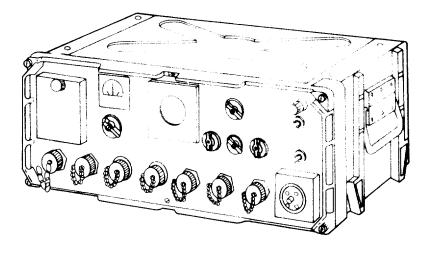
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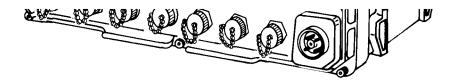
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# MODEM RADIO TELETYPEWRITER MD-522A/GRC

# 5 SAFETY STEPS TO FOLLOW IF SOMEONE IS THE VICTIM OF ELECTRICAL SHOCK

- **1** DO NOT TRY TO PULL OR GRAB THE INDIVIDUAL
- **2** IF POSSIBLE, TURN OFF THE ELECTRICAL POWER
- **3** IF YOU CANNOT TURN OFF THE ELECTRICAL POWER, PULL, PUSH, OR LIFT THE PERSON TO SAFETY USING A WOODEN POLE OR A ROPE OR SOME OTHER INSULATING MATERIAL
- 4 SEND FOR HELP AS SOON AS POSSIBLE
- **5** AFTER THE INJURED PERSON IS FREE OF CONTACT WITH THE SOURCE OF ELECTRICAL SHOCK, MOVE THE PERSON A SHORT DISTANCE AWAY AND IMMEDIATELY START ARTIFICIAL RESUSCITATION

# WARNING

# HIGH VOLTAGE

### is used in the operation of this equipment

# DEATH ON CONTACT

may result if personnel fail to observe safety precautions. Do not be mislead by the term LOW VOLTAGE. Voltage as low as 50 volts may cause death under certain conditions.

# DON'T TAKE CHANCES!

Be careful when working on this equipment. Serious injury or death may result from contact with terminals.

# HIGH VOLTAGES EXIST IN THE FOLLOWING EQUIPMENT:

Scope module A2	1,100 vdc
Loop battery module A5	127 vdc
DC LOOP NO. 1 and DC LOOP NO. 2 connectors	120 vdc
Various connectors and power supply components	27 vdc

# WARNING

Adequate ventilation should be provided while using TRICHLOROTRI-FLUOROETHANE. Prolonged breathing of vapor should be avoided. The solvent should not be used near heat or open flame, the products of decomposition are toxic and irritating. Since TRICHLOROTRIFLUOROETHANE dissolves natural oils, prolonged contact with skin should be avoided. When necessary use gloves which the solvent cannot penetrate. If the solvent is taken internally, consult a physician.

# WARNING

Compressed air shall not be used for cleaning purposes except where reduced to less than 29 psi and then only with effective chip guarding and personnel protective equipment. Do not use compressed air to dry parts when TRI-CHLOROTRIFLUOROETHANE has been used. Compressed air is dangerous and can cause serious bodily harm if protective means or methods are not observed to prevent chip or particle (of whatever size) from being blown into the eyes or unbroken skin of the operator or other personnel.



# RADIATION HAZARD



RADIOACTIVE MATERIAL CONTROLLED DISPOSAL REQUIRED ACCOUNTABILITY NOT REQUIRED

Radiation Hazard Information: The following radiation hazard information must be read and understood by all personnel operating or repairing Modem Radio Teletypewriter MD-522A/GRC. Hazardous radioactive materials are present in the above listed component of the MD-522A/GRC. The component is potentially hazardous when broken. See qualified medical personnel and. the local Radiological Protection Officer (RPO) immediately if you are exposed to or cut by broken components. First aid instructions are contained in TB 43-0116, TB 43-0122, and AR 755-11.

NEVER place radioactive components in your pocket. Use extreme care NOT to break radioactive components while handling them.

NEVER remove radioactive components from cartons until you are ready to use them.

If any of these components are broken, notify the local RPO immediately.

The RPO will survey the immediate area for radiological contamination and will supervise the removal of broken components.

The above listed radioactive components will NOT be repaired or disassembled.

Disposal of broken, unserviceable, or unwanted radioactive components will be accomplished in accordance with the instructions in AR 755-15.

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### CHAPTER 1 INTRODUCTION

# Section I. GENERAL INFORMATION

# 1-1. SCOPE

This manual is for your use in operating the Modem Radio Teletypewriter MD-522A/GRC. It gives detailed operating instructions, and will tell you how to maintain the equipment.

Additional information about the MD-522A/GRC may be found in the manual for the specific radio teletypewriter with which it is used.

# 1-2. CONSOLIDATED INDEX OF ARMY PUBLICATIONS AND BLANK FORMS

Refer to the latest issue of DA Pam 310-1 to determine whether there are new editions, changes or additional publications pertaining to the equipment.

# 1-3. MAINTENANCE FORMS, RECORDS, AND REPORTS

a. Reports of Maintenance and Unsatisfactory Equipment

Department of the Army forms and procedures used for equipment maintenance will be those prescribed by DA Pam 738-750 as contained in Maintenance Management Update.

### b. Report of Packaging and Handling Deficiencies

Fill out and forward SF 364 (Report of Discrepancy (ROD)) as prescribed in AR 735-11-2/DLAR 4140.55/NAVMATINST 4355.73A/AFR 400-54/MCO 4430.3F.

c. Discrepancy in Shipment Report (DISREP) (SF 361)

Fill out and forward Discrepancy in Shipment Report (DISREP) (SF 361) as prescribed in AR 55-38/NAVSUPINST 4610.33C/AFR 75-18/MCO P4610.19D/DLAR 4500.15.

### 1-4. DESTRUCTION OF ARMY ELECTRONICS MATERIEL

Destruction of Army electronics materiel to prevent enemy use shall be in accordance with TM 750-244-2.

# 1-5. ADMINISTRATIVE STORAGE

Administrative Storage of Equipment issued to and used by Army activities will have preventive maintenance performed in accordance with the PMCS

charts (page 2-11) before storing. When removing the equipment from administrative storage, the PMCS should be performed to assure operational readiness. Disassembly and repacking of equipment for shipment or limited storage are covered in TM 740-90-1, Administrative Storage of Equipment.

# 1-6. REPORTING EQUIPMENT IMPROVEMENT RECOMMENDATIONS (EIR)

If your Modem Radio Teletypewriter MD-522A/GRC needs improvement, let us know. Send us an EIR. You, the user, are the only one who can tell us what you don't like about your equipment. Let us know why you don't like the design. Tell us why a procedure is hard to perform. Put it on an SF 368 (Quality Deficiency Report). Mail it to: Commander, US Army Communications-Electronics Command and Fort Monmouth, ATTN: DRSEL-ME-MP, Fort Monmouth, New Jersey 07703. We'll send you a reply.

# 1-7. NOMENCLATURE CROSS-REFERENCE LIST

# NOTE

Common names will be used when the major components of the MD-522A/GRC are mentioned in this manual. Official nomenclature must be used when completing report forms or when looking up technical manuals.

COMMON NAME

OFFICIAL NOMENCLATURE

Modem

Modem Radio Teletypewriter MD-522A/GRC

# 1-8. LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

Abbreviations are spelled out the first time they appear in this manual. A list of abbreviations used in this manual is given below.

DX	Duplex
FSK	Frequency-Shift-Keyed
Hz	Hertz
kc	Kilocycles
kHz	Kilohertz
mA	
MHz	Megahertz
NSK	Narrow Shift-Keyed
OWR	One Way Reversible
PWR	Power

RCV	Receive
RCVR	Receiver
rf	
SSB	
TRANS	Transmission
vdc	Volts direct current

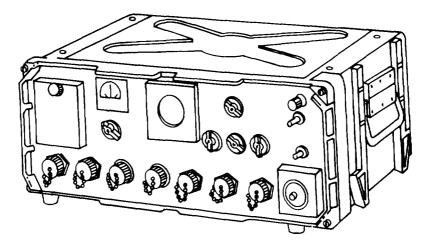
#### Section II. EQUIPMENT DESCRIPTION

# 1-9. PURPOSE, CAPABILITIES AND FEATURES

- Used to provide single-channel, one-way reversible or duplex communication when used with radio transmitters and receivers.
- Used with standard teletypewriter equipment using 60-milliampere (mA) and 20 mA inputs and outputs.
- Operates as a modulator-demodulator within the system.

### 1-10. DESCRIPTION

- The modem is a self-contained unit. It consists of a front panel and chassis enclosed in a moistureproof case. All controls, connectors, and indicators are located on the front panel.
- Ž Two handles, one on the left and one on the right side of the case, make it easy to transport.



 Four feet are on the bottom of the modem case so it may be firmly seated in a modified mounting MT-3140/GRC-106 (used with, but not part of, the modem).

# 1-11. PERFORMANCE DATA

- TECHNICAL CHARACTERISTICS: Power requirements for the modem are 27.5 volts dc.
- MODES OF OPERATION: The chart below list the output for each mode of operation.

MODE OF OPERATION	OUTPUT		
850 Hz shift (FSK) (transmit)	2,000 Hz ± 425 Hz shift		
850 Hz shift (FSK) (receive)	2,000 Hz ± 1000 Hz with a ± 425 Hz shift		
85 Hz shift (FSK)	2805 Hz ± 42.5 Hz		
Voice	300-3,000 Hz		
85 Hz Diversity (NSK)	2805 Hz ± 42.5 Hz & 25 Hz ± 42.5 Hz		
85 Hz + Voice (NSK)	2805 Hz ± 42.5 Hz & Voice 200-2,300 Hz		

1-12. WEIGHTS AND DIMENSIONS

WEIGHT	HEIGHT	WIDTH	DEPTH
36 pounds	7 inches	22 inches	13 inches
(16.32k)	(17.8cm)	(55.8cm)	(30.0cm)

# Section III. TECHNICAL PRINCIPLES OF OPERATION

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TRANSMITTER

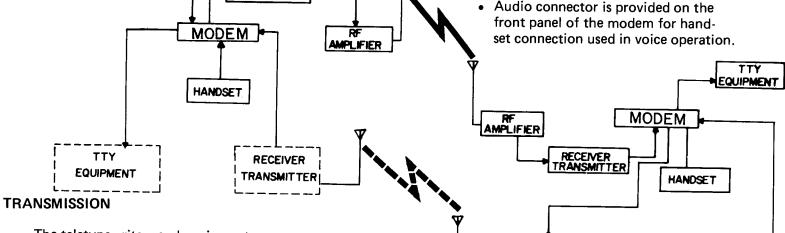
# **1-13. SIMPLIFIED BLOCK DIAGRAM DESCRIPTION**

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EQUIPMENT

# RECEPTION

- The received radio teletype signal is processed thru the rf amplifier receiver transmitter, and then applied to the modem and teletypewriter equipment.
- Audio connector is provided on the front panel of the modem for handset connection used in voice operation.



- The teletypewriter send equipment transmits dc mark and space pulses.
- The modem transmitter converts pulses to mark and space tones in fsk or nsk format (depending on setting of mode selector switch).
- The modem output is applied to the receiver transmitter and rf
- amplifier for transmission over the link.

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In DUPLEX operation, an additional teletypewriter and receivertransmitter is required. This enables the system to transmit and receive at the same time.

# NOTE 1: SOLID LINES DENOTE ONE-WAY REVERSIBLE (OWR) **OPERATION.**

RECEIVER

TRANSMITTER

NOTE 2: DOTTED LINES DENOTE DUPLEX (DX) OPERATION.

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# Section I. DESCRIPTION AND USE OF OPERATOR'S INDICATORS, CONTROLS AND CONNECTORS

# 2-1. GENERAL INFORMATION

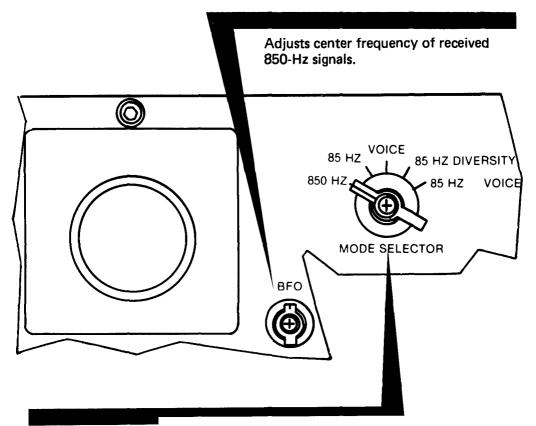
Each radio teletypewriter set uses different operating instructions for the modem. Special instructions are contained in the manual for each radio teletypewriter set used.

This section contains a descriptive guide of modem controls, indicators and connectors for the operator.

# 2-2. INDICATORS

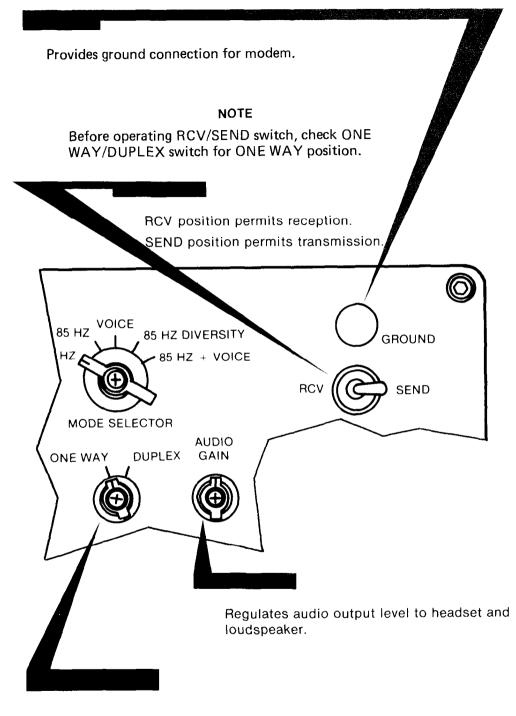
Tests circuit operation of meter function switch setting. Provides visual display of received teletypewriter signals to aid tuning of modem.

DC LOOP NO. 1	indicates direct current flow in dc loop No. 1.
DC LOOP NO. 2	indicates direct current flow in dc loop No. 2.
DISCRIMINATOR	indicates signal strength of received mark and space pukes.
REGULATED DC	indicates dc voltage level (+20 v) regulated dc supply.
RCV LEVEL	indicates signal strength of receive (audio), signals.

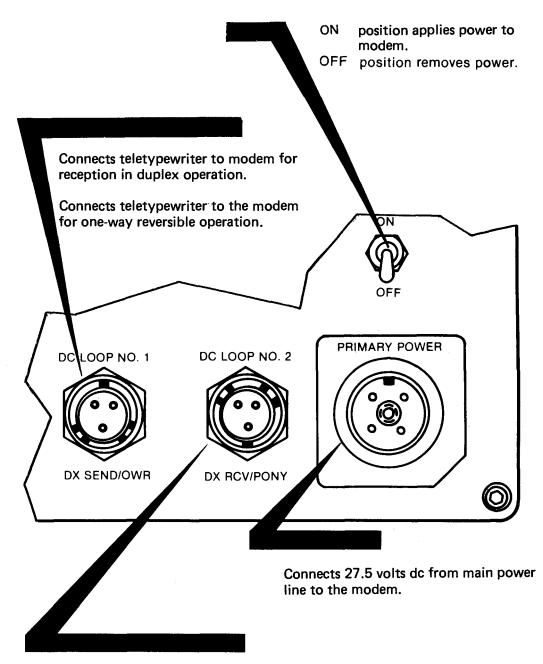


The position of this switch selects the mode of operation.

_	•	ects 850-Hz fsk operation. elects 85-Hz fsk operation,
	•	ects only voice operation.
	85 HZ DIVERSITY (	position selects a dual 85-Hz operation with a center frequency of 2805 or 425 Hz. Both signals are transmitted at the same time, but the receive section uses only the stronger signal.
	85 HZ+ VOICE	position selects operation of voice and 85-Hz nsk at the same time.



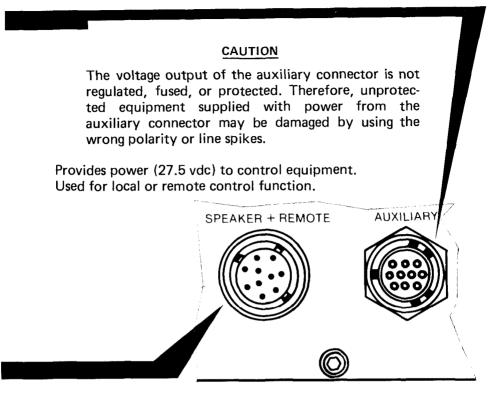
ONE WAY position permits either reception or transmission. DUPLEX position permits reception and transmission at the same time.



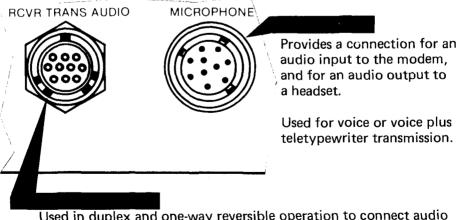
Connects teletypewriter to modem for reception in duplex operation.

Provides pony circuit (order wire overland lines) loop current during one-way position.

A pony loop circuit allows teletypewriter order wire transmission and reception over landlines from a remote station when the system is not operating in the duplex mode.

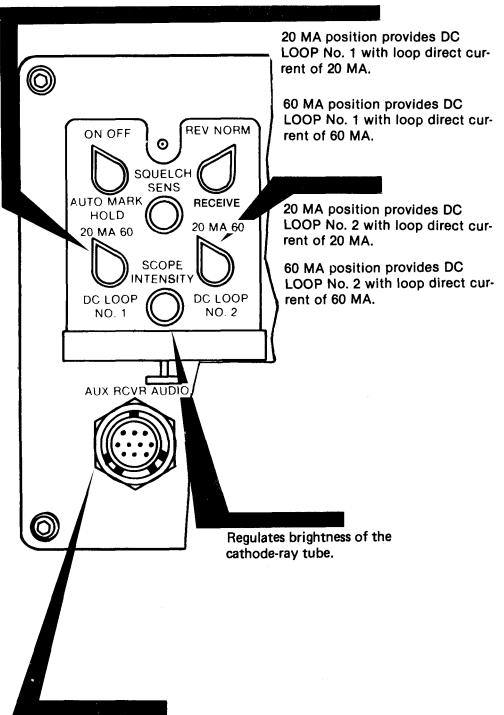


Provides connection for an audio input to the modem and for an audio output to loudspeaker. May be used with other equipment for remote operation.

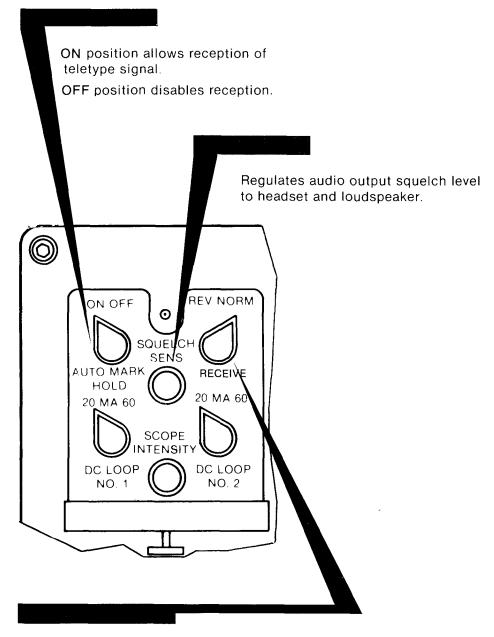


Used in duplex and one-way reversible operation to connect audio output circuit from modem to exciter section of receiver-transmitter.

Used in one-way reversible operation to connect audio output from receive section of receive-transmitter to modem.



Used in duplex operation to connect audio output of auxiliary receiver to modem.



NORM position allows reception of teletype signal by use of normal mark-space polarities.

REV position allows reception of teletype signal by reversing normal polarities for mark and space polarities.

# Section II. PREVENTIVE MAINTENANCE CHECKS AND SERVICES

# 2-5. PREVENTIVE MAINTENANCE

The maintenance duties of the operator are to perform a prescribed sequence of preventive maintenance checks and services. The preventive maintenance procedures are the systematic care, servicing, and inspection of equipment to prevent the occurrence of trouble and to reduce downtime by detecting and correcting the problems. These checks and services are to maintain Army electronic equipment in a combat serviceable and mission ready condition.

#### a. Tools, Materials, and Equipment Required for Maintenance

No tools or equipment are required for operator maintenance. The following cleaning materials will be useful to the operator.

- Lint-free cloths (item 1, app. D)
- Soft bristle brush (item 2, app. D)
- Dishwashing detergent (item 3, app. D)
- Cleaning compound (item 2, app. D)

# NOTE

If your modem must be in USE ALL THE TIME, check and service those items that can be checked and serviced without stopping its operation. Make COMPLETE checks and services ONLY when the modem is finally SHUT DOWN.

**b. Routine Services** 

Routine services are a collection of checks and observations performed by the operator at all times. Routine services are not listed in the preventive maintenance checks and services table, in order to separate the nonoperational from the operational services.

You should perform the following routines as necessary.

- Clean
- •Dust
- Wash
- Check controls for smooth operation
- Cover unused receptacles
- Check for completeness of equipment

c. Explanation of INTERVAL column of PMCS chart

BEFORE OPERATION – Do your Before (B) PMCS to be sure the radio set is ready to use.

- DURING Do your During (D) PMCS while you operate your modem, to help spot small problems before they become big problems.
- MONTHLY Do your Monthly (M) PMCS to insure that the modem is functioning properly.

### NOTE

ALL PMCS must be done as regularly scheduled and also under the following conditions:

- •Before the modem is used on a mission.
- •When the modem is first installed.
- When the modem is re-installed after being removed for any reason.
- •You are operating the modem for the first time.
- d. Explanation of EQUIPMENT IS NOT READY IF: column of PMCS chart.

• This column tells the condition under which the equipment car not perform the assigned mission requirements.

e. Explanation of ITEM TO BE INSPECTED PROCEDURE column of PMCS chart.

> This column specifies the item to be inspected and the procedures to perform the required checks and services. Carefully follow these instructions. If tools are needed, or the chart instructions tell you tools are needed, get organizational maintenance to do the necessary work.

#### NOTE

If any portion of your modem fails to operate, refer to chapter 3 under troubleshooting for possible problems. Report any malfunctions or failures on the proper DA Form 2404 (page 2-10) or, refer to DA Pam 738-750.

#### DA FORM 2404, EQUIPMENT INSPECTION AND MAINTENANCE WORKSHEET

EQUIPMENT INSPECTION AND MAINTENANCE WORKSHEET For use of this form, see TM 38-750, the proponent agency is the Office of the Deputy Chief of Stuff ORGANIZATION NOMENCLATURE AND MODEL RADIO TELETTERENRITER SIG. BATTAllon ,A210 C. ROUNDS d. HOT STARTS 5815-00-919-4700 60.81 MCS APPLICABLE REFERENCE TH LUMBER MDATE TH DATE - 5805-387 12 Nov 7. 10-2 81 INSTRUCTIONS - Perform each check listed in the TM applicable to the inspection performed. Following the sequence listed in rtinent TM, complete form as follows; COLUMN a - Enter TM item number. COLUMN d - Show corrective action for deficiency or short-coming listed in Column c. COLUMN b - Enter the applicable condition status symbol. COLUMN e - Individual ascertaining completed corrective action initial in this column. COLUMN c - Enter deficiencies and shortcomings. ALL INSPECTIONS AND EQUIPMENT CONDITIONS RECORDED ON THIS FORM HAVE BEEN DETERMINED IN ACCORDANCE WITH DIAGNOSTIC PROCEDURES AND STANDARDS IN THE TH CITED HEREON. SIGNATURE (Person(s) performing inspection) \$5. TIME 94. SIGNATURE (Maintenance Supervisor) 96. TIME AEQUIRED azhs se. D. hr. ames 0.15 INITIAL TM WHEN STATUS DEFICIENCIES AND SHORTCOMINGS CORRECTIVE ACTION NO. Radio teletypewriter proper does not work

# TABLE 2-1. PREVENTIVE MAINTENANCE CHECKS AND SERVICES (PMCS)

**B** – **BEFORE OPERATION D** – **DURING OPERATION** 

M -- MONTHLY OPERATION

ITEM	ΙΝΤ	INTERVAL				
NO.	В	D	м	ITEM TO BE INSPECTED	PROCEDURE	IS NOT READY/AVAILABLE IF:
					WARNING	
				Do not operate equip have been applied.	ment until all URGENT MWOs	
1			•	Modem	Check that all URGENT MWOs have been applied.	URGENT MWOs have not been applied.
2	*			Operate the equipment as described in section III, chapter 2, of this manual.		Equipment cannot be operated. Mission cannot be accomplished.
3		•		Headset	<ul> <li>a. Put on headset.</li> <li>b. Attach microphone at microphone connection.</li> <li>c. Press and hold switch to key microphone and talk.</li> <li>d. Note sidetone in headset.</li> </ul>	No sidetone in headset.
4		•		Meter Indicator	Set METER FUNCTION switch to a particular function.	Meter indicator does not work, or improper indica- tion results.

\*Perform prior to deployment to a mission location for the purpose of determining and correcting equipment malfunctions prior to actual mission operation. Section III. OPERATION UNDER USUAL CONDITIONS

# 2-6. TYPES OF OPERATION

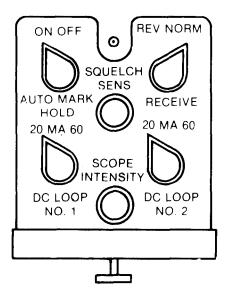
- The modem is always used as part of a communication system. Type of operation is controlled by the system installation used.
- •The modem can be used for local or remote operation.
- One-way reversible or duplex types of operation can be performed to transmit and/or receive the following signals:

fsk (850 Hz) fsk (85 Hz) voice only nsk diversity (85 Hz diversity) nsk plus voice (85 Hz + voice)

ONE-WAY REVERSIBLE: use to receive or transmit. DUPLEX: use to receive and transmit at the same time. PONY CIRCUIT: use to receive or transmit between local and remote.

# 2-7. PREPARATION FOR USE

Pull down hinged cover at the top left side of the modem front panel, to locate additional controls and switches needed to operate the modem.



# 2-8. PRESET START PROCEDURE

# START PROCEDURE

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### NOTE

Always allow the modem 10 minutes to warm up before you operate it.

 Apply power to the modem by setting ON/OFF switch to ON.



• Be sure RCV/SEND switch is in RCV position.

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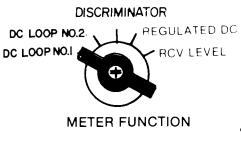


• Set METER FUNCTION switch to REGULATED DC.

- DISCRIMINATOR DC LOOP NO 2 DC LOOP NO 1 C LOOP NO 1 RCV LEVEL
  - If improper indication is observed, see troubleshooting table, chapter 3.
  - See chapter index to determine the correct paragraph for required operation.

# 2-9. ONE-WAY REVERSIBLE (OWR) OPERATION

- a. DC LOOP NO. 1 CURRENT CHECKS
  - Set METER FUNCTION switch at DC LOOP NO. 1

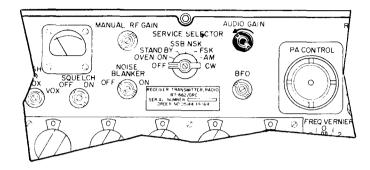




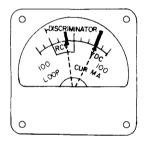
• Set DC LOOP NO. 1 switch to 20 MA or 60 MA, whichever is needed.

(Check for loop current as follows: next page)

• Turn off audio input to the modem by turning the receivertransmitter AUDIO GAIN fully counterclockwise.



• Check meter for direct current (20 or 60 mA) flowing through DC LOOP NO. 1





To maintain loop current flow set AUTO MARK HOLD switch to ON position.

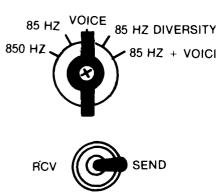
# NOTE

Meter will register in the right scale (upscale) when loop battery module INTERNAL-EXTERNAL switch is in INTERNAL position. Meter will read in the left scale (downscale) when in EXTERNAL position.

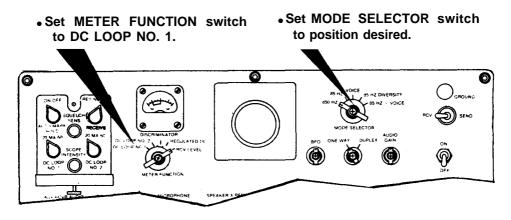
- b. VOICE TRANSMISSION
- Set MODE SELECTOR at VOICE or 85 Hz + VOICE.
- Check that the METER FUNCTION switch is at DC LOOP NO. 1.

Set the RCV/SEND switch to SEND.





- Check ONE WAY/DUPLEX switch for ONE WAY position.
- Attach microphone at microphone connector.
- Press and hold switch to key microphone and talk.
- Note sidetone in headset.
- Make any adjustments necessary at receiver-transmitter to transmit voice signals (Refer to appropriate technical manual.)
- c. TELETYPEWRITER TRANSMISSION

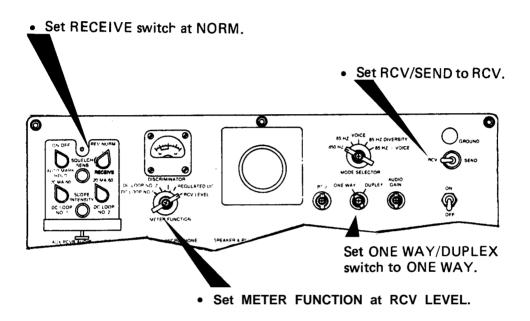


- Set ONE WAY/DUPLEX switch to ONE WAY position. Set RCV/SEND switch to SEND position.
- Check meter to see that it registers between 0 and 20 mA (depending on the setting of DC LOOP NO. 1 switch).
- Make adjustments if necessary on the receiver-transmitter to transmit signal.
- When teletypewriter transmission is finished set RCV/SEND at RCV.

- d. VOICE RECEPTION
  - Set MODE SELECTOR at VOICE or 85 Hz + VOICE.



• Tune receiver-transmitter (or telephone isolation amplifier) to the correct frequency, and fine tune as necessary for correct operation.



NOTE

A signal must be received at receiver-transmitter or telephone isolation amplifier in order to properly adjust AUDIO GAIN controls.

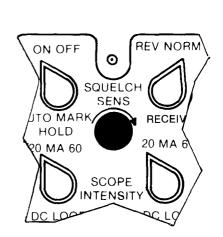
• Adjust AUDIO GAIN at receiver-transmitter (or telephone isolation amplifier) until modem METE R registers within the boxed area marked RCV.



• Adjust the modem AUDIO GAIN control as needed for desired audio level at headset or loudspeaker.



- Return METER FUNCTION switch to DC LOOP NO. 1.
- Adjust SQUELCH SENS control as needed for desired degree of background audio squelching at the headset or loudspeaker. (Full clockwise turn provides maximum squelch.)



# e. TELETYPEWRITER RECEPTION

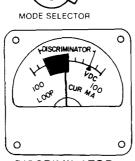
85 HZ VOICE

850 HZ

• Set MODE SELECTOR switch to position desired.

85 HZ DIVERSITY

85 HZ VOICE



DISCRIMINATOR

DC LOOP NO. 2 DC LOOP NO.1 RCV LEVEL

- Set RCV/SEND at RCV.
- Check ONE WAY/DUPLEX switch for ONE WAY position.
- Set METER FUNCTION to RCV LEVEL.
- When a signal is present, adjust AUDIO GAIN control on receivertransmitter until you get a reading in RCV portion of meter.

# NOTE

If you do not get a correct reading on the meter, repeat procedures given for voice reception.

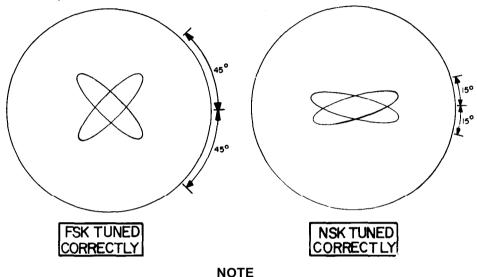
# TM 11-5805-387-10-2 2-10. PREFERRED AND ALTERNATE METHOD OF TUNING

Use the preferred method to tune the signal.

If the scope is not working, the preferred method cannot be used to tune the signal. Use the alternate method (para 2-10b.)

### a. PREFERRED METHOD

• Tune the receiver-transmitter until you get a correct trace pattern on the scope.



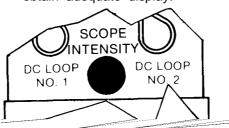
When the modem is warmed up, 5 minutes will be necessary for the BFO to stabilize. If the modem is cold, 15 minutes will be necessary for BFO to become stable. Make necessary adjustments during these time periods to maintain the best signal reception display on the scope.

. In 850-Hz mode only, use the modem BFO control to aid fine tuning, until you get a correct trace pattern. In all other modes, tune with FREQ VERNIER control on receiver-transmitter.



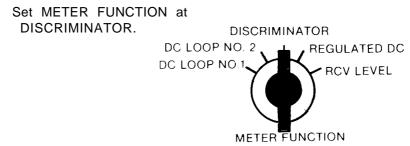
Adjust SCOPE INTENSITY control to the MINIMUM level necessary for adequate display to avoid damage to the face of the cathode ray tube (CRT).

 Adjust SCOPE INTENSITY control to obtain adequate display.



# b. ALTERNATE METHOD

COARSE TUNE the signal as follows:



Tell sending station to send a series of teletypewriter test signals using the following R-Y codes.

- (1) R-Y.
- (2) The quick brown fox jumped over the lazy dog's back.
- (3) Now is the time for all good men to come to the aid of their country.
- Watch the modem meter. It will indicate signal strength of mark and space pulses.



• Tune the receiver and modem BFO (850-Hz mode only) until the meter registers in the DISCRIMINATOR scale during the entire message. (Tune so that the indicator needle swings the maximum range within the discriminator section of the meter. )

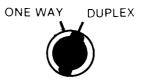
• Set METER FUNCTION to DC LOOP NO. 1

- Check meter to see that it registers between 0 and 20 mA, depending on the setting of DC LOOP NO. 1 switch.
- Check teletypewriter machine printout. If you cannot read the print out, place modem RECEIVE switch at REV. Check again for a satisfactory print out.

# 2-11. DUPLEX OPERATION

# TRANSMISSION

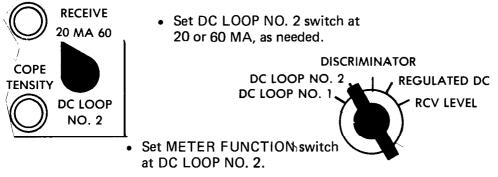
- Perform the preset procedure for OWR (para 2-8).
- Turn ONE WAY/DUPLEX switch to DUPLEX.



- Repeat procedures for voice transmission and teletypewriter transmission as described in paragraphs 2-9(b) and (c).
- To operate, set AUTO MARK HOLD switch to desired position (ON or OFF).

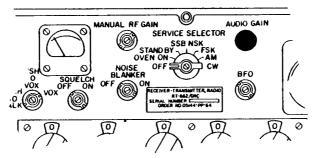






2-12. DC LOOP NO. 2 CURRENT CHECK

• Turn off audio input to the modem by turning the receivertransmitter AUDIO GAIN fully counterclockwise.



• Check meter to see that correct current flow (20 or 60 mA) is in dc loop no. 2.



REPEAT PROCEDURES FOR VOICE RECEPTION AND TELETYPE-WRITER RECEPTION AS DESCRIBED IN PARAGRAPHS 2-9(d) AND 2-9(e) ABOVE.

## 2-13. PONY CIRCUIT OPERATION: TRANSMISSION AND RECEPTION

- Prepare pony circuit base and remote station teletypewriter machines for operation.
- Turn DC LOOP NO. 2 switch to 20 MA or 60 MA as needed.



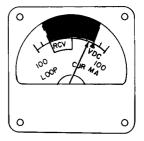
• Set ONE WAY/DUPLEX switch to ONE WAY.



• Adjust base teletypewriter to produce steady mark output.

• Turn METER FUNCTION switch to DC LOOP NO. 2. DISCRIMINATOR DC LOOP NO. 2 DC LOOP NO. 1 REGULATED DC RCV LEVEL

• Check meter to see that correct current flow (20 or 60 mA) is in pony circuit loop.



#### NOTE

For DC LOOP NO. 2, meter will register in right scale (upscale) when loop battery module INTERNAL-EXTERNAL switch is in the INTERNAL position. Meter will register in left scale (downscale) when in EXTERNAL position.

2-14. REMOTE OPERATION

Modem remote operation is described in the technical manual for each type of system and remote control used.

Usually modem is pre-set in a correct operating mode and remotely keyed.

- 2-15. STOPPING PROCEDURE
  - Set RCV/SEND switch at RCV.
  - To disable modem, place ON/OFF switch to OFF position.



Section IV. OPERATION UNDER UNUSUAL CONDITIONS

Since the modem must be used as part of a system, operation under unusual conditions may be found in the manual for the specific radio teletypewriter set with which it is used. Refer to TM-5815-334-10, chapter 2, section IV for specifics on cold weather operation.

#### **CHAPTER 3**

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## Section I. TROUBLESHOOTING

## **3-1. CIRCUIT BREAKER CHECK**

Operator's troubleshooting will be limited to checking the front panel ON/OFF circuit breaker and ONE WAY/DUPLEX switch.

## 3-2. TROUBLESHOOTING PROCEDURES

The troubleshooting table tells you some of the troubles you may find during the operation or maintenance of the modem. You should perform the test, inspections, and corrective actions in the order listed.

This manual cannot cover all the troubles that may happen, nor all the tests, inspections or corrective actions. If a trouble is not listed or it cannot be corrected by performing the corrective actions, notify your supervisor.

#### TROUBLESHOOTING TABLE

MALFUNCTION TEST OR INSPECTION

1.) Power cannot be applied to the modem.



• Turn circuit breaker to ON position.

 If the circuit breaker fails to stay in ON position, do not force; higher level maintenance required.

(2.) RCV/SEND switch will not operate.



Check ONE WAY/DUPLEX switch for ONE WAY position.
 IoTurn ONE WAY/DUPLEX switch to ONE WAY position.

#### Section II. MAINTENANCE PROCEDURES

#### **3-3. INTRODUCTION**

Operator's maintenance consists of: performing preventive maintenance checks and services, troubleshooting, and cleaning the modem.

#### **3-4. ROUTINE INSPECTION**

Check all interconnecting cables and connectors for cracks and breaks.

Check to see that meter face (glass) is not broken or loose.

Check to see that knobs are tight, and controls function properly.

#### 3-5. CLEANING

## WARNING

Do not clean equipment if the power is on.

Remove dust and loose dirt from outside surfaces of the modem with a clean, soft cloth, (item 1, app. D). Cloth may be dampened with water, and mild soap (item 3, app. D) may be used for better cleaning. Clean dust or dirt from plugs and jacks with a brush (item 2, app. D).

#### WARNING

See trichlorotrifluoroethane warning on page B.

#### WARNING

See compressed air warning on page B.

#### CAUTION

Do not press on meter face (glass) when cleaning. The meter may be damaged.

Remove grease, fungus and ground-in dirt from modem case. Use cloth dampened with cleaning compound (item 4, app. D).

## APPENDIX A REFERENCES

#### A-1. INTRODUCTION

The Consolidated Index of Army Publications and Blank Forms, DA PAM 310-1, should be consulted frequently for revisions, and new publications that pertain to this manual. The following is a list of all forms, technical manuals, and publications referenced in this manual.

#### A-2. FORMS

DA Form 2028	Recommended Changes to Publications and Blank
	Forms
DA Form 2404	Equipment Inspection and Maintenance Worksheet
SF Form 361	Discrepancy in Shipment Report
SF Form 364	Report of Discrepancy (ROD)
SF Form 368	Quality Deficiency Report

## A-3. TECHNICAL MANUALS

ТМ	11-5805-387-10-2	Operator's Manual: Modem Radio Teletype
		MD-522A/GRC
ТМ	11-5820-520-10-1	Operator's Manual: Radio Sets AN/GRC-106 and
		AN/GRC-106A
ТМ	740-90-1	Administrative Storage of Equipment
ТМ	750-244-2	. Procedures for Destruction of Electronics Materiel to
		Prevent Enemy Use (Electronics Command)

#### A-4. MISCELLANEOUS PUBLICATIONS

AR 385-11	Ionizing Radiation Protection (Licensing Control, Transportation, Disposal, and Radiation Safety)
DA PAM 310-1	Consolidated Index of Army Publications and Blank Forms
DA PAM 738-750	The Army Maintenance Management System (TAMMS)
SC-5180-91-CL-R	Sets, Kits, and Outfits, Component List: Tool Kit, Electronics Equipment, TK 101/G
ТВ 43-0116	Identification of Radioactive Items in the Army Supply System
ТВ 43-0122	Instructions for the Safe Handling and Identification of US Army Communication-Electronics Command Managed Radioactive Items in the US Army

#### APPENDIX B

## COMPONENTS OF END ITEM AND BASIC ISSUE ITEMS LISTS Section I. INTRODUCTION

#### **B-1. SCOPE**

The Components of End Item and Basic Issue Items Lists are divided into the following sections:

a. Section II. Components of End Item. This listing is for informational purposes only and is not authority to requisition replacements. These items are part of the end item, but are removed and separately packaged for transportation or shipment. As part of the end item, these items must be with the end item whenever it is used or transferred between property accounts. Illustrations are furnished to assist you in identifying the items.

#### **B-2. GENERAL**

This appendix lists components of end item and basic issue items for the MD-522A/GRC to help you inventory items required for safe and efficient operation.

**b.** Section III. Basic Issue Items. These are the minimum essential items required to place the modem in operation, to operate it, and to perform emergency repairs. Although shipped separately packaged BII must be with the modem during operation and whenever it is transferred between property accounts. The illustrations will assist you with hard-to-identify items. This manual is your authority to request/requisition replacement BII, based on TOE/MTOE authorization of the end items.

#### **B-3. EXPLANATION OF COLUMNS**

The following provides an explanation of columns found in the tabular listings:

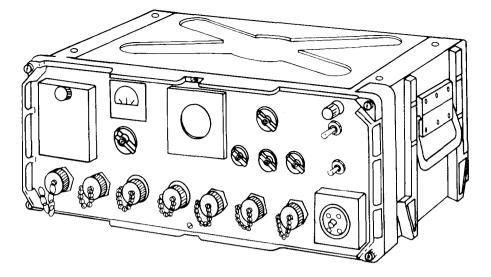
a. Column (1) - Illustration Number (Illus. Number). This column indicates the number of the illustration in which the item is shown.

**b.** Column (2) - National Stock Number. Indicates the National stock number assigned to the item and will be used for requisitioning purposes.

c. Column (3) - Description. Indicates the National item name and, if required, a minimum description to identify and locate the item. The last line for each item indicates the FSCM (in parentheses) followed by the part number. If item needed differs from different models of this equipment, the model is shown under the "Usable On" heading in this column.

d. Column (4) - Unit of Measure (U/M). Indicates the measure used in performing the actual operation/maintenance function. This measure is expressed by a two-character alphabetical abbreviation (e.g, ea, in, pr).

e. Column (5) - Quality required (Qty rqr). Indicates the quantity of the item authorized to be used with/on the equipment.



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# Section II. COMPONENTS OF END ITEM

(1) LLUS NO.	(2) NATIONAL STOCK NUMBER	(3) DESCRIPTION USABLE (FSCM) AND PART NUMBER ON CODE	(4) U/M	(5) QTY REQD
1	5815-00-919- 4800	Radio Teletypewriter, Modem MD-522A/GRC.	EA	1

# Section III. BASIC ISSUE ITEMS

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#### APPENDIX D

## EXPENDABLE SUPPLIES AND MATERIALS LIST

#### Section I. GENERAL INFORMATION

#### D-1. INTRODUCTION

This appendix lists expendable supplies and materials you will need to operate and maintain the MD-522A/GRC.

#### D-2. EXPLANATION OF COLUMNS

a. ITEM NO. This number is referenced in the narrative instructions to identify the material (for example, "Use cleaning compound, item 2, app. D).

b. LEVEL. Shows the lowest level of maintenance that needs the listed item.

C - Crew/Operator

c. NATIONAL STOCK NUMBER. Shows the National Stock Number assigned to each item and used to requisition that item.

d. DESCRIPTION. Shows the Federal Item Name and (if required) a short description to identify and locate the item, The last line for each item shows the Federal Supply Code for Manufacturers (FSCM) in parentheses followed by the part number.

e. UNIT OF MEASURE (U/M). Shows the measure of the item needed to perform the actual operational/maintenance function. This measure is shown by a two-letter abbreviation (for example, EA, OZ, IN).

(1) ITEM NO.	(2) LEVEL	(3) NATIONAL STOCK NUMBER	(4) DESCRIPTION	(5) U/M
1	с	8305-00-267- 3015	Cloth, cheese cloth (81348)	YD
2	С	792-00-178-8315	2 3/4" long bristle brush	EA
3	с	7930-01-055-6121	Detergent, GP, liq.	GL
4	С	6850-00-105-3084	Trichlorotrifluoroethane cleaning compound	ΟΖ

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# GLOSSARY

audio	Frequencies that are heard. Closely connected. Any item not directly apart of a specific com- ponent or system but required for its functional operation.
coarse tune	To tune the signal within a "ballpark" range for fine tuning.
demodulator	A device used to convert audio tones into dc mark and space pulses.
intensity	A term used to designate brightness or luminance of the spot.
modem	Modulator/demodulator.
modulator	A device used to convert direct current (dc) mark and space pulses into audio tones.
polarities	Having two opposite charges - one positive, one negative.
pony loop circuit	Allows teletypewriter order wire transmission and reception over landlines from a remote tion when system is not operating in the $d_{L}$ mode.
remote	Control indirectly or from a distance.
single-channel	Use of one frequency for transmission and reception.
stabilize	To hold steady.

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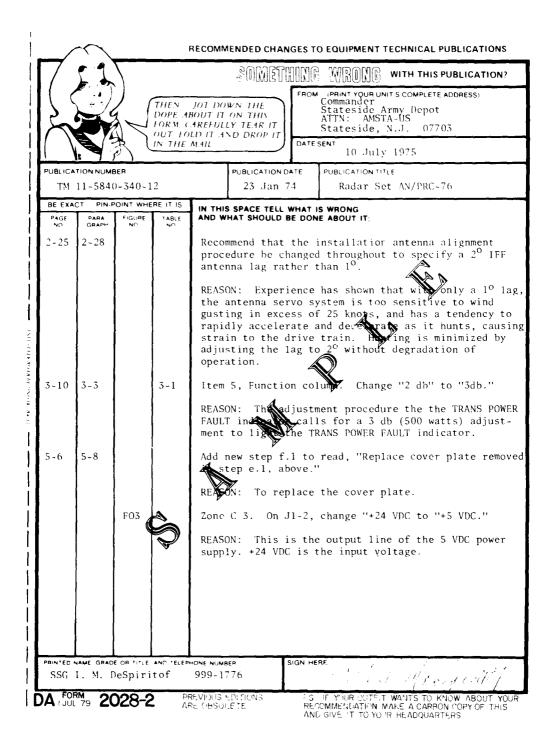
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