

# TDFM-9100 TRANSCEIVER

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## FINAL ACCEPTANCE TEST PROCEDURE

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*NOTE: The radio should be fully assembled with all RF modules installed, lids and screws. This test procedure assumes that the factory codeplugs and test frequencies are programmed into the radio prior to testing. If factory codeplugs are not available, then tune the radio to known analog FM non-trunked Channels.*

## GENERAL:

- 1) Set bench power supply to 28 volts and current limit to 5A.
- 2) Connect the TDFM-9100 to radio test jig (#13T209) or an equivalent fixture.
- 3) Connect band one antenna of the TDFM-9100 under test to the service monitor.
- 4) Record all test results on Test Data Sheet #146607.

## POWER UP TESTS:

- 1) Turn on the radio by pressing the knob.
- 2) Verify the display reads TECHNISONIC and all 6 LED indicators are illuminated.
- 3) Verify the next screen shows TDFM-9100 and the software version number. Record the version number on the test data sheet. (TDS)
- 4) The display should blank and then show what RF modules are installed. The display will then go into the normal mode. Verify the unit draws less than 400 mA and is not making any strange squealing sounds. Record the current draw on the TDS.

## BAND FUNCTIONS:

- 1) Switch to Band 1 on the test fixture.
- 2) Select Band 1 on the radio.
- 3) Set the test set to generate an RF signal of 1mV(-47dbm) with 1 kHz Audio tone and 1.5 kHz deviation. The test frequency to use depends on the RF module installed in Band 1.
- 4) Select a known conventional channel that is set to analog, FM with no PL/DPL tone/codes programmed. Any frequency within the band selected may be used. See table 1.

BAND	FREQUENCY (MHz)
VHF	136 to 174
UHF LO	380 to 470
UHF HI	450 to 520
700-800	764 to 870

**TABLE 1:** Test Frequencies by Band

- 5) Turn the volume all the way up. The audio output level should be above 4.5 Vrms. Record on the TDS.
- 6) Turn the volume to a setting of 20. The distortion should be less than 5%. Record on the TDS.
- 7) Set the test set to 0.28 uV (-116 dbm). Measure the receive Sinad. Sinad should be > 12 db. Record on TDS.
- 8) Confirm the Band 1 RX LED on the left side is lit, indicating open squelch. Remove the signal to the receiver. Confirm the RX led goes out or flashes for a second then goes out. Record on TDS.
- 9) Press the rotary knob several times until the lower right hand display shows "Chan". Turn the knob to select another channel. Confirm the module changes to the channel dialed. Rotate the knob back to select the first channel. Verify the module follows.  
Press the MUP key momentarily to increment the selected channel. Confirm the radio changes to the desired channel. Press and hold the MUP key and verify the channel number scrolls up. Release the key. Verify the module is now on the selected channel dialed.  
Press the MDN key momentarily to decrement the selected channel. Confirm the radio changes to the desired channel. Press and hold the MDN key and verify the channel number scrolls down. Release the key. Verify the module is now on the selected channel dialed.  
Set the Chan/Band SW to Channel position on the test Jig. Toggle the "UP Switch" on the radio test jig. Confirm the radio increments the channel. Toggle the "DOWN Switch". Confirm radio decrements the channel Put the Chan/Band switch into Band mode on the test jig.  
Toggle the "UP Switch" on the radio test jig. Confirm the Band selector moves up on the display. Toggle the "DOWN Switch". Confirm the Band selector moves down on the display.  
Record on TDS that channel selector works.
- 10) Press and hold the DIM and BRT buttons. Confirm the display dims and brightens. Record on TDS.
- 11) Press the knob a few more times to get back into volume mode.
- 12) Go through some of the soft menus to confirm the soft keys and the home key function. Change zones. Verify the zone and channel has changed. Toggle the function keys F1-F4 ESW and TSW switches.  
Press the knob several times to put the radio into Recall Mode. Enter a channel. Verify the radio goes to the desired channel. Set the Knob menu back to default "VOL" mode.  
Press the knob to put the radio into Zone Mode. Enter a Zone. Verify the radio goes to the desired Zone and channel. Set the Knob menu back to default "VOL" mode. Record on TDS.
- 13) Disconnect the TX audio cable from the test set.
- 14) Press PTT on the test jig.
- 15) Confirm the TX LED on the right lights on the selected band.
- 16) Record the transmit frequency on the TDS. It should be the frequency previously selected.
- 17) Press each of the number keys (0-9) and the # and \* keys to check for DTMF and number key operation. Verify and record on the TDS the DTMF pad works.
- 18) Connect the TX audio cable to the test set audio generator.
- 19) Set the audio generator to +10 dBm at 1kHz.

- 20) Check the deviation level and record on the TDS. It should not be more than +/-2.5Khz.
- 21) Set the audio generator to -13 dBm.
- 22) Check the deviation to be between 1.25 and 2 Khz (NARROW FM). Record on the TDS.
- 23) Check the TX distortion and record on the TDS. It should be less than 5%.
- 24) Set the band to low power. Key up and measure the TX power. Check the RF power output (all bands) to be between 0.8 – 1.2 watts. Record on TDS.
- 25) Set the band to HI power. Key up and measure the TX power. Check that the Hi power is within the specs as shown in Table 2. Record power of test frequency from Table 1 on the TDS.

BAND	FREQUENCY	NOMINAL (W)	RANGE (W)
VHF	136.0 - 174.0	6	5.7 - 6.0
UHF LO	380.0 - 470.0	5	4.8 - 5.2
UHF HI	450.0 - 520.0	5	4.8 - 5.2
700 MHz	764.0 - 794.0	2.5	2.4 - 2.6
800 MHz	795.0 - 870.0	3	2.9 - 3.1

**TABLE 2:** Transmit HI Power Settings

- 26) Connect the test set to the Band 2 antenna connector.
- 27) Switch to 2 on the test panel and select Band 2 on the radio. Perform the above tests again for band 2 if installed.

### **COMBINED OUTPUT TEST:**

- 1) Select either band on the radio, connecting the appropriate antenna connector to the service monitor. Set RX audio switch to “BAND 3” setting on the test panel. Set the service monitor to TX mode – toggle the PTT 3 switch. Verify the radio is transmitting on the band selected.
- 2) Set the service monitor to RX mode – generate a signal on the selected frequency. Verify the radio is receiving that frequency in the combined mode.

### **RC-9100 TEST:**

*NOTE: This is a factory only requirement. Test with an RC unit if one is available.*

- 1) Connect a RC-9100 to the radio.
- 2) Confirm the RC display shows the same as the radio’s display.
- 3) Press buttons on the RC unit and confirm that the functions are working on the radio. Record on TDS that the RC port works.

## **FINAL CHECKS:**

- 1) Go into the configuration menu and set the knob default to VOL. Make sure the recall mode is turned ON. Set the "always on" mode to disabled.
- 2) Test backlighting at 28 volts and 5V. The back lighting brightness and profile should be similar to the TDFM-6000. Set all the volumes to 15. Set both bands to Zone 1, channel 001.
- 3) Turn off radio and confirm it really shuts off. (Wait 30 seconds to be sure.)
- 4) Disconnect from test equipment.
- 5) Check for good appearance of radio. Check that all labels are properly installed. No screws missing or loose.
- 6) Shake the unit to confirm there is no loose hardware inside