

Yaesu FT-70D Cheat Sheet



Lock/Unlock the Keypad

Press [**PWR**] momentarily to toggle between **LOCK** and **UNLOCK**

Setting the Transmit Power Level

Press [**F**] momentarily then [**1/TX PO**] and rotate the [**DIAL**] to set the power output **LOW- 0.5 W**, **MID- 2 W**, **HIGH- 5W**. Press [**PTT**] or [**F**] to save the setting

Check Battery Voltage:

Access **SetMenu** (Press and hold "**F**", rotate [**Dial**]) to **12 DC VLT** to display the battery voltage.

*Press [**PTT**] to check voltage drop while transmitting.*

Press "**F**" for 1 sec to return to normal operations.

Direct Keypad Frequency Entry

Press [**V/M**] to select **VFO** mode

Enter Frequency

Tuning Dial to set the Frequency:

1. Go to **VFO Mode** (Press [**V/M**] to select **VFO Mode**)

2. Rotate [**DIAL**] to change frequency

*To change the frequency in 1 MHz steps, press [**F**] to enter **MHz tuning mode***

3. Press [**F**] again to exit **1 MHz mode**.

Verify repeater Shift (Offset) Direction:

*Normally, when **ARS** (Automatic Repeater Shift) has been enabled, via **SetMenu 45 RPT.ARS**, the transmit offset frequency and direction for the 2M and 70CM bands is automatically set.*

After setting the repeater output frequency, check the top of the display and verify that the offset direction is correct, **-** or **+** (neither for simplex).

Setting the repeater Access Mode and Tone:

1. To be able to set the tone mode, press [**F**] and the [**5/SQ TYP**].

2. Rotate [**DIAL**] to select one of the following;

OFF – Don't transmit any tones or codes

TONE – Enables sending the repeater access CTCSS (Continuous Tone-Coded Squelch System) tone

TSQL – Sends the CTCSS tone and activates CTCSS tone squelch

DCS – Transmit a DCS code. (Digital Coded Squelch)

3. Press **[PTT]** or **[F]** to save setting and exit the squelch type menu.
4. To set the **Tone Frequency** or **DCS Code**, press **[F]** and the **[6/CODE]**.
5. Rotate **[DIAL]** to select a tone frequency or a 3-digit DCS code.
6. Press **[PTT]** or **[F]** to save setting and exit the code menu.

Recall Memory Channel:

VFO Mode – press **[V/M]** to enter memory mode (channel number showing)

Memory Mode – Rotate **[DIAL]** to select the desired memory channel.

Labeling memory Channels:

1. After saving frequency to a memory channel
2. Recall the memory to be named
3. To create a label, rotate **[DIAL]** or use keypad to enter characters (Press **[MODE]** to back up and **[BAND]** to advance, pressing **[GM]** erases all characters after the cursor).
4. When complete, press **[V/M]** for **1 sec** to save the label.

Storing Frequencies Into Memory

1. Enter Frequency
2. Press **[V/M]** to select **VFO** mode
3. Enter the frequency via the keypad by pressing 6 digits in sequence.
4. Press **[V/M]** for 1 Second to enter the Memory Storage Mode, “**F**” icon and the next available “empty” memory channel number will be displayed and blinking.
5. Rotate **[DIAL]** to select a memory channel to be used for storage.
6. Press **[V/M]** to save

Assign channel to a Memory Bank:

1. In Memory Mode mode, recall a channel to be assigned to a memory bank.
2. Press and hold **[V/M]** for 1 sec, rotate **[DIAL]** to select a memory bank, select Ban.
3. Press **[V/M]** to save channel number to the selected memory bank

Recall Memory Channels in Memory Bank Mode:

In Memory Bank Mode, memory channel selection is limited to channels assigned to the selected Memory Bank

1. In **VFO Mode**, press **[V/M]** to enter **Memory Mode**.

*Pressing **[BAND]** toggles between **Bank Mode** and regular channel mode.

2. To select a different Bank, press **[F]** and the **[BAND]** and the rotate **[DIAL]**.
3. Once the desired bank has been selected, press the **[BAND]** key again.
4. Now rotate **[DIAL]** to select channels assigned to the selected Bank.

Exiting Memory Bank Mode:

Press **[BAND]** to exit Bank mode, returning to normal **MR** mode.

Displaying Memory Names:

Press **[F]** and then press **[MODE]** to alternate between displaying frequency or memory channel label.

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Clearing Memory Channel:

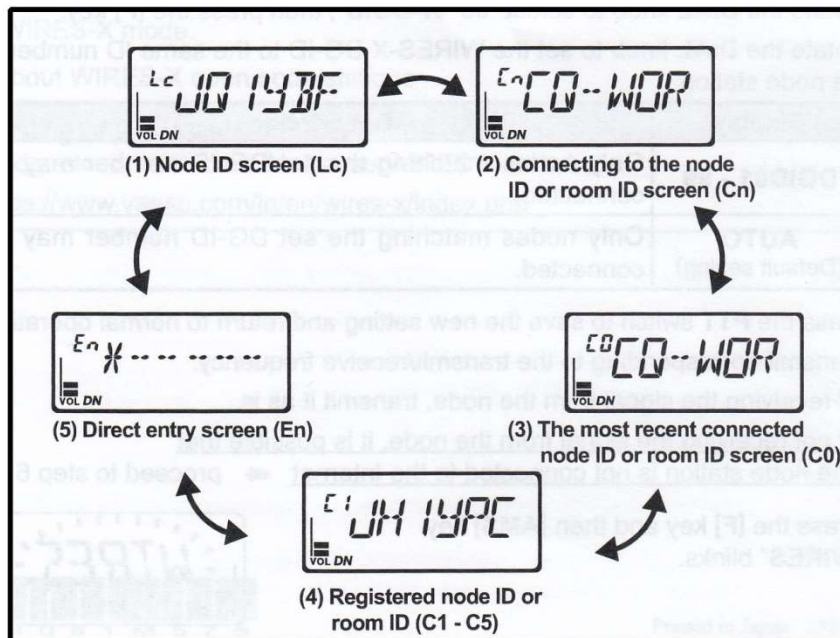
1. Press **[V/M]** to enter memory mode then press **[V/M]** for **1 sec.**
2. While “F” Is blinking, rotate **[DIAL]** to select memory to be erased.
3. Press **[AMS]**, and when “M-MSK?” Is displayed, press **[AMS]** again.

Activating Wires-X:

1. Press **[F]** to and then press **[AMS]**. You will see this screen:



2. After you see  on the screen, rotate **[DIAL]** to select your desired Wires option as shown in this screen:



3. Rotate **[Dial]** to select from the above options and then push **[AMS]** to pick it.
4. To exit Wires-X mode push the **[Mode]** button for longer than 1 second.

Storing Wires-X Memory Channel:

1. While in the Cn Screen, press and hold a number key from **[1-5]** to enter that room into a memory slot.
2. Entering a Wires-X room into 1 of the 5 Wires-X memory channels that already has an entry will cause the previous entry to be overwritten.