COS settings. The receiver's COS voltages range from 3.0v to 9.5v. The receiver's COS window is then 9.5v on the top and 3.0v on the bottom.

The controller's COS voltage window must be smaller and inside of the receiver's COS window. The controller's top and bottom COS voltage settings should be at least 0.5v, if not 1.0v away from the receivers top and bottom voltages. The controllers COS voltage setpoints can be as close as 0.1v to each other.

For our example we are going to set the controller's COS on voltage 4.0v and the off voltage at 8.5v. This gives us a 1.0v clearance from the repeaters COS on and off voltages. Using 4.0v and 8.5v for the controllers on and off COS voltages will create a controller COS window well within the receivers COS window of 3.0v to 9.5v.

To setup the controller's COS voltage setting window the controller's upper and lower COS voltage settings must be set using the function #59 and function #58.

To set the on voltage of 4v (bottom of the controllers COS window) use function #59

1. Make sure you are first in setup mode.
2. Enter the 2 digit command for the function SET RX COS VOLTAGE ON LEVEL (function #59)
3. Unkey
4. The controller sends the ENTER NEXT DATA indication (Morse code 'M' for 'ready for More')
5. Keyup
6. Enter '4'
7. Unkey
8. The controller sends the COMMAND ACCEPTED indication (Morse code 'K' for 'OK')

To set the off voltage of 8.5v (top of the controllers COS window) use function #58

1. Make sure you are first in setup mode.
2. Enter the 2 digit command for the function SET RX COS VOLTAGE ON LEVEL (function #58)
3. Unkey
4. The controller sends the ENTER NEXT DATA indication (Morse code 'M' for 'ready for More')
5. Keyup
6. Enter '8.5' (use the star key '\*' for the decimal point)
7. Unkey
8. The controller sends the COMMAND ACCEPTED indication (Morse code 'K' for 'OK')

The controller's COS settings will not change until you reset the controller. You will need to either power down and power back up or use the reset function (function #36).

### EXAMPLE 3:

If the controller COS voltage settings are still set at the factory defaults (2.5v on and 2.4v off, positive acting) and these voltages are ok except that that the receiver's COS is negative acting only one change is necessary. One way to change the polarity is to change one of the controllers COS setpoints.

When the controller's COS setpoints are set to the defaults the on voltage is 2.5v and the off voltage is 2.4v. This means the controller will say the receiver is on when it sees the receivers COS voltage in the controller's COS window (see example 2) and then the receiver's voltage goes past the controllers COS 'on' voltage setpoint.

This works the same with the controllers COS off voltage. When the receivers COS voltage is in the controllers COS window and the receivers COS voltage goes past the controller's COS 'off' voltage setpoint the controller will consider the receiver turned off.

With that in mind if you were to move the controller's COS 'on' setpoint to 2.3v now when the receiver's COS voltage is in the controller's COS window and decreases and goes past the controller's 'on' voltage setpoint the controller will now consider the receiver to be on. The controller is now looking for a negative acting COS signal from the receiver. With the controller's COS 'on' setpoint at 2.5v the controller was looking for a positive COS.

By moving the controller's COS 'on' voltage setpoint from above the controller's COS 'off' voltage setpoint to below the controller's 'off' setpoint the controller changes from looking for a positive acting COS to looking for a negative acting COS from the controller.

## The Basic controller's control receiver input

The Basic repeater controller's control receiver is a feature normally only found on expensive high end controllers. The control receiver and repeater receiver inputs are exactly the same as far as DTMF control except the control receiver input will have priority over the repeater's receiver. Also the control receiver will not pass audio to the transmitter audio output.

When the Basic's control receiver is active the Basic's repeater receiver input will not act on DTMF tones sent to it. Otherwise both of the receiver inputs will act on the DTMF tones the same way.

Both the control receiver COS trigger voltage and COS polarity are programmable. To change the control COS input to the opposite polarity just remove the two jumpers from J3, rotate them 90 degrees and put them back on.

The trigger voltage can be set using the CNTL RX AU LEV pot R19. When setting the controller receiver COS pot you should monitor the voltage on pin 3 of U3 for a positive acting COS or pin 2 of U3 when.

The pot should be set so the measured voltage is in the center of the high and low COS voltages from your control receiver.

## The Basic controller's receiver CTCSS input

The Basic repeater controller's CTCSS input is provided to allow the use of a CTCSS decoder with the Basic controller. The CTCSS input can be remotely enabled or disabled with DTMF codes (see function #64). The CTCSS input can also be 'ANDED' with the COS input (see command #65).

The CTCSS input was designed to be used with CSI TS-64 or with a TS-32 although the CTCSS input can be used with other CTCSS boards as well. If you use a TS-64 or a TS-32 board on the CTCSS input you will want to put a 1k resistor from +12v to the controller's input. This is necessary as the TS-64 and TS-32 boards have an open collector input and will only pull an input to ground.

## Courtesy tones

The Basic has two courtesy tones. They are as follows;

Setup mode – When in Setup mode the controller will send 3 beeps or a Morse code 'S' for Setup mode.

Control op and User modes - When in Control op and User modes the controller will send a single beep.

## Data entry

The Basic controller uses all of the available DTMF codes. This includes;

1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 0, \*, #, A, B, C, D, E, F

All the functions numbers are numeric, there is nothing that requires the the letters A, B, C, D, E, F.

All of these codes can be used in the DTMF command codes

When entering numeric values such as voltages or seconds you can use fractional values using the '\*' key.

EXAMPLE:

To setup the controller's COS voltage setting window the controller's upper and lower COS voltage settings must be set using the function #59 and function #58.

To set the on voltage of 4.52v (bottom of the controllers COS window) use function #59

1. Make sure you are first in setup mode.
2. Enter the 2 digit command for the function SET RX COS VOLTAGE ON LEVEL (#59)
3. Unkey
4. The controller sends the ENTER NEXT DATA indication (Morse code 'M' for 'ready for More')
5. Keyup
6. Enter '4\*52'
7. Unkey
8. The controller sends the COMMAND ACCEPTED indication (Morse code 'K' for 'OK')

In the above example if you would have wanted to enter 4.4v you could have entered just '4\*5'. Other examples would be setting the hang time to 0.6s. you could enter "0\*6" or just "\*6". Leading zeros before the decimal are not necessary.

There are three possible responses to data or command being entered.

1. A Morse code 'M' (DAH DAH) for 'ready for more data' (See above example).
2. A Morse code 'K' (DAH DIT DAH) for 'OK' or command accepted (See above example).
3. A Morse code 'B' (DAH DIT DIT DIT) for 'BAD' for bad entry.

## List of defaults (Factory defaults)

(see 'Set factory defaults' function #47)

Pending ID time	Default = 6 minutes
Polite ID time	Default = 3 minutes
Tone (CW) Frequency	Default = 1000Hz
IDer WPM (words per minute)	Default = 10 wpm
IDer	Default = Active
Transmitter time out time	Default = 10 minutes
Transmitter hang time	Default = 3 seconds
Courtesy tone	Default = Active
Setup mode	No Default – depends on Setup jumper
Control operator mode	Default = Not active
User mode	Default = Active (User codes are active in Control op mode)

## Defaults for Statuses

(see 'Save statuses' function #62 and the section on 'Save statuses' in the table of contents)

Transmitter PTT	Default = On
IDer	Default = On
Courtesy tone	Default = On
Repeater receiver COS input	Default = Active
Repeater receiver CTCSS input	Default = Not active
Repeater receiver 'AND' mode	Default = Not active
Repeater receiver COS on voltage	2.5v The controller considers the receiver on at 2.5v or more
Repeater receiver COS off voltage	2.4v The controller considers the receiver off at 2.4v or less
DTMF muting	Default = Active
Beacon mode	Default = Not Active
Control rx disables repeater rx	Default = Active

## COMMAND LIST FOR THE ICS BASIC REPEATER CONTROLLER

32     ENABLE TX  
33     DISABLE TX  
34     FORCE ID  
35     ACTIVATE KEYPAD TEST  
36     WARM RESET  
37     COURTESY TONE ENABLE  
38     COURTESY TONE DISABLE  
39     ENTER SETUP MODE  
40     EXIT SETUP MODE  
41     SET CONTROL OPERATOR MODE  
42     CLEAR CONTROL OPERATOR MODE  
43     ENABLE\_IDER  
44     DISABLE\_IDER  
45     TURN ON TEST TONE  
46     TURN OFF TEST TONE  
47     SET PARAMETERS TO THE FACTORY DEFAULT  
48     SET POLITE ID TIME  
49     SET PENDING ID TIME  
50     SET WORD PER MINUTE RATE  
51     SET HANG TIME  
52     SET TX TIMEOUT TIME  
53     CLEAR ALL DTMF COMMAND LINES  
54     CLEAR ONE DTMF COMMAND LINE  
55     ENTER NEW ID  
56     PROGRAM NEW CW FREQUENCY  
57     ENTER DTMF COMMAND LINE  
58     SET RX COS VOLTAGE OFF LEVEL  
59     SET RX COS VOLTAGE ON LEVEL  
60     TX FORCE ON  
61     TX FORCE CLEAR  
62     SAVE STATUSES  
63     USE RX COS INPUT ONLY  
64     SWITCH TO RX CTCSS INPUT ONLY  
65     SET RX COS AND CTCSS TO AND  
66     DTMF MUTING ON  
67     DTMF MUTING OFF  
68     BEACON MODE ON  
69     BEACON MODE OFF  
70     CNTL\_RX\_DISABLE\_RPTR\_RX\_ENABLE  
71     CNTL\_RX\_DISABLE\_RPTR\_RX\_DISABLE

### **Definition of Terms used**

1. Key up – To activate the Control or Repeaters receiver COS  
(The repeaters receiver needs to be allowed to do DTMF control)
2. Unkey – To deactivate The Control or Repeaters receiver COS
3. COS – Carrier operated signal – a signal that indicates when the receiver is active
4. COMMAND ACCEPTED indication – The controller sends a CW letter “K” for “OK”
5. ENTER NEXT DATA code – The controller sends a CW letter “M” for “ready for MORE information”
6. TX = Repeaters transmitter
7. RX = Receiver

For more information please see the appendix at the end of the manual

FUNCTION:               ENABLE TX

FUNCTION CODE:       32

PURPOSE:               Enables the TX output

HOW TO USE:

1. Key up
2. Enter the ENABLE TX function code.
3. Unkey
4. The controller sends the COMMAND ACCEPTED indication
5. The TX output is now enabled.

The power up status of this function can be changed using the ‘Save statuses’ function #62

FUNCTION: DISABLE TX  
FUNCTION CODE: 33  
PURPOSE: Disables the TX output

HOW TO USE:

1. Key up
2. Enter the DISABLE TX function code
3. Unkey
4. The controller sends the COMMAND ACCEPTED indication
5. The TX output is disabled.

The power up status of this function can be changed using the 'Save statuses' function #62

FUNCTION: FORCE ID  
FUNCTION CODE: 34  
PURPOSE: To force the controller to send the CW ID

HOW TO USE:

1. Key up
2. Enter FORCE ID function code
3. Unkey
4. When the command is accepted the controller will send the preset CW ID.

When the controller sends a forced ID the ID interval timer is not reset.

FUNCTION:                   ACTIVATE KEYPAD TEST

FUNCTION CODE:       35

PURPOSE:               Allows testing of users radio touch pad

HOW TO USE:

1. Key up
2. Enter the ACTIVATE KEYPAD TEST function code
3. Unkey
4. The controller sends the ENTER NEXT DATA indication
5. Key up
6. Push the digit to be tested
7. Unkey
8. The controller will report which digit it heard in CW

The controller will wait for another DTMF digit to be sent. If it you wish to cancel the function key up without sending a DTMF digit and unkey. The controller will cancel the keypad test and no courtesy tone will be sent.

FUNCTION:                   WARM RESET

FUNCTION CODE:       36

PURPOSE:               Resets all statuses to power up condition.

HOW TO USE:

1. Key up
2. Enter the WARM RESET function code
3. Unkey
4. There will be no direct acknowledge from the controller.

When you unkey after entering the WARM RESET code the transmitter will drop immediately as the controller does a reset and does not remember that the receiver was active.

FUNCTION: COURTESY TONE ENABLE

FUNCTION CODE: 37

PURPOSE: Enables the all of the courtesy tones.

HOW TO USE:

1. Key up
2. Enter the COURTESY TONE ENABLE function code
3. Unkey
4. The controller sends the COMMAND ACCEPTED indication
5. All the courtesy tones will enabled

The power up status of this function can be changed using the 'Save statuses' function #62

FUNCTION: COURTESY TONE DISABLE

FUNCTION CODE: 38

PURPOSE: Disables the all of the Courtesy tones.

HOW TO USE:

1. Key up
2. Enter the COURTESY TONE DISABLE function code
3. Unkey
4. The controller sends the COMMAND ACCEPTED indication
5. All the Courtesy tones will be disabled.

This function does not affect the acknowledge codes. The Setup mode and normal courtesy tones will be disabled. The COMMAND ACCEPTED and ENTER NEXT DATA indications will still operate.

The power up status of this function can be changed using the 'Save statuses' function #62

FUNCTION: ENTER SETUP MODE

FUNCTION CODE: 39

PURPOSE: Puts the controller in the Setup mode

HOW TO USE:

1. Key up
2. Enter the ENTER SETUP MODE function code
3. Unkey
4. The controller sends the COMMAND ACCEPTED indication
5. The controller will be in the Setup mode

Entering the Setup mode with this command will occur regardless of the position of the setup jumper.

FUNCTION: EXIT SETUP MODE

FUNCTION CODE: 40

PURPOSE: Takes the controller out of the Setup mode

HOW TO USE:

1. Key up
2. Enter the EXIT SETUP MODE function code
3. Unkey
4. The controller sends the COMMAND ACCEPTED indication
5. The controller will not be in the Setup mode..

Exiting the Setup mode with this command will occur regardless of the position of the setup jumper.

FUNCTION: SET CONTROL OPERATOR MODE

FUNCTION CODE: 41

PURPOSE: Puts the controller in the Control operator mode

HOW TO USE:

1. Key up
2. Enter the SET CONTROL OPERATOR MODE function code
3. Unkey
4. The controller sends the COMMAND ACCEPTED indication
5. The controller will be in the Control operator mode..

If the Control operator mode is enabled during the Setup mode it will have no effect until exiting the Setup mode. Upon exiting the Setup mode the controller will be in Control operator mode. The controller can be both in Setup mode and Control operator mode at the same time but the Setup mode has priority.

FUNCTION: CLEAR CONTROL OPERATOR MODE

FUNCTION CODE: 42

PURPOSE: Takes the controller out of the Control operator mode

HOW TO USE:

1. Key up
2. Enter the CLEAR CONTROL OPERATOR MODE function code
3. Unkey
4. The controller sends the COMMAND ACCEPTED indication
5. The controller will not be in the Control operator mode

If the Control operator mode is enabled during the Setup mode it will have no effect until exiting the Setup mode. Upon exiting the setup mode the controller will still be in Control operator mode. The controller can be both in Setup mode and Control operator mode at the same time but the Setup mode has priority.

FUNCTION: ENABLE\_IDER

FUNCTION CODE: 43

PURPOSE: To turn on the IDer

HOW TO USE:

1. Key up
2. Enter the ENABLE\_IDER function code
3. Unkey
4. The controller sends the COMMAND ACCEPTED indication
5. The controller's IDer will now be enabled...

If the IDer was not enabled on power up the Save statuses function will need to be run. This will store the new IDer status along with others. This needs to be done or the IDer status will return to the way it was the last time the controller was powered up.

The power up status of this function can be changed using the 'Save statuses' function #62

FUNCTION: DISABLE\_IDER

FUNCTION CODE: 44

PURPOSE: To turn off the IDer

HOW TO USE:

1. Keyup
2. Enter the DISABLE\_IDER function code
3. Unkey
4. The controller will send the COMMAND ACCEPTED indication
5. The controllers IDer will now be disabled...

If the IDer was enabled on power up the Save statuses function will need to be run. This will store the new IDer status (along with others). This needs to be done or the IDer status will return to the way it was the last time the controller was powered up.

The power up status of this function can be changed using the 'Save statuses' function #62

FUNCTION:                   TURN ON TEST TONE  
FUNCTION CODE:           45  
PURPOSE:                   To provide a audio test signal from the controller

HOW TO USE:

1. Key up
2. Enter the TURN ON TEST TONE function code
3. Unkey
4. The controller sends the COMMAND ACCEPTED indication
5. The controller will send a continuous tone at the frequency that is currently set.

This function will not cause the transmitter to stay on. It only provides the tone from the tone output. The transmitter can be locked on by using the TX force on function (see function #60).

FUNCTION:                   TURN OFF TEST TONE  
FUNCTION CODE:           46  
PURPOSE:                   To turn off the test tone signal from the controller

HOW TO USE:

1. Key up
2. Enter the TURN OFF TEST TONE function code
3. Unkey
4. The controller sends the COMMAND ACCEPTED indication
5. The controller will stop sending the test tone

FUNCTION: SET PARAMETERS TO THE FACTORY DEFAULT

FUNCTION CODE: 47

PURPOSE: To give the user a way to reset to the factory defaults

HOW TO USE:

1. Key up
2. Enter the SET PARAMETERS TO THE FACTORY DEFAULT function code
3. Unkey
4. The controller sends the COMMAND ACCEPTED indication
5. The Parameters are now set to the Factory Default

See the factory defaults section listed in the table of contents for a list of the factory defaults. This function resets all the parameters including the 'Save statuses' defaults. This function does not change the ID.

FUNCTION: SET POLITE ID TIME

FUNCTION CODE: 48

PURPOSE: To allow changes to the time the IDer will wait for RX COS to become inactive

HOW TO USE:

1. Key up
2. Enter the SET POLITE ID TIME function code
3. Unkey
4. The controller sends the ENTER NEXT DATA indication
5. Key up
6. Enter the time in seconds for the polite ID time
7. Unkey
8. The controller sends the COMMAND ACCEPTED indication
9. The new time value is stored

The time range is from 30 seconds to 2500 seconds. If a value is entered outside these limits the controller will not save the entered value, it will give the ERROR indication (B in CW) and the function will be ended. This function has an accuracy of 10 seconds.

FUNCTION: SET PENDING ID TIME

FUNCTION CODE: 49

PURPOSE: To allow changes to the time the IDer will wait before it tries to ID

HOW TO USE:

1. Key up
2. Enter the SET PENDING ID TIME function code
3. Unkey
4. The controller sends the ENTER NEXT DATA indication
5. Key up
6. Enter the time in seconds for the pending time
7. Unkey
8. The controller sends the COMMAND ACCEPTED
9. The value is changed.

The time range is from 30 seconds to 2500 seconds. If a value is entered outside these limits the controller will not save the entered value, it will give the ERROR indication (B in CW) and the function will be ended. This function has an accuracy of 10 seconds.

FUNCTION: SET WORD PER MINUTE RATE

FUNCTION CODE: 50

PURPOSE: Changes the word per minute rate for the CW output

HOW TO USE:

1. Key up
2. Enter the SET WORD PER MINUTE RATE function code
3. Unkey
4. The controller sends the ENTER NEXT DATA indication
5. Key up
6. Enter the time in seconds for the new wpm rate
7. Unkey
8. The controller sends the COMMAND ACCEPTED indication
9. The word per minute value is changed

The time range is from 5 wpm to 20 wpm. If a value is entered outside these limits the controller will not save the entered value, it will give the ERROR or BAD VALUE indication (B in CW) and the function will be ended.

FUNCTION: SET HANG TIME

FUNCTION CODE: 51

PURPOSE Sets the time the transmitter is on after the Transmitter goes off

HOW TO USE:

1. Key up
2. Enter the SET HANG TIME code
3. Unkey
4. The controller sends the ENTER NEXT DATA code
5. Key up
6. Enter the hang time in seconds
7. Unkey
8. The controller sends the COMMAND ACCEPTED indication
9. The new hang time value is stored

The range of the timer is from 0 seconds to 25 seconds as of software version 1.17. If a value is entered outside these limits the controller will not save the entered value, it will give the ERROR or BAD VALUE indication (B in CW) and the function will be ended.

Before software version 1.17 the minimum time was 0.1 seconds.

FUNCTION: SET TX TIMEOUT TIME

FUNCTION CODE: 52

PURPOSE Sets the time transmitter is allowed to be on after the Transmitter comes on

HOW TO USE:

1. Key up
2. Enter the SET TX TIMEOUT TIME function code
3. Unkey
4. The controller sends the ENTER NEXT DATA code
5. Key up
6. Enter the hang time in seconds
7. Unkey
8. The controller sends the COMMAND ACCEPTED indication
9. The new hang time value is stored

Sets the time maximum time the transmitter remains on after the transmitter goes on and resets when the COS drops.

The time range is from 0 seconds to 2500 seconds in 10 second increments as of software version 1.17. The accuracy is about 10 seconds. If a value is entered outside these limits the controller will not save the entered value, it will give the ERROR or BAD VALUE indication (B in CW) and the function will be ended. This function has an accuracy of 10 seconds.

The time range before version 1.17 of the software was 30 seconds to 1200 seconds

FUNCTION: CLEAR ALL DTMF COMMAND LINES

FUNCTION CODE: 53

PURPOSE: To allow the user to keep the IDer from operating

HOW TO USE:

1. Keyup
2. Enter the CLEAR ALL DTMF COMMAND LINES function code
3. Unkey
4. The controller will send the COMMAND ACCEPTED indication
5. All of the DTMF codes are now cleared from the controllers EEPROM

If it is only necessary to clear one or a few DTMF lines the CLEAR ONE DTMF COMMAND LINE function (function #54) can be used.

FUNCTION: CLEAR ONE DTMF COMMAND LINE

FUNCTION CODE: 54

PURPOSE: To clear only one DTMF command line

HOW TO USE:

1. Key up
2. Enter the CLEAR ONE DTMF COMMAND LINE function code
3. Unkey
4. The controller sends the ENTER NEXT DATA indication
5. Key up
6. Enter the memory number of the DTMF line to clear
7. Unkey
8. The controller will send the COMMAND ACCEPTED indication
9. The DTMF codes in the selected memory are now cleared from the EEPROM

If it is desired to clear all of the DTMF command lines from the EEPROM the CLEAR ALL DTMF COMMAND LINES function (function #53) may be used.

FUNCTION: ENTER NEW ID

FUNCTION CODE: 55

PURPOSE: To set the information the IDer sends

HOW TO USE:

1. Key up
2. Enter the ENTER NEW ID function code
3. Unkey
4. The controller sends the ENTER NEXT DATA indication
5. Key up
6. Hold the key while entering in a series of 0's, 1's and 2's.
7. The 0's will enter a space, the 1's will enter a DIT and the 2's will enter a DAH.
8. When all the information is entered unkey.
9. The controller sends the COMMAND ACCEPTED indication
10. The new ID is stored

There is enough room to store as much as two call signs. If the controller did not like the information it received the controller will not save the entered data and it will give the ERROR or BAD VALUE indication (B in CW) and the function will be ended.

FUNCTION: SET NEW CW FREQUENCY

FUNCTION CODE: 56

PURPOSE: To set the frequency at which the controller sends any tone

HOW TO USE:

1. Key up
2. Enter the SET NEW CW FREQUENCY function code
3. Unkey
4. The controller sends the ENTER NEXT DATA indication
4. Key up
5. Enter the new frequency for the controller to send (from 700Hz to 1500Hz)
6. Unkey
7. The controller will send the COMMAND ACCEPTED indication
8. The DTMF codes in the selected memory are now cleared from the EEPROM

The frequency range is from 700Hz to 1500Hz. If a value is entered outside these limits the controller will not save the entered value, it will give the ERROR indication (B in CW) and the function will be ended.

FUNCTION: ENTER DTMF COMMAND LINE

FUNCTION CODE: 57

PURPOSE: To enter a DTMF code that when entered will do a function

HOW TO USE:

1. Key up
2. Enter the ENTER DTMF COMMAND LINE function code
2. Unkey
3. The controller sends the ENTER NEXT DATA indication
4. Key up
5. Enter the DTMF line memory number 0 to 19. (A total of 20 DTMF memories)
6. Unkey
7. The controller sends the next ENTER NEXT DATA indication
8. Key up
9. Enter the DTMF digits for the DTMF code, do not unkey while entering the 1 to 5 DTMF digits
10. Unkey.
11. The controller sends the next ENTER NEXT DATA indication
12. Keyup, do NOT unkey for the following steps
13. If this DTMF command line is to be used only at the Control operators level (and only if) enter in "16"
14. Do NOT unkey yet
15. Enter in the Function for this DTMF command line to do
16. Ok, NOW unkey
17. The controller sends the COMMAND ACCEPTED indication
18. The new DTMF command line is now stored in EEPROM

If the controller did not like the information it received the controller will not save the entered data and it will give the ERROR or BAD VALUE indication (B in CW) and the function will be ended. This can occur from step 4 to step 18.

FUNCTION: SET RX COS VOLTAGE OFF LEVEL

FUNCTION CODE: 58

PURPOSE: Sets the RX voltage which when reached the control will consider the COS to be OFF

HOW TO USE:

1. Key up
2. Enter the SET RX COS VOLTAGE OFF LEVEL function code
3. Unkey
4. The controller sends the ENTER NEXT DATA indication
5. Key up
6. Enter the COS voltage ( 1v to 9v) that when reached the controller should consider the RX COS to be OFF
7. Unkey
8. The controller sends the COMMAND ACCEPTED indication
9. The new RX COS voltage off level is stored in EEPROM.
10. A cold or warm reset will be necessary to have the newly stored value used for RX COS

The COS voltage entered can be from 1V to 9V and can be entered down to 0.01V. If the COS voltage the controller receives is not in the 1V to 9V range the controller will not save the entered data and it will give the ERROR or BAD VALUE indication (B in CW) and the function will be ended.

Please see the section on setting the controllers COS voltages. For a page number please refer to the table of contents on page 1 of this manual.

FUNCTION: SET RX COS VOLTAGE ON LEVEL

FUNCTION CODE: 59

PURPOSE: Sets the RX voltage which when reached the control will consider the COS to be ON

HOW TO USE:

1. Key up
2. Enter the SET RX COS VOLTAGE ON LEVEL function code
3. Unkey
4. The controller sends the ENTER NEXT DATA indication
5. Key up
6. Enter the COS voltage ( 1v to 9v) that when reached the controller should consider the RX COS to be ON
7. Unkey
8. When the controller sends the COMMAND ACCEPTED indication
9. The new RX 1 COS voltage on level is stored in EEPROM.
10. A cold or warm reset will be necessary to have the newly stored value used for RX COS

The COS voltage entered can be from 1V to 9V and can be entered down to 0.01V. The accuracy of this function is about 0.2V. If the COS voltage the controller receives is not in the 1V to 9V range the controller will not save the entered data and it will give the ERROR or BAD VALUE indication (B in CW) and the function will be ended.

Please see the section on setting the controllers COS voltages. For the page number please refer to the table of contents on page 1 of this manual.

FUNCTION: TX FORCE ON

FUNCTION CODE: 60

PURPOSE: Forces TX on

HOW TO USE:

1. Key up
2. Enter the TX FORCE ON function code
3. Unkey
4. The controller sends the COMMAND ACCEPTED indication
5. TX will be locked on.

The TX FORCE ON will be cancelled when either the TX FORCE CLEAR is used or when the TX timeout timer times out.

FUNCTION: TX FORCE CLEAR

FUNCTION CODE: 61

PURPOSE: Cancels the command TX FORCE ON

HOW TO USE:

1. Key up
2. Enter the TX FORCE CLEAR function code
3. Unkey
4. The controller sends the COMMAND ACCEPTED indication
5. If the TX FORCE ON command is active, the TX FORCE command will now be canceled.

FUNCTION: SAVE STATUSES

FUNCTION CODE: 62

PURPOSE: To allow the user to make selected statuses permanent

HOW TO USE:

1. Key up
2. Enter the SAVE STATUSES function code
3. Unkey
4. The controller sends the COMMAND ACCEPTED indication
5. The controller's selected statuses will now be stored in EEPROM

The statuses need to be changed before using Save statuses. Save statuses just stores them the way it finds them in the controllers temporary RAM memory.

This command will put the value of the statuses listed below in EEPROM memory so they are as currently in ram when the controller is powered up again. If the Save statuses function is not used and any of these values are changed the values will go back to what they were before power up.

Please see the section on the factory defaults which a listing of the statuses that are affected by the 'Save statuses' function and includes the defaults for the 'Save statuses' function. For the page number please refer to the table of contents on page 1 of this manual.

FUNCTION: USE RX COS INPUT ONLY

FUNCTION CODE: 63

PURPOSE: Changes the COS input to use only the repeater receiver COS input for its signal

HOW TO USE:

1. Key up
2. Enter USE RX COS ONLY function code
3. Unkey
4. The controller sends the COMMAND ACCEPTED indication
5. The RX COS is now the Main COS

This function switches which input the software looks to for a receiver active condition to just the repeater receiver COS input.

The power up status of this function can be changed using the 'Save statuses' function #62

FUNCTION: SWITCH TO CTCSS INPUT ONLY

FUNCTION CODE: 64

PURPOSE: Changes the CTCSS input to use only the CTCSS input for its signal

HOW TO USE:

1. Key up
2. Enter SWITCH TO CTCSS INPUT ONLY function code
3. Unkey
4. The controller sends the COMMAND ACCEPTED indication
5. The repeater receiver CTCSS is now active

This function switches which input the software looks to for a receiver active condition to just the repeater receiver CTCSS input

The power up status of this function can be changed using the 'Save statuses' function #62

FUNCTION: SET RX COS AND CTCSS TO AND

FUNCTION CODE: 65

PURPOSE: Changes the COS input to use the Main COS and the AUX COS inputs for its signal

HOW TO USE:

1. Key up
2. Enter the SET RX COS AND CTCSS TO AND function code
3. Unkey
4. The controller sends the COMMAND ACCEPTED indication
5. The controller is now in COS AND mode

This function when enabled will set the receiver COS to require both the main COS input and the CTCSS input to be active (AND condition) before an active receiver status is recognized by the controller.

The power up status of this function can be changed using the 'Save statuses' function #62

FUNCTION: DTMF MUTING ON

FUNCTION CODE: 66

PURPOSE: Enables DTMF muting

HOW TO USE:

1. Key up
2. Enter the DTMF MUTING ON function code
3. Unkey
4. The controller sends the COMMAND ACCEPTED indication
5. The controller will now mute the DTMF tones

The power up status of this function can be changed using the 'Save statuses' function #62

FUNCTION: DTMF MUTING OFF

FUNCTION CODE: 67

PURPOSE: Disables DTMF muting

HOW TO USE:

1. Key up
2. Enter the DTMF MUTING OFF function code
3. Unkey
4. The controller sends the COMMAND ACCEPTED indication
5. The controller will now not mute DTMF tones

The power up status of this function can be changed using the 'Save statuses' function #62

FUNCTION: BEACON MODE ON

FUNCTION CODE: 68

PURPOSE: Sets the IDer to operate in 'Beacon Mode'

HOW TO USE:

1. Key up
2. Enter the BEACON MODE ON function code
3. Unkey
4. The controller sends the COMMAND ACCEPTED indication
5. The controller is now in Beacon mode

The power up status of this function can be changed using the 'Save statuses' function #62

In Beacon mode the IDer will ID whether or not the controller is activated. The time in-between IDs will be what the ID Interval timer (See Function #49) is set to. If the receiver input is active when the pending ID timer times out the polite ID timer (See Function #48) will be started. The IDer will hold off IDing until the polite ID timer times out or the receiver is no longer active.

FUNCTION: BEACON MODE OFF

FUNCTION CODE: 69

PURPOSE: Sets the IDer back to normal mode – disables the Beacon function

HOW TO USE:

1. Key up
2. Enter the BEACON MODE OFF function code
3. Unkey
4. The controller sends the COMMAND ACCEPTED indication
5. The controller is now not in Beacon mode

The power up status of this function can be changed using the ‘Save statuses’ function #62

FUNCTION: CNTL\_RX\_DISABLE\_RPTR\_RX\_ENABLE

FUNCTION CODE: 70

PURPOSE: This function allows the control receiver to disable the repeater receiver

HOW TO USE:

1. Key up
2. Enter the CNTL\_RX\_DISABLE\_RPTR\_RX\_ENABLE function code
3. Unkey
4. The controller sends the COMMAND ACCEPTED indication
5. The control receiver will now disable and mute the repeater receiver when the control receiver is active

To make this function permanent the SAVE STATUSES function (function # 62) must be used.

The controller will mute the repeater receiver audio, disable the repeater receiver COS input and any DTMF tones coming in on the repeater receiver will be ignored when the control receiver becomes active (control receiver COS becomes active).

When the control receiver becomes non-active a 3 second timer will be started. During this 3 second time the controller will still consider the control receiver to be active. The repeater receiver COS and audio will remain disabled during this time.

By default the control receiver disable repeater receiver is enabled.

The power up status of this function can be changed using the ‘Save statuses’ function #62

FUNCTION: CNTL\_RX\_DISABLE\_RPTR\_RX\_DISABLE

FUNCTION CODE: 71

PURPOSE: This function allows the control receiver and the repeater receiver to operate at the same time

HOW TO USE:

1. Key up
2. Enter the CNTL\_RX\_DISABLE\_RPTR\_RX\_DISABLE function code
3. Unkey
4. The controller sends the COMMAND ACCEPTED indication
5. The control receiver is now active

To make this function permanent the SAVE STATUSES function (function # 62) must be used.

When the control receiver becomes non-active a 3 second timer will be started. During this 3 second time the controller will still consider the control receiver to be active. The repeater receiver's DTMF tones (not the audio or COS) will remain disabled during this time.

By default the control receiver disable repeater receiver is enabled.

The power up status of this function can be changed using the 'Save statuses' function #62

FUNCTION: ENABLE DTMF CONTROL WITH NO COS

FUNCTION CODE: 72

PURPOSE: This function allows DTMF codes to be evaluated when the COS is not active

HOW TO USE:

1. Key up
2. Enter the ENABLE DTMF CONTROL WITH NO COS function code
3. Unkey
4. The controller sends the COMMAND ACCEPTED indication
5. The DTMF control with no COS function is now active

This function allows DTMF control without having to toggle the COS input. After the controller hears the the last DTMF digit it will start a 2 second timer. If the controller does not hear another DTMF digit before the 2 second timer times out the controller will evaluate the DTMF code.

The default status for this function is enabled.

The power up status of this function can be changed using the 'Save statuses' function #62

This function was added with version 1.13

FUNCTION: DISABLE DTMF CONTROL WITH NO COS

FUNCTION CODE: 73

PURPOSE: This function requires DTMF codes to be evaluated with a COS active to not active to not active transition

HOW TO USE:

1. Key up
2. Enter the DISABLE DTMF CONTROL WITH NO COS function code
3. Unkey
4. The controller sends the COMMAND ACCEPTED indication
5. The DTMF control with no COS function is now disabled

This function disables the DTMF control with no COS. When the disable DTMF control with no COS function is used the controller will ignore all DTMF digits sent when the COS is not active. After using this function the DTMF codes will need to be entered with the COS active and the COS will have to become inactive after each code sequence for the sequence to be evaluated.

The power up status of this function can be changed using the 'Save statuses' function #62

This function was added with version 1.13

FUNCTION: ID CANCEL ENABLE

FUNCTION CODE: 74

PURPOSE: This function is used to enable ID canceling

HOW TO USE:

1. Key up
2. Enter the ID CANCEL ENABLE function code
3. Unkey
4. The controller sends the COMMAND ACCEPTED indication
5. The is now the newly entered value

The ID cancel will stop the ID anytime an enabled receiver is determined to be active. The controller will immediately try to ID again when there is not an enabled receiver active. When this is enabled the ID will not occur when the controller is activating the push to talk. In order for the IDer to stop trying to ID the full ID must be sent.

This feature is by default disabled.

To keep the current setting of this function you must use the SAVE STATUSES command (command #62). This will insure the current status of this setting will be maintained upon power up and reset.

This feature is available starting with version 1.15 of the Basic controller software.

FUNCTION: ID CANCEL DISABLE

FUNCTION CODE: 75

PURPOSE: This function is used to disable ID canceling

HOW TO USE:

1. Key up
2. Enter the ID CANCEL DISABLE function code
3. Unkey
4. The controller sends the COMMAND ACCEPTED indication
5. The courtesy tone speed is now the newly entered value

To keep the current setting of this function you must use the SAVE STATUSES command (command #62). This will insure the current status of this setting will be maintained upon power up and reset.

This feature is available starting with version 1.15 of the Basic controller software.

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## APPENDIX

AND mode - The controller requires a both an active ctss input and an active receiver COS input to have an active receiver status (see function 65)

beacon mode – When the controller is in Beacon mode the IDer will ID every time the pending ID timer times out (see function 68).

control op mode – Used to allow access to restricted DTMF commands that are in a DTMF command memory (see function #41)

control receiver – A second receiver input that is used for control. It has priority over the repeater receiver.

CTCSS – A subaudible tone sent with a transmitted signal

CAS – Carrier activated signal, similar to COR and COS. It indicates the receiver is active

COR – Carrier operated relay, similar to CAS and COS. It indicates the receiver is active.

COS – Carrier operated signal, similar to CAS and COR. It indicates the receiver is active

COS polarity – The polarity (direction) which the COS voltage goes when the receiver becomes active

courtesy tone – The tone the controller creates after the receiver becomes nonactive

de-emphasis – The process of taking a emphasized signal typically from the receiver discriminator and returning it to a standard level audio format.

defaults – The condition controllers parameter settings were in from the factory

discriminator audio – The audio in a receiver before the audio amplifier. This audio is typically emphasized.

DTMF muting – The action of the controller muting the receiver audio when the controller hears DTMF tones from the receiver.

DTMF codes – A series of DTMF digits used to activate a command in a DTMF command line.

DTMF command line – A DTMF code, a require or do not require control operator mode and the command to execute if if the DTMF code and if the control operator mode requirement is there that the controller is in control operator mode.

DTMF memory - A DTMF memory is where a DTMF memory is stored. The Basic controller has 20 DTMF memories.

hang time – The amount of time to keep the transmitter on after the receiver becomes nonactive.

key up – Activate the receiver connected to the controller. This is intended to activate the COS / CTCSS input(s) in such a way that the controller will consider the receiver active.

ID – identification

IDer – The part of the controller that sends the identification and determines when to identify.

open collector – The way an output is setup. With an open collector output a ground is provided when the output is active, when the output is not active the output is open or has infinite resistance. The term open collector specifically refers to a bipolar transistor but, although not a proper usage, it can also refer to an open drain type output.

open drain – The way an output is setup. With an open drain output a ground is provided when the output is active, when the output is not active the output is open or has infinite resistance. The open drain term refers to a FET or MOSFET type transistor.

pending time – The time in-between ID's, the time the controller waits before allowing another ID from occurring.

polite time – The time the controller will wait to send an ID if it is time to identify and the receiver is busy.

PTT – Push to talk, the signal line from the transmitter which when activated (typically active is ground) the transmitter comes on.

DTMF memory number – The number of the controllers DTMF memory which contains the DTMF command lines

statuses – A group of settable parameters that can be set and changed back when a reset or power cycle occurs. The statuses can be made permanent by using the 'Save statuses' function.

RX – receiver

TX - transmitter

unsequelched audio – audio from the receiver which is not turned off when the receiver is not active.

User mode – The mode where the DTMF codes that do not need to be secure are available

unkey - Deactivate the receiver connected to the controller. This is intended to deactivate the COS / CTCSS input(s) in such a way that the controller will consider the receiver not active.

warm reset – Resetting the controller without cycling power.

# REPEATER CONTROL CODES

Memory #	DTMF Codes	Control Op ?	Function code	Function Description
0				
1				
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## **INTEGRATED CONTROL SYSTEMS (ICS) LIMITED WARRANTY**

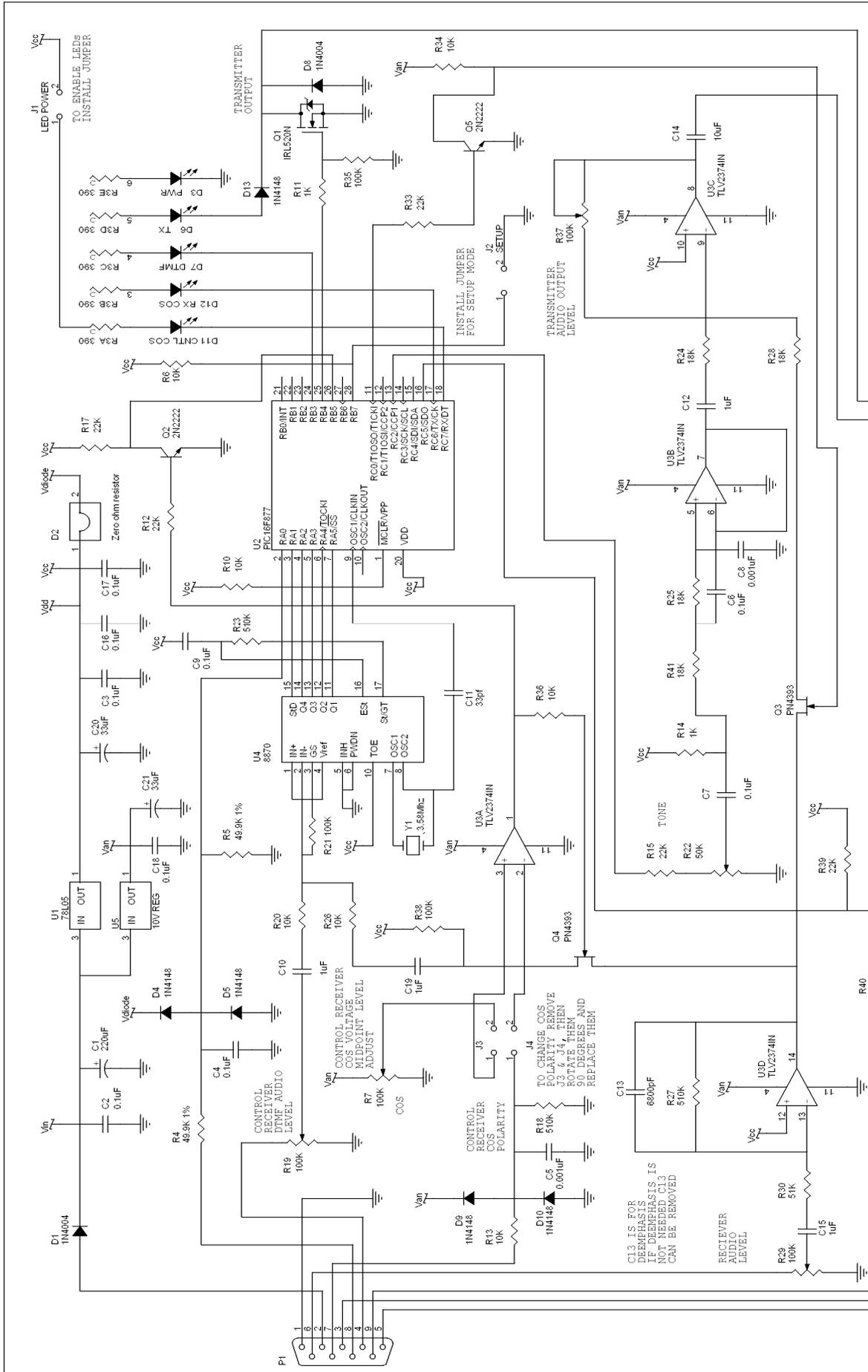
All of our products (except kits) are protected by a limited 1 year warranty. This warranty begins on the day we ship the product. It ends 1 year from the date of shipping.

This warranty covers failure due to defective components or workmanship for the period of one year from ship date.

This warranty does not include damage due to acts of God (such as lightning damage), incorrect connections or improper voltage or signals or current draw to or from the product. This includes (but is not restricted to) connecting up the product backwards or applying excessive voltages or current to the products.

This warranty on one of our products will be voided if the product is modified or repaired in any way without permission from ICS.

Line no	Qty	Description	Component numbers	ICS number	Manufacturer Name	Manufacturer no.	Distributor Name
1	9	0.1uF MLC cap 0.100 lead 100V XR7 BC	C2 3 4 6 7 9 16 17 18	1	BC Components	K104K15X7RF5TL2	Digikey
2	2	0.001uF	C5, 8	61	BC Components	K223K15X7RF5TL2	Digikey
3	1	220uF Electrolytic 63V	C1	3	Panasonic	ECA-1JM221	Digikey
4	1	16800pF	C13	4	BC Components	K682K15X7RF5TL2	Digikey
5	1	33pF MLC cap 0.100 lead 50V COG	C11	5	BC Components	K330J15COG5TL2	Digikey
6	4	1uF	C10, 12, 15, 19	9	BC Components	K105C02Y5VF5TL2	Digikey
7	2	33uF	C20, 21	20	Panasonic	ECA-1JM330	Digikey
8	1	390 ohm SIP 6 pin	R2	50	Yageo	4606X-101-391	Digikey
9	11	10K 5% carbon resistor	R6 10 13 20 24 25 26 28 34 36 41	8	Yageo	CFR-25JB-10K	Digikey
10	2	1K 5% carbon resistor	R11 14	38	Yageo	CFR-25JB-1K0	Digikey
11	1	10uF	C14	29	Panasonic	ECE-A1HM100U	Digikey
12	4	100K pot	R7, 19, 29, 37	49	Bourns	3362P-1-104	Digikey
13	3	510K	R18 23 27	7	Yageo	CFR-25JB-510K	Digikey
14	1	50K pct	R22	12	Bourns	3362P-1-503	Digikey
15	3	100K 5% carbon resistor	R21 35 38	13	Yageo	CFR-25JB-100K	Digikey
16	1	51K	R30	6	Yageo	CFR-25JB-51K	Digikey
17	2	49.9K ohm 1% resistor	R4, 5	51	Yageo	MFR-25FBF-49K9	Digikey
18	6	22k 5%	R12 15 17 33 39 40	11	Yageo	CFR-25JB-22K	Digikey
19	1	0 ohm resistor	D2	100	Panasonic	ERD-S2T0V	Digikey
20	1	1N4004	D8	17	General Semi	1N4004	Digikey
21	5	1N4148	D4, 5, 9, 10, 13	18		1N4148	Digikey
22	5	LED 3mm red	D3, 6, 7, 11, 12	19	Lite-on	160-1139	Digikey
23							
24	1	IRL 520N Power transistor logic input	Q1	21	International Rectifier	IRL520NPBF	Digikey
25	1	5v reg Nat semi 78L05	U1	39	STMicroelectronics	L78L05ABZ	Digikey
26	1	PIC 16F876A 4Mhz	U2	23			
27	1	TLV2374IN	U3	34	Texas Instruments	TLV2374IN	Digikey
28	3	2N2222	Q2, 5, 6	25	Fairchild Semi	PN2222ABU	Digikey
29	1	8870 Tone Decoder	U4	26	Zarlink	MT8870DE	Avnet 22 per order
30	1	3.58Mhz Crystal	Y1	27	ECS	ECS-36-17-4	X079-ND
31	1	DB9 Female	P1	48	Norcomp	182-009-112-531	Digikey
32	1	10V reg 150mA	U5	59	Texas Instruments	TL750L10CLPR	Digikey
33	1	PC Board		44			
34	2	PN4393	Q3, Q4	36	Fairchild	PN4393_D27Z	Digikey
35	5	Jumper 2 pos header		30	Molex	22-03-2021	Digikey
36	5	Jumper 2 pos jumper	J1, 2, 3, 4	31	Amp	362811-8	Digikey
37							
38	1	Socket 28 pin		32	Mill Max Manufacturing	110-99-328-41-001	Digikey
39	1	Socket 18 pin		33	Mill Max Manufacturing	110-99-318-41-001	Digikey
40	1	Socket 14 pin		34	Mill Max Manufacturing	110-99-314-41-001	Digikey
41							
42	1	Screw 4-4D x 1/2"					
43	1	Nut 4-40					
44							



C13 IS FOR DEEMPHASIS. IF DEEMPHASIS IS NOT NEEDED, C13 CAN BE REMOVED.

RECEIVER AUDIO LEVEL

TO CHANGE COS POLARITY, REMOVE J3 & J4, THEN ROTATE THEM 90 DEGREES AND REPLACE THEM.

CONTROL RECEIVER DTMF AUDIO LEVEL

CONTROL RECEIVER COS VOLTAGE MIDPOINT LEVEL

CONTROL RECEIVER COS POLARITY

TRANSMITTER OUTPUT

TRANSMITTER AUDIO OUTPUT LEVEL

INSTALL JUMPER FOR SETUP MODE

LED POWER TO ENABLE LEDS INSTALL JUMPER