

Operator's Manual

LOR Manufacturing Radio System

LDA Transmitter

Transmitter—900 MHz/2.4 GHz



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Cautions and Warnings



Caution

All LOR Products must be physically disconnected from the Machine **before** welding. Failure to do this may cause damage to integrated circuit chips and other electronic components, thus voiding the warranty.



Caution

Make sure machinery and surrounding area is clear before operating.
Do not activate the remote system unless it is safe to do so.



Warning

Disconnect all power before making any wiring connections to the Receiver



Caution

Improper operation of these controls could cause damage to equipment. Do not allow anyone to operate this equipment before completely reading the manual.

***Caution***

These controls are intended as general purpose switches. They are not safety devices. Malfunctions may occur. These Products are used to initiate an operation where false operation could be dangerous. Point-of-Operation guarding devices must be installed and maintained to meet OSHA and ANSI Machine Safety Standards. Manufacturer shall not accept responsibility for installation, application, or safety of systems.

Read this first

- Always keep this manual readily available for future reference
- Make sure the area is safe to operate equipment before turning power on
- This device complies with Part 15 of the FCC regulations. Operation is subject to the following two conditions:
 1. This device may not cause harmful interference, and
 2. This device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation
- If you encounter any problem or malfunction, refer to the Troubleshooting Guide located on page 3. If the problem or malfunction persists, call your equipment dealer immediately
- Contact your equipment dealer for replacement parts and/or service

Care & Handling

- Do not immerse transmitter in water or expose to excess amounts of water
- Do not drop the transmitter
- Do not expose the transmitter to hard physical shocks
- Do not expose the transmitter to extreme temperatures
- Remove the battery if the transmitter is to be stored for long periods of time¹
- Do not handle the transmitter by the antenna²

¹ Periods in excess of 30 days

² Only applies to models equipped with antenna.

Minimum Safe Distance

Per EN ISO 14982 §6.6.2, electric field strength is tested at $24V/m$. Use the following formula to determine the safe distance to operate an RF Transmitter. Online field strength calculator can be found at <http://www.compeng.com.au/rf-calculator/>

$$d = \sqrt{W \times 30 \times \frac{10^{\frac{1}{10}(dBi)}}{(24V/m)^2}} \quad (1)$$

Where:

d is the safe distance in meters

dBi is the gain of the antenna

W is power in watts into the antenna

Example 1:

1 watt transmitter

1dBi gain antenna

$$0.256 = \sqrt{1watt \times 30 \times \frac{10^{\frac{1}{10}dBi}}{(24V/m)^2}} \quad (2)$$

Example 2:

1 watt transmitter

1dBi gain antenna

$$0.512 = \sqrt{4watt \times 30 \times \frac{10^{\frac{1}{10}dBi}}{(24V/m)^2}} \quad (3)$$

Diode Suppression

Be advised that it is **strongly recommended** to use **Diode Suppression** on all electro-hydraulic valve coils. Please see the following.

Field observation of a machine with bad coils and no Diode Suppression led to the following conclusions:

Diode suppression on all coils are essential to protect electronic equipment from being damaged. This can be accomplished by installing the suppression diode (See Fig: 1) to the output harness for the hydraulic coil. In order to help protect the coils from damaging voltage spikes each coil should have this protection installed as closely to the hydraulic coil as possible.

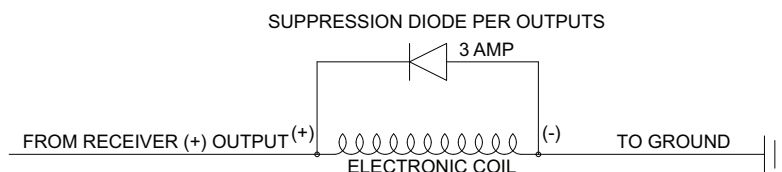


Figure 1: Diode Suppression

Specifications

Table 1 – General Specifications (900 MHz)

General Specifications (900 MHz)	
Frequency Range	ISM 902—928 MHz
Frequency Control	7 Frequency Hopping Channels (Software Selectable)
Modulation	DSSS (Direct Sequence Spread Spectrum)
Error Correction	Automatic Error Detection and Automatic Retransmission
Operating Range	Approximately 1500 ft (Line of Sight)
Operating Temperature	-40°—85° C (-40°—185° F)
Humidity	Up to 90% RH, non-condensing

Table 2 – General Specifications (2.4 GHz)

General Specifications (2.4 GHz)	
Frequency Range	2403.328—2480.128 MHz (ARIB STD-T66) 2473.984—2493.440 MHz (RCR STD-33)
Frequency Control	7 Frequency Hopping Channels (Software Selectable)
Modulation	DSSS (Direct Sequence Spread Spectrum)
Error Correction	Automatic Error Detection and Automatic Retransmission
Operating Range	Approximately 600 ft (Line of Sight)
Operating Temperature	-40°—85° C (-40°—185° F)
Humidity	Up to 90% RH, non-condensing

Table 3 – Transmitter Specifications

Transmitter Specifications	
Supply Voltage	4.8 VDC Min 10 VDC Max 6 VDC Typical (4 x AA Alkaline Batteries) ³
Max. Current Consumption	< 180 mA (RF Active) < 10 mA (Idle Mode)
Digital Inputs	20 Available
Analog Inputs	8 Available—0-5 VDC ⁴
LED Outputs	2 (Battery Status)
CAN Connection	J1939 (2-wire)
Power Saving Features	RF Emissions Off Delay < 1s; Sleep Mode after 3 minutes (< 1 mA)
Antenna	Internal ⁵
Dimensions	Approx. 8" x 4" x 3.25"
Weight	Approx. 2 Lbs.
Approvals	USA: FCC Europe: CE Japan: Telec

³ Rechargeable option available

⁴ Configurable as Digital Inputs

⁵ External option available

LED Maps & Codes

Receiver LED Map

The following table contains the label and corresponding pin-out for each function LED on the Receiver Board.

Table 4 – Receiver LED Map

Label	Pin Number	Connector
G05	5	Gray
G08	8	
G04	4	
G09	9	
G03	3	
G10	10	
G02	2	
G11	11	
B02	2	Black
B11	11	
B03	3	
B10	10	
B04	4	
B09	9	
B05	5	
B08	8	

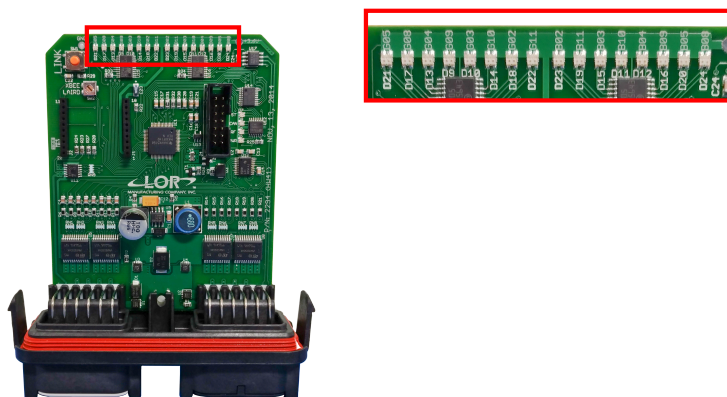


Figure 2: Receiver LED Locations

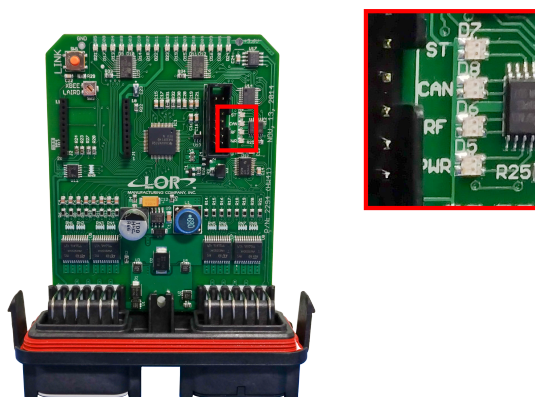


Figure 3: Receiver Status LED Locations

Table 5 – Receiver Status LED Color Codes

Code	Description
ST	Green: System is operating normally Red: System is in LINK mode
CAN	Green: System detecting CAN signal Red: No CAN Signal detected
RF	Green (Flashing): Good link with the Transmitter Red: No link detected
PWR	Green: Voltage detected; System operating normally Red: System under recommended operating voltage (< 9VDC)

Table 6 – Receiver Output LED Status Codes

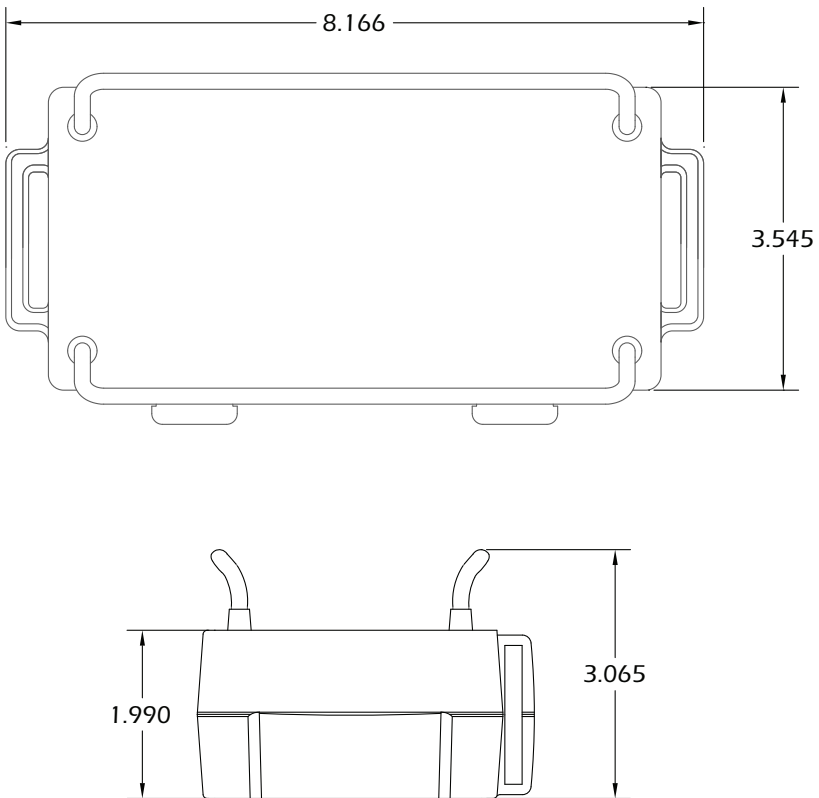
Code	Description
Red	Over Current Shutdown
Green	On and Load Detected
Orange	On and No Load Detected

Transmitter LED Codes

Table 7 – Transmitter LED Status Codes

Code	Description
Solid Green	Transmitting
Flashing Green	Idle Mode
Flashing Red	Batteries Low. Replace as soon as possible

Transmitter Dimensions



CHAPTER 1

Linking Procedure

In the event that you need to (re)link the transmitter and receiver together follow the steps listed below:

1. Disconnect Power from the Receiver
2. Remove the Receiver Board from the enclosure and locate the push button labeled “LINK”
3. Ensure that the Transmitter is powered off
4. Remove the battery door on the Transmitter and depress the button located on the rim of the battery compartment, just under the cover¹
5. Supply Power to the Transmitter and Receiver
6. Depress and hold the “Link” button on the Receiver. When the system enters “LINK” mode the “ST” LED will turn Red.
7. The Receiver will then scan each channel looking for activity. Once it locates the Transmitter the “RF” LED on the Receiver will start flashing green
8. Once this occurs the system is linked and ready to use

¹ A ballpoint pen, small screwdriver, or paper clip can be used to perform this operation

9. Release the button on the Receiver
10. Place the Receiver back into the enclosure
11. Replace the battery door on the Transmitter

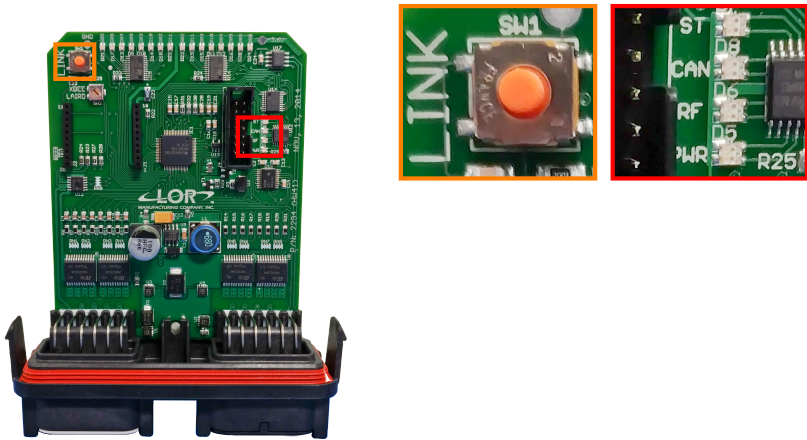


Figure 1.1: Receiver Board Locations



Figure 1.2: Transmitter Button Location

CHAPTER 2

Troubleshooting

This section provides some common steps you can take when troubleshooting in the field.

