NEXUS FT

INSTALLATION AND SERVICE MANUAL





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WARNING: The warning symbol means danger. You are in a situation that could cause bodily injury or death. Before you work on any equipment, be aware of the hazards involved with electrical and RF circuitry and be familiar with standard practices for preventing accidents.



CAUTION: The caution symbol means the potential exists for equipment damage or loss of data.

NOTE: Notes contain helpful suggestions or references to material not covered in the document.

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Revision Letter	Date of Change	Reason for Change
Rev A	November 2007	Initial Release
Rev B	February 2008	Renamed product to Nexus FT, added new Chapter 1 - Product Safety, added text regarding FON maintenance to pages 3-8 and 4-6.
Rev C	November 2009	Upated content to include WMATA additional bands (PCS+G, CS700MHz)

Safety

Any personnel involved in installation, operation, or service of units included in a Powerwave Distributed Antenna System (DAS) must understand and follow the points below.

- Powerwave Nexus FTs are designed to receive and amplify signals from one or more base stations and retransmit the signals to one or more mobile stations. And, also to act the other way round, that is to receive signals from one or more mobile stations, amplify and retransmit the signals to the base stations. Powerwave Nexus FT systems must be used exclusively for this purpose and nothing else.
- ☐ Units supplied from the mains must be connected to grounded outlets and in conformity with the local prescriptions.



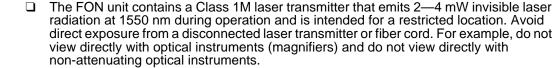
- ☐ For outdoor use, the power cord should meet at least IP65 encapsulation requirements. Do not turn the main power on until you are ready to commission the Nexus FT.
- Power supply units supplied from the mains contain dangerous voltage that can cause electric shock. Disconnect the mains prior to any work in such a unit. Local regulations are to be followed when servicing such units. Only authorized service personnel are allowed to service units while the mains are connected.



- ☐ When opened, the Nexus FT cover must be secured. Otherwise, the cover can be closed by the wind and cause your fingers getting pinched or your head being hit.
- When working on a Nexus FT on high ground, for instance on a mast or pole, be careful not to drop parts or the entire Nexus FT. Falling parts can cause serious personal injury.
- ☐ All RF transmitting units, including Nexus FTs, will generate radio signals and thereby give rise to electromagnetic fields that may be hazardous to the health of any person who is extensively exposed close to an antenna.

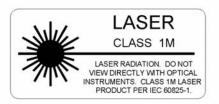


- ☐ A lithium battery is permanently mounted on the CU and FON PCBAs. Due to the risk of explosion, this battery must only be removed from the board by a Powerwave authorized service technician.
- □ NiCd batteries are mounted on the FON PCBA. These batteries contain environmental poisonous substances. If replaced, the old batteries should be disposed of as stated in the local prescriptions.





☐ The FON Unit has this label attached:



- Do not power up the FON unit if a fiber cable is not connected to the fiber output UL port, or if a fiber cable is connected to the port but disconnected at the other end.
- Never look at the end of a fiber cable. The 1310nm and 1550nm laser light is not visible. Always use an instrument, such as a power meter, to detect signaling.

Human Exposure to RF Radiation

Safe distances must be kept when working around antennas. The following paragraphs describe the cautions to be aware of during the installation and maintenance of antenna systems and how to calculate safety distances needed for RF radiation at different antenna power and frequencies.

Antennas

To be able to receive and transmit signals, a Nexus FT is connected to a donor antenna directed towards the base station and a service antenna directed towards the coverage area. A fiber optic cable from the base station might, however, be substituted for the donor antenna.

Installation and Maintenance of Antenna Systems

Installation and maintenance of all antenna systems must be performed with respect to the radiation exposure limits for public areas. The antenna radiation level is affected by Nexus FT output power, antenna gain, and transmission devices such as cables, connectors, splitters and feeders. Also have in mind the system minimum coupling loss, typically between 25dB and 35dB, is determined by a standard with the purpose to protect base stations from noise and other performance dropping effects.

Radiation Exposure

The World Health Organization (WHO) and International Commission on Non-Ionising Radiation Protection (ICNIRP) have determined recommendations for radiation exposure. ICNIRP recommends not to exceed the following radiation power for public exposure:

Frequency Radiation power

800/900 MHz 4.5W/m² 1800/1900 MHz 9.0W/m² 2100 MHz 10.0W/m²

For antennas larger than 20cm the maximum radiation power can be calculated by using the following formula:

S = Radiation power in W/m²

 $S = P/(4\pi r^2)$ P = Output power in W

r = Distance between antenna and human in meters

Electrostatic Discharge (ESD)

ESD can severly damage essential parts of the equipment if not handled carefully. Parts on printed circuit board assemblies (PCBA) as well as other parts in the equipment are sensitive to ESD. Never touch the PCBA or uninsulated conductor surfaces unless absolutely necessary.



If you must handle the PCBAs or uninsulated conductor surfaces, use ESD protective equipment or first touch the chassis with your hand. Never let your clothes touch PCBAs or uninsulated conductor surfaces and always store PCBAs in ESD-safe bags.

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Chapter 1 Product Description

Introduction

This manual contains information and procedures for installation, operation, and maintenance of The Nexus FT High Power Wideband Radio Head - in this manual, referred to as WRH. The manual is organized into chapters as follows:

- □ Chapter 1- Product Description
- □ Chapter 2- Controls and Indicators
- Chapter 3- Installation
- Chapter 4- Maintenance
- Chapter 5- Specifications

Scope of Manual

This manual is intended for use by service technicians familiar with similar types of equipment. It contains service information required for the equipment described and is current as of the printing date. Changes which occur after the printing date may be incorporated by a complete manual revision or alternatively as additions.

Overview



Figure 1-1 PowerwaveWRH Radio Head

Powerwave Nexus FTs work as bi-directional on-frequency amplifiers used to extend coverage into uncovered areas in wireless mobile systems such as base station fringe areas, tunnels, convention centers, airports and buildings. It receives, amplifies, and transmits signals to/from a base transceiver station (BTS) to/from mobile stations (MS) with both directions being served simultaneously. Connections to theWRHare made with N-type or 7/16" male connectors.

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Nexus FTs are microprocessor controlled with alarm and operational status LEDs visible on the front cover. Cooling is provided through convection heat dissipation. Operational parameters, such as gain and power levels are set using a PC running Powerwave OM-Online software which communicates with the Nexus FTs either locally or remotely via modem. Remote operation can be performed via PSTN or a GSM net. The Operation and Maintenance System (OMS) provides for Network Operations Center (NOC) configuration and alarm monitoring.

Nexus FTs can be configured in many combinations depending on the wireless system, single or double system operation, and output power. The following paragraphs provide a description of the different models of Nexus FTs available.

TheWRHis a fiber fed system designed to provide a high output power level and comes equipped with a MCPA in the downlink path. The MCPA restricts the number of bands to one in the cabinet and one additional band if a high cover is used. The MCPA is located in the cabinet and is supplied from the existing PSU.

Chassis Design

TheWRH is housed in a cast aluminium waterproof chassis, class NEMA4 / IP65, approved for outdoor use but is also suited for indoor installations. The chassis consists of a cabinet and a cover attached with hinges. The cabinet contains theWRH circuitry. The cover comes as either a low or high version. The high cover can be used as an empty cover or be equipped as a part of the WRH or an independentWRH unit. AWRH with a high cover that is equipped as two independent units can, for example, be equipped for channel selective operation in the cabinet and band selective operation in the cover.

Inside the Nexus FT, a number of amplifier PCBAs are individually shielded and located under a metal cover that can be opened outward. These PCBAs are of different types depending on the supported system.

Sub Unit Overview

A number of amplifier PCBAs are individually shielded and located under a metal cover inside the Nexus FT. This cover can be opened outward for access. These amplifier PCBAs are of different types depending on the supported system. All of the Nexus FTs are built up with a number of sub units which are described in the following sections.

Wideband Amplifier PCBA (WBA)

Nexus FTs can handle multiple carriers over a wide band. Each band requires one WBA for the uplink and downlink, and one associated PA or MCPA for the downlink. The cabinet can be equipped with up to two WBAs along with two PAs supporting two bands or one MCPA supporting one band. Positions 1 and 3, shown in Figure 1-6, are assigned for a WBA.

Multi-Carrier Power Amplifier PCBA (MCPA)

The MCPA is used to amplify the output signal from the WBA. Each MCPA can handle one band in the downlink direction. It requires an extra heat sink element on the outside of the cabinet or high cover to dissipate the heat generated. The MCPA occupies positions 2 through 4 in the cabinet and 6 through 8 in a high cover, as shown in Figure 1-6.

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Distribution PCBA (DIA)

The DIA is the core distribution PCBA to which all other PCBAs and units connect in the cabinet with the exception of the PA. Figure 1-2 shows a DIA PCBA. A shielded metal frame on the DIA provides the mounting location for the CU, ALI and RCIs, if used.

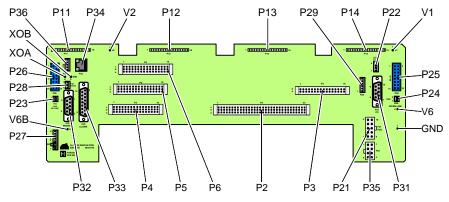


Figure 1-2 DIA PCBA

Control Unit PCBA (CU)

Figure 1-3 shows the CU, which is the core microprocessor controller in the WRH and is connected to P2 on the DIA. The CU contains a microprocessor, main memory, flash memory for the CU software, EEPROM memory for parameters, memory for the event log and statistics, a REFO reference oscillator, ports for local and remote communication, a battery powered real-time clock, and a MAC identity circuit. It supervises and controls operational parameters such as gain control and channel handling, alarms, the event log, the password and the logon. The CU is also a control interface for OM-Online and OMS. Software for the CU can be downloaded from OM-Online, either locally or remotely. It is located in the lower right part of the shielded DIA frame.

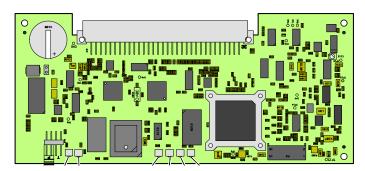


Figure 1-3 CU PCBA

Low Noise Amplifier (LNA)

LNAs are used on the uplink and are located at the top of the cabinet and the high cover, if equipped. An example of an LNA is illustrated in Figure 1-4. All of the coaxial connectors are SMA-type. Signals from the DPX output are fed to the LNA input connector (IN). The OUT1 and OUT2 outputs feed the WBAs in the UL direction. The signal level at these connectors is +20dB referenced to the antenna input. The other output, OUT LOW, is an expansion output for an additional LNA if the WRH is equipped with a unit in the cover part of the chassis.

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The gain to this connector is +2dB. The +7V input is used for +7V supply from the DIA PCBA and the ATT connection is for the control signal for a controllable attenuator in the LNA.



Figure 1-4 LNA

Duplex Filter (DPX)

DPXs are located on the metal cover sheet in the upper part of the cabinet.

Fiber Optic Unit (FOU)

The FOU is a metal plate mounted on top of the cover plate in the upper part of the Nexus FT. The FON and fiber optic connectors are mounted on the FOU. Figure 1-5 illustrates an FOU with the FON and fiber optic connectors mounted on the plate. It can also be configured with combiners, splitters, and Wave Division Multiplexers (WDMs) to obtain a desired combination of several branches with double or single fiber.

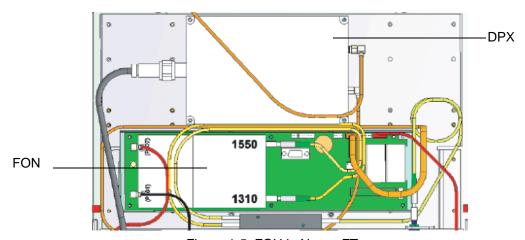


Figure 1-5 FOU in Nexus FT

Fiber Optic Node (FON)

The FON is the main part of the FOU. It is a bi-directional electrical/optical signal converter and a node in a fiber network. In addition, the FON has all the functionality included in the CU PCBA and contains battery backup. It has also functionality for:

- Electrical and optical signal supervision
- Internal and external alarm handling
- RS232 interface for local PC control via an O&M software (OM-Online)
- Remote control via an O&M software (OM-Online or OMS)
- Interfaces for RCU and FLI
- · Battery backup with charger

There are two versions of the FON; one with three SMA ports (UL, DL and RX Mon) and the other with four SMA ports (UL, DL, RX Mon and TX Mon). The FON also has two optical ports for DL and UL fiber connections.

Power Supply Unit (PSU)

The PSU supplies DC power to all of the components in the Nexus FT.

Remote Control Unit (RCU)

The RCU is an optional communication unit for remote control of Nexus FTs via PSTN or RF modems. RCU types and details are described in Chapter 4.

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Alarm Interface PCBA (ALI) and Remote Control Interface PCBA (RCI)

The ALI handles alarms and alarm communication. It is replaced with an RCI if an RCU is used and provides an interface between the CU and an RCU for remote communication via modem. The RCI also handles alarms and alarm communication. Either unit is located in the lower left part of the shielded DIA frame.

Sub Unit Locations

The MCPA is located in the cabinet at the positions indicated in Figure 1-6. A WRH is equipped for one band in the cabinet and, if required, an additional band in a high cover. A block diagram is located in Appendix A.

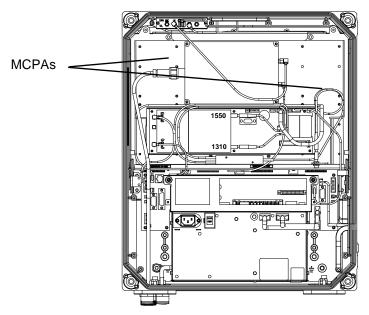


Figure 1-6 Nexus FT Sub Unit Locations

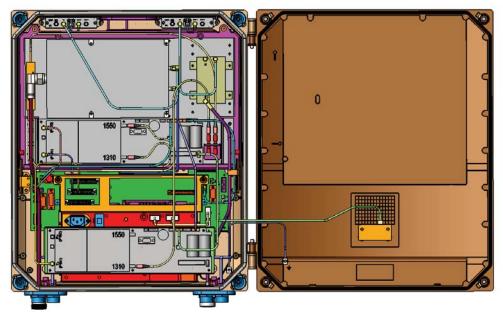


Figure 1-7 700 MHz (CS, PCS) Sub Unit Locations

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Fiber Optic Distribution Networks

Fiber optic networks are setup identically to data networks. Nexus FTs are connected in a star configuration as illustrated in Figure 1-7. In this example, a Base Station Master Unit (BMU) is fed by a BTS via an RF cable. An Optical Converter Module (OCM) could also be used depending on the system configuration. The BMU or OCM contain three FONs and provide continuity to the FONs in the four Nexus FTs. By using WDMs and Optical Splitters (OSPs) in the Nexus FTs, the distribution net can be built up with a combination of star and daisy-chain connections using double or single fiber.

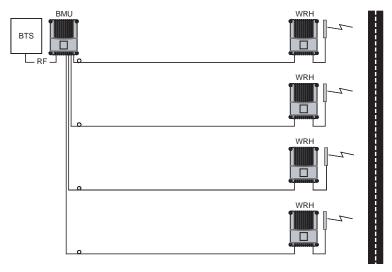


Figure 1-8 Fiber Optic Star Configuration

Multi-Operator Configurations

Multi-operator systems require the use of Point of Interconnect (POI) units and OCMs as illustrated in Figure 1-8. In this simple example, two operators have two sectors each. Each sector is connected to a POI and then to a RCM. The RCM is interconnected with an OCM via coaxial cables. The combined DL and UL signals are converted to optical signals in the OCM and then distributed to the Nexus FTs-V.

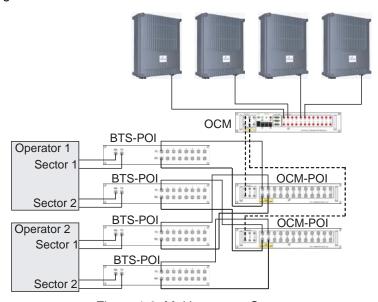


Figure 1-9 Multi-operator System

Chapter 2 Controls, Indicators and Connectors

Introduction

This chapter contains descriptions of the controls, indicators and connectors for the WRH.

Front Cover Indicators



Figure 2-1 External Indicators

Two LEDs, shown in Figure 2-1, are located on the front cover to provide easy identification of a fault in the system. The amber operation LED lights up approximately 15 seconds after the main power is switched on. When the LED is steady, the WRH is ready for operation. The red alarm LED indicates a system error alarm when flashing and a critical alarm when steady.

Cabinet Indicators

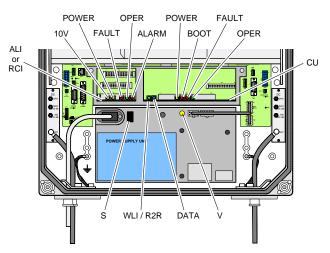


Figure 2-2 Cabinet Internal Indicators

PCBA Indicators Nexus FT

Figure 2-2 shows the LED indicators located on the ALI or RCI, the CU PCBAs, the 115/220V main power switch (S) in the cabinet, and the voltage indicator (V). These indicators are described in further detail in the following sections.

PCBA Indicators

This following paragraphs describe the LED indicators on the main PCBAs inside the WRH.

CU PCBA

Figure 2-3 shows the location of the LEDs on the CU and Table 2-1 lists their indications.

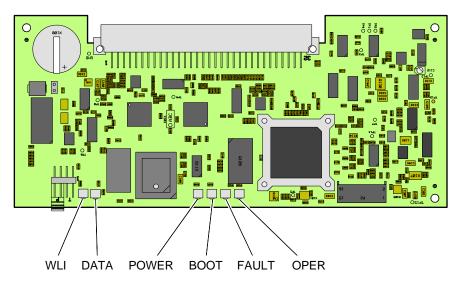


Figure 2-3 CU PCBA Indicators

Table 2-1 CU PCBA LED Indicators

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LED	Description
WLI	Wire Link Interface. A flashing green LED indicates the unit is receiving data over the subcarrier. A steady green LED indicates: the unit is currently not receiving any data, is currently not a control station or there is no other node in the network
DATA	Blue LED indicating data transmission in the W-net
POWER	Yellow LED indicating present power and remains steady after power is switched on
BOOT	Steady red LED when the CU boots (10 – 15 seconds after main power is switched on), then flashing red (5 – 10 seconds), then off if no error is detected. If an error is detected LED will stay on
FAULT	Flashing red LED for 15 – 20 seconds after main power is switched on. Flashes for less serious alarms (Error) and is on solid for fatal alarms (Critical)
OPER	Steady green LED indicates WRH is ready for operation



WARNING: A lithium battery is permanently mounted on the CU PCBA. Due to risk of explosion, this battery must not be removed. In case of battery malfunction, replace the CU PCB.

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FON PCBA

The FON is shown in Figure 2-4 and the LED indicators are listed in Table 2-2.

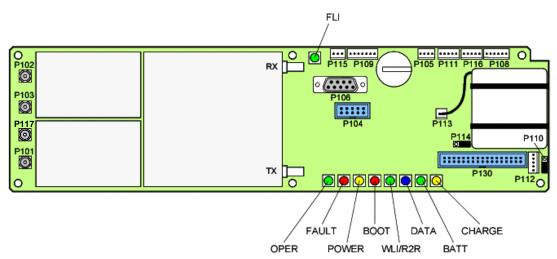


Figure 2-4 FON LED Indicators

Table 2-2 FON LED Indications

LED	Description
FLI or F2F	Green LED. Fiber Line Interface (FLI). Flashing LED indicates the unit is receiving data over the sub carrier. A steady LED indicates the unit has detected an FLI subcarrier, but is not carrying any data
OPER	Green LED. Lights up for approximately 5 seconds after the power is switched on. The LED is dark during the boot process and when it is steadily lit again, it indicates the unit is ready for operation
FAULT	Red LED. Flashes for 15 – 20 seconds after the mains is switched on. Will flash for less serious alarms and be steady for fatal alarms
POWER	Yellow LED. Indicates power is present
BOOT	Red LED. Steady LED when the control unit boots up (10 – 15 seconds after the mains is switched on). Next enters a flashing state for 5 – 10 seconds. If no error is detected, the LED turns off. If an error occurs, the LED remains on
WLI	Green LED. Wire Link Interface. Flashing LED indicates unit is receiving data over the subcarrier. A steady LED indicates one of the following: The unit is not currently receiving any data, the unit is not currently a control station or there is no other node in the network
DATA	Blue LED. Indicates data transmission in the W-net
BATT	Green LED. Steady LED indicates battery pack is currently used as power source
CHARGE	Yellow LED. Steady LED indicates battery charging

PCBA Connections

The following tables list the connections from the main PCBAs to replaceable units inside the WRH. Table 2-3 lists the connections for a WRH configured for PCS both with and without diversity and Table 2-4 lists the connections for Cellular with and without diversity.

PCBA Connections Nexus FT

From	То	Cable Number	Non-Diversity	Diversity
WBA P2401	M FON P101	VE007 06/3	Used	Used
WBA P3401	D FON P101	700-16639-001	Not Used	Used
WBA P1101	M FON P102	VE007 20/2	Used	Used
PSU	DIA P21, P35	VE007 98/1	Used	Used
M FON P108	DIA P29	VE007 66/1	Used	Used
D FON P108	M FON P116	VE007 66/1	Not Used	Used
M FON P111	DIA P36	VE008 05/1	Used	Used
D FON P111	DIA P112	VE008 05/1	Not Used	Used

Table 2-3 WRH Base Unit Connections

Table 2-3 applies to cables connected to FRUs (PSU and 2 FON) labeled Main FON and Diversity FON.

From	То	Cable Number	Non-Diversity	Diversity
Cover DIA P36	M FON P112	VE008 05/1	Used	Not Used
Cover DIA P36	D FON P112	VE008 05/1	Not Used	Used
PSU	DIA P21, P35	VE007 98/1	Used	Used
DX DL C	M FON P102	700-14508-401	Used	Used
DX UL1 C (M)	M FON P101	700-14508-401	Used	Used
DX UL2 C (D)	M FON P101	VE007 52/2	Not Used	Used

Table 2-4 WRH Cover Unit Connections

DIA PCBA

Figure 2-5 shows and Table 2-5 lists the connections on the DIA PCBA. The DIA provides most of the internal connection between the sub units and external ports. Connectors involved are also located on the DIA.

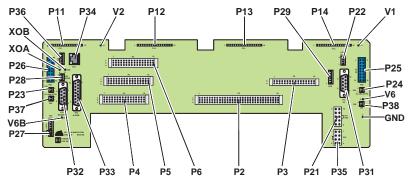


Figure 2-5 DIA PCBA Connectors and Testpoints

The External Alarm Port P33 is used for external alarm sensors and alarm equipment. The four alarm inputs are low-level inputs with common ground (AIC). Use an insulated switch or relay to initiate alarms (open switches in normal operating mode, closed switches cause alarm). The alarm switch connection can be toggled between active open and active closed. The alarm input voltage ratings, related to ground (AIC), are: Vinmax= 5.5V, Vinmin= -0.5V.

The four alarm inputs are connected to the following pins:

Pin 14 Al1 External alarm input 1 - EAL1

Pin 15 Al2 External alarm input 2 - EAL2

Pin 7 Al3 External alarm input 3 - EAL3

Pin 8 Al4 External alarm input 4 - EAL4

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Pin 6 AIC Ground.

Two alarm outputs are 1 pole closing and 1 pole opening relay outputs insolated from each other. Maximum ratings, related to ground or any other alarm terminal, are 50 VAC / 60 VDC. The alarm outputs are defined as follows:

Pin 9 and 1 AO1 and AO8 Closed when operating, otherwise open.

Pin 10 and 2 AO6 and AO7 Open when operating, otherwise closed.

Pin 11 and 3 AO2 and AO5 Closed at alarm state, otherwise open.

Pin 12 and 4 AO3 and AO4 Open at alarm state, otherwise closed.

Table 2-5 DIA PCBA Connections

Port	Connected to
P2	CU PCBA
P3, 5, 6	Not Used
P4	ALI or RCI PCBA
P11 - 14	Channel PCBA positions 1 through 4
P21	PSU, connector 1
P22	LED PCBA in cover
P23	LNA/UL (for RH770020/101 ONLY, P23 connects to LNA/UL1)
P24	LNA/DL
P25	Expansion output port to cover circuitry. Only in cabinets
P26	Expansion input port to cover circuitry. Used in equipped high covers
P27	Auxiliary Port (8-pin male) - Pins 2 and 3 must always be interconnected to provide the CU and ALI/RCI PCBAs with voltage. If there is no cable connected, pins 2 and 3 must be interconnected with a jumper
P28	Door switch port - Normally, alarm input Al4 is used for door opening alarm EAL4 which is arranged using an optional door switch. Signal Al4 and AlC are thus available also in the P28 connector, to which the door switch is connected. The EAL4 door switch alarm is activated 10 – 30 seconds after the cover has been opened
P29	Power to FON
P31	RS-232 PC Port (9-pin D-sub female) - Used for local PC communication
P32	RS-232 Modem port (9-pin D-sub male)
P33	External Alarm Port (15-pin D-sub female) - Used for external alarm sensors and alarm equipment. Four alarm inputs, EAL1 – EAL4, and two alarm outputs
P34	Not used
P35	PSU, connector 2
P36	IP or R2R connection between CU and FON
P37	LNA Diversity DL
P38	LNA Diversity UL (for RH770020/101 ONLY, P38 connects to LNA/UL2)

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LNA

Figure 2-6 shows the front of the LNA and Table 2-6 lists the connections.



Table 2-6 LNALNA Connections

LNA Port	Connected to
OUT LOW	IN on the LNA/UL in the cover, if equipped
IN	LO on the service DPX duplex filter
ATT +7V	P23 on the DIA PCBA
OUT1	P2101 on the WBA PCBA
OUT2	Diversity LNA connected to P3101 on WBA PCBA

Figure 2-6

NOTE: For RH770020/101 only, the OUT 1 on the LNA for UL 1 connects to P2101 and Out 1 for LNA on UL 2 connects to P3101.

FON

Figure 2-7 shows the locations of the connectors on the FON and Table 2-7 lists the port numbers, connector types, and port usage.

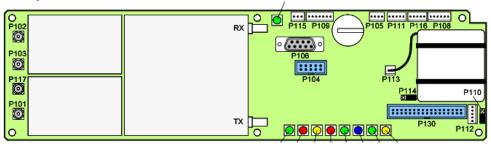


Figure 2-7 FON Connector Locations

Table 2-7 FON Connectors

Port	Description
P101	SMA, electrical RF input port (to the optical TX port)
P102	SMA, electrical RF output port (from the optical RX port)
P103	SMA, electrical RF output port (15dB below the P102 port)
RX	DIN/APC, optical input port (to the P102 and P103 RF ports)
TX	DIN/APC, optical output port (from the P101 RF port)
P104	Used only for development and debugging
P105	4-pin male, door LED indicators. Used for the yellow and red LED indicators located on the front cabinet door
P106	9-pin D-sub female, RS-232 used for local PC communication
P108/116	6-pin male, parallel connected power ports for the FON
P109	7-pin male, used for external alarm sensors

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Table 2-7 FON Connectors (Continued)

Port	Description
P110	W-link jumper, used to terminate units in a W-link. It has to be set in the parking state for all units except for the first and last units in a W-link. The Parking state (P) has the jumper between the center and bottom pins. The opposite state, with the jumper between the tip and center pins, terminates(T) the W-link
P111/112	5-pin male, WLI ports used for interconnecting nodes in WLI-nets (IP or R2R networks). They are identical and connected in parallel. One of the connectors is intended to be used from the previous node and the other connector to the next node in the network. Either can be used for the first and the last unit in the net chain
P113	2-pin male, used for the on-PCBA backup batteries
P114	Backup power output jumper, sets the backup power output state. The OFF state has jumper between the center and left pins. This jumper has to be in the OFF state when used in an OCM. Otherwise, it shall be in the ON state
P115	3-pin male, intended for future use
P117	SMA, electrical RF output port (15dB below the P101 port)
P130	34-pin, 2-line male, RCU port used for connecting an RCU. The connector contains both the modem connection and RCU power supply

PSU

The PSU is located in the bottom middle of the cabinet or in an equipped high cover. The PSU has all the voltages required for the WRH. It has capacity for the radio circuitry, fiber optics, and modem. Multi-band WRHs always require a second PSU. There are two PSU types with different input voltages:

- 1. 115/230V 50/60Hz, 300W input max.
- 2. 21-60V DC, 300W input max.

The PSU is connected to the DIA at P21 and P35, and voltage is tested at V1 (test point for P35) and V2 (test point for P21).

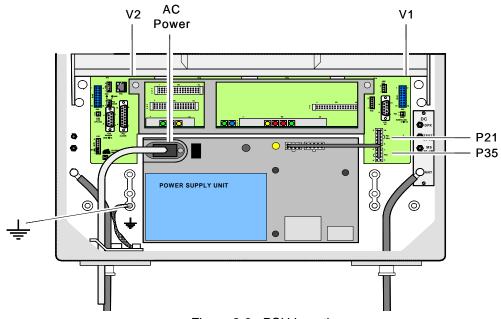


Figure 2-8 PSU Location

Software and Hardware Compatibility

There are different versions of CU PCBA software which can be combined with PCBAs of various revisions. These have unique part numbers and revision information. Table 2-8 lists the software currently available in combination with CU PCBA revisions.

Table 2-8 Hardware / Software Compatibility

CU PCBA part number	CU Software part number
500-13817-001 (previously K103/3)	D631-18072-001
	D631-18072-003
	D631-18072-004
	D631-18072-005

This information is accurate as of 10/16/2009. As new versions of hardware and software are released without prior notice, contact your Powerwave sales representative for information on the latest revision.

For detailed information, refer to the release notes for the CU software to be downloaded (normally found in the readme.txt file provided with the program files).

Introduction

This chapter contains unpacking, inspection and installation instructions for installing and powering up the WRH.

Site Survey

Powerwave recommends that a site survey be performed prior to equipment ordering or installation. Performing a detailed site survey reduces or eliminates installation and turn-up delays. Pay particular attention to power plant capacity, cooling needs, floor space, and RF/DC cabling/breaker requirements. Cabinet dimensions and weights are listed in Chapter 5.

Unpacking and Inspection

This equipment has been operated, tested, and calibrated at the factory. Carefully open containers to remove equipment. Retain all packing material that can be reassembled in the event unit must be returned to the factory. Perform the following steps:

- ☐ Visually inspect equipment for damage that may have occurred during shipment. If possible, in the presence of the delivery person.
- ☐ Check for evidence of water damage, bent or warped chassis, loose screws or nuts, or extraneous packing material in connectors.

If equipment is damaged, file a claim with the carrier once the extent of any damage is assessed.

If equipment must be returned to factory, please contact factory for a Return Material Authorization (RMA), see Chapter 4.

WRH Location

The WRH is designed with a weather proof outdoor cabinet that can be mounted without any kind of shelter from rain, snow or hail. The same unit can be installed indoors. A preferable site for the WRH is a location free of obstructions, easily accessible and allows for proper air-flow and ventilation.

If a WRH is installed outdoors and can be exposed to direct sunshine, it is essential that air circulates around the WRH with no obstacles. The operating temperature must not exceed 131°F (55°C). A shelter can be used to shade the WRH from direct sunshine.

Never open a WRH when rain, snow, hail, high humidity or high winds are present unless some kind of temporary shelter can be erected.

Mounting

The WRH is easy to mount using the provided mounting bracket, which has 9/16-inch (14mm) holes for 3/8-inch (10mm) or 1/2-inch (12mm) fixing screws. Clamps with C-C measurements of 3.5-inch (90mm), 5.3-inch (135mm), 5.7-inch (144mm), 8.1-inch (205mm), 9.8-inch (250mm), and 11.8-inch (300mm) can be used as well. The vertical C-C measurement for these is 16.2-inch (411mm). There is a 9/16-inch (14mm) single hole in the middle of the mounting bracket, marked 'A' in the figure, which is intended for a locking screw to lock the bracket into place.

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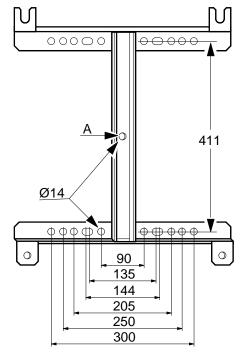


Figure 3-1 Mounting Bracket

Normally, the WRH is mounted on a wall, pole, or mast. Figure 3-2 illustrates the installation of the mounting bracket on a wall using four fixing screws and a locking screw.

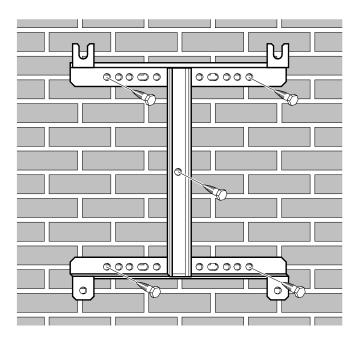


Figure 3-2 Mounting Bracket Installation on Wall

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Figure 3-3 illustrates the installation of the mounting bracket on a pole using two 5.7-inch (144mm) U-shaped clamps and a locking screw.

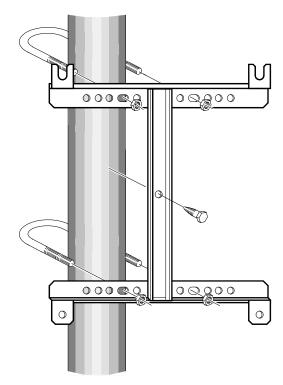


Figure 3-3 Attaching the Bracket to a Pole

Figure 3-4 illustrates a mast installation using two 11.8-inch (300mm) bar-shaped clamps and no locking screw.

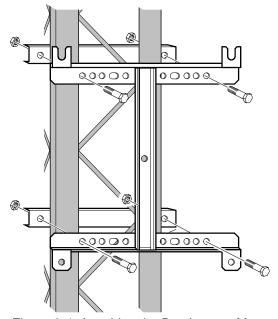


Figure 3-4 Attaching the Bracket to a Mast

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After installing the mounting bracket, hang the WRH on the upper supports, as illustrated in Figure 3-5. Tighten the upper and lower mounting screws to secure it into place using the 6mm hex socket wrench. Locking cylinders, used to prevent unauthorized removal of the repeater, can be inserted and locked with a key after the lower screws have been tightened. Make sure the donor antenna, directed towards the BTS antenna, and the service antenna, directed towards the area to be covered by the WRH, are mounted and installed properly.

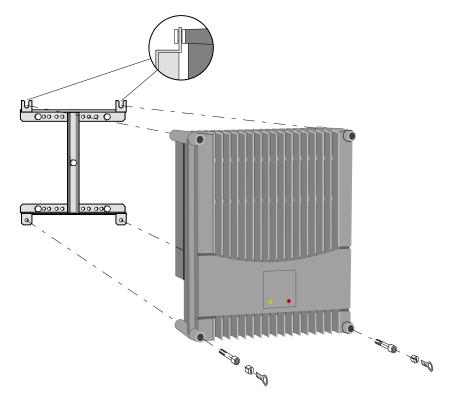


Figure 3-5 Attaching the WRH to the Bracket

Connections

This section describes general examples of how to connect the input and output ports on the WRH.

Main Power and Grounding

Local regulations need to be followed for the main power connection. WRHs are approved in accordance with EN and UL/cUL regulations. This is, however, only valid if a classified power cord is used. For the Nexus FTto meet these regulations you must select one of the following classified and approved cord types:

- □ EN H 05 W5 F HMR
- ☐ UL AWM Style 2587
- □ CSA- AWM 1 A/B 11 A/B

For outdoor use, the power cord should meet at least IP65 encapsulation requirements. Do not turn the main power on until you are ready to commission the WRH.



WARNING: For WRHs supplied from the main power source, the main outlet must be grounded.

Fiber Optic and RF Connections

Fiber optic and RF cable connections should be verified both internally and externally before powering up the equipment. This section illustrates the general internal connections of the WRH. Verify these connections with the as-built drawings and documents for your specific system configuration. Table 3-1 lists the steps to add the external connections to the WRH.

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Table 3-1 Cable Connection Procedure

Step	Action
1	Connect service antenna coaxial cable to left-outside DIN connection on cabinet
2	Connect fiber optic cable from OCM or BMU to fiber optic cable demark on FOU
3	Connect station ground to appropriate ground point in cabinet
4	Mount main power plug to main power cord and insert into PSU

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Figure 3-6 illustrates the cables and connections for the WRH.

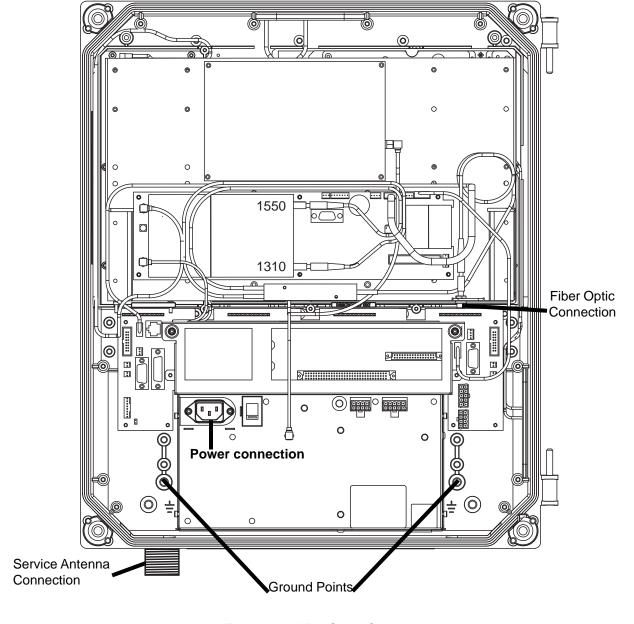


Figure 3-6 WRH Cable Connections

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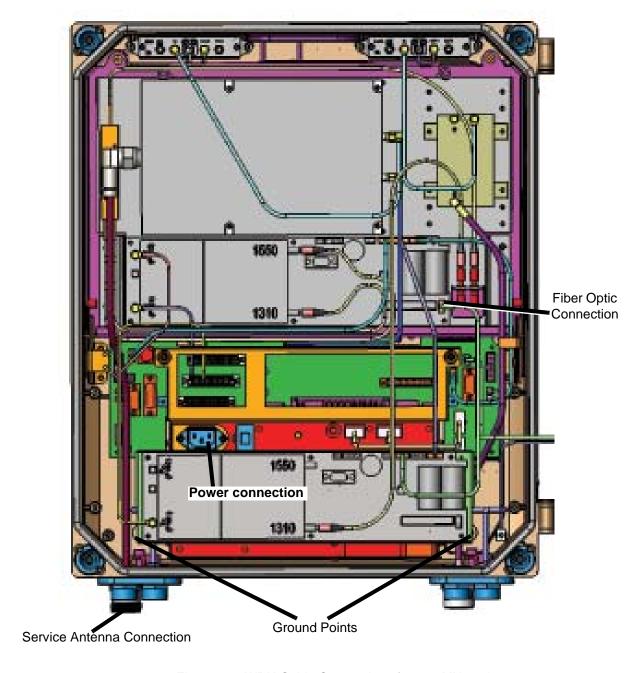


Figure 3-7 WRH Cable Connections for 700 MHz unit

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Optional Connections

Alarms

Alarm signals from external sensors are received by an ALI or RCI which forwards them to the CU. The RCI is used if the WRH has an RCU, otherwise the ALI is used. The software on the CU can activate acoustic or visual alarms or direct the alarm to the P33 alarm port for forwarding via an RCU through OM-Online. Alarms can also be handled by the FON. Alarms are configured through OM-Online.

External Alarm

Burglary, fire or other external alarms can be handled by the WRH. External alarm sensors and alarm signals are connected to the P33 alarm port located to the left in the cabinet, as illustrated in Figure 3-7. The P33 alarm port is described in Chapter 2. The cable for this installation is taken through a strain relief bushing at the bottom of the WRH cabinet.

Door Open Alarm

A door open alarm can be configured and installed in the WRH. This is arranged with a door switch connected to pin 8 (Al4) on P28, as described in chapter 2. The location of P28 is shown in Figure 3-7.

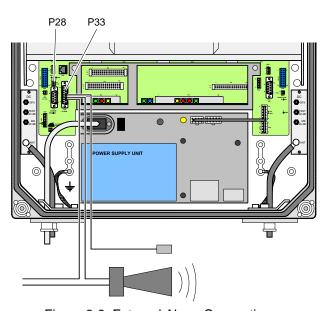


Figure 3-8 External Alarm Connection

Main Power Breakdown Relay

To be able to distinguish PSU faults from power failures, a main power breakdown relay can be used. This relay is not included in the WRH. It has to be mounted outside the WRH cabinet. The relay intended for this purpose must fulfil the following specifications:

Closing time: Max. 30 milliseconds

Insulation coil/contact: Min. 4KV

A main power connected relay must also be in compliance with valid local regulations. To install a main power breakdown relay connection, follow the steps listed in Table 3-2.

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Table 3-2 Main Power Breakdown Relay Connection

Step	Action
1	Connect a currentless closed relay contact to pin Al1 and AlC on P33 alarm connector, as shown in Figure 3-8. Alarm is initiated when pins Al1 and AlC are shorted
2	Connect relay coil. Coil must be supplied from same fuse as WRH
3	After commissioning, select Mains Breakdown in alarm configuration window in OM-Online. For details on setting alarm configuration see OM-Online User Manual.

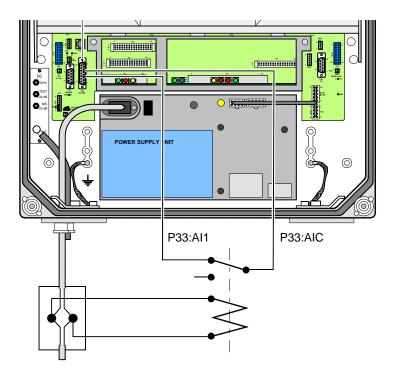


Figure 3-9 Main Power Breakdown Relay Connection

21-60 Volt DC PSU Installation

See the Field Replaceable Units, PSU section in Chapter 4 for details on replacing a 115/230 VAC PSU with a 21 to 60 Volt DC PSU.

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Before proceeding, carefully read the Safety section and check all connections made during the installation. To fulfill the IP65 weather protective requirements, ensure cable strain relief bushings are properly tightened. Also, ensure gaskets at cable inlets and on the cabinet are properly fitted and not damaged.

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A WRH can be configured locally with OM-Online by connecting a standard serial cable from the COM port on the PC to the P31 PC port (RS-232) located to the right in the cabinet as shown in Figure 3-9. The P31 PC port is described in Chapter 2. Details on using OM-Online are described in the OM-Online User Manual.

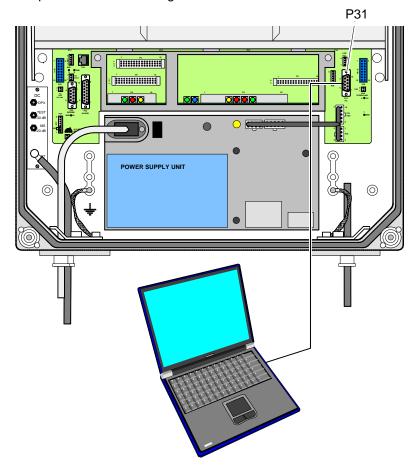


Figure 3-10 Connecting a PC for Local Access

Initial Startup

To complete the inital start-up of the WRH, follow the steps listed in Table 3-3.

Table 3-3 Initial Statup Procedure

Step	Action
1	Turn main power on
2	Check Yellow LED on power supply unit. Steadily lit = functioning correctly
3	Check the four CU PCBA LEDs. Refer to CU PCBA section in Chapter 2 for correct power up indications
4	Check the three ALI PCBA LEDs or corresponding LEDs on RCI PCBA. Refer to ALI or RCI PCBA section in Chapter 2 for correct power up indications

NOTE When optimizing WRHs, offset the UL gain 20dB less than the DL gain as a starting point. Always monitor the UL pass bands for noise levels and/or IMDs when optimizing and commissioning.

For CDMA carriers, ensure that the UL pass band is well above the noise floor.

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Passive Intermodulation (PIM) Testing

PIM is the non-linear effect of passive RF components in a desired RF transmission band. As higher percarrier transmit power levels are applied to duplexed passive RF networks, PIM becomes an increasingly significant factor in potential receiver desensitization. A PIM tester may be used on the RF network prior to turn-on and commissioning of the unit, but if a PIM tester is not available, the following may be used:

The following equipment is required to test for PIM:

- ☐ Anritsu Site eMaster or equivilent RF Spectrum Analyzer
- ☐ Agilent ESG4432B or equivilent Multi-Signal Generator (or commissioned BTS)
- ☐ Guarateed/calibrated PIM load capable of handling 20W composite power
- □ Low-PIM RF cable adaptors such as N-N female, Din male to N femaile, DIN-DIN, SMA-SMA female, and N male to SMA female
- ☐ Installed and operational WRH unit
- ☐ Installed passive RF network under test
- ☐ Torque wrenches for DIN and N connectors

Two different types of setup are available, depeding on equipment availability and testing methods. Figure 3-10 shows PIM testing with two carriers over one WRH, and Figure 3-11 shows PIM testing with one carrier over each of two WRHs.

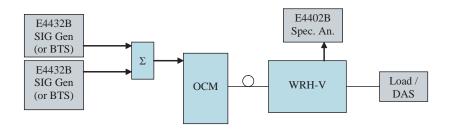


Figure 3-11 PIM testing two carriers and one WRH

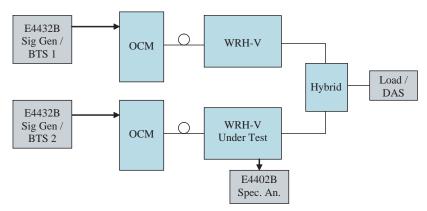


Figure 3-12 PIM testing one carrier over each of two WRHs

The following PIM test uses the receive sensitivity and gain of the WRH under test to verify that the receive path is free of PIM noise. For PIM to be a problem at a particular site, TX signals must exist such that their products fall into the RX band using the formulae:

$$3^{rd}$$
 order product = $(2 * f_1) - f_2$
and
 3^{rd} order product = $(2 * f_2) - f_1$

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Where f_1 and f_2 are two TX signals entering a WRH. The specification for the maximum allowed PIM is -115 dBm per 100 kHz resolution bandwidth at rated output power. To test for PIM follow the steps listed in Table 3-4.

Table 3-4 PIM Testing Procedure

Step	Action
1	If BTS signals are present, continue with step 2. Otherwise, connect two signal generators to OCM and set frequencies such that products are in relevent receive band (see equations above)
2	Set WRH UL gain to 60 dB and DL gain such that desired per carrier power is presented at output port
3	Set Spectrum Analyzer to 100 kHz resolution bandwidth and view RX band at 3 rd order product frequency calculated in step 1
4	Loosen fastening screw in each corner on front cover of WRH under test, and open cover
5	Verify the noise floor specification for the Spectrum Analyzer. If the noise floor is higher than or equal to -85 dBm/100 kHz, locate FON, disconnect UL cable from port P101 and connect SpectrumAnalyzer to the cable using an SMA female - female connector (noise limit becomes -115 dBm + 60 dB = -55 dBm). Continue with step 7.
6	If noise floor is lower than -85 dBm/100 kHz, locate the FON card and connect the Spectrum Analyzer to P117 (noise limit becomes -115 dBm + 60 dB - 30 dB = -85 dBm). If the FON only has three RF ports on the left side, port P117 will not be available, so follow instructions listed in step 5.
7	Enable WRH TX signal. For details on using OM-Online, see OM-Online user manual
8	Using Spectrum Analyzer, measure noise level. If no noise exists above calculated limit in step 5 (-55 dBm) or step 6 (-85 dBm) above, as appropriate, then test is passed and no other action is necessary
9	If a higher level of noise exists, disable the WRH TX signal and disconnect cable to DAS at bottom-left outside corner
10	Connect low PIM load onto WRH Service antenna connector at bottom-left outside corner. Tighten connectors securely
11	Remeasure noise level. If no noise exists above calculated limit in step 5 (-55 dBm) or step 6 (-85 dBm) as appropriate, then DAS has a PIM issue. Tighen all connections in DAS with torque wrenches, replace any cripmed or severely bent cables, and retest. Repeat until all issues are solved
12	Otherwise, if noise is higher than limit, WRH is defective and must be replaced. See Chapter 4 for Replacement procedures

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Chapter 4 Maintenance

Introduction

This chapter contains periodic maintenance and performance test procedures for the WRH.

Periodic Maintenance

Periodic maintenance requirements are listed in Table 4-1, as well as the intervals at which the tasks should be performed.

Task	Interval	Action
Inspection of cables and connectors	12 months	Inspect power, RF and Fiber cables for signs of damage or wear (frayed insulation, cracks, punctures, etc.) Check connections to be sure they are tight
	Optional	Perform cable sweeps
Clean equipment	Clean as required depending on operating environment	

Table 4-1 Recommended Periodic Maintenance

Troubleshooting

The sections that follow contain a list of problems that could occur and a few suggested actions that might correct each problem. If the suggested corrective action does not eliminate the problem, please contact your Powerwave field representative or help line for further instruction.

Clearing Alarm Faults

Table 4-2 lists the alarms that can be generated in the WRH. Critical, Error and Warning alarms are sent automatically from a WRH to OM-Online, stored and then viewed in the Alarm window.

Table 4-2 Alarm	Troubleshooting
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ID	Alarm Text	Alarm Unit	Alarm	Description
1 Power	Power	PSU	Critical	PSU1 in the cabinet does not work properly. A sum signal from the PSU1 indicates that at least one voltage output has dropped. If no mains breakdown relay is used, then the alarm will also be sent at mains breakdown
		PSU1 in the cabinet works properly again. Ceasing is sent if the PSU1 works at start-up, and there is a corresponding critical PSU1 alarm logged in the Events log. The WRH will restart when the power is back and this alarm will be sent		
		PSU	Critical	PSU2 in the cover does not work properly. A sum signal from the PSU2 indicates that at least one voltage output has dropped. If no mains breakdown relay is used, then the alarm will also be sent at mains breakdown

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Table 4-2 Alarm Troubleshooting (Continued)

ID	Alarm Text	Alarm Unit	Alarm	Description
			Ceasing	PSU2 in the cover works properly again. Ceasing is sent if the PSU2 works at start-up, and there is a corresponding critical PSU2 alarm logged in the Events Log. The WRH will restart when the power is back and this alarm will be sent
	Power	FON	Error	The FON 10 Volt charger voltage is below limit. Suggested remedy: Replace the FON
			Ceasing	The cause of the alarm has ceased
2	WRH restart	CU	None	Power on start, or user ordered reboot. Logged to indicate a normal power up, or a restart ordered by the operator
			Warning	Software error restart, 1st – 7th time. Restart 1st to 7th time during a 14 day period. The counter is reset every 14th day, counted from power up
			Error	Software error restart 8th – 10th time. Restart 8th to 10th time during the 14 day period. At the 11th time, the SW bank will be blocked and not used anymore until a user ordered reset is performed, or power is switched off/on
3	Mains breakdown	External	Critical	The mains power is gone. Used with an external relay indicating mains breakdown. The external relay should be connected to External Alarm 1 and the WRH configured to indicate this alarm. If no relay is used, a mains breakdown will be reported as a PSU fault
			Ceasing	The mains power is back. Sent if there is a corresponding critical mains breakdown alarm logged in the Events Log. The WRH will restart when the power is back
4	Alarm reset	CU	None	Alarm reset by the user. All alarms are reset. The cause of the alarm will be re-evaluated and reported, if still active
5	Local bus error	WBA #, MCPA#	Error	Error when communicating on the bus. The CU has no contact with the WBA, or MCPA PCBA, which is taken out of service
6	Main bkd w backup	External	Error	Used to indicate that the mains is no longer available. WRH is powered by external battery backup unit. Suggested remedy: Check the mains power
			Ceasing	The cause of the alarm has ceased
7	Err in AD- converter		Warning	The analog-to-digital converter on the CU PCBA does not give reliable values
8	New unit detected		None	Compared to the last power on, the CU has recognized at least one additional hardware unit
9	Inst. unit lost		Error	Compared to the last power on, the CU lacks at least one hardware unit
10	EEPROM error	CU	Error	EEP read or write fail. Data cannot be written or read from the EEPROM on the CU PCBA. User parameters are stored in the EEPROM
11	Log memory fault		Error	Log memory fault. Indicates that the log memory on the CU PCBA is faulty. The WRH will not work. Not available in all CU software versions

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Table 4-2 Alarm Troubleshooting (Continued)

ID	Alarm Text	Alarm Unit	Alarm	Description
12	High temp	CU	Warning	The CU PCBA temperature is higher than 90°C
			Ceasing	The CU PCBA temperature has fallen below 90°C
13	REFO error		Error	Significant REFO drift or error detected by CU
14	Ext REFO error		Warning	Suggested remedy: Check the reference source and the cables
15	CU battery fault	CU	Warning	CU RAM battery fault. The battery for the RAM on the CU PCBA has a voltage outside the normal 2.7 to 3.5 Volt. An alarm may be initiated at start-up if the WRH has been stored out of power for a long time. Suggested remedy: Ensure jumper P3 on the CU PCBA is mounted to charge the battery
			Ceasing	The cause of the alarm has ceased
16	SW load error	CU	Error	Software load error. An error has occurred during a software load process. The flash memory does not contain a proper software. Suggested remedy: Check the CU software using the OM-Online SW Manager. Do NOT restart the WRH
17	Log cleared	CU	None	Log memory has been cleared. The check sum in the Events Log memory is faulty. The log is cleared. Can be caused of a bad RAM battery backup or low voltage to the RAM
18	RTC restarted	CU	None	The time is changed by the operator (logged to keep track of changes made to the RTC)
			Warning	Time reset to 1994-01-01. The RTC was unable to keep track of the time and did a reset. Suggested remedy: Ensure jumper P3 on the CU PCBA is mounted to charge the battery
19	RTC error		Error	RTC does not operate. The CU has detected an error in the RTC operation which makes the time unreliable. Suggested remedy: Replace the CU PCBA
20	Door open alarm	External	Config	The door has been open 30 seconds without disabling the alarm
			Ceasing	The door has been closed 30 seconds, or the alarm is disabled
21	External alarm 1	External	Config	External alarm input EA1 active more than 1 second
			Ceasing	External alarm input EA1 no longer active
22	External alarm 2	External	Config	External alarm input EA2 active more than 1 second
			Ceasing	External alarm input EA2 no longer active
23	External alarm 3	External	Config	External alarm input EA3 active more than 1 second
			Ceasing	External alarm input EA3 no longer active
24	External alarm 4	External	Config	External alarm input EA4 active more than 1 second
			Ceasing	External alarm input EA4 no longer active

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Table 4-2 Alarm Troubleshooting (Continued)

ID	Alarm Text	Alarm Unit	Alarm	Description
30	No modem found	Remote ctrl	None	No modem found, that is no answer is returned on a poll string to the modem
33	No connection	Remote ctrl	None	No connection at callback. The WRH has tried to call as many times as stated in the alarm call settings. No connection was established.
			Warning	No connection at alarm call. The WRH has tried to call as many times as stated in the alarm call settings. No connection was established. This alarm does not generate a new attempt to report alarm by alarm call.
34	Login failed		None	Invalid WRH password
35	Remote connection	Remote ctrl	None	Modem connection to OM-Online opened. Not logged on CU2. Login Registry gives the same function and more information about CU2
36	Modem init failed	Remote ctrl	None	Initiation string to modem not OK. The initiation string sent to the modem is not OK. The string may contain commands not recognized by the modem. An alarm might be sent anyway. Suggested remedy: Check the modem using the OM-Online or OMS modem debugger
37	Remote timeout	Remote ctrl	Warning	The time limit of 20 minutes is exceeded without extending the timer. The modem connection is terminated by the WRH
38	PIN code failed	Remote ctrl	Warning	The PIN code sent to MS is incorrect. To unlock the MS/SIM card, the PUK code will probably be needed
			Ceasing	The cause of the alarm has ceased
39	No phone detected	Remote ctrl	Warning	When using a PC-card together with the MS, the alarm indicates contact with the PC-card, but MS is not present or turned off. Note: A Nokia MS does not power-up after power failure. Suggested remedy: Ensure the cellular phone is connected
			Ceasing	The cause of the alarm has ceased
40	Battery fault	RCU, FON charger	Error	The backup battery on the RCU or the FON PCBA does not work properly. Suggested remedy: Check cables or replace battery
			Ceasing	The cause of the alarm has ceased
42	Antenna isolation	WBA #, Channel #, UL/DL	Warning	Low antenna isolation. The antenna isolation is lower than the gain set. Gain is reduced by 10dB – 13dB below the oscillation point. Suggested remedy: Decrease gain or increase antenna isolation
			Error	Low antenna isolation at lowest gain. The gain has been reduced as much as possible but the oscillation still remains. The amplifier is turned off. Suggested remedy: Decrease gain or increase antenna isolation
			Ceasing	Normal operation again, that is no oscillation can be detected 13dB above the gain set
48	Battery backup fault	External	Error	If a battery backup unit alarm is connected to external alarm 2, then the operator can configure the WRH to display this alarm when the battery backup unit indicates alarm

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Table 4-2 Alarm Troubleshooting (Continued)

ID	Alarm Text	Alarm Unit	Alarm	Description
			Ceasing	The cause of the alarm has ceased
50	Fiberoptical error	FOT fiber optics	Configur able	If a fiber unit alarm is connected to external alarm 3, then the operator can configure the WRH to display this alarm when the fiber optical unit indicates alarm
			Ceasing	The cause of the alarm has ceased
70	Bad table alarm	CU	Error	Requested table contains incorrect information (SW error)
71	Table not found	CU	Error	Requested table not found in the database (SW or calibration error)
72	Table database error	CU	Error	Table database not found (calibration error)
80	Antenna SWR alarm	Donor antenna service	Error	Too low antenna return loss, caused either by cables, connectors, or antenna problems.
		antenna		Suggested remedy: Check antenna and cables
			Ceasing	The cause of the alarm has ceased
90	FON power alarm	FON RF	Error	A DC voltage on a FON PCBA is out of range. Suggested remedy: Replace the FON PCBA.
			Ceasing	The cause of the alarm has ceased
91	FON TxStable alarm	FON RF	Error	Laser transmitter control loop voltage out of range. Suggested remedy: Replace the FON PCBA
			Ceasing	The cause of the alarm has ceased
92	FON RxLevel alarm	FON	Warning	Received optical level is below any of the two limits (one for Warning and one for Error). Suggested remedy: Check optical cables
			Error	Received optical level is below any of the two limits (one for Warning and one for Error). Suggested remedy: Check optical cables
			Ceasing	The cause of the alarm has ceased
93	FON SPI alarm	FON F2F	Error	The SPI bus connection to the RF modem does not work properly. Suggested remedy: Replace the FON PCBA
245	Not In Allowed Area	CU	None	WRH is moved from the operating area and the RF HW is switched on or off

Remarks:

The Door Open alarm requires an optional door switch described in the Door Open Alarm section of Chapter 3.

The Main power breakdown alarm requires an optional relay described in the Main Power Breakdown Relay section of Chapter 3.

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Field Replaceable Units

The following units can be replaced in the field on-site by a qualified technician with experience maintaining RF equipment:

> □ FON □ PSU □ WRH

FON

To replace a FON PCBA, follow the steps listed in Table 4-3. For details on cables and connectors, see Chapter 2.



CAUTION: Do not look into the end of any fiber optic cable. Be sure to cap fiber optic cables to protect the connecting end from damage



CAUTION: Use of controls or adjustments or performance of procedures other than those specified herein may result in hazardous radiation exposure"

NOTE Verify 'Fiberoptical' classmark in the FON Status window is checked, otherwise FON will not be operational. Classmarks are described in the OM-Online User Manual.

Verify that the keyed angle polished connectors are aligned properly before tightening. Improper alignment can result in high signal loss and/or no connectivity with that node.

Table 4-3 FON Replacement Procedure

Step	Action	
1	Loosen all four locking screws on front of cabinet	
2	Open WRH door and secure	
3	Locate power connector on FON and remove connector from PCBA	
4	Verify all cables on FON are labeled before disconnecting, then disconnect all cables.	
5	Remove screws securing FON PCBA to FOU and remove PCBA	
6	Replace FON PCBA in reverse order and apply power	
7	Connect PC to OM Online port, login to FON and verify configuration and IP address.	
8	Close WRH door and secure	

NOTE After replacing the FON, if measurements taken at the fiber connector are correct but the OM Online measurement indicates a loss several dB higher, the likely causes are:

- 1) Dirty fiber.
- 2) The DIN to FC bulkhead adapter is bad.
- 3) Loose fiber connection on the FON board.
- 4) Bad WDM.

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PSU

To replace a PSU, follow the steps listed in Table 4-4. For details on cables and connectors, see Chapter 2.

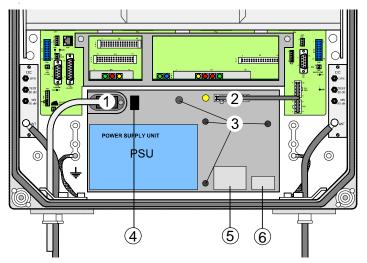


Figure 4-1 PSU Cable, Switch and Lable locations

Table 4-4 PSU Replacement Procedure

Step	Action
1	Loosen all four locking screws on front of cabinet
2	Open WRH door and secure
3	Disconnect main power plug from PSU(Location 1 shown in Figure 4-1)
4	Disconnect power cable bundle from PSU(Location 2 shown in Figure 4-1)
5	Loosen but do not remove screws securing PSU using a 5mm Allen key and remove PSU (Location 3 shown in Figure 4-1)
6	On new AC power supply, if used, set input voltage switch on PSU to correct input voltage 115 VAC or 230 VAC (Location 4 shown in Figure 4-1)
7	On new DC power supply, if used, verify that the supply voltage is 24 VDC or 48 VDC as stated on label on PSU (Location 5 shown in Figure 4-1)
8	Set new PSU to correct output supply voltage (27 VDC) by moving wire connection plug as illustrated on label on PSU (Location 6 shown in Figure 4-1)
9	Mount new PSU with all four fixing screws (Location 3 shown in Figure 4-1)
10	Connect PSU to DIA PCBA (Location 2 shown in Figure 4-9) with cable marked VE007 98/1. This cable must be used in all situations. If only one connection is available on DIA PCBA, the second connector may be tied out of the way with a cable tie
11	Insert power cord (AC power supply) or connect DC power cable brown wire (Europe) or black wire (US) to positive (+) pole and blue wire (Europe) or white wire (US) to negative (-) pole (DC power supply)
12	Close WRH door and secure with four locking screws on front of cabinet

WRH

To replace a WRH, follow the steps listed in the Table 4-5.



WARNING: A fully loaded WRH can weigh 96lbs. Lifting of the WRH should be done by two people. Do not attempt to carry the WRH up a ladder.

Table 4-5 WRH Replacement Procedure

Step	Action
1	Loosen all four locking screws on front of cabinet
2	Open WRH door and secure
3	Disconnect main power plug from PSU
4	Verify all external cables connected to WRH are labeled before disconnecting, then disconnect all external cables
5	Remove mounting screws from bottom legs of WRH and loosen mounting screws in top legs
6	Close and secure door
7	Lift the WRH off of mount hinges
8	Replace WRH in reverse order
9	Connect PC to OM Online port and verify configuration. For Fiber Optic installations, verify IP address
10	Close WRH door and secure

Remote Control Unit (RCU)

The RCU provides remote control of Powerwave WRHs. It contains an integrated mobile phone, modem and power supply backup. The RCU is installed in the bottom front of the cabinet, on top of the PSU as illustrated in Figure 4-2.

The RCU is connected to P130 on either an RCI or FON. A jumper is required between pins 1 and 2 on the RCI if the P130 cable connector is disconnected. If a main power failure occurs, the unit has a battery with enough capacity for sending a number of alarms.

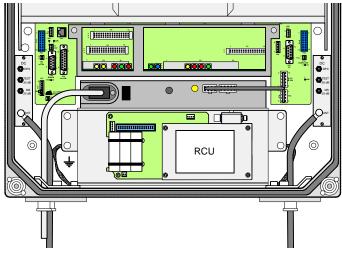


Figure 4-2 RCU in the WRH cabinet

RCU for Radio Communication

The RCU antenna for a radio modem is connected to the BS antenna via the uplink DC, provided the RCU and the WRH operate in the same cell system. Otherwise, the modem must have a separate antenna. Data is transferred between the WRH and the RCU via the P130 modem port on the RCI or FON. The RCU is also powered via the same port and has a battery with enough capacity to send a number of alarms if a main power failure occurs.

RCU for Telephone Line Communication

The land line version uses a telephone line connected to a terminal block on the RCU. A free strain relief bushing at the bottom of the WRH is used for the external telephone line cable.

Return For Service Procedures

When returning products to Powerwave, the following procedures will ensure optimum response.

Obtaining an RMA

A Return Material Authorization (RMA) number must be obtained prior to returning equipment to the factory for service. Pease contact our Repair Department at +1-714-466-1000 to obtain this number, or FAX your request to +1-714-466-5800. Failure to obtain this RMA number may result in delays in receiving repair service.

Repackaging for Shipment

To ensure safe shipment of the unit, it is recommended that the original package designed for shipping the unit be reused. If it is not available, contact Powerwave's Customer Service Department at 1-800-797-9283, +1-714-466-100 or by e-mail at support@pwav.com for packing material.

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Chapter 5 Specifications

Introduction

This chapter provides specifications for the WRH.

Table 5-1: WRH Specifications

Electrical	
Frequency band UL	788 to 805 MHz (CS, PS) 824 to 849 MHz (Cellular) 806 to 824 MHz (800 iDEN) 880 to 915 MHz (GSM 900) 896 to 901 MHz (900 iDEN) 1710 to 1785 MHz (GSM 1800) 1850 to 1910 MHz (PCS) 1850 to 1915 MHz (PCS+G) 1920 to 1980 MHz (UMTS) 1710 to 1755 MHz (AWS 2100)
Frequency band DL	758 to 775 MHZ (CS, PS) 869 to 894 MHz (Cellular) 851 to 869 MHz (800 iDEN) 935 to 940 MHz (GSM 900) 925 to 960 MHz (900 iDEN) 1805 to 1880 MHz (GSM 1800) 1930 to 1990 MHz (PCS) 1930 to 1995 MHz (PCS+G) 2110 to 2155 MHz (AWS 2100)
Max absolute delay	<300 ns
Gain adjustment range (in 1 dB steps)	30 dB
Gain Uplink Downlink Variation	35 to 60 dB typical - Excluding fiber link 45 to 70 dB typical - Excluding fiber link ± 1.5 dB versus temperature including fiber link ± 1.5 dB versus DL frequency including fiber link ± 0.5 dB versus DL output power including fiber link ± 0.5 dB versus input voltage including fiber link ± 2.0 dB versus UL frequency including fiber link
Instantaneous bandwidth	17 MHz (CS, PS) 25 MHz (Cellular) 18 MHz (800 iDEN) 35 MHz (GSM 900) 5 MHz (900 iDEN) 75 MHz (GSM 1800 60 MHz (PCS) 65 MHz (PCS+G) 60 MHz (UMTS) 45 MHz (AWS)

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Table 5-1: WRH Specifications (Continued)

Uplink AGC limit	0 dBm at FON input
Downlink AGC limit	43 dBm at antenna port
Return Loss	11 dB
Downlink, Spurious and Emissions level	-13 dBm/1 MHz (FCC) -36 dBm (below 1 GHz, per ETSI EN 300 609-4) -30 dBm (above 1 GHz, per ETSI EN 300 609-4)
Downlink power	+43 dBm RMS (20 Watts) (for FCC - UMTS) +40 dBm RMS (10 Watts) (for ETSI - GMS/EDGE)
Noise figure excluding fiber optic link	4 dB
Fiber-Optic Link Budget	10 dBo
Receiver input port return loss	14 dB
Power supply voltage	115/230 VAC 21-60 VDC
Maximum Current Draw (Single Band)	6 A @ 115 VAC 3 A @ 230 VAC 15A @ 21-60 VDC
Maximum Current Draw (Dual Band)	6 A @ 115 VAC 3 A @ 230 VAC 15A @ 21-60 VDC
Recommended Fuse size Single Band	10 A for AC voltage 20 A for DC voltage
Dual Band	20 A for AC voltage 40 A for DC voltage
Power consumption	210 W typical, 300 W max (Single band) 420 W typical, 600 W max (Dual band)
Impedance Input Output	Not Applicable - Optical input $50 \ \Omega$
Mechanical	
Dimensions (W x H x D in inches)	465 x 530 x 195 mm (18.3 x 20.9 x 8.3 in) incl. hinges (low cover) 465 x 530 x 310 mm (18.3 x 20.9 x 12.3 in) incl hinges (high cover)
Weight	<25 kg (55 lbs) low cover <44 kg (96 lbs) high cover
Service Antenna port connector	7/16 DIN Female
Donor Optical port connector	FC/APC
Environmental	
Operating Temperature Range	-25 °C to +55 °C (-13°F to +131°F)
Altitude	-142 m to 4000 m (-466 ft. to 13100 ft.
Casing class	NEMA4/IP65

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Table 5-1: WRH Specifications (Continued)

Fiber Optic Node (FON)	
Bandwidth @ 3dB	800 – 2200 MHz
Power Consumption, total	<5 W
Wavelength	TX: DFB 1310 or 1550 nm RX: 1250 – 1600 nm
Transmit Max continuous RF input Optical output power, two levels RF attenuation settable by SW in 1dB steps	+36dBm +3 or 0dBm 0-20dB
Receive Max optic power input RF attenuation settable by SW in 1dB steps Alarm threshold level, settable warning Alarm threshold level, settable error	+5dBm 4-24dB 0-40dBm 0-40dBm

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Appendix A Block Diagrams

Introduction

This appendix describes the main signals paths for the WRH.

Non-Diversity

Figure A-1 shows the non-diversity block diagram configuration of the WRH. The WRH is always fed by a BTS via either a BMU or an OCM. The TX signal from the BTS is converted to an optical signal in a BMU or OCM and fed to the WRH via a fiber optic cable. The optical signal is then received by the FON and converted to an RF signal. The FON supervises the signaling and reports errors via the RCU connected to the CU.

The RF signal enters the WBA, is amplified, and further amplified in amplifier stages followed by controllable attenuators. The signal exits the WBA and enters the MCPA where it is amplified and fed to the DPX. The amplified output signal passes the DPX before it is fed to the service antenna.

The uplink signal path is located on the same WBA but goes through an LNA before entering the WBA.

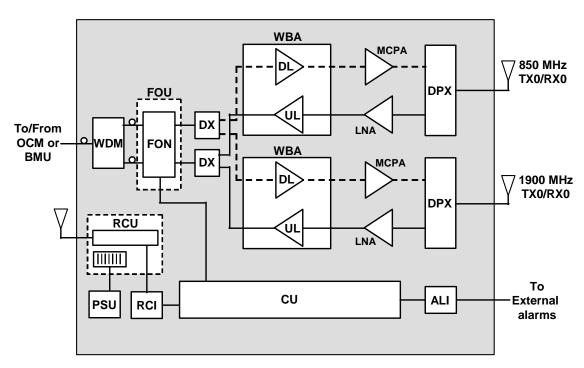


Figure A-1 WRH Block Diagram - Non-Diversity

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Diversity

Figure A-2 illustrates the diversity block diagram configuration of the WRH. With diversity installed, there are two paths on the UL instead of one. This requires an additional FON for the added receive path signal. Signal flow is identical to the non-diversity version with the MCPA on the DL and LNAs on the UL providing the additional amplification out of and into the WBA.

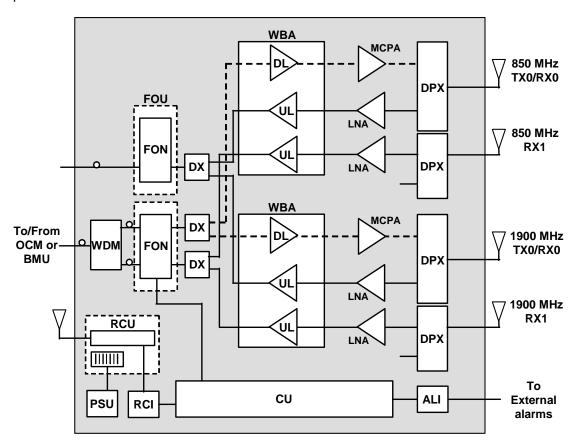


Figure A-2 WRH Block Diagram - Diversity

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