



Makina Life Easier and Safer

Staying in touch with your family and friends is convenient and easy when using your radio. Some of the many uses you will discover include:

Communicating with others while hiking, biking, and working; keeping track of family and friends at a crowded public event; checking with travel companions in another car; talking with neighbors; arranging meeting spots with others while shopping at the mall.

Secure your radio while on the go.



Carrying your radio with you is easy when using the belt clip or optional wrist strap.

The belt clip easily attaches to your belt, purse, or

Maximum range may vary and is based on unobstructed line-of-sight communication under ideal conditions.



Usina Your Radio

- 1. Press and hold the Mode/Power button to turn on your radio 2. Press the Channel Up or Channel Down button to select a

Both radios must be tuned to the same channel/privacy code to communicate.

- 3. Press and hold the Talk button while speaking into the
- 4. When finished talking, release the Talk button and listen for a

Turning on Your Radio



Press and hold the Mode/Power button until you hear a series of audible tones indication the radio is on. Your radio is now in **Standby** mode, ready to receive transmissions. The radio is always in Standby mode except when the Talk. Call or Mode/Power buttons are pressed.

Battery Status Indicator



The hattery charge status is shown on the display. Four hars indicates fully charged.

Battery Low



When battery power is low, the final bar in the Battery Low ican will blink and an audible tone will sound twice before the radio shuts off. Your batteries should be replaced or recharged. if using rechargeable batteries.



The radio will display flashing battery icon while charging if the radio is on.

Auto Battery Save

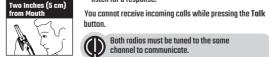


If there are no transmissions within 10 seconds, the radio will automatically switch to Power Save mode and the Power Saver icon will flash in the display. This will not affect the radia's ability to receive incoming transmissions

Communicating with Another Person



- 1. Press and hold the Talk button
- 2. With the microphone about two inches (5 cm) from your mouth, speak in a normal voice.
- 3. Release the Talk button when you are finished talking and listen for a response.



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To Select a Channel



With the radio on, select any of the 22 channels by pressing the Channel Up or Channel Down button.



Both radios must be tuned to the same channel



See page 13 for frequency allocations and

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- 2. External Speaker / Microphone / Charge Jack 3. Mode/Power Button

are not pressed.

- 4. Weather/Lock Button
- 5. Channel IIn/Down Buttons
- 6. Bocklit LCD Display

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1. Antenna

7. Speaker/Microphone

To Adjust Volume

Call Button

Control

To Illuminate Display

Auto Sauelch/Maximum Range

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8. Volume Up/Down Buttons

Listening for a Response

9. Light/Max Range Button

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- 10. Talk Button 11. Call Button
- 12. Wrist Stran Connection
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Release the Talk hutton to receive incoming transmissions. Your

radio is always in Standby mode while the Talk or Call buttons

A double beep sound is used to indicate the minimum and

Press and release the Call button. The other person will hear a

three second call tone. This tone is used only to establish voice

See page 11 on how to select between five

Press the Volume Up or Volume Down button

naximum volume levels (1 through 8).

ht/MaxRange Press and release the Light/Max Range button to illuminate

Your radio will automatically shut off weak transmissions and unwanted noise due to

You can temporarily turn off auto squelch or turn on maximum range extender, allowing

terrain, conditions or if you've reached your Maximum Range limit.

all signals to be received and extending the maximum range of your radio.

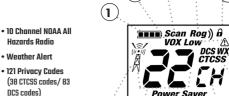
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- 14. Battery Compartment
- 15. Battery Door Latch

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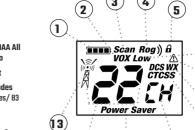
Backlit LCD Display

• 22 Channels



- Hands-Free Operation (VOX)
- Scan Channels, privacy codes
- Racklit I CD Dienlay
- Call Alert Five selectable tones
- Button Lock
- Speaker/ Microphone. Charge Jack
- Roaer Been Selectable On/Off
- Battery/Power
- Keystroke Tones
- Battery Level
- Auto Squelch
- Maximum Range Extender
- Belt Clip

Features



1. Battery Level Indicator

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- 5. Lock Icon 6. Low Power Icor
- 7. DCS/CTCSS Icons
- 8 Wenther Icon
- 9. Weather Alert Icon 10. DCS/CTCSS Privacy Code Numbers
- 11. Power Saver Icon 12 Channel Numbers
- 13 Receive/Transmit Icon

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Caring for Your Radio

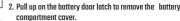
Your radio will give you years of trouble-free service if cared for properly. Handle the radio gently. Keep the radio away from dust. Never put the radio in water or in a damp place. Avoid exposure to extreme temperatures.

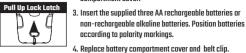
Installing Batteries



To install or replace batteries:

Remove belt clip by releasing belt clip latch and sliding

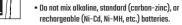




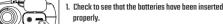
according to polarity markings. 4. Replace battery compartment cover and belt clip.

• Do not attempt to charge alkaline batteries.





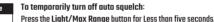
To charge hatteries in radio:



2. Insert the cable into the charge lack located at the top of

3. Plug the cable into USB-compatible power port.

Use only the supplied rechargeable batteries and charger for recharging your radio. Craftsman recommends your radio is turned off while being charged. Non-rechargeable alkaline batteries can also be used in your radio



To turn maximum range extender on:

– Press and hold the Light/Max Range button for at least five seconds until you bear two beens which indicates the maximum range extender is on.

To turn maximum range extender off:

- Press and release the Light/Max Range button or change channels.

Lock Function



The Lock function locks the Channel Up, Channel Down and Mode/Power huttons to prevent accidental operation.

To turn the lock on or off:

Press and hold the Lock button for two seconds



A double been sound is used to conform your lock on or off request. When in Lock mode, the Lock icon will be displayed.

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Your range will vary depending on terrain and conditions.

In flat, open country your radio will operate at maximum range. Buildings and foliage in the path of the signal can reduce the range of the radio.

Dense folioge and hilly terrain will further reduce the range of the radio.

On Channels 8 through 14, your radio automatically switches to low power, which will limit the range the radio can



Remember, you can achieve maximum range by using maximum range extender. See name 4 for details.



Mode Functions

Scrolling Through the Mode Function

By scrolling through the Mode function, you will be able to select or turn on preferred features of your radio. When scrolling through the Mode function, your radio features will be displayed in the same predetermined order:



Set CTCSS Privacy Codes Set DCS Privacy Codes

Set Vox Sensitivity Set Channel Scan

Set CTCSS Privacy Code Scan

Set Vox On/Off

Set DCS Privacy Code Scan Set Call Tones Set Roger Beep On/Off

Privacy Codes

Your radio incorporates two advanced coded squelch systems that can help to reduce interference from other users on any given channel. CTCSS (Continuous Tone Coded Squelch System) provides 38 privacy codes and DCS (Digitally Coded Squelch) provides 83 privacy codes. This provides a total of 121 Privacy Codes. Either system can be used on all channels, but both systems cannot be used on the same channel at the same time



To successfully communicate using a privacy code, both the sending and receiving radios must be tuned to the samechannel and to the same privacy code system (CTCSS or DCS)and privacy code number. Each channel will remember thelast privacy code system and number



The privacy code OO is not a privacy code, but allows all signals to be heard on a channel that is set to 00 on boththe CTCSS and DCS systems.

Mode Functions (continued on back side)

Mode Functions (continued)

Set CTCSS Privacy Codes



To select a CTCSS privacy code:

1. After selecting a channel, press the Mode/Power button until the CTCSS icon appears and the small numbers next to the channel number flash on the display.

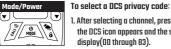




If DCS is turned on at the channel selected, the display will flash the CTCSS icon and "OFF." To switch from DCS to CTCSS. press the Channel Up or Channel Nown button while the display is flashing "NFF" The display will then show the small numbers flashing and you will then be able to proceed to step 2.

- 2. Press using the Channel IIn or Channel Down button to select a privacy code. You can hold the Up or Down button for fast advance.
- 3. When your desired CTCSS privacy code is displayed, choose one of the following: a. Press the Made/Power button to enter the new setting and proceed to other functions
- h. Press the Lock button to return to Standby mode.
- c. Do not press any buttons for 15 seconds to return to **Standby** mode.

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If CTCSS is turned on at the channel selected, the display will flash the DCS icon and "OFF". To switch from CTCSS to DCS, press the Channel Up or Channel Nown button while the display is flashing "OFF". The display will then show the small numbers flashing and you will then be able to proceed to step 2.

- 2. Press using the Channel Up or Channel Down button to select a DCS privacy code. You can hold the **Up** or **Down** button for fast advance
- 3. When DCS privacy code is displayed, chanse one of the following:
- a. Press the Mode/Power button to enter the new setting and proceed to other
- h. Press the Lock button to return to Standby mode.
- c. Do not press any buttons for 15 seconds to enter the new settings and to return to

Voice Activated Transmit (VOX)

In VOX mode, your radio can be used "hands-free," automatically transmitting when you speak. You can set the VOX sensitivity level to fit the volume of your voice and avoid transmissions triggered by background noise.



To turn VOX mode on or off:

- 1. Press the Made/Power button until the VOX icon flashes on the display. The current On or Off setting is displayed.
- 2. Press the Channel Up or Channel Down button to turn VOX On or Off
- 3. Choose one of the following:
- a. Press the Mode/Power button to enter the new setting and proceed to other functions
- b. Press the Lock button to return to **Standby** mode.

You can use your radio to listen to NOAA All Hazards Radio channels transmitting in **General Specifications**

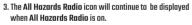
A = Channel No. for 22 Channel Models

B = Frequency in MHz



NOAA* All Hazards Radio Channels

2. Use the Channel Up or Channel Down button to change All Hazards Radio channels





Weather Button

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4. To exit All Hazards Radio, press and hold the Weather

*National Aceanographic and Atmospheric Administration

To listen to All Hazards Radio channels:

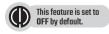
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Hazards Radio icon and the currently selected All

Weather (WX) Alert Mode

Turning On the Weather Alert function will allow your radio to automatically receive NOAA Hazard Alert radio signals and warnings fromdesignated NOAA broadcast stations. If the radio is turned ON, it will alertto Weather and other emergency alerts broadcast by NOAA





Make sure the strongest Weather Make sure the strongest Weather channel is selected for your area using the NNAA All Hozords Rodin Channels selection in the previous menu.



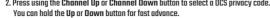
To turn Weather Alert On or Off:

I. Press the Weather/Lock button twice until the Weather Alert icon flashes on the display. The current On or Off setting is displayed.

- 2. Press the Channel IIn and Channel Nown button to turn Weather Alert On or Off.
- 3. Press and hold the Weather/Lock button again to save the new setting and exit the Weather Alert Mode and return to Standby mode.

display(00 through 83).









Frequency Allocation

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1	462.5625
2	462.5875
3	462.6125
4	462.6375
5	462.6625
6	462.6875
7	462.7125
8	467.5625
9	467.5875
10	467.6125
11	467.6375
12	467.6625
13	467.6875
14	467.7125
15	462.5500
16	462.5750
17	462.6000
18	462.6250
19	462.6500
20	462.6750
21	462.7000
22	462.7250

FCC WARNING:

Any changes or modifications to this unit not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate the equipment.

This device complies with part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions: 1) This device may not cause harmful interference, and 2) this device must accept any interference. received, including interference that may cause undesired operation

NOTE: This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class B digital device, pursuant to Part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference in a residential installation. This equipment generates, uses and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instructions, may cause harmful interference to radio communications However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particula

To set VOX sensitivity:



1. Press the Mode/Power button until the VOX icon flashes and the current sensitivity level is displayed.



The current VOX sensitivity level isdisplayed with letters "L" and a Number 1through 5, with Number 5 heing the most sensitive level and Number 1 heing theleast sensitive level.



2. Press the Channel Up or Channel Down button to change the

- 3. Choose one of the following:
- a. Press the Mode/Power button to enter the selected setting and proceed to other functions
- b. Press the Lock button to return to Standby mode.

Channel Scan

Your radio can automatically scan channels.



1. Press the Mode/Power button until the Scan icon and the channel numbers annear on the display.

2. Press the Channel Up or Channel Down button to begin scanning channels.



The radio ignores specific privacy codes while scanning channels.



- you can choose from the following: a. Press and hold the Talk button to communicate on that channel. Your radio will remain on that channel and return to Standhy made
- h. Press the Channel IIn or Channel Down button to resume scanning channels.
- c. Press the Lock button to return to Standby.

installation. If this equipment does cause harmful interference to radio or television reception, which can be determined by turning the equipment off and on, the user is encouraged to try to correct the interference by one or more of the following measures:

- Reorient or relocate the receiving antenna.
 Increase the separation between the equipment and receiver.
- · Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from that to which
- Consult the dealer or an experienced radio/TV technician for help

Safety Information for microTALK® Radios

Your wireless handheld portable transceiver contains a low power transmitter. When the talk button is pushed, it sends out radio frequency (RF) signals. The device is authorized to operate at a duty factor not to exceed 50%. In August 1996, the Federal Communications Commissions (FCC) adopted RF exposure guidelines with safety levels for handheld wireless devices

ISEDC WARNING:

This device complies with Innovation, Science and Economic Development Canada licence-exempt RSS standard (s). Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) this device may not cause interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference including interference that may cause undesired operation of the device.

Le présent areil est conforme aux CNR d' l'innovation, la science et le développement économique Canada licables aux areils radio exempts de licence.

- L'exploitation est autorisée aux deux conditions suivantes: (1) l'areil ne doit pas produire de brouillage, et
- (2) l'utilisateur de l'appareil doit accepter tout brouillage radioélectrique subi, même si le brouillage est susceptible d'en compromettre le fonctionnement.

FCC/ISEDC RF Exposure Requirements: For body-worn operation, this radio has been tested and meets the FCC / ISEDC RF exposure guidelines when used with Craftsman accessories supplied or designated for this product. Use of other accessories may not ensure compliance with FCC/ISEDC RF exposure guidelines. Use only the supplied antenna. Unauthorized antennas, modifications or attachments could damage the transmitter and may violate FCC/ISEDC regulations.

Exigences de la FCC/ISEDC concernant l'exposition aux champs électro-magnétiques RF (radiofréquences): En ce qui concerne le fonctionnement de l'appareil porté sur le corps de l'utilisateur, les tests effectués ont permis de vérifier que cet émetteur-récenteur satisfait aux directives ECC/ISEDC limitant l'exposition aux champs électro-magnétiques RF lorsqu'il est utilisé avec les accessoires Craftsman fournis ou concus pour ce produit: l'utilisation d'autres accessoires peut ne pas garantir le respect des critères des directives FCC/ISEDC limitant l'exposition aux champs électro-magnétiques RF. Utiliser l'appareil uniquement avec l'antenne fournie. L'emploi d'une antenne non homologuée ou modifiée, ou d'accessoires non autorisés, pourrait faire subir des dommages à l'appareil, et peut violer les prescriptions de la réglementation ECC/ISEDC

Before a new model device is a available for sale to the public, it must be tested and certified to the ECC that it does not exceed the exposure limit established by the FCC/ISEDC. Tests for each device are performed in positions and locations (e.g. at the ear and worn on the body) as required by

For body worn operation, this model device has been tested and meets the ECC/ISEDC RE exposure quidelines when used with an accessory designated for this product or when used with an accessory that Contains no metal. Non-compliance with the above restrictions may result in violation of RF exposure quidelin es.

Normal Position

Hold the transmitter approximately 1 inches from your face and speak in a normal voice, with the antenna pointed up and away



This device complies with part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions: 1) This device may not cause harmful interference, and 2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

FCC Warnings: Replacement or substitution of transistors, regular diades or other parts of a unique nature, with parts other than those recommended by Craftsman may cause a violation of the technical regulations of part 95 of the FCC rules, or violation of type acceptance requirements of nort 2 of the rules.

Privacy Code Scan

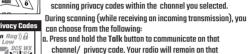
Your radio can automatically scan the Privacy Codes (either CTCSS O) through 38 or DCS Of through 83) within one channel. Only one set of privacy codes (CTCSS or DCS) can be scanned at a time.



To scan privacy codes:

The standby mode, press the Channel Up or Channel Down button to choose the channel on which you wish to scan privacy codes. 7. Press the Mode/Power button until either the CTCSS or the

> DCS icon annears on the display and the Scan icon and the nrivacy code numbers flash on the display 3. Press the Channel Up or Channel Down button to begin



- channel/privacy code and return to Standby mode. channel/privacy code and return to Standay muue.
 b. Press the Channel Up or Channel Down button to resume scanning privacy codes. If you do not press any button within 10 seconds, your radio will automatically resume scanning
 - c. Press the Lock button to return to Standby

Position normale

Hold the transmitter approximately 1 inches from your face and speak in a normal voice, with the antenna pointed up and away

Tenir l'émetteur à environ 1 po de la bouche et parler normalement. l'antenne étant éloignée et dirigée vers le haut.



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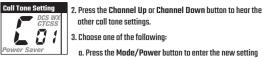
Five Call Tone Settings

You can choose between fove different Call Tone Settinas to transmita call alert.



To change a call tone setting:

1. Press the Mode/Power button until the letter "C" and the current call tone number (01 through 05) is displayed. The current call tone will sound for one second



other call tone settinas.

3. Choose one of the following:

a. Press the Mode/Power button to enter the new setting and proceed to other functions.

b. Press the Lock button to return to Standby mode.

Roger Been Confirmation Tone

Your listener will hear an audible tone when you release the Talk button. This alerts the other party that you are finished talking and it is OK for them to speak.



To turn roder been on or off:

- 1. Press the Mode/Power button until the Roger Beep icon flashes. The current on or off setting is displayed.
- Press the Channel IIa or Channel Down button to select roaer been on or off.
- 3. Choose one of the following:
- n Press the Mode/Power button to return to Standby
 - b. Press the Lock button to return to Standby mode.

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