

This is a Quick Guide in Radio Use

Channel Mode

Radios should always stay in channel mode (the ones that have names) unless you are specifically instructed to change them.

Dual Watch

The radios will listen to both channels listed on the screen. All members will talk on OR1 while the car will talk on CAR1. This allows everyone to hear what the car is saying without bombarding the car with random info.

Backup Channels

If there is too much noise on the default channels (OR1 and CAR1) the team will switch to OR2 and/or CAR2. This order will be given by a team lead and disseminated on foot.

Check Yourself Before You Wreck Yourself

Press and hold the number/hashtag/pound key in the bottom right of the radio keyboard to turn on the keypad lock. This will prevent you from accidentally messing up the radio's settings. It is recommended to activate this feature once you have established that your radio is working correctly. You can turn it off in the same way you activated it.

Adjusting On the Fly

You can change which channels show up on the screen by hitting the blue A/B button to select the top or bottom channel, and the up/down buttons to switch between the channels. You can use this to create a CAR radio (set any radio to CAR1 for channel A and some random unused channel for slot 2) and DAQ radios (set the channels to OR and DAQ). Ask a member of the DAQ team for additional help if needed.