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Purpose

This Change Log documents end-user visible changes to the communications system analyzer. It is not an exhaustive reference. Primarily major modifications and improvements easily distinguished by an analyzer operator are described.

Conventions

The Change Log is organized by system version, with the oldest entries appearing at the end of the document. The system version is a single version number that represents a unique combination of BIOS, FPGA, operating system, general software, and protocol support versions that are installed on the communications system analyzer.

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Change Log

4.7.0.0

A) New Features

i. RF Zone

1. New Input Level Detector softkey, RMS (legacy) or PEP (Peak Envelope Power)
2. 30kHz IF bandwidth

ii. DMR Tier III

1. Advanced configuration file export

iii. VNA

1. Distant to Fault display
 - a. VSWR trace
 - b. Couple/decouple frequency settings to maximum length
 - c. Each trace supports Limit Test
2. Standard display

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- a. Each trace supports Limit Test
 - 3. Smith Chart resistance, reactance, and capacitance/ inductance marker measurements
- iv. AutoTune
 - 1. Motorola APX NEXT/N30/N50/N70 series
 - 2. Motorola APX mobile 'B' 800/900 MHz
 - 3. Motorola APX mobile 'C'
 - 4. Harris XL-185PI and XL-85M models
- B) Improvements
 - i. General
 - 1. Current meter supports zero calibration.
 - 2. Fix softkey translation when language changed to non-English.
 - 3. Options menu shows all options strings untruncated.
 - ii. DMR Tier III
 - 1. Fix "Import Plan" softkey visibility after importing Channel Plan file.
 - 2. Fix Tx output level decreasing 1 dB/hr.
 - iii. TETRA TMO
 - 1. Load, delete, import, and export advanced configuration files. Export default configuration files to external media. Store selected configuration in Preset.
 - 2. Support real-time TETRA protocol streaming to MultiAnalyzer app via IP-Port. MultiAnalyzer app is produced and supported by rfe-global (rfe-global.com).
 - 3. Fix SAP log support.
 - 4. Fix Preset saving/loading of TETRA TMO Channel Plan settings.
 - 5. TX Test start-up speed 2x faster than prior versions.
 - iv. VNA
 - 1. Improve hardware module communication responsiveness.
 - 2. Default DTF Response Type set to common Lowpass Impulse.
 - 3. Show import/export softkeys when USB device connected at startup.
 - 4. Fix programmable access for Calibration Kits, Distance to Fault Cable type, and Saved trace/state files in Recall menu.
 - 5. Fix programmable menu navigation.
 - v. AutoTune
 - 1. Hytera DMR

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- a. Fix low CTCSS/CDCSS deviation level.
- 2. Kenwood NX-3k/5k
 - a. Fix writing Assist Voltage results when alignment fails or isn't supported.
 - b. Correct occasional Frequency alignment failures with some models and better softpot reporting accuracy.
 - c. Fix Ramp Offset Up/Down test report values off by 1 vs. KPG.
 - d. Fix NX-3xxx low volume during Rx rated audio tests.
- 3. Motorola APX
 - a. Expand test report radio information to include CPS Codeplug, Hardware/Tuning Codeplug ('Hardware/Tuning'), and FlashZap Flash Boot Application ('Bootloader Version'). Rename test report version 'UCM SW' to 'Secure Version' to match CPS terminology.
 - b. Improve Rx Sensitivity (SINAD) test to increment to next Rx test channel if initial SINAD is below 12 dB threshold.
 - c. Optimize Tx Attenuator Limits alignment which decreases its performance time by ~60%.
 - d. Fix R8-P25_II option enabled with R8-P25 option disabled from filtering all P25 tests.
 - e. Improve Tx Power Characterization Points for APX 8000 models by increasing expected softpot maximum.
 - f. Speed up Noise Squelch Threshold test by average ~8 seconds per run by optimizing output level adjustments.
 - g. Correct issue with APX 8500 High Power Tx Current Limit and Tx Control Voltage alignments as well as the way Current Limit and Control Voltage are disabled during Tx Power Detector Calibration and Tx Power Characterization alignments.
 - h. Update all test frequencies to match Motorola Basic Service Manual listed test frequencies.

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C) Versions

System:	4.7.0.0
DMR:	1.7.0.0
DMR T3MS:	1.1.17.0
Project 25:	2.6.0.0
NXDN:	2.2.0.0
TETRA DMO:	1.0.0.0
TETRA TMO:	1.1.0.5
TETRA BSM:	1.0.0.0
TETRA BST1:	1.0.19.0
dPMR:	1.1.0.0
P25 Phase 2:	1.3.1.0
PTC-ACSES:	1.0.1.0
PTC-ITCR:	1.0.3.0
AVIONICS:	1.1.0.0
Application:	4.7.0.0
Dynamic Link Library:	1.3.2.0
Signal Service Provider:	1.53.0.0
Sound Device Interface:	1.0.2.0
Firmware - Control:	1.11.0.0
- Comm:	1.6.2.0
- TX:	1.7.1.0
- RX:	1.3.1.0
- BIOS:	3.17.1.0 (conga XAF Rev C)
	3.15.1.0 (conga-XAF)
	1.17.5.0 (conga-X915)
Operating System:	7.0.4.0

4.6.0.0

A) New Features

- i. DMR Tier III MS test mode

B) Improvements

- i. General

1. DPL decoder supports all non-standard DPL codes.
2. Extend 3GHz RF Range to full range.
3. Extend RF Range down to 100 kHz.
4. Display Zone, Bar Graphs, Carrier Frequency is displayed in Monitor Frequency units and accessible via M&C.

- ii. TETRA TMO

1. Channel Plan, fix MCC, MCH, MNC, BCC, and LArea range values to match broadcast ranges.

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2. Attenuation now set when changed.

iii. AutoTune

1. General

- a. Reduce power measurement time, speeding power tests and alignments for most AutoTune-supported radio models.

2. Kenwood NX

- a. Add NX-720G/820G support.
- b. Correct NX-820HG:K2/K3 power limits lookup.
- c. Add Rx Sensitivity test support for NX-320 models.
- d. Improve general alignment, test speed.
- e. Improve Balance alignment informational messages.
- f. Improve Balance alignment accuracy for NX-x2x models.

3. Kenwood Viking

- a. Improve Assist alignment for VP5430 700/800 MHz models.

4. Motorola APX

- a. Add APX 8000H/HXE support.

5. Motorola MOTOTRBO

- a. Add mobile power supply voltage levels to test setup diagrams.
- b. For MOTOTRBO R7 models, skip Internal Voice Modulation test since it's not supported.
- c. Remove XPR 3500e Modulation Balance test extra test frequency.
- d. Add 'N' band designator support for 350 MHz models.

C) Versions

System:	4.6.0.0
DMR:	1.7.0.0
DMR T3MS:	1.1.12.0
Project 25:	2.6.0.0
NXDN:	2.2.0.0
TETRA DMO:	1.0.0.0
TETRA TMO:	1.0.43.0
TETRA BSM:	1.0.0.0
TETRA BST1:	1.0.19.0
dPMR:	1.1.0.0
P25 Phase 2:	1.3.1.0
PTC-ACSES:	1.0.1.0
PTC-ITCR:	1.0.3.0
AVIONICS:	1.1.0.0

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Application:	4.6.0.0
Dynamic Link Library:	1.3.1.0
Signal Service Provider:	1.52.1.0
Sound Device Interface:	1.0.2.0
Firmware - Control:	1.11.0.0
- Comm:	1.6.2.0
- TX:	1.7.1.0
- RX:	1.3.1.0
- BIOS:	3.17.1.0 (conga XAF Rev C)
	3.15.1.0 (conga-XAF)
	1.17.5.0 (conga-X915)
Operating System:	7.0.3.0

4.5.0.0

A) New Features

i. Language Support

1. For R8100, R8200, and R8600, added localization to allow onscreen text displays to be shown in a selected language. Support for English, Traditional Chinese, Simplified Chinese, and Spanish has been added.

ii. External Impedance Matching

1. Add support for external audio load device, additional voltage units for Mod Out audio signals, and Meter In voltmeter measurements. (R8-PERIPHERAL)

iii. AutoTune

1. MOTOTRBO

- a. Add MOTOTRBO SL300/3500e support.
- b. Add MOTOTRBO R7 support.
- c. Add support for Europe/Middle East/Africa/Australia/New Zealand (MD) region ATEX radios with Feature Level '5'.

2. Motorola APX

- a. Add APX 1000i support.
- b. Add support for MD ATEX radio models H56JCC9LA3AN, H56JCN9PA3AN, H56QCC9LA3AN, and H56QCN9PA3AN, H56JCC9QA5AN, H56JCN9QA5AN, H56QCC9QA5AN, and H56QCN9QA5AN.

B) Improvements

- i. Change branding from Freedom to Astronics Test Systems. After updating to 4.5.0.0, along with some graphical changes, references to external files will be under <External Drive:>\ASTRONICS instead of <External Drive:>\FREEDOM.

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ii. Cable Sweep

1. Add per RF Gen Out port cable sweep selection.

iii. NXDN

1. Add support to NXDN test mode (NXDN zone) for display/reset of Symbol Rate Error, add NXDN Distribution plot (Display zone), and NXDN Constellation plot (Meter zone).

iv. P25 Trunking

1. Fixed issue that prevented setting TX Offset values for VHF/UHF in increments smaller than 0.25 MHz.

v. AutoTune

1. Motorola MOTOTRBO

- a. Add workaround for MOTOTRBO radio firmware defect in R02.22.2 and R02.22.3.

2. Motorola APX

- a. Add APX mobile 'B' UHF2 Power Detection Calibration test limits to APX 1500, 2500, 4500, and 6500 limits files.
- b. Better align Rated Audio volume levels with factory levels.

3. Kenwood NX-3000/5000 series

- a. Implement power measurement speed improvements to decrease power alignment and test times. For example, NX-5400:K portable Transmit Power Alignment time is decreased by about 33% as a result of this improvement.

4. Kenwood Viking

- a. Correct VP5000/6000 UHF 380 Rx Filters alignment to tune as required at highest test frequency.

5. Harris XL Series

- a. Numerous improvements and fixes

C) Versions

System:	4.5.0.0
DMR:	1.7.0.0
Project 25:	2.6.0.0
NXDN:	2.2.0.0
TETRA DMO:	1.0.0.0
TETRA TMO:	1.0.43.0
TETRA BSM:	1.0.0.0
TETRA BST1:	1.0.19.0
dPMR:	1.1.0.0
P25 Phase 2:	1.3.0.0
PTC-ACSES:	1.0.1.0
PTC-ITCR:	1.0.3.0

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AVIONICS:	1.1.0.0
Application:	4.5.0.0
Dynamic Link Library:	1.3.1.0
Signal Service Provider:	1.52.1.0
Sound Device Interface:	1.0.2.0
Firmware - Control:	1.11.0.0
- Comm:	1.6.2.0
- TX:	1.7.1.0
- RX:	1.3.1.0
- BIOS:	3.17.1.0 (conga XAF Rev C)
	3.15.1.0 (conga-XAF)
	1.17.5.0 (conga-X915)
Operating System:	7.0.3.0

4.4.0.0

A) New Features

i. Vector Network Analyzer (VNA)

1. Support for save/recall of state and trace data for Return Loss/VSWR and Distance to Fault displays.
2. Import/export state and trace configuration files support.
3. Can export trace data and display images with identification text overlay.
4. Supports SITE ID and GPS Latitude/Longitude fields to identify new files.
5. Improved menu system.
6. Return Loss/VSWR and Distance to Fault displays have separate frequency settings.
7. Supports Trace memory and trace math (Return Loss, VSWR, and Distance to Fault).

ii. P25 Trunking

1. Explicit Mode bandplan support now includes up to 16 Channel IDs per bandplan, ability to see and update Channel ID from P25 Trunk zone, and ability to save, export, and import bandplans.

iii. AutoTune

1. Kenwood Viking VP5/6000 portables and VM5/6/7000 mobiles. Requires option R8-AT_VIKING.
2. Expand M&C access to include several AutoTune fields.
3. Kenwood NX-3000/5000 series
 - a. Enable DMR BER tests.
4. Add audio high pass filter selection of 'None.'

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B) Improvements

- i. Expand list softkey item visibility by removing static help text.
- ii. Correct Settings, System Settings, Mod Out Range=Low support to accommodate expected RF board revision.
- iii. VNA
 1. Fix deleted cable type/cal kit parameters persisting in memory.
- iv. P25 Trunking
 1. Initialize RF Attenuation to 40 dB when entering test mode.
- v. P25 Phase II
 1. Add 1031 Hz Tone Symmetrical test pattern to P25 II Monitor test patterns for HCMP modulation type.
 2. Improve symbol rate error acquisition such that it is only computed after the second sync is found.
- vi. DMR
 1. Improve BS Live, Transmit Configuration (Encoding) field names.
 2. Add selection of PN9/Tier 3 test pattern to DMR testing.
 3. Add display of Tier 3 Network ID information - Model, Net, & Site – to Protocol Details screen.
- vii. Presets
 1. Fix RF Frequency settings loading from a preset.
 2. Fix RF Zone Output Level, Output Units loading from preset or during editing.
 3. Fix RF Zone, Duplex Offset loading or importing from preset.
- viii. M&C
 1. Fix continuous logging of M&C commands to file.
 2. KEY now supports all other front panel keys.
 3. Fix R8000 GO *.* Table.
- ix. AutoTune
 1. General
 - a. Improve finding radios with serial connections.
 2. Kenwood NX series
 - a. Add check of firmware version before running digital sensitivity (BER) test. Version must be 2.70.00 or later per Kenwood requirements.
 - b. Move NX-820 mobile support from Kenwood NX Portable module to Kenwood NX Mobile module.
 3. Kenwood NX-3000/5000 series
 - a. Improve Tx Power alignment edge case.

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- b. Improve Digital Sensitivity test handling of BER sync fails, or when required option not installed.
- c. Make radio communication more robust if radio reset.

4. Harris XL Series

- a. Improve XL mobile diagram spelling.
- b. Correct stale softpot written to TCXO Frequency test report.
- c. Correct false Pass of TCXO Frequency alignment under a certain condition.
- d. Improve Tx P25 Tests (TDMA) to accommodate symmetric test pattern.

5. Motorola APX

- a. Improve APX mobile test setup diagrams by adding power supply settings.
- b. Fix APX 7000 dual-band, APX 1500 'A,' and SRX 2200 A model test frequency selection.
- c. Correct for flawed set of test frequencies from radio firmware.
- d. Correct APX 7000 dual-band Tx Power Characterization indexing issue when first band is UHF R1.
- e. Motorola XTS/XTS
- f. Improve XTS/XTL test setup diagrams by adding power supply settings.

C) Known Issues

i. VNA

1. After the "State/Trace" file is loaded, the user will need to do one of the following.
 - a. Select Calibration ... and then step through the calibration process (Open/Short/Load) and "Apply"
 - b. Select Calibration ... and press the "Clear" soft key to "Reload the Factory Calibration"

D) Versions

System:	4.4.0.0
DMR:	1.7.0.0
Project 25:	2.6.0.0
NXDN:	2.1.0.0
TETRA DMO:	1.0.0.0
TETRA TMO:	1.0.43.0
TETRA BSM:	1.0.0.0

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TETRA BST1:	1.0.19.0
dPMR:	1.1.0.0
P25 Phase 2:	1.3.0.0
PTC-ACSES:	1.0.1.0
PTC-ITCR:	1.0.3.0
AVIONICS:	1.1.0.0
Application:	4.4.0.0
Dynamic Link Library:	1.3.1.0
Signal Service Provider:	1.52.1.0
Sound Device Interface:	1.0.2.0
Firmware - Control:	1.11.0.0
- Comm:	1.6.2.0
- TX:	1.7.1.0
- RX:	1.3.1.0
- BIOS:	3.17.1.0 (conga XAF Rev C)
	3.15.1.0 (conga-XAF)
	1.17.5.0 (conga-X915)
Operating System:	7.0.2.0

4.3.1.0

A) New Features

i. None

B) Improvements

i. Address performance issues introduced in version 4.3.0.0.

C) IMPORTANT NOTE: The 4.3.1.0 patch update should be installed as soon as possible after the 4.3.0.0 update.

D) Versions

System:	4.3.1.0
DMR:	1.6.2.0
Project 25:	2.5.3.0
NXDN:	2.1.0.0
TETRA DMO:	1.0.0.0
TETRA TMO:	1.0.43.0
TETRA BSM:	1.0.0.0
TETRA BST1:	1.0.19.0
dPMR:	1.1.0.0
P25 Phase 2:	1.2.0.0
PTC-ACSES:	1.0.1.0
PTC-ITCR:	1.0.3.0
AVIONICS:	1.1.0.0
Application:	4.3.1.0
Dynamic Link Library:	1.3.1.0
Signal Service Provider:	1.51.0.0
Sound Device Interface:	1.0.2.0

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Firmware - Control:      1.10.0.0
          - Comm:        1.6.2.0
          - TX:          1.7.1.0
          - RX:          1.3.1.0
          - BIOS:        3.15.1.0 (conga-XAF/T52R)
                      1.17.5.0 (conga-X915/738)

Operating System:      7.0.1.0

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4.3.0.0

A) New Features

- i. AutoTune support for Motorola APX series Mobile B models. Requires existing option R8-AT_APX or R8-AT_APX8000.
- ii. AutoTune support for L3Harris XL Mobile models. Requires existing option R8-AT_XL200.

B) Improvements

- i. Update Operating System to add new Motorola USB Product IDs (PIDs) to support new devices.
- ii. Network Settings
 1. Static IP address setup persists after power down.
- iii. AutoTune
 1. L3Harris XL Series:
 - a. Add support for TX P25 Phase 2 TDMA tests and deviation.
 - b. Remove redundant testing of alignment frequency during the TCXO Frequency Test after the TCXO Frequency alignment.
 2. Motorola APX
 - a. Improved alignment accuracy for TX PA Saturation Alignment.

C) Versions

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System:      4.3.0.0

DMR:         1.6.2.0
Project 25:  2.5.3.0
NXDN:        2.1.0.0
TETRA DMO:   1.0.0.0
TETRA TMO:   1.0.43.0
TETRA BSM:   1.0.0.0
TETRA BST1:  1.0.19.0
dPMR:        1.1.0.0
P25 Phase 2: 1.2.0.0
PTC-ACSES:   1.0.1.0
PTC-ITCR:    1.0.3.0

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AVIONICS:	1.1.0.0
Application:	4.3.0.0
Dynamic Link Library:	1.3.1.0
Signal Service Provider:	1.51.0.0
Sound Device Interface:	1.0.2.0
Firmware - Control:	1.10.0.0
- Comm:	1.6.2.0
- TX:	1.7.1.0
- RX:	1.3.1.0
- BIOS:	3.15.1.0 (conga-XAF/T52R)
	1.17.5.0 (conga-X915/738)
Operating System:	7.0.1.0

4.2.0.0

A) New Features

- i. AutoTune support for Motorola APX 900. Requires existing option R8-AT_APX.
- ii. System Settings, Mod Out Range High/Low added for newer RF boards (version > 8) High is legacy resolution ± 8 V; Low is ± 0.7472 V.

B) Improvements

- i. RF Output Level units default restored from mV to dBm.
- ii. TETRA TMO PLC
 1. Radio called before PLC testing begins.
- iii. RF Zone, Freq Error Units soft key added to switch display units between Hertz (Hz/kHz) and PPM (Parts Per Million).
- iv. PTC-ACSES
 1. Fix Slot Map Data Type indicator being blank.
- v. AutoTune
 1. Hytera DMR
 - a. Improve Front End Filter alignment to accurately report and handle failures. Adjust SINAD test limits to 14 dB.
 - b. Add radio codeplug password-protection disable and conventional channel selection to remedies listed in warning popup for radio communication error on test start.
 2. Kenwood NX series
 - a. Mobile setup diagrams added with new test set part number.
 3. Kenwood NX-3000/5000 series
 - a. Fix missing NX-300:E4 Rx Sensitivity Analog Wide 5K test limit.

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- b. Portable, mobile setup diagrams added with new test set part number.
 - c. Improve Rx Squelch alignment sensitivity check.
 - d. Correct Frequency test limits for several models.
 - e. Improve Rx Sensitivity test algorithm.
- 4. L3Harris XL Portables:
 - a. Correct UHF test frequency from 450 MHz to 450.025 MHz.
 - b. Improved firmware check for RSSI test and align test report.
- 5. Motorola APX
 - a. For APX 6000B UHF1/UHF2 models, Rx Duty Cycle Adjustment test frequency updated to match Tuner test frequency.
 - b. Filter digital tests depending on enabled P25 options.
 - c. Sensitivity (SINAD) and Noise Squelch Threshold tests use modulation deviation appropriate to radio test channel bandwidth, specifically, 60% rated channel deviation (1.5 kHz on 12.5 kHz channel spacing, 3 kHz on 25 kHz channel spacing). One effect of this change is that Noise Squelch Threshold test report output levels on 12.5 kHz test channels will be lower than in previous versions.
 - d. APX 6000B VHF, 700/800 MHz Rx test frequencies reverted to lowest band test frequency.
 - e. APX 6000B 700/800 MHz Tx power alignment test frequencies corrected to include all band test frequencies.
 - f. Rx Duty Cycle Adjustment hidden when Activity is Test.
 - g. Application version number move to test report header and made static. Previously, the Application version number would always be current version number rather than version number at time of test report generation.
- 6. Motorola MOTOTRBO
 - a. Correct Reference Frequency alignment reading frequency error too rapidly after key-up.
 - b. Improve test report readability so radio info is split across unique lines rather than appended together on a single line.

C) Versions

System:	4.2.0.0
DMR:	1.6.2.0
Project 25:	2.5.3.0

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NXDN:	2.1.0.0
TETRA DMO:	1.0.0.0
TETRA TMO:	1.0.43.0
TETRA BSM:	1.0.0.0
TETRA BST1:	1.0.19.0
dPMR:	1.1.0.0
P25 Phase 2:	1.2.0.0
PTC-ACSES:	1.0.1.0
PTC-ITCR:	1.0.3.0
AVIONICS:	1.0.2.0
Application:	4.2.0.0
Dynamic Link Library:	1.3.1.0
Signal Service Provider:	1.51.0.0
Sound Device Interface:	1.0.2.0
Firmware - Control:	1.10.0.0
- Comm:	1.6.2.0
- TX:	1.7.1.0
- RX:	1.3.1.0
- BIOS:	3.15.1.0 (conga-XAF/T52R)
	1.17.5.0 (conga-X915/738)
Operating System:	7.0.0.0

4.1.0.0

A) New Features

- i. Kenwood NX 3k/5k AutoTune (R8-AT_NX3K/5K)
- ii. P25 Phase II, add Symbol Rate Error measurement
- iii. Add Harmonic Analysis to R8-ESA option

B) Improvements

- i. RF BW units display improved
- ii. Improved graphics in display and meter zones
- iii. Option screen formatting for AutoTune options improved
- iv. Duplex Offset defaults to 0 Hz
- v. Add language support for R8200
- vi. Improve RF Input and RF Output unit recall from preset for 3.8.0.0 and prior saved presets.
- vii. R8200 VNA
 1. Add DEF0-CKN_M calibration device and set as default
- viii. TETRA BST Mon
 1. Correct issue preventing entry of some downlink frequencies
 2. Correct issue with constellation trajectories not displaying
- ix. AutoTune
 1. Improvements made to "Delete File" feature

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2. Motorola APX

- a. Changes made to symbol deviation limits
- b. Enable P25 Phase II tests
- c. Improved application of Tx Pwr Char coefficients
- d. Improve Reference Frequency test for multiband models

C) Versions

System:	4.1.0.0
DMR:	1.6.1.0
Project 25:	2.5.3.0
NXDN:	2.1.0.0
TETRA DMO:	1.0.0.0
TETRA TMO:	1.0.43.0
TETRA BSM:	1.0.0.0
TETRA BST1:	1.0.19.0
dPMR:	1.1.0.0
P25 Phase 2:	1.2.0.0
PTC-ACSES:	1.0.1.0
PTC-ITCR:	1.0.3.0
AVIONICS:	1.0.2.0
Application:	4.1.0.0
Dynamic Link Library:	1.3.1.0
Signal Service Provider:	1.50.0.0
Sound Device Interface:	1.0.2.0
Firmware - Control:	1.9.0.0
- Comm:	1.6.2.0
- TX:	1.7.1.0
- RX:	1.3.1.0
- BIOS:	3.15.1.0 (conga-XAF/T52R)
	1.17.5.0 (conga-X915/738)
Operating System:	7.0.0.0

4.0.1.0

A) New Features

- i. R8200 Single Port Vector Network Analyzer (VNA)
- ii. NXDN
 1. Add Duplex support
- iii. Avionics
 1. Add ILS Glider/Localizer Frequency pairing
- iv. AutoTune
 1. Motorola APX
 - a. Add P25 Phase 2 Tx and Sensitivity (BER) tests
 - b. Enable Tx PA Bias alignment for APX mobile models

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v. Duplex mode has a duplex offset field

B) Improvements

i. Improve triggering for Mod Scope and Dual Scope

ii. RF Scan

1. Correct memory full issue when Start = Stop.

iii. TETRA_BST

1. Improved tolerance for unexpected Base Station transmissions.

iv. TETRA

1. Add Duplex Offset in Generate mode

2. Removed duplicate Output Level displays and combined into one.
Allowed display of user selected units for Output Level

3. Fixed frequency error not displaying red after passing the
negative limit

4. Added Gen Out Offset control to the Main screen

5. Added new BS OEM selection named Rohill TetraNode

6. Added ability to have BS OEM selection set Test Limits and Mini
Display selections

7. Added calculation of Channel number when Downlink Frequency
is input

8. Measurements will now check for a valid connection before
displaying values. If no valid connection is present, readings will
be zero.

v. M&C

1. Input Level and Output Level units retrievable in specified units

2. Fix GO to Audio/Test zone tables

3. Allow MFG to remotely perform internal calibration

vi. Added mV,µV,mW,µW for both Input Level and Output Level units

vii. Improved layout of Options menu

viii. DMR

1. Add a Reset softkey to clear Analysis Details

2. Add new measurements for max deviation error and max symbol
deviation error

ix. AutoTune

1. Hytera

a. Hytera DMR Portable: Transmit to Deviation align, fix issue
with deviation measurements after the align is performed

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- b. Hytera DMR Portable: Front End Filter align, refactored align to handle non-linear SINAD response of front-end filter softpot. Finds effective range of softpot and selects mid-point.
- c. Hytera DMR Portable: Front End Filter align, fix string formatting which causes malformed string writes to test report
- d. Hytera DMR Mobile: Front End Filter align, fix Inhibit test output level out of range
- e. Hytera DMR: Rx Audio Distortion test - GUI always showed PASS even when test report showed a FAIL
- f. BK KNG S-Series
- g. Portable: IF Match Tune align now provides proper in-range output level. Added old softpot value to test report.
- h. Portable: VCO Modulation Sensitivity - refactored tuning algorithm. Add power check before attempting frequency alignment.

2. Kenwood NX series

- a. Correct Balance alignment defect for NX-x20 portables
- b. Correct Max Deviation alignment to allow more alignment attempts before failing the current test frequency

3. Motorola APX

- a. Improve Tx Current Limit and Tx Control Voltage Limit alignments
- b. APX 8500: Improve Power Detection Calibration alignment
- c. APX 1000: Improve Tx Power Characterization, Tx Power Characterization Points alignments
- d. Remove audio tests from APX High Power mobiles mistakenly added in 3.6.2.0 release
- e. Improve deviation measurements to correct Deviation Balance alignment and dependent tests.

x. Avionics

- 1. Hide controls incorrectly overlaid on Splash screen.

C) Versions

System:	4.0.1.0
DMR:	1.6.0.0
Project 25:	2.5.3.0
NXDN:	2.1.0.0

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TETRA DMO:	1.0.0.0
TETRA TMO:	1.0.43.0
TETRA BSM:	1.0.0.0
TETRA BST1:	1.0.19.0
dPMR:	1.1.0.0
P25 Phase 2:	1.1.3.0
PTC-ACSES:	1.0.1.0
PTC-ITCR:	1.0.3.0
AVIONICS:	1.0.2.0
Application:	4.0.0.0
Dynamic Link Library:	1.3.1.0
Signal Service Provider:	1.50.0.0
Sound Device Interface:	1.0.2.0
Firmware - Control:	1.9.0.0
- Comm:	1.6.2.0
- TX:	1.7.1.0
- RX:	1.3.1.0
- BIOS:	3.15.1.0 (conga-XAF/T52R)
	1.17.5.0 (conga-X915/738)
Operating System:	7.0.0.0

3.8.0.0

A) New Features

- i. AutoTune automated test and alignment option for BK Technologies KNG-S radios
- ii. AutoTune option for Technisonic TDFM9000 series radios
- iii. Saved Cable Sweeps
- iv. This powerful new feature gives users the power to run and store cable sweeps. In this way, the characteristics of test cables can be fully accounted for, greatly enhancing the accuracy of radio testing.
- v. Avionics Ramp Test Option
- vi. An industry first – avionics ramp test capability in an LMR service monitor! The radio shop that also has the need to test Avionics tests can now get an all-in one solution. The ramp test option includes:
 1. VOR (VHF Omnidirectional Range)
 2. ILS (Instrument Landing System) Glide Slope and Localizers
 3. Marker Beacons
 4. Selcal (Selective Calling System)
 5. Morse Code Idents

B) Improvements

- i. Support for mobile radios added to Hytera AutoTune option
- ii. Multiple enhancements to Hytera portable AutoTune:
- iii. Add support for dual band radios

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- iv. Add support for narrowband audio test
- v. Add Tx Max Analog Deviation CDCSS and Tx CDCSS Deviation Tests
- vi. Replaced SINAD test with SNR test.
- vii. Addition of support for NX-320/820 to Kenwood NX Series AutoTune
- viii. PTC-ACSES improvements
 - 1. Display "Lost Packet Error Rate"
- ix. PTC-ITCR Improvements
 - 1. Extend power profile display range
- x. 10 kHz and 8.33 kHz IF BW filters added
- xi. Motorola XTS/XTL AutoTune
 - 1. Recover radio subscriber IP address rather than use the default IP address.
- xii. SNR meter: Correct display units

C) Versions

System:	3.8.0.0
DMR (MOTOTRBO)	1.5.3.0
Project 25	2.5.3.0
NXDN	2.0.0.0
TETRA	1.0.0.0
TETRA TMO	1.0.43.0
TETRA BSM	1.0.0.0
TETRA BST1	1.0.18.0
dPMR	1.1.0.0
P25 II	1.1.3.0
PTC-ACSES	1.0.0.0
PTC-ITCR	1.0.3.0
AVIONICS	1.0.1.0
Application:	3.8.0.0
Dynamic Link Library:	1.3.1.0
Signal Service Provider:	1.49.2.0
Sound Device Interface:	1.0.2.0
Firmware - Control:	1.8.1.0
- Comm	1.6.2.0
- TX	1.7.1.0
- RX	1.3.1.0
- BIOS	1.17.5.0 or 3.15.1.0
Operating system:	6.1.5.0

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A) New Features

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- i. Analog SNR (Signal-to-Noise Ratio) Meter for AM/FM in analog mode. SNR measurements is available in Monitor and Generate modes. Informational message indicates that Deviation Average set to RMS Average when SNR Meter is selected.
- ii. Add P25 Constellation plot to support C4FM simulcast transmitter synchronization.
- iii. Support testing DMR radios configured for TDMA Direct Mode time slots.
- iv. Hytera DMR AutoTune support for PD5xx and PD6xx single band radios.
- v. Harris XL AutoTune supports XL-185P.
- vi. Motorola APX AutoTune support for APX 1500 and APX 8500 High Power.

B) Improvements

- i. RF Zone: Input Source soft key/indicator added with selections Auto, Input Level and Power Meter to provide a way to stop TDMA from auto-switching between them during unused slots.
- ii. Display Zone: Power Profile (TDMA modes): Added marker mode "Delta dBm".
- iii. Meter Zone: Voltmeter Units selection added for V, mV, or dBV.
- iv. Improve support of testing DMR user devices configured for operation with a repeater
 1. BS_IDLE pattern corrected
 2. BS_BUSY pattern added
- v. TETRA BST: Gen Port selection added.
- vi. TETRA TMO: Added Paging Request function to the start of PLC TEST to support Sepura and Airbus radios.
- vii. Hytera DMR AutoTune: Limits updated
- viii. AutoTune
 1. Harris XL
 - a. Renamed Harris XL-200 option display name to Harris XL
 - b. Check firmware version before entering test mode to prevent soft-brick of radio.
 - c. Set zone and channel for selected bands in TCXO Align/Test initialize and set frequency.
 2. BK KNG-P: Fixed radio communication issue.
 3. Motorola APX: Numerous report and limits improvements.

C) Versions

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System:	3.7.0.0
DMR (MOTOTRBO)	1.5.3.0
Project 25	2.5.3.0
NXDN	2.0.0.0
TETRA	1.0.0.0
TETRA TMO	1.0.43.0
TETRA BSM	1.0.0.0
TETRA BST1	1.0.18.0
dPMR	1.1.0.0
P25 II	1.1.3.0
PTC-ITCR	1.0.2.0
PTC-ACSES	1.0.0.0
Application:	3.7.0.0
Dynamic Link Library:	1.3.1.0
Signal Service Provider:	1.49.1.0
Sound Device Interface:	1.0.2.0
Firmware - Control:	1.8.1.0
- Comm	1.6.2.0
- TX	1.7.1.0
- RX	1.3.1.0
- BIOS	1.17.5.0 or 3.15.1.0
Operating system:	6.1.4.0

3.6.2.0

A) New Features

- i. BS Live Repeater Option(R8-DMR_RPTR). Simplifies testing with a DMR repeater in Digital mode. The option enables the R8000/R8100 to emulate a DMR radio, generating a wakeup burst, synchronizing with downlink, transmitting into repeater and receiving the slots repeated back to test equipment.
- ii. Hytera Autotune (R8-AT_HYTERA) added. Optional automated test and alignment for Hytera DMR portables.

B) Improvements

- i. DMR – New displays now included with DMR option (R8-DMR)
 1. Distribution Plot
 2. Eye Diagram
 3. Power Profile
- ii. DMR – Ability to decode Call ID now standard with DMR option (R8-DMR)
- iii. Autotune - Reordered APX 6000B test frequencies to align with Test Sequence specified in Motorola documentation.
- iv. Autotune - Improved TX Power Characterization for APX radios
- v. Enhancements to TETRA BST and TMO test options.
- vi. DTMF – Reduced minimum tone duration to 40ms

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vii. DTMF – Reduced minimum inter-digit delay to 20ms

viii. Added Adjustable Mod Out DC offset

C) Versions

System:	3.6.2.0
DMR (MOTOTRBO)	1.5.2.0
Project 25	2.5.3.0
NXDN	2.0.0.0
TETRA	1.0.0.0
TETRA TMO	1.0.43.0
TETRA BSM	1.0.0.0
TETRA BST1	1.0.15.0
dPMR	1.1.0.0
P25 II	1.1.3.0
PTC-ITCR	1.0.2.0
PTC-ACSES	1.0.0.0
Application:	3.6.2.0
Dynamic Link Library:	1.3.1.0
Signal Service Provider:	1.49.1.0
Sound Device Interface:	1.0.2.0
Firmware - Control:	1.8.1.0
- Comm	1.6.2.0
- TX	1.7.1.0
- RX	1.3.1.0
- BIOS	1.17.5.0 or 3.15.1.0
Operating system:	6.1.4.0

3.5.0.0

A) New Features

- i. Positive Train Control for the Advanced Civil Speed Enforcement System for GE MDS TD220MAX radios (R8-PTC_ACSES)

B) Improvements

- i. TETRA TMO Test Mode (R8-TETRA_TMO)
 1. Added ability to decode DTMF in MS function
 2. Added splash screen
- ii. TETRA Base Station/ T1 Mode
 1. Added ability to decode MNC, MCC and BC C base station transmissions
 2. Added user-selectable settings based on OEM Base Station Model
 3. Improved base station synchronization
 4. In T1 mode, added the ability to synchronize even with no BNCH/T transmitted in synchronization downlink burst
- iii. AutoTune

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1. Added analyzer serial number to test report header
2. Added RF Level Offset and Cable Sweep settings to test report
3. Improved performance of Motorola APX6000B/SRX2200B deviation balance test
4. Multiple improvements to Harris XG-75 RSSI test
5. XG-75 mobile test frequencies changed to align with those called out in Harris service manual
6. Harris XL-200
7. Added radio enabled bands to Test Report Info section
8. Added hardware revision, DSP version, AES and DES versions and radio bands to Test Report Header Info section
9. Modified test to ignore Enabled Bands in AutoTune that are not in actual list of Enabled Bands in the radio

C) Versions

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System:                               3.5.0.0

DMR (MOTOTRBO)                       1.4.0.0
Project 25                           2.5.3.0
NXDN                                  2.0.0.0
TETRA                                 1.0.0.0
TETRA TMO                            1.0.41.0
TETRA BSM                            1.0.0.0
TETRA BST1                           1.0.15.0
dPMR                                  1.1.0.0
P25 II                               1.1.3.0
PTC-ITCR                             1.0.2.0

Application:                          3.5.0.0
Dynamic Link Library:                1.3.0.0
Signal Service Provider:             1.49.0.0
Sound Device Interface:              1.0.2.0
Firmware - Control:                  1.8.1.0
    - Comm                          1.6.2.0
    - TX                            1.7.1.0
    - RX                            1.3.1.0
    - BIOS                          1.17.5.0 or 3.15.1.0
Operating system:                    6.1.3.0

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3.4.2.0

A) New Features

- i. Process Automation Toolkit (R8-PAT).
- ii. TETRA Base Station Test Mode (R8-TETRA_BSM) replaces TETRA BS Monitor with a full-screen display zone. In addition to the Monitor mode tests, it may also include a T1 Test option (R8-TETRA_BST1).

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iii. AutoTune: APX 8000 PA Bias 1 alignment added.

B) Improvements

i. TETRA TMO Test Mode (R8-TETRA_TMO)

1. Added 100 MHz Band.
2. Export to CSV soft key message defined as "Exporting to...".
3. Added logging enable and export to USB drive.
4. Automatically turn RF Power to on after Duplex is selected.

ii. AutoTune:

1. APX 8000 Deviation Balance improvements

C) Versions

System:	3.4.2.0
DMR (MOTOTRBO)	1.4.0.0
Project 25	2.5.3.0
NXDN	2.0.0.0
TETRA	1.0.0.0
TETRA TMO	1.0.39.0
TETRA BSM	1.0.0.0
TETRA BST1	1.0.0.0
dPMR	1.1.0.0
P25 II	1.1.3.0
PTC-ITCR	1.0.2.0
Application:	3.4.2.0
Dynamic Link Library:	1.3.0.0
Signal Service Provider:	1.49.0.0
Sound Device Interface:	1.0.2.0
Firmware - Control:	1.8.0.0
- Comm	1.6.2.0
- TX	1.7.1.0
- RX	1.3.1.0
- BIOS	1.17.5.0 or 3.15.1.0
Operating system:	6.1.3.0

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A) New Features

- i. TETRA Trunking Mode Operation (TMO) test mode with integrated full-screen display and horizontal soft key menu.

B) Improvements

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- i. Software control of system fan speed: temperatures of various sensors in the system are monitored and fan speed is gradually raised. Below 32 C, the fan remains off. At 75 C, the fan will run at 100% speed. The fan will operate at 20% in an office environment, when no external RF power is applied to the RF In/Out port.
- ii. AutoTune:
 - 1. R8-APX: Improve TX Current Limit & TX Control Voltage Limit alignments.
 - 2. R8-APX8000: Update several limits to match manufacturer's specs.
- iii. Presets improvements
- iv. Screen capture:
 - 1. SHIFT keys match the R8100 zone hot key.
 - 2. SHIFT+1 screen capture filename changed from RFZone*.jpg to RF*.jpg for consistency with other zones.

C) Versions

System:	3.3.0.0
DMR (MOTOTRBO)	1.4.0.0
Project 25	2.5.3.0
NXDN	2.0.0.0
TETRA	1.0.0.0
TETRA TMO	1.0.32.0
dPMR	1.1.0.0
P25 II	1.1.3.0
PTC-ITCR	1.0.2.0
Application:	3.3.0.0
Dynamic Link Library:	1.3.0.0
Signal Service Provider:	1.49.0.0
Sound Device Interface:	1.0.2.0
Firmware - Control:	1.8.0.0
- Comm	1.6.2.0
- TX	1.7.1.0
- RX	1.3.1.0
- BIOS	1.17.5.0 or 3.15.1.0
Operating system:	6.1.3.0

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A) New Features

- i. AutoTune
 - 1. APX8000/8500 AutoTune option.
- ii. TETRA Base Station Monitoring option.

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B) Improvements

i. AutoTune:

1. Voltage and SINAD measurements are now displayed for some Rx audio tests, eliminating the need to change screens.
2. Output levels are now displayed for Noise Squelch Threshold and Sensitivity/SINAD tests, eliminating the need to change screens.
3. Multiple reductions in APX radio test time, including the removal of radio reset following Deviation Balance test and alignments.
4. Message log now written to disk rather than memory, allowing at least partial data retention in the event of reboot or crash
5. Multiple improvements in memory utilization
6. General AutoTune engine performance improvements
7. Bug fixes

ii. Application Performance

1. Multiple improvements to improve processing execution time and memory allocation

iii. Remote Front Panel Improvements

1. User Datagram Protocol ("UDP") support added to enable application to automatically detect analyzers connected to a local network

iv. Bug fixes

1. NXDN
 - a. Added ability to send independent test patterns in Generate and Monitor mode
2. TETRA
 - a. Improvements to measurement presentation and display esthetics
3. R8000 Settings, Options, display improvements
 - a. Multiple improvements to presentation of option list, including minor bug fixes
4. Miscellaneous improvements, including improved vocoder compatibility and various esthetic enhancements.

C) Versions

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System:	3.2.0.0
DMR (MOTOTRBO)	1.4.0.0
Project 25	2.5.3.0
NXDN	2.0.0.0
TETRA	1.0.0.0
dPMR	1.1.0.0
P25 II	1.1.3.0
PTC-ITCR	1.0.2.0
Application:	3.2.0.0
Dynamic Link Library:	1.3.0.0
Signal Service Provider:	1.48.0.0
Sound Device Interface:	1.0.2.0
Firmware - Control:	1.7.0.0
- Comm	1.6.2.0
- TX	1.7.1.0
- RX	1.3.1.0
- BIOS	1.17.5.0 or 3.15.1.0
Operating system:	6.1.3.0

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A) New Features

i. AutoTune

1. Support for Kenwood NX radios using USB programming cables.

ii. P25 Phase 1 Conventional:

1. Independent selection of test patterns in Duplex mode. User can transmit a different pattern than is being used for received BER computations.

iii. Extended Generator Output Range:

1. Support for option R8-GEN_EXT, which allows generation of output levels from +5dBm to -125dBm from the Generate Port.

iv. M&C:

1. GET tag OPTIONS:enabled added to return a list of the text names of all options that are enabled on the unit.
2. GET empty string values may not be returned rather than a Format failure response (9:)
3. Instruments, Tracking Generator tag TRACK_GEN:Trace Request and TRACK_GEN:Trace added to get post-processed display trace data

B) Removed

i. AutoTune:

1. Harris XL-200 Synthesizer Test removed per Harris direction

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2. Motorola APX Front End Filter Alignment for UHF2 band removed pending resolution of Motorola firmware issue.

C) Improvements

i. AutoTune:

1. Log timestamps include milliseconds.
2. Harris multi-band control white pixels on R8100 background removed.
3. Motorola APX Mobile Power Detection Limits moved to APX limit files.
4. Motorola APX Rx BER Test radio reset when entering BER Mode to prevent communications error.
5. Miscellaneous user enhancements

ii. Meter Zone:

1. SINAD/Distortion display resolution increased from .01 to .01dB
2. RF Scan
 - a. Improved functionality
 - b. Duplex supported
 - c. Run RF scan modes changed from Stop/Start to Off, Single and Auto
 - d. Inactive state changed so it cannot go to Locked unless Auto mode is selected. Single mode forces rescan even when squelch is open.
 - e. Locked state changed on setting Single mode from staying Locked to Scanning. So, rescan is forced when Start/Stop not changed and not squelched.
 - f. Locked state changed on setting Off mode from staying Locked to going Inactive.
 - g. Accuracy and display enhanced
 - h. Speed significantly improved
 - i. Reliability of signal acquisition improved:
 - j. User Interface improved:
 - k. Enabled in P25, NSCN, dPMR
 - l. Run Scan State indicator colors changed from setting to readout.

iii. Miscellaneous:

1. Squelch: Now forced closed at wide spans unless knob is fully turned counterclockwise.
2. Instruments

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- a. Tracking Generator timing optimized
 - b. R8100 Vertical Scale indicator colored as read-only (cyan on black) when R8-ESA is not enabled
- 3. P25 Phase 1 Trunking
 - a. P25 Trunking Bandplan Tables set to Defaults for Bandwidth
 - b. BS Mode Explicit VCRx and CCRx soft keys and display indicators linked
 - c. Widened channel # fields to show -#### without truncation. R8100 channel frequency fields widened to show last 2 digits without truncation.
 - d. R8000 – Band colored as a soft key setting (white on black).
- 4. Automatic Attenuation Enhancements:
 - a. Defaults to On. Spec An Reference Levels changed from 30 to 0 dBm for the noise floor.
 - b. Settings, System Settings, Auto Attn Minimum attenuation added, default 0 dB is backward compatible.
 - c. Settings, System Settings, high and low threshold soft key labels clarified.
 - d. RF Zone, Attenuation setting indicator label background colored cyan when Auto Attn is active (like Cable Sweep and RF Level Offset).
 - e. Enable for Meter Zone RF Scan when not scanning (Disabled, Locked, Inactive)
- 5. Settings, About, Contact Us:
 - a. Sales - phone added +1 and prompt 1.
 - b. Service - added tickets <https://service.freedomcte.com> w/ toll-free prompts.
 - c. Support - phone number changed from (612) 721-5889 to +1 (833) 903-7333 prompt 2 then 2.
 - d. Font size changed from 13 to 17 points.
- 6. Remote Front Panel (R8-REMOTE):
 - a. Update rate improved.
 - b. After the M&C remote session is initiated, the Remote Front Panel controls are now locked. Pressing Esc hard key resets the M&C remote control to allow Remote Front Panel control.
 - c. NOTE: browser interface obsoleted by stand-alone client; see <http://freedomcte.com/upgrades/>, OPTIONAL PC SOFTWARE, Remote Front Panel, DOWNLOAD button.

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7. M&C:

- a. Unused response code 6 is now "ERROR – an error occurred," and is used when an unexpected internal error in M&C processing code occurs. Internal errors previously reported by either INVALID (7) or UNKNOWN (8) are now always reported as ERROR (6).
- b. SET & DO commands, Access=READ_ONLY, Option=disabled response from OPTION (5) to INVALID (7), because the option does not matter when the command is bad.
- c. SET & DO commands, unexpected error in hard key code reports ERROR (6) and subsequent code will run as much as possible rather than be skipped entirely.
- d. SET & DO commands with non-existent <owner:tag> response from INVALID (7) to UNKNOWN (8), for consistency for FCT-1110 8 "Tag is unknown".
- e. GO command, edit type<>SUBMENU response from OPTION (4) to INVALID (7), a defect fix.
- f. HELP command, unexpected error in processing code reports ERROR (6)

8. Spanish Language:

- a. Miscellaneous minor changes, including correction of spelling errors.
- b. Translate Settings, System Settings, and Automatic Attenuation

D) Versions

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System:	3.1.0.0
DMR (MOTOTRBO)	1.4.0.0
Project 25	2.5.1.0
NXDN	2.0.0.0
TETRA	1.0.0.0
dPMR	1.1.0.0
P25 II	1.1.3.0
PTC-ITCR	1.0.2.0
Application:	3.1.0.0
Dynamic Link Library:	1.3.0.0
Signal Service Provider:	1.47.0.0
Sound Device Interface:	1.0.2.0
Firmware - Control:	1.7.0.0
- Comm	1.6.2.0
- TX	1.7.1.0
- RX	1.3.1.0
- BIOS	1.17.5.0 or 3.15.1.0
Operating system:	6.1.3.0

3.0.1.0

A) New Features

- i. None

B) Improvements

- i. AutoTune
 - 1. Improved test limits for APX 6000B and several Kenwood NX radio models with service PC boards (not original boards).

C) Notes

- i. For best results when using the Remote Front Panel (R8-Remote option), rotate the local Squelch knob fully counter-clockwise, enable Settings > Network Setup > Network Connection after a restart, and use dynamic IP addresses (DHCP On). Using the Generate or Duplex modes of the R8000 is not recommended while using the Remote Front Panel option.
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- iv. To work around a potential issue with the tracking generator where the generated power level can be 6 dB below the specified Output Level setting after generating an AM signal, select "FM" in Generate Mode before using the tracking generator. #3617, #4145
- v. The system infrequently fails to shut down properly and requires a hard power down (initiated by holding the power button until the unit shuts down). When analyzer shut down fails, a small dialog is shown in the upper right hand corner of the screen. The dialog reads: "Resetting VI: Audio.VI". #3834.
- vi. When using the R8-Remote option, the setting of the squelch control on the Analyzer may override the remote knob, thus impacting certain measurements. #3956
- vii. In DMR test mode, RF Zone broadband "switch" may toggle between Watt Meter and Input Level when monitoring a high-power radio transmission. The Input Level should be used rather than the Watt Meter, which can vary from the power in the used TDMA slot to 3 dB less due to the null TDMA slots. #4034
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- xiii. Before performing a field calibration, place the product in the Standard FM (Analog) mode of operation. #4906
- xiv. TETRA constellation display may momentarily show erroneous results after a 'Reset Averaging' soft key press. #4950
- xv. After removal of a valid TETRA DMO signal, the Input Level measurement continues to show the last reading until a valid signal is re-applied. This reading may also dynamically change as a result of alterations to input attenuation and other conditions such as temperature change. #4953

D) Versions

System:	3.0.1.0
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Project 25	2.5.0.0
NXDN	2.0.0.0
TETRA	1.0.0.0
dPMR	1.1.0.0
P25 II	1.1.3.0
PTC-ITCR	1.0.2.0
Application:	3.0.0.0
Dynamic Link Library:	1.3.0.0
Signal Service Provider:	1.46.0.0
Sound Device Interface:	1.0.2.0
Firmware - Control:	1.6.3.0
- Comm	1.6.1.0
- TX	1.7.1.0
- RX	1.3.1.0
- BIOS	1.17.5.0 or 3.15.1.0
Operating system:	6.1.2.0

3.0.0.0

A) New Features

- i. Windows Embedded Standard OS
- ii. LabVIEW 2015 compiler

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- iii. Single Side Band (SSB) support, with option R8-SSB
- iv. Automatic Rx Attenuation
 - v. dPMR updated to add Chinese PDR
- vi. Gen Out Output Level Extension feature added. This feature extends the Gen Out minimum output level from -95dBm to -125dBm
- vii. P25 I Trunking Explicit Mode
- viii. P25 I NAC/System ID Decoupling
- ix. Autotune
 - 1. Harris XL-200P support
 - 2. Motorola APX 6000B, SRX 2200B support

B) Improvements

- i. Fixed copyrights in various places
- ii. R8-Remote changed to serve R8000.html and improve series naming
- iii. R8100 RF Zone fixed Output Level from showing Output Level Units value (Volts or Watts) instead of dBm. #6721
- iv. R8100 Display Zone reverted from greying out to hiding non-applicable indicators like R8000 and most other R8100 screens. #6712
- v. R8100 Display Zone Bar Graphs Frequency Error < -100Hz readout fixed from dashed to number by resizing Frequency Error string by 25 pixels and changing the caption for the indicator to Left justified. #6878
- vi. R8100 Settings, Options, System indicator alignment restored. #6877
- vii. Fixed bug that would change the Audio Levels in Monitor Mode or Generate AM to the FM Gen Audio levels when Bandwidth or Tone C Frequency were updated. #6832
- viii. AutoTune
 - 1. Fixed bug that crashed app after performing at least one test with a radio which use serial-based communications (Kenwood NX series or Harris XG series) and then select another radio in the AutoTune Radio Make & Model list not included in the mentioned radios. #6845
 - 2. Correct Front End Gain & Attenuation calculation for MOTOTRBO Enhanced Portables. #6831
 - 3. Improve MOTOTRBO model number/product name association. #6563
 - 4. Update XTL/XTS Deviation Balance, Deviation Limit, and voice modulation test scripts to use +/- Peak / 2 deviation averaging, replacing Power-Weight Avg averaging. #4745

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5. Fixed bug where "Enter Operator ID" is still displayed in message bar after an Operator ID is entered. #6888
6. Correct partial support for Kenwood NX-200G/210G/300G portables. #6367 #6889
7. Correct Sensitivity, TX VOX analyzer voltmeter units from Vpk to Vrms. #6800
8. Correct MOTOTRBO radio prompt background to white from yellow. #5924

C) Notes

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- vi. When using the R8-Remote option, the setting of the squelch control on the Analyzer may override the remote knob, thus impacting certain measurements. #3956

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D) Versions

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System:	3.0.0.0
DMR (MOTOTRBO)	1.4.0.0
Project 25	2.5.0.0
NXDN	2.0.0.0
TETRA	1.0.0.0
dPMR	1.1.0.0
P25 II	1.1.3.0
PTC-ITCR	1.0.2.0
Application:	3.0.0.0
Dynamic Link Library:	1.3.0.0
Signal Service Provider:	1.46.0.0
Sound Device Interface:	1.0.2.0
Firmware - Control:	1.6.3.0
- Comm	1.6.1.0
- TX	1.7.1.0
- RX	1.3.1.0
- BIOS	1.17.5.0 or 3.15.1.0
Operating system:	6.1.2.0

2.3.4.0

A) New Features

- i. P25 conventional vocoder, option R8-P25_VOC, added to send received audio to the speaker and Demod Out port in Monitor or Duplex mode.
- ii. Cable Sweep feature added to System Settings menu. Two cable-specific attenuation values for 100 MHz and 1 GHz may be entered to linearly interpolate the cable loss at any given frequency. That loss is applied to the various measurements and levels as is done for the RF Level Offset. #6503
- iii. Spec An Occupied Bandwidth (OBW) feature added to the Enhanced Spectrum Analyzer option (R8-ESA) in the full-screen Instrument display.
- iv. AutoTune
- v. Relm BK KNG-Pxxx radio series support added.
- vi. Harris XG-100M radio series support added.
- vii. Harris P7300 radio model added. #6776
- viii. Motorola APX Front End Filter alignment added. #6703

B) Improvements

- i. NXDN Trunking Eye Diagram Display Mode Fade Away selection enabled. #6160
- ii. P25 Trunking Eye Diagram Display Mode Fade Away selection enabled. #6160
- iii. P25 Phase 2 RF Zone Input Level fixed. #6785

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- iv. P25 Phase 2 now stays in Duplex when entering the mode from Duplex, instead of reverting to Monitor. #6794
- v. DMR now stays in Duplex when entering the mode from Duplex, instead of reverting to Monitor. #6794
- vi. Spec An Detector type setting added to Display Zone, Instrument, and Dual Display screens. Setting values are Power, Peak (default), Sample, Mean, Valley. The detection was previously controlled automatically by using Peak for Span<=158kHz and Power for greater. Now the user may select the most appropriate type for the specific test scenario.
- vii. M&C busy response times modified so that subsequent commands are not rejected by N/A response. #6859
- viii. Fix no RF from Generate/Duplex after loading Monitor preset with an Audio Zone modulation mode enabled. #6850
- ix. Fix blue operation mode navigation hard keys (Monitor, Generate, Duplex) which might not update the vertical soft key menu the first time pressed, in some contexts (e.g. DMR, PTC, an TETRA test mode zones). #6871
- x. Filter Monitor/Center Frequency excess cursor key and spin knob events so changes are not buffered up causing RF to continue changing after the editor value stops changing. #3478
- xi. Change key repeat rate to improve system responsiveness to long keypress events. #6869
- xii. AutoTune:
- xiii. Test Report columns are dynamically resized to fit the widest content.
- xiv. Test grid may be scrolled to show hidden tests that are currently running. #6776
- xv. Motorola APX models skip IP Address query if USB device ID is not present to prevent a long delay before the user is warned of radio communication issue if the radio programming cable is disconnected or the radio is powered off. #6702
- xvi. Correct issue which prevented Harris XG-75 models from performing Reference Oscillator Frequency alignment. #6844

C) Notes

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D) Versions

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DMR (MOTOTRBO)	1.4.0.0
Project 25	2.4.1.0
NXDN	2.0.0.0
TETRA	1.0.0.0
dPMR	1.0.0.0
P25 II	1.1.2.0
PTC-ITCR	1.0.2.0
Application:	2.3.4.0
Dynamic Link Library:	1.3.0.0
Signal Service Provider:	1.45.0.0
Sound Device Interface:	1.0.2.0
Firmware - Control:	1.6.3.0
- Comm	1.6.1.0
- TX	1.7.1.0
- RX	1.3.1.0
- BIOS	1.17.5.0 or 3.15.1.0
Operating system:	3.1.58.1

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A) New Features

- i. N/A

B) Improvements

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- i. Display Zone:
- ii. Fix R8100 blue zone selection border position by a few pixels.
- iii. P25 Trunking
- iv. The zone still shows that the default BS Mode is Implicit (a read-only indicator added in system version 2.2.0.0).
- v. The Options screen, System field was widened to show "(R8-P25_EXP)". The option LED was added in system version 2.2.0.0, but the order-by part number was truncated.

C) Notes

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Project 25	2.3.1.0
NXDN	2.0.0.0
TETRA	1.0.0.0
dPMR	1.0.0.0
P25 II	1.1.0.0
PTC-ITCR	1.0.2.0
Application:	2.2.1.0
Dynamic Link Library:	1.3.0.0
Signal Service Provider:	1.44.1.0
Sound Device Interface:	1.0.2.0
Firmware - Control:	1.6.2.0
- Comm	1.6.1.0
- TX	1.7.1.0
- RX	1.3.1.0
- BIOS	1.17.5.0 or 3.15.1.0
Operating system:	3.1.55.1

2.2.0.0

A) New Features

- i. P25 Phase 1 Conventional Test Pattern "Modified 1011 Hz" added to get a 0% BER when testing a live base station. #6736
- ii. P25 Phase 1 Trunking NAC field added and settable independent of the System ID.
- iii. P25 Phase 1 Trunking Explicit Mode Option (R8-P25_EXP) to transmit explicit channel frequencies to the subscriber rather than channel numbers.
- iv. P25 Phase 2 Duplex mode enabled with capability to synchronize with the base station RF for BER testing.
- v. Audio Zone Tone C added for Generate/Duplex FM/AM Off/Continuous, Frequency 0-99999.9 Hz, and Level per Bandwidth.
- vi. AutoTune
- vii. Motorola APX 1000 supported (minus Tx Power Out alignment). #6694
- viii. Motorola APX 4500 900 MHz support added. #6669
- ix. Motorola SRX 2200 support added. #6668

B) Improvements

- i. RF Zone
- ii. Generate Frequency cannot ignore last of many rapid changes. #6750
- iii. Output Level cannot ignore last of many rapid changes. #6750
- iv. Audio Zone

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- v. Renamed Audio Sum and Mod Sum to Sum [of Levels]. #6706
- vi. Renamed Microphone In to Microphone like soft key. #6706
- vii. Fixed Synth, Format PL, Freq indicator colors. #6706
- viii. Fixed indicator alignment. #6706
- ix. Rearranged screen indicators to match soft key order. #6706
- x. Suppressed Gen AM% Sum zero decimals. #6706
- xi. Prevent multiple soft key reconfigurations during preset loads. #6706
- xii. Stopped display code from wasting CPU when Test Mode is not Standard. #6706
- xiii. Tone A & B Frequency maximum increased by 0.1 Hz to 20 kHz. #6737
- xiv. Display Zone
- xv. Eye Diagram, Display Mode added to DPMR, NXDN, P25 Phase 2, PTC-ITCR, and M&C. #6160
- xvi. AutoTune
- xvii. Motorola APX Distortion test improved to use audio from radio module rather than from test script. Supports various audio levels needed by different RF bands. #6669
- xviii. Motorola APX reset if network interface isn't present. #6702
- xix. Motorola APX UHF2 0 W fixed for Tx Power limits. #6720
- xx. Motorola APX 900 MHz Tx Power Out test and alignment test limits fixed with CPS Transmit Power Levels values. #6735
- xxi. R8000
- xxii. Soft key refreshing reduced to limit flashing when assigning or reconfiguring soft keys like R8100.
- xxiii. R8100
- xxiv. RF Zone Output Level indicator fixed for non-dBm units. #6721
- xxv. Voice Loopback On/Off indicator, progress, and message fixed (P25, NXDN, dPMR). #6707
- xxvi. Phase 1 conventional Voice Frame Decode (Display Zone and Meter Zone) Frame number least significant digits shown and width increased. #6691, #6692
- xxvii. GUI zone covers improved for Tracking Generator and Cable Fault. Zone Titles and selection borders show since their soft keys are still selectable. #4780
- xxviii. Miscellaneous
- xxix. Meter Zone instrument covers fix when an instrument is running (e.g. Instrument, Tracking Generator, Test, Esc, Esc). #4780

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- xxx. Fix horizontal soft key issues. Prevent reconfiguring from automatically closing and ignoring key presses except Escape. They are refreshed while open and not shown until initialized. #6726
- xxxi. FPGA register corruption work arounds cleaned up, average parameter setting time improved though some may have increased. #3536
- xxxii. Please Wait messages conformed to proper-case and no period.
- xxxiii. Screen shot file name for Shift+0 changed from R8000YYMMDD_HHMMSS.jpg to ScreenYYMMDD_HHMMSS.jpg. #6684
- xxxiv. M&C command *IDN? removed "R8000" from: "Freedom Communication Technologies, Inc. R8000 Communications System Analyzer Model:R8..." #6684
- xxxv. The product boot splash screen no longer contains the term "R8000" to make the graphics more suitable to a variety of product lines. #6684

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System:	2.2.0.0
DMR (MOTOTRBO)	1.4.0.0
Project 25	2.3.0.0
NXDN	2.0.0.0
TETRA	1.0.0.0
dPMR	1.0.0.0
P25 II	1.1.0.0
PTC-ITCR	1.0.2.0
Application:	2.2.0.0
Dynamic Link Library:	1.3.0.0
Signal Service Provider:	1.44.0.0
Sound Device Interface:	1.0.2.0
Firmware - Control:	1.6.2.0
- Comm	1.6.1.0
- TX	1.7.1.0
- RX	1.3.1.0
- BIOS	1.17.5.0 or 3.15.1.0
Operating system:	3.1.55.1

2.1.2.0

A) New Features

- i. N/A

B) Improvements

- i. Prevent a USB-attached DVSI vocoder from interfering with AutoTune radio communication.

C) Notes

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D) Versions

System:	2.1.2.0
DMR (MOTOTRBO)	1.4.0.0
Project 25	2.2.1.0
NXDN	2.0.0.0
TETRA	1.0.0.0
dPMR	1.0.0.0
P25 II	1.0.1.0
PTC-ITCR	1.0.2.0
Application:	2.1.2.0
Dynamic Link Library:	1.3.0.0
Signal Service Provider:	1.43.0.0
Sound Device Interface:	1.0.2.0
Firmware - Control:	1.6.2.0
- Comm	1.6.1.0
- TX	1.7.1.0
- RX	1.3.1.0
- BIOS	1.17.5.0 or 3.15.1.0
Operating system:	3.1.55.0

2.1.1.0

A) New Features

i. AutoTune

1. Harris XG-75 series support
2. Kenwood NX-706, -806 models support. #6671

B) Improvements

- i. Improve PTC EVM and power magnitude measurements.
- ii. Correct forcing of user RF Power setting to On only when changing from Monitor mode. #3235
- iii. Add unit serial number to Settings > Options screen removed in 2.0.0.0. #6550
- iv. Improve serial number text display on Settings > Options screen so that trailing characters are displayed. #6589
- v. R8000:

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1. Restore freedomcte.com URL fixes reverted by PTC merge for 2.0.0.0. #6699

vi. R8100:

1. P25 View Frame History Latency in System Version 2.0. #6691
2. P25 Frame # Does Not Update Correctly In System Version 2.0. Assure all Frame # digits visible in Display and Meter zones. #6692

vii. AutoTune

1. Motorola MOTOTRBO Enhanced Light models now use correct Rx BER test limit. #6612
2. Add missing test limits for Motorola MOTOTRBO Enhanced Entry Professional VHF models. #6629
3. Motorola MOTOTRBO Enhanced portables now show signed softpot values for Reference Frequency alignment, test. #6639
4. Correct issue where Motorola MOTOTRBO VHF Entry Professional portables do not generate enough power to begin Reference Frequency alignment. #6640
5. In R8100 AutoTune, improve truncated model number text. #6693
6. Correct AutoTune message log duplication. #6695
7. Update MOTOTRBO Front End Filter for both portables and mobiles to not perform either alignment or test if not supported by radio. #6698
8. Motorola APX UHF2 portables now use correct Tx Power test limits. #6720

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Dynamic Link Library:	1.3.0.0
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A) New Features

- i. Positive Train Control (PTC-ITCR) test mode
- ii. R8100 support (new platform)

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B) Improvements

- i. Improve floating-point number editing. #3438, #3710
- ii. The Eye Diagram, Display Mode soft key is now accessible in Duplex mode. #6160
- iii. AutoTune
 1. Correct Kenwood NX series radio communication initialization to support multiple baud rates. #6635
 2. Add support for serviced Kenwood NX series models. #6587
- iv. Corrected a 1.19.2.0 mitigation of an issue [#3536] that triggered erroneous "SYSTEM|:(7001) HARDWARE FAILURE... Status=0" messages. This improvement avoids hiding actual fault conditions. #6643

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PTC-ITCR	1.0.0.0
Application:	2.0.0.0
Dynamic Link Library:	1.3.0.0
Signal Service Provider:	1.43.0.0
Sound Device Interface:	1.0.2.0
Firmware - Control:	1.6.2.0
- Comm	1.6.1.0
- TX	1.7.1.0
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Operating system:	3.1.55.0

1.19.2.0

A) New Features

- i. Add support for updated R8xxx product hardware.

B) Improvements

- i. Update *IDN? M&C query company name to Freedom Communication Technologies, Inc. #6593
- ii. Various system initialization changes improve system reliability. #4868, #4369, #4871, #4872, #4946, #4949
- iii. Boot graphics are improved by removing a black border that appears at initial power up and by reducing graphical transitions that occur during startup. This change also helps maintain consistency of appearance for the various R8xxx product revisions.

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D) Versions

System:	1.19.2.0
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Project 25	2.2.1.0
NXDN	2.0.0.0
TETRA	1.0.0.0
dPMR	1.0.0.0
P25 II	1.0.1.0
Application:	1.19.2.0
Dynamic Link Library:	1.2.0.0
Signal Service Provider:	1.42.3.0
Sound Device Interface:	1.0.2.0
Firmware - Control:	1.6.1.0
- Comm	1.6.0.0
- TX	1.7.1.0
- RX	1.3.1.0
- BIOS	1.17.5.0 or 3.15.1.0
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A) New Features

- i. P25 Phase 2
- ii. AutoTune

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1. Add Real-Time Clock (RTC) alignment for Kenwood NX series radios.
2. Add support for Kenwood NX-*G models.
3. Add support for APX 4000 two-knob models. #6456.
4. Add support for digital (P25/DMR) Tx tests. #4461, #4924, #4925
- iii. Add separate analog, digital measurement averaging functions. #6347

B) Improvements

- i. Improve Meter Zone Frequency Counter measurement accuracy. #6412, #6382
- ii. Display serial number on About, Options screen. #6550
- iii. Show frequency-related softkeys upon exiting trunking test modes. #6064
- iv. Replace General Dynamics branding with Freedom branding. #6481
- v. As of this release, R8000 products read and write files in a FREEDOM folder on USB media; the \GDSATCOM folder is no longer used. #6481
- vi. As of this release, R8000 update processing reads files from the USB media \FREEDOM\R8000 folder; the \GDSATCOM\R8000A folder is not used. #6481
- vii. Distribution Plot for P25 phase 1 improved.
- viii. Eye Diagram is now pre-configured for Display Mode Normal to avoid "Reconfiguring Eye Diagram... Please Wait" message 5025 and a multi-second delay before first use. #6442
- ix. Power Profile, Select View, Frame setting moved before Slot 1 to become the default view for TETRA and P25 II. The change ensures that a P25 II burst is seen regardless which logical channel or asymmetrical slot is active.
- x. P25 Phase 1 Conventional RX modulation type now configured for LSM and WCQPSK which horizontally stabilize their Eye Diagram. #6388
- xi. AutoTune
 1. Correct RCMP protocol Rx BER Control Invalid_Parameter result when Disable 170 attempted. #6540
 2. Improved MOTOTRBO XPR portable TX Power Out alignment to correct ineffective softpot updates and test report power measurements not coinciding with the reported softpot values. #6363, #6364
 3. Update Kenwood NX portable test setup diagram radio to analyzer cable type. #6381
 4. Correct Kenwood NX Maximum Deviation NXDN alignment, test to use correct audio lowpass filter setting. #6050

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5. Updated all APX portable Tx Power Out UHF 2 test limits to more appropriate levels. #5915
6. Update APX portable test setup diagrams to remove 3D image of RLN4460_ to make more room for setup diagram schematic. Add test to image to indicate RLN4460_ settings. Also add expected power supply voltage and current limit. #5367
7. Update APX portable Reference Frequency Align test limits to match radio service manual limits. #6507
8. Correct too narrow RF bandwidth filter for MOTOTRBO modulation balance alignment and test. #6493
9. Add missing MOTOTRBO TX Power Out test limits. #6406
10. Correct MOTOTRBO Digital Sensitivity (Tx BER) test missing modulation. #6496
11. Improve APX power detector calibration for speed and accuracy. #6436, #6517
12. Add missing APX 900MHz portable Tx Power Out test limits. #6070
13. Correct defect where only APX 6000 and 7000 models were detected as portables, causing newer portable models to be treated as mobiles. #6505
14. For APX portables, print frequency steps in message bar status during power detector calibration alignment. This additional information helps the user know how the power detector calibration is proceeding. #6055
15. Enable prompt to switch antennas for APX High Power dual-band models. #6366
16. Correct XTS 5000 TX Power UHF1 alignment failure. #6346
17. Add Kenwood NX connected radio model number to the popup screen text displayed when a connected model is not a supported model. #6400
18. Do not perform inconsistent Internal Voice Modulation test for XPR 7000 series portables. #6354
19. Correct defect that prevented most MOTOTRBO mobiles from performing Front End Filter alignment. #6534
20. Correct XPR 6580 IS (CSA) Tx Power High test limits to better align with radio capability. #6542
21. Increase MOTOTRBO Modulation Balance test audio voltage adjustment attempts to better test radio performance. #6549
22. Reduce test time for APX radios. #4740

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23. Correct scenario where Kenwood NX Rx Sensitivity test is prematurely preempted causing subsequent Rx Squelch test to fail. #6564

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- vii. In DMR test mode, RF Zone broadband "switch" may toggle between Watt Meter and Input Level when monitoring a high-power radio transmission. The Input Level should be used rather than the Watt Meter, which can vary from the power in the used TDMA slot to 3 dB less due to the null TDMA slots. #4034
- viii. When the Display Zone configured for Oscilloscope displays a signal input to Meter In port, the display may remain when the input is disconnected, though it eventually updates after an unspecified amount of time. #4315

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- ix. Meter Zone 2-Tone internal decoder may not decode Audio Zone A/B Sequence all the time. #4411
- x. When DHCP "On" is applied after configuration of a static IP address, the static address is not relinquished, and the unit does not acquire a new address from DHCP. This gives a false impression that the static address was acquired from DHCP. Disable and re-enable of the network connection works around this condition. #4519
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P25 II	1.0.1.0
Application:	1.19.0.0
Dynamic Link Library:	1.2.0.0
Signal Service Provider:	1.42.2.0
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Firmware - Control:	1.6.1.0
- Comm	1.6.0.0
- TX	1.7.1.0
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- BIOS	1.17.4.0
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A) New Features

i. AutoTune

1. MOTOTRBO Enhanced, Enhanced Light radios supported.
2. Motorola APX 2000/2500/4000/4500 models supported.
3. Motorola APX, XTL High Power radios supported. #4434
4. Kenwood NX series radios now accessible using USB to serial adapters with Prolific ICs.

ii. P25

1. Symbol Rate Error measurement added to conventional (Monitor and Duplex) and trunking test zones.
2. Add Constellation Plot to Display Zone.
3. Distribution Plot enabled.
4. LSM and WCQPSK modulation types added.

iii. P25 Trunking

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B) Improvements

- i. Corrected DMR test mode defect which caused DMR Symbol Deviation, FSK Error, and BER to become intermittently large. #6079

ii. Autotune

1. Retrieve and use actual IP Address for Motorola APX radios. #5079

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2. Improve Reference Frequency alignment accuracy for Motorola XTS, XTL and APX models. #4526
3. Improve softpot range limit checking for Motorola XTL, XTS, APX, and MOTOTRBO radio alignments. #4654
4. Improve Motorola MOTOTRBO TX Power Out alignment predictability. #5372
5. Update Motorola APX Tx Power Out limits to support multiple frequency sub-bands. #4782
6. Improve alignment performance for Motorola XTS, XTL, and APX Reference Frequency, Deviation Balance, and/or Deviation Limit alignments to prevent indefinite softpot adjustment in case something with the measurement goes wrong. #5482
7. Improve Motorola MOTOTRBO test setup diagrams. #6052
8. Separate Motorola APX Reference Frequency alignment, test limits to better conform to radio service manual specifications. #5182
9. Correct potential poor Tx Power Out alignment performance on MOTOTRBO High Power mobiles. #6172
10. Correct Motorola MOTOTRBO radio connection issue where radio may not enter test mode if Connect Plus channel selected. #5240
11. improve portable APX UHF2 band radio Tx Power Out test limits from 5.3 - 5.5 W to a wider 5.0 - 5.6 W. This change better reflects the radio's practical power output performance. #5915
- iii. Prevent Output Level default value from overriding a preset's Output Level value. #4512
- iv. Eye Diagram RF Overload reaction flatline and warning message removed. #5234
- v. P25 NAC and voice frame encoder field changes applied correctly after various configuration events. #5586

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- BIOS	1.17.4.0
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A) New Features

i. N/A

B) Improvements

i. Autotune

1. Improve Kenwood NX series RX sensitivity test speed. #5994
2. Correction to perform RSSI alignment at NXDN Narrow bandwidth for NX-901 mobiles. #5950
3. Correct Kenwood NX series RX Squelch test to only perform test rather than alignment and test. #5966
4. Update APX portable External Voice Modulation test to use correct analyzer audio voltage and test limits. #5621
5. Log APP version, APX radio model number, serial number, and supported RF bands. #5910
6. Add missing Motorola XTS 1500 diagrams, test limits. #5981

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A) New Features

i. AutoTune

1. Kenwood NX series radios now supported
2. Motorola XTS 1500 radios now supported
3. Export all AutoTune test reports or test logs with a single softkey press

ii. dPMR test package option (R8-DPMR)

iii. $\pm$ Peak / 2 deviation averaging option

B) Improvements

i. Add work around to prevent TX signal loss if audio zone parameters changed. #4071

ii. Fix P25 encoder reset to defaults error #5041

iii. Tracking Generator Find Peak and Find Valley are now on same menu page

iv. Autotune

1. Correct RF bandwidth settings for APX Internal Voice Modulation and External Voice Modulation tests. #5621
2. Add missing Demo radio model test setup diagram. #5491
3. Correct Motorola MOTOTRBO Modulation Balance test issue which could cause indefinite loop under certain circumstances. #5108

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4. Correct APX mobile dual-band Power Detector Calibration issue where first band softpot alignment only applied if second band softpot changed. #5911
- v. Tracking Generator
 1. Responsiveness significantly improved. #4311
 2. Dynamic range improved to add RBW [Wide, Medium, Narrow] settings. #4311
 3. M&C effect time reduced from 5 to 4 seconds. #4311
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A) New Features

- i. DMR Duplex

B) Improvements

- i. AutoTune

1. Log the current RF Level Offset state and value to the AutoTune message log. Since the RF Level Offset affects power measurements, knowing its state and value are important when troubleshooting. #5297
2. AutoTune: Remove TX Power VHF, UHF1, and UHF2 Mid power limits. Only 700/800 MHz band models use TX Power Mid power limits. #4763
3. Compare measurements to 1 digit of precision for APX External Voice Modulation tests to reduce test failures. #4860

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4. Allow test limit values to range between +/-9999.999 to accommodate some higher band Reference Frequency test limits. #5370
5. AutoTune: Correct Reference Frequency test limits. #5360
6. Add support for Motorola XTS 2500/5000 900 MHz models and XTL 900 MHz models. #4919
7. Options screen refreshed to better contain AutoTune options. Option(s) renamed to fit new screen width. Settings, About..., AutoTune screen obsoleted. #4962
8. Add support for Motorola APX 7000XE models. The following APX models are known to be supported. Support is primarily a function of whether the model's model series value is recognized by the AutoTune software. #4969
 - a. Portables: APX 7000, APX 7000XE, APX 6000, APX 6000XE, APX 6000Li, APX 5000
 - b. Mobiles: APX 7500, APX 6500, APX 6500Li, APX 5500
9. Correct several XTS TX Power Out alignment defects which could prevent some radios, especially VHF band models, from successfully aligning. #5264 #5265 #5266 #5267
- ii. Correct RF Level Offset defect which prevented output level values beyond normal port limits. Output level values may now exceed port limits as long as the following inequality is satisfied: minimum port output level <= Output Level - RF level port offset value <= maximum port output level #5278

C) Notes

- i. For best results when using the Remote Front Panel (R8-Remote option), rotate the local Squelch knob fully counter-clockwise, enable Settings > Network Setup > Network Connection after a restart, and use dynamic IP addresses (DHCP On). Using the Generate or Duplex modes of the R8000 is not recommended while using the Remote Front Panel option.
- ii. The R8-Remote option supports remote, unattended operation, but the network connection may not persist across a reboot. Until this issue is addressed, remote installations may limit exposure by operating the Analyzer on an uninterruptible power supply. #3320, #3765, #4009

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- iii. When configuring the Analyzer's network interface settings, it is preferable to use DHCP IP Address assignment. Use of static IP Addressing is not consistently possible. To effectively assign the Analyzer a fixed IP address, the DHCP server is ideally configured to assign IP Addresses by MAC address. For more information on resolving network configuration issues, refer to the Troubleshooting section of the product user manual. #3320, #4009
- iv. To work around a potential issue with the tracking generator where the generated power level can be 6 dB below the specified Output Level setting after generating an AM signal, select "FM" in Generate Mode before using the tracking generator. #3617, #4145
- v. The system infrequently fails to shut down properly and requires a hard power down (initiated by holding the power button until the unit shuts down). When analyzer shut down fails, a small dialog is shown in the upper right-hand corner of the screen. The dialog reads: "Resetting VI: Audio.VI". #3834.
- vi. When using the R8-Remote option, the setting of the squelch control on the Analyzer may override the remote knob, thus impacting certain measurements. #3956
- vii. In DMR test mode, RF Zone broadband "switch" may toggle between Watt Meter and Input Level when monitoring a high-power radio transmission. The Input Level should be used rather than the Watt Meter, which can vary from the power in the used TDMA slot to 3 dB less due to the null TDMA slots. #4034
- viii. Meter Zone 2-Tone internal decoder may not decode Audio Zone A/B Sequence all the time. #4411
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- xi. The receiver is presently calibrated only above 10 MHz. A factory re-calibration service will soon be available to users that have a requirement for calibrated receiver measurements below 10MHz. #4596
- xii. Before performing a field calibration, place the product in the Standard FM (Analog) mode of operation. #4906
- xiii. TETRA constellation display may momentarily show erroneous results after a 'Reset Averaging' soft key press. #4950
- xiv. In generate mode, the TETRA modulation spectrum/constellation diagrams are disabled without any on-screen indication of this fact. #4951
- xv. In TETRA test mode, the RF Zone Freq Error measurement averaging is controlled by TETRA-specific averaging settings and the System Settings are not used. #4952
- xvi. After removal of a valid TETRA DMO signal, the Input Level measurement continues to show the last reading until a valid signal is re-applied. This reading may also dynamically change as a result of alterations to input attenuation and other conditions such as temperature change. #4953

D) Versions

System:	1.16.0.0
DMR (MOTOTRBO)	1.3.0.0
Project 25	2.0.6.0
NXDN	2.0.0.0
TETRA	1.0.0.0
Application:	1.16.0.0
Dynamic Link Library:	1.1.0.0
Signal Service Provider:	1.38.2.0
Sound Device Interface:	1.0.2.0
Firmware - Control:	1.5.0.0
- Comm	1.4.2.0
- TX	1.6.2.0
- RX	1.2.0.0
- BIOS	1.17.4.0
Operating system:	3.1.26.0

1.15.0.0

A) New Features

- i. NXDN Trunking Type C support added.
- ii. RF Level Offset. Apply an offset to input measurements and output signals to compensate for cable loss, attenuators, amplifiers, etc.
- iii. Extended Tone A, Tone B frequencies. The Tone A and Tone B frequencies now support sub-Hz resolution (0.1 Hz).

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- iv. Extended DPL codes. All 512 possible DPL codes are now available for use.
- v. AC Voltmeter dBr measurements. The AC Voltmeter can now display relative dB measurements (dBr), allowing normalization of a dB measured value to a reference input voltage.
- vi. Spectrum Trace Math. Adds the ability to normalize the spectrum analyzer trace using several normalization effects. #4965

B) Improvements

i. AutoTune

1. Correct XTS portables and MOTOTRBO portables TX Power Out alignment to report failed output power when the radio cannot achieve nominal output power. #4654
2. Improve XTS portables and MOTOTRBO portables TX Power Out alignment to use a mid-range starting softpot if the programmed softpot is outside known good softpot range. #5223
3. Correct the MOTOTRBO Sensitivity test that inappropriately disabled Fixed 1 kHz audio under some test conditions. #5131
4. Print information message when test limits are saved or when default test limits are loaded. #5161

ii. P25 Trunking

1. Show Display Zone Spec An frequency soft keys during BER Test; now includes Instrument Spectrum Analyzer, and Dual Display Spectrum Analyzer. #5221
2. Prevent changing Monitor Frequency via Display Zone Center Marker and Center Peak by hiding the softkeys when in P25 Trunking test mode. #5221
3. Rename fields from Control & Voice Chnl to Channel for consistency with the associated soft key. #5227

iii. Error handling improvements. #4690

iv. Standardize the appearance of Trigger settings. #4965

v. Standardize screen labels for Vertical Scale and Horizontal Scale. #5100

vi. Standardize the appearance of the Center, Start, and Stop frequency labels. #5098

vii. Standardize the resolution bandwidth screen labels. #4965

viii. Standardize the appearance of all marker displays. #4965

ix. Marker Mode Off clears highlight to prevent multiple highlights when the previous marker was not the first marker. #5089

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- x. Tracking Generator Display Mode, Average, Count is visible to improve user interface consistency. #5120
- xi. Prevent the message bar message 'Requested Operating Mode Invalid in Current Test Mode' from appearing in P25 Trunking or NXDN Trunking mode after loading the factory configuration preset. #5215
- xii. Correct PL and DPL internal decodes to function at some specific frequencies. #3603

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- vii. In DMR test mode, RF Zone broadband "switch" may toggle between Watt Meter and Input Level when monitoring a high-power radio transmission. The Input Level should be used rather than the Watt Meter, which can vary from the power in the used TDMA slot to 3 dB less due to the null TDMA slots. #4034
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- xi. The receiver is presently calibrated only above 10 MHz. A factory re-calibration service will soon be available to users that have a requirement for calibrated receiver measurements below 10MHz. #4596
- xii. APX AutoTune: In the event that the External Voice Modulation test fails, adjust the External Voice Modulation:Max test limit to 3.6 kHz. #4860
- xiii. Before performing a field calibration, place the product in the Standard FM (Analog) mode of operation. #4906
- xiv. TETRA constellation display may momentarily show erroneous results after a 'Reset Averaging' soft key press. #4950
- xv. In generate mode, the TETRA modulation spectrum/constellation diagrams are disabled without any on-screen indication of this fact. #4951
- xvi. In TETRA test mode, the RF Zone Freq Error measurement averaging is controlled by TETRA-specific averaging settings and the System Settings are not used. #4952
- xvii. After removal of a valid TETRA DMO signal, the Input Level measurement continues to show the last reading until a valid signal is re-applied. This reading may also dynamically change as a result of alterations to input attenuation and other conditions such as temperature change. #4953

D) Versions

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System:	1.15.0.0
DMR (MOTOTRBO)	1.2.0.0
Project 25	2.0.6.0
NXDN	2.0.0.0
TETRA	1.0.0.0
Application:	1.15.0.0
Dynamic Link Library:	1.1.0.0
Signal Service Provider:	1.38.2.0
Sound Device Interface:	1.0.2.0
Firmware - Control:	1.5.0.0
- Comm	1.4.2.0
- TX	1.6.2.0
- RX	1.2.0.0
- BIOS	1.17.4.0
Operating system:	3.1.26.0

1.14.1.0

A) New Features

- i. AutoTune for Motorola MOTOTRBO Core portable, mobile radios
- ii. NXDN
 - 1. Radio Access Number (RAN) support
 - 2. Kenwood FSW+PN9 Pattern support
- iii. DMR
 - 1. Symbol Deviation measurement added. #4976

B) Improvements

- i. DMR FSK Error measurement improved. #4976
- ii. NXDN
 - 1. Correct Generate Test Pattern after using Voice Loopback. #4961
 - 2. Correct 9600bps, 1031 Hz Tone pattern. It used VCH in the last frame but should have used FACCH instead. #4959
 - 3. Correct NXDN Generate 1097 Exception. #4947
 - 4. Clarified and reordered the two 511 test pattern names. #5049
- iii. P25
 - 1. Correct generate test patterns corrupted under various scenarios, including voice loop and NAC editing. #4571
 - 2. AFC, Busy, and Idle test patterns replaced by Voice Frame Encoder procedures in the manual. #4571
 - 3. Conventional and Trunking, Test Pattern screen indicator displays the same name as the "1011 Hz Tone" soft key instead of "Standard Tone". #4936

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4. Generate mode NAC soft key hidden and screen indicator disable (grayed out) for non-voice-frame patterns. #4945
 5. Trunking, BER Test, Test Pattern changes update the screen indicator. #4628
 6. Rename P25 conventional and trunking test pattern from "Calibration" to "Calibration (Tone 5%)" to identify what it is based on. #5049
- iv. Correct occasional exception which occurred when using digital test modes. #4703
 - v. Oscilloscope Set DC Offset corrected. #4606
 - vi. AutoTune
 1. Correct receive test (e.g., Distortion) occasional failures. #5027
 2. Improve XTS TX Power Out alignment time and to skip an alignment frequency if tune attempts fail. #5053
 3. Improve Toggle Test Selection softkey placement. #4896
 4. Initialize Span to 158 kHz prior to each AutoTune test sequence execution. Specifically set units to kHz. #4909, 4451
 5. Correct Test Report To Open selection issue where test report selection other than most recent test opened most recent test. #4601
 - vii. Hide Spectrum Analyzer soft keys in Generate mode. #4965
 - viii. Correct Output Level lag when Output Level changed rapidly via arrow/spin knob. #4688
 - ix. Corrected issue where non-Standard Test modes would have their Modulation Mode disabled when loaded from a Preset after start up. #4540

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- iv. To work around a potential issue with the tracking generator where the generated power level can be 6 dB below the specified Output Level setting after generating an AM signal, select "FM" in Generate Mode before using the tracking generator. #3617, #4145
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TETRA	1.0.0.0
Application:	1.14.1.0
Dynamic Link Library:	1.1.0.0
Signal Service Provider:	1.38.2.0
Sound Device Interface:	1.0.2.0
Firmware - Control:	1.5.0.0
- Comm	1.4.2.0
- TX	1.6.2.0
- RX	1.2.0.0
- BIOS	1.17.4.0
Operating system:	3.1.26.0

1.13.0.0

A) New Features

- i. TETRA protocol

B) Improvements

- i. Correct a wrong model number from displaying on the Settings > About... screen of recently manufactured units. #4880
- ii. Prevent a brief visual anomaly from occurring under various conditions. #4927
- iii. Dispense with reporting of an R8-LPN option to reduce confusion. The Low Phase Noise feature is implemented in hardware whereas other reported options are software features. #4905
- iv. Corruption of displayed parameters on the bottom line of the full-screen oscilloscope is corrected with this release. #4908
- v. The Output Level maximum range is corrected, and a calibrated generation level is assured when the modulation type is AM and when certain instrument or test modes are exited. #4505, 4850

C) Notes

- i. Before performing a field calibration, place the product in the Standard FM (Analog) mode of operation. #4906

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- ix. Meter Zone 2-Tone internal decoder may not decode Audio Zone A/B Sequence all the time. #4411
- x. The P25 pattern generator may have degraded BER measurements if cycling through certain modes. To work around, change the modulation state from Continuous to Off and back to Continuous. #4571

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DMR (MOTOTRBO)	1.1.11.0
Project 25	2.0.2.0
NXDN	1.0.0.0
TETRA	1.0.0.0
Application:	1.13.0.0
Dynamic Link Library:	1.1.0.0
Signal Service Provider:	1.38.1.0
Sound Device Interface:	1.0.2.0
Firmware - Control:	1.5.0.0
- Comm	1.4.2.0
- TX	1.6.2.0
- RX	1.2.0.0
- BIOS	1.17.4.0
Operating system:	3.1.25.0

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A) New Features

- i. DMR Power Profile
- ii. DMR Voice Loopback

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- iii. Tracking Generator Normalization
- iv. FM Pre/De-emphasis
 - v. Audio weighting filters (CCITT, C-Message)
- vi. AutoScript (beta)
- vii. P25
 - 1. Add Copy NAC to Generator softkey to copy received NAC to P25 Generate mode NAC.
 - 2. Add monitor NAC indicator in P25 zone.
- viii. RF Scan: Add Start, Stop soft keys to allow user manual control over when scanning begins and ends.
- ix. AutoTune for Motorola APX 6000/6500/7000/7500 radios
- x. AutoTune
 - 1. Add support for XTL Series, APX Family Mobile USB radio programming cable HKN6184_ for front GCAI connector. #4494

B) Improvements

- i. AutoTune
 - 1. Improved Motorola XTS TX Power Out alignment, test performance. #4646, #4791
 - 2. Corrected Motorola XTL/XTS Deviation Balance indefinite loop issue on some radios. #4584
 - 3. Improved performance of Motorola XTL/XTS Reference Frequency alignment, particularly for XTS VHF radios. #4526
 - 4. Improved Deviation Balance algorithm and enabled averaging to deviation measurements to improve Deviation Balance, Deviation Limit test and alignment performance. #4745
 - 5. Correct issue where wrong test report opened if system time was set prior to 01/01/2010. #4787
 - 6. Correct issue where CPU starvation occurred after multiple AutoTune test sequences performed. #4849
 - 7. Correct inescapable popup under certain conditions during Reference Frequency alignment. #4851
- ii. Added true RMS deviation averaging. #4222
- iii. P25
 - 1. P25 Trunking BER test pattern applies correctly. #4628
 - 2. Link Control Opcode (LCO) correctly displays selection of 3 – U2U_V_CH_USR. #4581
- iv. DMR

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1. Corrected issue where DMR Monitor Input Level continued to report the last computed input level after the radio was dekeyed and synchronization lost. #4692
2. Improved symbol synchronization algorithm. #4348
- v. DPL generator output power conforms to TIA-603 requirement for <1% power above 300 Hz. #4559
- vi. Prevent false positive error 6051 Unable to Generate Requested Power Level - Minimum Power Level Reached (in Monitor mode) when R8000 starts. #4723
- vii. Default RF Attenuation is 40 dB. Default Reference Level is +30 dBm to place spectrum analyzer noise floor near bottom of display. #4736
- viii. Changes to the RF Generate Port selection correctly re-calculates correct output level. #4610
- ix. Correct possible error message seen when starting Tracking Generator. #4591
- x. Corrected editor issue where certain entries (for example, backspace) were made, especially in P25 mode. #4579.
- xi. Presets Delete Preset softkey presented correctly when presets are present/not present. #4575
- xii. Oscilloscope correctly applies DC Offset setting. #4606
- xiii. Test Mode Presets loaded at R8000 start up correctly display their zone softkey (for example, "DMR Zone..."). #4593
- xiv. Correct memory read access exception occasionally observed in 1.11.x release which forced a R8000 reboot to restore normal operation. #4703
- xv. Improved file handling to prevent corrupted or missing serial numbers. #4801

C) Notes

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- ii. The receiver is presently calibrated only above 10 MHz. A factory re-calibration service will soon be available to users that have a requirement for calibrated receiver measurements below 10MHz. #4596

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- iii. For best results when using the Remote Front Panel (R8-Remote option):
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- iv. To work around a potential issue with the tracking generator where the generated power level can be 6 dB below the specified Output Level setting after generating an AM signal, select "FM" in Generate Mode before using the tracking generator. #4145, #3617.
- v. When the R8-Remote option is installed on system version 1.6.1.0 or newer, a normally hidden window may be seen minimizing toward the lower left corner of the display as the Analyzer powers up. #3818
- vi. The R8-Remote option supports remote, unattended operation, but the network connection may not persist across a reboot. Until this issue is addressed, remote installations may limit exposure by operating the Analyzer on an uninterruptible power supply. #4164, #3765, #3320
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- ix. In DMR test mode, RF Zone broadband "switch" may toggle between Watt Meter and Input Level when monitoring a high-power radio transmission. The Input Level should be used rather than the Watt Meter, which can vary from the power in the used TDMA slot to 3 dB less due to the null TDMA slots. #4034
- x. The system infrequently fails to shut down properly and requires a hard power down (initiated by holding the power button until the unit shuts down). When analyzer shut down fails, a small dialog is shown in the upper right hand corner of the screen. The dialog reads: "Resetting VI: Audio.VI". #3834.
- xi. P25 pattern generator may have degraded BER measurements if cycling through certain modes. To work around, change the modulation state from Continuous to Off and back to Continuous. #4571
- xii. P25 trunking mode may not correctly register XTL mobile radios, preventing completion of voice calls. #4560
- xiii. Meter Zone 2-Tone internal decoder may not decode Audio Zone A/B Sequence all the time. #4411

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- xiv. AutoTune: For APX portable radios, the External Voice Modulation test may fail. To work around, adjust the External Voice Modulation:Max test limit to 3.6 kHz. #4860

D) Versions

System:	1.12.3.0
DMR (MOTOTRBO)	1.1.11.0
Project 25	2.0.2.0
NXDN	1.0.0.0
Application:	1.12.2.0
Dynamic Link Library:	1.1.0.0
Signal Service Provider:	1.38.1.0
Sound Device Interface:	1.0.2.0
Firmware - Control:	1.5.0.0
- Comm	1.4.2.0
- TX	1.6.2.0
- RX	1.2.0.0
- BIOS	1.17.4.0
Operating system:	3.1.25.0

1.11.2.0

A) Improvements

- i. Fix R8000B RX & TX frequency error. A symptom was a Spec An power ripple (+/-0.8 dB). #4642

B) Notes

- i. RF Output Port accuracy is ± 1 dB when the Monitor Port is set to RF Input. If the Monitor Port is set to Antenna, RF Output Port accuracy is +3dB. To mitigate this problem the software automatically switches the Monitor Port to RF Input when the user selects Generate Mode and switches back to the user-selected port when the Monitor Mode is re-selected. This does not address operation in Duplex Mode. An upcoming enhancement will improve accuracy to +1dB irrespective of Monitor Port selection. #4595
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- xii. AutoTune: On some XTS 2500 radios, Deviation Balance alignment softpot changes may not apply correctly causing alignment to hang. To work around, adjust the Deviation Balance test limit to 3%. This issue will be addressed in a future release. #4584

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- xiii. P25 pattern generator may have degraded BER measurements if cycling through certain modes. To work around, change the modulation state from Continuous to Off and back to Continuous. #4571
- xiv. P25 trunking mode may not correctly register XTL mobile radios, preventing completion of voice calls. #4560
- xv. Meter Zone 2-Tone internal decoder may not decode Audio Zone A/B Sequence all the time. #4411
- xvi. AutoTune: On XTS radios, TX Power Out alignment may hang during Mid or High power band. To work around, use a battery eliminator and perform the alignment by itself after radio has been off at least 30 minutes. This issue will be addressed in a future release. #4646
- xvii. DMR Monitor Input Level continues to report last computed input level after radio is unkeyed and synch is lost. To work around, switch to Generate mode and then back to Monitor mode. #4692

C) Versions

System:	1.11.2.0
DMR (MOTOTRBO)	1.1.8.0
Project 25	2.0.2.0
NXDN	1.0.0.0
Application:	1.11.0.0
Dynamic Link Library:	1.1.0.0
Signal Service Provider:	1.37.2.0
Sound Device Interface:	1.0.2.0
Firmware - Control:	1.5.0.0
- Comm	1.4.2.0
- TX	1.6.2.0
- RX	1.2.0.0
- BIOS	1.17.4.0
Operating system:	3.1.20.0

1.11.1.0

A) Improvements

- i. Fix DMR Monitor measurements susceptibility to corruption at analyzer start up. #4572
- ii. Upgrade DMR Monitor SYNC pattern processing. #4623, #4624
- iii. Correct DMR Monitor Constellation anomalies and improve DMR zone measurements. #4589
- iv. Enhance DMR Monitor sub-system infrastructure. #4625

B) Notes

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- iii. For best results when using the Remote Front Panel (R8-Remote option): Open the local Squelch knob fully (CCW), enable Settings > Network Setup > Network Connection after a restart, use dynamic IP addresses (DHCP On), and avoid generation/modulation, and check buffer events with Settings > Messages.
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- x. In DMR test mode, RF Zone broadband "switch" may toggle between Watt Meter and Input Level when monitoring a high-power radio transmission. The Input Level should be used rather than the Watt Meter, which can vary from the power in the used TDMA slot to 3 dB less due to the null TDMA slots. #4034
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- xii. AutoTune: On some XTS 2500 radios, Deviation Balance alignment softpot changes may not apply correctly causing alignment to hang. To work around, adjust the Deviation Balance test limit to 3%. This issue will be addressed in a future release. #4584
- xiii. P25 pattern generator may have degraded BER measurements if cycling through certain modes. To work around, change the modulation state from Continuous to Off and back to Continuous. #4571
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C) Versions

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DMR (MOTOTRBO)	1.1.8.0
Project 25	2.0.2.0
NXDN	1.0.0.0
Application:	1.11.0.0
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A) New Features

- i. Meter Zone Duplex Mode Decode Burst for General Sequence tones
- ii. Import and export Preset files
- iii. Tracking Generator Marker Type with Point Cross, Vertical bar, Horizontal bar, and cross bars types

B) Improvements

- i. General Sequence decoder
- ii. Correct issue where decoding stopped after initial decode. #4506
- iii. Tracking Generator markers retain frequencies when graph reconfigured by either number of points or by a Span change. #4311
- iv. Preset UI asks for delete confirmation before removing a Preset #4513 #3204
- v. Corrected issue where external/internal PL/DPL decoders failed under certain conditions. #4458
- vi. Redesigned Network Settings screen. #4519
- vii. Corrected issue where non-Standard Test modes would have their Modulation Mode disabled when loaded from a Preset after start up. #4540
- viii. AutoTune
 1. Corrected compatibility with Motorola XTS 5000 radios with firmware revisions up to and including R16.00.00. #4548
 2. Motorola XTS radios now calibrated, tested at all correct frequencies during applicable tests and alignments. #4527
 3. If only Motorola XTS option enabled, applicable test setup diagram is now correctly shown. #4510
 4. In Test Reports menu, irrelevant softkeys are hidden when no test logs are present. #4525
 5. Start softkey correctly updated if conditions for its display are met but then another radio is selected. #4516
 6. Deviation measurements now performed with more appropriate RF bandwidth settings. #4463 #4450
 7. Correct issue where Deviation Balance alignment could retry to infinity at a particular frequency if poor measurements were detected. #4553
 8. Analyzer state initialization performed before beginning any test or alignment. ##4553
 9. Correct issue where TX Power Out alignment, test could retry indefinitely under certain conditions. #4568

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10. Correct Motorola XTS TX Power Out alignment, test issue where for first points in a power band could be measured inaccurately. #4507

- ix. Reduce frequency of false hardware failure messages when retuning tracking generator. #4479
- x. Improve reset of Antenna and RF Gen Out port overload protection relays for port change and overload condition. #4389
- xi. Corrected issue where output level was incorrect when switching Generate Port with the soft key in DUPLEX mode. #4505
- xii. Corrected issue where audio levels were inappropriately ranged when modified through the M&C. #4504

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- xvii. DMR Monitor measurements are susceptible to corruption at analyzer start up. To work around, save a DMR preset and then restart the analyzer. This issue will be addressed in the next release. #4572

D) Versions

System:	1.11.0.0
DMR (MOTOTRBO)	1.1.2.0
Project 25	2.0.2.0
NXDN	1.0.0.0
Application:	1.11.0.0
Dynamic Link Library:	1.1.0.0
Signal Service Provider:	1.37.0.0
Sound Device Interface:	1.0.2.0
Firmware - Control:	1.5.0.0
- Comm	1.4.2.0
- TX	1.6.2.0
- RX	1.2.0.0
- BIOS	1.17.4.0
Operating system:	3.1.20.0

1.10.1.0

A) New Features

- i. AutoTune for Motorola XTL series, Motorola XTS 2500, and Motorola XTS 5000 radios
- ii. Remote M&C interface
- iii. DMR
 1. Test zone display of Source ID (Radio ID, Source Address)

B) Improvements

- i. Reorganized Meter Zone
- ii. PL Code editor changed to smoother list box interface.
- iii. Corrected issue where Modulation data from the Mod Out BNC connector on the front panel is not useful in Monitor mode when the demodulation data is unavailable. #4271
- iv. Corrected issue where METER Zone > Select Meter > General Sequence decoder tone codes may not match expected Tone Standard tone codes. #4402
- v. Miscellaneous UI fixes. #4409
- vi. Microphone now sampled correctly in Monitor mode. #4192

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- vii. Corrected DMR test mode issue where measurements could lag real-time and after continuous demodulation for over 20 minutes (e.g. over-the-air monitoring of a repeater), the DMR measurements and constellation became erroneous for about 200 seconds. #4005
- viii. P25 Trunking
 - 1. Fixed the format of the identifier update (IDEN_UP) message.
 - 2. Fixed the signaling block (TSBK) on band change (UHF/VHF or 700/800 MHz).
 - 3. Fixed the sign of the TX Offset.
- ix. Correct configuration initialization events triggering issue for RF On/Off event. #4476
- x. Volume control knob response improved to use a logarithmic function for better perceived performance and higher amplification levels. #3443
- xi. Modulation data from the Mod Out BNC connector on the front panel is now useful in Monitor mode when the demodulation data is unavailable. #4271

C) Notes

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- xii. Settings, Network Setup... screen can place unapplied data into the settings fields. For example, if an out-of-range IP Address is entered and applied, the warning message persists even if a valid IP Address is entered and the change applied. To work around, ignore the warning message. When Apply Network Changes is pressed with a valid IP Address, previous warnings should be cleared. #4519
- xiii. General Sequence decoding fails after the first decode. A decode test can still be performed by starting the burst before starting the decoder. #4506
- xiv. AutoTune: After deleting a test log, the deleted log continues to appear in the log list until AutoTune is exited. #4525
- xv. AutoTune: If only the Motorola XTS option is enabled, the Motorola XTL test setup diagram will display instead of the XTS test setup diagram. TO see the correct Motorola XTS test setup diagram, refer to the R8000 AutoTune User Guide. #4510

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- xvi. AutoTune: Motorola XTS radios are not calibrated at the highest frequency. This issue affects Reference Oscillator, TX Power Out, Deviation Balance, and Deviation Limit tests and alignments. #4527
- xvii. RF On/Off must be pressed to output when the R8000 starts with a preset. #4487
- xviii. PL decoder may fail to correctly decode PL tones. To work around, enable any one of General Sequence or 5/6 Tone decoders, then enable the PL decoder again. #4458

D) Versions

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DMR (MOTOTRBO)	1.1.2.0
Project 25	2.0.2.0
NXDN	1.0.0.0
Application:	1.10.2.0
Dynamic Link Library:	1.1.0.0
Signal Service Provider:	1.36.0.0
Sound Device Interface:	1.0.2.0
Firmware - Control:	1.4.5.0
- Comm	1.4.2.0
- TX	1.6.2.0
- RX	1.2.0.0
- BIOS	1.17.4.0
Operating system:	3.1.20.0

1.9.0.2

A) New Features

- i. N/A

B) Improvements

- i. A firmware change corrects an issue that prevents use of RX hardware temperature measurements to improve accuracy.

C) Notes

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- x. For best results when using the Remote Front Panel (R8-Remote option): Open the local Squelch knob fully (CCW), enable Settings > Network Setup > Network Connection after a restart, use dynamic IP addresses (DHCP On), and avoid generation/modulation, and check buffer events with Settings > Messages. #3920
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- xii. In DMR test mode, RF Zone broadband "switch" may toggle between Watt Meter and Input Level when monitoring a high-power radio transmission. The Input Level should be used rather than the Watt Meter, which can vary from the power in the used TDMA slot to 3 dB less due to the null TDMA slots. #4034
- xiii. In DMR test mode, after continuous demodulation for over 20 minutes (e.g. over-the-air monitoring of a repeater), the DMR measurements and constellation become erroneous for about 200 seconds. Change the Burst setting to correct them. A delay may also be noticeable after the transmission. This is to be fixed in the next version. #4005
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- xv. The system infrequently fails to shut down properly and requires a hard power down (initiated by holding the power button until the unit shuts down). When analyzer shut down fails, a small dialog is shown in the upper right hand corner of the screen. The dialog reads: "Resetting VI: Audio.VI". #3834.

D) Versions

System:	1.9.0.1
DMR (MOTOTRBO)	1.1.0.0
Project 25	2.0.0.0
NXDN	1.0.0.0
Application:	1.9.0.0
Dynamic Link Library:	1.0.3.0
Signal Service Provider:	1.36.0.0
Sound Device Interface:	1.0.2.0
Firmware - Control:	1.4.1.0
- Comm	1.4.0.0
- TX	1.6.2.0
- RX	1.2.0.0
- BIOS	1.17.4.0
Operating system:	3.1.15.1

1.9.0.1

A) New Features

- i. N/A

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B) Improvements

- i. A firmware change corrects an issue that resulted in periodic analyzer start up failures.

C) Notes

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- ix. When using the R8-Remote option, the setting of the squelch control on the Analyzer may override the remote knob, thus hindering certain measurements. #3956

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- x. For best results when using the Remote Front Panel (R8-Remote option):
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- xii. In DMR test mode, RF Zone broadband "switch" may toggle between Watt Meter and Input Level when monitoring a high-power radio transmission. The Input Level should be used rather than the Watt Meter, which can vary from the power in the used TDMA slot to 3 dB less due to the null TDMA slots. #4034
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- xiv. METER Zone > Select Meter > General Sequence decoder tone codes may not match expected Tone Standard tone codes. To correct, select ESC > AUDIO Zone > General Sequence Table > Select Tone Standard to indicate the desired Tone Standard to decode. Select ESC > ESC > METER Zone to view results. Decoded tone codes will now match selected Tone Standard. To decode to a different Tone Standard, repeat these steps. This issue will be corrected in the next release. #4402
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D) Versions

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Project 25	2.0.0.0
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- TX	1.6.2.0
- RX	1.2.0.0
- BIOS	1.17.4.0
Operating system:	3.1.15.1

1.9.0.0

A) New Features

- i. General Sequence encoder/decoder as a standard feature supporting up to 20 sequential audio tones.
- ii. P25 Conventional Duplex operation and Voice Frame encode/decode including the network access code (NAC) field.
- iii. P25 Trunking test capabilities (purchased option).

B) Improvements

- i. Power meter calibration improved; requires factory calibration. #4343
- ii. String editor expanded to allow entry of more than 16 characters. Use the left and right arrow keys to scroll the string editor window across strings greater than 16 characters long. #3988
- iii. When capturing screenshots, the accompanying popup message appears only once per analyzer reboot. Corrected certain popup messages which mentioned that the ENTER key dismisses the popup; the Continue or Cancel soft keys are now used exclusively. #4255
- iv. Display Zone > Deviation Average > RMS Average renamed to more appropriate Pwr-Weight Average. #4222
- v. Meter Zone > Select Meter > DC Voltmeter > DC Range > Battery softkey removed. #4243
- vi. Settings > Calibration > Restore Factory Defaults softkey removed along with associated onscreen text. #4344

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- vii. A status bar receive attenuation warning is now functional when the Analyzer is in Tracking Generator or Cable Fault modes. This warning normally indicates when the RF input is oversaturated, resulting in possible degradation of measurement accuracy. #4239
- viii. Output Level now accurate when loaded from a Preset. #3475
- ix. Audio generation settings now accurate when loaded from a Preset. #3475
- x. Default Mod Scope trigger level now 0 kHz. #4135
- xi. When loading a preset, some fields (for instance, Monitor and Generate Frequencies and Spectrum Analyzer Span) units now restored correctly. #3721
- xii. The precision of number fields over 6 decimal places now restored appropriately from preset. #3725
- xiii. Strange Output Level editor keypad entry behavior now corrected. #3711
- xiv. The Audio Zone Generate mode A/B Sequence selection now changes the actual generated tone. #4316
- xv. Demodulation disabled at Spans greater than 158 kHz now a yellow warning message for better visibility. The Display Zone > Demod at Marker function may be used to retrieve demodulated audio in this state. #4336
- xvi. Field calibration frequency points updated providing better input level measurement and output level accuracy below 10 MHz. #4050, #4283
- xvii. During field calibration, corrected possible indefinite hang at beginning of RF Input or during RF Output calibrations. #4256, #4257
- xviii. Oscilloscope defaults for horizontal scale changed to 1 ms and for vertical scale to 1 V. #4345
- xix. Monitor mode data timing stability corrected. Though the incidence is low, on some Analyzers, this issue caused the Spectrum Analyzer to occasionally freeze (stop updating). A reboot would be required to restore proper function. #4104, #3929
- xx. Settings > Messages buffer underflow error message when Spectrum Analyzer span greater than 158 kHz because of enabled demodulation now corrected. #4271

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C) Notes

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- v. To avoid filling the message log, avoid use of the mic while in Monitor mode. #4192
- vi. When the R8-Remote option is installed on system version 1.6.1.0 or newer, a normally hidden window may be seen minimizing toward the lower left corner of the display as the Analyzer powers up. #3818
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Project 25	2.0.0.0
NXDN	1.0.0.0
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A) New Features

- i. Settings > Options > Enter Option Key supports more expedient option changes to systems in the field.
- ii. Spectrum Analyzer Demodulation at the absolute Marker.
- iii. Settings > System Settings > Pre-Amplifier Auto-Off supports disabling the Pre-Amp when the Power Meter is active or when broadband power is detected.
- iv. Screen captures are saved to a USB drive by using the Shift key with the Zone Hot Keys.
- v. Settings > About... > Versions now displays Main and RF PCBA versions.
- vi. Added AM Power Meter switch support for Rev G RF hardware.

B) Improvements.

- i. Message popup screens now use vertical soft keys instead of the ENTER and ESC buttons.
- ii. Markers are improved through addition of variable speed movement and Find Peak frequency delta value updates.
- iii. Settings > Messages improvements include uninterrupted manual scrolling and removal of duplicate message suppression (to fix associated sluggishness).
- iv. Audio Zone high and low pass baseband filter defaults are now 300Hz and 3kHz and the Meter Zone automatic audio Decode filter settings are updated:

Format	Filter Settings (HP;LP)
PL	1Hz; 300Hz
DPL	1Hz; 3 kHz
DTMF	1Hz; 3 kHz
2-Tone	1Hz; 3 kHz
5/6 Tone	1Hz; 3 KHz

- v. RF Input/Output calibration states are now saved correctly. Both are marked "Incomplete" when calibration begins, and each status is individually updated to "Complete" when processing finishes. Calibration data is saved when both processes attain a "Complete" state. If a power loss occurs prior to completion of both calibration processes, on system restart, both calibration states are assigned a status of "Incomplete".
- vi. Output level accuracy is improved for low frequencies (< 50 MHz) and for an un-modulated DMR carrier.

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- vii. Temperature compensation improvements result in better power measurement accuracy.
- viii. The DC Volts meter automatically switches to 1 MegOhm impedance (like AC Volts) if DC Range is Auto or > 10V. To use an impedance of 600 Ohm, set both AC and DC Range to <= 10 V.
- ix. The RF Zone Watt Meter and the Meter Zone Power Meter operate in non-Standard Test modes at larger deviations after using AM modulation in Standard Test Mode.
- x. Mod In/Out port protection against changes from In to Out are improved by changing input voltage detection from > 0.5V to < -0.2 or > 0.2 V.
- xi. RF Zone measurements are enabled, the speaker is un-muted, and message 5007 "Demodulation is disabled for Span values > 158 kHz" is now cleared when using Mod Scope after having used a wide span in the Spec An. Also, Demod Out and the speaker now work even if demodulation is not needed by the display (e.g. Oscilloscope).
- xii. Squelch is now always based on the center frequency Input Level (and never on the broadband Watt Meter).
- xiii. Mod Scope improvements include Trigger Mode "Single" operation, consistent update rate, and uniform decimation at large horizontal scales.
- xiv. Data processing improvements are made for all non-Standard test modes (DMR, P25, NXDN), to reduce latency, increase Monitor and Generate continuity, produce robust operation of Voice Playback (renamed "Voice Loopback"), and to significantly improve various aspects of Analyzer operation when the R8-Remote option is installed or in use.
- xv. Data processing improvements are made in all operational modes (especially Duplex) for both RF and analog ports. This results in better buffer maintenance, greater tolerance to heavy data processing (e.g. Dual Display), reduced interference due to rapid user input, and significant continuity improvements.
- xvi. RF On/Off signal timing improves remove occasional artifacts in the RF signal.
- xvii. Settings > About... shows a correct model number when the R8-NXDN option is enabled.
- xviii. Messages that previously omitted descriptive text and showed only a numeric code now appear in the message log and on the status bar with the text included.
- xix. Various dynamically generated error messages that did not display data needed to understand the message are now properly shown.
- xx. Tone A and Tone B frequency labels now correctly label the value in Hz when the Frequency is edited.

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- xxi. Self-calibration improvements remove issues associated with starting the calibration when the Analyzer is in a non-standard mode (i.e. P25, NXDN, or DMR).
- xxii. An improved Settings > Options... screen layout more clearly maps the Analyzer model number to its installed options.

C) Notes

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D) Versions

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System:                                1.8.0.0

DMR (MOTOTRBO)                        1.1.0.0
Project 25                             1.0.3.0
NXDN™                                  1.0.0.0

Application:                           1.8 0.0
Dynamic Link Library:                  1.0.3.0
Signal Service Provider:                1.35.0.0
Sound Device Interface:                 1.0.2.0
Firmware - Control:                    1.4.1.0
    - Comm                             1.2.0.0
    - TX                               1.6.2.0
    - RX                               1.2.0.0
    - BIOS                             1.17.4.0
Operating system:                       3.1.15.1

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1.7.1.1

A) New Features

- i. This release does not contain new features.

B) Improvements.

- i. Removed an issue where the Spectrum Analyzer noise floor has too high of a baseline, and contains fluctuations over wide span, as observed on a limited number of hardware platforms.

C) Notes

- i. When performing a self-calibration, be sure that the Analyzer is in the standard mode (i.e., not in P25, NXDN or DMR modes).

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- iii. The receiver is presently calibrated only above 10 MHz. A factory re-calibration service will soon be available to users that have a requirement for calibrated receiver measurements below 10MHz.
- iv. When generating an AM signal the actual output level is 6 dB below the setting entered by the operator. This will be fixed by a future software update. Until then, select "FM" in Generate Mode before using the tracking generator.
- v. Tone A and Tone B frequency labels read kHz instead of Hz when the Frequency is edited.
- vi. Some dynamically generated error messages in the Analyzer are not displayed correctly and do not show important information needed to interpret the message properly. For example, on the INSTRUMENT | Spec An page, when a span of greater than 158 MHz is selected, the system should display an error that identifies the 158 MHz maximum. This release, however, truncates the message so that the 158 MHz value is not visible.
- vii. The NXDN™ option is not evident in the Model No. field on the SETTINGS | About... screen even though the option is functional and properly shown on the Settings | Options... screen.
- viii. Certain system messages are displayed incorrectly. The issue is observable upon entry to the SETTINGS | Network Setup... screen when the network interface is disabled (the default at system boot). A system message occurs that contains a numeric code but does not display text needed to effectively describe why it was displayed.
- ix. When a R8-Remote option is installed on system version 1.6.1.0, or newer, a normally hidden window may be seen minimizing toward the lower left corner of the display as the Analyzer powers up.
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- xii. When using the R8-Remote option, the setting of the squelch control on the Analyzer may override the remote knob, thus hindering certain measurements.
- xiii. When using the R8-Remote option, Duplex, Generate, and Mod Out (Monitor) do not work.
- xiv. When a Communications System Analyzer has the R8-Remote option installed, meter and demodulation data is sometimes discontinuous. The issue may also exist on other Analyzers when Duplex Mode or Dual Scope is in use.
- xv. On some Analyzers, the Spectrum Analyzer may occasionally freeze (stop updating). A reboot may be required to restore proper function.

D) Versions

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Project 25	1.0.3.0
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1.7.1.0

A) New Features

- i. Remote Front Panel option (R8-Remote) with updated manual.
- ii. POCSAG radio paging protocol encoder as a standard feature.
- iii. NXDN™ test capabilities (purchased option)

B) Improvements.

- i. Fixed an issue with P25 bit pattern which would allow a TX-only pattern when switched back to Monitor mode
- ii. Improved System>Messages.
 - 1. Prevent the message log from hanging the unit when full (after 1000 messages).
 - 2. Rename the soft keys in message log from "Clear" to "Acknowledge" and "Clear All" to "Delete All".

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3. Various minor functional and aesthetic changes.
 - iii. Fixed spectrum analyzer display freezing.
 - iv. Added 12, 10, and 20 dB marks on the SINAD meter.
 - v. RF Zone Copy Frequency to Generator (in Monitor mode) function button added.
 - vi. RF Zone Copy Frequency to Monitor (in Generate mode) function button added.
 - vii. Improved audio generator tone duration accuracy for:
 1. DPL
 2. DPL Invert
 3. A/B Sequence
 4. 5/6 Tone
 5. Tone A
 6. Tone B
 7. DTMF encoders.
 - viii. DMR (ETSI Digital Mobile Radio) Test Mode (formerly MOTOTRBO™)
 1. Improved testing per Motorola recommendations for R01.06.01 of CPS/Tuner and radio firmware.
 2. Generate silence test pattern with all-call destination and broadcast service option to test speaker noise without having to reprogram radio IDs.
 3. Generate setting for the color code (0-15) eliminates the need to reprogram the radio color code before performing tests.
 4. Generate Audio Test, Sensitivity Test calibration, and execution combined with modulation mode control (Off or Continuous). Consequentially, modulation mode can now be saved as a preset, and operational mode changes do not stop modulation.
 5. Generated test patterns are now reset when a pattern setting is changed so they begin transmission at the first frame of a super frame (burst A).
 6. Monitor and test base station or repeater transmissions.
 7. Monitor display of the slot power (input level) during digital operation when synchronization is locked but insufficient for tuning the high/low power level.
 8. Monitor display of frequency error during digital operation when synchronization is locked but insufficient for tuning the reference oscillator.

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9. Monitor display of the color code of a transmission when synchronization is locked; added the ability to copy it to the Generate setting.
 10. Monitor display of Synchronizations counter, FSK Error, Magnitude Error, and Constellation meter is now automatic even during a BER test, without having to restart the Quality Test.
 11. Monitor display of FSK Error and Magnitude Error are affected by Settings, System Settings, Measurement Averaging and Averaging Samples.
 12. Monitor display of synchronization counter is now updated in real time.
 13. Monitor display of BER test pattern name (O.153).
 14. Automatic change from an unsupported operation or instrument test to a supported mode, and correct display on switch from Generate.
 15. Protocol version is not cleared when loading a preset.
 16. Spectrum Analyzer span is not reduced unnecessarily for Generate testing.
 17. Various user interface improvements: the test zone is more consistent with the rest of the user interface, including soft key names and unit labels; an indication is given when the Constellation meter is disabled for Generate testing; the test mode, option, and protocol are now named DMR since MOTOTRBO™ is fully compliant with European Telecommunications Standards Institute (ETSI) Digital Mobile Radio (DMR) Tier 2. The option name is now R8-DMR with backward compatible recognition of R8-TRBO. A Brand setting may be changed between MOTOTRBO™ and Other, for future use.
- ix. Corrected PL encoder code M5 = 233.6 Hz. Previously it had been 223.6 Hz.
 - x. The POCSAG Alpha-numeric character set now includes a backslash '\ character.
 - xi. The POCSAG default baud rate has changed to 1200 bps from 512 bps. 1200 bps is more common in field use.
 - xii. Various critical system data files are now protected by a failure detection and recovery system.

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- xiii. System version 1.6.1.0 and later was extensively tested to determine the status of a long-standing issue related to catastrophic failure of the Analyzer when a surprise power-loss event occurred during system boot. The tests show that the Analyzer is no longer vulnerable to catastrophic failure when power is suddenly lost during startup. The improvement occurred prior to the introduction of system version 1.6.1.0, but the releases had not been tested specifically for this issue. This improvement does not remove the possibility of catastrophic failure when power is lost during a software upgrade operation.

C) Notes

- i. RF Output Port accuracy is ± 1 dB when the Monitor Port is set to RF Input. If the Monitor Port is set to Antenna, RF Output Port accuracy is +3dB. To mitigate this problem the software automatically switches the Monitor Port to RF Input when the user selects Generate Mode and restores to the user selected port when the user selects Monitor Mode. This does not address operation in Duplex Mode. An upcoming enhancement will improve accuracy to +1dB irrespective of Monitor Port selection.
- ii. The receiver is presently calibrated only above 10 MHz. Calibrated receiver measurements below 10MHz will soon be available via factory recalibration for users with this requirement.
- iii. When generating an AM signal the actual output level is 6 dB below the setting entered by the operator. This will be fixed by a future software update. Until then, select "FM" in Generate Mode before using the tracking generator.
- iv. When performing a self-calibration, be sure that the R8000 is in the standard mode (i.e., not in P25, NXDN or DMR modes).
- v. Tone A and Tone B frequency labels read kHz instead of Hz when the Frequency is edited.
- vi. Certain dynamically generated error messages in the R8000 application are not displayed correctly and do not show important information needed to interpret the message properly. For example, on the INSTRUMENT | Spec An page, when a span of greater than 158 MHz is selected, the system should display an error that identifies the 158 MHz maximum. This release, however, truncates the message so that the 158 MHz value is not visible.
- vii. The NXDN™ option is not evident in the Model No. field on the SETTINGS | About... screen even though the option is functional and properly shown on the Settings | Options... screen.

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- viii. Certain settings messages are displayed incorrectly. The easiest way to observe the issue is to enter SETTINGS | Network Setup... when the network interface is disabled (the default at system boot). A numeric code is displayed without descriptive text.
- ix. As of system version 1.6.1.0, when a Communication Systems Analyzer initializes after power up, a visible animation occurs as a hidden window that minimizes toward the lower left corner of the display when the Remote Front Panel option (R8-Remote) is installed.

D) Versions

System:	1.7.1.0
DMR (MOTOTRBO)	1.1.0.0
Project 25	1.0.3.0
NXDN™	1.0.0.0
Application:	1.7 1.0
Dynamic Link Library:	1.0.3.0
Signal Service Provider:	1.34.2.0
Sound Device Interface:	1.0.1.0
Firmware - Control:	1.4.0.0
- Comm	1.3.0.0
- TX	1.6.0.0
- RX	1.2.0.0
- BIOS	1.17.4.0
Operating system:	3.1.15.1

1.6.1.0

A) New Features

- i. P25 Conventional (C4FM) test capabilities (purchased option)
 1. Ability to Generate and Receive bit test patterns for V.52, 1011 Hz, and others.
 2. BER test measurement
 3. Symbol deviation and Modulation Fidelity measurements.
 4. An eye pattern diagram is now available in the Display Zone.
 5. Ability to test radio transmit and receive using the voice playback feature.

B) Improvements

C) Cable Fault Analyzer fixes to calibration routine and general user interface.

D) Improved measurement averaging for AC volt meter.

E) Notes

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- i. If a modulated AM signal is detected, Power Meter accuracy tolerance will automatically be changed for optimal precision. To get the typical power meter accuracy, use the meter with 0% AM modulation.
- ii. As of system version 1.6.1.0, when a Communication Systems Analyzer initializes after power up, a visible animation occurs as a hidden window that minimizes toward the lower left corner of the display when the Remote Front Panel option (R8-Remote) is installed.

F) Versions

Application:	1.6 1.0
Dynamic Link Library:	1.0.2.0
Signal Service Provider:	1.34.1.0
Sound Device Interface:	1.0.1.0
Firmware - Control:	1.4.0.0
- Comm	1.2.0.0
- TX	1.5.0.0
- RX	1.2.0.0
- BIOS	1.17.4.0
Operating system:	3.1.15.1
MOTOTRBO™	1.0.1.0
Project 25	1.0.3.0

1.5.3.0

A) Improvements

B) In Generate mode, the RF Zone Output Level upper limits for AM have been changed from +5dBm to -1dBm (RF Gen Out) and -30dBm to -36dBm (RF In/Out) to accommodate peak power levels. The output level indicates the carrier power of the AM signal.

C) Increase user interface responsiveness and processing efficiency for overall operation of application version 1.3.2.0 when the Remote Front Panel (R8-Remote) option is enabled.

D) Power Meter improvements

E) Units in Watts instead of dBm.

F) Temperature characterization for better accuracy.

G) Update system

1. End-user feedback enhancements.

H) Versions

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Application:	1.4.1.0
Signal Service Provider:	1.34.1.0
Sound Device Interface:	1.0.1.0
Firmware - Control:	1.4.0.0
- Comm	1.2.0.0
- TX	1.5.0.0
- RX	1.2.0.0
- BIOS	1.17.4.0
Operating system:	3.1.15.1
Communications Protocols	
- MOTOTRBO™	1.0.1.0
- Project 25	1.0.1.0

1.4.0.0

Pre-release; limited distribution.

A) New Features

- i. OEM brand support.
- ii. Boot splash screens no longer contain brand-specific markings.
- iii. Product background screen customization support added.

B) Improvements

- i. RF Input saturation detection. A warning message is now presented if the system detects an RF overload instructing the user to increase the attenuation. Measurements are dashed out under these conditions.
- ii. The “Squelch Open @” indicator improvements:
 1. Accurate after startup without having to touch the squelch knob.
 2. Accurate when moving the squelch knob quickly to the full clockwise or full counter-clockwise positions.
- iii. Allow user to set the tracking generator span to 1 Hz using the soft key editor.
- iv. MOTOTRBO™ Professional Digital Two-Way Radio System, Test option version 1.0.1.0:
 1. Audio Test (1031 Hz tone) changed from Destination ID 61235 with no Service Options to All Call with Broadcast Service Option. Consequently, the destination ID of the radio no longer needs to be reprogrammed (though its color code must be 14). Incidentally, radios now report Source ID 00000000 rather than 16777016.
- v. Update system to make software updates easier to perform.
 1. While preparing a USB drive to update a Communications System Analyzer, an error message is now shown if a problem occurs during the preparation process. Previously, the preparation could silently fail. This could lead to a number of different errors if the

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improperly prepared device was used to update the Communications System Analyzer.

2. "Search for Updates" now discriminates between updates designed for the current system version and those that are not. The prior implementation could erroneously find an update for a different system version, and if such an update was found, the operator could elect to apply and process it (though the system was not modified).
 3. Update automation is improved by implementing an automatic reboot, instead of a shut down, when the operator chooses to apply an update.
 4. An "Upgrade in progress..." message is now shown during the apply process.
- vi. The system BIOS is reconfigured to use a spread spectrum clock configuration to support CE certification.

C) Versions

Application:	1.3.2.0
Signal Service Provider:	1.34.1.0
Sound Device Interface:	1.0.1.0
Firmware - Control:	1.4.0.0
- Comm	1.2.0.0
- TX	1.5.0.0
- RX	1.2.0.0
- BIOS	1.17.4.0
Operating system:	3.1.15.0
Communications Protocols	
- MOTOTRBO™	1.0.1.0

1.3.1.0

A) New Features

- i. Cable Fault Analyzer
- ii. RF Scan Meter
- iii. Measurement averaging for the following data: Deviation, Frequency Error, AC\DC Volts, Internal\External Distortion, and SINAD. Located on the Settings->System Settings menu.

B) Improvements

- i. Corrected issue in Tracking Generator that required Generate Mode to be selected first.

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- ii. Improved squelch and added squelch open indicator shows at what level signals will break squelch. This is available on all spectrum analyzer and modulation scope screens (found in lower right corner just under vertical soft keys).
- iii. Added indication of recommended maximum input on oscilloscope instruments based on the horizontal scale selected due to aliasing at certain scales and levels.
- iv. Corrected issues with the Mod In/Out port selection.
- v. Corrected issue that reset Monitor Port to RF In\Out when changing operating modes.
- vi. Corrected RF In/Out LED operation.
- vii. Re-ordered the spectrum analyzer selections to group Center Marker, Find Peak, and Center Peak together for operational efficiency.

C) Versions

Application:	1.3.0.0
Signal Service Provider:	1.34.0.0
Sound Device Interface:	1.0.1.0
Firmware - Control:	1.3.0.0
- Comm	1.1.0.0
- TX	1.4.0.0
- RX	1.1.0.0
- BIOS	1.17.3.0
Operating system:	3.1.14.0
Communications Protocols	
- MOTOTRBO™	1.0.0.0

1.2.0.0

A) New Features

B) Tracking Generator (for units equipped with R8-TG)

- i. Oscilloscope Display and Instrument selections
- ii. Frequency Counter Meter

C) Improvements

- i. Enabled MOD In/Out Port protection
- ii. Enable audio capabilities when in the Modulation scopes regardless of Spectrum Analyzer Span.

D) Versions

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Application:	1.2.0.0
Signal Service Provider:	1.33.0.0
Sound Device Interface:	1.0.1.0
Firmware - Control:	1.3.0.0
- Comm	1.1.0.0
- TX	1.4.0.0
- RX	1.1.0.0
- BIOS	1.17.3.0
Operating system:	3.1.14.0
Communications Protocols	
- MOTOTRBO™	1.0.0.0

1.1.3.0

End user update to enable 3 GHz capability.

A) Improvements

- i. Signal Service Provider reliability.

B) Versions

Application:	1.1.3.0
Signal Service Provider:	1.32.1.1
Sound Device Interface:	1.0.1.0
Firmware - Control:	1.2.0.0
- Comm	1.0.0.0
- TX	1.4.0.0
- RX	1.0.0.0
- BIOS	1.17.3.0
Operating system:	3.1.14.0
Communications Protocols	
- MOTOTRBO™	1.0.0.0

1.1.2.0

Factory update to 3 GHz capability.

A) New Features

- i. Initial factory support for the 3 GHz expanded operating range.

B) Versions

Application:	1.1.2.0
Signal Service Provider:	1.32.1.0
Sound Device Interface:	1.0.1.0
Firmware - Control:	1.2.0.0
- Comm	1.0.0.0
- TX	1.4.0.0
- RX	1.0.0.0
- BIOS	1.17.3.0
Operating system:	3.1.14.0
Communications Protocols	
- MOTOTRBO™	0.9.0.0

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Update system maintenance.

A) Versions

Application:	1.1.0.0
Signal Service Provider:	1.32.0.0
Sound Device Interface:	1.0.0.0
Firmware - Control:	1.2.0.0
- Comm	1.0.0.0
- TX	1.4.0.0
- RX	1.0.0.0
- BIOS	1.17.3.0
Operating system:	3.1.14.0
Communications Protocols	
- MOTOTRBO™	0.9.0.0

1.1.0.0

The initial public release of the R8000 Communications System Analyzer.

A) Versions

Application:	1.1.0.0
Signal Service Provider:	1.32.0.0
Sound Device Interface:	1.0.0.0
Firmware - Control:	1.2.0.0
- Comm	1.0.0.0
- TX	1.4.0.0
- RX	1.0.0.0
- BIOS	1.17.3.0
Operating system:	3.1.14.0
Communications Protocols	
- MOTOTRBO™	0.9.0.0

