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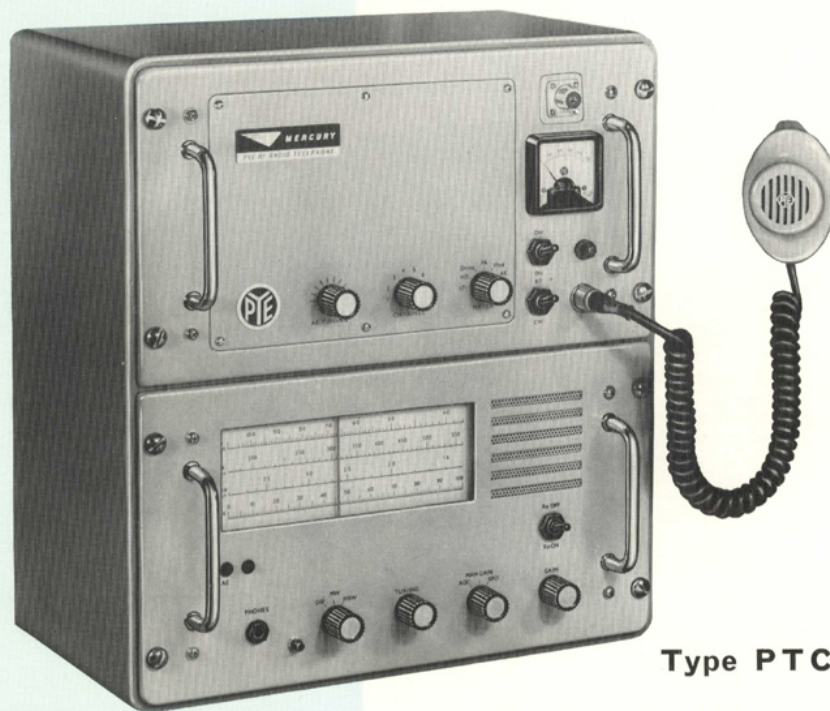
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Pye Mercury H.F. Radiotelephone



Type PTC 986

FEATURES

Low Power Consumption
Fully Transistorised Receiver
Fully Transistorised Modulator
20 watts R.F. Output
High Efficiency Transistorised Power Converter
Full 'Listening through' on C.W.
12 and 24 volt versions available
8 Channels in two bands

The Pye 'Mercury' H.F. Radiotelephone Type PTC 986 is a 20 watt transistorised H.F. radiotelephone which can be used for fixed point-to-point operation or as a mobile station mounted in a vehicle. It can also be used for c.w. operation.

The transmitter has a transistor modulator and power supply for battery economy and reliability. It can be preset to eight crystal controlled frequencies, which can be located in the band 1.6 to 3.8 Mc/s, in the band 3.8 to 10 Mc/s or split between the two bands.

The receiver is fully transistorised and draws very little battery current. It is continuously tuneable over three frequency ranges; the broadcast band 535 to 1605 kc/s, the medium short wave band 1.6 to 3.8 Mc/s and the short wave band covering 3.8 to 10 Mc/s. The radiotelephone loudspeaker is disconnected when headphones are plugged into the socket on the front panel for c.w. operation.

The transmitter and receiver are each built on a separate chassis and are contained in a single cabinet. A removable panel on the front of the transmitter allows access to the bank of crystals and all preset tuning controls.

The 'Mercury' is tropicalised, dust and weather-proof with the rugged construction required for mobile use.

A wide range of antennas can be used including simple long wires, fixed dipoles or whips when the equipment is used as a mobile.



ABRIDGED SPECIFICATION

TYPE PTC 986

GENERAL

Service	A1 Telegraphy with 'listening through' facilities A3 Telephony. Single or double frequency simplex operation.		
Frequency Bands	Receiver Broadcast Band: 535 – 1605 kc/s (562 – 187 metres). M.S.W. 1.6 – 3.8 Mc/s (197.5 – 79 metres). S.W. 3.8 – 10 Mc/s (79 – 30 metres).		
Power Supply	PTC 986/12 12V nominal. PTC 986/24 24V nominal.		
Power Consumption		PTC 986/12	PTC 986/24
	Receive only	0.3A	0.3A
	Standby	2.0A	1.8A
	Transmit C.W.	7.0A	4.5A
	R/T with average modulation	8.0A	5.0A
Dimensions	10½" deep × 17½" high × 16" wide (27.3 × 44.5 × 40.6 cm)		
Weight	43½ lb (19.8 kg)		
Finish	Front Panel — Light Admiralty Grey. Cabinet — Smoke Grey.		
Climatic Suitability	Designed for tropical use.		
Optional Features	Stand microphone can be supplied in place of hand microphone on request. Lightweight telephone headset. Fully sealed Morse key. Resilient Mountings.		

RECEIVER

I.F.	470 kc/s.		
I.F. Selectivity	Bandwidth at 6dB down ± 3 kc/s. Bandwidth at 60dB down ± 18 kc/s.		
Sensitivity for 50mW output	2µV (1 Mc/s) 3µV (2.6 Mc/s) 2µV (7 Mc/s)		
A.G.C.	Output changes not more than 18dB for a change in input of 70dB above 10µV.		
	<u>1 Mc/s</u>	<u>2.6 Mc/s</u>	<u>7 Mc/s</u>
I.F. Rejection	—70dB	—80dB	—100dB
Image Rejection	—60dB	—50dB	—30dB
A.F. Response	Within —3dB at 250 c/s and 2500 c/s relative to 1000 c/s.		
Audio Output	1 watt nominal with less than 10% distortion.		

TRANSMITTER

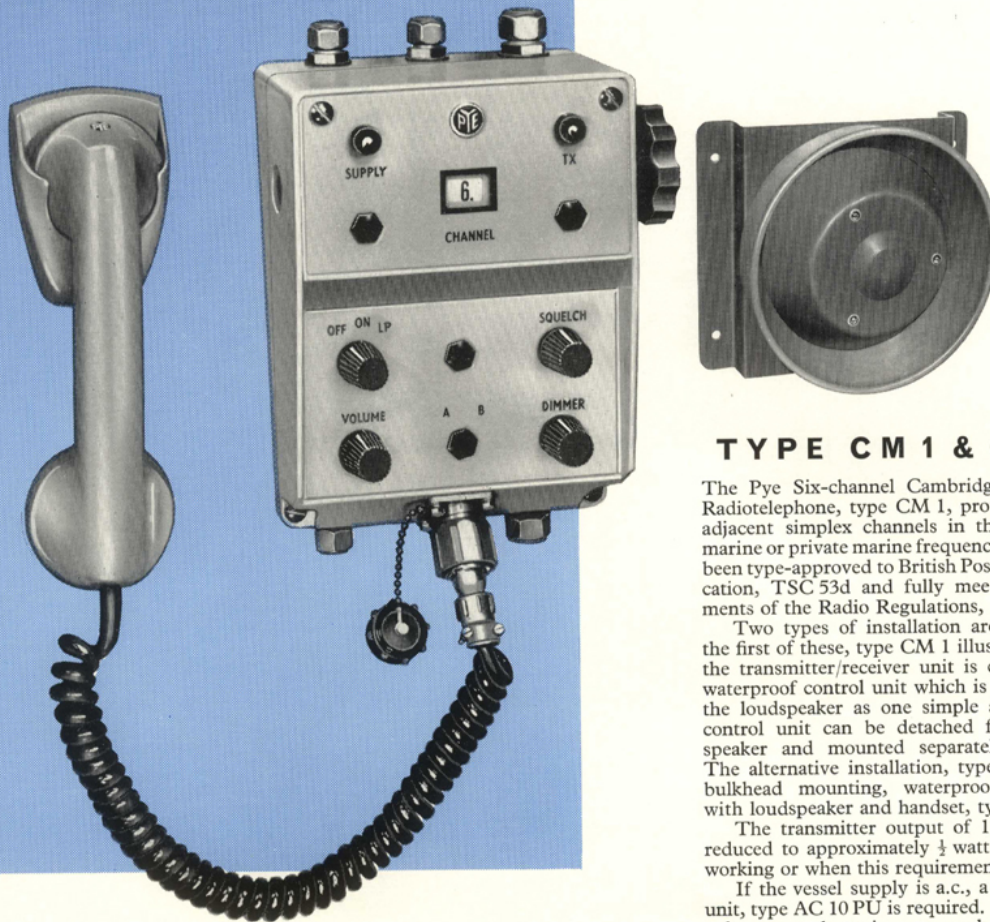
R.F. Output	20 watts minimum.	
Modulation Capability	100%.	
Modulation Distortion	Less than 10% at 400 c/s at 90% modulation.	
A.F. Response	Greater than 20dB down at 3.5 kc/s. Greater than 40dB down at 5 kc/s and above.	
Speed on C.W.	25 Bauds.	
Harmonic Radiation	Less than 0.1 watt.	
Hum and Noise Level	Better than —50dBm.	

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Pye Cambridge Marine Radiotelephone



FEATURES

- Fully transistorised receiver
- 15 watt RF output
- Low-power switch
- Choice of control units
- Electronic squelch
- Dustproof and splashproof
- Printed circuit sub-assemblies

TYPE CM 1 & CM 1A

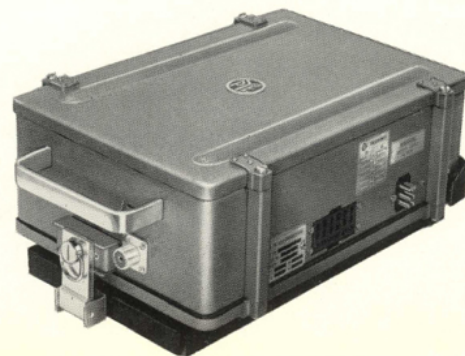
The Pye Six-channel Cambridge FM Marine Radiotelephone, type CM 1, provides up to six adjacent simplex channels in the international marine or private marine frequency bands. It has been type-approved to British Post Office Specification, TSC 53d and fully meets the requirements of the Radio Regulations, Geneva 1959.

Two types of installation are available. In the first of these, type CM 1 illustrated overleaf, the transmitter/receiver unit is controlled by a waterproof control unit which is combined with the loudspeaker as one simple assembly. The control unit can be detached from the loudspeaker and mounted separately if required. The alternative installation, type CM 1A, has a bulkhead mounting, waterproof control unit with loudspeaker and handset, type PTC 440.

The transmitter output of 15 watts can be reduced to approximately $\frac{1}{2}$ watt for short range working or when this requirement is mandatory.

If the vessel supply is a.c., a separate power unit, type AC 10 PU is required. Where 12 or 24 volt storage batteries are used the fully transistorised receiver which draws very little current, allows the equipment to be switched on for long periods on 'listening watch.'

Other British Post Office approved Pye marine radiotelephones are available, details of which will be sent on request.



ABRIDGED SPECIFICATION

TYPE CM 1 & CM 1A

GENERAL

Operation
Frequency Range
Channel Spacing
Power Supply
Current Consumption
Dimensions
Weight

Single or two-frequency simplex using phase modulation.

Transmitter: 156.05 — 157.4 Mc/s.

Receiver: 156.05 — 156.8 and 160.69 — 162 Mc/s.

50 kc/s.

12 volt d.c. floating earth supply — permits use with positive or negative earth supplies. Adjustable models for 12 volt or 12/24 volt supplies also available.

Standby 2.0A.

Transmit (low power) 3.5A.

Transmit (high power) 6A.

Main Unit: 9½ in. wide × 14 in. deep × 5½ in. high.
 (24.1 × 35.5 × 14.2 cm.)

Main Unit: 13 lb (5.9 kg) including cradle.

Control Unit: 13 lb (5.9 kg) with interconnecting cables.

RECEIVER

Sensitivity
Signal/Noise Ratio
Audio Output
Spurious Response
Attenuation
Intermediate Frequencies
Squelch

20dB quieting for 0.5μV (p.d.) signal input. 0.5 watts audio output for 1μV (p.d.) signal input.

12dB SINAD for 0.5μV (p.d.) signal input.

2 watts with less than 5% distortion at 1000 c/s.

Better than 70dB below carrier.

1st I.F. — 10.7 Mc/s. 2nd I.F. — 455 kc/s.

Electronic squelch.

TRANSMITTER

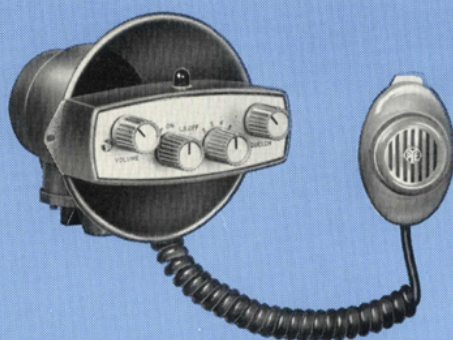
Power Output
Spurious Outputs
Modulation Response
Modulation

15 watts nominal. 0.5 watts on 'Low Power'.

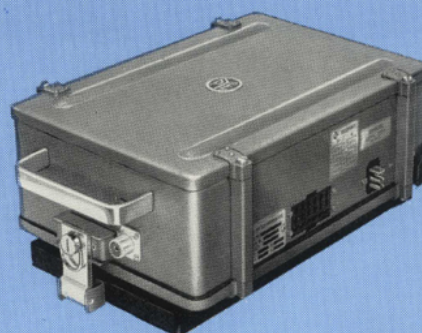
Each less than 2.5μW at aerial terminals.

Between +1dB and -3dB of 6dB per octave pre-emphasis characteristic from 300 c/s to 3000 c/s.

Adjustable up to 15 kc/s deviation.



Marine Radiotelephone
 type CM 1 fitted with
 combined loudspeaker
 and control unit.

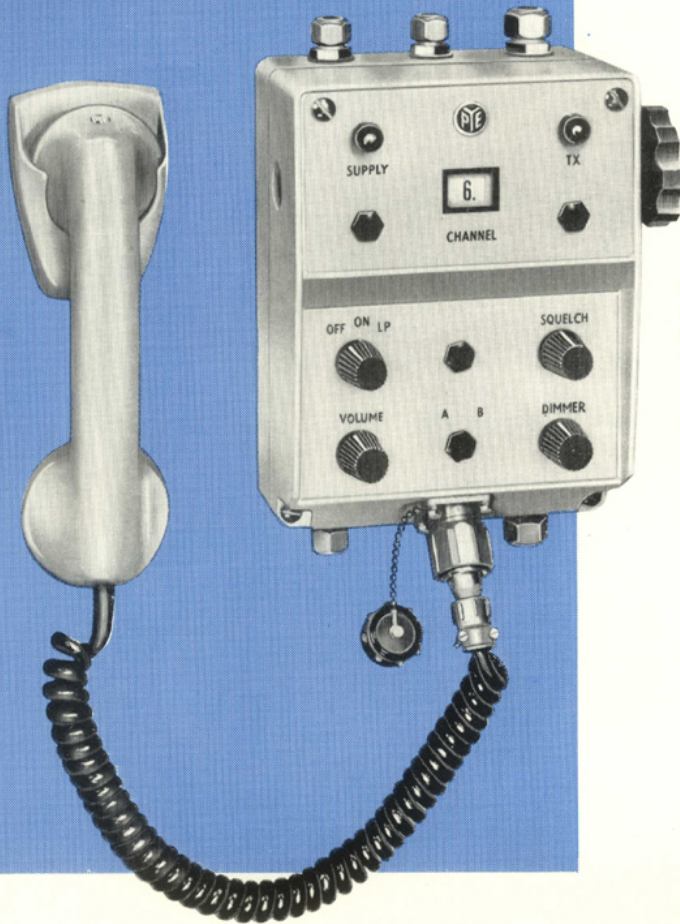


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Pye Vanguard Marine Radiotelephone



TYPE VM 1 & VM 1A

The Pye Six-channel Vanguard FM Marine Radiotelephone, type VM 1, provides up to six adjacent simplex channels in the international marine or private marine frequency bands. It has been type approved to British Post Office Specification, TSC 53d and fully meets the requirements of the Radio Regulations, Geneva 1959.

Two types of installation are available. In the first of these, type VM 1 illustrated overleaf, the transmitter/receiver unit is controlled by a waterproof control unit which is combined with the loudspeaker as one simple assembly. The control unit can be detached from the loudspeaker and mounted separately if required. The alternative installation, type VM 1A, has a bulk-head mounting waterproof control unit with loudspeaker and handset, type MCU 1.

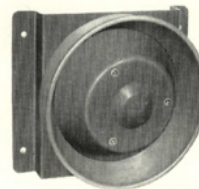
The transmitter output of 20 watts can be reduced to approximately $\frac{1}{2}$ watt for short range working or when this requirement is mandatory.

The fully transistorised receiver draws very little current from the batteries and allows the equipment to be switched on for long periods on 'listening watch'.

Other British Post Office approved Pye marine radiotelephones are available, details of which will be sent on request.

FEATURES

- Fully transistorised receiver
- 20 watt RF output
- Low-power switch
- Choice of control units
- Electronic squelch
- Dustproof and splashproof
- Printed circuit sub-assemblies



ABRIDGED SPECIFICATION

TYPE VM1 & VM1A

GENERAL

Operation
Frequency Range
Channel Spacing
Power Supply
Current Consumption

Dimensions

Weight

Single or two-frequency simplex using phase modulation.
 Transmitter: 156.05 — 157.4 Mc/s.
 Receiver: 156.05 — 156.8 and 160.69 — 162 Mc/s.
 50 kc/s.
 12 volt d.c. floating earth supply — permits use with positive or negative earth supplies.
 Standby 2.3A
 Transmit (low power) 6.75A
 Transmit (high power) 13A
 Main Unit: 12½ in. wide × 14 in. deep × 7½ in. high.
 (31.1 × 35.6 × 18.4cm.)
 Main Unit: 16 lb (7.2 kg).
 Control Unit: 13 lb (5.9 kg) with interconnecting cables.

RECEIVER

Sensitivity
Signal/Noise Ratio
Audio Output
Spurious Response Attenuation
Intermediate Frequencies
Squelch

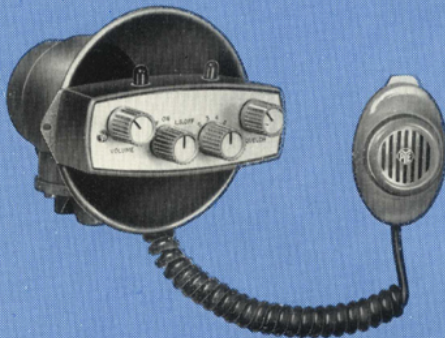
20dB quieting for 0.5μV (p.d.) signal input, 1 watt audio output for 1μV (p.d.) signal input.
 12dB SINAD for 0.5μV (p.d.) signal input.
 2 watts with less than 10% distortion at 1000 c/s.
 Better than 70dB below carrier.
 1st I.F. — 10.7 Mc/s 2nd I.F. — 455 kc/s.
 Noise controlled squelch.

TRANSMITTER

Power Output
Spurious Outputs
Modulation Response

Modulation

20 watts nominal. 0.5 watts on 'Low Power'.
 Each less than 2.5μW at aerial terminals.
 Between +1dB and -3dB with respect to a 6dB per octave pre-emphasis characteristic from 300 c/s to 3000 c/s.
 Adjustable up to 15 kc/s peak deviation.



Marine Radiotelephone
 type VM 1 fitted with
 combined loudspeaker
 and control unit.



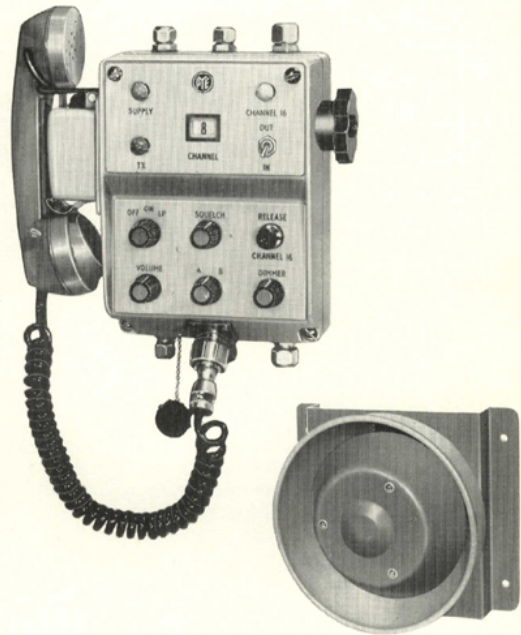
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A large, rectangular, dark-colored metal box, likely a battery or power source, with a handle on top and multiple ventilation slots on the front face. The box is shown from a three-quarter perspective, highlighting its sturdy construction and functional design.

Crystal-controlled channels.
18 watts r.f. output.
Type-approved by British Post Office.
Simplex and duplex operation.
Waterproof control unit.
Automatic reversion to safety and calling channel.



The Pye Twelve Channel FM Marine Radiotelephone type PTC 8302 provides up to twelve channels in the international marine or private marine frequency bands. It has been type approved to British Post Office specification TSC 53d and fully meets the requirements of the Radio Regulations, Geneva 1959.

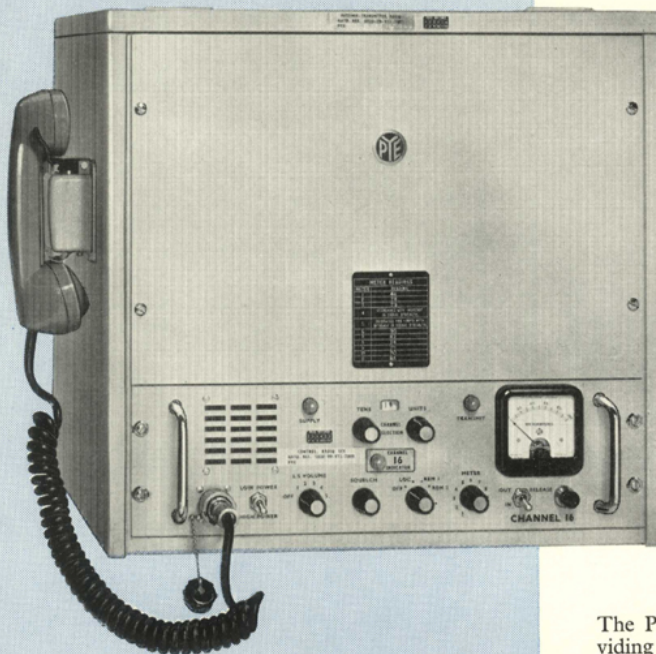
The transmitter operates in the international frequency band between 156.05 and 157.4 Mc/s providing a total of twelve switched channels. The output of 20 watts can be reduced to $\frac{1}{2}$ watt if required for short range working or when this is mandatory. The receiver provides 6 single frequency simplex channels in the international band 156.05 to 156.8 Mc/s and 6 two-frequency channels in the band 160.69 to 162.0 Mc/s. The channels in the second band may be either simplex or duplex. For duplex operation, provision is made for the equipment to be operated on a single aerial by means of a duplexer unit fitted in the case.

The transmitter and receiver unit can be installed in either a horizontal or vertical position and is supplied complete with a watertight bulk-head-mounting remote control unit type PTC 440 with separate loudspeaker. A feature of the equipment is the channel 16 reversion which automatically returns the equipment to the Calling and Safety Channel when the handset is replaced on the hook rest. If more than one control position is required a second control box can be provided, and either control can be selected by means of a switch.

The PTC 8302 can be supplied for use in the private marine band if required and is available for operation from 100 to 150 volt or 190 to 240 volt a.c. supplies.



Pye 28 Channel F.M. V.H.F. Marine Radiotelephone



TYPE PTC 8306

The Pye PTC 8306 is a marine radiotelephone providing voice communication between ships or with port authorities operating according to the recommendations of the Radio Regulations Geneva 1959. The equipment is approved and used by the British Royal Navy and meets the British Post Office marine specification.

It provides nine single frequency simplex channels, 17 duplex channels and two guard channels, a total of 28 channels, all in the International marine v.h.f. frequency band, from 156.05 to 162.0 Mc/s.

A feature is the channel 16 reversion switch — which automatically returns the equipment to the calling and safety channel when the handset is replaced on the hook-rest.

The transmitter r.f. output power which is normally 20 watts can be switched to $\frac{1}{2}$ watt for short range working or where this requirement is mandatory.

The transmitter and receiver are mounted on separate chassis which are hinged to allow for easy access and are housed in a cabinet suitable for shelf or bulkhead mounting. A meter and multiway switch are fitted in the cabinet to enable periodic operating and performance checks to be carried out.

A weatherproof remote control unit is available which enables the main equipment to be located in any convenient position up to 200 ft. from the control point at the bridge or wheelhouse. A second remote control unit may be added if required.

FEATURES

- Crystal Controlled Channels**
- 20 Watts R.F. Output**
- Approved by British Post Office and Admiralty**
- Simplex and Duplex Operation**
- Compact, Rugged Construction**
- Remote Control Available**
- Automatic Reversion to Safety Channel**
- Built-in test meter**
- Reliable operation in all climates**



ABRIDGED SPECIFICATION

TYPE PTC 8306

GENERAL

Operation	F3 Telephony Nine channels single frequency simplex and 15 channels duplex (+2 guard channels (not used)).
Frequency Range	Receiver Simplex 156.3 – 156.8 Mc/s. Duplex 160.6 – 162.0 Mc/s. Transmitter 156.0 – 157.4 Mc/s.
Power Supply	100–150 volts and 190–240 volts a.c. 40–60 c/s.
Power Consumption	Receive: 150 watts. Transmit (high power): 265 watts. Transmit (low power): 202 watts.
Dimensions	Main Unit (including resilient mounts) 22½ in. high × 20¾ in. wide × 14 in. deep (56.5 × 52.7 × 35.6 cm). Remote Control Unit 9" high × 6½" wide × 3⅝" deep (22.9 × 16.5 × 9.2 cm).
Weight	Main Unit 125 lb (56 kg) approx. Remote Control Unit (including handset) 10.5 lb (4.8 kg).

RECEIVER

Sensitivity	1 watt output for 1µV p.d. input (±5 kc/s deviation at 1000 c/s).
Signal-to-noise Ratio	Bandstop filter method:— 20dB for 1µV p.d. input (±4.5 kc/s deviation at 1000 c/s).
Selectivity	I.F. pass band ±12 kc/s at –6dB. Adjacent channel rejection for duplex ± 11 kc/s simplex. Single signal test –100dB for 20dB quieting. Two signal test –70dB for 3dB degradation of wanted S/N ratio.

Intermediate Frequencies	1st I.F. — 15.301 Mc/s (duplex) or 10.701 M/cs (simplex). 2nd I.F. — 2 Mc/s.
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Frequency Stability	Over the temperature range –10°C to +55°C the total drift from all causes is less than ±0.002%.
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Spurious Response Attenuation	Greater than 70dB down.
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Radiation	Less than 20mµW into the antenna.
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Audio Frequency Response	–7dB at 300 c/s and –4dB at 3000 c/s with respect to a 6dB per octave de-emphasis curve relative to 1000 c/s.
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Audio Power Output	1 watt for 10% distortion.
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Squelch Sensitivity	Adjustable over the input range of 0.7µV to 1.5µV p.d.
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TRANSMITTER

R.F. Output	20 watts with separate simplex and duplex antennas. 12 watts with duplexer, which requires only one antenna.
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Spurious and Harmonic Emissions	Less than 2.5µW.
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Frequency Stability	Over the temperature range –10°C to +60°C the total drift from all causes is less than ±0.002%.
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Modulation Response	–1dB at 300 c/s and –2dB at 3000 c/s with reference to a 6dB per octave pre-emphasis curve relative to 1000 c/s.
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Modulation Distortion	10% maximum at 70% maximum deviation at 1000 c/s.
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Deviation	Up to a maximum of ±15 kc/s by pre-set control.
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