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About the Conventional QUANTAR Replacement Guide

This manual provides information relating to the removal, installation, and configuration of a conventional QUANTAR® with a GTR 8000 Base Radio.

What is Covered In This Manual?

This manual contains the following chapters:

- [Getting Started with the Conventional QUANTAR Replacement on page 23](#) provides general information related to the replacement of a digital, analog, and mixed mode conventional QUANTAR® with a GTR 8000 Base Radio.
- [Conventional QUANTAR and GTR 8000 Base Radio Descriptions on page 25](#) provides a high-level description for the QUANTAR®, GTR 8000 Base Radio, and the supported conventional features.
- [Installation Prerequisites and Electrical Connections on page 37](#) provides installation precautions, prerequisites, and the electrical connections of ports for both the QUANTAR® and, GTR 8000 Base Radio.
- [Replacement of an Analog/Mixed Mode Conventional QUANTAR with a GTR 8000 Base Radio on page 49](#) provides the removal, installation, and configuration procedures for replacing a analog/mixed mode conventional QUANTAR® with a GTR 8000 Base Radio.
- [Replacement of a Digital Conventional QUANTAR with a GTR 8000 Base Radio on page 59](#) provides the removal, installation, and configuration procedures for replacing a digital conventional QUANTAR® with a GTR 8000 Base Radio.
- [Optimization and Troubleshooting for the GTR 8000 Base Radio on page 69](#) provides optimization procedures and troubleshooting information for the conventional GTR 8000 Base Radio.
- [RSS to CSS Parameter Lookup on page 71](#) defines all the relevant parameters used for the conventional QUANTAR® as well as the equivalent parameters used for the conventional GTR 8000 Base Radio.
- [Analog Simulcast Cable Assembly on page 87](#) provides all the part numbers, assembly procedures and installation procedures for the conventional analog simulcast connections to the GTR 8000 Base Radio.

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Related Information

See the following documents for information related to this manual:

| Related Information | Purpose |
|---|---|
| <i>Standards and Guidelines for Communication Sites</i> | Provides standards and guidelines that should be followed when setting up a Motorola communications site. Also known as the R56 manual. This manual may be purchased on CD 9880384V83, by |

Table continued...

| Related Information | Purpose |
|---|--|
| | calling the North America Parts Organization at 800-422-4210 (or the international number: 302-444-9842). |
| <i>GTR 8000 Base Radio</i> | Provides information required to install, configure, and maintain the GTR 8000 Base Radio which provides the RF interface for voice, data, and control traffic transmissions between the infrastructure equipment and subscriber radios that use the system. |
| <i>QUANTAR Instruction Manual</i> (6881095E05–D) | Provides all relating information for the installation and operation of the QUANTAR® station for conventional, ASTRO®, 6809 Trunking, and IntelliRepeater systems. |
| <i>Configuration/Service Software (CSS) Online Help</i> | Provides descriptions and important information for all screens and parameters used with all G-series devices. For the conventional GTR 8000 Base Radio, see the “Conventional Site – ASTRO 7.13 and Later” contents for digital, analog, and mixed mode conventional help. |
| <i>Conventional Operations</i> | Provides information regarding conventional channel resource operating characteristics in standalone systems or ASTRO® 25 radio communication systems with K Series, L Series, or M Series. |
| <i>Quick Guide for Implementing MLC 8000s</i> | Provides site-level information and sequences for implementing the MLC 8000 device which is used as an analog conventional comparator/voter for analog IP-based simulcast and non-simulcast voting, and as a subsite link converter for conventional analog, digital, and mixed mode channels. |

Chapter 1

Getting Started with the Conventional QUANTAR Replacement

This chapter provides general information related to the replacement of a conventional QUANTAR® station.

1.1

Purpose of Replacement Guide

This replacement guide provides all the necessary information to remove an existing conventional QUANTAR® station and replace it with a GTR 8000 Base Radio. Before proceeding with the replacement, take the time to familiarize yourself with the information covered in the first three chapters.

1.2

Compliance and Safety Considerations



IMPORTANT: Before performing a base radio replacement, verify and follow all safety, training, and certification requirements and considerations.

Make sure to follow the R56 standards and guidelines for communication sites, including all safety requirements and considerations. See the *Standards and Guidelines for Communication Sites* manual. The Motorola Online (MOL) website contains additional information. For more details, log on to <https://businessonline.motorolasolutions.com/> and click **Resource Center**.

1.2.1

R56 Compliance Audit

Table 1: R56 Compliance Audit

| Activity | Description | Reference |
|----------------|---|---|
| R56 Compliance | The site should meet R56 standards and an ETA certified R56 auditor must verify compliance. | See the following manuals: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Standards and Guidelines for Communication Sites</i>• R56 Compliance Checklist and the R56 Audit Form in <i>Standards and Guidelines for Communication Sites</i> |

1.2.2

Hardware Installation and Optimization

The following table covers the references to the information required for site preparation:

Table 2: Hardware Installation and Optimization

| Activity | Description | Reference |
|---|--|--|
| Equipment Replacement and Configuration | Covers the equipment replacement and configuration procedures which must be performed at the site. | Chapter Replacement of an Analog/Mixed Mode Conventional QUANTAR with a GTR 8000 Base Radio on page 49 and Chapter Replacement of a Digital Conventional QUANTAR with a GTR 8000 Base Radio on page 59 . |
| Optimization and Troubleshooting | Covers the equipment test and verification procedures which must be performed at the site. | Chapter Optimization and Troubleshooting for the GTR 8000 Base Radio on page 69 . |

Chapter 2

Conventional QUANTAR and GTR 8000 Base Radio Descriptions

This chapter provides a high-level description for the conventional QUANTAR® and GTR 8000 Base Radio as well as their supported features.

2.1

QUANTAR Overview

The QUANTAR® station supports conventional capabilities in a compact, software-controlled design. The station architecture and microprocessor-controlled Station Control Module allow for fast and reliable expansion and upgrading. FLASH memory in the Station Control Module allows software downloads to be performed locally (using the serial or Ethernet port) or remotely through the modem.

The station wireline circuitry provides a wide variety of telephone interfaces, including analog, ASTRO, ASTRO CAI, Tone Remote Control, DC Remote Control, and WildCard I/O connections. The configuration and servicing of a QUANTAR® station is performed using the Radio Service Software (RSS).

For a detailed description of the theory of operation for the QUANTAR® station, see the *QUANTAR Instruction Manual* (6881095E05-D).

2.2

GTR 8000 Base Radio Overview

A GTR 8000 Base Radio consists of a transceiver module, power amplifier module, fan module, and power supply. The transceiver module includes the functionality for the exciter, receiver, and station control. The base radio software, configuration, and network management, as well as inbound/outbound traffic handling, are performed through the transceiver module. On-board serial and Ethernet service ports are on this module for local servicing through the Configuration/Service Software (CSS). The power amplifier module amplifies the low-level modulated RF signal from the transceiver module and delivers the amplified signal on the path to the transmit antenna. The power supply module supports the transceiver and power amplifier modules. Radio Frequency Distribution System (RFDS) provides the interface between the transceivers and the site antennas and between the power amplifier and the site antennas.

For a detailed description of the theory of operation for the GTR 8000 Base Radio, See the *GTR 8000 Base Radio* manual.

2.3

Conventional System Configurations

The conventional GTR 8000 Base Radio is available in the following system configurations:

- Conventional circuit simulcast, voting, and multicast subsystems
- Conventional base or repeater sites
- Centralized Conventional Architecture
- Distributed Conventional (Subsystem) Architecture
- ASTRO® 3.1 Conventional System



NOTICE: Contact Motorola regarding the latest list of system architectures and site types supported by the conventional GTR 8000 Base Radio.

2.4

Conventional Software Options

The GTR 8000 Base Radio supports the following software options for conventional system operation:

- **CA01484AA** – Project 25 FDMA conventional software



NOTICE: This option provides IP digital-only Project 25 FDMA conventional base radio software with capability for one frequency pair and in-cabinet repeat. Analog and mixed mode operation is not supported.

- **CA01948AA** – ASTRO® 3.1 conventional software



NOTICE: This option provides the ASTRO® 3.1 conventional feature set; the GTR 8000 Base Radio can operate standalone or connected to an ASTRO® 25 7.12 system through a GGM 8000.

- **CA01949AA** – Analog conventional software

Option **CA01948AA** provides a similar feature set to the QUANTAR® conventional base radio. With this feature set, the base radio is configurable for digital Project 25 FDMA operation, analog conventional operation, and mixed mode (digital P25 and analog) operation. It supports digital V.24, analog 4-wire and mixed mode 4-wire/V.24 hybrid circuit wireline link interfaces. Up to 16 programmable channel configurations are supported. Each channel configuration can be configured for base station, repeater, simplex, or receive only operation.

Option **CA01949AA** provides a circuit analog conventional base radio. This base radio software supports 2-wire, 4-wire, and 8-wire circuit analog wireline links. Up to 16 programmable channel configurations are supported. Each channel configuration can be configured for base station, repeater, simplex, or receive only operation. Tone Remote Control wireline keying is supported, with a full complement of programmable function tones. An internal frequency reference is included as standard equipment with this option.

2.5

Conventional Architectures

The conventional GTR 8000 Base Radio supports the following architectures:

- Standalone repeater
- Console controlled repeater
- Console controlled base station
- Control station
- Simulcast configuration with GCM 8000 Comparator
- Simulcast configuration with ASTRO-TAC™ 3000 Comparator
- Simulcast configuration with MLC 8000 Comparator
- Voting configuration with ASTRO-TAC™ 3000 Comparator
- Voting configuration with DIGI-TAC
- Voting configuration with MLC 8000 Comparator

2.5.1

Analog Simulcast Channel Compatibility

Base radios used in an analog simulcast channel are only compatible when their respective audio delays are exactly the same. The audio delay in a QUANTAR® station is in the microsecond range. The GTR 8000 Base Radio processes simulcast audio through the DSP, which delays the audio by 11 milliseconds. Therefore, due to the mismatch in the inherent audio delays, the QUANTAR® station and GTR 8000 Base Radio are not compatible on the same analog simulcast channel.

2.6

Frequencies for ASTRO 3.1 Conventional Architectures

The GTR 8000 Base Radio supports the following frequency bands in a ASTRO 3.1 Conventional architecture:

- 700, 800 MHz
- UHF R1 (380-435 MHz)
- UHF R2 (435–524 MHz)
- VHF (136–174 MHz)



NOTICE:

Although the QUANTAR® station supports conventional operation at 900 MHz, the standalone GTR 8000 Base Radio does not support 900 MHz conventional operation.

2.7

QUANTAR Features Supported in the GTR 8000 Base Radio

The following table lists the QUANTAR® station features supported in the GTR 8000 Base Radio:

Table 3: QUANTAR Features Supported in the GTR 8000 Base Radio

| QUANTAR Feature/Functionality | Conventional GTR 8000 Base Radio Support |
|---|--|
| Voice Receive and Transmit (ASTRO) – CAI C4FM | ✓ |
| Voice Receive and Transmit (Analog) | ✓ |
| Voice Receive and Transmit (Mixed Mode) | ✓ |
| Voice Receive and Transmit (Securenet-12kbps) | ✗ |
| ASTRO CAI Data receive and transmit | ✓ |
| ASTRO CAI Data repeat | ✓ |
| ASTRO Stat alert signaling (TSBK's) | ✓ |
| In-cabinet repeat or Base operation | ✓ |
| Console priority | ✓ |
| Community Repeater \$F7F/Monitor \$F7E | ✓ |
| Multiple Channels - up to 16 | ✓ |

Table continued...

| QUANTAR Feature/Functionality | Conventional GTR 8000 Base Radio Support | | | |
|--|--|-----------|--------|-------------|
| Channel parameters, output power, time-out timers, etc | ✓ | | | |
| Multiple Access Code Tables - up to 16 | ✓ | | | |
| Base Station Identification - FCC Morse code ID | ✓ | | | |
| External Frequency Reference Capability | ✓ | | | |
| Internal Frequency Reference and Wild-Card support | ✓ | | | |
| Battery backup - 12, 24, 48, or 60 VDC | ✓ (48 VDC) | | | |
| Console Commands | | | | |
| Repeater Setup/Knockdown | ✓ | | | |
| Channel Change | ✓ | | | |
| Disable Transmit PL / Receive PL | ✓ | | | |
| Monitor | ✓ | | | |
| Scan On/Off | ✓ | | | |
| Console Interface | | | | |
| Local or E&M | ✓ | | | |
| DC Remote Control | ✗ | | | |
| Tone Remote Control | ✓ | | | |
| V.24 only and V.24 Hybrid | ✓ | | | |
| Ethernet interface with zone core | ✓ | | | |
| Service Features | | | | |
| Station Status Panel | ✓ | | | |
| Station Log (Alarms and Events) | ✓ | | | |
| ASTRO BER and RSSI | ✓ | | | |
| ASTRO Test Pattern Transmission | ✓ | | | |
| Hardware Metering screens | ✓ | | | |
| HW and SW version screens | ✓ | | | |
| Software Download | ✓ | | | |
| Standalone and Expandable Site Subsystem Hardware | ✓ | | | |
| Alignments | ✓ | | | |
| Options and Configurations | | | | |
| Option | Description | Supported | Option | Description |

Table continued...

| QUANTAR Feature/Functionality | | Conventional GTR 8000 Base Radio Support | | |
|-------------------------------|--|--|---------------|--|
| X777 | Analog Simulcast | ✓ | CA01952A A | Analog Conventional Si- mulcast Software |
| X371 | Antenna Relay | ✓ | CA01504A A | Antenna Relay |
| X437 | ASTRO Modem | ✗ | — | — |
| X403 | ASTRO SCAN | ✓ | CA01947A A | Receiver Scan Operation |
| X888 | ASTRO Simulcast | ✓ | CA01502A A | ASTRO® 25 Conven- tional Simulcast Software |
| X233 | Basic WildCard | ✓ | Standard | Basic WildCard |
| X157 | Enhanced WildCard | ✓ | CA01954A A | WildCard with GPIO |
| U764 | Fallback in cabinet repeat - Si- mulcast | ✓ | CA01503A A | Fallback in cabinet re- peat - Simulcast |
| U453 | Fast key up (analog feature) | ✗ | — | — |
| X873 | Internal HSO | ✓ | CA1506AA | Optional Frequency Ref- erence |
| — | Monitor before Data Transmit | ✓ | Standard | Receive Monitor |
| X286 | Multi Coded Squelch => Multi PL and Multi-NAC | ✓ | CA01950A A | Conventional Multi-NAC and Multi-PL/DPL |
| X932 | SAM (MDC, DTMF, etc) | ✓ | Standard | Included in CA01954AA |
| X889 | V.24 Interface | ✓ | Standard | V.24 Interface |
| X269 | Voting Option for Analog Si- mulcast | ✓ | CA01952A A | Analog Conventional Voting Software |
| X269 | Voting Option for ASTRO Si- mulcast | ✓ | CA01505A A | ASTRO® 25 Conven- tional Voting Software |
| X312 | Wideband Receiver VHF | ✓ | Standard | Wideband Receiver VHF |
| X322 | Wideband Receiver VHF | ✓ | Standard | Wideband Receiver VHF |
| — | not supported | ✓ | Standard | IP Interface |
| — | — | ✓ | CA01506A A | Optional Frequency Ref- erence |

2.8

Performance Specifications

This section contains the performance specifications for the QUANTAR® station and GTR 8000 Base Radio.



NOTICE: The performance specifications listed in this section are not specific to this guide, but are valid for all applications.

2.8.1

General – QUANTAR

The following table lists the general performance specifications for the QUANTAR® station:

Table 4: General Performance Specifications – QUANTAR

| Item | Description | | |
|---------------------------------------|---|------------------|--------------|
| TX Sub-Band Range | VHF | UHF | 800 |
| | 132-154 MHz (R1) | 380-433 MHz (R0) | 851-870 MHz |
| | 150-174 MHz (R2) | 403-433 MHz (R1) | |
| | | 438-470 MHz (R2) | |
| | | 470-494 MHz (R3) | |
| | | 494-520 MHz (R4) | |
| RX Sub-Band Range | VHF | UHF | 800 |
| | 132-154 MHz (R1) | 380-433 MHz (R0) | 806-825 MHz |
| | 150-174 MHz (R2) | 403-433 MHz (R1) | |
| | | 438-470 MHz (R2) | |
| | | 470-494 MHz (R3) | |
| | | 494-520 MHz (R4) | |
| Number of Channel Configurations | 1 to 16 | | |
| Channel Spacing | VHF | 800 | 800 |
| | 30, 25, 12.5 kHz | 12.5, 25 kHz | 12.5, 25 kHz |
| Frequency Generation | Synthesized | | |
| Power Supply Type | Switching | | |
| Power Supply Input Voltage | 90-280 Vac | | |
| Power Supply Input Frequency | 47-63 Hz | | |
| Battery Revert | 12V (25W radios) 24V (100W, 110W, and 125W radios) | | |
| T/R Separation (with duplexer option) | VHF | UHF | 800 |
| | >1.5 MHz | 3 MHz | 45 MHz |
| Temperature Range (ambient) | – 30 °C to + 60 °C (-22 °F to 140 °F) | | |

2.8.2

General – GTR 8000 Base Radio

The following table lists the general performance specifications for the GTR 8000 Base Radio for all applications:

Table 5: General Performance Specifications – GTR 8000 Base Radio

| Item | Description | | |
|-------------------|-------------|------------|----------------|
| TX Sub-Band Range | VHF | UHF | 700/800 |
| | 136–174 MHz | | 762-776 MHz |

Table continued...

| Item | Description | | |
|---------------------------------------|--|--|---|
| | 380–435 MHz (R1) | 851–870 MHz | |
| | 435–524 MHz (R2) | | |
| RX Sub-Band Range | VHF 136–174 MHz | UHF 380–435 MHz (R1) 435–524 MHz (R2) | 700/800 792–825 MHz |
| Number of Channel Configurations | 1 to 16 | | |
| Channel Spacing | VHF : 12.5 kHz, 15 kHz, 25 kHz, and 30 kHz | UHF (R1/R2) : 12.5 kHz and 25 kHz | 700 : 12.5 kHz 800 : 12.5 kHz, 25 kHz |
| Frequency Generation | Synthesized | | |
| Power Supply Type | Switching | | |
| Power Supply Input Voltage | 90–264 VAC | | |
| Power Supply Input Frequency | 47–63 Hz | | |
| Battery Revert | 43.2–60 VDC | | |
| T/R Separation (with duplexer option) | VHF : 1 MHz or more | UHF (R1/R2) : 2 MHz or more | 700 : 30 MHz 800 : 45 MHz |
| Temperature Range (ambient) | Operating : -30 °C to 60 °C (-22 °F to 140 °F) Storage : -40 °C to 85 °C (-40 °F to 185 °F) | | |

2.8.3

Receiver – QUANTAR

The following table lists the receiver performance specifications for the QUANTAR® station:

Table 6: Receiver Performance Specifications – QUANTAR

| Item | Description | | |
|----------------------------|---|--|--|
| Intermediate Frequencies | VHF 21.45 MHz (1st) 450 kHz (2nd) | UHF 73.35 MHz (1st) 450 kHz (2nd) | 800 73.35 MHz (1st) 450 kHz (2nd) |
| Preselector Bandwidth | VHF 4 MHz | UHF 4 MHz | 800 19 MHz |
| Sensitivity (12 dB SINAD) | VHF -119 dBm | UHF -116 dBm | 800 -117 dBm |
| Adjacent Channel Rejection | VHF 90 dB (25/30 kHz) 80 dB (12.5 kHz) | UHF 75 dB (12.5 kHz) 85 dB (25 kHz) | 800 70 dB (12.5 kHz) 80 dB (25 kHz) |

Table continued...

| Item | Description | | |
|--|---|--|--|
| Intermodulation Rejection | VHF 85 dB (25/30 kHz) 80 dB (30 kHz) | UHF 85 dB | 800 85 dB |
| Spurious and Image Rejection | 100 dB | | |
| Wireline Output | -20 dBm to 0 dBm @ 60% Rated System Deviation, 1 kHz | | |
| Audio Response (Analog Mode) | +1, -3 dB from 6 dB per octave de-emphasis; 300-3000 Hz referenced to 1000 Hz at line input | | |
| Audio Distortion | Less than 3% @ 1000 Hz | | |
| FM Hum and Noise (300 to 3000 kHz bandwidth) | VHF 50 dB (25/30 kHz) 45 dB (12.5 kHz) | UHF 45 dB (12.5 kHz) 50 dB (25 kHz) | 800 45 dB (12.5 kHz) 50 dB (25 kHz) |
| Frequency Stability | 1 ppm | | |
| RF Input Impedance | 50 Ohms | | |
| FCC Designation | VHF ABZ89FR3776 | UHF ABZ89FR4796 | 800 ABZ89FR5757 |

2.8.4

Receiver – GTR 8000 Base Radio

The following table lists the receiver performance specifications for the GTR 8000 Base Radio for all applications:

Table 7: Receiver Performance Specifications – GTR 8000 Base Radio

| Item | Description | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Intermediate Frequencies | VHF 44.85 MHz (1st) 2.16 MHz (2nd) | UHF R1/R2 73.35 MHz (1st) 2.16 MHz (2nd) | 700/800 73.35 MHz (1st) 2.16 MHz (2nd) |
| Electronic Bandwidth | Fullband | | |
| Optional Preselector Bandwidth | VHF : 4 MHz | UHF : 4 MHz | 700/800 : Full Band |
| Analog Sensitivity (12 dB SINAD) | 12.5 kHz: -119 dBm 25/30 kHz: -118 dBm | 12.5 kHz: -118 dBm 25/30 kHz: -117 dBm | 12.5 kHz: -118 dBm 25/30 kHz: -117 dBm |
| Digital Adjacent Channel Rejection | 60 dB | | |
| Analog Adjacent Channel Rejection (EIA603) 12.5 kHz | 75 dB | | |
| Analog Adjacent Channel Rejection (TIA603D) | 12.5 kHz: 50 to 60 dB (adjustable) 25 kHz: 80 dB | | |

Table continued...

| Item | Description | | |
|--|--|--|---|
| Intermodulation Rejection | 85 dB | | |
| Spurious and Image Rejection | VHF: 90 dB | UHF R1/R2: 85 dB | 700/800: 85 dB |
| Spurious and Image Rejection with optional Preselector | VHF: 95 dB | UHF R1/R2: 100 dB | 700/800: 100 dB |
| Wireline Output | -20 to 0 dBm | | |
| Analog Audio Response | +1, -3 dB from 6 dB per octave de-emphasis; 300–3000 Hz referenced to 1000 Hz at line output | | |
| Audio Distortion | 3% or 5% (adjustable) | | |
| Analog FM Hum and Noise | 12.5 kHz: 45 dB 25 kHz: 50 dB | | |
| Frequency Stability | 100 ppb/2 yr or External Reference | | |
| RF Input Impedance | 50 Ohms | | |
| Digital Sensitivity 5% Bit Error Rate (BER) Static | VHF C4FM: -119 dBm H-CPM: -117 dBm | UHF R1/R2 C4FM: -118 dBm H-CPM: -116 dBm | 700/800 C4FM: -118 dBm H-CPM: -116 dBm |
| Digital Sensitivity 5% Bit Error Rate (BER) Faded | C4FM: -111 dBm | C4FM: -110 dBm | C4FM: -110 dBm |
| Signal Displacement Bandwidth | 1 kHz | | |
| Electronic Bandwidth | Full Bandwidth | | |
| Blocking Immunity | 100 dB | | |
| Conducted Spurious | -57 dBm | | |
| Bit Error Rate Floor | 0.01% | | |
| FCC Designation | VHF: ABZ89FR3791 | UHF R1: ABZ89FR4822 UHF R2: ABZ89FR4820 | 700/800: ABZ89FR5811 |

2.8.5

Transmitter – QUANTAR

The following table lists the transmitter performance specifications for the QUANTAR® station:

Table 8: Transmitter Performance Specifications – QUANTAR

| Item | Description | | |
|----------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Power Output | VHF 6-25W 25-125W | UHF 5-25W 25-110W | 800 5-20W 20-100W |
| Electronic Bandwidth | Full sub-band | | |

Table continued...

| Item | Description | | |
|---|--|---|---|
| Intermodulation Attenuation | VHF 20 dB | UHF 50 dB | 800 50 dB |
| Spurious and Harmonic Emissions Attenuation | 90 dB | | |
| Deviation | VHF, UHF, and 800 ±5 kHz (25 kHz) ±2.5 kHz (12.5 kHz) ±4 kHz (SECURENET coded) ±2.4 kHz (SECURENET coded) | | |
| Audio Sensitivity | -35 dBm to 0 dBm (variable) | | |
| Audio Response (Analog Mode) | +1, -3 dB from 6 dB per octave pre-emphasis; 300-3000 Hz referenced to 1000 Hz at line input | | |
| Audio Distortion | Less than 2% @ 1000 Hz @ 60% rated system deviation | | |
| FM Hum and Noise (300 to 3000 Hz bandwidth) | 45 dB nominal (12.5 kHz) | 50 dB nominal (25/30 kHz) | |
| Frequency Stability | 1 ppm | | |
| RF Output Impedance | 50 Ohms | | |
| FCC Designation | VHF 25W: ABZ89FC3774 125W: ABZ89FC3773 | UHF 25W: ABZ89FC4797 110W: ABZ89FC4798 | 800 20W: ABZ89FC5775 100W: ABZ89FC5776 |

2.8.6

Transmitter – GTR 8000 Base Radio

The following table lists the transmitter performance specifications for the GTR 8000 Base Radio for all applications:

Table 9: Transmitter Performance Specifications – GTR 8000 Base Radio

| Item | Description | | |
|---|--|--|--------------------------|
| Power Output | VHF 2-100 W for C4FM, FM 2-60 W for LSM, H-DQPSK | UHF R1/R2 2-110 W for C4FM, FM 2-110 W for LSM, H-DQPSK | 700/800 2-100W |
| Electronic Bandwidth | Full bandwidth | | |
| Modulation Fidelity | 5% | | |
| Intermodulation Attenuation | VHF : 55 dB | UHF R1/R2 : 65 dB | 700/800 : 80 dB |
| Spurious and Harmonic Emissions Attenuation | 90 dB | | |
| Deviation | 2.5, 4 or 5 kHz | | |

Table continued...

| Item | Description | | |
|------------------------------|---|--|--|
| Audio Response (Analog Mode) | +1, -3 dB from 6 dB per octave pre-emphasis | | |
| Analog Audio Distortion | Less than 2% (1% typical) at 1000 Hz | Less than 2% (1% typical) at 1000 Hz | Less than 2% at 1000 Hz |
| Analog FM Hum and Noise | 12.5 kHz: 45 dB 25 kHz: 50 dB | | |
| Frequency Stability | 100 ppb/2 yr or External Reference | | |
| RF Output Impedance | 50 Ohms | | |
| FCC Designation | VHF: ABZ89FC3790 | UHF R1: ABZ89FC4821 UHF R2: ABZ89FC4819 | 700: 2-100 W ABZ89FC5812 800: 2-100 W ABZ89FC5810 |

* Full transmitter output power is available during battery revert.



NOTICE: The output connector on the PA (Power Amplifier) provides the output power reference point. The signal loss of the transmitter output cable is as follows:

- 4% at 800 MHz
- 3% at 450 MHz
- 1% at 150 MHz

However, the software in the base radio allows the transmitter output power to be set to 10% above the rated value.

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Chapter 3

Installation Prerequisites and Electrical Connections

This chapter contains installation precautions and prerequisites, as well as electrical connections of ports for the QUANTAR® station and the GTR 8000 Base Radio.

3.1

Pre-Installation Considerations for the GTR 8000 Base Radio

Part of the pre-installation requirements is to become familiarize with the physical size of the device being replaced and the structure in which it is installed.

3.1.1

Base Radio Physical Dimensions

The physical size of the GTR 8000 Base Radio differs in comparison to the QUANTAR® station mostly in height and depth. The width of both base radios is the same. The most noticeable size issue between the base radios is the depth. The GTR 8000 Base Radio is 82 mm (3.23") longer in depth than the QUANTAR® station.



NOTICE: The recommended clearance for service and installation is at least 2 ft in the front and rear of the base radio.

Table 10: Base Radio Dimensions

| Description | QUANTAR | GTR 8000 Base Radio |
|------------------|---|--|
| Size (H x W x D) | 220.5mm x 483mm x 375mm (8.68" x 19" x 14.75") | 133mm x 483mm x 457mm (5.25" x 19" x 18") |

3.1.2

Cabinet Replacement

Due to the physical size of the GTR 8000 Base Radio within an existing QUANTAR® station cabinet, an alternate cabinet may be required. It is the responsibility of the site designer and field engineer to ensure that the operating environment of the GTR 8000 Base Radio is within its rated specifications whether within a cabinet or in an open rack. The following recommendations are intended to serve as guidelines and not as a replacement for proper validation/measurement of the operating environment and radio functionality.

3.1.2.1

Inside Cabinet Clearance

It is recommended that any cabinet used to house a GTR 8000 Base Radio is at least 600 mm (23.62") deep. The base radio may fit in cabinets as shallow as 490 mm (19.29"). However, care must be taken to center the base radio such that the front fan modules and the rear backplane cable clearances are maintained from the doors. In cabinets less than 600 mm deep, right angle adapters on some cables may be necessary, such as the BNC Rx input. The GTR 8000 Base Radio comes equipped with a right angle line cord.

The clearance from the front and rear of the GTR 8000 Base Radio within existing QUANTAR® station cabinets is different. This clearance may require the adjustment of cabinet rails or specialized spacers.

3.1.2.2

Cabinet Doors

All front and rear doors on cabinets used to house GTR 8000 Base Radios should be louvered or perforated for ventilation. At a minimum, it is highly recommended that the vents align with the fans on the GTR 8000 Base Radio. This alignment ensures that an ample airflow is supplied to the fans. In addition, a 1" clearance from a cabinet door to the fans allows for proper air diffusion and transition into the fans. The backplane of the GTR 8000 Base Radio provides for proper exit space with corner protection pins. The ventilation of rear doors should also align with each base radio within the cabinet.

3.1.2.3

Heat Considerations

When replacing QUANTAR® stations within a cabinet, it is recommended that the same or fewer numbers of GTR 8000 Base Radios be used. Even though GTR 8000 Base Radios are smaller in height than QUANTAR® stations, adding additional base radios can significantly increase the airflow requirements and total heat in the cabinet. The heat from additional base radios can result in thermal performance issues. It is also recommended to place blank panels in any extra spaces left in the cabinet. The extra panels prevent air recirculation from occurring which can cause a significant thermal rise within the cabinet.

3.2

Electrical Connections and Pinouts

This section describes the differences in electrical connections between the QUANTAR® station and the GTR 8000 Base Radio. It provides pinout cross-references for all relevant connection ports, as well as simple circuit schematics.

3.2.1

Power Requirements

The power requirements for the QUANTAR® station and the GTR 8000 Base Radio are identical. The power cord used for the QUANTAR® station can be reused to connect the GTR 8000 Base Radio to the power source. The following table lists the power requirements for each base radio:

Table 11: Power Requirements

| Port | QUANTAR | GTR 8000 Base Radio |
|----------|-----------------------|---------------------|
| AC Input | 120V/240 VAC | 120V/240 VAC |
| DC/Batt | 12, 24, 48, or 60 VDC | 48 VDC |



NOTICE: If a DC power source is used, the DC power source must be 48 VDC for the GTR 8000 Base Radio.

3.2.2

External Frequency Reference

The external frequency connection (5/10 MHz Input) on the QUANTAR® station can be made at the Station Control Module (Front) or at connector # 30 (Backplane). An EXT FREQ REF input for the GTR 8000 Base Radio is on the backplane. This feature is used in a simulcast subsystem.



NOTICE: An external termination is required to properly terminate the cable connected to the input. Motorola recommends connecting the BNC "T" and a 50 Ohm BNC termination to the input.

Table 12: External Frequency Reference

| Base Radio | Port / Type | Description |
|---------------------|--|--|
| QUANTAR® Station | Station Control Module / BNC Connector #30 (5/10 MHz Input) / BNC | <p>Accepts an external 5 MHz or 10 MHz frequency for calibrating the station reference oscillator, located in the Station Control Module.</p> <p>Station Control Module: 1.0 ± 0.5 V RMS @ 50 ohms</p> <p>Connector #30: 2.5 V P-P minimum @ 150 kohms (High Impedance)</p> |
| GTR 8000 Base Radio | EXT FREQ REF / BNC | <p>The back port accepts a composite (5MHz + 1PPS), 5MHz (square or sine wave) or 10MHz (square or sine wave) external site reference signal to drive the internal oscillator for precise frequency stability. It also provides an accurate time source used for precisely launching simulcast data over the air.</p> <p>See GTR 8000 Base Radio Time and Frequency Inputs on page 40 for detailed specifications.</p> <p>The front port only accepts (5 MHz or 10 MHz signal) external site reference signal.</p> <p> NOTICE: The GTR 8000 Base Radio accepts either a composite or non-composite frequency reference source in either simulcast or non-simulcast configurations. If a non-composite frequency reference source is used for digital simulcast, then a 1 PPS signal must be provided separately.</p> <p>The Frequency Reference is configured on the Hardware Configuration window in CSS.</p> |

| Base Radio | Port / Type | Description |
|------------|-------------|---|
| | |  NOTICE: If a composite frequency reference source is used, the Time Reference parameter must be selected as Combined with Frequency Reference for simulcast or non-simulcast configurations. |

3.2.3

Time Reference Connections

The 1 pulse per second (PPS) input from a GPS receiver is used for ASTRO® simulcast systems. The GTR 8000 Base Radio accepts a 1 PPS information as a standalone signal or as a composite signal.

Table 13: 1 PPS Connection

| Base Radio | Port / Type | Description |
|---------------------|------------------------------|---|
| QUANTAR® Station | Connector #21 (1 PPS) / BNC | 1 PPS clock signal from external timing source for ASTRO® simulcast applications. |
| GTR 8000 Base Radio | 1 PPS / BNC on the backplane | 1 PPS clock signal from external timing source for ASTRO® simulcast applications. |

3.2.4

GTR 8000 Base Radio Time and Frequency Inputs

Various external time and frequency inputs can be provided to the base station for normal operation or for Internal Frequency Reference Oscillator alignment. The following table provides a list of acceptable input signal types and levels for each base radio input port:

Table 14: Base Radio Time and Frequency Inputs

| Input Port | Frequency | Wave-form | Level | Impedance | Note |
|--------------|-----------|-----------|------------|-----------|---------------------------------|
| EXT FREQ REF | 5 MHz | Sine | 2.6-5.3Vpp | 100 kohms | AC coupled |
| EXT FREQ REF | 5 MHz | Square | — | 100 kohms | AC coupled 45-55% duty cycle |
| EXT FREQ REF | 10 MHz | Sine | 2.6-5.3Vpp | 100 kohms | AC coupled |
| EXT FREQ REF | 10 MHz | Square | — | 100 kohms | AC coupled 45-55% duty cycle |
| EXT FREQ REF | 20 MHz | Sine | 2.6-5.3Vpp | 100 kohms | AC coupled |
| EXT FREQ REF | 20 MHz | Square | — | 100 kohms | AC coupled 45-55% duty cycle |

Table continued...

| Input Port | Frequency | Waveform | Level | Impedance | Note |
|--------------------------|----------------|----------|----------------------|-----------|--|
| EXT FREQ REF | 5 MHz/ 1PPS | Square | 2.6-5.3Vpp | 100 kohms | AC coupled; 25% modulation 1pps arrives on 75% duty cycle |
| 1 PPS | 1 PPS | Pulse | 2.6-5.3Vpp | 100 kohms | DC coupled |
| Front Panel EXT FREQ REF | 5 MHz | Sine | 2-5Vpp; 10-18 dBm | 50 ohms | AC coupled |
| Front Panel EXT FREQ REF | 5 MHz | Square | — | 50 ohms | AC coupled 45-55% duty cycle |
| Front Panel EXT FREQ REF | 10 MHz | Sine | 2-5Vpp; 10-18 dBm | 50 ohms | AC coupled |
| Front Panel EXT FREQ REF | 10 MHz | Square | — | 50 ohms | AC coupled 45-55% duty cycle |



NOTICE: The Front Panel EXT FREQ REF connection is the Frequency Calibrator (BNC connector) on the transceiver module.

3.2.5

Wireline Connections

Wireline connections provide a wide variety of telephone interfaces, including analog, ASTRO®, ASTRO CAI, Tone Remote Control. Wireline connections are on the QUANTAR® station backplane and on the Transceiver Option Card on the front of the GTR 8000 Base Radio. The following table provides a cross-reference of the wireline signals between the QUANTAR® station and GTR 8000 Base Radios:

Table 15: Wireline Connection Cross-Reference

| Signal Name | GTR 8000 Base Radio | | QUANTAR Connectors | |
|-------------|--------------------------|--|--------------------|-------------------------|
| | Wireline RJ-45 Connector | | Phone Line Inputs | 50-Pin System Connector |
| Line 2+ | 1 | | 3 | 2 |
| Line 2- | 2 | | 4 | 27 |
| Line 3+ | 3 | | 5 | 3 |
| Line 1- | 4 | | 2 | 26 |
| Line 1+ | 5 | | 1 | 1 |
| Line 3- | 6 | | 6 | 28 |
| Line 4+ | 7 | | 7 | 4 |
| Line 4- | 8 | | 8 | 29 |

3.2.6

System Connector

This section provides a pin out cross-reference for the system connector between the QUANTAR® station and the GTR 8000 Base Radio. It also contains the schematic differences in the I/O circuits between the base radios.

3.2.6.1

System Connector Pinout

The system connector on the GTR 8000 Base Radio is a 50-pin mini SCSI connector. It is used for all the WildCard general-purpose inputs and outputs. It also provides I/O for analog features. The following table cross-references the pinouts between a QUANTAR® station and a GTR 8000 Base Radio:

Table 16: 50-Pin System Connector Pinout Cross-Reference

| GTR Pin # | QUANTAR Pin # | Signal | I/O Type | QUANTAR Function | Conventional Function | Note |
|-----------|---------------|-------------|----------|-------------------|---|---|
| 1 | 12 | Aux In 2 | I | Tx Inhibit | Main Standby - External handshaking | Pull To GND To Activate |
| 2 | 14 | Aux In 4 | I | Rx WL Inhibit | Main Standby- Status of other side | Pull To GND To Activate |
| 3 | 16 | Aux In 6 | I | In cabinet Repeat | In-Cabinet Repeat | Pull To GND To Activate |
| 4 | 42 | Aux In 8 | I | | Main Standby - Connectivity other Station | Pull To GND To Activate |
| 5 | 47 | Aux In 9 – | I | | Phone Patch - PL Strip | Opto-Isolated In - Current flow to Activate |
| 6 | 48 | Aux In 10 – | I | | Phone Patch - Monitor | Opto-Isolated In - Current flow to Activate |
| 7 | 49 | Aux In 11 – | I | | | Opto-Isolated In - Current flow to Activate |
| 8 | 50 | Aux In 12 – | I | | | Opto-Isolated In - Current flow to Activate |
| 9 | n/a | Aux In 13 | I | n/a | For future use | Pull To GND To Activate |
| 10 | n/a | Aux Out 12 | O | n/a | | Low Impedance to GND When Active |
| 11 | 37 | Aux Out 2 | O | Rx Code Detect | Phone Patch - Rx Carrier | Low Impedance to GND When Active |

Table continued...

| GTR Pin # | QUAN-TAR Pin # | Signal | I/O Type | QUANTAR Function | Conventional Function | Note |
|-----------|----------------|----------------------|----------|------------------|-------------------------------|--|
| 12 | 39 | Aux Out 4 | O | | Main Standby - Station Status | Low Impedance to GND When Active |
| 13 | 41 | Aux Out 6 | O | | | Low Impedance to GND When Active |
| 14 | 43 | Aux Out Relay 7 Com | O | RD STAT | RD STAT - Receiver Active | Form Relay A Closed When Active |
| 15 | 19 | Aux Out Relay 8 Com | O | | Main Standby - Antenna Relay | Form Relay A Closed When Active |
| 16 | 20 | Aux Out Relay 9 Com | O | | | Form Relay A Closed When Active |
| 17 | 21 | Aux Out Relay 10 Com | O | | | Form Relay A Closed When Active |
| 18 | n/a | Aux Out 11 | O | n/a | | Low Impedance to GND When Active |
| 19 | n/a | External_Reset | I | n/a | Reset | Buffered In Pull To GND To Activate |
| 20 | n/a | TSTAT | O | n/a | For future use | 0 Volts When Inactive / +5 Volts when Active |
| 21 | 30 | Aux RX | O | Aux Rx | Aux Rx | Analog Signal - Unbalanced |
| 22 | n/a | TX DATA- | I | n/a | For future use | Analog Signal - 600 Ohm Balanced |
| 23 | 5 | Aux TX | I/O | Aux Tx | Aux Tx | Analog Signal - 600 Ohm Unbalanced |
| 24 | 35 | PL- | I | PL(-) In | PL(-) In | Analog Signal - 600 Ohm Balanced |
| 25 | 9 | Gen TX- | I | Gen TX Data- | Gen TX- | Analog Signal - 600 Ohm Balanced |
| 26 | 11 | Aux In 1 | I | Ext Failsoft | Phone Patch - Call Request | Pull To GND To Activate |
| 27 | 13 | Aux In 3 | I | Ext Code Detect | Tx Inhibit | Pull To GND To Activate |

Table continued...

| GTR Pin # | QUAN-TAR Pin # | Signal | I/O Type | QUANTAR Function | Conventional Function | Note |
|-----------|----------------|-----------------------|----------|------------------|--------------------------------|--|
| 28 | 15 | Aux In 5 | I | Duplex Enable | External PTT | Pull To GND To Activate |
| 29 | 17 | Aux In 7 | I | Channel 4 | Rx Inhibit | Pull To GND To Activate |
| 30 | 22 | Aux In 9+ | I | EXT PTT + | Phone Patch - PL Strip | Opto-Isolated In - Current flow to Activate |
| 31 | 23 | Aux In 10+ | I | Channel 1 + | Phone Patch - Monitor | Opto-Isolated In - Current flow to Activate |
| 32 | 24 | Aux In 11+ | I | Channel 2 + | | Opto-Isolated In - Current flow to Activate |
| 33 | 25 | Aux In 12+ | I | Channel 3+ | | Opto-Isolated In - Current flow to Activate |
| 34 | 7 | GND | | GND | GND | |
| 35 | n/a | Aux In 14 | I | n/a | For future use | Pull To GND To Activate |
| 36 | 36 | Aux Out 1 | O | Failsoft | Phone Patch - Inhibit / Enable | Low Impedance to GND When Active |
| 37 | 38 | Aux Out 3 | O | | | Low Impedance to GND When Active |
| 38 | 40 | Aux Out 5 | O | | | Low Impedance to GND When Active |
| 39 | 18 | Aux Out Relay 7 N.O. | O | RD STAT | RD STAT - Receiver Active | Form Relay A Closed When Active |
| 40 | 44 | Aux Out Relay 8 N.O. | O | | Main Standby - Antenna Relay | Form Relay A Closed When Active |
| 41 | 45 | Aux Out Relay 9 N.O. | O | | | Form Relay A Closed When Active |
| 42 | 46 | Aux Out Relay 10 N.O. | O | | | Form Relay A Closed When Active |
| 43 | 32 | GND | | GND | GND | |
| 44 | n/a | GND | | GND | GND | |
| 45 | n/a | RSTAT | O | n/a | For future use | 0 Volts When Inactive / +5 Volts when Active |

Table continued...

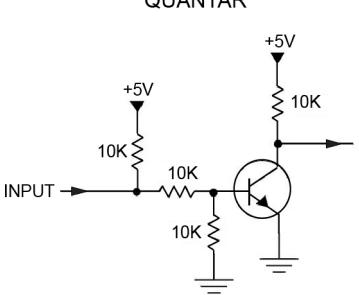
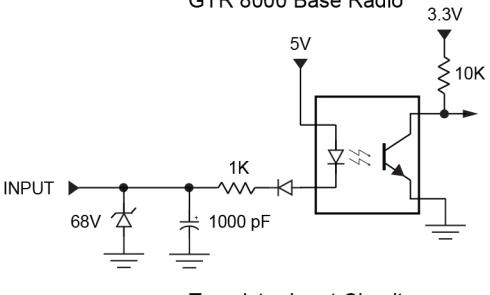
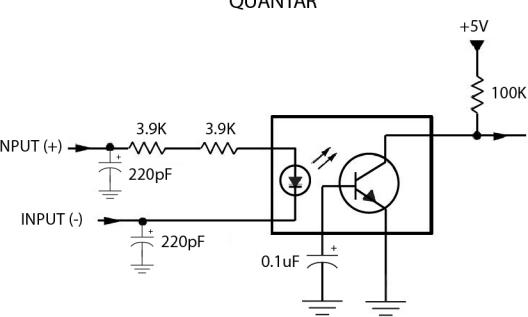
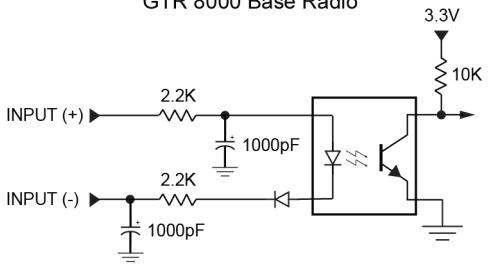
| GTR Pin # | QUAN-TAR Pin # | Signal | I/O Type | QUANTAR Function | Conventional Function | Note |
|-----------|----------------|----------|----------|------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------------|
| 46 | n/a | GND | | GND | GND | |
| 47 | n/a | TX DATA+ | I | n/a | For future use | Analog Signal - 600 Ohm Balanced |
| 48 | n/a | GND | | GND | GND | |
| 49 | 10 | PL+ | I | PL(+) In | PL(+) In | Analog Signal - 600 Ohm Balanced |
| 50 | 34 | Gen TX+ | I | Gen TX Data+ | Gen TX+ | Analog Signal - 600 Ohm Balanced |
| n/a | 1 | Line 1 + | | Line 1+ | n/a | |
| n/a | 2 | Line 2 + | | Line 2+ | n/a | |
| n/a | 3 | Line 3 + | | Line 3+ | n/a | |
| n/a | 4 | Line 4 + | | Line 4+ | n/a | |
| n/a | 8 | 5 VDC | | 5 VDC | n/a | |
| n/a | 26 | Line 1 - | | Line 1- | n/a | |
| n/a | 27 | Line 2 - | | Line 2- | n/a | |
| n/a | 28 | Line 3 - | | Line 3- | n/a | |
| n/a | 28 | Line 4 - | | Line 4- | n/a | |
| n/a | 33 | 14.2 VDC | | 14.2 VDC | n/a | |
| n/a | 6 | Open | | | | |
| n/a | 31 | Open | | | | |

3.2.6.2 System Connector I/O Circuits

The system I/O circuits illustrate the differences in the I/O circuitry between the QUANTAR® station and the GTR 8000 Base Radio. The Aux Inputs and Aux Outputs for the GTR 8000 Base Radio are hard coded to the 50-pin Telco. Access to these inputs and outputs is configured through the WildCard screens in CSS.

See the following CSS *Online Help* content for details:

Conventional Site - ASTRO 7.12 and Later → WildCard Tables Window**Table 17: System Connector Input Circuits**

| GTR 8000 Base Radio | |
|---|--|
| QUANTAR Station | (Transceiver Option Card) |
|  <p>Transistor-Coupled Input Circuit</p> |  <p>Transistor Input Circuit</p> |
| <p>The transistor input circuit represents Aux Inputs 1–8, 13, and 14 as well as the external reset input.</p> | <p>The transistor input circuit represents Aux Inputs 1–8, 13, and 14 as well as the external reset input.</p> |
|  <p>Opto-Coupled Input Circuit</p> |  <p>Transistor Opto-Coupled Input Circuit</p> |
| <p>The transistor opto-coupled input represents Aux Inputs 9–12.</p> | <p>The transistor opto-coupled input represents Aux Inputs 9–12.</p> |

GTR 8000 Base Radio System Connector Inputs:

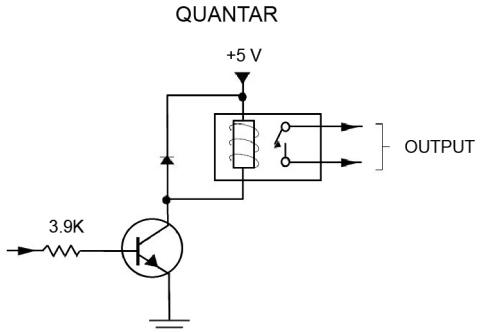
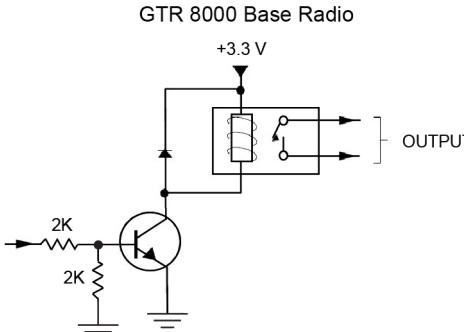
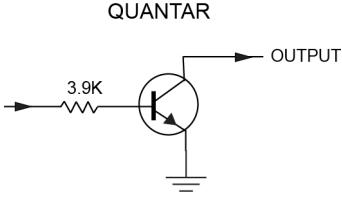
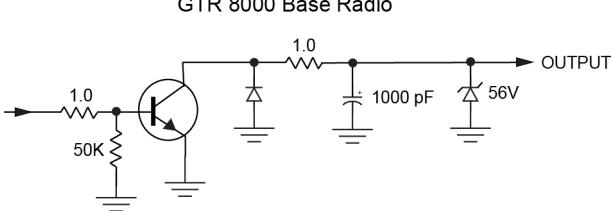
All WildCard inputs are debounced.

Non-isolated inputs (1-8) and the reset line are pull to ground inputs. These inputs are typically driven with an open collector device capable of sinking 5 mA.

Isolated inputs (9-12) require at least 4 VDC but less than 60 VDC to activate. Less than 0.8 VDC deactivates these inputs.

In all cases, the input voltage must always remain below 60 V.

Table 18: System Connector Output Circuits

| GTR 8000 Base Radio | |
|---|--|
| QUANTAR Station | (Transceiver Option Card) |
| QUANTAR  <p>Relay Closure Output Circuit</p> | GTR 8000 Base Radio  <p>Relay Closure Output Circuit</p> |
| <p>The relay closure output circuits represents Aux Outputs 7–10.</p> | <p>The relay closure output circuits represents Aux Outputs 7–10.</p> |
| QUANTAR  <p>Transistor-Coupled Output Circuit</p> | GTR 8000 Base Radio  <p>Transistor-Coupled Output Circuit</p> |
| <p>The transistor coupled output circuit represents Aux Outputs 1–6 and 11.</p> | <p>The transistor coupled output circuit represents Aux Outputs 1–6 and 11.</p> |

GTR 8000 Base Radio System Connector Outputs:

WildCard relay outputs (7-10) are rated up to 50 V and 100 mA.

WildCard transistor outputs (1-6, 11-12) are open collector outputs rated up to 50 V and 100 mA.

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Chapter 4

Replacement of an Analog/Mixed Mode Conventional QUANTAR with a GTR 8000 Base Radio

The procedures presented in this chapter are used to replace a analog/mixed mode conventional QUANTAR® with a GTR 8000 Base Radio.

4.1

Introduction – Conventional Base Radios

The GTR 8000 Base Radio provides the same site connections that are available on a QUANTAR® station. These include AC power, external frequency reference, and Rx/Tx antennas. However, there is a difference in the DC voltage backup requirements. The GTR 8000 Base Radio only uses a 48 VDC power source while the QUANTAR® station supports a 12 VDC, 24 VDC, 48 VDC, or 60 VDC power source, depending on the installed power supply. The GTR 8000 Base Radio provides a 10 Base T Ethernet connection, while the QUANTAR® provides a 10 Base 2 Ethernet connection.

The CSS supports service and configuration of the GTR 8000 Base Radio and provides the same configuration screens used with the RSS for the QUANTAR® station. The alignment process in CSS has been simplified for the GTR 8000 Base Radio. The CSS service screens provide the same settings as the service screens in the RSS for the QUANTAR® station.

4.2

Replacing the Analog/Mixed Mode Conventional QUANTAR

This section outlines the process of replacing an analog/mixed mode conventional QUANTAR® with a GTR 8000 Base Radio.

Process:

- 1 Archive the codeplug of the QUANTAR® using the WinRSS application. See the procedure in [Archiving the QUANTAR Codeplug in WinRSS on page 49](#) for details.
- 2 Disable the QUANTAR® and then remove it from the QUANTAR® rack or cabinet. See the procedure in [Powering Down and Removing the Conventional QUANTAR Station on page 51](#) for details.
- 3 Install the GTR 8000 Base Radio into the QUANTAR® rack or cabinet. See the procedure in [Installing an Analog or Mixed Mode Conventional GTR 8000 Base Radio on page 53](#) for details.
- 4 Configure the GTR 8000 Base Radio using the CSS software. See the procedure in [Configuring the GTR 8000 Base Radio in CSS on page 56](#) for details.

4.3

Archiving the QUANTAR Codeplug in WinRSS

Prerequisites: Wear an Electrostatic Discharge (ESD) strap and connect its cable to a verified good ground. This strap must be worn throughout this procedure to prevent ESD damage to any components.

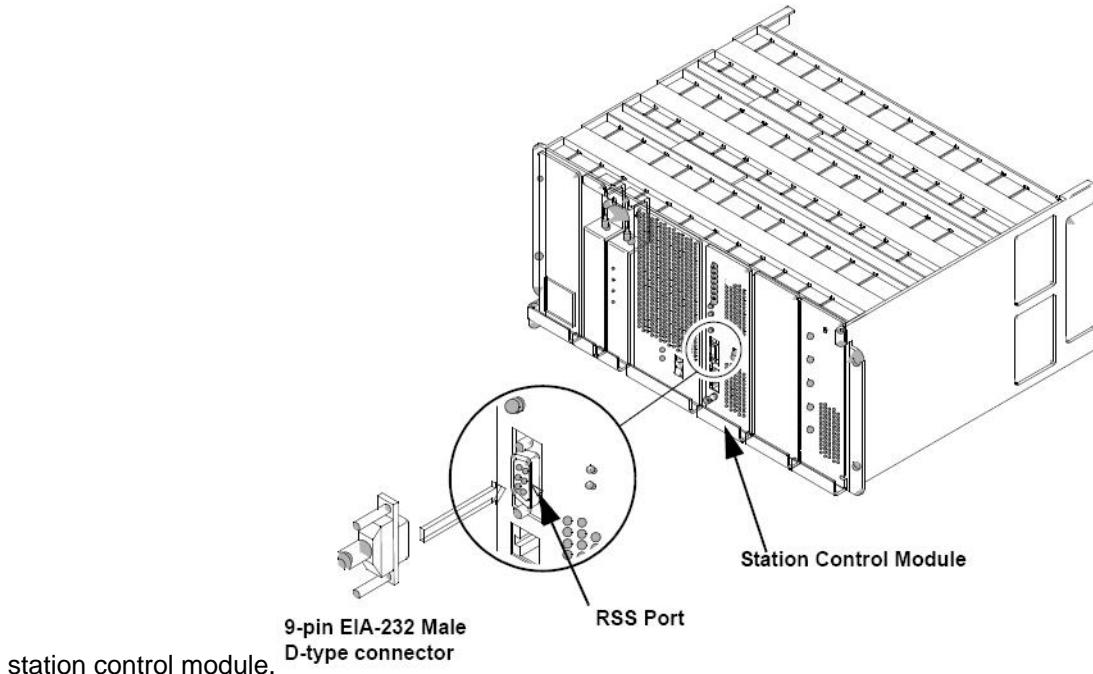
The following cable hardware and software application are required:

- 9-pin male to 9-pin female EIA-232 null-modem cable
- Radio Service Software (RSS)

When and where to use: This procedure describes how to read the current codeplug from the QUANTAR® station and save the codeplug as a codeplug report text file or as an archive file. The codeplug is used as reference when configuring the GTR 8000 Base Radio.

Procedure:

- 1 Connect the null-modem cable from the COM port on the computer to the RSS port on the



- 2 Launch the Radio Service Software (RSS) program.
- 3 From the **Connection Configuration** screen, select **Tools** → **Connection Configuration**.
- 4 Set the baud rate for the serial port on the computer to 9600 bps using Device Manager. The only available baud rate on the QUANTAR® station is 9600 bps.
 - a From Windows, select **Start** → **Run** and enter `mmc devmgmt.msc`
 - b Expand **Ports (COM and Port)** and right click **Communication Port (COM1)**.
 - c Select the **Port Settings** tab and verify or modify the settings.



WARNING: If the base radio is not connected to a transmitting antenna or to an appropriate piece of test equipment capable of handling the output, you must connect a dummy load to the transmitter output. Do not key the transmitter or use the base radio to transmit RF unless its transmitter output port is connected either to a transmitting antenna or to a 50 Ohm high-power dummy load.

- 5 Click **Connect/Dial** to establish a connection to the QUANTAR® station.
- 6 Select **File** → **Read from Device** to read the current codeplug.
- 7 Optional: If required, enter the password for the device and click **OK**.
- 8 Archive the codeplug data using one of the following methods:
 - Save the codeplug as a text file (filename.txt) by selecting **File** → **Save Codeplug Report**.
 - Save the codeplug as an archive file (filename.cp) by selecting **File** → **Save As**.

- 9 Close the RSS program.
- 10 Disconnect the null-modem cable from the station control module and the COM port on the computer.

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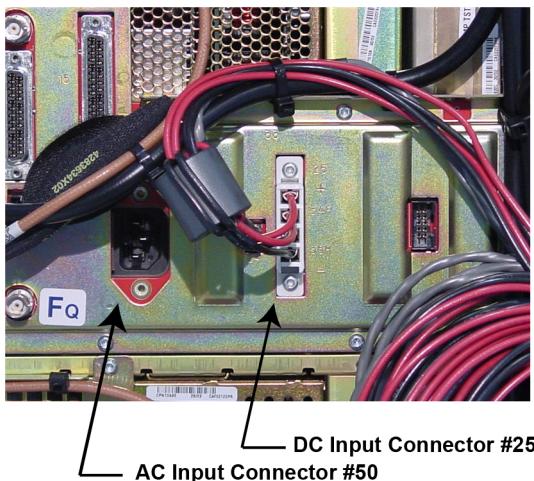
Powering Down and Removing the Conventional QUANTAR Station

When and where to use: This procedure describes the proper sequence for powering down the QUANTAR® station before disconnecting it and removing it from the site. The channel and any traffic on the base radio are lost when the QUANTAR® station is powered down.

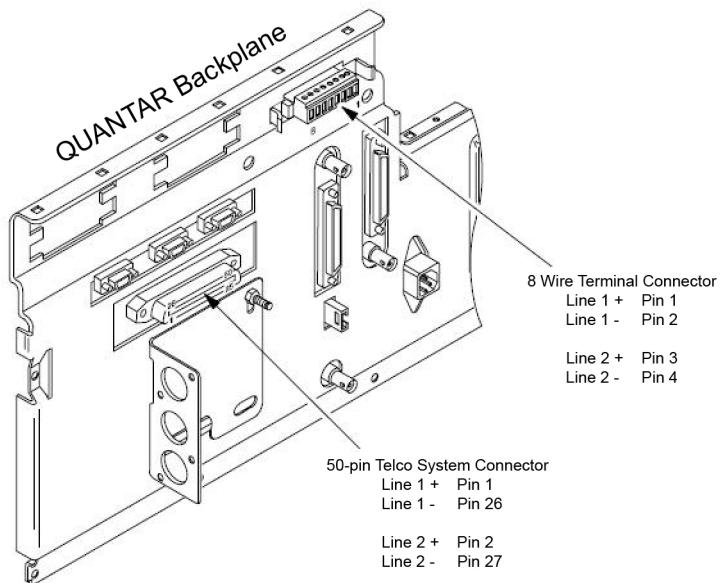
WARNING: Shock hazard. The QUANTAR® station contains dangerous voltages which can cause electrical shock or damage equipment. Turn off the base radio and disconnect the power cabling when servicing this equipment. Allow the base radio to cool before disconnecting any cables. Exposed surfaces of the unit may be hot.

Procedure:

- 1 Power down the QUANTAR® station.
 - a Set the rocker or toggle switch, on the front panel of the power supply module, to the **OFF** position.
 - b Disconnect the power cable from the power source and AC input connection.
 - c Disconnect the cable from the DC input connection if the base radio includes a battery backup or is powered from a DC source.



- 2 Disconnect the ground wire.
- 3 Disconnect the V.24 cable (digital or mixed mode configurations), if present .
- 4 Disconnect the 50-pin Telco system connection (connector #17), if present.



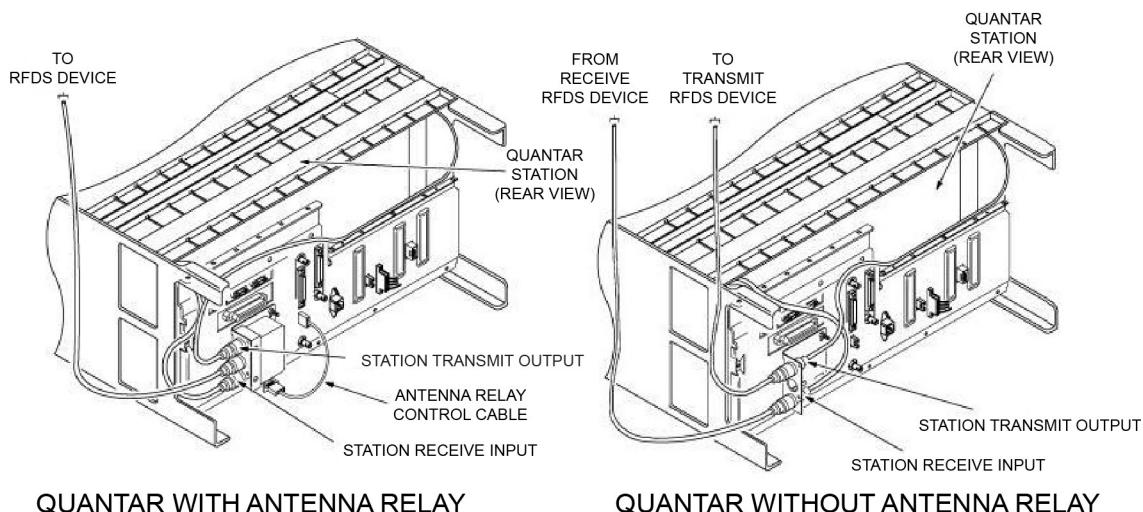
5 Disconnect the 8 wireline screw terminal connection (Phone Line Inputs), if present (analog or mixed mode configurations).

 **NOTICE:** Phone line connections may be made at either the 50-pin Telco system connector or at the 8 wire screw terminal connector. See the "Installation" section of the appropriate QUANTAR® station functional manual for more details on phone line connections.

6 Disconnect the transmit antenna and receive input cables.

- If using the antenna relay option, disconnect the single transmit/receive cable.

Figure 1: QUANTAR Station Transmit and Receive Connections



7 For a simulcast subsystem, disconnect the Frequency reference.

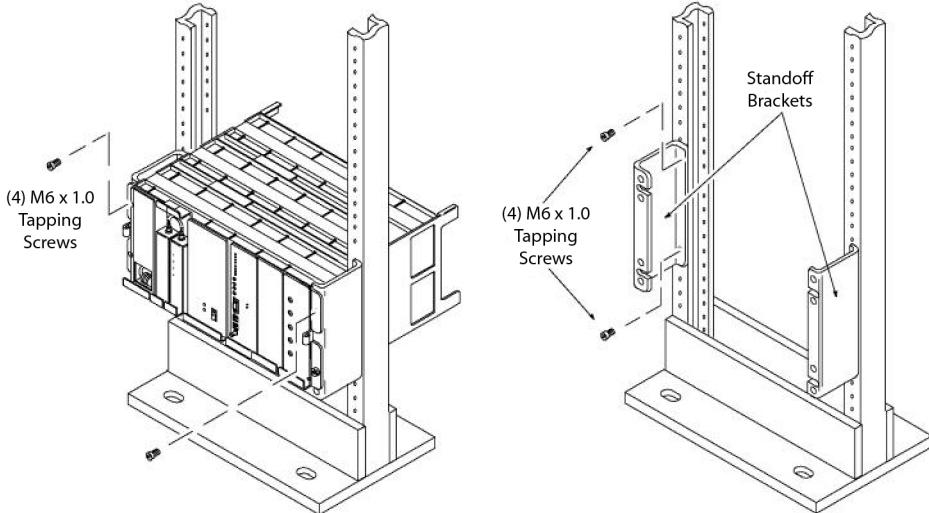
- Disconnect the BNC 5/10 MHz cable (connector #30), if present. This cable may be present if the QUANTAR® station is used in a digital simulcast. This cable is only required if the GTR 8000 Base Radio is used in a digital simulcast configuration.
- Disconnect the BNC 1PPS cable, if present, from the 1PPS port (connector #21).

8 Remove the QUANTAR® station from the rack or cabinet.



CAUTION: When removing the QUANTAR® station from a cabinet enclosure or rack, use the National Institute of Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH) lifting equation to determine whether a one or two person lift is required when a system component must be removed and replaced in a cabinet enclosure or rack.

- a** Remove the four M6 screws, from the front of the QUANTAR® station, using a T27 bit driver.
- b** Remove the QUANTAR® station from the front of the rack or cabinet by sliding it towards you until it clears the rack.

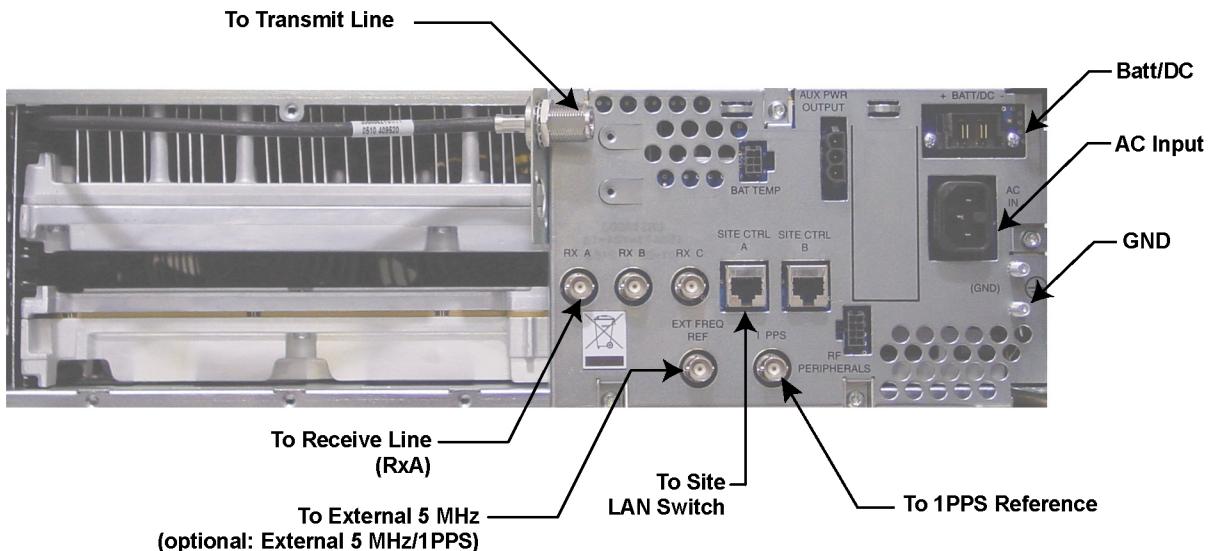


9 Optional: If installed in a rack, remove the standoff brackets used to hold the QUANTAR® station.

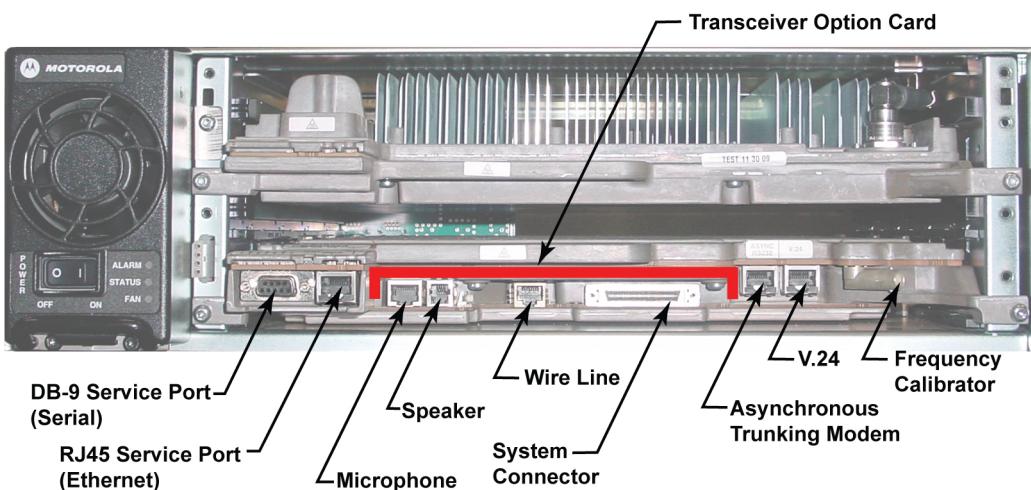
4.5

Installing an Analog or Mixed Mode Conventional GTR 8000 Base Radio

When and where to use: Used for an analog-only or mixed mode conventional GTR 8000 Base Radio in place of a conventional QUANTAR® station. See the following images of the GTR 8000 Base Radio for connections:

Figure 2: GTR 8000 Base Radio – Backplane

GTR8000_base_radio_quantar_simulcast_retrofit

Figure 3: GTR 8000 Base Radio – Front with Transceiver Option Card

GTR8000_XCVR_wSAC_chassis1

Procedure:

- 1 Insert the GTR 8000 Base Radio into the rack and secure it with the four M6 screws using a T27 bit. Torque to 42 in-lbs.
- 2 **NOTICE:** If standoff brackets were used with the QUANTAR®, install new standoff brackets for the GTR 8000 Base Radio.
- 3 Attach the ground cable for the GTR 8000 Base Radio to the grounding bus bar using grounding screw.
- 4 **IMPORTANT:** See the *Motorola Standards and Guidelines for Communication Sites* manual for detailed information about grounding and lightning protection.
- 5 Make the following power connections:

- a For DC:** Connect the power cable from the BATT/DC port to the circuit breaker or to the power source at the site.
- b For AC:** Connect the power cable from the AC IN port to the appropriate wall outlet.
- c For Battery Backup:** QUANTAR® station battery revert voltage (28 V) is not compatible with GTR 8000 Base Radio battery revert. The voltages are different and must not be connected. A 48 V battery for the GTR 8000 Base Radio must be used instead. For AC/DC battery revert, use both the AC (supplied) and DC power cables.
- d For Battery Temperature:** Connect the battery temperature sensor cable.

4 Analog-only system:

- a** Connect the 50-pin SCSI system connector to the System Connector port on the Transceiver Option Card on the GTR 8000 Base Radio. See [System Connector on page 42](#) for a detailed pinout.
- b** Connect the wireline connections to the RJ-45 wireline port on the Transceiver Option Card on the GTR 8000 Base Radio. See [Wireline Connections on page 41](#) for a detailed pinout.

5 Mixed Mode system:

- a** Connect the 50-pin SCSI system connector to the System Connector port on the Transceiver Option Card on the GTR 8000 Base Radio. See [System Connector on page 42](#) for a detailed pinout.
- b** Connect the wireline connections to the RJ-45 wireline port on the Transceiver Option Card on the GTR 8000 Base Radio. See [Wireline Connections on page 41](#) for a detailed pinout.
- c** Connect the V.24 interface for voice and data traffic to the V.24 port on the GTR 8000 Base Radio. See [Figure 3: GTR 8000 Base Radio – Front with Transceiver Option Card on page 54](#) for details.

6 Make the following RF receive and transmit connections:

| If... | Then... |
|---|---|
| If an antenna relay is not used, | <p>perform the following actions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a Connect the receive RF input cable from the station to the Receive Line (Rx A port) on the backplane of the GTR 8000 Base Radio, as follows: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If a preselector is used, connect the N-type cable, removed from the QUANTAR® station, to the input port on the preselector. • If no preselector is used, connect a BNC Male to N-Female adapter to the receive cable and connect the cable to the Rx A port on the GTR 8000 Base Radio. The GTR 8000 Base Radio Rx A port uses a BNC connector. b Connect the transmit RF output cable from the station to the Transmit Line port on the backplane of the GTR 8000 Base Radio. |
| If an antenna relay is used, | <p>connect the single transmit/receive antenna cable from the station to the center connection on the GTR 8000 Base Radio antenna relay module.</p> <p> NOTICE: The antenna relay module is mounted on the backplane of the GTR 8000 Base Radio just above the Rx A port. The receive and transmit cables for the base radio are connected by Motorola. See the "Antenna Relay Module" section of the <i>GTR 8000 Base Radio</i> manual for details.</p> |

- 7 If the GTR 8000 is installed in a Simulcast Subsystem, perform the following actions:
 - Connect the BNC 5 MHz cable, if present, to the **EXT FREQ REF** port.
 - Connect the BNC 1PPS cable, if present, to the **1PPS** port.

 **NOTICE:** For analog simulcast connections from existing QUANTAR® station wiring, see [Analog Simulcast Cable Assembly on page 87](#) for details.

 **NOTICE: Optional Configuration:** Connect a BNC composite 5 MHz/1PPS cable to the **EXT FREQ REF** port instead of the separate signals.

- 8 Connect the site LAN connection, if present, to the **SITE CTRL A** Ethernet port.

 **NOTICE:** Place the RFI suppressor onto the Ethernet cable.

- 9 Power up the GTR 8000 Base Radio by toggling the power switch on the power supply module.

4.6

Configuring the GTR 8000 Base Radio in CSS

Prerequisites: This procedure requires the following hardware and software:

- Standard or crossover RJ-45 Ethernet cable
- A PC with the Configuration/Service Software (CSS)

When and where to use: This procedure describes the proper steps for configuring the analog-only, digital-only, or mixed mode GTR 8000 Base Radio. If possible, the configuration of the GTR 8000 Base Radio is performed ahead of time and saved to an archive file.

Procedure:

- 1 Connect the Ethernet cable between the Ethernet port on the PC and the Ethernet service port on the front of the GTR 8000 Base Radio.
- 2 Set the IP address of the PC to subnet 192.168.1.<x>
where <x> is any number between 2 and 253.

 **NOTICE:** This action can be automatically accomplished by enabling DHCP on the PC.
Set the Internet Protocol (TCP/IP) Properties for the PC to **Obtain an IP address automatically** and **Obtain DNS server address automatically** from the **Local Area Connection Properties** window.

- 3 Launch the Configuration/Service Software (CSS) application.
- 4 Select **Tools** → **Connection Configuration**..
- 5 In the **Connection Type** area, select **Ethernet**.
- 6 Click **Front Panel Ethernet**.
- 7 Click **Connect** to establish the connection.

A Passphrase Prompt screen opens.

- 8 Enter User Information and Passphrase Information and click **OK**.

 **NOTICE:** If SNMPv3 configuration and user credentials are not set, click **OK** to proceed.

- 9 Select **File** → **Read Configuration From Device** to read the configuration from the base radio.

The **Progress monitor** window opens. Upon completion of a successful read, click the **OK** button to continue.

10 Configure the GTR 8000 Base Radio using one of the following methods:

- Print out the Codeplug report archived in the “Archiving the QUANTAR Codeplug Report using WinRSS” procedure and use it as a reference to configure the GTR 8000 Base Radio.
- Launch the RSS application and open the archived QUANTAR® station codeplug file. At the same time, open the CSS application and compare RSS parameters to their equivalent CSS parameters.



NOTICE: See [RSS to CSS Parameter Lookup on page 71](#) for a listing comparing RSS parameters to CSS parameters.

11 Set the relevant parameters in the CSS screens to match the values from the QUANTAR® station codeplug.



NOTICE: See the “Conventional Site – ASTRO 7.12 and Later” section in *CSS Online Help*.

12 Select **File** → **Save As** to save the new configuration file.

13 Select **File** → **Write Configuration To Device** to write the configuration to the base radio.

14 Close the CSS application and disconnect the PC.

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Chapter 5

Replacement of a Digital Conventional QUANTAR with a GTR 8000 Base Radio

The procedures presented in this chapter are used to replace a digital Conventional QUANTAR® with a GTR 8000 Base Radio.

5.1

Introduction – Conventional Base Radios

The GTR 8000 Base Radio provides the same site connections that are available on a QUANTAR® station. These include AC power, external frequency reference, and Rx/Tx antennas. However, there is a difference in the DC voltage backup requirements. The GTR 8000 Base Radio only uses a 48 VDC power source while the QUANTAR® station supports a 12 VDC, 24 VDC, 48 VDC, or 60 VDC power source, depending on the installed power supply. The GTR 8000 Base Radio provides a 10 Base T Ethernet connection, while the QUANTAR® provides a 10 Base 2 Ethernet connection.

The CSS supports service and configuration of the GTR 8000 Base Radio and provides the same configuration screens used with the RSS for the QUANTAR® station. The alignment process in CSS has been simplified for the GTR 8000 Base Radio. The CSS service screens provide the same settings as the service screens in the RSS for the QUANTAR® station.

5.2

Replacing the Digital Conventional QUANTAR

This section outlines the process of replacing a digital Conventional QUANTAR® with a GTR 8000 Base Radio.

Process:

- 1 Archive the codeplug of the QUANTAR® using the WinRSS application. See the procedure in [Archiving the QUANTAR Codeplug in WinRSS on page 59](#) for details.
- 2 Disable the QUANTAR® and then remove it from the QUANTAR® rack or cabinet. See the procedure in [Powering Down and Removing the Conventional QUANTAR Station on page 61](#) for details.
- 3 Install the GTR 8000 Base Radio into the QUANTAR® rack or cabinet. See the procedure in [Installing a Digital Conventional GTR 8000 Base Radio on page 63](#) for details.
- 4 Configure the GTR 8000 Base Radio using the CSS software. See the procedure in [Configuring the GTR 8000 Base Radio in CSS on page 66](#) for details.

5.3

Archiving the QUANTAR Codeplug in WinRSS

Prerequisites: Wear an Electrostatic Discharge (ESD) strap and connect its cable to a verified good ground. This strap must be worn throughout this procedure to prevent ESD damage to any components.

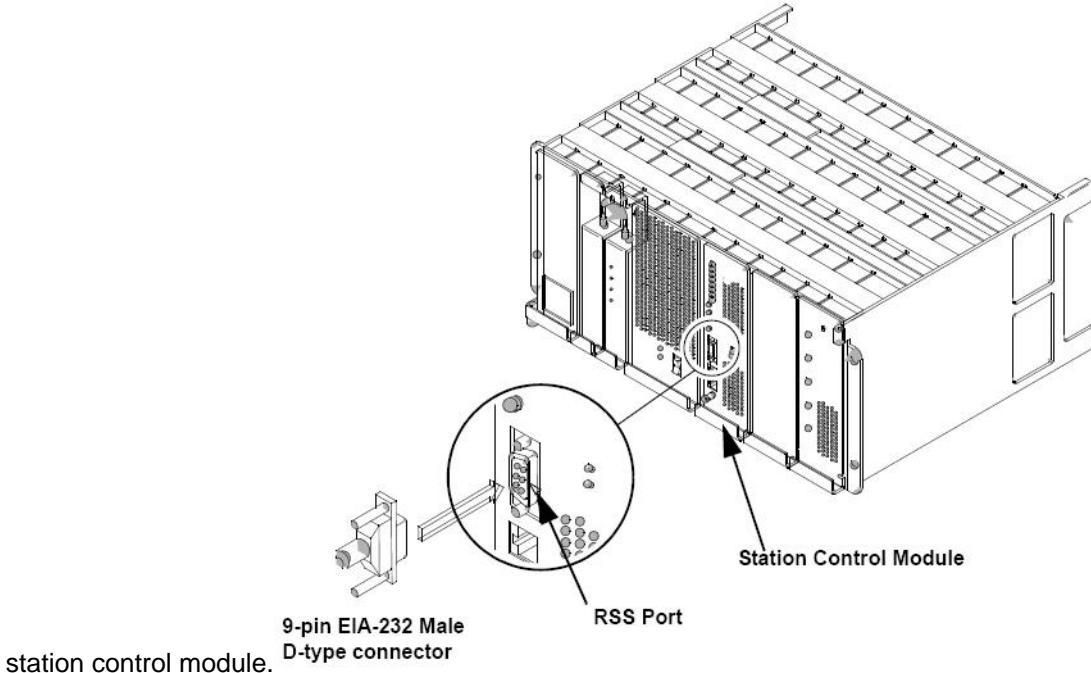
The following cable hardware and software application are required:

- 9-pin male to 9-pin female EIA-232 null-modem cable
- Radio Service Software (RSS)

When and where to use: This procedure describes how to read the current codeplug from the QUANTAR® station and save the codeplug as a codeplug report text file or as an archive file. The codeplug is used as reference when configuring the GTR 8000 Base Radio.

Procedure:

- 1 Connect the null-modem cable from the COM port on the computer to the RSS port on the



- 2 Launch the Radio Service Software (RSS) program.
- 3 From the **Connection Configuration** screen, select **Tools** → **Connection Configuration**.
- 4 Set the baud rate for the serial port on the computer to 9600 bps using Device Manager. The only available baud rate on the QUANTAR® station is 9600 bps.
 - a From Windows, select **Start** → **Run** and enter `mmc devmgmt.msc`
 - b Expand **Ports (COM and Port)** and right click **Communication Port (COM1)**.
 - c Select the **Port Settings** tab and verify or modify the settings.
- 5 Click **Connect/Dial** to establish a connection to the QUANTAR® station.
- 6 Select **File** → **Read from Device** to read the current codeplug.
- 7 Optional: If required, enter the password for the device and click **OK**.
- 8 Archive the codeplug data using one of the following methods:
 - Save the codeplug as a text file (filename.txt) by selecting **File** → **Save Codeplug Report**.
 - Save the codeplug as an archive file (filename.cp) by selecting **File** → **Save As**.
- 9 Close the RSS program.

10 Disconnect the null-modem cable from the station control module and the COM port on the computer.

5.4

Powering Down and Removing the Conventional QUANTAR Station

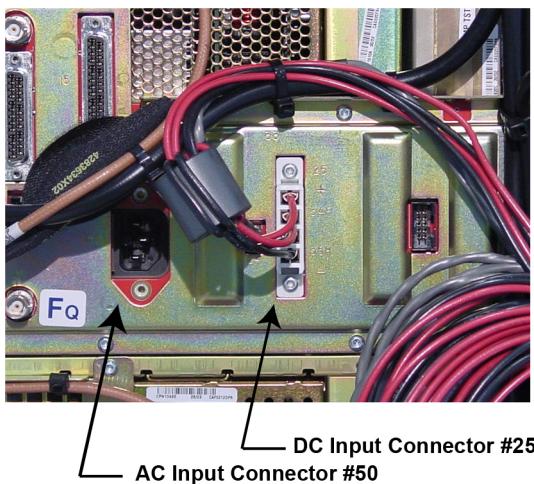
When and where to use: This procedure describes the proper sequence for powering down the QUANTAR® station before disconnecting it and removing it from the site. The channel and any traffic on the base radio are lost when the QUANTAR® station is powered down.



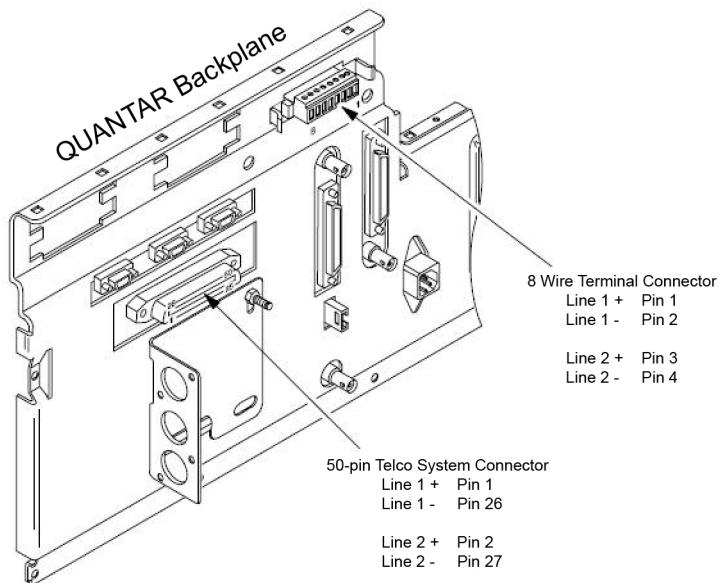
WARNING: Shock hazard. The QUANTAR® station contains dangerous voltages which can cause electrical shock or damage equipment. Turn off the base radio and disconnect the power cabling when servicing this equipment. Allow the base radio to cool before disconnecting any cables. Exposed surfaces of the unit may be hot.

Procedure:

- 1 Power down the QUANTAR® station.
 - a Set the rocker or toggle switch, on the front panel of the power supply module, to the **OFF** position.
 - b Disconnect the power cable from the power source and AC input connection.
 - c Disconnect the cable from the DC input connection if the base radio includes a battery backup or is powered from a DC source.



- 2 Disconnect the ground wire.
- 3 Disconnect the V.24 cable (digital or mixed mode configurations), if present .
- 4 Disconnect the 50-pin Telco system connection (connector #17), if present.



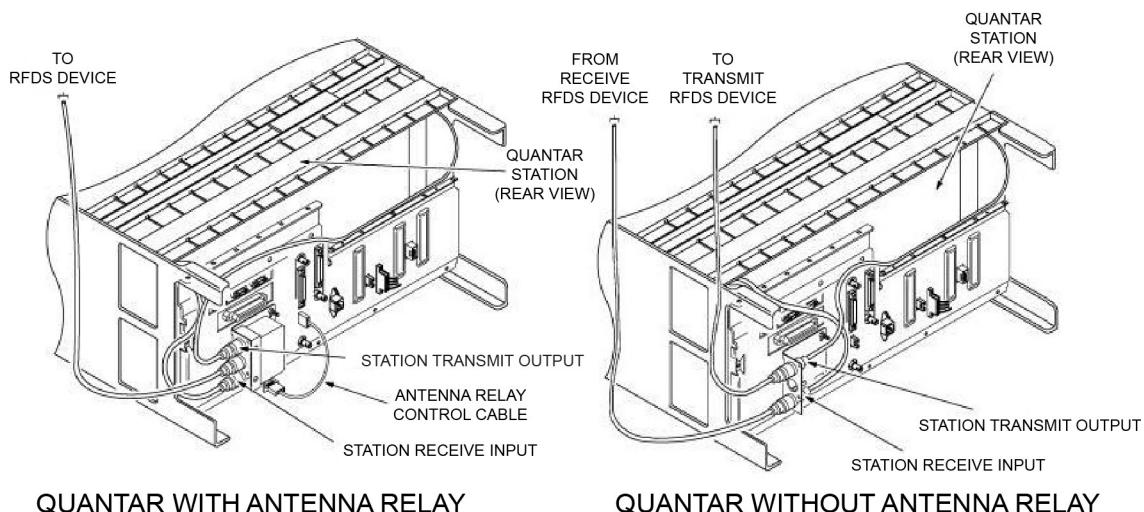
5 Disconnect the 8 wireline screw terminal connection (Phone Line Inputs), if present (analog or mixed mode configurations).

 **NOTICE:** Phone line connections may be made at either the 50-pin Telco system connector or at the 8 wire screw terminal connector. See the "Installation" section of the appropriate QUANTAR® station functional manual for more details on phone line connections.

6 Disconnect the transmit antenna and receive input cables.

- If using the antenna relay option, disconnect the single transmit/receive cable.

Figure 4: QUANTAR Station Transmit and Receive Connections



7 For a simulcast subsystem, disconnect the Frequency reference.

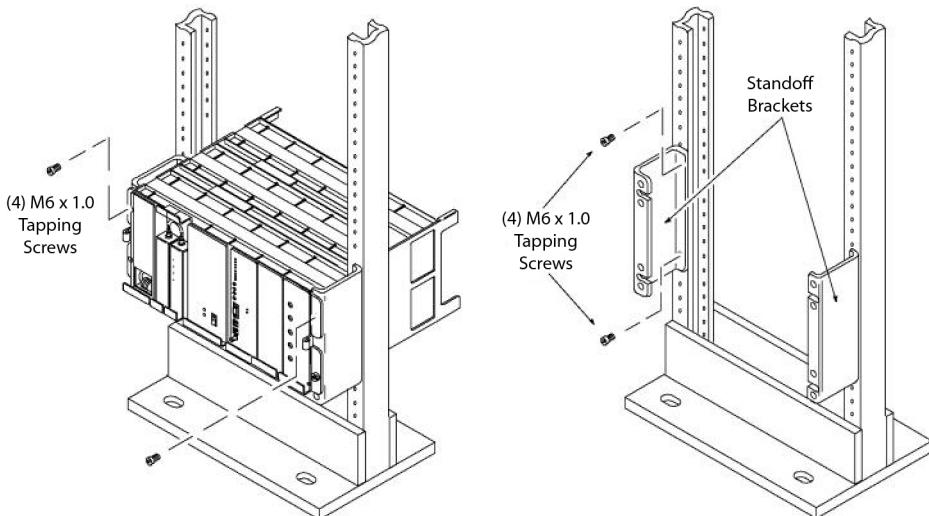
- Disconnect the BNC 5/10 MHz cable (connector #30), if present. This cable may be present if the QUANTAR® station is used in a digital simulcast. This cable is only required if the GTR 8000 Base Radio is used in a digital simulcast configuration.
- Disconnect the BNC 1PPS cable, if present, from the 1PPS port (connector #21).

8 Remove the QUANTAR® station from the rack or cabinet.



CAUTION: When removing the QUANTAR® station from a cabinet enclosure or rack, use the National Institute of Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH) lifting equation to determine whether a one or two person lift is required when a system component must be removed and replaced in a cabinet enclosure or rack.

- a** Remove the four M6 screws, from the front of the QUANTAR® station, using a T27 bit driver.
- b** Remove the QUANTAR® station from the front of the rack or cabinet by sliding it towards you until it clears the rack.

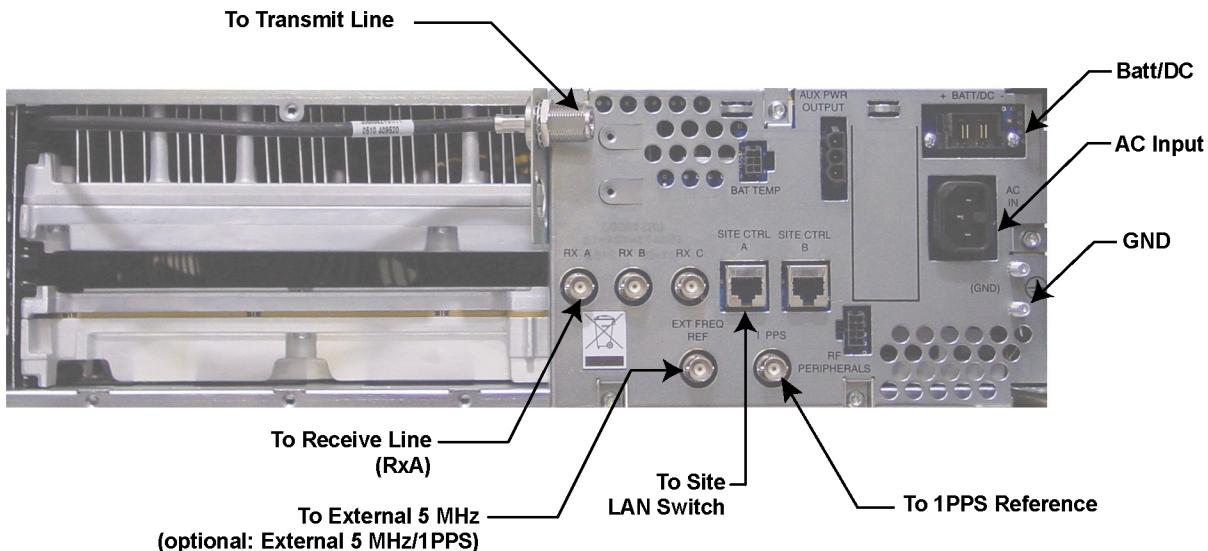


9 Optional: If installed in a rack, remove the standoff brackets used to hold the QUANTAR® station.

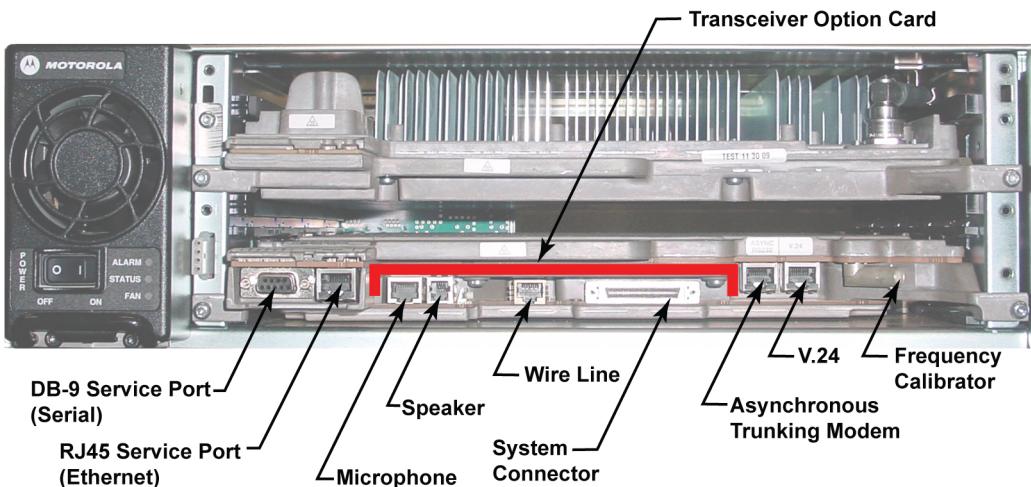
5.5

Installing a Digital Conventional GTR 8000 Base Radio

When and where to use: This procedure describes the proper sequence for installing the digital conventional GTR 8000 Base Radio in place of a conventional QUANTAR® station. See the following images of the GTR 8000 Base Radio for connections:

Figure 5: GTR 8000 Base Radio – Backplane

GTR8000_base_radio_quantar_simulcast_retrofit

Figure 6: GTR 8000 Base Radio – Front with Transceiver Option Card

GTR8000_XCVR_wSAC_chassis1

Procedure:

- 1 Insert the GTR 8000 Base Radio into the rack and secure it with the four M6 screws using a T27 bit. Torque to 42 in-lbs.
- 2 **NOTICE:** If standoff brackets are used with the QUANTAR® station, remove them and install new standoff brackets used with the GTR 8000 Base Radio.
- 3 Attach the ground cable for the GTR 8000 Base Radio to the grounding bus bar using grounding screw.
- 4 Make the following power connections:
 - a **For DC:** Connect the power cable from the BATT/DC port to the circuit breaker or to the power source at the site.
 - b **For AC:** Connect the power cable from the AC IN port to the appropriate wall outlet.

- c **For Battery Backup:** QUANTAR® station battery revert voltage (28 V) is not compatible with GTR 8000 Base Radio battery revert. The voltages are different and must not be connected. A 48 V battery for the GTR 8000 Base Radio must be used instead. For AC/DC battery revert, use both the AC (supplied) and DC power cables.
- d **For Battery Temperature:** Connect the battery temperature sensor cable.

4 Connect the 50-pin SCSI system connector to the System Connector port on the Transceiver Option Card on the GTR 8000 Base Radio. See [System Connector on page 42](#) for a detailed pinout.

5 Connect the V.24 interface for voice and data traffic to the V.24 port on the GTR 8000 Base Radio. See [Figure 6: GTR 8000 Base Radio – Front with Transceiver Option Card on page 64](#) for details.

6 Make the following RF receive and transmit connections:

| If... | Then... |
|---|---|
| If an antenna relay is not used, | <p>perform the following actions:</p> <p>a Connect the station's receive RF input cable to the Receive Line (Rx A port) on the backplane of the GTR 8000 Base Radio, as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If a preselector is used, connect the N-type cable, removed from the QUANTAR® station, to the input port on the preselector. • If no preselector is used, connect a BNC Male to N-Female adapter to the receive cable and connect the cable to the Rx A port on the GTR 8000 Base Radio. The GTR 8000 Base Radio Rx A port uses a BNC connector. <p>b Connect the station's transmit RF output cable to the Transmit Line port on the backplane of the GTR 8000 Base Radio.</p> |
| If an antenna relay is used, | <p>Connect the station's single transmit/receive antenna cable to the center connection on the GTR 8000 Base Radio antenna relay module.</p> <p> NOTICE: The antenna relay module is mounted on the backplane of the GTR 8000 Base Radio just above the Rx A port. The base radio's receive and transmit cables are connected by Motorola. See the "Antenna Relay Module" section of the <i>GTR 8000 Base Radio</i> manual for details.</p> |

7 If the GTR 8000 is installed in a Simulcast Subsystem,

- Connect the BNC 5 MHz cable, if present, to the EXT FREQ REF port.
- Connect the BNC 1PPS cable, if present, to the 1PPS port.

 **NOTICE:** *Optional Configuration:* Connect a BNC composite 5 MHz/1PPS cable to the EXT FREQ REF port instead of the separate signals.

8 Connect the site LAN connection, if present, to the SITE CTRL A Ethernet port.

 **NOTICE:** Place the RFI suppressor onto the Ethernet cable.

9 Power up the GTR 8000 Base Radio by toggling the power switch on the power supply module.

5.6

Configuring the GTR 8000 Base Radio in CSS

Prerequisites: This procedure requires the following hardware and software:

- Standard or crossover RJ-45 Ethernet cable
- A PC with the Configuration/Service Software (CSS)

When and where to use: This procedure describes the proper steps for configuring the analog-only, digital-only, or mixed mode GTR 8000 Base Radio. If possible, the configuration of the GTR 8000 Base Radio is performed ahead of time and saved to an archive file.

Procedure:

1 Connect the Ethernet cable between the Ethernet port on the PC and the Ethernet service port on the front of the GTR 8000 Base Radio.

2 Set the IP address of the PC to subnet 192.168.1.<x>

where <x> is any number between 2 and 253.



NOTICE: This action can be automatically accomplished by enabling DHCP on the PC. Set the Internet Protocol (TCP/IP) Properties for the PC to **Obtain an IP address automatically** and **Obtain DNS server address automatically** from the **Local Area Connection Properties** window.

3 Launch the Configuration/Service Software (CSS) application.

4 Select **Tools** → **Connection Configuration..**

5 In the **Connection Type** area, select **Ethernet**.

6 Click **Front Panel Ethernet**.

7 Click **Connect** to establish the connection.

A Passphrase Prompt screen opens.

8 Enter User Information and Passphrase Information and click **OK**.



NOTICE: If SNMPv3 configuration and user credentials are not set, click **OK** to proceed.

9 Select **File** → **Read Configuration From Device** to read the configuration from the base radio.

The **Progress monitor** window opens. Upon completion of a successful read, click the **OK** button to continue.

10 Configure the GTR 8000 Base Radio using one of the following methods:

- Print out the Codeplug report archived in the “Archiving the QUANTAR Codeplug Report using WinRSS” procedure and use it as a reference to configure the GTR 8000 Base Radio.
- Launch the RSS application and open the archived QUANTAR® station codeplug file. At the same time, open the CSS application and compare RSS parameters to their equivalent CSS parameters.



NOTICE: See [RSS to CSS Parameter Lookup on page 71](#) for a listing comparing RSS parameters to CSS parameters.

11 Set the relevant parameters in the CSS screens to match the values from the QUANTAR® station codeplug.



NOTICE: See the “Conventional Site – ASTRO 7.12 and Later” section in *CSS Online Help*.

- 12 Select **File** → **Save As** to save the new configuration file.
- 13 Select **File** → **Write Configuration To Device** to write the configuration to the base radio.
- 14 Close the CSS application and disconnect the PC.

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Chapter 6

Optimization and Troubleshooting for the GTR 8000 Base Radio

This chapter provides optimization and troubleshooting information for the conventional GTR 8000 Base Radio.

6.1

Alignment and Equalization Procedures

The following alignment and equalization procedures should be performed on the GTR 8000 Base Radio in order in which they listed:

- Reference Oscillator Alignment
- Tx Wireline Alignment
- Rx Wireline Alignment
- Carrier Squelch Alignment
- Battery Equalization
- ASTRO/Analog Simulcast Alignment



WARNING: To guard against personal injury and/or damage to equipment, switch the base radio to Service Mode when performing service. Transmit inhibiting the base radio within the Station Status screen in the CSS will also prevent the transmitter from keying. Remember to switch the base radio back to Normal Mode when service is complete.

All alignment and equalization procedures are performed using the CSS service Alignment screens. See the following *CSS Online Help* contents selection for detailed procedures:

Base Radio Service Help → Service Screens → Alignment Screens

Expand the relevant Alignment Screen tab from the conventional GTR 8000 section, for example, Reference Oscillator Alignment Tab, and click the procedure link.

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Appendix A

RSS to CSS Parameter Lookup

This appendix defines all the relevant parameters used for the conventional QUANTAR® station as well as the equivalent parameters used for the conventional GTR 8000 Base Radio. QUANTAR® station parameters are configured using the Radio Service Software (RSS). GTR 8000 Base Radio parameters are configured using the Configuration/Service Software (CSS). The sections in this appendix contain comparison tables listing QUANTAR® station to GTR 8000 parameters and their corresponding locations within each of the configuration software applications.

**NOTICE:**

All parameters listed for the conventional GTR 8000 Base Radio are described in the *Base Radio Configuration & Service Help* in CSS. Online help is launched from the CSS software by selecting

Help → CSS Help. See the “Conventional Site - ASTRO 7.12 and Later” content link for details.

A.1

Hardware Configuration Parameter Comparison from RSS to CSS

The following table compares the QUANTAR® station parameters found on the Hardware Configuration screen in RSS to the corresponding equivalent GTR 8000 Base Radio parameters found in CSS:

Table 19: Hardware Configuration Parameters in RSS

| QUANTAR Station | | | GTR 8000 Base Radio | | |
|------------------------------|------------------------|-----|--------------------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------|
| Radio Service Software (RSS) | | | Configuration/Service Software (CSS) | | |
| Parameter | Screen | Tab | Parameter | Screen | Tab |
| Station Name | Hardware Configuration | — | Station Name | Hardware Configuration | Hardware Configuration |
| Hardware Platform | Hardware Configuration | — | Hardware Platform | Hardware Configuration | Hardware Configuration |
| Station Type | Hardware Configuration | — | Station Type | Hardware Configuration | Hardware Configuration |
| Power Supply | Hardware Configuration | — | Power Supply Type | Hardware Configuration | Hardware Configuration |
| Battery Type | Hardware Configuration | — | Battery Type | Hardware Configuration | Hardware Configuration |
| Wireline | Hardware Configuration | — | Infrastructure Interface | Infrastructure Interface | Common |

Table continued...

| QUANTAR Station | | | GTR 8000 Base Radio | | |
|------------------------------|------------------------|-----|--------------------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|
| Radio Service Software (RSS) | | | Configuration/Service Software (CSS) | | |
| Parameter | Screen | Tab | Parameter | Screen | Tab |
| Wildcard | Hardware Configuration | — | Wildcard | Options | — |
| Freq Ref | Hardware Configuration | — | Frequency Reference | Hardware Configuration | Hardware Configuration |
| Simulcast Operation | Hardware Configuration | — | Simulcast Operation | Options | — |
| Multi-Coded Squelch | Hardware Configuration | — | Multi-Coded Squelch | Options | |
| Phone Patch Interface | Hardware Configuration | — | Phone Patch Interface | Options | |
| Scanning Receiver | Hardware Configuration | — | Scanning Receiver | Options | |
| Main/Standby | Hardware Configuration | — | Main/Standby | Options | |
| Serial Number | Hardware Configuration | — | — | — | — |
| System Type | Hardware Configuration | — | — | — | — |
| Rx Freq Band 1 | Hardware Configuration | — | — | — | — |
| Rx Freq Band 2 | Hardware Configuration | — | — | — | — |
| Tx Freq Band | Hardware Configuration | — | — | — | — |
| PA Power Rating | Hardware Configuration | — | — | — | — |
| Site Number | Hardware Configuration | — | — | — | — |

Table continued...

| QUANTAR Station | | | GTR 8000 Base Radio | | |
|------------------------------|------------------------|-----|--------------------------------------|--------|-----|
| Radio Service Software (RSS) | | | Configuration/Service Software (CSS) | | |
| Parameter | Screen | Tab | Parameter | Screen | Tab |
| External Wattmeter | Hardware Configuration | — | — | — | — |

A.2

Wireline Configuration Parameter Comparison from RSS to CSS

The following table compares the QUANTAR® station parameters found on the Wireline Configuration screen in RSS to the corresponding equivalent GTR 8000 Base Radio parameters found in CSS:

Table 20: Wireline Configuration Parameters in RSS

| QUANTAR Station | | | GTR 8000 Base Radio | | |
|------------------------------|------------------------|----------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------|
| Radio Service Software (RSS) | | | Configuration/Service Software (CSS) | | |
| Parameter | Screen | Tab | Parameter | Screen | Tab |
| Wireline Operation | Wireline Configuration | Wireline | Infrastructure Operation | Infrastructure Interface | Common |
| Remote Control Type | Wireline Configuration | Wireline | — | — | — |
| Outbound Analog Link Timer | Wireline Configuration | Wireline | — | — | — |
| ASTRO To Wireline | Wireline Configuration | Wireline | ASTRO To Wireline | Channel Configuration | Key Up Controls |
| Equalization | Wireline Configuration | Wireline | Equalization | Infrastructure Interface | Common |
| Comparator | Wireline Configuration | Wireline | Comparator Type | Infrastructure Interface | Common |
| Fall Back In-Cabinet Repeat | Wireline Configuration | Wireline | Fallback In-Cabinet Repeat | Infrastructure Interface | Common |
| Fall Back Time | Wireline Configuration | Wireline | Fallback Determination Time | Infrastructure Interface | Common |
| Status Tone | Wireline Configuration | Wireline | Status Tone | Infrastructure Interface | Common |

Table continued...

| QUANTAR Station | | | GTR 8000 Base Radio | | |
|------------------------------|------------------------|----------|---------------------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------|
| Radio Service Software (RSS) | | | Configuration/Service Software (CSS) | | |
| Parameter | Screen | Tab | Parameter | Screen | Tab |
| Status Tone Frequency | Wireline Configuration | Wireline | Status Tone Frequency | Infrastructure Interface | Common |
| Wireline Squelch | Wireline Configuration | Wireline | Wireline Squelch | Infrastructure Interface | Common |
| Squelch Threshold | Wireline Configuration | Wireline | Current Tx Wireline Squelch Threshold | Alignment Screen | Tx Wireline Alignment |
| Squelch Hysteresis | Wireline Configuration | Wireline | Tx Wireline Hysteresis Level | Alignment Screen | Tx Wireline Alignment |
| HLGT Frequency | Wireline Configuration | TRC | HLGT Frequency | Infrastructure Interface | TRC Configuration |
| Automatic Level Control | Wireline Configuration | TRC | Automatic Level Control | Infrastructure Interface | TRC Configuration |
| Tx Notch Filter | Wireline Configuration | TRC | Tx Notch Filter | Infrastructure Interface | TRC Configuration |
| Rx Notch Filter | Wireline Configuration | TRC | Rx Notch Filter | Infrastructure Interface | TRC Configuration |
| LLGT Undetect Time | Wireline Configuration | TRC | LLGT Undetect Time | Infrastructure Interface | TRC Configuration |
| TRC detection algorithm | Wireline Configuration | TRC | TRC Detection | Infrastructure Interface | TRC Configuration |
| Function Tones detected | Wireline Configuration | TRC | Function Tones Detected | Infrastructure Interface | TRC Configuration |
| Wireline Interface | Wireline Configuration | ASTRO | Infrastructure Interface | Infrastructure Interface | Common |
| Analog Idle Link Check | Wireline Configuration | ASTRO | Analog Idle Link Check | Infrastructure Interface | ASTRO Configuration |
| Digital Idle Link Check | Wireline Configuration | ASTRO | Digital Idle Link Check | Infrastructure Interface | ASTRO Configuration |

Table continued...

| QUANTAR Station | | | GTR 8000 Base Radio | | |
|------------------------------|------------------------|-------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|
| Radio Service Software (RSS) | | | Configuration/Service Software (CSS) | | |
| Parameter | Screen | Tab | Parameter | Screen | Tab |
| External Transmit Clock | Wireline Configuration | ASTRO | V.24 Transmit Clock | Infrastructure Interface | ASTRO Configuration |
| Modem Input Level - Tx WL | Wireline Configuration | ASTRO | — | — | — |
| Modem Output Level - Rx WL | Wireline Configuration | ASTRO | — | — | — |
| RT/RT Configuration | Wireline Configuration | ASTRO | RT/RT Configuration | Infrastructure Interface | ASTRO Configuration |

A.3

Access Code Table Parameter Comparison from RSS to CSS

The following table compares the QUANTAR® station parameters found on the Access Code Table screen in RSS to the corresponding equivalent GTR 8000 Base Radio parameters found in CSS:

Table 21: Access Code Table Parameters in RSS

| QUANTAR Station | | | GTR 8000 Base Radio | | |
|------------------------------|-------------------|-----|--------------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------|
| Radio Service Software (RSS) | | | Configuration/Service Software (CSS) | | |
| Parameter | Screen | Tab | Parameter | Screen | Tab |
| Access Code Table Number | Access Code Table | N/A | — | — | — |
| Rx Squelch Type | Access Code Table | N/A | Rx Squelch Type | Channel Configuration | PL/DPL |
| Rx PL/DPL Code | Access Code Table | N/A | Rx Squelch Code | Channel Configuration | PL/DPL |
| Tx Squelch Type | Access Code Table | N/A | Tx Squelch Type | Channel Configuration | PL/DPL |
| Tx PL/DPL Code | Access Code Table | N/A | Tx Squelch Code | Channel Configuration | PL/DPL |
| Rx NAC Operation | Access Code Table | N/A | Rx NAC Operation | Channel Configuration | ASTRO NAC |

Table continued...

| QUANTAR Station | | | GTR 8000 Base Radio | | |
|---|-------------------|-----|---|-----------------------|-----------|
| Radio Service Software (RSS) | | | Configuration/Service Software (CSS) | | |
| Parameter | Screen | Tab | Parameter | Screen | Tab |
| Rx Astro Access Code | Access Code Table | N/A | Rx NAC | Channel Configuration | ASTRO NAC |
| Tx Astro Access Code | Access Code Table | N/A | Tx NAC | Channel Configuration | ASTRO NAC |
| Transmit Using Last Received NAC | Access Code Table | N/A | Tx NAC selected by Last Rx NAC | Channel Configuration | ASTRO NAC |
| Expiration Time | Access Code Table | N/A | Tx NAC selected by Last Rx NAC Duration | Channel Configuration | ASTRO NAC |
| Multi-NAC Table: RX Network Access Code | Access Code Table | N/A | Rx NAC | Channel Configuration | ASTRO NAC |
| Multi-NAC Table: TX Network Access Code | Access Code Table | N/A | Tx NAC | Channel Configuration | ASTRO NAC |

A.4

Multi-Coded Squelch Table Parameter Comparison from RSS to CSS

The following table compares the QUANTAR® station parameters found on the Multi-Coded Squelch Table screen in RSS to the corresponding equivalent GTR 8000 Base Radio parameters found in CSS:

Table 22: Multi-Coded Squelch Table Parameters in RSS

| QUANTAR Station | | | GTR 8000 Base Radio | | |
|------------------------------|---------------------------|-----|--------------------------------------|-----------------------|--------|
| Radio Service Software (RSS) | | | Configuration/Service Software (CSS) | | |
| Parameter | Screen | Tab | Parameter | Screen | Tab |
| Rx Type | Multi-Coded Squelch Table | — | Rx Squelch Type | Channel Configuration | PL/DPL |
| Rx Freq/Code | Multi-Coded Squelch Table | — | Rx Squelch Code | Channel Configuration | PL/DPL |

Table continued...

| QUANTAR Station | | | GTR 8000 Base Radio | | |
|------------------------------|---------------------------|-----|--------------------------------------|-----------------------|--------|
| Radio Service Software (RSS) | | | Configuration/Service Software (CSS) | | |
| Parameter | Screen | Tab | Parameter | Screen | Tab |
| Tx Type | Multi-Coded Squelch Table | — | Tx Squelch Type | Channel Configuration | PL/DPL |
| Tx Freq/Code | Multi-Coded Squelch Table | — | Tx Squelch Code | Channel Configuration | PL/DPL |
| User Access | Multi-Coded Squelch Table | — | User Access | Channel Configuration | PL/DPL |
| Total Time Used | Multi-Coded Squelch Table | — | — | — | — |
| Number of Calls | Multi-Coded Squelch Table | — | — | — | — |

A.5

Channel Information Parameter Comparison from RSS to CSS

The following table compares the QUANTAR® station parameters found on the Channel Information screen in RSS to the corresponding equivalent GTR 8000 Base Radio parameters found in CSS:

Table 23: Channel Information Parameters in RSS

| QUANTAR Station | | | GTR 8000 Base Radio | | |
|------------------------------|---------------------|-------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------|---------------|
| Radio Service Software (RSS) | | | Configuration/Service Software (CSS) | | |
| Parameter | Screen | Tab | Parameter | Screen | Tab |
| Rx1 Frequency | Channel Information | Basic | Rx Frequency | Channel Configuration | RF Parameters |
| Rx2 Frequency | Channel Information | Basic | — | — | — |
| Tx Frequency | Channel Information | Basic | Tx Frequency | Channel Configuration | RF Parameters |
| Tx Idle Frequency | Channel Information | Basic | Tx Idle Frequency | Channel Configuration | RF Parameters |
| Modulation Type | Channel Information | Basic | Channel Operation | Channel Configuration | RF Parameters |

Table continued...

| QUANTAR Station | | | GTR 8000 Base Radio | | |
|------------------------------|---------------------|----------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|
| Radio Service Software (RSS) | | | Configuration/Service Software (CSS) | | |
| Parameter | Screen | Tab | Parameter | Screen | Tab |
| Tx Rated Deviation | Channel Information | Basic | Tx Rated Deviation | Channel Configuration | RF Parameters |
| Receive Channel BW | Channel Information | Basic | Receive Channel Bandwidth | Channel Configuration | RF Parameters |
| Call Sign | Channel Information | Basic | Base Station Identification | Channel Configuration | Key Up Controls |
| Call Sign Over Wire-line | Channel Information | Basic | BSI Over Wire-line | Channel Configuration | Key Up Controls |
| Carrier Squelch Transition | Channel Information | Basic | Carrier Squelch Transition | Channel Configuration | Key Up Controls |
| Analog Rx Activation | Channel Information | Basic | Analog Rx Activation | Channel Configuration | Key Up Controls |
| Analog Rptr Activation | Channel Information | Basic | Analog Repeater Activation | Channel Configuration | Key Up Controls |
| Analog Rptr Hold-In | Channel Information | Basic | Analog Repeater Hold-In | Channel Configuration | Key Up Controls |
| Analog Rptr Access | Channel Information | Basic | Analog Rptr Access | Options | — |
| Tx Power Out: Normal | Channel Information | Advanced | Tx Power Out | Channel Configuration | RF Parameters |
| Tx Power Out: Battery Backup | Channel Information | Advanced | Tx Power Level Battery Backup | Channel Configuration | RF Parameters |
| Repeater: Drop Out Delay | Channel Information | Advanced | Audio Hold-Off Timer | Channel Configuration | Timeouts |
| | | | Audio Hold-Off Timer Duration | Channel Configuration | Timeouts |
| Repeater: Audio Hold-Off | Channel Information | Advanced | Repeater Drop Out Delay | Channel Configuration | Timeouts |
| | | | Repeater Drop Out Delay Duration | Channel Configuration | Timeouts |
| Time Out Timers: Wireline | Channel Information | Advanced | Infrastructure Timeout Timer | Channel Configuration | Timeouts |

Table continued...

| QUANTAR Station | | | GTR 8000 Base Radio | | |
|-------------------------------|---------------------|----------|---------------------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|
| Radio Service Software (RSS) | | | Configuration/Service Software (CSS) | | |
| Parameter | Screen | Tab | Parameter | Screen | Tab |
| | | | Infrastructure Timeout Timer Duration | Channel Configuration | Timeouts |
| Time Out Timers: Local | Channel Information | Advanced | Local Timeout Timer | Channel Configuration | Timeouts |
| | | | Local Timeout Timer Duration | Channel Configuration | Timeouts |
| | | | Repeater Timeout Timer | Channel Configuration | Timeouts |
| Time Out Timers: Repeater | Channel Information | Advanced | Repeater Timeout Timer Duration | Channel Configuration | Timeouts |
| | | | Phone Patch Timeout Timer | Channel Configuration | Timeouts |
| Time Out Timers: Phone Patch | Channel Information | Advanced | Phone Patch Timeout Timer Duration | Channel Configuration | Timeouts |
| | | | Compander | Channel Configuration | Filters and Alarms |
| Hear Clear: Compander | Channel Information | Advanced | Noise Canceller | Channel Configuration | Filters and Alarms |
| Alarm Tone: Over Air | Channel Information | Advanced | Alarm Tone Over Air | Channel Configuration | Filters and Alarms |
| Alarm Tone: Over Wireline | Channel Information | Advanced | Alarm Tone Over Wireline | Channel Configuration | Filters and Alarms |
| Audio Filters: Pre-emphasis | Channel Information | Advanced | Pre-emphasis | Channel Configuration | Filters and Alarms |
| Audio Filters: De-emphasis | Channel Information | Advanced | De-emphasis | Channel Configuration | Filters and Alarms |
| Audio Filters: Hi-Pass Filter | Channel Information | Advanced | Hi-Pass Filter | Channel Configuration | Filters and Alarms |
| Phone Patch Operation | Channel Information | Advanced | Phone Patch | Channel Configuration | Key Up Controls |
| Rcv Signal Inversion | Channel Information | Advanced | — | — | — |

Table continued...

| QUANTAR Station | | | GTR 8000 Base Radio | | |
|------------------------------|---------------------|----------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|
| Radio Service Software (RSS) | | | Configuration/Service Software (CSS) | | |
| Parameter | Screen | Tab | Parameter | Screen | Tab |
| PTT Priority | Channel Information | Advanced | PTT Priority | Channel Configuration | Key Up Controls |
| Analog Repeater Boost | Channel Information | Advanced | Analog Repeater Boost | Channel Configuration | Key Up Controls |
| Monitor Before Transmit | Channel Information | Advanced | Monitor Receiver Activity | Channel Configuration | Filters and Alarms |

A.6

RF Configuration Parameter Comparison from RSS to CSS

The following table compares the QUANTAR® station parameters found on the RF Configuration screen in RSS to the corresponding equivalent GTR 8000 Base Radio parameters found in CSS:

Table 24: RF Configuration Parameters in RSS

| QUANTAR Station | | | GTR 8000 Base Radio | | |
|--------------------------------|------------------|-----|--------------------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|
| Radio Service Software (RSS) | | | Configuration/Service Software (CSS) | | |
| Parameter | Screen | Tab | Parameter | Screen | Tab |
| Repeater Operation | RF Configuration | — | Repeater/Base Operation | Repeater Configuration | — |
| Fast Key-Up | RF Configuration | — | — | — | — |
| Low Speed/PL Deviation | RF Configuration | — | PL/DPL Deviation | Channel Configuration | RF Parameters |
| Max Deviation | RF Configuration | — | Max Deviation | Repeater Configuration | — |
| Antenna Relay | RF Configuration | — | Antenna Relay | Hardware Configuration | Hardware Configuration |
| Antenna Relay Delay | RF Configuration | — | Antenna Relay Delay | Hardware Configuration | Hardware Configuration |
| Call Sign Interval | RF Configuration | — | BSI Interval | Channel Configuration | Key Up Controls |
| Startup On Last Active Channel | RF Configuration | — | Startup On Last Active Channel | Channel Configuration | All |
| Startup Channel | RF Configuration | — | Startup Channel | Channel Configuration | All |

Table continued...

| QUANTAR Station | | | GTR 8000 Base Radio | | |
|--------------------------------|------------------|-----|---|--------------------------|---------------------|
| Radio Service Software (RSS) | | | Configuration/Service Software (CSS) | | |
| Parameter | Screen | Tab | Parameter | Screen | Tab |
| ASTRO Fade Tolerance | RF Configuration | — | ASTRO Fade Tolerance | Infrastructure Interface | ASTRO Configuration |
| Repeat | RF Configuration | — | Repeat Data | Repeater Configuration | N/A |
| Wireline Drop Out Delay | RF Configuration | — | Infrastructure Data Drop Out Delay | Infrastructure Interface | ASTRO Configuration |
| | | | Infrastructure Data Drop Out Delay Duration | Infrastructure Interface | ASTRO Configuration |
| ASTRO Tx Filter | RF Configuration | — | — | — | — |
| Analog Simulcast Reverse Burst | RF Configuration | — | Analog Simulcast Reverse Burst | Infrastructure Interface | Common |
| Rx Code Detect Fade Timer | RF Configuration | — | — | — | — |
| Fade EOM timer | RF Configuration | — | — | — | — |

A.7

Scan List Configuration Parameter Comparison from RSS to CSS

The following table compares the QUANTAR® station parameters found on the Scan List Configuration screen in RSS to the corresponding equivalent GTR 8000 Base Radio parameters found in CSS:

Table 25: Scan List Configuration Parameters in RSS

| QUANTAR Station | | | GTR 8000 Base Radio | | |
|------------------------------|-------------------------|-----|--------------------------------------|-------------------------|-----|
| Radio Service Software (RSS) | | | Configuration/Service Software (CSS) | | |
| Parameter | Screen | Tab | Parameter | Screen | Tab |
| Scan On At Reset | Scan List Configuration | — | Scan On At Reset | Receiver Scan | — |
| Priority Channel | Scan List Configuration | — | Priority Channel Type | Receiver Scan | — |
| | | | Priority Channel Number | Priority Channel Number | — |

Table continued...

| QUANTAR Station | | | GTR 8000 Base Radio | | |
|------------------------------|-------------------------|-----|--------------------------------------|---------------|-----|
| Radio Service Software (RSS) | | | Configuration/Service Software (CSS) | | |
| Parameter | Screen | Tab | Parameter | Screen | Tab |
| Floating Priority | Scan List Configuration | — | Floating Priority | Receiver Scan | — |
| Channel Marking | Scan List Configuration | — | Channel Marking | Receiver Scan | — |
| Scan Delay | Scan List Configuration | — | Scan Delay | Receiver Scan | — |
| Priority Scan Delay | Scan List Configuration | — | Priority Scan Delay | Receiver Scan | — |
| Scan Sample Time | Scan List Configuration | — | Scan Sample Time | Receiver Scan | — |
| Rx Qualify Time | Scan List Configuration | — | Rx Qualify Time | Receiver Scan | — |
| Resume Scan Timer | Scan List Configuration | — | Resume Scan Timer | Receiver Scan | — |
| Scan | Scan List Configuration | — | Scan | Receiver Scan | — |
| TX Slave | Scan List Configuration | — | Tx Slave | Receiver Scan | — |

A.8

WildCard Parameter Comparison from RSS to CSS

The following table compares the QUANTAR® station parameters found on the WildCard screens in RSS to the corresponding equivalent GTR 8000 Base Radio parameters found in CSS:

Table 26: WildCard Parameters in RSS

| QUANTAR Station | | | GTR 8000 Base Radio | | |
|------------------------------|----------------|-----|--------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Radio Service Software (RSS) | | | Configuration/Service Software (CSS) | | |
| Parameter | Screen | Tab | Parameter | Screen | Tab |
| Channel: Binary Group | WildCard Input | — | Channel Binary Group | WildCard Tables | WildCard Inputs |

Table continued...

| QUANTAR Station | | | GTR 8000 Base Radio | | |
|-----------------------------------|-----------------|-----|--------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Radio Service Software (RSS) | | | Configuration/Service Software (CSS) | | |
| Parameter | Screen | Tab | Parameter | Screen | Tab |
| Access Code Table: Binary Group | WildCard Input | — | — | — | — |
| Active Level | WildCard Input | — | — | — | — |
| Channel: Binary Group | WildCard Output | — | Channel Binary Group | WildCard Tables | WildCard Tables |
| Multi-Coded Squelch: Binary Group | WildCard Output | — | Multi PL Binary Group | WildCard Tables | WildCard Tables |
| Access Code Table: Binary Group | WildCard Output | — | — | — | — |
| Active Level | WildCard Output | — | — | — | — |
| Jump to Table | WildCard Tables | — | TABLE | WildCard Tables | WildCard Tables |
| Description | WildCard Tables | — | Description | WildCard Tables | WildCard Tables |
| State | WildCard Tables | — | State | WildCard Tables | WildCard Tables |
| Cond | WildCard Tables | — | Condition | WildCard Tables | WildCard Tables |
| Action | WildCard Tables | — | Actions | WildCard Tables | WildCard Tables |
| Inaction | WildCard Tables | — | Inactions | WildCard Tables | WildCard Tables |

A.9

GTR 8000 Base Radio Parameters in CSS not Supported in RSS

The following table provides of listing of GTR 8000 Base Radio parameters found in CSS that provide new functionality not supported in the QUANTAR® station:

Table 27: CSS Parameters not Supported in RSS

| GTR 8000 Base Radio – Configuration/Service Software (CSS) | | |
|---|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Parameter | Screen | Tab |
| Transceiver | Hardware Configuration | Hardware Configuration |
| Transceiver Option Card Actual | Hardware Configuration | Hardware Configuration |
| Transceiver Option Card | Hardware Configuration | Hardware Configuration |
| Time Reference | Hardware Configuration | Hardware Configuration |
| Fall Back to Internal Frequency Reference | Hardware Configuration | Hardware Configuration |
| Power Supply Type Actual | Hardware Configuration | Hardware Configuration |
| Antenna Relay | Hardware Configuration | Hardware Configuration |
| Antenna Relay Delay | Hardware Configuration | Hardware Configuration |
| ASTRO CAI — RTTE Capable | Hardware Configuration | Hardware Configuration |
| ASTRO CAI Capable — RTTE Operation | Hardware Configuration | Hardware Configuration |
| GTR 8000 Configuration | Hardware Configuration | Receiver Multicoupler Configuration |
| Site RMC Configuration | Hardware Configuration | Receiver Multicoupler Configuration |
| Site RMC Attenuation | Hardware Configuration | Receiver Multicoupler Configuration |
| Cabinet RMC Configuration | Hardware Configuration | Receiver Multicoupler Configuration |
| Cabinet RMC Attenuation | Hardware Configuration | Receiver Multicoupler Configuration |
| System Gain | Hardware Configuration | Receiver Multicoupler Configuration |
| Analog Rptr Access | Options | — |
| Analog Simulcast Reverse Burst | Infrastructure Interface | Common |
| Subsite ID | Infrastructure Interface | ASTRO Configuration |
| Subsite Name | Infrastructure Interface | ASTRO Configuration |
| Ethernet Type | Infrastructure Interface | ASTRO Configuration |
| ASTRO Fade Tolerance | Infrastructure Interface | ASTRO Configuration |
| FDMA Minimum Jitter Buffer | Infrastructure Interface | ASTRO Configuration |

Table continued...

GTR 8000 Base Radio – Configuration/Service Software (CSS)

| Parameter | Screen | Tab |
|---|--------------------------|---------------------|
| Infrastructure Data Drop Out Delay | Infrastructure Interface | ASTRO Configuration |
| Infrastructure Data Drop Out Delay Duration | Infrastructure Interface | ASTRO Configuration |
| Channel Description | Channel Configuration | RF Parameters |
| Tx Frequency Max | Channel Configuration | RF Parameters |
| Tx Frequency Max | Channel Configuration | RF Parameters |
| Rx Frequency Max | Channel Configuration | RF Parameters |
| Rx Frequency Min | Channel Configuration | RF Parameters |
| Autocalculate Frequencies | Channel Configuration | RF Parameters |
| Digital Tx Modulation Type | Channel Configuration | RF Parameters |
| FM Tx Power Out Max | Channel Configuration | RF Parameters |
| FM Tx Power Out Min | Channel Configuration | RF Parameters |
| LSM Tx Power Out Max | Channel Configuration | RF Parameters |
| Tx Power Out for LSM | Channel Configuration | RF Parameters |
| Tx Power Level Battery Back-up For LSM | Channel Configuration | RF Parameters |
| LSM Tx Power Out Min | Channel Configuration | RF Parameters |
| ASTRO Repeat | Channel Configuration | Key Up Controls |
| BSI Transmission | Channel Configuration | Key Up Controls |
| RF Channel Interference Duration | Channel Configuration | Filters and Alarms |
| Multi-PL | Channel Configuration | PL/DPL |
| Tx PL/DPL Selected by Last Rx PL/DPL | Channel Configuration | PL/DPL |
| Tx PL/DPL Selected by Last Rx PL/DPL Duration | Channel Configuration | PL/DPL |
| Repeater Gate Update | Repeater Configuration | — |
| Repeater Gate Startup State | Repeater Configuration | — |
| Busy Bit Slot Time | Repeater Configuration | — |
| Singletone Frequency | Repeater Access | — |
| DTMF ID | Repeater Access | — |
| DTMF Sequence | Repeater Access | — |
| Multi NAC Binary Group | WildCard Tables | WildCard Outputs |

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Appendix B

Analog Simulcast Cable Assembly

The analog simulcast cable assembly combines and translates the pinouts of the GTR 8000 Base Radio wireline and system connector to a T57 Telco connector. This cable assembly is combined with a panel bracket. It can be mounted on a rack or cabinet. The assembled cable and panel is aligned with the backplane of the GTR 8000 Base Radio. All required components, assembly, and installations are provided in this section.

B.1

Analog Simulcast Cable Kit Parts List

This section contains all the parts required to assemble and install the analog simulcast cable assembly in a rack or cabinet configuration.

Table 28: Analog Simulcast Cable Kit Parts List

| FRU | Kit | Item | Part Number | Description | Quantity |
|---------|-----|------|-------------|--|----------|
| DLN6821 | | | | GTR ANALOG 4W E&M W/ SIMULCAST KIT | 1 |
| A | | | | | |
| CBN6270 | | | | PKG KIT ANLG SIMULCAST CBL ASSY | 1 |
| A | | | | | |
| | | | 5675232H04 | CARTON, OUTER BOX | 1 |
| | | | 5682347B19 | BAG PLASTIC | 1 |
| | | | 5682347B20 | BAG PLASTIC | 2 |
| | | | 5682347B21 | BAG, PLASTIC 584 X 431 MM | 2 |
| CKN6950 | | | | CABLE, ANALOG SIMULCAST | 1 |
| A | | | | | |
| | A | 3 | 3000939800 | ANALOG SIMULCAST CABLE | 1 |
| | | 2 | | | |
| | B | 0 | 0700938100 | BRACKET-SIMULCAST CABLE MOUNT | 1 |
| | | 1 | | | |
| | C | 4 | 4285940Y01 | STRAIN RELIEF W VELCRO STRAP | 1 |
| | | | | | |
| | D | 0 | 0310943J10 | SCREW,MET-RIC,M3X0.5,8MM,STAR,PAN,STEEL,ZINC-PLATED,THREAD FORMING | 2 |
| | | 1 | | | |
| | E | 0 | 0785716Y02 | EXTENDER, OPEN RACK | 2 |
| | | 1 | | | |
| | F | 0 | 0312016A54 | SCREW,MET-RIC,M6X1,10MM,STAR,PAN,STEEL,ZINC-PLATED,THREAD FORMING | 4 |
| | | 1 | | | |

Table continued...

| FRU | Kit | Item | Part Number | Description | Quantity |
|-----|-----|------|-------------|--|----------|
| | | G | 0310909E60 | SCREW,THREAD ROLL- ING,M4X. 7,8MM,STAR,PAN,STEEL | 4 |
| | | H | 0285504U05 | NUT - MET- RIC,CAGE,M6,STEEL | 4 |
| | | I | 0310909C91 | SCREW,MA- CHINE,M6,13MM,STAR,PAN,ST EEL | 5 |

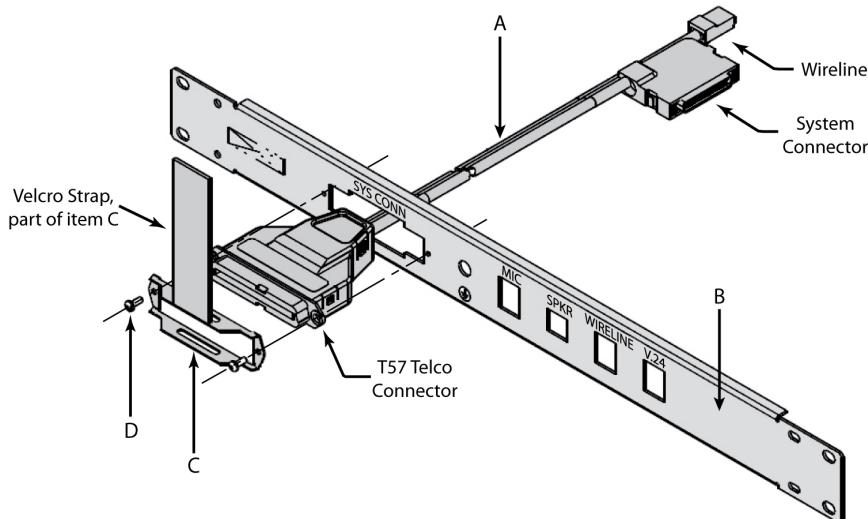
B.2

Assembling the Analog Simulcast Cable and Panel

Procedure:

- 1 Use this figure to identify the items used throughout this procedure. See [Analog Simulcast Cable Kit Parts List on page 87](#) for the part numbers of the items called out in this procedure.

Figure 7: Analog Simulcast Cable and Panel Assembly



A712_Analog_Simulcast_Cable_Assembly_A

- 2 Insert the cable assembly (item A) through the system connector opening in the panel (item B).

 **NOTICE:** The T57 Telco connector may be positioned with the d-shape keying feature either up or down. When using a right-angle mating connector, verify the orientation needed for proper cable routing before securing to the panel bracket.

- 3 Position the strain relief (item C) over the T57 Telco connector.
- 4 Using the two metric M3 screws (item D), fasten the strain relief through the T57 Telco connector and secure it to the panel using a Tx10 bit driver. Torque to 17 in-lbs.

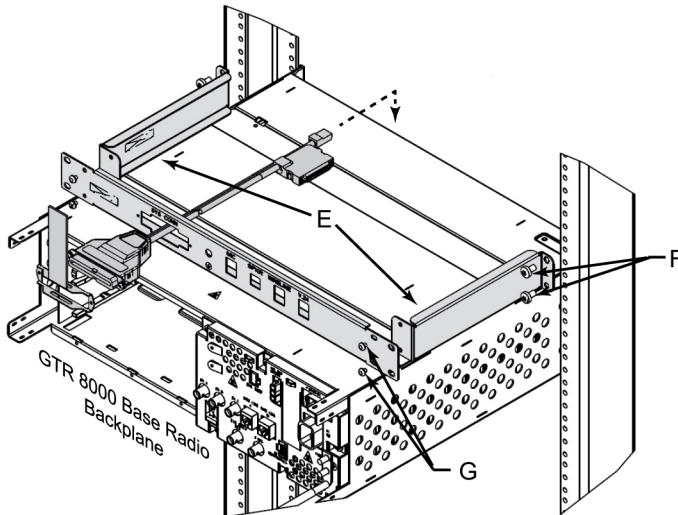
B.3

Installing the Analog Simulcast Cable in an Open Rack Configuration

Procedure:

- 1 Use this figure to identify the items used throughout this procedure. See [Analog Simulcast Cable Kit Parts List on page 87](#) for the part numbers of the items called out in this procedure.

Figure 8: Analog Simulcast Cable in an Open Rack Configuration



A712_Analog_Simulcast_Cable_Assembly_Rack_A

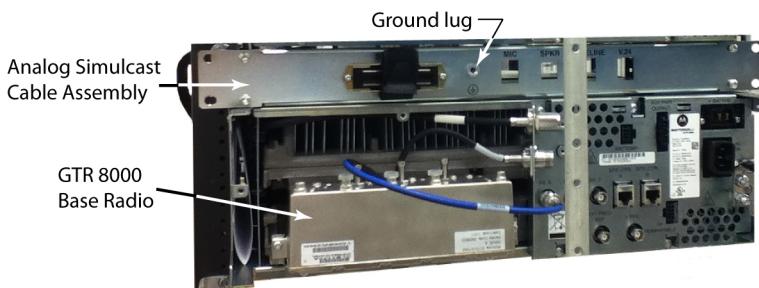
- 2 Secure each extender bracket (item E) to the tapped holes on the rack using two M6 (item F) screws using a Tx30 bit driver. Torque to 55 in-lbs.



NOTICE: The extender brackets should be mounted one rack unit above or below the GTR 8000 Base Radio. Installation is dependent on existing devices on the rack.

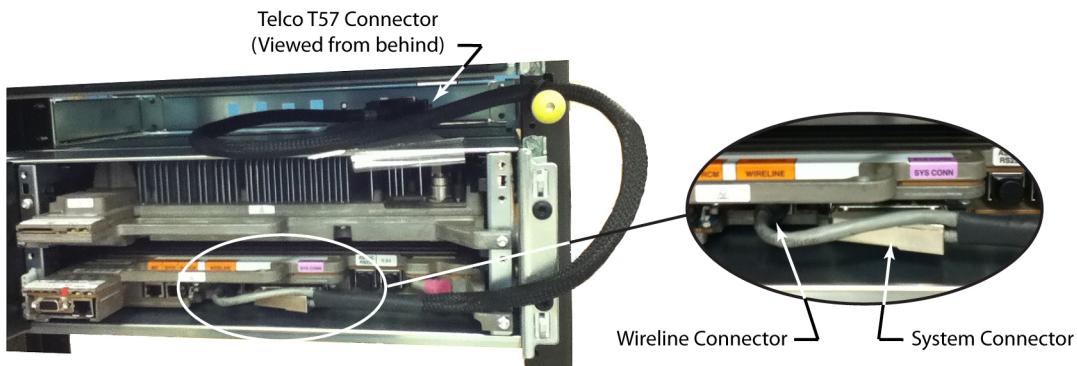
- 3 Secure the assembled Analog Simulcast panel (using the inner hole patterns) to the extender brackets using four M4 (item G) screws using a Tx20 bit driver. Torque to 17 in-lbs.

Figure 9: Analog Simulcast Assembly in Rack – GTR 8000 Base Radio Backplane



A712_Analog_SimCable_Rack_Mount1

- 4 Connect an approved ground cable to the ground lug on the Analog Simulcast panel using an M6 (item I) star screw using a Tx30 bit driver. Torque to 55 in-lbs.
- 5 Remove the fan module to gain access to the Transceiver Option Card (TOC) on the transceiver module. See “Replacing the Fan Assembly” in the *GTR 8000 Base Radio* manual for details.
- 6 Route the Analog Simulcast Cable over the GTR 8000 Base Radio if the panel was mounted over the base radio.

Figure 10: Connected Analog Simulcast Cable – GTR 8000 Base Radio Front View

A712_Analog_Simulcast_Cable_Conn_Front1

- 7 Connect the 50-pin connector to the system connector on the TOC.
- 8 Connect the RJ-45 wireline connector to the wireline port on the TOC.
- 9 Replace the fan module on the base radio so that the Analog Simulcast Cable hangs out through the right-side of the fan module.
- 10 Secure the remaining Analog Simulcast Cable to the rack using cable ties.

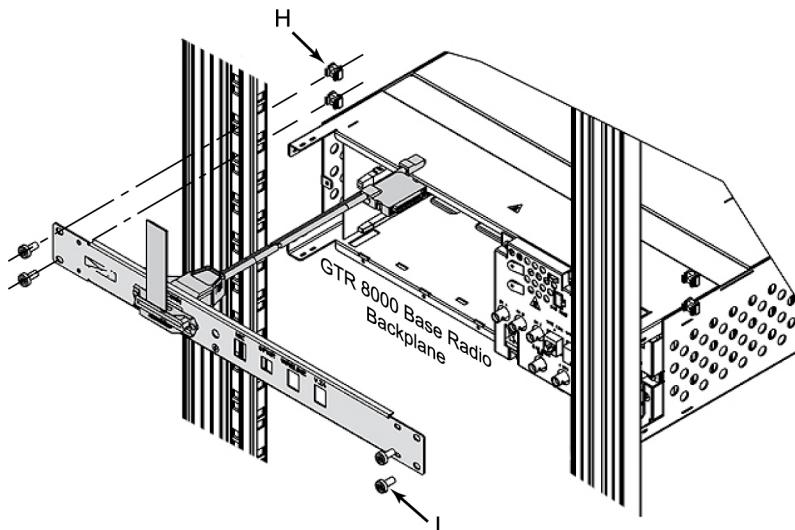
Figure 11: Analog Simulcast Cable – GTR 8000 Base Radio with Fan Modules

A712_Analog_Simulcast_Cable_Conn_Fan

B.4**Installing the Analog Simulcast Cable in a Cabinet Configuration****Procedure:**

- 1 Use this figure to identify the items used throughout this procedure. See [Analog Simulcast Cable Kit Parts List on page 87](#) for the part numbers of the items called out in this procedure.

Figure 12: Analog Simulcast Cable in a Cabinet Configuration



A712_Analog_Simulcast_Cable_Assembly_Cabinet_A

2 Insert four cage nuts (item H) into cabinet rail opening.



NOTICE: The cage nuts should be mounted one rack unit above or below the GTR 8000 Base Radio. Installation is dependent on existing devices on the rack.

3 Secure the assembled Analog Simulcast panel (using the outer hole patterns) to the cage nuts using four M6 (item I) star screws using a Tx30 bit driver. Torque to 55 in-lbs.



NOTICE: See [Figure 9: Analog Simulcast Assembly in Rack – GTR 8000 Base Radio Backplane on page 89](#) for an example.

4 Connect an approved ground cable to the ground on the Analog Simulcast panel using an M6 (item I) star screw using a Tx30 bit driver. Torque to 55 in-lbs.

5 Remove the fan module to gain access to the Transceiver Option Card (TOC) on the transceiver module. See “Replacing the Fan Assembly” in the *GTR 8000 Base Radio* manual for details.

6 Route the Analog Simulcast Cable over the GTR 8000 Base Radio if the panel was mounted over the base radio.



NOTICE: See [Figure 10: Connected Analog Simulcast Cable – GTR 8000 Base Radio Front View on page 90](#) for an example.

7 Connect the 50-pin connector to the system connector on the TOC.

8 Connect the RJ-45 wireline connector to the wireline port on the TOC.

9 Replace the fan module on the base radio so that the Analog Simulcast Cable hangs out through the right-side of the fan module.



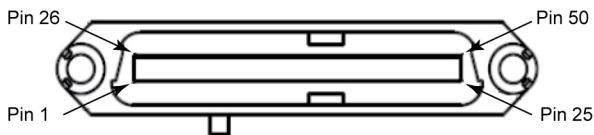
NOTICE: See [Figure 11: Analog Simulcast Cable – GTR 8000 Base Radio with Fan Modules on page 90](#) for an example.

10 Secure the remaining Analog Simulcast Cable to the rack using cable ties.

B.5

Analog Simulcast Cable Pin Assignment

This section contains the pin assignment for the analog simulcast cable. It defines the connections from the T57 Telco connector to the system connector and wireline connector on the Transceiver Option Card of the GTR 8000 Base Radio.

Figure 13: Telco T57 Female Connector on the Analog Simulcast Cable

Telco_T57_Pins_A



NOTICE: For the system connector pin-outs, see [System Connector on page 42](#). For the wireline connector, see [Wireline Connections on page 41](#).

Table 29: Analog Simulcast Cable Pin Assignment

| T5 7 | Sys Conn | Wire- line | Signal | Type | Function | Note |
|---------|-------------|---------------|----------------------|------|---|---|
| 1 | n/a | 5 | Line 1 + | I | Customer 4-Wire Line Input (Line 1+) | Analog Signal |
| 2 | n/a | 1 | Line 2 + | I/O | Customer 2-Wire Line Input/Output (Line 2+) | Analog Signal |
| 7 | 34 | n/a | GND | I | GND | |
| 9 | 25 | n/a | Gen TX - | I | Gen TX Data- | Analog Signal - 600 Ohm Balanced |
| 10 | 49 | n/a | PL + | I | PL (+) In | Analog Signal - 600 Ohm Balanced |
| 13 | 27 | n/a | Aux In 3 | I | Tx Inhibit | Pull To Ground To Activate |
| 15 | 28 | n/a | Aux In 5 | I | External PTT | Pull To Ground To Activate |
| 16 | 3 | n/a | Aux In 6 | I | In-Cabinet Repeat | Pull To Ground To Activate |
| 17 | 29 | n/a | Aux In 7 | I | Rx Inhibit | Pull To Ground To Activate |
| 18 | 39 | n/a | AUX Out Relay 7 N.O. | O | RD STAT - Receiver Active | Form Relay A Closed When Active |
| 24 | 32 | n/a | Aux In 11 + | I | | Opto-Isolated In - Current flow to Activate |
| 26 | n/a | 4 | Line 1 - | I | Customer 4-Wire Line Input (Line 1-) | Analog Signal |
| 27 | n/a | 2 | Line 2 - | I/O | Customer 2-Wire Line Input/Output (Line 2-) | Analog Signal |
| 32 | 43 | n/a | GND | | GND | |

Table continued...

| T5 7 | Sys Conn | Wire- line | Signal | Type | Function | Note |
|---------|-------------|---------------|--------------------------|------|------------------------------|---|
| 34 | 50 | n/a | Gen TX + | I | Gen TX Data+ | Analog Signal - 600 Ohm Bal- anced |
| 35 | 24 | n/a | PL - | I | PL (-) In | Analog Signal - 600 Ohm Bal- anced |
| 38 | 37 | n/a | Aux Out 3 | O | | Low Impedance to Ground When Active |
| 40 | 38 | n/a | Aux Out 5 | O | | Low Impedance to Ground When Active |
| 43 | 14 | n/a | Aux Out Re- lay 7 Com | O | RD STAT - Receiver Active | Form Relay A Closed When Ac- tive |
| 49 | 7 | n/a | Aux In 11 - | I | | Opto-Isolated In - Current flow to Activate |

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