

Manual

33516 Receiver GR-32 HoTT



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Thank you for purchasing the Graupner HoTT 2.4 System Please read through this entire manual before you attempt the installation and usage of your Graupner HoTT 2.4 System!

A hardware antenna diversity system always switches to the better antenna signal and for transmission always uses the antenna that was last used for receiving. This ensures that the back channel data are always sent via the better-positioned antenna. Without additional sensor systems, the parameters receiver voltage and temperature, as well as signal strength are transmitted. Connector for one telemetry sensor and for the sum signal input or output. The receiver does have 6 power inputs for strong servos.

These operating instructions are part of this product. They contains important notes to the operation and handling. Please take this into consideration when you pass on the product to third parties. Neglect of the operating instructions and the safety instructions lead to expiring the warranty.

Graupner constantly work on the advancement of all remote control systems; changes of the scope of delivery in form, technology and equipment we must reserve ourselves therefore. Please have understanding for the fact that from data and illustrations of this operating instructions no requirements can be derived. *Please keep these instructions for further reference!*

1. GENERAL NOTE

When switching on or adjusting the radio control system it is essential to keep the transmitter aerial at least 15 cm away from the receiver aerials at all times. If the transmitter aerial is too close to the receiver aerials, the receiver will be overloaded, causing the green LED starts flashing. The transmitter responds by emitting a beep once every second; the red LED also goes out. The radio control system is now in Fail-Safe mode.

If this should occur, simply increase the distance between the aerials until the audible warning signal ceases, and the red LED on the transmitter lights up again; at the same time the green LED on the receiver should glow constantly.

2. FUNCTIONS

2.1. Binding

When you wish to use the Graupner HoTT 2.4 GHz receiver with a particular transmitter, the first step must always be to “bind” the unit to “its” Graupner HoTT 2.4 GHz RF module (transmitter). This “binding” procedure only needs to be carried out once for each combination of receiver and RF module. The units supplied in the set are already bound to each other at the factory, i.e. the binding procedure described in the following section only needs to be carried out when you wish to use an additional receiver. However, it can also be repeated at any time if required, e.g. after changing transmitters. When binding is required, this is the procedure:

- Switch the transmitter and receiver on.
- Locate the BIND / RANGE button on the back of the transmitter, and hold it pressed in while you press and hold the SET button on the receiver. Both LEDs on the back of the transmitter now glow constantly, and the red LED on the receiver flashes.
- If the red LED expires and the green LED on the receiver begins to glow permanently within about ten seconds, this indicates that the binding process is complete. You can now release both buttons, and your transmitter / receiver combination is ready for use.
- However, if the green LED on the receiver continues to flash for longer than ten seconds, then the binding process has failed. If this should occur, repeat the whole procedure.

2.2. Binding“ multiple receivers in one model

If required, it is also possible to bind multiple receivers to the transmitter for a particular model. The first step is to bind each receiver individually using the procedure already described.

When the system is in use, the receiver which was bound last is the Master receiver (which is switched

on first for the modules Order No. 33300, 33301 and 33302). Any telemetry sensors installed in the model must be connected to this unit, as only the Master receiver transmits sensor data using the downlink channel. The second and all further receivers operate in parallel with the Master receiver but in Slave mode, with the downlink channel switched off.

The control functions can also be distributed amongst multiple receivers; this is carried out using the Channel Mapping function of the SMART-BOX (Order No. 33700). In the same way it is possible to assign one control function to multiple receiver outputs; a typical example would be the use of two servos for each aileron instead of only one, etc.

2.3. Fail-Safe function

In its default state (as delivered) the receiver is set to "Hold" mode, i.e. if a fail-safe situation occurs, all the servos connected to it maintain the last position detected as valid. In this mode the green LED on the receiver starts flashing when interference occurs, and the red LED on the transmitter goes out. The transmitter also starts beeping about once per second as an audible warning.

You can exploit the safety potential of the fail-safe option by at least programming the throttle channel to respond to a fail-safe situation: the throttle channel of an engine-powered model should be set to idle, the throttle channel of an electric-powered model to "stop", and the throttle channel of a model helicopter to "Hold". If interference should occur, these settings will help prevent the model flying out of control, possibly causing personal injury or property damage.

Please refer to the appropriate section in your RC system instructions for the procedure.

3. RECEIVER



3.1 Connections

Plug the servos into the row of sockets on both sides of the receiver. The connector system is polarised; note the small chamfer on one edge. Never use force - the plugs should engage easily and fully. The socket polarity is also marked on the case: brown wire (-), red (+) and orange (signal).

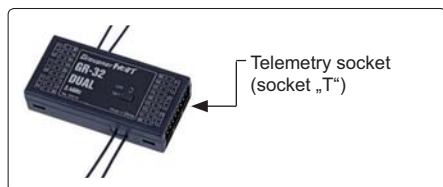
The servo sockets of the Graupner-HoTT 2.4 receiver are numbered. It is also possible to program socket „S“ for the sum signal using the SMART-BOX (Order No. 33700). This is important for certain optional devices which require this signal.

Power supply

The sockets marked "- +/B" are intended only for the battery connection. Connect the power supply preferably with the socket(s) that are close to the servos. When using High Power servos you may use all battery connectors depending on the battery power.

Telemetry

The socket marked "T" is intended for the optional telemetry sensors and is used for loading firmware updates in conjunction with the USB interface.



3.2. Low voltage warning

If the receiver voltage falls below 3.8 V, the transmitter's RF module generates a low voltage warning in the form of a "general alarm sound": a steady beeping at intervals of about one second.

3.3. Temperature warning

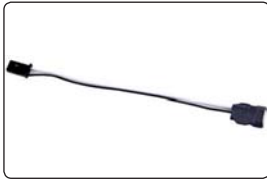
If the receiver temperature falls below -10°C or exceeds $+70^{\circ}\text{C}$, the transmitter's RF module generates a temperature warning in the form of a "general alarm sound": a steady beeping at intervals of about one second.

4. FIRMWARE UPDATE

Firmware updates for the receiver can be transferred via the socket „T“ in conjunction with a PC running Windows XP, Vista or 7. For this you also require the USB interface, Order No. 7168.6, and the adapter lead, Order No. 7168.6A, which are available separately.

The programs and files required for this are available from www.graupner.de in the Download area for the corresponding products.

Install the Firmware Update Utility Graupner and the USB drivers on your computer. Check the system requirements!



The first step is to cut through the central red wire in the adapter lead, Order No. 7168.6A, then connect the lead to the USB interface, Order No. 7168.6. This socket is also polarised; note the small chamfer on one edge. Never use force - the plug should engage easily and fully.

4.1. Receiver

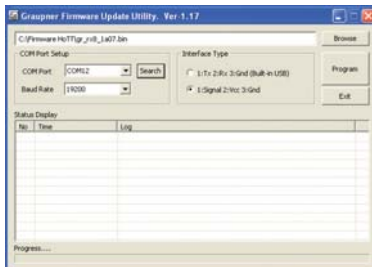


Connect the adapter lead to the socket „T“ of the receiver, as shown in the illustration. This socket is also polarised; note the small chamfer on one edge. Never use force - the plug should engage easily and fully.

4.2. Update procedure

Ensure that the adapter lead is configured as shown in the illustrations, and is connected correctly to the transmitter or receiver.

Start the Graupner Firmware Update Utility.



Under [COM Port Setup] select the correct COM port, i.e. the one to which the USB lead is connected. If you are not sure of this, press the button „Search“ and select in the pop-up window „Silicon Labs CP210x USB to UART Bridge“ and press „OK“. Baud Rate: 19200.

Under [Interface Type] click on Signal 2:Vcc3:Gnd.

Now click on the "Browse" button and select the folder containing the previously loaded firmware file ending in *.bin. If everything is correct, the file will appear in the corresponding window.

The firmware files are encoded in product-specific form, i.e. if you accidentally select a file which does not match the product

(e.g. transmitter update file instead of receiver file), then the pop-up window "Product code error" will appear, and you will not be able to start the update procedure.

Press the “Program” button in the software. Wait briefly until you see movement in the progress bar. This make take up to five seconds, depending on the computer.

Receiver: press the SET button, and switch the receiver on while you hold it pressed in.

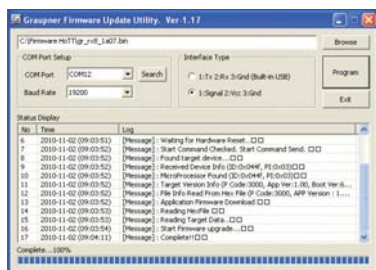
After a few seconds the Status screen displays the message “Found target device...”; you can now release the button, and the firmware update process commences.



If the device is not recognised, if the pop-up window “Target device ID not found” appears, or if the process fails before 100% is reached, you must restart the update procedure. Repeat all the steps as described above.

The Status display and the Progress bar show the progress of the firmware update. The update is completed when the message “Complete...100%” or “Complete!!” appears.

During the update process both LEDs on the transmitter glow constantly. When it is complete, the red LED goes out and you will hear a brief confirmation melody. The green LED on the receiver also light up; when the process is complete, the green LED starts flashing.



Switch your transmitter / receiver off, and disconnect the adapter lead.

Caution: after completing an update process, you must initialise the device before using it, i.e. reset it to the factory default values.

Initialisation:

Press and hold the SET button on the receiver and switch it on, the red and green LED's are blinking. After about three seconds the LED's expires, release now the SET button.

Please note:

The initialisation procedure erases ALL the settings you have entered. Where necessary, you will need to program your preferred settings again.

When initialisation is complete, the transmitter will be in Fail-Safe set-up mode. You can therefore immediately continue by programming your fail-safe settings.

If you previously set your transmitter's Country setting to “France” mode, you must also re-enter the Country setting.

Please refer to the appropriate section in your RC system instructions for the procedure.

Any settings you have entered using the SMART-BOX are also lost when you initialise the receiver. If you carry out a receiver firmware update, you will need to re-enter these settings.

FCC INFORMATION

Graupner GR-32 HoTT #33516

FCC ID: ZKZ-33516

FCC Statement

1. 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.
 - (2) This device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.
2. Changes or modifications not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate the equipment.

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 particular 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 the receiver is connected.
- Consult the dealer or an experienced radio/TV technician for help.

FCC radiation exposure statement

This equipment complies with FCC radiation exposure limits set forth for an uncontrolled environment. This equipment should be installed and operated with minimum distance of 20 cm between the radiator and your body.

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION NOTES



When this product comes to the end of its useful life, you must not dispose of it in the ordinary domestic waste. The correct method of disposal is to take it to your local collection point for recycling electrical and electronic equipment. The symbol shown here, which may be found on the product itself, in the operating instructions or on the packaging, indicates that this is the case.



Individual markings indicate which materials can be recycled and re-used. You can make an important contribution to the protection of our common environment by re-using the product, recycling the basic materials or recycling redundant equipment in other ways.

Remove batteries from your device and dispose of them at your local collection point for batteries.

In case of R/C models, you have to remove electronic parts like servos, receiver, or speed controller from the product in question, and these parts must be disposed of with a corresponding collection point for electrical scrap.

If you don't know the location of your nearest disposal centre, please enquire at your local council office.

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