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Included in this exhibit is a draft of the Users Manual for the Ritron Models SPX-400 UHF-FM Portable Transceiver. A copy of this manual will be included with every radio.

This manual provides the end user with operating instructions.

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Preliminary Owner's Manual Models: SPX-200 SPX-400



Note: Please read this manual carefully to ensure you know how to properly operate the radio before use.

#### Package Contents

Carefully unpack and check that all items have been enclosed. Radio & Antenna Ni-MH battery pack (1350mAh) & belt clip Desktop rapid charger (1350mAh) with adaptor Hand strap

User's manual

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### FCC Licensing Information

RITRON SPX Series professional two-way radios operate on radio frequencies that are regulated by the Federal Communications Commission (FCC). In order to transmit on these frequencies, you are required to have a license issued by the FCC. Application is made on FCC Forms 600 and 159.

#### Question regarding FCC license; contact the FCC at: 1-888-CALL-FCC 1-888-225-5322 Or: http://www.fcc.gov

Changes or modifications not expressly approved by Ritron, Inc. may void the user's authority granted by the FCC to operate this radio and should not be made. To comply with FCC requirements, transmitter adjustments should be made only by or under the supervision of a person certified as technically qualified to perform transmitter maintenance and repairs in the private land mobile and fixed services as certified by an organization representative of the user of those services. Replacement of any transmitter component (crystal, semiconductor, etc.) not authorized by the FCC equipment authorization for this radio could violate FCC rules.

## NOTE:

Use of this radio outside the country for distribution is subject to government regulations and may be prohibited.

## Safety and General Information

#### **RF** Operational Characteristics

Your radio contains a transmitter and a receiver. When it is ON, it receives and transmits radio frequency (RF) energy. The SPX-200 VHF radios operate in the frequency range of **136-174 MHz**, the SPX-400 UHF radios operate in the frequency range of **400-470 MHz**. When you communicate with the **SPX-200**, the output power level is 1-5 watts, and with the **SPX-400**, the output power level is 1-4 watts

## EXPOSURE TO RADIO FREQUENCY ENERGY

The SPX Series handheld radios generate RF electromagnetic energy during transmit mode. The transmit mode is active when the PTT switch is depressed. This radio is designed for, and classified as, "Occupational Use Only", meaning that it must be used only during the course of employment by individuals who are aware of the hazards and the ways to minimize such hazards. This series of radios is NOT intended for use by the "General Population" in an uncontrolled environment.

When used as directed, this series of radios is designed to comply with the FCC's RF exposure limits for "Occupational Use Only". In addition, they are designed to comply with the following Standards and Guidelines:

- FCC OET Bulletin 65, Edition 97-01, Supplement C, Evaluating Compliance with FCC Guidelines for Human Exposure to Radio Frequency Electromagnetic Fields.
- American National Standards Institute (C95.1-1992), IEEE Standard for Safety Levels with Respect to Human Exposure to Radio Frequency Electromagnetic Fields, 3 kHz to 300 GHz.
- American National Standards Institute (C95.3-1992), IEEE Recommended Practice for the Measurement of Potentially Hazardous Electromagnetic Fields-RF and Microwave.

To ensure that exposure to RF electromagnetic energy is within the FCC allowable limits for occupational use, always adhere to the following guidelines:

- Use only the antenna(s) available from RITRON for these models. DO NOT attempt to substitute any other antenna. DO NOT operate the radio without an antenna.
- Keep talk times as short and infrequent as possible. DO NOT depress the PTT button when not actually wishing to transmit. These radios are equipped with an internal timer to limit continuous transmit times. DO NOT exceed a 50% transmit duty cycle.
- When transmitting, hold the radio in front of the mouth at a distance of at least 4 inches. DO NOT hold the radio in such a manner that the antenna is next to, or touching, exposed parts of the body, especially the face or eyes while transmitting.
- In belt mounted applications, when transmitting, remove the radio from the belt and hold away from the body at least 4 inches.

- When using external headset accessories, hold the unit away from the body at least 4 inches while transmitting.
- DO NOT allow children to operate the radio.

#### Label (on the radio)



This radio complies with the FCC RF exposure limits for Occupational Use Only.

### Antenna Care

**Use only the supplied or an approved replacement antenna.** Unauthorized antennas, modifications, or attachments could damage the radio and may violate FCC regulations.

Do not hold the antenna when the radio is "IN USE." Holding the antenna affects the effective range.

### Two-way Radio Operation

When using your radio as a traditional two-way radio, hold the radio in a vertical position with the microphone two to three inches (5.0 to 7.5 cm.) away from the lips.

#### Approved Accessories

The following accessories can be used with the SPX Series portable.

- 1. RSM-3X Speaker/Microphone
- 2. AFS-150 Low Profile VHF antenna (SPX-200)
- 3. AFS-450 Low Profile UHF antenna (SPX-400)

## **Medical Devices**

#### Pacemakers

The Advanced Medical Technology Association recommends that a minimum separation of 6 inches (15 centimeters) be maintained between a handheld wireless radio and a pacemaker. These recommendations are consistent with the independent research by, and recommendations of the U.S. Food and Drug Administration.

Persons with pacemakers should:

- ALWAYS keep the radio more than six inches (15 centimeters) from their pacemaker when the radio is turned ON.
- •DO not carry the radio in the breast pocket.
- Use the ear opposite the pacemaker to minimize the potential for interference.
- Turn the radio OFF immediately if you have any reason to suspect that interference is taking place.

#### **Hearing Aids**

Some wireless radios may interfere with some hearing aids. In the event of such interference, you may want to consult your hearing aid manufacturer to discuss alternatives.

#### **Other Medical Devices**

If you use any other personal medical device, consult the manufacturer of your device to determine if it is adequately shielded from RF energy. Your physician may be able to assist you in obtaining this information.

#### Safety and General Use While Driving

Check the laws and regulations on the use of radios in the area where you drive.

Always obey them. When using your radio while driving, please:

- Give full attention to the driving on the road.
- Use hands-free operation
- Pull off the road and park before making or answering a call if driving.

#### Operational Warnings For Vehicles with an Air Bag

Do not place a portable radio in the area over an air bag or in the air bag deployment area. Air bags inflate with great force. If a portable radio is placed in the air bag deployment area and the air bag inflates, the radio may be propelled with great force and cause serious injury to occupants of the vehicle.

#### **Potentially Explosive Atmospheres**

Turn off your radio prior to entering any area with a potentially explosive atmosphere, unless it is a radio type especially qualified for use in such areas as "Intrinsically Safe."

Do not remove, install, or charge batteries in such areas. Sparks in a potentially explosive atmosphere can cause an explosion or fire resulting in bodily injury or even death.

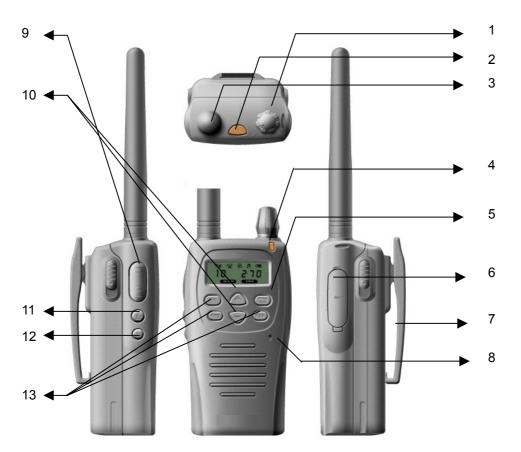
**Note:** The areas with potentially explosive atmospheres referred to above include fueling areas such as below decks on boats, fuel or chemical transfer or storage facilities, areas where the air contains chemicals or particles, such as grain, dust or metal powders, and any other area where you would normally be advised to turn off your vehicle engine. Areas with potentially explosive atmospheres are often but not always posted.

#### Save these Instructions

1. Do not expose the charger to rain or snow.

- 2. Do not operate the charger if it has received a sharp blow, or has been dropped or damaged in any way.
- 3. Do not disassemble the charger if it has received a sharp blow, or has been dropped or damaged in any way.
- 4. Never alter the AC cord or plug provided with the unit. If plug will not fit the outlet, have proper outlet installed by a qualified electrician. An improper condition can result in a risk of electric shock.
- 5. To reduce risk of damage to cord or plug, pull the plug rather than the cord when disconnecting charger from AC receptacle.
- 6. To reduce the risk of electric shock, unplug the charger from the outlet before attempting any maintenance or cleaning.
- 7. Use of an attachment not recommended or sold by Motorola may result in a risk of fire, electric shock, or personal injury.
- 8. Make sure that the cord is located so that it will not be stepped on, tripped over, or subjected to damage or stress.

## Getting Started SPX Series Radio Controls



## DESCRIPTION

- 1. Power switch / Use (Power) to: Turn power On/Off Adjust radio volume
- 2. Emergency button: Mode to enter Emergency Key
- 3. Antenna connector: Connect the supplied antenna here (SMA connector)

## 4. TX / RX / Battery Indicator

Red	On	Transmitting
Blinking		Low battery
Groop	On	Receiving, monitoring
Green	Blinking	Different sub-tone when receiving
Oranga	On	Initializing, programming and
Orange	On	cloning

## 5. Menu button (Menu / Esc.)

#### 6. Universal connector

Connect the external accessories (speaker / microphone, cloning cable & wall charger) (optional)

## 7. Belt clip

8. MIC.

## 9. PTT (Push-to-Talk) Button

Hold down to transmit, release to receive.

#### 10. Channel Select Button (Up & Down buttons)

Select the desired channel with pressing Up and Down button, pressing and holding down more than 1 second makes the channel moving fast

#### 11. Monitor Button

Press to monitor. Holding down over 2 seconds keeps monitoring function on, and press shortly again or PTT Button to stop.

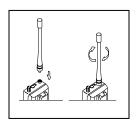
#### 12. Lamp

This key illuminates the LCD and keys on the front panel.

#### 13. Programmable Keys

These keys may be programmed as "Hot Keys" for various features.

#### **Installing Antenna:**



• Place the antenna into the antenna connector on the top of left hand side of the transceiver by holding the antenna at its base and turning clockwise until secured.

#### Installing the Nickel-Metal Hydride Battery

Your radio is powered by a NiMH battery, which provides up to 8 hours of usage (based upon 5% Transmit/ 5% Receive/ 90% Standby (standard duty cycle).



- Attach the battery matching the Ribbed Latch on the bottom of the radio.
- Position the battery by pushing the top back side of the battery.
- Securely snap the battery to the radio.

#### Charging with the charger

Charge the NiMH battery until the indication light turns green before using it for the first time, it will need up to 3 hours to charge fully.

- Make sure the radio is off.
- Plug the charger into an electric outlet. The light on the charger will glow red to perform charging.

**NOTE:** If the radio is On while charging, additional time is required to charge the battery

• Use only the Charger supplied with the radio, or other SPX Series accessories.

#### **Turning On/Off Your Radio**

- Turn the knob on the top of the radio clockwise to turn the radio On. Turn the knob counterclockwise to turn the radio Off.
- The radio beeps and the display briefly shows all features and display segments of your radio.
- The radio displays the current Channel and the Frequency assigned to that Channel or the alpha-numeric name.
- You can set the volume by adjusting the knob on the top of the radio.

#### NOTE: Do not hold the radio too close to your ear when the volume is at a high setting.

- If the **PASSWORD** function is programmed, "**PASSWORD**" will display on the LCD when the light power is turned on. To unlock the SPX Series, enter the correct password to activate.
- If the wrong password has been entered, "ERROR" will display on the LCD with radio remaining locked with an error sound.

#### **Volume Control**

Rotate the Power On/Off Control Switch clockwise to increase the volume and counter clockwise to reduce the volume. Rotate fully counter clockwise to turn transceiver off.

#### **Operating Radio**

To check Channel activity, press the monitor button: **M.** If you hear static, then the channel is clear to use. Do not transmit if someone is speaking on the channel.

- Press and hold PTT and speak into the radio. To maximize clarity hold the radio 2 to 3 inches away from your mouth.
- To listen for messages, release PTT.
- The ICON will appear on the LCD. If the Busy Channel Lock Out (BCLO) function is programmed, "BC" will appears on the LCD with a alarm ( - ). If Time-Out-Timer function is programmed, alarm ( ) will be sound before 5 seconds of fixed time. After fixed time, "TOT" will appears on the LCD and then, change to receiving mode.

**NOTE:** The transmit light on the front right of the radio flashes every three seconds when the radio is On and is steady red when transmitting.

#### Signal Strength Indicator/Channel busy

The radio displays **T** when there is activity on the channel and the transmit LED flashes every second.

#### Receive

Choose the desired channel by pressing channel select button . The LED lights green when receiving. If the signal doesn't match the sub-tone programmed in your transceiver, the speaker will be muted and the LED will flash green. The ICON will appear on the LCD.

#### **Channel Select**

Select the desired channel by pressing Up  $\blacktriangle$  and Down  $\lor$  scroll button. Pressing and holding down more than 1 second will activate the channel to scroll faster with no sounds.

#### Key Lock On / Off

While holding the Menu Button, press **P1** Button more than 3 seconds simultaneously to select the key lock **ON** or **OFF**. The ICON appears on the LCD. This function prevents users from changing the channel inadvertently.

#### **User Programmable Features:**

- 1. TX/RX Frequency
- 2. Select RX/TX Tone
- 3. 2-Tone Encode

#### User Program Mode

- To activate the Menu list for User Program Mode, you must press and hold the Menu/Esc button while you turn on the radio.

- The up/down arrow buttons will allow you to select the desired channel, and the P2 and P3 buttons will allow you to select the feature. The P1 button will be used to turn the feature On or Off, and the Menu/Esc button will save the selection.

-Once all programming is complete, to exit User Program Mode, turn the radio off and then back on.

### TX/RX Frequency List (Refer to Table 1):

- 1. The user will place radio in User Programming Mode as per previous instructions.
- 2. The user will select the "channel number" they wish to program using the Up/Down arrows.
- 3. The user will select "Frequency Table" using the P2 and P3 buttons. The feature will be selecte d with the P1 button.
- 4 The user must will scroll through the list of frequencies with the 2 digit "code number" and "frequency or alpha tag" displayed using the Up/Down arrows.
- 5. When the user selects a specific "code number" and enters the selection via the "menu/esc" key, it will be assigned to the "channel number" (see step #2) the customer has selected.
- 6. When the user "exits" User programming mode, radio will <u>only</u> scroll through and display the num ber of channels that the user has "programmed".

## CTCSS/CDCSS Tones (Refer to Tables 2 and 3):

- 1. Once in User Program Mode, the channel number will be displayed.
- 2. The user will select a Channel Number with the Up/Down arrows, after 3 seconds the first feature of the feature list will be displayed and the user can scroll through the feature list with the P2 or P3 buttons to find the CTCSS/CDCSS feature.
- 3. Once this feature is selected, pressing the P1 button will display the CTCSS/CDCSS list.
- 4. Using the Up/Down arrows the user can select a given code from the list.
- 5. Pressing the Menu/ESC button will save the selection for that Channel Number and bring the user back to the feature list. The selected CTCSS/CDCSS code number will be used for both TX and RX frequency.

## 2-Tone Encode:

- 1. Once in User Program Mode, the channel number will be displayed.
- 2. The user will select a Channel Number with the Up/Down arrows, after 3 seconds the first feature of the feature list will be displayed and the user can scroll through the feature list with the P2 or P3 buttons to find 2-Tone Encode.
- 3. Once the feature is selected, pressing the P1 button will display the list, and using the Up/Down arrows the user can select a given 2-Tone frequency pair from the list.
- 4. Pressing the Menu/ESC button will save the selection for that Channel Number and bring the user back to the feature list.

# TABLE 1: PROGRAMMABLE FREQUENCY CODES.....

	UHF Business Band				UHF Business Band				VHF Business Band				
Code	Frequency	Color Dot	BW	Code	Frequency	Color Dot	BW	Code	Frequency	Color Dot	BW		
01	467.7625	J	25	40	461.2875		12.5	03	151.625	Red Dot	25		
02	467.8125	К	25	41	461.3125		12.5	04	151.955	Purple Dot	25		
03	464.5500	Yellow Dot	25	42	461.3375		12.5	05	151.925		25		
04	464.5000	Brown Dot	25	43	461.3625		12.5	06	154.540		25		
05	467.8500	Silver Star	25	44	462.7625		12.5	07	154.515		25		
06	467.8750	Gold Star	25	45	462.7875		12.5	08	154.655		25		
07	467.9000	Red Star	25	46	462.8125		12.5	09	151.685		25		
08	467.9250	Blue Star	25	47	462.8375		12.5	10	151.715		25		
09	469.2625		25	48	462.8625		12.5	11	151.775		25		
10	462.5750	White Dot	25	49	462.8875		12.5	12	151.805		25		
11	462.6250	Black Dot	25	50	462.9125		12.5	13	151.835		25		
12	462.6750	Orange Dot	25	51	464.4875		12.5	14	151.895		25		
13	464.3250		25	52	464.5125		12.5	15	154.490		25		
14	464.8250		25	53	464.5375		12.5	16	151.655		25		
15	469.5000		25	54	464.5625		12.5	17	151.745		25		
16	469.5500		25	55	466.0375		12.5	18	151.865		25		
17	463.2625		25	56	466.0625		12.5	24	151.700		12.5		
18	464.9125		25	57	466.0875		12.5	25	151.760		12.5		
19	464.6000		25	58	466.1125		12.5	26	152.700		25		
20	464.7000		25	59	466.1375		12.5						
21	462.7250		25	60	466.1625		12.5		VHE	MURS**			
22	464.5000		12.5	61	466.1875		12.5		••••				
23	464.5500		12.5	62	466.2125		12.5	Code	Frequency	Color Dot	BW		
24	467.7625		12.5	63	466.2375		12.5	01	154.600	Green Dot	25		
25	467.8125		12.5	64	466.2625		12.5	02	154.570	Blue Dot	25		
26	467.8500		12.5	65	466.2875		12.5	19	151.820	MURS	12.5		
27	467.8750		12.5	66	466.3125		12.5	20	151.880	MURS	12.5		
28	467.9000		12.5	67	466.3375		12.5	21	151.940	MURS	12.5		
29	467.9250		12.5	68	466.3625		12.5	22	154.600	MURS	12.5		
30	461.0375		12.5	69	467.7875		12.5	23	154.570	MURS	12.5		
31	461.0625		12.5	70	467.8375		12.5	20	104.070	MORO	12.0		
32	461.0875		12.5	71	467.8625		12.5						
33	461.1125		12.5	72	467.8875		12.5			otes			
34	461.1375		12.5	73	467.9125		12.5	** ML		iencies do	not		
35	461.1625		12.5	74	469.4875		12.5			CC license.	All		
36	461.1875		12.5	75	469.5125		12.5			ncies require	e an		
37	461.2125		12.5	76	469.5375		12.5		C license.				
38	461.2375		12.5	77	469.5625		12.5			dwidth in kHz			
39	461.2625		12.5							dicates a n			
								bai	nd channel	, 25 kHz indi	cates		

band channel, 25 kHz indicates a wide band channel

# CANADIAN FREQUENCY CODES .....

		a Models iness Band	1		Canada Models VHF Business Band			British Columbia Models VHF Business Band				
Code	e Frequency	Color Dot	BW	Code	e Frequency	Color Dot	BW	Code	Frequency	Color Dot	BW	
01	458.6625		25	01	151.055		25	01	154.100		25	
02	469.2625		25	02	151.115		25	02	158.940		25	

# TABLE 2: INTERFERENCE ELIMINATORPROGRAMMABLE QC TONE CODES

Code	Frequency	Code	Frequency	Code	Frequency	Code	Frequency
01	67.0	14	107.2	27	167.9	40	159.8
02	71.9	15	110.9	28	173.8	41	165.5
03	74.4	16	114.8	29	179.9	42	171.3
04	77.0	17	118.8	30	186.2	43	177.3
05	79.7	18	123.0	31	192.8	44	No Tone
06	82.5	19	127.3	32	203.5	45	183.5
07	85.4	20	131.8	33	210.7	46	189.9
08	88.5	21	136.5	34	218.1	47	196.6
09	91.5	22	141.3	35	225.7	48	199.5
10	94.8	23	146.2	36	233.6	49	206.5
11	97.4	24	151.4	37	241.8	50	229.1
12	100.0	25	156.7	38	250.3	51	254.1
13	103.5	26	162.2	39	69.4		

# TABLE 3: DIGITAL INTERFERENCE ELIMINATORPROGRAMMABLEDQC TONE CODES

| Code |
|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| 023  | 072  | 152  | 244  | 311  | 412  | 466  | 631  |
| 025  | 073  | 155  | 245  | 315  | 413  | 503  | 632  |
| 026  | 074  | 156  | 246  | 325  | 423  | 506  | 645  |
| 031  | 114  | 162  | 251  | 331  | 431  | 516  | 654  |
| 032  | 115  | 165  | 252  | 332  | 432  | 523  | 664  |
| 036  | 116  | 172  | 255  | 343  | 445  | 532  | 703  |
| 043  | 122  | 174  | 261  | 346  | 446  | 546  | 712  |
| 047  | 125  | 205  | 263  | 351  | 452  | 565  | 723  |
| 051  | 131  | 212  | 265  | 356  | 454  | 606  | 731  |
| 053  | 132  | 223  | 266  | 364  | 455  | 662  | 732  |
| 054  | 134  | 225  | 271  | 365  | 462  | 612  | 734  |
| 065  | 143  | 226  | 274  | 371  | 464  | 624  | 743  |
| 071  | 145  | 243  | 306  | 411  | 465  | 627  | 754  |

#### **Hot Keys**

All Hot Key functions are PC programmable. All Hot Keys will have the option of "None" in their list of options. The following is a list of functions that may be programmed for Hot Keys P1(short), P1(long), P2(short), P2(long), P3(short0, and P3(long).

- <u>DTMF ANI</u> When the button is pressed momentarily (short) or for 3 seconds (long), the transmitter will be activated and the DTMF digits that are programmed for that channel will be transmitted.
- <u>5 Tone ANI</u> When the button is pressed momentarily (short) or for 3 seconds (long), the transmitter will be activated and the 5-Tone Code that is programmed for that channel will be transmitted.
- <u>Scan</u> When the button is pressed momentarily (short) or for 3 seconds (long), the unit will scan according to the scan feature set-up. SCN icon will be displayed. To exit the scan feature, press either Up/Down Channel Button. The SCN icon will not be displayed.
- <u>2-Tone Encode</u> When the button is pressed momentarily (short) or for 3 seconds (long), the transmitter will be activated and the 2-Tone that is programmed for that channel will be transmitted.
- <u>Weather Scan (VHF only)</u> When the button is pressed momentarily (short) or for 3 seconds (long), the unit will scan the 7 U.S. weather frequencies. SCN icon will be displayed. If the unit stops on the incorrect frequency, then a subsequent press will resume Weather Scan search for the next active frequency in the list of 7 freqs. To exit the Weather Scan feature, press either Up/Down Button. The SCN icon will not be displayed.
- <u>Key Lock</u> Pressing the button for Key Lock will disable all front panel buttons (including Menu/ESC key) except for the button programmed for Key Lock. The lock icon will be displayed. Pressing the button again will disable the function and the lock icon will not be displayed.
- <u>Talk Around</u> If using a repeater frequency, pressing the button for Talk Around will cause the radio to transmit on the receive frequency when the PTT is pressed. The "T" icon will be displayed. Pressing the button again will put the radio into normal operation and the "T" icon will not be displayed.
- <u>TX Power</u> Pressing the button will alternately switch the power level from low to high power. "High Power" or "Low Power" will be displayed momentarily. VHF: low power = 1 watt, high power = 5 watts, UHF: low power = 1 watt, high power = 4 watts.
- None A button that is programmed for "None" will have no effect when pressed.

### **PC Programmer**

The following is a list of features that are PC programmable.

### 1. VOX

Internal Voice Operated Transmit allows you to operate in hands-free mode without pressing PTT. When the VOX feature is enabled, the VOX ICON appears on LCD with "VOX LEVEL XX". The sensitivity level can be selected between 1(very sensitive) and 15 (less sensitive).

### 2. DTMF ANI

Once one of the "Hoy Keys" is selected for ANI operation, pressing that button will automatically cause the radio to transmit the programmed ANI sequence up to XX characters.

#### 3. 5-Tone ANI

Once one of the "Hoy Keys" is selected for 5-Tone ANI operation, pressing that button will automatically cause the radio to transmit the programmed 5-Tone ANI sequence.

#### 4. Scanning

Scan allows you to monitor other channels. When the radio detects activity, it stops scanning and locks in on the active Channel. This allows you to talk and listen to the person transmitting without changing channels.

Once one of the "Hoy Keys" is selected for SCAN operation, pressing that button will automatically cause the radio to scan all channels programmed for scan.

#### Priority scan channel

One channel can be selected as a priority channel. When scanning or receiving, if there is activity on the priority channel, the radio will automatically go to the priority channel until the activity is finished.

## 5. TX power (1W or 4W/5W) per channel

TX output power can be to Low 1W or High 4W(UHF) or 5W(VHF). You can select low to extend battery life or high to extend communication range.

## 6. Busy channel lockout

BCLO prevents users from transmitting if any activity is detected on the channel. If selected "BC" will appear on the LCD.

## 7. Power Saving Control

If after a predetermined time the transceiver has not entered either transmit or receive mode, it will

automatically go into power save mode. This feature will further increase your duty cycle.

OFF: Power Saver is disabled PSC-NORM: Normal mode

PSC-ENH: Enhance mode

## 8. Talk around

Once one of the "Hoy Keys" is selected for Talk-Around operation, pressing that button will automatically cause the radio to transmit on the transmit frequency of the repeater system you are using. A "T" will appear on the LCD.

## 9. Squelch Level

You can program which levels you wish to set appropriate squelch level. LEVEL 00: Loose, LEVEL 8: Standard, LEVEL 15: Tight

## 10. Large Font Display

Font size for the LCD can programmed or either "Small" or "Large".

## 11. Select RX/TX Tone

QC, DQC, or NONE sub-audible sub-tones may be programmed for each channel.

## 12. Select RX/TX Frequency

Pre-selected table frequencies or custom RX and TX frequencies can be programmed for each channel.

## **Additional Functions**

## 1. LCD backlight

When you press Lamp button once, LCD backlight operates for 5 seconds

## 2. Low Battery Warning & Display

When the available capacity falls below 10%, the Battery ICON will flash with a warning sound. At this time it is recommended that you either change or re-charge the battery pack as early as possible. (Battery ICON indicates battery capacity)

## 3. Time–Out Timer (TOT)

This feature limits the amount of time you can continuously transmit on a channel. The time range is programmable from 0~250 seconds. There will be a short pre–alert warning tone 4 seconds prior to the end of the transmission, the transmission is then terminated and there will be a constant alert tone until you release the PTT Button.

## 4. Cloning

You can clone data to other transceiver using the cloning cable.

To enter programming mode, While holding Monitor button, turn the Power switch at the same time.

## **Use and Care**

- Use a soft damp cloth to clean the exterior.
- Do not immerse in water.
- Do not use alcohol or cleaning solutions

## SPECIFICATIONS

Model		SPX-200	SPX-400							
Frequency		136-156MHz (L)	400-430MHz (L)							
Range	TX / RX	146-174MHz (H)	440-470MHz (H)							
Dimension		110(H) x 50.5(W) x 37.5(D	110(H) x 50.5(W) x 37.5(D) mm							
Weight (With	n Battery)	306g (0.71 lbs)								
Operating V	oltage	DC 7.5V								
Operating Te	emp.	-30 ~ 60								
Battery Life	(5:5:90)									
Hi power: 5	watts(VHF)									
4 w	atts(UHF)	1350mAh Ni-MH : 8hrs	: 8hrs							
Low power:	1 watt	1350mAh Ni-MH : 11 hrs								
Channels		128								
Privacy Cod	es	38 QC, 83 DQC, INVERT 83 DQC								
Band Width		12.5KHz /20 /25KHz programmable								
Audio Powe	r (16Ω)	[16Ω) 500mW ((Min.) (5% Distortion)					500mW ((Min.) (5% Distortion)			

• Specification is subject to change without prior notice

## **Troubleshooting**

## No Power

• Recharge or replace battery, reposition or replace

## Message not transmitted

- Make sure PTT is completely pressed as you transmit.
- Recharge, replace and/or reposition batteries.

## Limited talk range

- Steel and/or concrete structures, heavy foliage, buildings or vehicles decrease range. Check for clear line of sight to improve transmission.
- Wearing radio close to body such as in a pocket or on a belt decreases range. Change location of radio.

## Message not received

- Confirm radios have the same Channel, Frequency, and QC/DQC tone.
- Recharge, replace and/or reposition batteries.
- Obstructions and operating indoors, or in vehicles, may interfere-- change location.
- Verify that the radio is not in Scan

## Heavy static or interference

- Radios are too close, they must be at least five feet apart.
- Radios are too far apart or obstacles are interfering with transmission.

## Low batteries

- Recharge or replace NiMH battery.
- Extreme operating temperatures affect battery life.

## Charger light does not come on

• Check radio/battery is properly inserted and check battery/charger contacts to be sure they are clean and charging pin is inserted correctly.

## Cannot activate VOX

• Feature not set and on. Sensitivity set to Level 1

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		product, at RITRON's option, parts and
		labor included at no charge.
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  - the use of covered products other than in normal and customary manner or,
  - improper testing or installation;
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