CM-300/350 (V2) Series Software-Defined Radios

VHF/UHF Air Traffic Control Radios



Voice over IP (VoIP), compliant to EUROCAE ED-137

Front panel display and keypad

Embedded co-site filter

Passively cooled; no fan required

< 6 second boot time

Multiple keying and squelch options

Ultra high Mean Time Between Failure (MTBF)

Overview

The CM-300/350 Series Version 2 radios are the latest additions to the General Dynamics family of Air Traffic Control (ATC) radios. Based on the FAA NEXCOM Segment 2 radio requirements, these rack mounted transmitter and receiver systems are specifically designed to meet the dynamic mission requirements of air traffic control centers, commercial airports, military air stations and range installations.

Multimode Functionality in one Software Defined Radio

The General Dynamics UHF and VHF Digital Radios deliver more modes and a broader frequency range in a rack mount, passively cooled chassis. Advanced modes, legacy AM voice interoperability, and VoIP facilitate current and future voice and data requirements.

Key Features

- VHF: 112 150 MHz, 8.33 KHz and 25KHz channel spacing
- UHF: 225 399.975 MHz, 25 kHz channel spacing
- Low Power Transmitter 2-12 Watts with co-site filter, 2-15 Watts without filter
- High Power Transmitter 12-35 Watts with co-site filter, 12-50 Watts without filter
- Remote control and maintenance capability with SNMP and built-in test
- 100% usable receive channels

Typical Performance Parameters:

VHF/UHF General Data

Frequency Range:

- VHF: 112 –150 MHz
- UHF: 225 399.975 MHz

Frequency Stability:

■ ≤ 1 ppm

Channel Spacing:

- VHF: 25 kHz, 8.33 kHz
- UHF: 25 kHz

Modulation:

- VHF: A3E (Voice)
- UHF: A3E (Voice)

Power Supply:

- DC power supply: 24 V DC nominal (21.6 – 28.8 V) UHF high power only, (28 V DC nominal (+/- 10%))
- AC power supply: 85-256 V, 50-60 Hz Automatic switchover AC-to-DC

Temperature:

- Operating: -10°C to +50°C
- Relative humidity: 90% at 40°C (non-condensing)
- Storage: -40°C to +70°C

Data Interface:

Ethernet

Maintenance:

- Local: Ethernet, IPV4
- Remote: Ethernet IPV4 DHCP
- Comprehensive: BIT, software upload
- Setup functions: available on front panel keypad/ display
- Internal Measurements: Internal voltages, audio levels, Tx output power, FWD power, REV power, VSWR, Rx AGC voltage, Temperature
- Maintenance Data Terminal/Human Machine Interface

Standards:

- ICAO SARPS
- ETSI EN 300 676: VHF AM
- ETSI EN 302 617: UHF AM
- EUROCAE ED-137A: VoIP
- FAA-E-3014: VHF/UHF AM

Mission Systems

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VHF FCC Cert. IDs:

- MIJCM300V2 CM-300 (V2) VDT
- MIJCM350V2 CM-350 (V2) VDT

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VHF/UHF Receiver Data

Mechanical Characteristics:

- Width: 19 in
- Overall depth: 18.5 in
- Height: 1.75 in, 1U
- Weight: approximately 11 lbs

Power Consumption (receiving):

- 24V DC: 500 mA typical
- 230V AC: 180 mA typical
- 115V AC: 270 mA typical

Sensitivity:

• A3E (with cavity filter): < -102 dBm (SINAD $\ge 10 \text{ dB}$, 1 kHz 30%)

■ Distortion (1 kHz, 30%): ≤ 2%

AF Bandwidth:

- A3E AM Voice at 25 kHz channel spacing: > 300 – 3000 Hz
- A3E AM Voice at 8.33 kHz channel spacing: > 350 – 2500 Hz
- AF Noise (-13 dBm, 1 kHz, 90%): ■ > 40 dB

Effective Bandwidth @6dB:

- In 25 kHz: > +/-9.0 kHz
- In 8.33 kHz: > +/-3.5 kHz

Adjacent Channel Rejection:

- VHF: ≥ 60 dB
- UHF: ≥ 60 dB
- Spurious Response: ≥ 70 dB
- 3rd Order Intermodulation (SINAD 12 dB, 100 kHz and 200 kHz): ≥ 70 dB
- Desensitization: ≥ 80 dB
- Cross Modulation: ≥ 70 dB
- AGC Response (A3E Voice):
- Dynamic range: 100 dB (Variation \leq 3 dB)
- Attack time: < 30 ms
- Release time: < 50 ms</p>

Audio Line Output:

- Adjustable from -25 to +20 dBm in 0.2 dB steps
- Impedance: 600 ohms

Squelch:

Carrier, Audio SNR

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- Independently selectable
- Independently adjustable thresholds

VHF/UHF Transmitter Data

Mechanical Characteristics: Width: 19 in

Overall depth: 17 in

CM-300/350 (V2) Series Digital Radios

- Height: 5.2 in, 3U
- Weight: approx. 35 lbs

Power Consumption (50W AM – 1kHz 90%):

- 24V DC: 14 A typical
- 230 VAC: 2.2 A typical
- 115 VAC: 3.9 A typical

RF Output Power:

- Low Power Transmitter 2-12 Watts with co-site filter, 2-15 Watts without filter
- High Power Transmitter 12-35 Watts with co-site filter, 12-50 without filter

VSWR:

• Up to a VSWR of 3:1 without power reduction

Protections:

 Power reduction on overheating, low voltage and high VSWR

AM Voice (A3E):

- Modulation rate: adjustable from 0 to 100%
- Distortion <5% (m=90%)
- Line input level: -25 to +20 dBm
- Line input impedance: 600 ohms

Adjustable from 5 sec to 5 min

Multiple Keying Options:

Variable voltage

Ground key

Spectral Purity:

Harmonics: < -80dBc</p>

site filter installed)

User configurable

Out of band spurious: < -90dBc</p>

Noise at 1% of Fo: < -150 dBc/Hz
 Adjacent Channel Power:
 AM 8.33 and 25 kHz: < -50 dBc

Can be disabled for continuous transmit

AM Responses:

Duty Cycle

Tx Time Out:

- A3E AM Voice at 25 kHz channel spacing:
 > -3 dB 300 3000 Hz
- A3E AM Voice at 8.33 kHz channel spacing:
 > -3 dB 350 2500 Hz

VHF Low and High Power Transmitters 100%

• UHF Low Power Transmitter 100% Duty Cycle

UHF High Power Transmitter 50% Duty Cycle

(<-65dBm in L1 and L5 GPS bands w/ optional co-

Embedded Antenna Transfer Relay (ATR)

Main/standby or transceiver configurations

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