HydroLynx Systems, Inc.

Model 5351R Receiver

Instruction Manual



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1.0 INTRODUCTION

1.1 General Description

The 5351R is an FM radio receiver that operates with a frequency in the VHF or UHF band. The frequency used for each system is selected by the customer. Within the United States, the frequency must be applied for and approved for use by the FCC.

1.2 Equipment Included

5351R

Receiver/Decoder Cable 5030 Charger with 5-pin female connector Battery Power Cable Battery

1.3 Specifications

Enclosure: Desktop

Radio specifications: Refer to radio manual

Power Required: 12 Vdc Standby Current: 65 mA

Battery: 12 Vdc, 12 AH Charger: 120 Vac, 0.2 A

Antenna Connector: N-type female lightning arrestor

Audio Output Level: 800 mVp-p, Typical

Operating temperature: -40 to 60 °C

Size: 7.25 in. x 2.75 in. x 9 in.

Weight: 3 lbs

2.0 INSTALLATION

The 5351R/D Receiver/Decoder is composed of two devices; a radio receiver; and a demodulator. The 5351R radio receiver is installed at or near the antenna tower. The 5351D decoder is installed at or near the operator's office.

2.1 Site Selection

2.1.1 Antenna

The receiver antenna should be installed at an elevation that is as high as practical. If possible, install the antenna onto a radio tower, tall building, or other tall structure. Refer to Radio Path Survey.

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2.1.2 5351R

The 5351R must be installed as close to the antenna as possible to keep antenna cable line loss to a minimum. The 5351R is capable of driving its output signal long distances, up to 5000 feet (consult factory). For outdoor or remote installations, the 5351R must be housed within a weather-proof enclosure; otherwise it must be kept indoors.

2.2 Connections

All wiring connections are located on the back panel.

- ! Connect the antenna cable into the N-type female connector.
- ! Attach the ground screw to earth ground using a #6 stranded copper wire. The ground lug is provided on the ground screw.
- ! Attach the receiver/decoder cable using the "lug" type connectors into the Sig Out (signal out) section of the terminal block. Attach the cable shield to the ground screw (see wiring diagram).
- ! Attach the battery power cable into the terminal block. Connect battery power cable to the battery terminals.

CAUTION: Failure to observe battery polarity will cause extensive damage.

! Connect the AC charger to the 5-pin connector. Plug the AC charger into a standard AC electrical outlet.

2.3 Mounting

The 5351R is designed for "desktop" installation. Avoid placing the console in areas where there is a possibility of it getting wet. For use in remote locations, place the console into a weather-proof enclosure.

3.0 THEORY OF OPERATION

The 5351R receives data transmissions from the remote sites. The receiver circuitry demodulates the Frequency Modulated (FM) radio signals into audible tones for input into the 5351D.

3.1 Power Light

The power light is lighted whenever power is applied to the 5351R.

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3.2 Radio: Tone and Squelch

The tone amplitude and squelch levels are factory set.

CAUTION: Adjustment should be made only by trained service personnel.

Tone amplitude is 800 mV

Squelch is set to 12db (SINAD measurement); Limit: <=0.5 • V.

3.3 Input/Output

The 5351R receives Radio Frequency (RF) data transmissions from remote sites as input. The receiver circuitry demodulates the Frequency Modulation (FM) signals into audible tones. These tones, presented in ALERT Format, are 2133 Hz for logic "1" and 1920 Hz for a logic "0", and are the Frequency Shift Keying (FSK) output signal.

4.0 TESTING AND MAINTENANCE

4.1 Testing

4.1.1 RF Antenna Test

The antenna is tested for reflected power as if it were a transmitter antenna.

- ! Attach a wattmeter and transmitter to the antenna cable.
- ! Select the proper slug for reverse power and frequency testing (refer to wattmeter manual).
- ! Initiate a transmission. The duration of the transmission must be long enough to obtain a stable reading on the wattmeter.
- ! Compare the measured reading to the antenna system's rated reflected power.

4.1.2 Tone Out

- ! Attach an oscilloscope to the tone out terminals.
- ! Initiate a transmission to the receiver.
- ! Verify that the signal is a 800 mVpp sine wave.
- ! Refer to the radio manufacturer's service manual for adjustment instructions.

4.2 Radio Alignment

Refer to the Incoming Radio Inspection Form and to the radio manufacturer's service manual.

CAUTION: Radio alignment should only be performed by trained service personnel.

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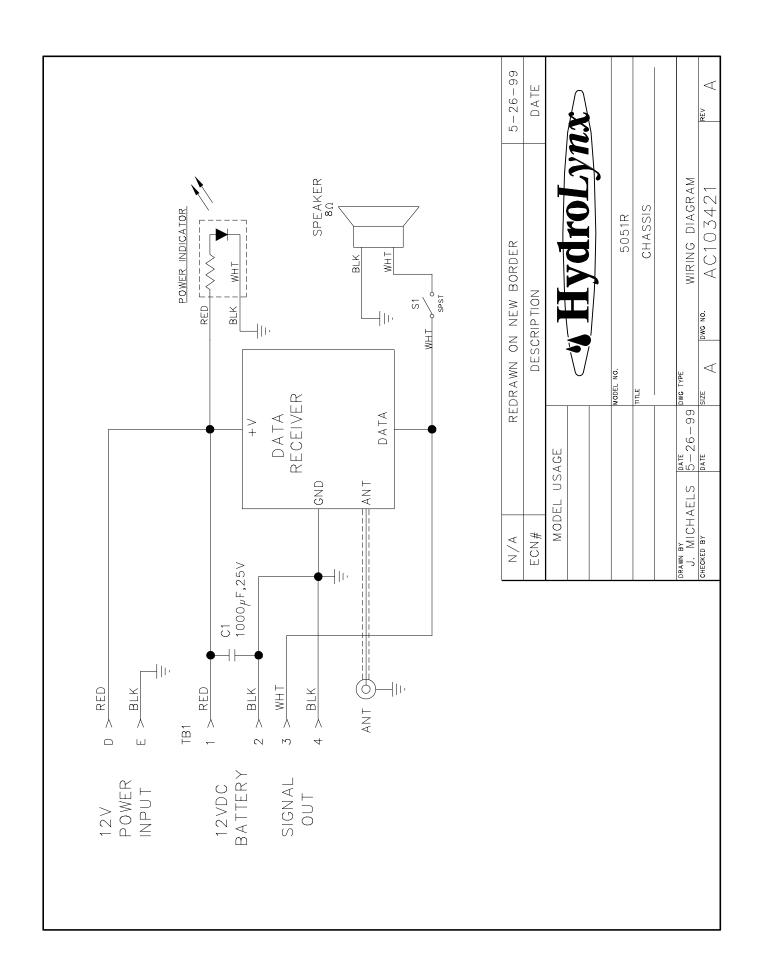
4.3 Maintenance

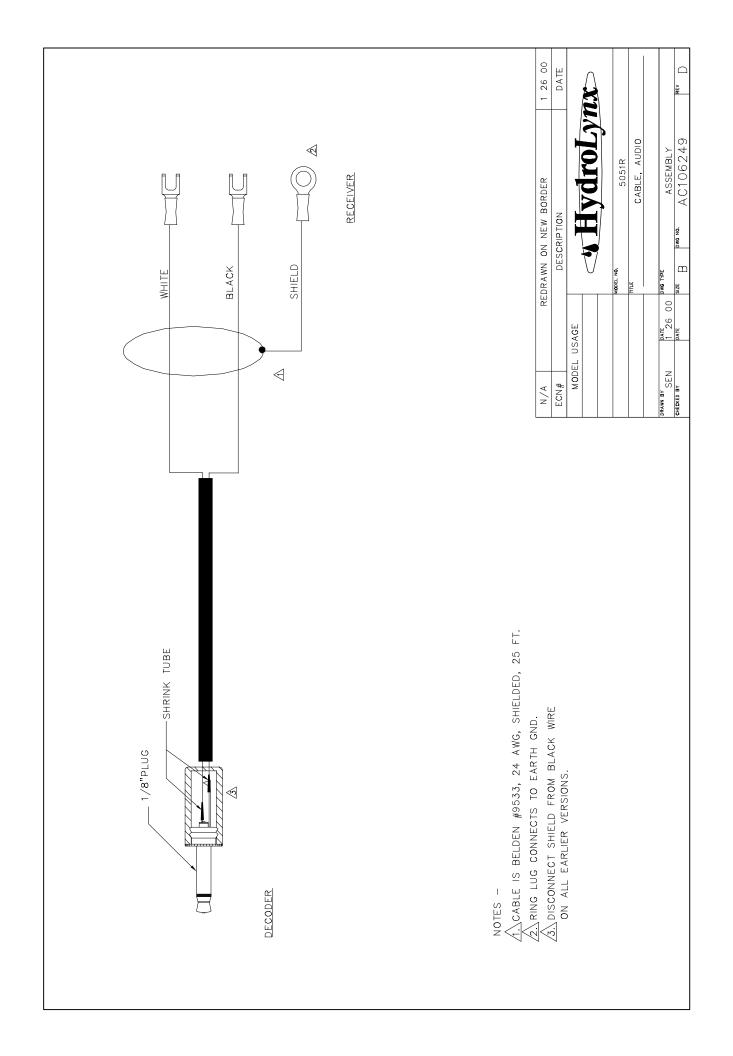
The receiver is essentially a low maintenance item, however, the battery should be tested annually and replaced whenever necessary. Refer to the battery manual.

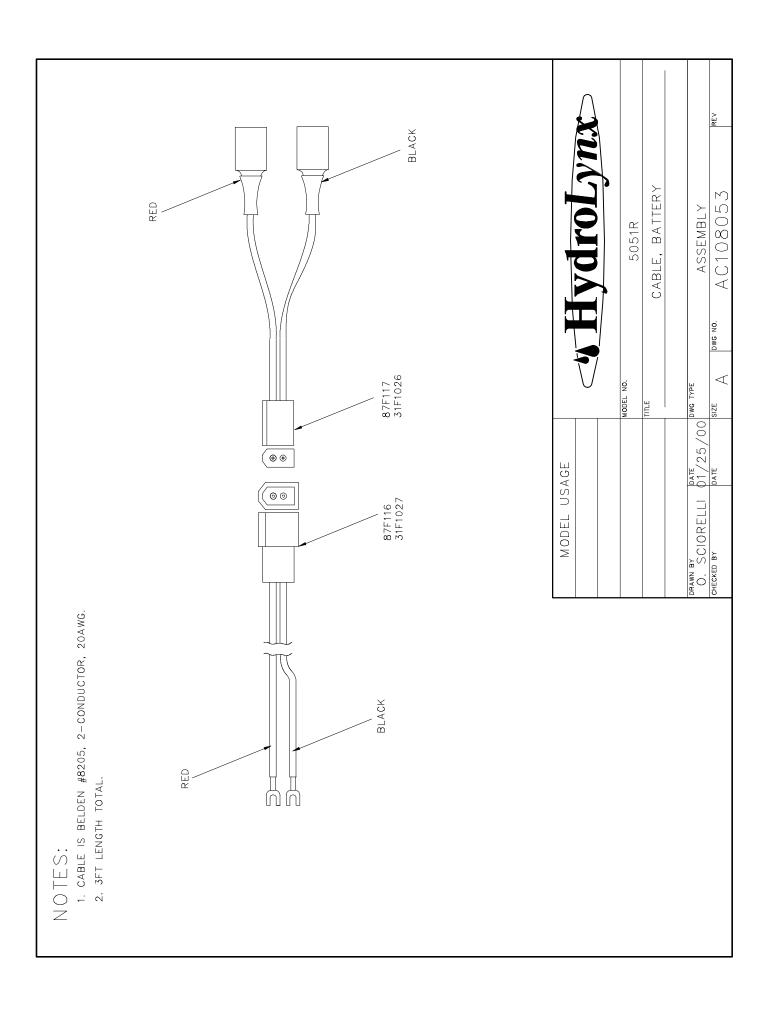
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Incoming Radio Acceptance Procedure

1. GENERAL PROCEDURE

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This is a generic procedure for accepting a new or repaired radio. Separate sections divide the procedure into receiver and transmitter functions. If the radio requires tuning, refer to the manufacturer's radio service manual. When HydroLynx specifications are unavailable, use the manufacturer's radio specifications. Record the test results on this sheet. Record general information here:

inspector	Chassis serial number	iviodei	Radio manufacturer	Frequency	
					Mhz
Date	Radio serial number		Radio model number	Deviation	Power
				±kHz	W
2. REQUIRE ☐ radio serv	D EQUIPMENT SINAD mete	er 🗆 (oscilloscope miscel	laneous tuning wands	
3. TRANSMI Frequency E ☐ Key the tra		erve freque	ency error:		112
☐ Limit frequ	uency error ≤ ±500 Hz:				Yes □ No □
Power Out ☐ Key the tra	ansmitter. Observe power out:				W
☐ Limit withi	in specifications:				Yes □ No □
Deviation ☐ Inject tone	e as specified by the HydroLyna	x model or	radio specification. Observe	e deviation (adjust as required	d): ± kHz
☐ Limit withi	in specifications:				Yes □ No □
☐ Inject carr	R error and selectivity ier frequency: generator level tone deviation carrier frequency, 1 kHz steps;	= 1 kHz : = ±3 kHz	±0.005 kHz	r of steps SINAD is above 12	dB: kHz
□ Decrease	carrier frequency, 1 kHz steps;	observe	SINAD meter. Record number	er of steps SINAD is above 12	
	hese two values and enter the ecorded difference \leq 5 kHz:	difference			kHz Yes □ No □
Sensitivity Inject carr	ier frequency; reduce the gene	rator level	until 12 dB SINAD is observ	/ed:	μV
☐ Limit gene	erator level \leq 0.5 μ V at 12 dB S	SINAD			Yes □ No □
Squelch ☐ Adjust the	squelch threshold at generator	r level whi	ch produces 12 dB SINAD.		
☐ Limit unsq	quelch and squelch when gener	rator level	is slightly increased and dec	creased:	Yes □ No □
Tone Out ☐ Inject carr	ier frequency: generator level tone deviation	= 2 kHz :	±0.2 kHz or work order specification		
	he tone output with the oscillos in specifications:			ed).	Vpp Yes \square No \square