

3 BASIC OPERATION

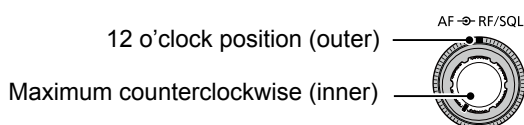
When first applying power

Before turning ON your transceiver for the first time, make sure all of the following are correctly connected.

- DC power cable
- Antenna
- Grounding wire
- Microphone*

*Different devices may be used, depending on the operating mode.

If all listed above are correctly connected, set **AF-RF/SQL** (inner/outer) to the positions described below.



TIP: When you turn OFF the transceiver, it memorizes the current settings. Therefore, when you turn ON the transceiver again, it restarts with the same settings.

Turning power ON or OFF

- To turn ON the transceiver, push **POWER**.
- To turn OFF the transceiver, hold down **POWER** for 2 seconds until "POWER OFF..." is displayed.

Adjusting the volume level

Rotate **AF-RF/SQL** (inner) to adjust the volume level.

About the VFO and Memory modes

VFO mode

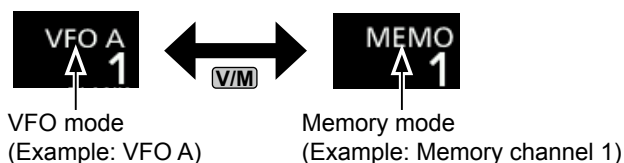
You can set the desired frequency by rotating **MAIN DIAL**.

Memory mode

You can enter contents into the memory channels in the MEMORY list.

Selecting the VFO mode or Memory mode

Push **V/M** to select the VFO or Memory mode.

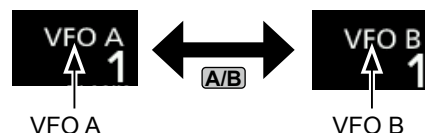


Using the VFO mode

The IC-7300 has 2 Variable Frequency Oscillators (VFO), "A" and "B." Having 2 VFOs is convenient to quickly select 2 frequencies, or for split frequency operation (p. 4-13). You can use either of the VFOs to operate on a frequency and mode.

◇ Selecting VFO A or VFO B

Push **A/B** to select the VFO A or VFO B.



◇ Equalizing VFO A and VFO B

You can set the displayed VFO's frequency and mode to the VFO that is not displayed.

Hold down **A/B** until 2 short beeps sound.