

DTE_x MED Fire Fighter Series

DT800FF | DT900FF

Quick Start User Guide



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INTRODUCTION

The DTE_x Fire Fighter Series is an industrial grade marine radio that meets the latest MED standard implementation regulation MED/5.20 and European ATEX directive.

Your radio can be configured for Digital or Analogue channels, or both, and to meet your exact requirements the radio may have been customised by your Entel Dealer. These features will be explained in a separate guide issued by the Dealer.

PACKING LIST

DTE _x series radios
Rechargeable Li-ion battery pack
Emergency one-shot battery - For DT844FF & DT885FF only
Drop in charger
Spring loaded belt clip
High efficiency antenna
Quick start user guide

OPTIONAL ACCESSORIES

Attaching and removing accessories

To attach an accessory, remove the accessory cover by unscrewing the locking screw anticlockwise (leave cover attached or store in a safe place).

Plug the accessory into the socket, then carefully tighten the locking screw clockwise until finger tight (do not over-tighten or use any implement).

To remove an accessory, unscrew the locking screw of the accessory by hand in an anticlockwise direction.

To prevent corrosion or damage to the accessory connector terminals ensure either a) the accessory cover is fitted or b) an accessory is securely fitted, never leave the terminals exposed.



BATTERY INFORMATION

DO NOT CHARGE BATTERY IN I.S. AREA!

Battery charging

1. Connect the AC adapter to the charger pod and plug in.
2. Turn the radio off.
3. Insert the battery pack into the charger pod, either with or without the radio attached. The charger LED status light changes to red and charging begins.
4. When charging is complete the charger LED status changes from red to green. A fully discharged battery pack will take approximately 6 hours to recharge.

A flashing red LED on the charger indicates there is a problem with the battery. Remove the battery from the charger and consult your Entel Dealer. Only use with Entel Approved chargers: CSAHT & CSBHT.



Battery care

CAUTION

BATTERY PACK PRECAUTIONS

- Do not recharge the battery pack if it is already fully charged. Doing so may reduce the life of the battery pack.
- After charging is complete, remove the battery from the charger. If the power to the charger is turned off and on again, charging will restart and the battery will become overcharged.
- Please ensure that the radio is turned off before placing it in the charger and never switch a radio on whilst in the charger.
- Only battery packs and chargers stating they are "Part of IECEx BAS 18.0094X and Baseefa18ATEX0152X" may be used.
- Do not short the battery terminals or dispose of the battery in a fire.
- Do not charge the radio and/or battery pack if they are wet.
- Risk of explosion if battery is replaced by an incorrect type.
- Dispose of used batteries according to the instructions.

DANGER

DO NOT DISASSEMBLE OR MODIFY THE BATTERY IN ANY WAY!

Your Entel battery pack incorporates a safety circuit to avoid danger. If the safety circuit is damaged or bypassed, or the battery cells are damaged directly, they may generate extreme heat, smoke, rupture and emit flames.

REPAIR & MAINTENANCE

Repair and maintenance of this product can only be carried out by Entel. Any damage to the anti-tamper seal will invalidate the product approval. Should you have any difficulties in operating this product please contact your Entel Dealer for support.

CONTROLS & INDICATORS

DISPLAY - UHF MODEL



1. On/Off/Volume control.
Rotate clockwise to turn on and increase volume. Rotate anticlockwise to reduce volume and turn off.
2. Channel control
3. Accessory socket
4. Push-To-Talk (PTT) button.
Press to speak and release to listen.
5. Dealer programmable buttons
(ask your Dealer for more information)

6. LED indicator
Red Steady - Transmitting
Red Double Flash - Low Battery
Red Fast Flash - Error
Green Steady - Receiving
Green Steady (AM) - Monitoring Channel
Green slow flash (DM) - Digital call hang time
Amber steady - Receiving invalid signal
Amber Flash every 5-seconds - Radio in standby
Amber Rapid Flash - Scanning

How to select INT/USA/CAN modes

Long press Orange or P1 button (subject to your firmware version) to enter Region selection menu.
Short press Orange or P1 button to select the region INT > USA > CAN then press PTT to save the selection.

DISPLAY - VHF MODEL



7. Navigation key - channel up/down
8. Microphone
9. Squelch
10. Quick access channel 16
11. Scan memorised channels
12. Programmable button
13. Memorise channels for scan

LATEST CERTIFIED ACCESSORIES:

Model	Description	ATEX	Permitted models
CNB950EV2	1800mAh Li-ion battery pack	✓	DT800, DT900 Series
CLB850FF	Emergency one-shot battery pack (primary)	✓	DT800 Series
CMP/DT9S	Remote speaker microphone	✓	DT800, DT900 Series
CMP/DT9E	Remote speaker microphone ear jack version	✓	DT800, DT900 Series
CHPD/DT9*	Ear defender headset with headband	✓	DT800, DT900 Series
CHPHS/DT9*	Ear defender headset/hardhat/single sided	✓	DT800, DT900 Series
CHPHD/DT9*	Ear defender headset/hardhat/double sided	✓	DT800, DT900 Series
CXR5/DT9**	Bone conductive skull microphone & earpiece	✓	DT800, DT900 Series
CXR16/DT9**	Bone conductive throat microphone & earpiece	✓	DT800, DT900 Series
PTT-E/DT9	Heavy duty PTT switch for CHP Series	✓	DT800, DT900 Series
PTT-C/DT9	Heavy duty PTT switch for CXR Series	✓	DT800, DT900 Series
EA12/DT9	Earpiece microphone & PTT	✓	DT800, DT900 Series
FPSCOM5000/DT	Dräger FPS®-COM 5000 communication unit for FPS® 7000	✓	DT800, DT900 Series
C-C550/DT	Savox Combined remote speaker microphone / push-to-talk	✓	DT800, DT900 Series
MSA C1	BA Mask Communication module for C-C550	✓	DT800, DT900 Series

*CHPD/DT9, CHPHS/DT9 and CHPHD/DT9 supplied with PTT-E/DT9

**CXR5/DT9 and CXR16/DT9 supplied with PTT-C/DT9



Specific conditions of use:
The Entel ATEX transceivers should only be used with the specific, permitted accessories, as detailed above.

PREPARING YOUR RADIO FOR USE

Attaching / removing the antenna



1. To attach, carefully align the antenna with the socket. Screw in the antenna clockwise (taking care not to cross the thread) (A).
2. To remove, unscrew the antenna anti-clockwise (B).

Attaching / removing the battery pack



1. To attach, locate the pegs on the bottom of the battery into the slots on the radio and press the top of the battery against the radio. Secure battery by tightening the screw clockwise by hand (do not use any implement or over tighten) (C).
2. To remove, unscrew the locking screw anti-clockwise and pull the battery away from the top of the radio (D).

SWITCHING ON, RECEPTION AND SWITCHING OFF

1. To switch on rotate the on/off/volume control (1) on the top of the radio clockwise, you will hear a click from the control.
2. When the radio has passed its diagnostic tests, it will emit a fanfare tone.
3. The radio will enter standby mode. This is indicated by the LED flashing amber once every 5 seconds, signaling that the radio is ready for use.
4. Adjust the volume control (1) to select the desired volume level.
5. Using the channel control (2), ensure you have the correct channel selected.
6. When receiving a valid signal, the LED will illuminate steady green and audio will be emitted from the radio's speaker or audio accessory (if attached).
7. When finished using the radio, switch off by turning the on/off/volume control (1) counter clockwise until it clicks and the radio will be switched off.

TRANSMITTING

1. Perform steps 1 through to 5 above.
2. Before transmitting, monitor the channel and make sure it is clear.
3. When receiving a signal, wait until the signal stops before transmitting. The radio cannot transmit and receive simultaneously.
4. Press the Push-to-Talk (PTT) button (4) to begin your transmission. To confirm transmission the LED will illuminate red.
5. For best transmitted speech quality, you must talk directly into the radio's microphone (8) at around 4cm between your mouth and the radio.
6. Please note: if you talk into the top of the radio or with your mouth further away, you will transmit poor quality speech.
7. When the transmission is finished release the PTT button.

DECLARATION OF CONFORMITY

We Entel UK Limited of:

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This declaration of conformity is issued under the sole responsibility of the manufacturer, in accordance with European Council Directive 2014/90/EU, Implementing Regulation 2025/1533, and the Merchant Shipping (Marine Equipment) Regulations 2016.

EN 300 113: December, 2016 v2.2.1 (DT885FF & DT985FF)

EN 300 720: January, 2017 v2.1.1 (DT885FF & DT985FF)

EN 301 178: April, 2017 v2.2.2 (DT844FF & DT944FF)

EN 301 843-1: November, 2017 v2.2.1

EN 301 843-2: November, 2017 v2.2.1

EN 60945: October, 2002, Edition 4

IEC 60079-0: December, 2017, Edition 7.0

IEC 60079-11: June, 2011, Edition 6.0

IEC 60945/Corrigendum 1: April, 2008, Edition 4

IMO Resolution A.694(17): 1991

ITU-R M. 1174-4: October, 2019

ITU-R M. 489-2: October, 1995

MSC.1/Circ. 1616: June, 2019

SOLAS 74 as amended, Regulation II-2/10.10.4: July, 2014

Marine Electronics Directive (MED)

Compliance is being ascertained by the following certificates:

EC type-examination certificate (Module-B)

No. 252120002/AA/xx (DT885FF & DT985FF)

No. 252120003/AA/xx (DT844FF & DT944FF) has been issued

Product category: MED/5.20

Product quality system certificate (Module-D)

Certificate No. P133

Kiwa Nederland B.V.

Notified Body No. 0063

The Merchant Shipping (Marine Equipment) Regulation 2016 (MER)

Compliance is being ascertained by the following certificates;

UK type-examination certificate (Module-B)

No. 232380003/AA/xx (DT844FF & DT944FF)

No. 232380004/AA/xx (DT885FF & DT985FF) has been issued

Item number and designation: UK/5.20 Fire-fighter's two-way

radiotelephone apparatus

Product quality system certificate (Module-D)

Certificate No. P133 MER

UK Approved Body Kiwa Ltd.

Approved Body No. 0558

This declaration is valid for Directive 2014/34/EU

IEC 60079-0:2017 EN IEC 60079-0:2018

IEC 60079-11:2011 EN 60079-11:2012

Related certificates:

ATEX: Baseefa18ATEX0152X

DT8xx marking II 2G Ex Ib IIB T4 Gb (-20°C ≤ Ta ≤ +40°C)

DT9xx marking II 2G Ex Ib IIC T4 Gb (-20°C ≤ Ta ≤ +40°C)

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The product shall only be put into service after it has been professionally configured by a specialist radio communications dealer for the EU member state or geographical area it is intended to be operated within.

Intended country of use

	AT	BE	BG	CH	CY	CZ	DE	DK	EE
	ES	FI	FR	EL	HR	HU	IE	IS	IT
	LI	LT	LU	LV	MT	NL	NO	PL	PT
	RO	SE	SI	SK	TR	UK(NI)			



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