
TB7100 base station

Specifications Manual



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Preface

Scope of Manual

Welcome to the TB7100 Base Station Specifications Manual. This manual provides general, performance and physical specifications for the TB7100 base station.

Enquiries and Comments

If you have any enquiries regarding this manual, or any comments, suggestions and notifications of errors, please contact Technical Support (refer to “Tait Contact Information” on page 2).

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Associated Documentation

MBB-00001-01 TB7100 Installation and Operation Manual.

MBB-00003-01 TB7100 Installation Guide.

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1 System Specifications

This chapter provides specifications pertaining to the TB7100 base station. You will find the specifications for receiver and transmitter modules in separate chapters in this manual.

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Product Code	Description
TBB <u>cd</u> e	cd = frequency band A4 = 66-88MHz (Later release) B1 = 136-174MHz C0 = 174-225MHz (Later release) D1 = 216-266MHz (Later release) H5 = 400-470MHz H6 = 450-530MHz H7 = 450-520MHz
TBBc <u>d</u> e	e = other compliance attributes A= 25W, level 1 digital architecture B= 35W-50W C= 25W, level 2 digital architecture D= 35W-50W, level 2 digital architecture E= 25W, level 3 digital architecture F= 35W-50W, level 3 digital architecture

Example:

TBBB1A = TB7100, 136MHz-174MHz, 25W, Level 1 digital architecture.

1.1 General

Supply

Supply Voltage

Operating Voltage	10.5 VDC to 16 VDC
Standard Test Voltage	12 VDC
Polarity	negative earth only
Fuse	20 A blade fuse

Power Consumption @ 13.8 VDC

System Condition	25 W		40 W		50 W	
	Current (Amps)	Power (watts)	Current (Amps)	Power (watts)	Current (Amps)	Power (watts)
Transmitting into VSWR = 5: 1	8.1	112	10.9	150	12.4	171
Receive only with 2 watts into speaker	0.54	7.45	0.54	7.45	0.54	7.45
Receive RF signal with no audio	0.38	5.24	0.38	5.24	0.38	5.24
Receive with no RF signal	0.28	3.86	0.28	3.86	0.28	3.86

Power Consumption Band B1, 25 W*

*Transmitting into 50 Ω load

RF Power Setting (watts)	Current (Amps)	Power (watts)
26	5.7	79
12	3.9	54
5	2.8	39
1	1.7	23

Power Consumption Band B1, 50 W*

*Transmitting into 50 Ω load

RF Power Setting (watts)	Current (Amps)	DC Power (watts)
52	9.9	137
26	6.8	94
15	5.4	75
10	4.6	63

Power Consumption Band H5, 25 W*

*Transmitting into 50 Ω load

RF Power Setting (watts)	Current (Amps)	DC Power (watts)
26	6.3	87
12	4.3	59
5	3.1	43
1	1.9	26

Power Consumption Band H5, 40 W*

*Transmitting into 50 Ω load

RF Power Setting (watts)	Current (Amps)	DC Power (watts)
42	8.2	113
21	5.6	77
15	4.9	68
10	4.1	57

Power Consumption Band H6, 25 W*

*Transmitting into 50 Ω load

RF Power Setting (watts)	Current (Amps)	DC Power (watts)
26	6.5	90
12	4.4	61
5	3.1	43
1	1.9	26

Power Consumption Band H7, 40 W*

*Transmitting into 50 Ω load

RF Power Setting (watts)	Current (Amps)	DC Power (watts)
42	8.2	113
21	5.6	77
15	4.9	68
10	4.1	57

Transmitting into 5:1 VSWR*

*(Worst case phase and frequency)

Power Option	Current (Amps)	DC Power (watts)
25 W	8.1	112
40 W	10.9	150
50 W	12.4	171

Channel Data

System Types	talk through repeater line controlled base data repeater
Frequency Range	
25 or 50 watts	B1 136 MHz to 174 MHz (VHF)
25 or 40 watts	H5 400 MHz to 470 MHz (UHF)
25 watts	H6 450 MHz to 530 MHz (UHF)
40 watts	H7 450 MHz to 520 MHz (UHF)
Number of Channels	100
Channel Spacing	
Narrow Bandwidth	12.5 kHz
Mid Bandwidth	20 kHz
Wide Bandwidth	25 kHz
Frequency Increment	6.25 kHz 5.00 kHz
Frequency Stability	± 1.5 ppm

Environmental

Operating Temperature Range	– 30°C to + 60°C (– 22°F to + 140°F) ambient temperature* *ambient temperature is defined as the temperature of the air at the intake to the cooling fan
Cooling	forced air over heatsink via dual fans mounted in tray
Fan Temperature Threshold Range*	+40°C to +80°C
*Internally adjusted via potentiometer	

Physical

Dimensions

Height	43.5 mm (1U)
Width	436 mm (482.6 mm with 19 in rack mounting bracket)
Depth	400mm (excluding connectors)

Weight*

25W Base Station*	6 kg (13.23 lb.)
With Duplexer Fitted	7 Kg (15.43 lb.)

*No duplexer or AC supply

Finish	powdercoated in black texture (to Tait specification A4M4029)
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MTBF	$\geq 20,000$ hours (estimated)
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Connectors

RF Input	N-type female (removed if duplexer fitted)
RF Output	N-type female
13.8 VDC Input	2 way, 25A terminal block
System Interface	25 pin D-range
Serial Interface	9 pin D-range
Microphone/ Programming	RJ45 8 way

Display	2 digit 7 segment LCD
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Isolation

Coaxial Changeover Relay Isolation	when the base station is used in simplex mode using a single antenna with a coaxial changeover relay, the isolation of this relay must be ≥ 40 dB
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1.2 Compliance

RF Compliance	Specification
Europe	EN 300 086-2
Europe	EN 300 113-2
Australia and New Zealand	AS4295
FCC USA	CFR 47 Part:15, 22 and 90
Industry Canada	RSS-119
Hong Kong	HKTA 1002
Hong Kong	HKTA 1004
Singapore	IDA TS101
Singapore	IDA TS107

EMC Compliance	Specification
Emissions	EN 301 489
FCC USA	CFR 47 Part:15

Environmental Compliance	Specification
Humidity	IEC60068-2-30 (Damp Heat)
Vibration	Mil-Std-810F 514.5
Shock	Mil-Std-810F 516.5

Safety Compliance	Specification
Safety	BS EN 60950-1 ANSI/UL Std. 60950 CAN/CSA-C22.2 No. 60950-00 AS/NZS 60950 and ACATS001

1.3 System Interface

General

RSSI Output

Output Impedance	1 k Ω
Output Level Range	offset 600 mV, then 25 mV/dB from –120 to –50 dBm
Accuracy	± 300 mV
Response Time	≤ 10 ms
RF Input Range	– 115 dBm to – 50 dBm

Rx Gate Output

Low Voltage Level	< 0.4 V
High Voltage Level	< 30 V
Low Level Sink Current	< 250 mA
High Level Leakage Current	< 100 μ A
Activated:	
Open collector, active low	valid carrier received via RF input
Sink up to 250mA	
Deactivated:	
Floating	no carrier received via RF input
Protection	33 V zener to ground

Tx Key Input

Low Input Voltage	≤ 2 V (TXKEY = activated)
High Input Voltage	≥ 5 V (TXKEY = de-activated)
Input Hysteresis	$\cong 3$ V
Input Resistance	≥ 10 k Ω
Maximum External Pull-up Voltage	≤ 20 V
Internal Pull-up Voltage	9 V (via 10 k Ω)

Tx Relay Output

Typical On Voltage	< 0.4 V
Maximum On Input Current	≥ 250 mA
Maximum Off Voltage	< 30 V

System Relay output

Internal Bias	none
Drive	open collector active low Z
Peak load current	Sink up to 250 mA
Resistance	35 Ω max
Protection	33 V zener to ground

Digital Output

High	≥ 3.1 V (no load)
Low	<0.6 V (10mA sink)
Internal Bias	pull up to 3.3 V via 33 k Ω
Protection	RC, diode clamps to 3.3 V and ground

Digital Input

High Threshold	≥ 2.0 V (deactivated)
Low Threshold	≤ 0.8 V (activated)
Internal Bias	pull up to 3.3 V via 33 k Ω
Low Level Output Current	<100 mA
Protection	RC, diode clamps to 3.3 V and ground

General (Continued)

Opto-coupler Input

Control Current	$> \pm 9 \text{ mA to } 11.8 \text{ mA}$
Control Voltage	$> \pm 10 \text{ V}$
Control Voltage*	$< \pm 60 \text{ V}$

*with active current regulator

Opto-coupler Output

Peak Voltage	$\pm 100 \text{ V}$
Resistance (On)	35Ω
Peak Load Current	$\pm 120 \text{ mA}$

Line Output - Balanced

Output Level Range	$-20 \text{ dBm to } +3 \text{ dBm}$
Output Impedance	600Ω
Maximum Output Level	$+8 \text{ dBm at } 100\% \text{ system deviation, output level distortion } \geq 5\%$
Return Loss $\geq 20 \text{ dB}$	
Distortion*	
De-emphasised	$\leq 2 \%$
Flat	$\leq 4 \%$ (NB)
	$\leq 2 \%$ (WB)

*at -70 dBm signal level

Adjustable via rear panel potentiometer for 60% system deviation

Line Output - Unbalanced

Output Impedance	220Ω
Output Level Range	$220 \text{ mV peak to peak to } 3 \text{ V peak to peak DC blocked into } 10 \text{ k}\Omega$

Adjustable via rear panel potentiometer for 60% system deviation

Line Input - Balanced

transformer isolated

Input Level Range*	$-20 \text{ dBm to } +6 \text{ dBm}$ (path, Tap R4) $-16 \text{ dBm to } -4 \text{ dBm}$ (path, AUX MIC, used for trunking)
Impedance	600Ω balanced
Return Loss	$\geq 20 \text{ dB}$

*60% modulation at 1 kHz

Adjustable via rear panel potentiometer for 60% system deviation

Line Input - Unbalanced

Input Level Range	$220 \text{ mV peak to peak to } 3 \text{ V peak to peak DC blocked}$
Impedance	$> 10 \text{ k}\Omega$

*60% modulation at 1 kHz

Adjustable via rear panel potentiometer for 60% system deviation

2 Receiver Specifications

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Bandwidth

The terms “narrow bandwidth”, “mid bandwidth” and “wide bandwidth” used in this chapter are defined in the following table.

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Narrow Bandwidth (NB)	12.5 kHz	± 2.5 k Hz	7.5 kHz
Mid Bandwidth (MB)	20 kHz	± 4 kHz	12 kHz
Wide Bandwidth (WB)	25 kHz	± 5.0 kHz	15.0 kHz

Sensitivity and distortion figures are stated for standard operating conditions which includes audio de-emphasis. Note that the sensitivity, distortion and signal-to-noise figures will be degraded when flat audio is selected.

Identifying the Receiver

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XMADab-cd <u>ee</u>	ee denotes radio options 02 = transmitter 03 = receiver

Receiver RF Section

Frequency Bands

A4 Band	66 MHz to 88 MHz (Later release)
B1 Band	136 MHz to 174 MHz
C0 Band	174 MHz to 225 MHz (Later release)
D1 Band	216 MHz to 226 MHz (Later release)
H5 Band	400 MHz to 470 MHz
H6 Band	450 MHz to 530 MHz
H7 Band	450 MHz to 520 MHz

Frequency Increments

H Band*	5 kHz and 6.25 kHz
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*Channel offsets of half these values can be programmed

Switching Range	continuous over full frequency range
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Input Load Impedance	50 Ω nominal (VSWR <2:1)
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RF Input Protection	no degradation after 5 minutes exposure to on-channel signals at + 27 dBm (2.2 V)
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Frequency Stability	± 1.5 ppm – 30°C to + 60°C (– 22°F to + 140°F)
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RSSI	– 115 dBm to – 50 dBm 0.5 V to 2.5 V, approx. 25mV/dB
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Sensitivity*

12 dB $SINAD$ NBFM, MBFM, WBFM	
Max RF level	–115 dBm
Typical RF level	–117 dBm

20 dB $SINAD$ NBFM, MBFM, WBFM**	
Max RF level	–112 dBm
Typical RF level	–114 dBm

BER $\leq 5\%$, NB FFSK, MB FFSK, WB FFSK	
Max RF level	–115 dBm
Typical RF level	–117 dBm

BER $\leq 1\%$, NB THSD, MB THSD and WB THSD	
Max RF level	–110 dBm
Typical RF level	–112 dBm

* At 25°C, 750 μ s de-emphasis, 2dB degradation at extremes of operational temperature range and frequency band

** Psophometric weighting

Receiver RF Section (Continued)

Ultimate Signal-to-Noise Ratio*

NBFM	40 dB
MBFM	41 dB
WBFM	43 dB

*Max RF level –47 dBm (EIA)

Selectivity	ETS 136 MHz to 174 MHz	ETS 175 MHz to 530 MHz
Narrow Bandwidth	68 dB	68 dB
Mid Bandwidth	75 dB	73 dB
Wide Bandwidth	80 dB	75 dB

Signal Displacement Bandwidth > 40% of the rated system deviation (EIA 603B)

Spurious Response Attenuation ≥ 73 dB (ETSI)
*AGC switched off in H band Receiver

Intermodulation 3rd order immunity* >70 dB (ETSI)

*Unwanted signals spaced at least 25kHz and 50kHz away

Blocking Rejection (Blocking Ratio)

1 – 10 MHz ≥ 84 dB (ETSI)

Co-channel Rejection

Narrow Bandwidth	– 12 dB
Mid Bandwidth	– 8 dB
Wide Bandwidth	– 8 dB

Amplitude Characteristic* ≤ 3 dB (ETSI)

*RF Input Level –107 dBm to –13 dBm

Radiated Spurious Emissions

Transmit	
Radiated	< – 36 dBm EIRP to 1 GHz < – 30 dBm 1 GHz to 4 GHz
Standby	
Conducted	< – 57 dBm 9 kHz to 1GHz < – 47 dBm 1GHz to 12.75 GHz
Radiated	< – 57 dBm EIRP to 1 GHz < – 47 dBm EIRP 1 GHz to 4 GHz
Transmit and Operating extremes*	< – 30 dBm 9 kHz to 2.9 GHz

*(AS4295)

Receiver Audio Section - Gating Operation

Gating Settings

Country	8 dB _{SINAD}
City	12 dB _{SINAD}
Hard	20 dB _{SINAD}

SINAD Gating

Opening Level	8 dB to 20 dB _{SINAD}
Accuracy	± 2 dB (at extremes)
Opening Point SINAD Variation with Receiver Bandwidth	hard 3 dB _{SINAD} , city 2 dB _{SINAD} , country 2 dB _{SINAD}
RF Hysteresis	
RF Hysteresis Variation at Extremes	2 dB _{RF} (min.)
Modulation Desense No Carrier Offset	2 dB _{RF} (min.)
Nominal	70% (min.) full scale deviation
Variation at Extremes	65% (min.) full scale deviation
Modulation Desense with Carrier Offset (NB 1.5 kHz, MB 2.0 kHz, WB 2.5 kHz)	
Nominal	70% (min.) full scale deviation
Variation at Extremes	65% (min.) full scale deviation
Adjacent Channel Selectivity	mute operates as in absence of adjacent channel signal
Susceptibility to Broadband Noise	30 dB _{RF} (min.)
Variation at Extremes	25 dB _{RF} (min.)
EIA-603 Opening Time **	60 ms (max.)
Variation at Extremes	75 ms (max.)
Noise Mute Opening Time***	20 ms (max.)
Variation at Extremes	25 ms (max.)
EIA-603 Closing Time	must not close

**EIA times refer to the audio paths

***Noise mute opening times refer to the receiver gate signal

RSSI Gating (RSSI Mute)

Attack Time	<2.5 ms (from no signal to the country threshold)
Decay Time	<2.5 ms (from -50 dBm to no signal)
Settings	country, -115 dBm, city -113 dBm, hard -107 dBm

Receiver Inhibit

High Level Threshold	≥2.0 V (Deactivated)
Low Level Threshold	≤0.8 V (Activated)
Internal Bias	pull up to 3.3 V via 4.7 kΩ
Protection	RC, diode clamps to 3.3 V and ground

Rx Gate Relay Output

Internal Bias	none
Drive	opto-isolated, active low Z
Peak Load Current	± 120 mA
Resistance	35 Ω max
Protection	30 V Zener

Receiver Audio Section - Gating Operation (Continued)

Tone on Idle

Frequency	1.3 kHz to 2.5 kHz adjustable via internal potentiometer
Level*	–14 dB to +3 dB relative to the nominal line output level
Activation	Internal jumper settings

* Adjusting nominal line level shall not alter the relative level of the tone

Receiver Audio Section - General

Outputs Available	speaker output via user interface balanced and unbalanced line outputs via system interface board (see "System Interface" on page 13)
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Frequency Response	flat or de-emphasised (750 μ s) on balanced output flat on unbalanced output
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De-emphasised Response

Bandwidth	300 Hz to 3 kHz (NB) 300 Hz to 2.8 kHz (MB) 300 Hz to 2.55 kHz (WB)
Response	within ± 3 dB of a – 6 dB / octave de-emphasis curve (ref. 1 kHz)

Flat Response	Balanced Audio	Unbalanced Audio
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Response	within ± 3 dB of a – 6 dB / octave de-emphasis curve (ref. 1 kHz)	within ± 3 dB of output level at 1 kHz

Bulk Delay

Receiver*	
Audio Tap Out R2	≤ 2.5 ms
Audio Tap Out R4	≤ 7.5 ms
Talk Through Repeater**	≤ 20 ms

*from antenna to audio output

**from antenna input to antenna output

Receiver Audio Section - General (Continued)

Group Delay / Variation*

Receiver	$\leq 10 \mu\text{s}$ peak to peak 300 Hz to 3.4 kHz (WB) $\leq 10 \mu\text{s}$ peak to peak 300 Hz to 2.25 kHz (NB)
Talk Through Repeater	$\leq 50 \mu\text{s}$ peak to peak 300 Hz to 3.4 kHz (WB) $\leq 50 \mu\text{s}$ peak to peak 300 Hz to 2.25 kHz (NB)

*at -70dBm, 60% deviation flat full band response, applies to balanced and un balanced audio and is at Tap in T12 and Tap out R2

Speaker Output (via User Interface)

Power	4 W maximum
Speaker Impedance	16 Ω nominal
Distortion*	$\leq 3\%$ total harmonic distortion at 1 kHz, 0.35 W, 16 Ω
Signal to Noise Ratio**	≥ 35 dB
Mute Ratio**	> 60 dB

* at -70dBm signal level, de-emphasis selected

** WRT 60% system deviation at 50% rated speaker output power setting

Hum and Noise:

Narrow Bandwidth	> 40 dBm
Mid Bandwidth	> 41 dBm
Wide Bandwidth	> 43 dBm

Receiver Audio Section - CTCSS

Tone Detect

Tone Squelch Opening	4 dB SINAD (typical)
Response Time	220 ms open and close (typical)

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Output Power*

Low Power Option		
Rated Power	25 W	
Range of Adjustment	1 W to 25 W	
Level 1 Very Low	1 W	
Level 2 Low	5 W	
Level 3 Medium	12 W	
Level 4 High	26 W	
High Power Option		
	VHF	UHF
Rated Power	50 W	40 W
Range of Adjustment	10 W to 50 W	10 W to 40 W
Level 1 Very Low	10 W	10 W
Level 2 Low	15 W	15 W
Level 3 Medium	26 W	21 W
Level 4 High	52 W	42 W

*Variation under environmental extreme +2 dB, -3 dB
 Variation under VSWR not exceeding 1.6:1 ± 1 dB
 Variation across the RF frequency band ± 1 dB

Output Power Accuracy* ± 0.5 dB into a 50 Ω load

*within normal operating voltages and temperatures

Duty Cycle 100% at maximum rated output power* at + 60°C
 (+ 140°F) ambient temperature, for low power option
 100% at maximum rated output power* at + 50°C
 (+ 122°F) ambient temperature, for high power option
 *measured directly on TB7100 RF output

Output Load Impedance 50 Ω nominal (VSWR <2:1)

Mismatch Capability

Ruggedness	open and short circuit load at any phase angle for one hour
Stability	5 : 1 load VSWR at all phase angles

Transmitter RF Section (Continued)

Frequency Range

25 or 50 watts	B1 136 MHz to 174 MHz (VHF)
25 or 40 watts	H5 400 MHz to 470 MHz (UHF)
25 watts	H6 450 MHz to 530 MHz (UHF)
40 watts	H7 450 MHz to 520 MHz (UHF)

Protection

Temperature	power foldback to 10% if RF power devices exceed safe operating conditions
Current	power foldback and shutdown if RF power devices exceed safe operating currents
Supply Voltage	power foldback to 10% when supply voltage is 24 V to 26 V and 30 V to 32 V; shutdown when supply voltage is < 24 V and > 32 V
VSWR	power foldback to 10% at VSWR extremes; continuous analogue power foldback to maintain 100% duty cycle into mismatched loads
Ruggedness	Tait ruggedness standard

Number of Channels	100
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Channel Spacing

NB	12.5 kHz
MB	20 kHz
WB	25 kHz

Modulation Scheme*

Analogue NBFM	--, 11K0F3E, 11 kHz
Analogue MBFM	--, 14K0F3E, 14 kHz
Analogue WBFM	--, 16K0F3E, 16 kHz
CP4GFSK	12 kbps, 12K0F1D, 12 kHz
CP4GFSK	19.2 kbps, 19K6F1D, 19.6 kHz
NB FFSK	1.2 kbps, 7K2F2D, 7.2 kHz
MB FFSK	1.2 kbps, 9K36F2D, 9.36 kHz
WB FFSK	1.2 kbps, 10K8F2D, 10.8 kHz

* Raw Data Rate, Emission Designator, Bandwidth

Frequency Increments

H Bands*	5 kHz and 6.25 kHz
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*Channel offsets of half these values can be programmed

Frequency Accuracy	±1.5 ppm – 30°C to + 60°C (– 22°F to + 140°F)
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Transmitter RF Section (Continued)

Adjacent Channel Power

Steady State (Full Deviation)	
Narrow Bandwidth	< – 60 dBc (ETS 300 086, EIA)
Mid and Wide Bandwidth	< – 70 dBc (ETS 300 086, EIA)
Transient (Unmodulated)	
Narrow Bandwidth	< – 50 dBc (ETS 300 113)
Mid and Wide Bandwidth	< – 60 dBc (ETS 300 113)

Wideband Noise*

± 1 MHz	< – 100 dBc
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*no modulation, measured from centre frequency,
measured in 15 kHz bandwidth

Intermodulation	– 40 dBc with interfering signal at – 30 dBc at TB7100 base station RF output
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Radiated Spurious Emissions

Transmit - B, C and H Bands	< – 36 dBm EIRP to 1 GHz < – 30 dBm 1 GHz to 4 GHz
Standby	< – 57 dBm EIRP to 1 GHz < – 47 dBm 1 GHz to 4 GHz < – 47 dBm 1 GHz to 12.75 GHz

Conducted Spurious Emissions

Transmit - B, C and H Bands	< – 36 dBm to 1 GHz < – 30 dBm 1 GHz to 12.75 GHz
Standby	< – 50 dBm discrete emissions <700 Hz bandwidth < – 57 dBm to 1 GHz < – 47 dBm 1 GHz to 12.75 GHz
Voltage and Temperature Extremes*	< – 30 dBm 9 kHz to 2.9 GHz

*(AS4295)

TXKEY Input Transmit Key Time

Key Up	
25 W to 90% full power	≤ 8 ms
25 W to mod path*	≤ 18 ms
Key Down	
25 W release to –10 dBm	≤ 6 ms

*T8 enabled

Transmitter RF Section (Continued)

Talk Through Repeater Transmit Key Time*

Opening time	
Noise mute (SINAD gating applied)	≤ 40 ms
Closing time	
Noise mute (SINAD gating applied)	≤ 31 ms

*Receive antenna to Transmit antenna

Microphone PTT Transmit Key Time

Key Up	
25 W to 90% full power	≤ 20 ms
Key Down	
25 W to 10% full power	≤ 20 ms

Continuous Repetitive Key Rate	24 Hz maximum
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Transmitter Audio Section - Modulation Characteristics

Inputs Available	microphone input via user interface balanced and unbalanced line inputs via system interface board (see "System Interface" on page 13)
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Frequency Response*	flat or pre-emphasised**
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*below limiting	**microphone input via control panel, balanced and unbalanced line inputs via system interface board
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Microphone Input

Bandwidth	300 Hz to 3 kHz
Impedance	600 Ω
Distortion	≤ 3 %

*60% modulation at 1 kHz

Microphone PTT

Deactivated state	V input < 0.5 V
Activated state	V input > 2 V
Hookswitch active state	5 Ω to 22 Ω to ground

Transmitter Audio Section - Modulation Characteristics (Continued)

Line and Microphone Inputs

Pre-emphasised Response	300 Hz to 2.55 kHz (NB)	
Bandwidth	300 Hz to 3 kHz (MB)	
	300 Hz to 3 kHz (WB)	
Below Limiting	within ± 3 dB of a 6 dB / octave pre-emphasis curve (ref. 1 kHz)	
Flat Response	Balanced Audio	Unbalanced Audio
Bandwidth	300 Hz to 2.55 kHz (NB)	67 Hz to 2.55 kHz (NB)
	300 Hz to 3 kHz (MB)	67 Hz to 3 kHz (MB)
	300 Hz to 3 kHz (WB)	67 Hz to 3 kHz (WB)
Response	within ± 3 dB of a 6 dB / octave pre-emphasis curve (ref. 1 kHz)	within ± 3 dB of output level at 1 kHz

Limiting Deviation (Modulation Limiting)

NBFM	$< \pm 2.5$ kHz
MBFM	$< \pm 4.0$ kHz
WBFM	$< \pm 5.0$ kHz

Distortion* $< 3\%$

*60% modulation at 1kHz

Bulk Delay

Transmitter*	
Audio Tap in T12	≤ 2.5 ms
Audio Tap in T8	≤ 10 ms
Talk Through Repeater**	≤ 20 ms

*from audio input to antenna

**from antenna input to antenna output, -70 dBm, 60% deviation for a 1kHz tone, flat response any output power

Group Delay*

Transmitter	≤ 40 μ s peak to peak 300 Hz to 3.4 kHz (WB)
	≤ 40 μ s peak to peak 300 Hz to 2.25 kHz (NB)
Talk Through Repeater	≤ 50 μ s peak to peak 300 Hz to 3.4 kHz (WB)
	≤ 50 μ s peak to peak 300 Hz to 2.25 kHz (NB)

*at 60% deviation flat full band response, applies to balanced and un balanced audio and is at Tap in T12 and Tap out R2

Transmitter Audio Section - CTCSS

Standard Tones	all 37 ANSI/TIA group A, B and C tones plus 13 commonly used tones
Modulation Level	adjustable
Modulated Distortion	< 5%